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## COMMITTEE HEARING NOTICE - VIRTUAL

November 2, 2021

The Boston City Council's Committee on Housing & Community Development will hold a public hearing on **Tuesday, December 7, 2021 at 2:00PM**. This hearing will be held virtually.

The subject of the hearing is:

***Docket #0861, Order for a hearing to discuss predatory lending programs in the City of Boston.***

This matter was sponsored by Councilor Ricardo Arroyo and was referred to the Committee on July 12, 2021.

NOTICE: The Boston City Council may have a quorum in attendance due to standing committees of the City Council consisting of both voting and non-voting members. However, members attending this duly posted meeting are participating and deliberating only in conjunction with the business of the standing committee.

**Attendance** In accordance with Chapter 20 of the Acts of 2021, modifying certain requirements of the Open Meeting Law and relieving public bodies of certain requirements, including the requirement that public bodies conduct its meetings in a public place that is open and physically accessible to the public, the City Council will be conducting this hearing virtually. This enables the City Council to carry out its responsibilities while adhering to public health recommendations and ensuring public access to its deliberations through adequate, alternative means. The public may watch this hearing via live stream at [www.boston.gov/city-council-tv](http://www.boston.gov/city-council-tv) or via broadcast on Xfinity 8/RCN 82/Fios 964.

**Public Testimony** Members of the public wishing to testify virtually via videoconference should email the staff contact for a link and instructions to do so. Written testimony may be sent to the Committee or staff email (below) and will be made a part of the record and available to all Councilors.

For the Committee:

Lydia Edwards, Chair  
Committee on Housing & Community Development

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