



# City of Somerville Job Creation & Retention Trust

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## Notice of Meeting & Meeting Agenda

**Date & Time:** March 1, 2023, 6:00 pm

*On July 16, 2022, Governor Baker signed into law An Act Relative to Extending Certain State of Emergency Accommodations, which extends the expiration of the provisions pertaining to the Open Meeting Law to March 31, 2023. Specifically, this extension allows public bodies to continue holding meetings remotely without a quorum of the public body physically present at a meeting location, and to provide "adequate, alternative" access to remote meetings. The Act does not make any new changes to the Open Meeting Law other than extending the expiration date of the temporary provisions regarding remote meetings from July 15, 2022, to March 31, 2023.*

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## Agenda Items

1. Review and Approval of January 19<sup>th</sup> meeting minutes
2. Review Received and Estimated Linkage Fees for 2023
3. Review Current Status of 2022-2023 Investment Priorities
4. Update from Good Municipal Jobs Training Subcommittee
5. Overview of Mental Health, Resilience, and Trauma Training for Adult Education and Workforce Development Organizations -- *seeking Subcommittee members*
6. Obligation and Distribution Votes
  - *A. Vote: To obligate \$42,232 to Coordination and Data Collection Staff Role to be distributed during FY24.*
  - *B. Vote: To distribute \$126,051 to Just A Start to deliver Biomedical and IT trainings to 5 Somerville residents.*
  - *C. Vote: To distribute \$214,000 to Benjamin Franklin Cummings Institute of Technology to deliver Clean Energy and IT trainings to 15 Somerville residents.*

- *D. Vote: To distribute \$55,000 to Mass CultivatED to deliver Jail to Jobs Workforce Development Program to 10 Somerville residents.*

7. Additional Items not reasonably anticipated by the Chair
8. Adjournment