

CITY OF BOSTON • MASSACHUSETTS

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR MARTIN J. WALSH

January 27, 2020

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) Statements of Interest for its Accelerated Repair Program for the following schools:

Schools	Address	City	State	Scope
Adams, Samuel Elementary	165 Webster St	East Boston	MA	Windows
Boston Day & Evening Academy	20 Kearsarge Avenue	Roxbury	MA	Windows
Guild, Curtis Elementary	5 Ashley Street/195 Leyden St	East Boston	MA	Windows
Hale, Nathan Elementary	51 Cedar St	Roxbury	MA	Windows
Henderson, Dr. William W. Inclusion (Upper School)	18 Croftland Avenue	Dorchester	MA	Roof
Hernandez, Rafael K-8	61 School St	Jamaica Plain	MA	Windows
Higginson/Lewis K-8	131 Walnut Ave	Roxbury	MA	Windows
Kennedy, Patrick Elementary	343 Saratoga St	East Boston	MA	Boiler
Ohrenberger, William H. K-8	175 W Boundary Rd	West Roxbury	MA	Roof
Otis, James Elementary	218 Marion St	East Boston	MA	Roof
Winthrop, John Elementary	35 Brookford St	Roxbury	MA	Roof

The Statements of Interest describe and explain the deficiencies and the priority category for which the City of Boston may be invited to apply to the MSBA Accelerated Repair grant program in the future, specifically:

Priority 5 – Replacement, renovation or modernization of school facility systems, such as roofs, windows, boilers, heating and ventilation systems, to increase energy conservation and decrease energy related costs in a school facility.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may submit the Statements of Interest expeditiously and continue the process of seeking funds for the improvement of school facilities within the City of Boston.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Walsh

Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON

IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDERED: Having convened in an open meeting prior to February 14, 2020, the City Council of the City of Boston, in accordance with its charter, by-laws, and ordinances, has voted to authorize the Superintendent to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) the Statement of Interest Forms dated on, or before, February 14, 2020, for the following schools:

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The Statements of Interest for the facilities listed above describe and explain roof, window, and boiler deficiencies submitted under Priority # 5, which includes: replacement, renovation or modernization of school facility systems, such as roofs, windows, boilers, heating and ventilation systems, to increase energy conservation and decrease energy related costs in a school facility.

The City Council hereby further specifically acknowledges that by submitting the Statement of Interest Forms, the MSBA in no way guarantees the acceptance or the approval of an application, the awarding of a grant or any other funding commitment from the MSBA, or commits the City of Boston to file an application for funding with the MSBA.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING, IF PASSED IN THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.

EUGENE L. O'FLAHERTY CORPORATION COUNSEL