

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 4534**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Sarah K. Peake***

*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 authorizing the town of Provincetown to designate a check-off box on its tax bills.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Sarah K. Peake</i>	<i>4th Barnstable</i>	<i>11/13/2014</i>

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By Ms. Peake of Provincetown, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4534) of Sarah K. Peake (by vote of the town) that the town of Provincetown be authorized to designate a check-off box on its tax bills for affordable housing donations. Municipalities and Regional Government. [Local Approval Received.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Fourteen**

An Act authorizing the town of Provincetown to designate a check-off box on its tax bills.

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

1           Section 1. The town of Provincetown may, subject to the approval of the commissioner  
2 of revenue, designate a place on its municipal tax bills, motor vehicle excise tax bills or mail  
3 with such tax bills a separate form whereby taxpayers of the town may voluntarily check off,  
4 donate or pledge an amount of money, which shall increase the amount already due and which  
5 shall be paid over to the Provincetown Affordable Housing Trust Fund, established pursuant to  
6 chapter 230 of the acts of 2002 for the support of the town's affordable housing efforts.

7           Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.