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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PRESENTED BY:

## James R. Miceli

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act declaring March the 26th as First Responders Day.

### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
James R. Miceli	19th Middlesex	1/14/2015
James Arciero	2nd Middlesex	2/1/2015
Angelo L. D'Emilia	8th Plymouth	1/30/2015
Marcos A. Devers	16th Essex	2/3/2015
Stephen L. DiNatale	3rd Worcester	1/16/2015
Diana DiZoglio	14th Essex	1/28/2015
James J. Dwyer	30th Middlesex	1/26/2015
Ann-Margaret Ferrante	5th Essex	1/16/2015
Carole A. Fiola	6th Bristol	1/27/2015
Sean Garballey	23rd Middlesex	1/19/2015
Barbara A. L'Italien	Second Essex and Middlesex	2/3/2015
Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.	28th Middlesex	1/28/2015
Rady Mom	18th Middlesex	2/3/2015
Michael O. Moore	Second Worcester	1/30/2015
Mathew Muratore	1st Plymouth	2/3/2015
Shaunna L. O'Connell	3rd Bristol	1/31/2015
Elizabeth A. Poirier	14th Bristol	2/1/2015
Walter F. Timilty	7th Norfolk	2/2/2015

Donald H. Wong	9th Essex	2/3/2015
Jerome Selissen	80 Rudgate Road Tewksbury, MA	1/16/2015
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By Mr. Miceli of Wilmington, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2791) of James R. Miceli and others relative to establishing first responders day. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

An Act declaring March the 26th as First Responders Day.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1	An Act designating March the 26th as First Responders Day.
2	Chapter 6 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 15XXXXX,
3	inserted by chapter 344 of the acts of 2014, the following section:-
4	Section 15YYYYY. The governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting apart
5	March 26th as First Responder Day, and recommending that said day be observed in an
6	appropriate manner by the people. In observation of this day, municipal police departments and
7	the department of state police as well as municipal fire departments and state fire services shall
8	fly flags at half-staff.