

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Edward R. Philips and Paul R. Feeney

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 authorizing the town of Sharon to prohibit the use of second-generation anticoagulants.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Edward R. Philips</i>	<i>8th Norfolk</i>	<i>6/16/2026</i>

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)
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An Act authorizing the town of Sharon to prohibit the use of second-generation anticoagulants.

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

1 Notwithstanding Chapter 132B of the General Laws or any other general or special law to
2 the contrary, the Town of Sharon may by ordinance prohibit the application of second-generation
3 anticoagulant rodenticides within the Town of Sharon, including application of such pesticides
4 by licensed commercial applicators as defined in 333 C.M.R. 10.00, except as allowed by the
5 Board of Health to remediate a public health condition. This act shall take effect upon its
6 passage.