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Sanctuary city

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Dear board members,

It is my understanding that there is a discussion about making Natick a sanctuary city for people who have entered this country illegally. I strongly oppose this and I think this would be a big mistake for Natick.

First, simply do some research on what has been happening across the country, and in our own state, when there are large increases in illegal immigrants. The costs they impose on legal citizens is enormous. This will lead to more crowded schools, hospitals, and housing, and yes, it will also increase crime.

Second, you will be opening up yourselves and the town to lawsuits. While the legal ramifications are in flux, I can assure you that if a crime is perpetrated against me or my family by someone that you allowed to be here illegally, I will sue. And I suspect many others would as well.

Finally, I have also heard you are considering an override. So, if you approve Natick as a sanctuary city, you are effectively saying you have enough money to take care of non-citizens but you don't currently have enough to take care of citizens? Where are your priorities?

Kind regards,

Darren

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