



CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

CITY HALL, CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS 02139 • (617) 498-9017

OFFICE OF
THE CITY CLERK

May 1, 1981

Mr. Charles Watson
Legislative Agent
17 Dunster Street
Cambridge, MA 02138

Dear Mr. Watson

Enclosed you will find three original home rule legislation entitled as follows:

1. AN ACT RELATING TO PARKING FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF CAMBRIDGE.
2. AN ACT REGULATING THE TOWING OF ILLEGALLY PARKED MOTOR VEHICLES IN THE CITY OF CAMBRIDGE
3. AN ACT REGULATING THE IMPOUNDING OF ILLEGALLY PARKED MOTOR VEHICLES IN THE CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

Please file the original legislation with the House Clerk and deliver the copies to the Cambridge delegation as requested by Mayor Francis H. Duehay.

Your kind attention in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

PEH/dl

Encs. 3 original home rule bills and 3 orders.



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The Honorable George Bachrach
State Senator
State House
Room 518
Boston, MA 02133

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State Senator
State House
Room 213A
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MASSACHUSETTS

Agenda # 5 legislation entitled AN ACT In City Council April 27 1981
 REGULATING THE TOWING OF ILLEGALLY
 PARKED MOTOR VEHICLES IN THE CITY OF
 CAMBRIDGE.

	YEA	NAY	ABSENT	PRESENT
Mr. Kevin P. Crane	✓			
Mr. Thomas W. Danehy	✓			
Ms. Sandra Graham			✓	
Mr. Leonard J. Russell	✓			
Mr. David E. Sullivan	✓			
Mr. Walter J. Sullivan	✓			
Mr. Alfred Vellucci	✓			
Mr. David A. Wylie	✓			
Mayor Francis H. Duehay	✓			

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To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
in General Court assembled.

The undersigned, citizens of Cambridge respectfully
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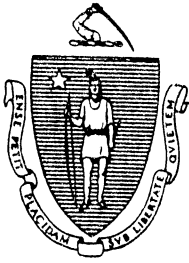
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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY- ONE

AN ACT REGULATING THE TOWING OF ILLEGALLY PARKED MOTOR VEHICLES IN THE CITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

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mail written notice to the registered owner of any such vehicle so removed, directed to the address furnished by the registry of motor vehicles or comparable agency of the state in which said vehicle is registered, stating the date on which such vehicle was removed, the location to which it has been removed, and a statement that it will be released on the payment of all fines, storage and towing charges due. Any such vehicle so removed shall be deemed to have been abandoned and may be disposed of in accordance with section twenty-two C of said chapter ninety, if, within thirty days of mailing of the notice to the registered owner as provided for herein, said owner has not paid all charges imposed for such removal and storage, and due notice has not been received that either the fines provided in the notices affixed to said vehicle have been paid or security for the payment thereof has been deposited. Vehicles owned by the Commonwealth or a political subdivision thereof or by the United States or any instrumentality thereof or registered by a member of a foreign diplomatic corps or by a foreign consular officer who is not a citizen of the United States and bearing a distinctive number plate or otherwise conspicuously marked as so owned or registered, and except also a vehicle owned by a disabled veteran and bearing a distinctive number plate authorized by section two of said chapter ninety, shall not, however, be subject to such removal.

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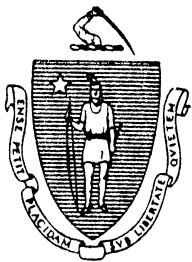
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IN CITY COUNCIL

April 27, 1981

ORDERED:

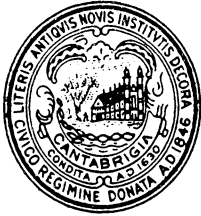
That the City Council hereby goes on record favoring the
filing of legislation regulating the towing of illegally parked
motor vehicles in the City of Cambridge.

In City Council April 27, 1981.
Adopted by a yeas and nays vote:-
Yeas 8; Nays 0; Absent 1.
Attest:- Paul E. Healy, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Paul E. Healy", is written over the "ATTEST:-" text.



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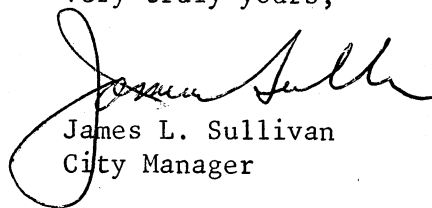
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
JAMES L. SULLIVAN
City Manager

April 27, 1981

To the Honorable, the City Council:

Enclosed herewith is a copy of proposed legislation which would regulate the towing of illegally parked motor vehicles in the City of Cambridge.

Very truly yours,



James L. Sullivan
City Manager

JLS/mbf
Enc.

legislation entitled AN ACT REGULATING THE
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sent to Legislators 5/1/81 (all)

In City Council,

April 27, 1981

4/27/81

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Order Adopted

AUTHORIZING FINING OF

BILL AS SUBMITTED

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