

HOUSE No. 3542

By Ms. Khan of Newton, petition of Kay Khan and Cynthia S. Creem relative to assessing the proposed development of the Woodland and Riverside MBTA stations in the city of Newton. Transportation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CERTAIN PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT IN THE CITY OF
NEWTON.

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

1 The Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority, the Department
2 of Highways, the Massachusetts Turnpike Authority and the Depart-
3 ment of Conservation and Recreation, acting jointly, are hereby
4 authorized and directed to undertake a study relative to the Riverside
5 T station and the area surrounding said station. Said study shall
6 include, but not be limited to, proposed development of said area
7 and its impact on the quality of life of residents of the area, trans-
8 portation and traffic, and the feasibility of an intermodal transporta-
9 tion terminal. Said agencies shall in the conduct of said study hold at
10 least one public hearing in a place accessible to the residents of said
11 area.