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November 13, 2017

Natick Board of Selectmen Natick Town Hall 13 E. Central St. Natick, MA 01760

Re: Business Parking Permit Rates

Dear Natick Board of Selectmen,

On behalf of Natick Center Associates/ Natick Center Cultural District, we are writing in support of maintaining the parking permit rates as they are currently.

One of the main reasons for keeping off-street parking affordable is to encourage those who work all day in the downtown area to purchase the permits and park in designated lots to free up on street parking for patrons of the businesses.

With the change in the parking rates/rules recently, we have noticed much more traffic in the off-street lots for the all-day employees. If there were to be in an increase in rates, we are concerned that less permits will be purchased, and employees will return to using on-street parking.

Thank you for your consideration in this important matter.

Sincerely,

Arthur B. Fair, III, President Natick Center Associates