



Legal & Legislative Committee

Monday, November 17, 2025, 6:45 PM
City Council Chamber, 1st Floor
562 Main Street, Melrose, MA 02176

MINUTES

I. CALL TO ORDER

Devin Romanul Vice Chair
Cal Finocchiaro
Mark Garipay
Kimberly Vandiver
Leila Migliorelli President, Ex Officio Member
Maya Jamaledine Chair

Meeting was called to order by Chair Jamaledine at 6:45 pm

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Devin Romanul	Vice Chair	Present	
Cal Finocchiaro	Ward 6	Present	
Mark Garipay	Ward 4	Present	
Kimberly Vandiver	Ward 5	Present	
Leila Migliorelli	President, Ex Officio Member	Present	arrived 6:49 pm
Maya Jamaledine	Chair	Present	

Non-voting members Councilors Hamilton and Karamcheti were also present

II. MINUTES APPROVAL

Motion to approve minutes without reading made by Chair Jamaledine

RESULT:	ACCEPTED [UNANIMOUS]
AYES:	Devin Romanul, Cal Finocchiaro, Mark Garipay, Kim Vandiver, Leila Migliorelli, Maya Jamaledine
NAYS:	None

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

When: Nov 17, 2025 06:45 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Legal & Legislative Committee Meeting

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Webinar ID: 983 4330 7574

Motion to Open public comment made by Chair Jamaledine at 6:47 pm

There were no comments on the floor or via Zoom

Motion to Close public comment made by Chair Jamaledine at 6:47 pm

IV. ORDINANCES

- A. **(ID # 2025-123):** Food Truck Operations within the City of Melrose Ordinance. Proposed Ordinance relative to Food Truck Operations within the City of Melrose. (ID# 12951)

Discussion occurred regarding the map locations added to the ordinance. They don't expect more locations than the current 4 sites and it could possibly be reduced to fewer sites. Councilor Williams said he could discuss the locations with the Traffic Commission. Councilor Vandiver made a motion to strike specific words "or allow" from the ordinance in section 127-15 G. No councilors seconded her motion. Councilor Karamcheti asked if these licenses are for the general public for private one-time events, and no, this ordinance does not apply to private events.

Motion to Recommend to full council made by Councilor Vandiver

Seconded by Councilor Romanul

All were in favor and motion passed

RESULTS:	ACCEPTED [UNANIMOUS]
TO:	City Council
AYES:	Devin Romanul, Cal Finocchiaro, Mark Garipay, Kim Vandiver, Leila Migliorelli, Maya Jamaledine
NAYS:	None

V. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to Adjourn by unanimous consent made by Chair Jamaledine at 7:01 pm

Meeting was adjourned