

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3535**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Brian R. Mannel, (BY REQUEST)***

*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 funding public libraries and the Centerville-Osterville-Marston Mills fire district.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Ken Jenkins</i>	<i>184 Flume Ave. Marstons Mills, MA</i>	<i>1/16/2015</i>

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By Mr. Mannel of Barnstable (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3535) of Ken Jenkins relative to the funding of certain libraries in the Centerville-Osterville-Marstons Mills Fire District. Tourism, Arts and Cultural Development.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to funding public libraries and the Centerville-Osterville-Marston Mills fire district.

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

1 Chapter 169 of the acts of 1937 is hereby amended by inserting after section 2A the  
2 following section:-

3 Section 2B. The Centerville-Osterville-Marstons Mills Fire District shall annually  
4 appropriate and transfer funds to the Centerville Public Library, the Marstons Mills Library and  
5 the Osterville Free Library; provided, however, the total amount of funds appropriated and  
6 transferred shall be not less than a quarter of 1 per cent of the district’s total annual budget but  
7 not more than half of 1 per cent of the district’s total annual budget. The fire district may raise  
8 funds to carry out the appropriation and transfer required pursuant to this section.