

City of Waltham

Jeannette A. McCarthy
Mayor

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TO: The City Council

RE: Appropriation Request – Building Code Enforcement Equipment

Dear Councillors:

I respectfully request an appropriation of funds in the amount of \$5,000.00 from account #261-192-1015-5202 Building Code Enforcement Special Revenue to account #001-192-5400-5850 Building Code Enforcement Equipment.

These funds will be used to purchase the ninth edition code books for the Building Department inspectors. Also, the funds will be used to purchase rechargeable flashlights and other field tools for use by the inspectors. Attached is a copy of the quote for said items.

The account balance of the funds generated under "code enforcement fines" is currently \$36,750.00. These funds can be used for "enforcement" and the use of the appropriation request is consistent with that purpose.

Attached is a copy of a letter that was received from the Inspector of Buildings. Mr. Forte will be available to answer questions concerning this request.

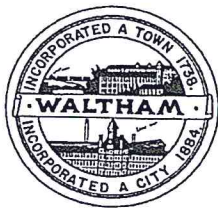
Sincerely,

Jeannette A. McCarthy

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Enclosure

cc: William Forte



Waltham Building Department
William L. Forte
Inspector of Buildings
Superintendent of Public Buildings

City of Waltham *Massachusetts*

Fund Appropriation Request

December 7, 2017

The Honorable Jeannette A. McCarthy
Waltham City Hall
610 Main Street
Waltham, MA 02451

Dear Mayor McCarthy,

The Waltham Building Department respectfully requests an appropriation of funds in the amount of \$5,000.00 from account # 261-192-1015-5202 earmarked "Code Enforcement Special Revenue" as required by G.L. 148A to the Building-Code Enforcement Fund # 001-192-5400 for the purchase of new ninth edition code books for all inspectors. I have enclosed an estimate for the books.

In addition to that purchase, training and education has routinely been paid for with the department operating costs. The revenue generated from the issuance of non-criminal fines should be directed to this purpose, freeing up a substantial amount of the operating budget for other necessities.

The department also needs rechargeable flashlights and a few field tools such as tape measures, stapleguns and other miscellaneous items for each inspection vehicle to compliment the safety equipment package that was purchased earlier this year.

Funds that are generated by Code Enforcement Fines under G.L. 148A can be used for "enforcement" and the fund appropriation request falls under this category. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

William L. Forte
Inspector of Buildings
Superintendent of Public Buildings



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
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Documents are in PDF format

Product Specifications

DESCRIPTION	Maglite® Mag Charger® Rechargeable Flashlight System
BRAND	Maglite®
# BATTERIES REQUIRED	1
COLOR FINISH	Black
BULB TYPE	LED
LUMENS	643
OVERALL LENGTH INCHES	12-19/32
HEAD DIAMETER INCHES	2-5/16
BARREL DIAMETER INCHES	1-9/16
WEIGHT WITHOUT BATTERY	18 oz.
WEIGHT WITH BATTERY	32 oz.
RUNTIME FULL POWER	4 Hours 30 Minutes
TYPE	Rechargeable Flashlight
BATTERY TYPE REQUIRED	Nickel Metal Hydride Rechargeable (Included)
MANUFACTURER PART NUMBER	RL1019
BATTERIES INCLUDED	Yes
BEAM DISTANCE METERS	407m

	A	B	C	D	E
1	New 9th Edition code books	9th Amendments	quantity	Amount each	Amount
2	2015 Int'l Residential Code	(IBC)	6	\$173.00	\$ 1, 038.00
3	2015 Int'l Building Code	(IRC)	6	\$172.00	\$1,032.00
4	Freight Charge				\$82.80
5					
6					
7	Mass Amendments	(780 CMR)	6	\$18.00	\$108.00
8	Mass Amendments	(780 CMR 51.00	6	\$8.00	\$48.00
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10	<u>Total:</u>				<u>\$2,308.80</u>