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MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 10, 2022

TO: Councilor Deborah Crossley, Chair, Zoning & Planning Committee
Members of the Zoning & Planning Committee

FROM: Barney Heath, Director, Department of Planning and Development
Jennifer Caira, Deputy Director Department of Planning and Development
Zachery LeMel, Chief of Long Range Planning
Cat Kemmett, Planning Associate

RE: **#279-22 Request for amendment to the Zoning Code to regulate certain signage**
HER HONOR THE MAYOR requesting amendments to Chapter 30, Section 5.2 to amend the portion of the sign ordinance that regulates all “non-commercial” signs (i.e., election or yard sale signs).

MEETING: June 13, 2022

CC: City Council
Planning Board
Jonathan Yeo, Chief Operating Officer

Sign Ordinance Targeted Amendments

ZAP has set a public hearing for their upcoming Committee meeting, June 13, for amendments to Chapter 30, Section 5.2. Specifically, the portion of the sign ordinance that regulates all “non-commercial” signs (i.e., election or yard sale signs). The proposed text (redline version) can be found at the following link posted on the ZAP website:

<https://www.newtonma.gov/home/showpublisheddocument/85754>

Planning staff will share a brief presentation in advance of the Committee opening the public hearing.