

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 4987**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***Patrick Joseph Kearney***

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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 amending the charter of the town of Marshfield.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Patrick Joseph Kearney</i>	<i>4th Plymouth</i>	<i>6/22/2022</i>

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By Mr. Kearney of Scituate, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4987) of Patrick Joseph Kearney (by vote of the town) relative to changing the name of the board of selectmen to select board in the town of Marshfield. Municipalities and Regional Government. [Local Approval Received.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**

An Act amending the charter of the town of Marshfield.

*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. The charter of the town of Marshfield, which is on file in the office of the  
2 archivist of the commonwealth, as provided in section 12 of chapter 43B of the General Laws, is  
3 hereby amended by striking out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and  
4 inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following words:- select board.

5 SECTION 2. Said charter is hereby further amended by striking out the word  
6 “selectmen”, each time it appears, and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following  
7 words:- members of the select board.

8 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.