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ARL Rescues Kitten from Engine Block in Taunton

Kitten unharmed, car owner able to get to appointment on time

On Wednesday, the Animal Rescue League of Boston's (ARL) [Field Services Department](#) assisted a Taunton resident who was stuck in a precarious position – they needed to get to an appointment, but couldn't because an 11-week-old kitten had decided that their car's engine block was a great hiding place.

The resident had previously noticed the kitten and his mom in the yard and stated that every time they would step outside, the kitten would scamper underneath the car. With this in mind, when it was time to use the vehicle, the resident knew the kitten had nestled into the engine compartment, and wanting the animal removed safely, contacted ARL.

ARL quickly dispatched two Field Services agents to respond, and once on-scene, were able to coax the kitten from the engine block with treats, then safely trap him. After the kitten, now named Carson, was secured, the agents then trapped the mom and transported both animals to ARL's Boston Animal Care and Adoption Center. The quick response and action also allowed the resident to get to their appointment on time!

For photos of the kitten, click the Dropbox link below:

<https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/cas7ntg7tyeu7tf4hm7bc/h?rlkey=1bf0kryc0aw6ypoukm0fhgub0&dl=0>

ABOUT THE ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE OF BOSTON:

The Animal Rescue League of Boston (ARL) is an unwavering champion for animals in need, committed to keeping them safe and healthy in habitats and homes. Founded in 1899, ARL provides high-quality veterinary care, adoption, and rescue services; while also confronting the root causes of animal cruelty and neglect through innovative community programs, police investigations, and public advocacy. In 2022, ARL served 20,601 animals throughout Massachusetts. ARL is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization. The Animal Rescue League of Boston does not receive government grants or public funding and relies on the generosity of our supporters to help animals in need. For more information please visit us online at arlboston.org; and be sure to follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#).

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