# **HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 562**

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

#### Jennifer E. Benson

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 relative to updating the election laws.

#### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Jennifer E. Benson	37th Middlesex	1/11/2013
Cory Atkins	14th Middlesex	
Timothy R. Madden	Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket	
Denise Andrews	2nd Franklin	
Kimberly N. Ferguson	1st Worcester	
Carolyn C. Dykema	8th Middlesex	
Diana DiZoglio	14th Essex	
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex	

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By Ms. Benson of Lunenburg, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 562) of Jennifer E. Benson and others relative to the number of hours that polls are open for regional school district elections. Election Laws.

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act relative to updating the election laws.

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

Section 1. Subsection (n) of Section 16 of Chapter 71 of the General Laws, is hereby amended by striking out "eight" and inserting in place thereof: "thirteen".