

SENATE No. 2025

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Joan B. Lovely

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 regional tourism councils.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | |
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| Joan B. Lovely | Second Essex | |
| Julian Cyr | Cape and Islands | 1/24/2019 |
| Michael O. Moore | Second Worcester | 1/29/2019 |
| Jack Patrick Lewis | 7th Middlesex | 1/29/2019 |
| Bruce E. Tarr | First Essex and Middlesex | 1/30/2019 |
| Viriato M. deMacedo | Plymouth and Barnstable | 1/30/2019 |
| Adam G. Hinds | Berkshire, Hampshire, Franklin and Hampden | 1/30/2019 |
| Brendan P. Crighton | Third Essex | 1/31/2019 |
| Mathew J. Muratore | 1st Plymouth | 1/31/2019 |
| Dean A. Tran | Worcester and Middlesex | 1/31/2019 |
| John Barrett, III | 1st Berkshire | 2/13/2019 |
| Diana DiZoglio | First Essex | 3/13/2019 |
| Natalie M. Blais | 1st Franklin | 10/7/2019 |

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By Ms. Lovely, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2025) of Joan B. Lovely, Julian Cyr, Michael O. Moore, Jack Patrick Lewis and other members of the General Court for legislation relative to regional tourism councils. Tourism, Arts and Cultural Development.

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

An Act relative to regional tourism councils.

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. Chapter 23A is hereby amended by adding the following new section:-

2 Section 68. Grants allocated to regional tourism councils through the Massachusetts

3 Tourism Trust Fund established in section 13T in chapter 23A shall be distributed not later than

4 September 1 of the fiscal year for which they are allocated.