

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Susannah M. Whipps

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 providing for a special license plate to survivors of firefighters and police officers who have died in the line of duty.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Susannah M. Whipps	2nd Franklin	1/14/2019
Carmine Lawrence Gentile	13th Middlesex	1/23/2019
Timothy R. Whelan	1st Barnstable	1/23/2019
William L. Crocker, Jr.	2nd Barnstable	1/23/2019
Mathew J. Muratore	1st Plymouth	1/29/2019
Anne M. Gobi	Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and	1/29/2019
	Middlesex	
Stephan Hay	3rd Worcester	1/31/2019
Hannah Kane	11th Worcester	1/31/2019
José F. Tosado	9th Hampden	2/1/2019
Paul McMurtry	11th Norfolk	2/1/2019
Josh S. Cutler	6th Plymouth	2/1/2019
David Allen Robertson	19th Middlesex	2/1/2019
John Barrett, III	1st Berkshire	2/1/2019

By Ms. Whipps of Athol, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3183) of Susannah M. Whipps and others for legislation to provide Red Star/Blue Star license plates to survivors of firefighters and police officers who died in the line of duty. Transportation.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 2762 OF 2017-2018.]

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

An Act providing for a special license plate to survivors of firefighters and police officers who have died in the line of duty.

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 2 of Chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014

2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, after paragraph twenty, the following

3 paragraph:-

The registrar shall furnish without charge to the owner of a private passenger motor vehicle who is a parent, child, sibling, grandchild or spouse of a paid professional firefighter or call firefighter or police officer or reserve police officer who has died in the line-of-duty, upon presentation of satisfactory evidence of such status as determined by the registrar, a distinctive license plate bearing a design approved by the Registrar.