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#### NEWS FROM... FRIENDS OF THE SOUTH END LIBRARY

# **South End Library Services During Closure**

The following letter has been sent to BPL staff, Boston elected officials, local organizations, and is for public release

SUBMITTED BY YVETTE JARREAU, MARLEEN NIENHUIS, STEPHEN FOX

The South End has been without a branch library since a flood closed the building in April 2021, and a second flood in February 2022 forced the permanent closure and replacement of the library building. No alarm systems were installed before the first flood, despite a complete renovation of the interior in 2019. And no alarm system was put in place after the first flood, either. As a result, the South End has not had library services since April 2021, and will not have full library services until three + years from now, when a new building is

estimated to be opened.

Here is a reflection on the loss of five years of library services to our neighborhood:

 By its own numbers, in the first quarter of 2019 the South End branch had 94 programs; it

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## Boston residents to participate in Boston Marathon® Jimmy Fund Walk presented by Hyundai



Tianna Burns. Photo courtesy of Boston Marathon® Jimmy Fund Walk.

SUBMITTED BY BOSTON MARATHON
JIMMY FUND WALK

Tina Gee, Paul Riddell, Jennifer Chan, Tina DeNofrio, Sarah Brown, Marilyn Hammer, Molly DiLullo, Nilay Sethi, Inneke Carmola, Matthew Rice, and 219 Boston residents along with thousands of other walkers, will participate in the iconic annual event that will unite the community to raise funds to support all forms of adult and pediatric care and cancer research at

the nation's premier cancer center, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute. The Jimmy Fund Walk has raised more than \$167 million for Dana-Farber Cancer in its 34-year history, raising a record-breaking more than \$8.8 million in 2022.

Tianna Burns, age seven, will participate as a Walk Hero for the Boston Marathon Jimmy Fund Walk. Heroes are matched with Jimmy

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# Christine Stellar Joins United South End Settlements as New Chief Development Officer

SUBMITTED BY USES

United South End Settlements (USES) is pleased to welcome veteran donor engagement and institutional advancement professional Christine Stellar as its new Chief Development Officer. In this role, Stellar will work closely with USES CEO Jerrell Cox as a member of the senior leadership team to oversee and grow the organization's fundraising programs

and lead marketing and communica-

Stellar comes to USES with an extensive background in fundraising, with a history of success cultivating meaningful relationships between corporate partners and mission-based organizations. She brings over a decade of fundraising experience to help further USES' commitment to transformational family program—

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Christine Stellar. Photo courtesy of USES.

# **LOCAL NEWS**

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# **Butterfly Soars**



Butterfly (Karen Chia-ling Ho,center) is a nightclub entertainer in BLO's new production of "Madama Butterfly at5 Emerson Colonial Theatre." (Photo: Ken Yotsukura)

Madama Butterfly, a new BLO production, Boston Lyric Opera, Emerson Colonial Theatre, through September 24. Runnin time: two hours, 45 minutes (including an intermission after the first act). www.blo.org

JULES BECKER
Contributing Writer

Gifted directors often reimagine classics—whether in theater or opera—and Phil Chan is doing the same for "Madama Butterfly," now in a powerfully haunting Boston Lyric Opera staging at Emerson Colonial Theatre. Describing the company season opener in his playbill note, stage director Chan explains, "Work-

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# **Preliminary Election Results**

And important General Election dates

BY SOUTH END NEWS STAFF

#### District 7

Incumbent Councilor Tania Fernandes Anderson and perennial candidate and one-time councilor Althea Garrison move to the general election.

Fernandes Anderson received 1,448 votes, making up 57.46% of thevote. Garrison received 521 votes, making up 20.67% of the vote. 2,551 votes were cast.

#### Candidates for Councillors At Large (vote for 4)

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## **ZONING HEARING**

The Zoning Commission of the City of Boston hereby gives notice, in accordance with Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956, as amended, that a virtual public hearing will be held on October 11, 2023, at 9:00 A.M., in connection with the Second Amendment to the Development Plan for Planned Development Area No. 106, 1000 Washington Street/321 Harrison Avenue, Boston, filed by the Boston Redevelopment Authority d/b/a the Boston Planning & Development Agency.

Said Second Amendment consists of the conversion of the existing 1000 Washington office building to accommodate new life science uses. The property at 1000 Washington currently comprises approximately 234,809 sf of the currently existing 540,192 sf Gross Floor Area ("GFA") on the Site. The proposed changes will primarily be interior to the building; however, some exterior changes are proposed, including new thermally efficient windows, substantial changes to the exterior envelope at the eleventh floor and expanded mechanical penthouse and rooftop mechanicals; increased energy efficiency measures; and minor changes to the loading dock. The Second PDA Amendment is required for the Revised Project in order to (i) clarify the measurement of building height and (ii) clarify the process for approval under applicable provisions of the Groundwater Conservation Overlav District in the existing PDA.

This meeting will only be held virtually and not in person. You can participate in this meeting by going to https://bit.ly/BZC\_Oct2023. Copies of the petitions and a map of the area involved may be obtained from the Zoning Commission electronically, and you may also submit written comments or questions to zoningcommission@boston.gov.

Interpreting services are available to communicate information at this hearing. If you require interpreting services, please contact the following: zoningcommission@boston.gov or 617-918-4308. The meeting is scheduled for October 11, 2023. Please request interpreting services no later than October 6, 2023.

For the Commission Jeffrey M. Hampton Executive Secretary

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# ParkARTS fall Watercolor Painting Workshops return



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Budding artists ages nine and up are invited to join the Boston Parks and Recreation Department for its popular fall series of ParkARTS Watercolor Painting Workshops during themonth of September at six Boston locations. The series of free workshops is just one of the many offerings of the 2023

ParkARTS program. The Title Sponsor is Bank of America.

The workshops welcome artists of all skill levels to create their own green space-inspired masterpieces. Materials and instruction by local artists is provided. This series is open to Boston residents. Registration is required. For more information, please visit boston.gov/watercolor.

All classes are held from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., weather permitting.

Dates and locations for the workshops are as follows:

#### Saturday, September 23

Jamaica Pond Boathouse 507 Jamaica Way, Jamaica Plain

#### Sunday, September 24

Ringgold Park 10 Ringgold Street, South End

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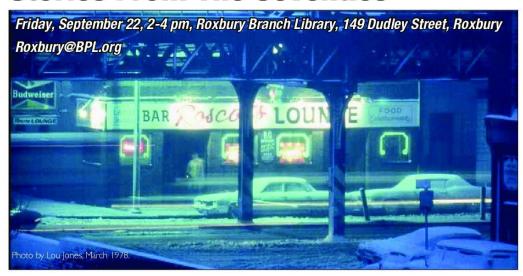
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# **South End Author Alison Barnet tells Stories From The Seventies**





Fund Walk teams to give participants an opportunity to connect with patients. Tianna was diagnosed with B-cell acute lymphoblastic

and getting to play with my friends and family," Tianna says. "I want to be a doctor when I grow up."

Throughout the past 34 years, the Jimmy Fund Walk has continuously supported lifesaving research and cancer care at Dana-Farber. The 2023 Walk will be held during the Jimmy Fund's 75th anniversary year and will aim to raise \$9 million in the effort to prevent, treat, and defy cancer," said Zack Blackburn, Director of the Jimmy Fund Walk. "This year also marks the 35th annual Jimmy Fund Walk. We are eager to get out on the course and see all our outstanding walkers and teams come together to support this great cause."

The Jimmy Fund Walk is the only organized walk permitted on the famed Boston Marathon° course, and participants have the flexibility to choose from four distance options: 5K walk (from Dana-Farber Cancer Institute's Longwood Medical Campus), 10K walk (from Newton), Half Marathon walk (from Wellesley), and Marathon walk (from Hopkinton).

Whatever route walkers choose, participants will be treated to 10 refueling stations as well as poster-sized photographs of patients Iimmy Fund Walk Heroes – displayed at each mile and half-mile marker as inspiration. All four routes of the Jimmy Fund Walk will culminate at the Jimmy Fund Walk Finish Line Powered by Schneider Electric. Due to construction in Copley Square, the Jimmy Fund Walk Finish Line location has been moved to the Fenway neighborhood for 2023. Walkers should know that distances may be slightly shorter as we finish the walk in front of Fenway Park. The finish line will include a celebration complete with food, music, and a speaking program.

If walkers wish to participate a bit closer to home, the Jimmy Fund Walk has flexible opportunities. Participants can also join the event virtually by "walking their way" from wherever they are most comfortable-in their neighborhood, on a favorite hiking trail, or on a treadmill at home. Materials to support Virtual Walkers are available.

To register to walk or volunteer at the Jimmy Fund Walk. (#JimmyFundWalk) or to support a walker, visit www.JimmyFundWalk. org or call (866) 531-9255. Registrants can enter the promo code NEWS for \$5 off the registration fee. All registered walkers will receive a bib, medal, and a Jimmy Fund Walk T-shirt.

collaborated closely with the CEO to spearhead a transformative fundraising program, which saw annual contributions soar from \$2 million to \$4 million. She also supported a monumental \$13 million capital campaign. This initiative led to the construction of a new facility in Lawrence, Mass., significantly expanding SquashBusters' capacity to deliver services and make a profound impact on the

Stellar's unwavering dedication to USES' mission is palpable, driven by a profound belief in the transformative power of their programs and services within the community. Her experience in fundraising from previous roles makes her a great fit to collaborate with USES leadership, staff, and volunteers. Outside of her work, Christine enjoys running and spending time with her family. A native of Brookline, Mass., she lives there with her husband, two children, and two dogs.

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leukemia and is matched with CFS Inc.

"The Jimmy Fund means me feeling better

ming that offers accessibility, equity, and inclusion and leads to true belonging.

"We are thrilled to welcome Christine to the USES community in this vital role," said Cox. "Christine's arrival marks an exciting chapter for our organization, as we embark on a journey to strengthen and grow our efforts to support families in achieving economic mobility. With Christine's dedication and expertise. we're confident that our mission will not only thrive but reach even greater heights."

With a deep-rooted passion for social justice and educational equity, Stellar has dedicated her career to closing the achievement and opportunity gaps. After studying public policy at Cornell University and education at the University of Pennsylvania, she gained real-life experience in the issues she studied during three years of teaching. During this time, she gained invaluable firsthand experience, witnessingthestarkdisparitiesbetweenurban districts and their more affluent counterparts.

"It's an honor to work alongside USES" talented individuals and share their passion of supporting families," said Stellar, "I've spent the vast majority of my career in kid- and family-facing organizations and am thrilled to be continuing that work at USES as we raise critical funds and awareness for incredible programs that lift families out of poverty. From USES' leadership to its classroom teachers, to all the administrative and support staff, I'm inspired by the team's love for and commitment to strengthening the community as a whole by supporting the families and children that live in it."

Priorto joining USES, Stellars erved as the inaugural Director of Institutional Advancement at SquashBusters. In that capacity, she

ing alongside the brilliant Nina Yoshida Nelsen (BLO artistic advisor and dramaturg), we grafted Puccini's score onto a new setting but consistent story that re-centers an Asian-American experience in the 1940's." So-called 'purists' notwithstanding, Puccini's masterful score (1904, revised by the composer in 1907) soars in the gloriously sung and acted BLO production. Just as importantly, the envelope-pushing current effort does full justice to Asian Americans as well as opera lovers.

Tellingly, Japanese-American mezzo-soprano Nelsen (who has often sung the role of maid-confidante Suzuki in the opera) is the descendant of grandparents who experienced the indignities of the Poston, Arizona incarceration camp during World War II. In the BLO staging, that incarceration camp-a fittingly stark construct from inspired designer Yu Shibagakitakes over the Colonial stage for the 1944 second and third acts. Archival images--some found in the very informative playbill-give historical context as well as true dignity to the more than 100,000 incarcerated Japanese -Americans. For much of the contrastingly colorful Club Shangri-La setting of the 1941 first act, the title singer Cio-Cio-San—eye-catchingly attired by costume designer Sara Ryung Clement—pretends to be Chinese to avoid discrimination for being Japanese. Once her irate Uncle Bonzo reveals her true identity and curses her, falling in love with navy lieutenant B. F. Pinkerton will not keep her from being incarcerated after the bombing of Pearl Harbor. Butterfly takes on full tragic dimension as their child Dolore contracts tuberculosis and she holds on to the hope that Pinkerton will return to help him. When the now married Pinkerton returns with his wife Kate, that hope is dashed at the heart-breaking close.

Under the strong conducting of BLO music director David Angus, Karen Chia-Ling Ho richly captures the hopes, dreams and growing despair of Butterfly. She delivers her role's grand arias-particularly the famed "Un bel di, vederemo"-with fully sustained high notes and dramatic intensity. Her scenes with Dominick Chenes-properly dashing and conflicted as Pinkerton-possess superb duets, convincing chemistry and moving conflict.

Alice Chung is a touching standout as caring and supportive Suzuki. Chung and Ho have moments of pure poetry celebrating the joy of spring time and decorating with a rainbow of paper flowers in the flowerless camp. Troy Cook captures American consul Sharpless' concern for Butterfly and her son. There are moments, though, when this robust voiced-singer could do with more projection. Rodell Rosel has all of Goro's impresario expansion in the early going as Butterfly sings with an equally snappy entourage. Some musical theater buffs may find his dynamic efforts bringing together navy men and dancers calling to mind the over-the top efforts of the Engineer in the admittedly seedy showplaces of "Miss Saigon" (a work inspired by the opera). Hyungjin Son makes the most of Uncle Bonzo's fury. Neko Umphenour has the right vulnerability as Dolore. With Michael Sakimoto's stylish choreography, Cassie Wang proves a graceful solo dancer.

Chang closes his playbill notes with the hope that audiences will find themselves "swept into the story of a mother's unbreakable love." The BLO's sublime "Madama Butterfly" honors the magic of Puccini's music and brings real authenticity to the opera's iconic Japanese mother.

#### Results

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#### Important Dates

Oct. 28: The deadline to register to vote in the general election is 5 p.m.

Oct. 31: The deadline to request your vote-by-mail ballot for the general election is 5 p.m.

Nov. 7: General election day. Polls open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. to cast their votes for district and at-large city councilors.

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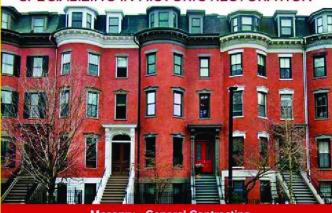
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had 20,632 visitors; it had 22,303 items in circulation; there were 738 wireless sessions and 2,845 computer sessions.

- Children and day care groups have lost their branch library, including those from Chinatown Access, Ellis Memorial, Castle Square and Pine Village Preschool, as well as from St. Stephens and the Blackstone Community Center.
- Children also don'thave access to the SE branch for the Summer Reading Club or the Read Your Way to Fenway contest; Read Bostonwon't come by for programs and book distribution; Countdown to Kindergarten won't be there, either.
- A whole cohort of young children miss the rich experience and exposure to a library that builds lifelong learners in the formative years.
- Staff cannot provide traditional and modern services, such as reference; readers' advisory; photocopying; or printing.
- No meeting space for small or large groups, or just a place for people to be. Libraries are free, non-sectarian community centers that offer a safe space, with access to bathrooms, water, and air-conditioning.IntheBPL's2012Strategic Plan a branch library's significance as a Community Gathering Place is the second most important goal listed.

In late 2022, Friends of the South End Library conducted a survey of South End residents to assess the need for temporary library services. Those results have been widely circulated and highlighted a consistent anchor space for temporary services. A Working Group of some two dozen South End stakeholders was established in November 2022 to explore temporary library services with BPL leadership. It has been meeting every 1-2 months. Several locations and options have been discussed, most prominently a community space available at 566 Columbus Avenue, the location of the former USES headquarters. In addition, a comfortable, temporary, accessible mobile vehicle was considered, as well as a construction trailer that, like an accessible vehicle mentioned above, could be placed either inside in Library Park or on Tremont Street, at the cost of a few parking spaces, or on the sidewalk next to Library Park.

Despite numerous sessions to seriously explore how to meet the devastating loss to the community of library services, the BPL has just informed the community they will merely offer once-a-week programming at Rutland Street's USES's facility, on Thursdays from 10-12:30 starting October 5.

Given the loss of important library services for so many people in the South End, this once perweek space does not come anywhere near our expectations or needs. We need consistent, available, accessible, and adequate library services from now until the new building is opened, minimally 3-4 days per week and hours from 10-2 and 3-6, accommodating children and adults for programs and visits.

#### Important programs and services urgently needed in the South End include:

- · Computer access with WIFI
- · Children's story hour
- · Tax preparation assistance
- Workforce development programs
- Book club discussions
- Children's music programs
- · Homework help workshops
- · Technical help appointments
- ESOL groups

A library of BPL's stature and reach into the community should always be open to improve and enhance its services. A core principle stated on the BPL website says, "the BPL is a user-centered institution with services that anticipate and respond to neighborhood interests and the changing demographics of the City and Commonwealth." This principle does not seem to be guiding the BPL's approach to the South End Library.

We insist that the BPL's leadership up its game and provide adequate temporary space and services to the community of a closed library. This may require a shift in its approach from Capital Projects focused solely on completing 5 major branch projects to a focus of Capital Projects and Temporary Replacement of Library Services. In other words, a citywide plan to build no more than 3 capital library projects and at the same time replace critically needed library services in a temporary location while a branch is closed for reconstruction. We strongly recommend using the South End Library Branch project to create and implement a citywide template for temporary services during a library's closure for reconstruction or repair.

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nmonwealth of Massachusett The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Docket No. SII19P2465FA

Estate of: Gary G Martin Also known as: Gary Martin Date of Death: 07/22/2019

A Petition for Order of Complete Settlement has been filed by Michael B Martin of Randolph MA requesting that the court enter a formal Decree of Complete Settlement including the allowance of a final account, first and final and other such relief as may be requested in the Petition.

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.

Date: September 12, 2023

Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate

The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** 

**Estate of: Zibigniew Serafin** Date of Death: 04/26/2023

To all interested persons: A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by: Robert A. Goss-Vozella of Salem NH requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition. The Petitione requests that Robert A. Goss-Vozella of Salem NH be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.

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Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate Date: August 18, 2023

#### CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Docket No. SIJ23P1863FA

Estate of: Sara E Nivens Date of Death: 07/24/2023

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court. Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate Date: August 30, 2023

#### CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Docket No. SII23P1777FA

Estate of: Margaret A. Cummings Also Know As: Margaret Cummings Date of Death: 06/25/2023

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#### CITATION ON PETITION FOR **FORMAL ADJUDICATION**

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.

#### CITATION ON PETITION FOR ORDER OF COMPLETE SETTLEMENT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Docket No. SU13P1484EA

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Estate of: Vu Thien Huynh Date of Death: 03/21/2012

A Petition for Order of Complete Settlement has been filed by: Quoc T Huynh of Boston MA requesting that the court enter a formal Decree of Complete Settlement including the allowance of a final account, a determination of testacy and heirs at law and other such relief as may be requested in the Petition.

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You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before 10:00 a.m. on 10/25/2023.

This is NOT a hearing date but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an Affidavit of Obwithin thirty (30) days of the return, action may be taken without further notice to you.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.

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#### CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

The Trial Court **Probate and Family Court** Docket No. SU23P1889EA

Estate of: Martha C. Gaide Date of Death: 09/13/2022

To all interested persons: A Petition for Forma Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by: Deborah A. Healey of Somersworth NH requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested n the Petition. The Petitioner requests that **Deborah A**. Healey of Somersworth NH be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve on the bond in

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fou have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 10/10/2023.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection it object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affi of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you supectors within thirty (50) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you. SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC) Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice admining the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may perform the Court in any ther relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court. Date: September 1, 2023 Vincent Procopio, Register of Probate

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#### CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

Commonwealth of Massachusetts The Trial Court Probate and Family Court Docket No. SU23P1882FA

Estate of: Joseph E. Currier

Date of Death: 06/11/2023

To all interested persons: A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Perso Representative has been filed by: Devon Cormier O/B/O Aspen Hill of Haverhill MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition. The Petitioner requests that Louis A. D'Amarino of Bridgewater MA be appointed nal Representative(s) of said estate to sen th Personal Surety on the bond in unsupervised

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This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an afficiant of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court

Date: September 7, 2023

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