

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2003**

**HOUSE BILL 651  
RATIFIED BILL**

AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF DURHAM TO ALLOW  
THE CITY MANAGER TO MAKE DECISIONS REGARDING ROUTINE  
TRAFFIC CONTROL MEASURES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

**SECTION 1.** The Charter of the City of Durham, being Chapter 671 of the 1975 Session Laws, as amended, is amended by adding the following new section:

"Sec. 54.1. Traffic Control Measures. – The City Council may, by ordinance, delegate to the City Manager or the Manager's designee the authority to make routine determinations regarding speed limits, parking, loading, standing, and traffic control measures, including the location of stop signs, yield signs, turn restrictions, loading zones, bus stops, and parking restrictions in rights-of-way."

**SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

In the General Assembly read three times and ratified this the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2003.

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Marc Basnight  
President Pro Tempore of the Senate

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Richard T. Morgan  
Speaker of the House of Representatives