

# The Most Morshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge

FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS JURISDICTION OF MASSACHUSETTS

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Office of the Grand Master

TO ALL OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE MOST WORSHIPFUL PRINCE HALL GRAND LODGE, F. & A.M. JURISDICTION OF MASSACHUSETTS,

Pursuant to Article X of the Prince Hall Grand Lodge Constitution and By-Laws:

The Two Hundred and Thirtieth Annual Communication of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, Jurisdiction of Massachusetts, will be held at the Masonic Temple - 24 Washington Street, Dorchester, Massachusetts on December 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12th and 27th, 2021.

Opening Session – December 10, 2021 at 9:00 a.m. Lodge of Sorrow - December 10, 2021 at 8:00 p.m.

Annual Returns are due and payable **no later than November 15, 2021**. All Grand Lodge Officers reports, as required by law, to be submitted at the Grand Lodge Session, must be in the hands of the Grand Secretary by **November 15, 2021**. These reports are to be computer generated in a format readable by Microsoft Word, using the current Grand Lodge Header and Footer, and they must be signed. A copy of the electronic file is to be emailed to the Grand Secretary at **jubie\_d06@yahoo.com** with the report title as the subject. The Grand Secretary has sent Committee Chairmen and elected Grand Lodge Officers detailed requirements for the reports so that they can be compiled easily for printing and distribution.

The advance registration fee of \$100.00 is established for all attending the Grand Lodge Session and \$120.00 on site. The registration fee for the representatives of the Subordinate Lodges is a legitimate charge for the Lodges.

Should one need housing, we have contracted with the Boston Dedham Hilton, 25 Allied Drive Dedham, MA 02026. Room rates are \$109.00 plus taxes per room per night. All interested must make their own reservations by calling the hotel at 781-329-7900 and mention **Prince Hall Grand Lodge** to get the special rate before **November 10, 2021**.

This proclamation is to be read in all Lodge meetings during the month of October, November and December 2021. A copy of this proclamation is to be included with the Lodges October Communication.

The following tentative agenda for the Annual Session is released for the information of all attending the Session:

#### **AGENDA**

## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2021

09:00 a.m.	Assembling of the Grand Lodge and
	Opening by the Deputy Grand Master
09:20 a.m.	Reading of the Proclamation
09:30 a.m.	Reception of the Grand Master
10:00 a.m.	Roll Call
10:30 a.m.	Reading of the Minutes
10:35 a.m.	Report of the Committee on Annual Returns
10:40 a.m.	Appointment of Committees
10:45 a.m.	Reports of Grand Lodge Officers
12:30 p.m.	Lunch
01:30 p.m.	Session Resumes
	Reports
03:30 p.m.	Remarks by Grand Master
04:00 p.m.	Call from Labor to Refreshment
08:00 p.m.	Lodge of Sorrow

## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2021

09:00 a.m.	Session Resumes
10:00 a.m.	Reception of Visiting Grand Lodge Delegations/Remarks
12:00 p.m.	Grand Master's Address
12:30 p.m.	Reception of Affiliated Masonic Houses & Visitors
01:00 p.m.	Lunch
02:30 p.m.	Session Resumes
03:00 p.m.	Nomination of Elected Grand Lodge Officers
04:00 p.m.	Remarks by Past Grand Masters
04:30 p.m.	Call from Labor to Refreshment

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### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2021

09:00 a.m. Session Resumes

Reports

10:30 a.m. Auditor's Report

11:00 a.m. Election of Grand Lodge Officers

**Installation of Grand Lodge Officers** 

MWGM, RWDGM, RWSGW, RWJGW, RWGTreas, RWGSec.

### MONDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2021

07:00 p.m. Resumption and Installation of Appointed Officers

Registration and strict Masonic Dress required for all sessions

Take due notice thereof and govern yourselves accordingly.

Issued under my hand and seal this  $24^{th}$  day of September, A.D. 2021, A.L. 6021

Attest:

Jubie S. Drakes

R.W. Grand Secretary

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Timothy R. Downes M.W Grand Master