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By Mr. Rawson of Newton, petition of Howard Whitmore, Jr. (mayor) that the city of Newton be authorized to sell and convey a portion of Hawthorn Playground in said city. Cities.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Six.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF NEWTON TO SELL AND CONVEY CERTAIN LAND HELD BY IT COMPRISING A PORTION OF THE HAWTHORN PLAYGROUND SO-CALLED, FOR PLAYGROUND PURPOSES.

*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. The city of Newton, by its mayor when  
2 authorized by the board of aldermen, may sell and convey  
3 free and clear from any obligation to use the same for  
4 playground purposes and any other public purposes a  
5 certain parcel of land on the northeasterly side of Haw-  
6 thorn street in said city and bounded and described as  
7 follows:—

8 Southwesterly by Hawthorn street, one hundred  
9 twenty (120) feet; northwesterly by land of Raymond  
10 Miller and Fay F. Miller, ninety-nine and 69/100 (99.69)  
11 feet; northeasterly by land of Antonio Salvucci and  
12 Anna Salvucci, by the end of Adams court and by land  
13 of Angela M. Visco, one hundred twenty (120) feet;  
14 southeasterly by land of Frank J. DeLuca, ninety-nine  
15 and 69/100 (99.69) feet. Said parcel containing 11,961  
16 square feet of land, and being Lots 57, 58 and 59, as  
17 shown on plan entitled "Nonantum Park, Newton,  
18 dated May 5, 1903, E. S. Smilie, Engineer", recorded in  
19 Middlesex Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 143, Plan 6.  
20 Said parcel is carried on the assessors' records as Lot 18  
21 of Section 23, Block 13.

1 SECTION 2. The proceeds of the sale of said land shall  
2 be used only for the purpose of improving parks and  
3 playgrounds laid out under chapter forty-five of the  
4 General Laws.

1 SECTION 3. This act shall take full effect upon its  
2 acceptance by the recreation commission and by the  
3 board of aldermen of said city, subject to the provisions  
4 of its charter during the current year.