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## COMMITTEE HEARING NOTICE

October 15, 2024

The Boston City Council's Committee on Housing and Community Development will hold a public hearing on **Friday, October 18, 2024 at 10:00am**. This hearing will be held virtually.

The subject of the hearing is:

Docket #1165, Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Seventy-Five Million Dollars (\$75,000,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the Commonwealth Builder Program, awarded by the Massachusetts Housing Finance Agency to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing. The grant will fund the creation of workforce homeownership housing units and the long-term availability of those units to eligible moderate-income households.

This matter was sponsored by Mayor Michelle Wu and referred to the Committee on August 7, 2024.

**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 Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Executive Order 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/citycouncil-tv](http://www.boston.gov/citycouncil-tv). It will also be re-broadcast at a later date on Comcast 8/RCN 82/Verizon 1964.

**Public Testimony** 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. Members of the public wishing to testify virtually via videoconference should email the staff contact for a link and instructions to do so.

For the Committee:

Liz Breadon

Committee on Housing and Community Development

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**By City Clerk at 11:54 am, Oct 15, 2024**

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