HOUSE No. 90

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Carl M. Sciortino, Jr.

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

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act incorporating carsharing in smart growth planning.

PETITION OF:

Name:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Carl M. Sciortino, Jr.	34th Middlesex	2/4/2011
Denise Provost	27th Middlesex	2/3/2011
Denise Andrews	2nd Franklin	2/4/2011

FILED ON: 1/19/2011

HOUSE No. 90

By Mr. Sciortino of Medford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 90) of Carl M. Sciortino, Jr., Denise Provost and Denise Andrews for legislation to include car sharing as a principle for land development in smart growth planning. Community Development and Small Businesses.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 204 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act incorporating carsharing in smart growth planning.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 2 of Chapter 40R, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is
- 2 hereby amended by inserting the following definition:-
- 3 "Carsharing organization," means a corporation or cooperative that owns a fleet of one or
- 4 more cars parked in common areas and retains a membership base that has exclusive access to
- 5 the fleet on a timed basis. The registrar of motor vehicles shall promulgate regulations to further
- 6 define "carsharing organization" as necessary.
- 7 SECTION 2. Section 1 of said chapter is hereby amended by inserting after the word
- 8 "choices," on line 9 the following words:-
- 9 "including carsharing,"