From: Maria Moreschi

Sent: Tuesday, November 25, 2025 10:00 AM

To: Carol Ann Desiderio
Subject: In support of 455-25

#### Hello

I am a lifetime resident of Malden, which according to some council members make me the enemy. I am writing to you in support of 455-25 to implement a hiring freeze. I also feel very strongly that any current position that was initially funded under the one-time ARPA funding be reviewed.

Regards, Maria Moreschi 16 Springdale Street Malden MA 02148

From:

Samantha LeBlanc <

Sent:

Tuesday, November 25, 2025 10:29 AM

To: Subject: Carol Ann Desiderio 455-25 Hiring freeze

Samantha LeBlanc 30 Daniels St (Ward 7)

I just wanted to quickly state that I understand the idea behind the hiring freeze. However, I'm just confused why this is sponsored by Sica. It sounded like she was really upset that Jeff Donahue wasn't approved to join the vocational school board, which would have been a paid position and make him qualify for his pension from the city.

From:

Janice Rice

Sent:

Tuesday, November 25, 2025 11:12 AM

To:

Carol Ann Desiderio

**Subject:** 

Public comment for 11/25/25

Dear Clerk and Council Members,

Let me first preface that I appreciate you and all of our city employee's for your hard work and dedication to the city whether we agree or disagree on issues. It's not easy being in the public sector with people coming at you from all directions and trying to keep everyone happy. We all know that is an impossible task.

With that being said, I am writing to support resolution 455-25 hiring freeze sponsored by Councilor Sica. I urge the Council to vote in favor of this resolution. I believe this would be a proactive first step in showing the residents of Malden that the city is working toward areas to help resolve the financial dilemma currently being faced.

Additionally, I urge the Council to not support a special election for a tax override until further measures and savings can be explored. Thank you for your consideration along with your commitment and dedication to Malden. Wishing you all a very Happy and Peaceful Thanksgiving.

Sincerely,

Janice Rice Henry Street Ward 7

From:

Margery Welch <

Sent:

Tuesday, November 25, 2025 1:05 PM

To:

Carol Ann Desiderio

Subject:

Motion 455-25

I am writing in support of Jedeane Sica's motion 455-25. The citizens of Malden along with the citizens of the United States are being squeezed already with tariff policies making everything more expensive, squeezed with corporations buying up property and then charging sky high rents, squeezed by the horrendous bill which will cut subsidies from the ACA pricing many out of the health insurance market. Maldonians do not need a Prop 2.5 over ride because the City can't balance it's budget.

Sica seems to be the only one attempting to find alternatives that don't further squeeze Maldonians.

This order should pass.

Margery Welch

Lowell Street, Malden, MA

From:

Jim Sumner

Sent:

Tuesday, November 25, 2025 3:22 PM

To:

Carol Ann Desiderio

Subject:

City Council meeting 11-25-2025

Dear City Council,

I am writing today in support tonight's City Council agenda item, resolve 455-25. This resolution would be a good first step in the city addressing the upcoming predicted budget shortfall that may result in a prop 2.5 override vote.

I applaud Councilor Sica for putting this resolve on the agenda.

Sincerely

James Sumner 759 Highland Ave Malden MA 02148