Municipal Tobacco Control Technical Assistance Program

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MUNICIPALITIES THAT BAN THE SALE OF BLUNT WRAPS

Mashpee Abington Easton Somerset Acton Edgartown Maynard Somerville Adams Essex Medford South Hadley **Agawam** Everett Medfield Southampton Medway Spencer Amherst Fairhaven Arlington Melrose Stoneham Falmouth Ashburnham Fitchburg Methuen Stoughton Ashland Framingham Middleton Stow Sudbury Athol Franklin Milford Attleboro Georgetown Millbury Sunderland Avon Gill Millis Sutton Ayer Gloucester Montague Swampscott Bedford Grafton Nantucket Swansea Belmont Granby Natick **Taunton** Berkley Greenfield Needham Templeton **Beverly** Groton **New Bedford Tisbury** Billerica Hadley Newburyport Townsend **Bolton** Hamilton Newton Tyngsborough **Boston** Harvard **North Adams** Uxbridge Walpole Bourne Hatfield Northampton Wareham **Braintree** Haverhill North Attleboro Holbrook Northborough Brewster Watertown Bridgewater Holden Norton Webster* Brimfield Holvoke Wellfleet Norwell **Brockton** Hopkinton Norwood Wendell Brookline Hubbardston Oak Bluffs Westboro Buckland Hudson Orange W. Bovlston Hull Burlington Orleans Westford Cambridge **Ipswich** Oxford Westminster Carver Kingston Palmer Westport Charlemont Lancaster **Peabody** W Springfield Lanesborough **Pittsfield** Westwood Chelsea Lawrence Plainville Weymouth Clinton Cohasset Leicester Plymouth Whately Concord Provincetown Wilbraham Leominster Conway Reading Williamstown Leverett Danvers Winchester Lexington Salem Dartmouth Lowell Sandwich Winchendon Dedham Ludlow Saugus Winthrop Deerfield Lynn Scituate Worcester Duxbury Lynnfield Seekonk Yarmouth Eastham Marion Shelburne **Easthampton** Marlborough Sherborn E. Longmeadow Marshfield Shrewsbury

TOTAL: 173 (36 cities in bold) - 70.2% of state's population (4,596,197 lives in listed municipalities

<u>DEFINITION</u>: Blunt Wrap: Any tobacco product manufactured or packaged as a wrap or as a hollow tube made wholly or in part from tobacco that is designed or intended to be filled by the consumer with loose tobacco or other fillers.

REGULATORY LANGUAGE: No person or entity shall sell or distribute blunt wraps in [city/town].

NOTE: In 2011, Boston prevailed in a lawsuit brought by blunt wrap makers (RYO Cigar Association, Inc. and New Image Global, Inc. v. Boston Public Health Commission). *Webster bans "blunt wrappers" under a paraphernalia definition. 6/21/19