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## AN ORDER RELATIVE TO UNINTENDED OVERDEVELOPMENT AND REPEAL OF THE HISTORIC REUSE BYLAW

### OFFERED BY COUNCILOR MICHAEL P. CANNON District 4

- WHEREAS Areas of Framingham zoned for single family use are being targeted for permits for large multi-family apartments owing to an outdated provision in the historic reuse bylaw; and,
- WHEREAS Framingham did not intend to allow developers this by right when passing a bylaw to preserve historic buildings; and,
- WHEREAS these units in purely-residential areas create additional local traffic congestion impacting the entire community; and,
- WHEREAS the Mayor and City Council do hereby repeal the Historic Reuse Bylaw until a more suitable replacement can be crafted.

### BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL, AS FOLLOWS:

Section B of Article V of the Framingham Zoning Bylaws relative to Historic Reuse is repealed.

<u>SECTION 1.</u>
Section B of Article V of the Framingham Zoning Bylaw is hereby repealed.

SECTION 2.
EFFECTIVE DATE.
This ordinance shall take effect retroactively to the date of filing.