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## OFFICE OF THE MAYOR EDWARD A. BETTENCOURT, JR.

### Mayor Announces Meter Free Parking

Mayor Edward A. Bettencourt, Jr. announced that he has suspended enforcement of downtown metered parking for the remainder of the Peabody Square reconfiguration project.

“This is about helping our downtown business community by making it a little easier for their customers to park and get around,” said Mayor Bettencourt. “While we work to make Peabody Square more business and pedestrian friendly going forward, we have an obligation to help those doing business here right now.”

Drivers who normally utilize metered spots throughout downtown Peabody will not be required to feed those meters during the summer months. The square reconfiguration project is expected to reach its peak during the months of June, July and August before winding down this fall. Downtown visitors will be given ample notice when meter enforcement resumes.

For more information on meter free parking, please contact the Peabody Police Department at 978-538-6312 or Mayor Bettencourt’s office at 978-538-5701.

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