

HOUSE No. 2925

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Daniel J. Hunt

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 Saint Pope John Paul Park.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Daniel J. Hunt</i>	<i>13th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/20/2017</i>
<i>Linda Dorcena Forry</i>	<i>First Suffolk</i>	<i>1/20/2017</i>

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By Mr. Hunt of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2925) of Daniel J. Hunt and Linda Dorcena Forry for legislation to designate Pope John Paul II Park as Saint Pope John Paul II park. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act relative to Saint Pope John Paul Park.

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

1 by adding the following new section:

2 SECTION XXX. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, recognizing
3 his canonization on April 27, 2014, the Pope John Paul II Park located along the Scenic
4 Neponset River in the Dorchester section of the City of Boston that is owned and operated by the
5 department of conservation and recreation shall be designated and known as the Saint Pope John
6 Paul II Park. The department of conservation and recreation shall erect and maintain a suitable
7 marker bearing that designation in compliance with the standards of the department.