

HOUSE No. 894

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Michelle M. DuBois

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 to strengthen notifications in the Wetlands Protection Act.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| <i>Michelle M. DuBois</i> | <i>10th Plymouth</i> | <i>2/19/2021</i> |

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By Ms. DuBois of Brockton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 894) of Michelle M. DuBois relative to Wetlands Protection Act notifications. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act to strengthen notifications in the Wetlands Protection Act.

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 40 of Chapter 131 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by in paragraph 2 by replacing "abutters within one-hundred
3 feet" with the following-

4 abutters within five-hundred feet

5 SECTION 2. Section 40 of Chapter 131 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016
6 Official Edition, is hereby further amended in paragraph 2 by replacing "100 feet" with the
7 following-

8 500 feet