

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2438**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***David F. DeCoste***

*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 further the protection of agricultural land.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>David F. DeCoste</i>	<i>5th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/16/2019</i>
<i>Michael D. Brady</i>	<i>Second Plymouth and Bristol</i>	<i>2/1/2019</i>
<i>Josh S. Cutler</i>	<i>6th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/31/2019</i>
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/30/2019</i>
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>	<i>1/28/2019</i>
<i>Anne M. Gobi</i>	<i>Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Middlesex</i>	<i>1/28/2019</i>
<i>Steven S. Howitt</i>	<i>4th Bristol</i>	<i>1/28/2019</i>
<i>Mathew J. Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>	<i>1/30/2019</i>
<i>Norman J. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>	<i>1/30/2019</i>
<i>Angelo M. Scaccia</i>	<i>14th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/29/2019</i>

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By Mr. DeCoste of Norwell, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2438) of David F. DeCoste and others relative to the imposition of the sales tax for the keeping of horses as a commercial enterprise. Revenue.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act to further the protection of agricultural land.

*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. Paragraph (r) of section 6 of chapter 64H of the General Laws, as appearing  
2 in the 2016 Official Edition, is hereby amended, in line to 68, by inserting after the word  
3 “production” the following words:– ; the keeping of horses as a commercial enterprise.

4           SECTION 2. Paragraph (s) of said section 6 of said chapter 64, as so appearing, is hereby  
5 amended, in line 295, by inserting after the word “production” the following words:– ; the  
6 keeping of horses as a commercial enterprise.