

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 5401**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Smitty Pignatelli***

*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 validating the annual town meeting for the town of Blandford.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Smitty Pignatelli</i>	<i>4th Berkshire</i>	<i>11/18/2022</i>

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By Mr. Pignatelli of Lenox, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 5401) of Smitty Pignatelli (by vote of the town) relative to validating the results of the annual town meeting for the town of Blandford. Election Laws. [Local Approval Received].

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act validating the annual town meeting for the town of Blandford.

*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. Notwithstanding section 10 of chapter 39 and section 64 of chapter 54 of  
2 the General Laws or any other general or special law to the contrary, the votes taken by the town  
3 of Blandford at its June 6, 2022 annual town meeting, and all actions taken pursuant thereto and  
4 in reliance thereon, are hereby ratified, validated and confirmed to the same extent as if the town  
5 had complied with all statutory requirements for posting a warrant for the meeting.

6           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage