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~~MURIEL ENGROSSED BOWSER ORIGINAL MAYOR A April BILL 14, 3 2026 26-661 IS he IN Honorable THE Phil COUNCIL Mendelson, OF Chairman THE Council DISTRICT of the OF District COLUMBIA of Columbia 8 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW To Washington, enact DC and 20004 amend Dear provisions Chairman of Mendelson: law necessary to support the Fiscal Year 2027 budget and for other purposes.~~

~~On TABLE behalf of the OF more CONTENTS than TITLE 700,000 residents of Washington, I, DC, I am pleased to submit to the Council of the District of Columbia my Fiscal Year 2027 Proposed Budget and Financial Plan, Grow DC.~~

~~This GOVERNMENT budget DIRECTION reflects AND our SUPPORT..... resilience, our values, and our continued commitment to building a stronger, safer, and more vibrant city.~~

~~It's 11 worth SUBTITLE repeating A. that Washington, DC is a world-class city, delivering first-class services and projects to our residents.~~

~~We TELEWORK have POLICIES..... the number one park system in the nation;~~

~~built 11 36,000 SUBTITLE new B. homes in less than five years;~~

~~lead ADVISORY the NEIGHBORHOOD nation COMMISSIONS in FUNDING office to residential FLEXIBILITY conversions; SUPPORT.....~~

~~have 13 the SUBTITLE fastest C. improving urban school district;~~

~~and DISTRICT have EMPLOYEE driven PAID down PARENTAL, crime FAMILY, to AND its MEDICAL lowest LEAVE levels.....~~

~~..... in at least three decades.~~

~~And 17 last SUBTITLE year, D. we secured the city's largest private investment with the announcement that our Washington Commanders would come back home to a new RFK Stadium.~~

~~With LOBBYING this FEES budget AND we PENALTIES remain REFORM..... laser focused on growing our local economy.~~

~~Before 20 the SUBTITLE COVID-19 E. pandemic, the city's economic growth was predictable.~~

~~We had a fast-growing population and strong downtown demand that led to steady revenue growth which allowed us to expand our programs and services.~~

~~However, this is not the economy we have today.~~

~~While our population is still growing that growth is happening slowly widespread teleworking continues to strain our commercial office market, and federal job losses have impacted thousands of District households, all of which contribute to slower revenue growth.~~

~~The Grow DC budget faces these new economic realities head on so that we can continue growing our economy and delivering world-class city services.~~

~~Investing in High-Quality Education Our years of investing in public education have delivered results our city can be proud of--our highest ever graduation rate, continued enrollment gains, and great schools in all eight wards.~~

~~That's why the 1 Included in this submission are the Fiscal Year 2027 Local Budget Act of 2026, the Fiscal Year 2027 Federal Portion Budget Request Act of 2026, and the Fiscal Year 2027 Budget Support Act of 2026.~~

~~In addition, I am submitting the following accompanying measures:~~

~~the Fiscal Year 2026 Revised Local Budget Emergency Act of 2026, the Fiscal Year 2025 Revised Local Budget Temporary Act of 2026, and the Fiscal Year 2026 Revised Local Budget Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2026.~~

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~~2003~~390 ENGROSSED ORIGINAL BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Fiscal Year 2027 Budget Support Act of 2026".

Official Code Sec. 1-601.01 et seq.), is amended by adding a new section ~~201a~~1202b to read as follows:

~~201a~~1202b.

"(b) No personnel authority or agency shall establish ~~its own telework policy, unless authorized by the Mayor, and no personnel authority or agency shall~~ implement a telework policy other than the policy established by the Mayor pursuant to subsection (a) of this section, unless authorized by the Mayor.

ENGROSSED ORIGINAL "(e) No personnel authority or agency may enter into a collective bargaining agreement that includes or requires a telework ~~policy~~policy;

"(f) provided, For that the this purposes subsection shall not apply to collective bargaining agreements existing as of this the section, effective date of the term: Telework Policy Amendment Emergency Act of 2026, [CITE].

"(1)"(f) "Agency" This shall have the meaning set forth in section 301(1) and shall include apply agencies not otherwise subject to this agencies act, except for the Council and agencies personnel of authorities the otherwise legislative exempt branch from of this the title District or government act;

"(2) except, "Routine that telework" it means shall an ot telework apply arrangement to in the which Superior an Court employee of is the authorized District to of telework Columbia, on the an District ongoing of basis. Columbia Court of Appeals, the Office of the Attorney General for the District of Columbia, or the Council or other agencies of the legislative branch of the District government.

"(3) "Situational telework" means a temporary telework arrangement in which the employee is authorized to telework due to specific, temporary personal circumstances which prevent the employee from working from a District government office or worksite or for another specific, temporary circumstance approved by the personnel authority.

"(4)(A) "Telework" means an arrangement in which an employee performs employment duties at their home or other location that is not a District government office or worksite during hours that constitute their official tour of duty.

"(B) The term "telework" includes both routine telework and situational telework."

Official Code Sec. 2-501 et seq.), may issue rules to implement the provisions of this ~~section."~~section.

"(h) For the purposes of this section, the term:

"(1) "Routine telework" means a telework arrangement in which an employee is authorized to telework on an ongoing basis.

"(2) "Situational telework" means a temporary telework arrangement in which the employee is authorized to telework due to specific, temporary personal circumstances that prevent the employee from working from a District government office or worksite or due to another specific, temporary circumstance approved by the personnel authority.

ENGROSSED ORIGINAL "(3)(A) "Telework" means an arrangement in which an employee performs employment duties at the employee's home or at another location that is not a District government office or

worksite during hours that constitute the employee's official tour of duty.

"(B) The term "telework" includes both routine telework and situational telework.

LIMITATION ADVISORY ON NEIGHBORHOOD LIABILITY COMMISSIONS AGAINST FUNDING THE FLEXIBILITY DISTRICT SUPPORT  
Sec.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Limitation Advisory on Neighborhood Liability Commissions Against Funding the Flexibility District Support of Amendment-Columbia Act of 2026".

Limitation The on Advisory liability Neighborhood for Commissions unliquidated Act damage of claims 1975, against effective the October District, 10, 1975 (D.C.

~~(a) Law The 1-21: liability of the District of Columbia, including its instrumentalities, for unliquidated damages to persons or property arising out of the same incident or occurrence shall not exceed \$500,000 regardless of the number of claimants or beneficiaries who share in the award;~~

~~except, D.C., that the liability of the District of Columbia for unliquidated damages to persons or property arising from intentional wrongful acts or omissions shall not exceed \$1 million for all claims arising out of the same incident or occurrence, regardless of the number of claimants or beneficiaries who share in the award.~~

~~(b) Official No Code portion Sec. of 1-309.01 an et award seq.), against the District for unliquidated damages to a person may include noneconomic damages unless a claimant first establishes that the claimant incurred reasonable and necessary medical expenses of more than \$10,000 due to the act or omission of the District of Columbia for which the claim is made, amended except as in follows: the case of an injury resulting in permanent disfigurement or death or resulting from an intentional wrongful act.~~

~~(c)(a) This Section section 13(n-1) shall (D.C. apply to all claims or causes of action against the District of Columbia, including its instrumentalities, filed in any court or other tribunal of competent jurisdiction on or after October 1, 2026.~~

Official Code Sec. 1-309.10(n-1)) is amended by striking the period and inserting the phrase ". A copy of the report or newsletter shall be filed with the Council, the Mayor, and the OANC." in its place.

(b) Section 16 (D.C.

Official Code Sec. 1-309.13) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (d)(3) is repealed.

(2) Subsection (f)(2A)(A)(ii) is amended to read as follows:

ENGROSSED ORIGINAL "(ii) Fully documented as being approved by the Commission in the meeting minutes, which shall be signed by either the Secretary or Chairperson; and".

(3) Subsection (j) is amended as follows:

(A) Paragraph (1) is amended as follows:

(i) Strike the phrase "the minutes of all meetings" and insert the phrase "the signed minutes of all meetings" in its place.

(ii) Strike the phrase "this section.

A financial report shall" and insert the phrase "this section.

In instances when an incomplete report is filed, a Commission can file an amended report within 45 days after the due date of that report as established in this paragraph.

A financial report shall" in its place.

(B) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the word "approved" and inserting the phrase "received and accepted" in its place.

(C) Paragraph (3)(A) is amended as follows:

(i) Sub-subparagraph (i) is amended to read as follows:

"(i) If a Commission has failed to timely file 2 or more quarterly reports received and accepted by the OANC, the OANC shall recommend withholding the allotments associated with the quarterly reports until the Commission files the required reports and associated documentation."

(ii) Paragraph (ii) is amended as follows:

ENGROSSED ORIGINAL (I) Strike the word "had" and insert the word "has" in its place.

(II) Strike the phrase "allotment approved" and insert the phrase "report received and accepted" in its place.

(4) Subsection (m) is amended as follows:

(A) Paragraph (3) is amended as follows:

(i) The lead-in language is amended by striking the phrase "consistent with the grant application, complete with receipts" and inserting the phrase "consistent with the grant application, which may be in the form of a close out report or on a form supplied by the OANC, complete with receipts" in its place.

(ii) Subparagraph (A) is amended to read as follows:

"(A) May prohibit all Commissions from providing a grant to any past grant recipient that:  
"(i) Used grant funds contrary to the associated grant application and budget;  
"(ii) Failed to submit the receipt for expenditures made under the grant;  
or "(iii) Failed to refund to the ANC unspent grant monies or monies spent contrary to the grant  
application;".

ENGROSSED ORIGINAL (iii) Subparagraph (B) is amended by striking the phrase "this paragraph." and  
inserting the phrase "this paragraph;  
and" in its place.

(iv) A new subparagraph (C) is added to read as follows:

"(C) May withhold from future allotments an amount equal to the amount awarded to any applicant on the  
list of prohibited grantees.".

(5) Subsection (r) is amended as follows:

(A) The existing text is designated as paragraph (1).

(B) A new paragraph (2) is added to read as follows:

"(2) When Commission funds are used to pay for the cost or use of a telephone, the contact number of  
that telephone must be publicly available.".

(c) Section 18(c) (D.C.

Official Code Sec. 1-309.15(c)) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (7) is amended by striking the phrase "templates for staff payroll forms, grant  
applications, and" and inserting the phrase "templates for grant applications and" in its place.

(2) Paragraph (16) is amended by striking the phrase "financial reports, and approving or disapproving"  
and inserting the phrase "financial reports, and recommending the approval or disapproval of" in its  
place.

(3) Paragraph (19) is amended by striking the phrase ";  
and," and inserting a semicolon in its place.

ENGROSSED ORIGINAL (4) Paragraph (20) is amended by striking the period at the end and inserting the  
phrase ";

and" in its place.

(5) A new subparagraph (21) is added to read as follows:

"(21) Providing Commissions with official websites and the technical assistance related to maintaining  
and updating them by October 1, 2027.".

provided, that for the purposes of using ~~paid~~qualifying family leave or ~~paid~~qualifying medical leave, the term "eligible employee" means a District government employee, including an employee of an independent agency, who has worked for the District ENGROSSED ORIGINAL government for at least 180 days, without a break in service, as of the date on which the ~~paid~~qualifying family leave or ~~paid~~qualifying medical leave will be ~~used~~taken.

"(B) The term "eligible employee" ~~does~~shall not include:

"(i) A temporary employee appointed for ~~less~~fewer than 90 days;

(2) Paragraph ~~(5)~~(5)(C) is amended to read as follows:

~~(A)"(C) SubparagraphA (B)spouse isor amendeddomestic bypartner;". striking the semicolon at the end and~~  
~~inserting the phrase ";~~  
~~or" in its place.~~

~~(B) Subparagraph (C) is amended to read as follows:~~

~~"(C) A spouse or domestic partner.".~~

~~(C) Subparagraphs (D) and (E) are repealed.~~

"(c-1)(1) To the extent practicable, an eligible employee shall, before using paid ~~leave~~leave under  
this section, provide written notice to ~~their~~the employee's personnel authority or agency of the need  
for the use of paid leave and of the expected date or dates on which the employee intends to use paid  
leave.

"(3) The written notice shall include a reason for the use of paid ~~leave~~leave. ~~within the parameters of~~  
~~the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, approved August 21, 1996 (Pub.~~

~~L~~ENGROSSED ORIGINAL "(4) If the use of paid leave is foreseeable, the employee shall provide the  
written notice at least 10 days, or as early as possible, in advance of the use of the paid leave.

~~No.~~"(5) If the use of paid leave is unforeseeable, the employee shall provide a notification, either  
oral or written, before the start of the work shift for which the paid leave is being used.

~~104-191;~~

~~110 Stat.~~

~~1036).~~

~~"(4) If the use of paid leave is foreseeable, the written notice shall be provided at least 10 days, or as early as possible, in advance of the use of the paid leave."~~

~~"(5) If the use of paid leave is unforeseeable, a notification, either oral or written, shall be provided before the start of the work shift for which the paid leave is being used."~~

"(7) If the agency determines that the use of paid leave under this section for planned medical treatment, for intermittent leave, or for leave on a reduced leave schedule is likely to interfere with the operations of the agency, the agency and the eligible employee shall engage in good-faith negotiations ~~on~~regarding alternate dates or hours for the use of the paid ~~leave~~leave."

~~The agency may deny the use of paid leave under this section if an employee does not agree to a reasonable request to revise the dates or hours for the use of the paid leave."~~

ENGROSSED ORIGINAL (4) A new subsection (d-1) is added to read as follows:

"(d-1)(1) An employee, other than an employee serving in a probationary capacity, using paid parental, family, or medical leave shall ~~be required to~~ enter into a continuation of service agreement.

The continuation of service agreement shall require the employee to continue to serve as a District employee for 128 weeks after the ~~use~~employee's ~~of~~return ~~the~~from ~~paid~~an ~~parental~~approved ~~family~~period ~~or~~of ~~medical~~ leave.

LOBBYIST LOBBYING LATE FEES FILING AND PENALTY PENALTIES REFORM Sec.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Lobbyist Lobbying Late Fees Filing and Penalty Penalties Reform Amendment Act of 2026".

Section Title 232(c) II of the Board of Ethics and Government Accountability Establishment and Comprehensive Ethics Reform Amendment Act of 2011, effective April 27, 2012 (D.C.

Official Code Sec. ~~1-1162.32(c)), 1-1162.27 et seq.~~, is amended ~~by as striking follows: the phrase "up to 60 days (excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays)" and inserting the phrase "up to 60 days" in its place.~~

(a) Section 227 (D.C.

Official Code Sec. 1-1162.27) is amended as follows:

(1) Subsection (b) is amended as follows:

ENGROSSED ORIGINAL (A) Paragraph (1) is amended by striking the figure "\$350" and inserting the figure "\$500" in its place.

(B) Paragraph (2) is amended as follows:

(i) Strike the figure "\$100" and insert the figure "\$250" in its place.

(ii) Strike the phrase "501(c)(3)" both times it appears and insert the phrase "501(c)(3) or (4)" in its place.

(2) Subsection (c)(3) is amended to read as follows:

"(3) The funds in the Lobbyist Fund shall be used by the Board as follows:

"(A) The registration fee for lobbyists collected pursuant to subsection (b)(1) of this section shall be used as follows:

"(1) \$350 of each registration fee shall be used solely for the purpose of administering and enforcing this title;

and "(2) \$150 of each registration fee shall be transferred to the General Fund.

"(B) The registration fee for lobbyists for nonprofit organizations collected pursuant to subsection (b)(2) of this section shall be used as follows:

"(1) \$100 of each registration fee shall be used solely for the purpose of administering and enforcing this title;

and ENGROSSED ORIGINAL "(2) \$150 of each registration fee shall be transferred to the General Fund."

(b) Section 228(a) (D.C.

Official Code Sec. 1-1162.28(a)) is amended as follows:

(1) Paragraph (2) is amended by striking the phrase "public;" and inserting the phrase "public; or" in its place.

(2) Paragraph (3) is amended by striking the phrase "; or" and inserting a period in its place.

(3) Paragraph (4) is repealed.

(c) Section 232(c) (D.C.

Official Code Sec. 1-1162.32(c)) is amended by striking the phrase "\$100 per day up to 60 days (excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays)" and inserting the phrase "\$200 per day up to 60 days" in its place.

For the purposes of this subtitle, the term "Mayor-elect" ~~means:~~means the person who is certified as the successful candidate for the office of Mayor by the Board of Elections following the 2026 general election held to determine the Mayor or, prior to such certification, the person announced and published

by the Board of Elections as the unofficial winner of the 2026 general ENGROSSED ORIGINAL election for Mayor;

~~(a) provided, That such person who was is announced certified as the successful unofficial candidate winner for with the a officemargin of Mayorvictory by the Board of Elections at following least the 2% 2026 of general election held to determine the Mayor; votes cast.~~

~~and (b) For the period of time between the general election and such certification, the person announced and published by the Board of Elections as the unofficial winner of the general election for Mayor, if such person was announced as the unofficial winner with a margin of victory of at least 2% of the votes cast.~~

~~Purpose.~~

~~This subtitle authorizes the Mayor to take appropriate action to assure continuity in the execution of the laws and in the conduct of the executive affairs of the District government.~~

~~The purpose of this subtitle is to provide for the orderly transfer of the executive duties and responsibilities of the executive branch of the District government with the expiration of the term of office of a Mayor and the assumption of those duties and responsibilities by a new Mayor.~~

~~Sec.~~

~~1044.~~

Official Code Sec. ~~1-1-204.22), -204.22),~~ may:

~~(a)(1) Make available to the Mayor-elect office space, furniture, furnishings, office machines, and supplies, at whatever place or places within the District the Mayor shall designate, at no cost to the Mayor-elect and his their or her transition staff;~~

~~and (b)(2) Make payments to the Mayor-elect to reimburse the Mayor-elect for payments made, or to pay for costs incurred by the Mayor-elect, for the following:~~

~~(1)(A) Compensation for the transition staff of the Mayor-elect at a rate that does not exceed the ratemaximum prescribed salary set forth in the most recent non-union Excepted Service salary schedule approved by the Council pursuant to section 1106 of the District of Columbia Government Comprehensive Merit Personnel Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979, 1979 (D.C.~~

~~Law 2-139; 2- 139;~~

Official Code Sec. ~~1-1-611.06); -601.01 et seq.);~~

provided, that a person who holds a position in, or is considered to be an employee of, the District government shall not receive compensation as a member of the ~~Mayor Mayor-elect's elect's~~ transition staff under this subtitle;

~~(2)ENGROSSED ORIGINAL (B) Reasonable expenses for the procurement by the Mayor-elect of services of any expert or consultant, or organization thereof;~~

~~(3)(C) Reasonable expenses incurred by the Mayor-elect for printing, binding, and duplicating;~~

~~(4)(D) Reasonable postage or mailing expenses incurred by the Mayor-elect consistent with the Official Correspondence Regulations, effective April 7, 1977 (D.C.~~

~~and (5)(E) Reasonable expenses for communications equipment and services.~~

~~1045-1044.~~

The aggregate amount of payments made under section 1043 ~~of this subtitle~~ shall not exceed \$300,000.

~~1046-1045.~~

(b) The report prepared pursuant to subsection (a) of this section shall be submitted to the Council and the Chief Financial Officer by March 31, 2027.

Section 332h(b)(2) of the Board of Ethics and Government Accountability ENGROSSED ORIGINAL Establishment and Comprehensive Ethics Reform Amendment Act of 2011, effective May 5, 2018 (D.C.

"(2)(A) If a participating candidate's certification is revoked pursuant to section 332c(c)(2), (3), or (4) or, due to fraudulent ~~activities, (5), activities, section 332c(c)(5),~~ the participating candidate shall be personally liable for any expended base amount or matching payments.

"(B) Upon the application of a participating candidate, the Campaign Finance Board may reduce in whole or in part the participating candidate's personal liability under subparagraph (A) of this ~~paragraph paragraph; if the participating candidate terminates his or her candidacy as described in section 332c(c)(4) for good cause not within the candidate's control, such as health reasons, or if the imposition of personal liability under subparagraph (A) of this paragraph would result in financial hardship for the participating candidate;~~

provided, that ~~at the candidate's participating termination candidate of~~ terminated his or her candidacy for good cause not within the candidate's control, such as health reasons, and not due to the candidate's low standing in polls, limited success in raising funds for his or her candidacy, low expectation of electoral ~~success, success~~ or similar electoral reasons, or termination of his or her candidacy for political reasons, which shall not be considered good ~~cause.~~ cause.

"(C) A candidate applying for relief under subparagraph (B) of this paragraph shall provide sufficient

documentation in support of their claim including medical records, financial statements, and any other documentation required by the Office of Campaign Finance."

SUBTITLE G.

MLK JR.

DAY PARADE FUNDING ENGROSSED ORIGINAL Sec.

1061.

Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Martin Luther King, Jr.

Holiday DC Parade Act of 2026".

Sec.

1062.

Definitions For the purposes of this subtitle, the term:

(1) "Martin Luther King, Jr.

Holiday DC Parade" means the annual parade and associated activities held in the District to celebrate and commemorate the life, legacy, and service of Reverend Dr.

Martin Luther King, Jr.

(2) "Host" means the Martin Luther King Holiday DC Committee, or a nonprofit successor or affiliate organization designated by the Martin Luther King Holiday DC Committee, that is responsible for organizing, operating, and applying for District permits or approvals for the Martin Luther King, Jr.

Holiday DC Parade.

Sec.

1063.

District support for the Martin Luther King, Jr.

Holiday DC Parade.

(a)(1) The Mayor shall waive all fees for the costs of services, as determined by the Mayor, incurred by the host for administering the special annual events collectively known as the Martin Luther King, Jr.

Holiday DC Parade;

provided, that any expediting fees or penalties incurred by the host shall not be waived.

(2) Fees waived pursuant to paragraph (1) of this subsection shall include:

ENGROSSED ORIGINAL (A) Special Event User Fees required by the Department of Licensing and Consumer Protection;

(B) Special Event User Fees and other fees required by the Metropolitan Police Department;

(C) Special Event User Fees and other fees required by the Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Administration;

(D) On-site permitting and monitoring inspectors, on-site monitoring fees, Advanced Life Support Units, EMS bicycle teams and ambulance carts, use of trucks, and other fees required by the Department of Fire and Emergency Medical Services;

(E) Food vendor inspection fees and other fees required by the Department of Health;

(F) Clean-up prior to and after the event, trash removal, towing services, and other fees required by the Department of Public Works;

and (G) Flag installation and removal, traffic control officer assistance, variable message boards, and other fees required by the Department of Transportation.

SUBTITLE H.

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL FUND Sec.1071.

Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Office of the Attorney General Fund Amendment Act of 2026".

ENGROSSED ORIGINAL Sec.

1072.

The Attorney General for the District of Columbia Clarification and Elected Term Amendment Act of 2010, effective May 27, 2010 (D.C.