

By Mr. Carey of Boston, petition of William A. Carey for legislation to regulate the taking by eminent domain of land in Wards 10 and 11 of the city of Boston and providing for the approval by the voters of any such taking. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Three.

AN ACT REGULATING THE TAKING BY EMINENT DOMAIN OF LAND
IN WARDS 10 AND 11 OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

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

1 After the effective date of this act, no land shall be taken by
2 eminent domain in wards 10 and 11 of the city of Boston unless
3 such taking is approved by the voters of said wards as here-
4 inafter provided. A body politic or corporate intending to take
5 land by eminent domain in said wards shall file with the city
6 clerk of said city a notice of such intention describing the land
7 to be taken and the purpose for which such taking is to be
8 made. If such a notice is filed with the city clerk in a year in
9 which a municipal election is to be held in said city there shall
10 be printed on the official ballot to be used in said wards at said
11 election the following question: — “Do you approve
12 of the taking by eminent domain of the land (describe
13 land) for the purpose of (describe purpose)?”

YES.	
NO.	

14 If such a notice is filed with said clerk in a year in which a
15 biennial state election is to be held the clerk shall transmit the
16 same to the state secretary who shall cause said question to be
17 placed on the official ballot to be used in said wards at said
18 election.

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The Constitution of the United States is the supreme law of the land. It is the foundation of the government and the rights of the people. It is the source of the powers of the government and the limits of those powers. It is the guarantee of the rights of the people and the protection of those rights. It is the basis of the federal system and the unity of the nation. It is the symbol of the American people's faith in the principles of liberty and justice under law.

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