

ADDRESS AND PHONE DIRECTORY · CAMBRIDGE

Cambridge Official Offices Directory 2026

Immigration, ID, tax, city services, schools, health, vital records, apostille and Türkiye-related business: addresses and phone numbers in one place.

SHORT ANSWER

All six Cambridge ZIP codes (02138, 02139, 02140, 02141, 02142, 02238) belong to the USCIS **Boston Field Office**, not to Lawrence. The office is in the John F. Kennedy Federal Building at 15 New Sudbury Street, Room E-160, and there are no walk-ins. Fingerprints and photographs are taken not in the city but in **Revere**. The immigration court is normally Boston (Room 320); detained cases go to Chelmsford. The apostille costs \$6 per document and comes from one place, One Ashburton Place Room 1719.

Immigration

OFFICE	ADDRESS · PHONE · NOTE
USCIS Boston Field Office	John F. Kennedy Federal Building, 15 New Sudbury Street, Room E-160, Boston MA 02203 · green card and citizenship interviews, by appointment only · USCIS Contact Center 800-375-5283 (TTY 800-767-1833), processing times at egov.uscis.gov/processing-times with Boston as the office
USCIS ASC Boston (Revere)	7F Everett Street, Revere MA 02151 · biometrics appointments, weekdays 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. · reached by a Red Line to Blue Line transfer and the trip is long · your I-797C notice decides which center you attend
USCIS Lawrence Field Office	280 Merrimack Street, Suite 610 (6th floor), Lawrence MA 01843 · interviews for the west and north of the state · Cambridge does not belong here
Boston Asylum Office	John W. McCormack Federal Building, 5 Post Office Square, 14th floor, Boston MA 02109 · 617-574-3600 · five New England states · no in-person information service since April 20, 2026 and no walk-ins; interviews by appointment only
Boston Immigration Court	JFK Federal Building, 15 New Sudbury Street, Room 320, Boston MA 02203 (public entrance at 125 Cambridge Street) · 617-565-3080 · building 7:50 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., filings Monday to Thursday 8 to 4 and Friday 8 to 3:30 · Boston.Immigration.Court@usdoj.gov · check your case with your A-number at acis.eoir.justice.gov or 1-800-898-7180; the hearing notice is the official record

OFFICE	ADDRESS · PHONE · NOTE
Chelmsford Immigration Court	150 Apollo Drive, Suite 100, Chelmsford MA 01824 · 978-497-9000 · detained cases · filings 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. · Chelmsford.Immigration.Court@usdoj.gov
ICE ERO Boston Field Office	1000 District Avenue, Burlington MA 01803 · (781) 359-7500 · neither in Cambridge nor in Boston; this single office covers all six New England states. Your check-in location is on your paperwork
CBP Deferred Inspection (I-94 errors)	Logan Airport, Terminal E lower level, Room 500, Boston MA 02128 · (617) 568-1810 · cbp.boston.i94@cbp.dhs.gov · Monday to Thursday 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. · it corrects only errors made at the port of entry

We read the USCIS ZIP-code file dated August 6, 2026 line by line: all six Cambridge ZIP codes fall to the Boston field office and to Revere as the biometrics center. Because some cities in northern Middlesex County belong to Lawrence, people often assume Cambridge does too; it does not. Your appointment notice is the only rule that counts. The JFK building has no public parking and holds three agencies, so mornings queue; take the Red Line to Park Street and the Green Line one stop to Government Center.

THE CITY ORDINANCE AND THE STATE LAW: WHAT THEY PROTECT AND WHAT THEY DO NOT

- **The Cambridge Welcoming Community Ordinance** (section 2.129 of the municipal code, February 10, 2020, strengthened in August 2025) and the **City Manager's executive order of February 5, 2026**: Cambridge police do not join federal civil immigration operations, nobody is held solely on an ICE detainer, city employees do not ask about immigration status, and city property (lots, garages, parks, buildings) cannot be used as a staging, processing or support point for civil immigration enforcement. Federal officers need a judge-signed warrant to enter the non-public parts of city buildings.
- **G.L. c.147 s.64 (in force since September 4, 2026)**: state and local police, sheriffs, MBTA and Massport police, university and hospital police and court employees may not ask about immigration status and may not hold anyone past release time solely on an ICE detainer.
- **G.L. c.221D (effective November 3, 2026)**: no officer, federal agencies included, may make a civil arrest at a courthouse without showing a judge-signed warrant or order; the scope covers the grounds, the steps and the parking lot as well. An administrative ICE warrant or paperwork from an immigration judge does not satisfy it.
- **But**: none of this **binds ICE or CBP** and none of it **gives you a private right of action**. The police chief's report of February 5, 2026 says none of the three detainer requests received between August 2025 and February 2026 was honored, but also records 11 contacts with ICE in that period and one incident in which a person released on bail was taken into custody outside the police station door. So the city policy limits what the police will do; it does not prevent an ICE arrest. If you encounter ICE or CBP, talk to an immigration attorney first.

ID, tax and passports

AGENCY	ADDRESS · PHONE · NOTE
RMV (license, registration)	857-368-8000 · Haymarket Service Center: 136 Blackstone St., Boston (no parking) · Watertown: 550 Arsenal St., where road tests happen · appointments: atlas-myrmv.massdot.state.ma.us/myrmv · senior and disability line 857-368-8005
City parking permit office	Traffic, Parking and Transportation, 344 Broadway, 617-349-4700, cdot@cambridgema.gov · Monday 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m., Tuesday to Thursday 8:30 to 5, Friday 8:30 to noon · it does no license or registration work
SSA	1-800-772-1213 · Cambridge has its own field office in the north of the city; we could not confirm its street address or hours, so verify through ssa.gov/locator . Your ZIP code decides which office serves you
IRS (ITIN document review)	There is no IRS office in Cambridge. The nearest is Boston: John F. Kennedy Federal Building, 15 New Sudbury Street, by appointment only, 844-545-5640 · the other Massachusetts offices that review ITIN documents in person are Brockton, Fitchburg, Hyannis, Springfield, Woburn and Worcester
U.S. passport	A first application (DS-11) is in person · Cambridge has two acceptance facilities: the Harvard Square post office at 125 Mount Auburn Street and the Central Square post office at 770 Massachusetts Avenue, both by appointment (tools.usps.com/rcas.htm) · confirm the list at iafdb.travel.state.gov and do not go to a place that is not listed · adult book \$130 plus a \$35 acceptance fee, under 16 \$100 plus \$35, expedited service \$60 more · for an emergency the Boston Passport Agency is appointment-only (877-487-2778); confirm its address from your appointment confirmation

City services and housing

AGENCY	ADDRESS · PHONE · NOTE
City service requests	No real 311 line: SeeClickFix or 617-349-4300, 311@cambridgema.gov · not monitored around the clock · for public safety the police non-emergency line is 617-349-3300, and 911 in a life-threatening emergency
City Clerk (birth, death, marriage, business certificate)	795 Massachusetts Avenue, 1st Floor (records in Room 103), Cambridge MA 02139 · 617-349-4260 · cityclerk@cambridgema.gov · Monday 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m., Tuesday to Thursday 8:30 to 5, Friday 8:30 to noon · a copy of a birth, death or marriage record is \$15, a marriage license \$50, a business certificate \$50 (four years, notarized signature required)
Assessing Department (property tax, residential exemption)	795 Massachusetts Ave., ground floor · 617-349-4343 · assessors@cambridgema.gov · the FY2027 residential exemption deadline is April 1, 2027
Tax Collector (taxes, water and sewer bills)	617-349-4220 · PO Box 399142, Cambridge MA 02139-9142 · meter readings and address changes 617-349-4771

AGENCY	ADDRESS · PHONE · NOTE
Cambridge Water Department	250 Fresh Pond Parkway, Cambridge MA 02138 · 617-349-4770 · cwd@cambridgema.gov · the city draws its water from the Hobbs Brook, Stony Brook and Fresh Pond reservoirs
Public Works and the Recycling Center	147 Hampshire St. · 617-349-4800 · center open Tuesday and Thursday 4 to 7:30 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. · report a missed collection the same day after 4 p.m.
Housing Services Center (tenant advice)	362 Green Street, 1st Floor, Cambridge MA 02139 · 617-349-6340 · housingservices@cambridgema.gov · walk-in meetings start at 9 a.m. and end half an hour before closing · eviction prevention, rental assistance, tenant rights education
Inspectional Services Housing Division	617-349-6100 · no heat, no hot water, rodents, plumbing and other housing complaints; it enforces the State Sanitary Code
Human Rights Commission and disability commission	hrc@cambridgema.gov · protected classes include national origin and ancestry, source of income (Section 8), familial status and gender identity · for people with disabilities, ccpd@cambridgema.gov
Commission on Immigrant Rights and Citizenship	689 Massachusetts Ave, Cambridge MA 02139 · 617-349-4396 · circ@cambridgema.gov · a free online immigration law screening on the third Wednesday of every month , call 617-405-5479 to join · information only, no case representation
Affordable housing (Community Development)	344 Broadway (paper applications on the 3rd floor) · 617-349-4600 · more than 700 affordable rental units under the Inclusionary Housing Program, applications always open · we could not verify the immigration status and SSN requirements, so call and ask
Office of Jury Commissioner	560 Harrison Avenue, Suite 600, Boston MA 02118 · 1-800-THE-JURY · jurorhelp@jud.state.ma.us , fax (617) 422-5869 · noncitizens can receive a summons and must answer it · Cambridge is in Middlesex County

Schools

AGENCY	ADDRESS · PHONE · NOTE
Student Registration Center	Inside Cambridge Rindge and Latin School, 459 Broadway, 1st Floor, Cambridge MA 02138 · 617-349-6551, fax 617-349-6552 · src@cpsd.us · weekdays 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., open year round · registration by mail is not accepted
Language screening and multilingual education	Families arriving from abroad email welcome@cpsd.us on the day they land · Office of Multilingual Learner Education 617-349-6468 · we found no Turkish translation of the packet and no Turkish-speaking liaison , so ask for an interpreter by phone
Preschool and high school	Cambridge Preschool Program (ages 3 and 4) cpp@cpsd.us · Cambridge Rindge and Latin School family liaison line 617-349-6660

Health

AGENCY	ADDRESS · PHONE · NOTE
CHA Cambridge Hospital	1493 Cambridge Street, Cambridge MA 02139 · 617-665-1000 · emergency department open 24 hours · financial assistance team 617-665-1100, weekdays 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. · free or partly free care through Health Safety Net (0 to 150 percent of the poverty level; a partial copay between 150.1 and 300 percent), and a 25 percent discount for other uninsured patients who pay or set up a plan within two months · primary care at the Windsor Street Care Center, 119 Windsor Street, 617-665-1305 (confirm before you go)
Mount Auburn Hospital	330 Mount Auburn Street, Cambridge MA 02138 · 617-492-3500 · emergency care 24 hours · Financial Counseling Office, 1st Floor (Needham Building), 617-499-5560 · free care for eligible patients at or below 400 percent of the poverty level; bills above 25 percent of gross income can be covered in full as medical hardship · the policy is published in ten languages and Turkish is not among them
Cambridge Public Health Department	Flu and COVID-19 vaccine clinics · the flu page says the vaccines are free and that no insurance, SSN or ID is needed · registration and schedule at cambridgepublichealth.org/flu · the 2026 clinics end on October 30
The Family Van (mobile clinic)	(617) 442-3200 · familyvan.org/schedule · no insurance required and no charge, but no Cambridge stop : Tuesday Nubian Square, Wednesday East Boston, Thursday Codman Square, Friday Dorchester
MassHealth, Health Safety Net, Health Connector	MassHealth 800-841-2900 · Health Safety Net is not a card, you ask for it at the registration desk · Health Connector 1-877-623-6765, open enrollment October 23, 2026 to January 23, 2027 · crisis line 988, state Behavioral Health Help Line 833-773-2445

Apostille, business and Türkiye-related

AGENCY	ADDRESS · PHONE · NOTE
Secretary of the Commonwealth, apostille	Commissions Section, One Ashburton Place, Room 1719, Boston MA 02108 · \$6 per document · in person up to 3 documents at the counter, 4 or more after 3 p.m. the next business day, by mail 2 to 3 weeks (a check payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, no credit cards) · phone 617-727-2836 (confirm on the official page) · only the signature of a Massachusetts notary, justice of the peace, city or town clerk, court clerk or the Registrar of Vital Records is apostilled, and the Cambridge City Clerk is on that list · federal documents go to the U.S. Department of State, Form DS-4194, \$20 per document · regional offices in Fall River and Springfield

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Forming a company	Secretary of the Commonwealth: Certificate of Organization (LLC) \$500, annual report \$500 every year, name reservation \$30, amendment \$100, certificate of good standing \$25 · EIN free from the IRS · the Cambridge business certificate from the City Clerk is \$50 and valid four years, with a notarized signature · for a restaurant, the Cambridge License Commission, 831 Massachusetts Avenue, 1st Floor, 617-349-6140, license@cambridgema.gov , about four to six weeks
Turkish Consulate General in Boston	31 Saint James Avenue, Suite 840, Boston MA 02116 · +1 857 250 47 00 · consulate.boston@mfa.gov.tr · office hours weekdays 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 5 p.m., in-person applications 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. · its district is Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont and Connecticut · duty line +1 857 207 9284, Consular Call Center +1 888 566 76 56 and around the clock +90 312 292 29 29
The attaché offices	The Education Attaché shares the consulate address, Suite 840; boston_ozel@meb.gov.tr · the Commercial Attaché is inside Cambridge: 43 Thorndike Street, Suite 1-4, Cambridge MA 02141 (it does no consular work)

Help lines: 911 · crisis line 988 · state Behavioral Health Help Line 833-773-2445 · Attorney General consumer hotline (rent, broker fees, electricity suppliers) 617-727-8400 · Attorney General Civil Rights Division (schools and discrimination) 617-963-2917 · Massachusetts Immigrant and Refugee Advocacy Coalition help line (508) 293-1871 · Greater Boston Legal Services immigration unit 617-603-1808 · De Novo Center for Justice and Healing 617-661-1010 · PAIR Project 617-742-9296 · Rian Immigration Center 617-542-7654 · Project Citizenship 617-694-5949 · for U and T visa certification, the Cambridge Police legal advisor at (617) 349-3344. This list is the city's own referral list, not a recommendation or an endorsement.

Addresses and hours can change. Check the official site or your appointment notice before you go. Information as of October 1, 2026.



TURKISH-SPEAKING IMMIGRATION ATTORNEY IN CAMBRIDGE

Have a question about your immigration status?

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