



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
MICHELLE WU

January 13, 2025

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith a supplemental appropriation Order for the Boston Police Department for FY25 in the amount of one hundred twenty-eight thousand, seven hundred dollars (\$128,700) to cover the FY25 cost items contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the City of Boston and the Boston Police Detectives Benevolent Society (BPDDBS) – Forensic Group. The terms of the contracts are October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2027. The major provisions of the contract include a market adjustment to base wages in FY25, as well as base wage increase of 2% to be given in January of 2026 and 2027 and flat amounts of \$900 and \$800 to be added to annual salaries in January of 2026 and 2027, after the percent increases.

As originally presented to you, the FY25 budget request included a Reserve for Collective Bargaining - a separate appropriation to fund projected collective bargaining increases. A separate order has been filed to reduce that appropriation to support this supplemental request.

I respectfully request your support of this supplemental appropriation.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston


CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER APPROPRIATING ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$128,700) TO COVER THE FY25 COST ITEMS CONTAINED WITHIN THE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF BOSTON AND THE BPDBS – FORENSIC GROUP.

ORDERED: That in addition to the appropriations heretofore made, to meet the current operating expenses of the fiscal period commencing July 1, 2024 and ending June 30, 2025, the sum of ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$128,700) be, and the same hereby is appropriated as follows, said sum to be met from available funds and taxation pursuant to Section 23 of Chapter 59 of the General Laws:

211000	Boston Police Department	Personnel Services	\$128,700
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**I HEREBY CERTIFY
THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN
THE ABOVE FORM WILL BE IN
ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.**

BY 

**ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL**

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