

HOUSE No. 717

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Theodore C. Speliotis

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 regarding ballot voting options.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Theodore C. Speliotis</i>	<i>13th Essex</i>	<i>1/7/2019</i>

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By Mr. Speliotis of Danvers, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 717) of Theodore C. Speliotis relative to adding a “none of the above” option to ballots. Election Laws.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2106 OF 2017-2018.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)**

An Act regarding ballot voting options.

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: As so appearing in the Massachusetts General Laws, 2016 Official Edition,
- 2 Section 34 of chapter 53 is hereby amended by inserting after the last sentence the following:-
- 3 "Each ballot shall offer “None of the Above” as a voting option."