

Positive Recommendation from  
the Transportation and Parking Commission (10/20/2015)

**In the Year Two Thousand FIFTEEN**

**UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

**ORDINANCE**

An Ordinance of the City of Northampton, Massachusetts, providing that the Code of Ordinances City of Northampton, Massachusetts, be amended by revising section §312-46 of said Code providing that §312-46 Designation of Parking Spaces

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Northampton, in City Council assembled, as follows

*Section 1.* That section §312-46 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Northampton, Massachusetts, be amended so that such section shall read as follows:

**“Section 312-46**

**AMEND**

Parking spaces designated as reserved under the provisions of § 312-44 shall be identified by the use of above-grade signs with white lettering against a blue background and shall bear the words "Handicapped Parking: Special Plate Required. Unauthorized Vehicles May be Removed at Owner's Expense"; shall be as near as possible to a building entrance or walkway; shall be adjacent to curb ramps or other unobstructed methods permitting sidewalk access to a handicapped person; shall be 12 feet wide or two eight-foot wide areas with four feet of cross hatch between them **except at parallel parking locations; and shall be designated with the International Symbol of Accessibility parking space marking.**