



CITY OF MELROSE

CITY COUNCIL

ORDERS OF THE DAY • OCTOBER 20, 2025

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Council Chamber, First Floor, Melrose City Hall Regular Meeting
562 Main Street, Melrose, MA 02176

7:45 PM

I. CALL TO ORDER

Pledge of Allegiance

II. READING OF THE MINUTES

1. City Council - Regular Meeting - Oct 6, 2025 7:45 PM

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

When: Oct 20, 2025 07:45 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Topic: City Council Meeting

Topic: Public Hearing-National Grid Petitions at 8:00 PM Eastern Time

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

V. NEW BUSINESS

A. *Filings by the Honorable Mayor*

i. Appropriation

1. **(ID # 13004):** An Appropriation from Capital Stabilization in the amount of \$35,000 to DPW Facilities to provide emergency temporary shoring at City Hall.

ii. Grant

1. **(ID # 13002):** Acceptance of Donation in the Amount of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) for the Purposes of Proceeding with Solid Waste and Recycling Initiatives

iii. Order

1. **(ID # 13037):** Requesting the Acceptance of M.G.L. c.44, §54(b) to allow City of Melrose Trust Funds to be invested in accordance with M.G.L. c.203C, the "Prudent Investment Rule".

B. Filings by members of the Honorable City Council**C. Petition**

1. **(ID # 13038):** Proposed Installation 40 ft C3 (Class 3) JO (Jointly Owned) Pole # 5 in the eastern sidewalk in front 371 E Foster St.

VI. PUBLIC HEARING-NATIONAL GRID PETITIONS**A. Petitions**

1. **(ID # 12998):** National Grid Petition to install underground utilities for 36 Clinton Road WR # 31208581

From: City Council

REFER TO COMMITTEE

VII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**A. Appointments/Reappointments**

1. **(ID # 12967):** Appointment of Elizabeth Moroney, 52 Batchelder Street, Melrose to the Commission on Women. Ms. Moroney will finish out the remainder of Regina Gibbons' three-year term, said term to expire the last day of February 2028

From: Boards & Commissions Committee

B. Appropriation

1. **(ID # 13005):** Library Fines Appropriation FY2026 Appropriate the amount of \$16,550.00 from account 29032-590000 (Library Fines Account) to account 016112-534200 (Lib Exp Books & Periodicals).

From: Appropriations & Oversight Committee

C. Order

1. **(ID # 12985):** Authorizing the disposal of 350 square feet of City land located on a portion of 138-140 Franklin Street in Melrose for a nominal fee for the reasons provided in the Notice of Decision

From: Appropriations & Oversight Committee

2. **(ID # 12986):** Authorizing the transfer of the City land located at 138-140 Franklin Street in Melrose to the current owners of the remainder of that property, as described in the attached Quitclaim Deed.

From: Appropriations & Oversight Committee

D. Ordinances

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

Sponsored by: Ward 7 Devin Romanul, Ward 6 Cal Finocchiaro, At-Large Ryan Williams

From: Legal & Legislative Committee

VIII. EXPIRIES**IX. RULE 36 REPORTS****X. ADJOURNMENT**

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