

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Cynthia Stone Creem

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 City of Newton to prohibit the application of second generation anti-coagulant rodenticides within its borders.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Cynthia Stone Creem

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Norfolk and Middlesex

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)**
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An Act authorizing the City of Newton to prohibit the application of second generation anti-coagulant rodenticides within its borders.

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. Notwithstanding chapter 132B of the general laws or any other general or
2 special law to the contrary, the City of Newton may by ordinance prohibit the application of
3 second generation anti-coagulant rodenticides within the City of Newton, including application
4 of such pesticides by licensed commercial applicators as defined in 333 C.M.R. 10.00.

5 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.