



CITY OF MELROSE

CITY COUNCIL

ORDERS OF THE DAY • FEBRUARY 16, 2021

Web-based remote meeting
, Melrose, MA 02176

Regular Meeting

7:45 PM

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. REMOTE MEETING INFORMATION

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §18, and the Governor's March 15, 2020 Order imposing strict limitations on the number of people that may gather in one place, this meeting of the City Council will be conducted via remote participation to the greatest extent possible. We will post an audio or video recording, transcript, or other comprehensive record of these proceedings as soon as possible after the meeting on the City of Melrose website and on MMTV/ mmtv3.org. The public can find online access instructions to view this meeting at www.cityofmelrose.org/remote-meetings

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

IV. COMMUNICATIONS FROM HIS HONOR, THE MAYOR AND OTHER CITY OFFICIALS

1. **ORDER-2021-79** : AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF MELROSE TO ESTABLISH A MEANS TESTED SENIOR CITIZEN PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION.

Offered by: Mayor Paul Brodeur

2. **ORDER-2021-80** : Amending Chapter A, Article II, Section 202 of the Administrative Code of the City of Melrose to Expand the Membership of the Council on Aging

Offered by: Mayor Paul Brodeur

3. **ORDER-2021-81** : AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF MELROSE TO REGULATE CERTAIN PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ELDERLY

Offered by: Mayor Paul Brodeur

4. **ORDER-2021-82** : Appointment of Lauren Grymek to the Commission on Women for a three-year term, said term to expire on the last day of February 2024.

5. **ORDER-2021-83** : Clause 41C Senior Real Estate Exemption Local Options

V. NEW BUSINESS

1. **ORDER-2021-84** : A request for an update on the Mayor's Free Cash Distribution Plan for Fiscal Year 2021

Sponsored by: Ward 6 Jen Grigoraitis, At-Large Leila Migliorelli, At-Large Maya Jamaledine

VI. ORDERS OUT OF ORDER

VII. ORDERS FROM COMMITTEE

VIII. REPORTS - RULE 53

IX. CALENDAR

1. **ORDER-2021-43** : An Appropriation from free cash, account 01-324001, in the amount of \$50,000 to HR Professional Services, account 011522-529000, to fund a compensation and classification study.

From: Appropriations Committee

RECOMMEND PASSAGE

2. **ORDER-2021-61** : Housing Production Plan Update

From: Appropriations Committee

RECOMMEND PLACE ON FILE

3. **ORDER-2021-74** : A transfer in the amount of \$37,600 from Medicare Part B (019142-549217) to various Human Resource Accounts.

From: Appropriations Committee

RECOMMEND PASSAGE

4. **ORDER-2021-72** : Reappointment of Christopher R. Wilcock, 38 Bates Park Avenue, Beverly, to the Board of Assessors for a three-year term, said term to end on the last day of February, 2024.

From: Finance Committee

RECOMMEND PASSAGE

5. **ORDER-2021-75** : Appointment of Beth Delahaij to the Planning Board to fulfill the unexpired term of Michael Cassavoy. Said term to expire on the last day of February 2023.

From: Protection and License Committee

RECOMMEND PASSAGE

6. **ORDER-2021-73** : Appointment of Kate Monea to the Historical Commission for a term to expire on the last day of February 2023

From: Health, Education & Welfare Committee

RECOMMEND PASSAGE

7. **ORDER-2021-78** : Renewal of Surety Bond of City Clerk, City of Melrose in the amount of \$15,000.00 for the year 2021

From: Finance Committee

RECOMMEND PASSAGE

X. ADJOURNMENT