

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 458**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Keiko M. Orrall***

*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 to promote and strengthen agricultural preservation.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Keiko M. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>	<i>1/17/2017</i>
<i>Patricia A. Haddad</i>	<i>5th Bristol</i>	
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>	
<i>Mathew Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>	
<i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Hampden</i>	
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>	
<i>Elizabeth A. Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>	
<i>Tricia Farley-Bouvier</i>	<i>3rd Berkshire</i>	
<i>John W. Scibak</i>	<i>2nd Hampshire</i>	
<i>David F. DeCoste</i>	<i>5th Plymouth</i>	
<i>Steven S. Howitt</i>	<i>4th Bristol</i>	
<i>Ann-Margaret Ferrante</i>	<i>5th Essex</i>	
<i>Michael D. Brady</i>	<i>Second Plymouth and Bristol</i>	
<i>Richard J. Ross</i>	<i>Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex</i>	
<i>Donald F. Humason, Jr.</i>	<i>Second Hampden and Hampshire</i>	
<i>Angelo M. Scaccia</i>	<i>14th Suffolk</i>	
<i>Patrick M. O'Connor</i>	<i>Plymouth and Norfolk</i>	

<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Harold P. Naughton, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Worcester</i>	
<i>Brian Murray</i>	<i>10th Worcester</i>	
<i>Gailanne M. Cariddi</i>	<i>1st Berkshire</i>	
<i>Shaunna L. O'Connell</i>	<i>3rd Bristol</i>	

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By Mrs. Orrall of Lakeville, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 458) of Keiko M. Orrall and others relative to agricultural preservation restrictions. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act to promote and strengthen agricultural preservation.

*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. Section 31 of Chapter 184 of the General Laws as appearing in 2014
- 2 official edition is hereby amended by striking in lines 44-45 the following:–“other acts or uses
- 3 detrimental to such retention of the land for agricultural use”