

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Mathew J. Muratore and Susan L. Moran

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 authorizing the town of Plymouth to grant 2 additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Mathew J. Muratore	1st Plymouth	5/7/2024
Susan L. Moran	Plymouth and Barnstable	5/7/2024
Kathleen R. LaNatra	12th Plymouth	5/10/2024

HOUSE DOCKET, NO. 5094 FILED ON: 5/7/2024

By Representative Muratore of Plymouth and Senator Moran, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4747) of Mathew J. Muratore, Susan L. Moran and Kathleen R. LaNatra (by vote of the town) that the town of Plymouth be authorized to grant two additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises in said town. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure. [Local Approval Received.]

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court (2023-2024)

An Act authorizing the town of Plymouth to grant 2 additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages.

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 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, the 2 licensing authority of the town of Plymouth may grant 2 additional licenses for the sale of all 3 alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises pursuant to section 15 of chapter 138, to 4 establishments located in Precincts 9 and 17. Precincts 9 and 17 are located and bound as shown 5 on a map titled "Precinct Map of Plymouth, Massachusetts," dated February 26, 2024, and on file 6 in the office of the town clerk. The licenses shall be subject to all of said chapter 138 except said 7 section 17. The licensing authority shall not approve the transfer of a license granted pursuant to 8 this act to a location outside of Precinct 9 or 17 as those precincts are defined by the Precinct 9 Map as on file with the town clerk dated February 26, 2024, but it may grant a license to a new 10 applicant within Precinct 9 or 17 if the applicant files with the licensing authority a letter from 11 the department of revenue and a letter from the department of unemployment assistance

indicating that the license is in good standing with those departments and that all applicable taxes, fees and contributions have been paid. A license granted pursuant to this act shall be clearly marked on its face "Precinct 9 or 17 only." If a license granted pursuant to this section is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use the license shall be returned physically, with all of the legal rights, privileges and restrictions pertaining thereto, to the Select Board and the Select Board may then grant the license to a new applicant at a location within Precinct 9 or 17 under the same conditions as specified in this act.

SECTION 2: This act shall take effect upon its passage. or take any other action relativethereto.