

HOUSE No. 913

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Jeffrey Rosario Turco and Jessica Ann Giannino

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 designating the Rumney Marsh as the Joseph T. James area of critical environmental concern.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Jeffrey Rosario Turco</i>	<i>19th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/18/2023</i>
<i>Jessica Ann Giannino</i>	<i>16th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/18/2023</i>
<i>Robert A. DeLeo</i>		<i>1/18/2023</i>
<i>RoseLee Vincent</i>		<i>1/18/2023</i>
<i>Kathi-Anne Reinstein</i>		<i>1/18/2023</i>
<i>Bud L. Williams</i>	<i>11th Hampden</i>	<i>2/6/2023</i>
<i>Jeffrey N. Roy</i>	<i>10th Norfolk</i>	<i>2/22/2023</i>

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By Representatives Turco of Winthrop and Giannino of Revere, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 913) of Jeffrey Rosario Turco, Jessica Ann Giannino and others relative to designating the Rumney Marsh as the Joseph T. James memorial area of critical environmental concern. Environment and Natural Resources.

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

An Act relative to designating the Rumney Marsh as the Joseph T. James area of critical environmental concern.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 The Rumney Marsh, bordering the cities of Lynn and Revere and the town of Saugus,
2 a 600-acre salt marsh within the Saugus and Pines River Inlet, shall be designated and known as
3 the Joseph T. James memorial area of critical environmental concern, in memory of
4 environmental activist, and long-time president of the Friends of Rumney Marsh, Inc., Joseph T.
5 James of Revere.

6 The department of conservation and recreation shall erect and maintain a suitable
7 marker and signage bearing this designation in compliance with the standards of the department.