

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 459**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***Elizabeth A. Poirier***

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*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 mosquito control.**

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Elizabeth A. Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>
<i>Mathew Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>

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By Mrs. Poirier of North Attleborough, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 459) of Elizabeth A. Poirier, Susan Williams Gifford and Mathew Muratore relative to mosquito control and aerial spraying. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 736 OF 2015-2016.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act relative to mosquito control.

*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. That the Department of Public Health (DPH), in coordination with the  
2 Executive Office of Environmental Affairs (EOEA) and the State Reclamation and Mosquito  
3 Control Board (SRMCB), meet with representatives of several environmental organizations to  
4 discuss mosquito control, EEE, and aerial spraying.

5           Also, that the state shall meet prior to April 1 of the current year and conduct a full and  
6 open public review process regarding the mosquito control practices and the management of  
7 mosquito-borne diseases including Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE)

8           and West Nile Virus (WNV).