

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1070**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Susannah M. Whipps*

*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 establish a free snowmobile weekend.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Susannah M. Whipps</i>	<i>2nd Franklin</i>	<i>1/7/2025</i>
<i>Natalie M. Blais</i>	<i>1st Franklin</i>	<i>1/15/2025</i>
<i>John J. Marsi</i>	<i>6th Worcester</i>	<i>2/12/2025</i>
<i>Joseph D. McKenna</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>	<i>2/18/2025</i>
<i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Hampden</i>	<i>3/12/2025</i>
<i>Lindsay N. Sabadosa</i>	<i>1st Hampshire</i>	<i>3/19/2025</i>
<i>Jonathan D. Zlotnik</i>	<i>2nd Worcester</i>	<i>3/19/2025</i>
<i>Aaron L. Saunders</i>	<i>7th Hampden</i>	<i>4/2/2025</i>
<i>John Barrett, III</i>	<i>1st Berkshire</i>	<i>4/2/2025</i>
<i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>	<i>20th Middlesex</i>	<i>4/4/2025</i>

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By Representative Whipps of Athol, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1070) of Susannah M. Whipps and others relative to non-residents operating snowmobiles during a free snowmobile weekend. Environment and Natural Resources.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 924 OF 2023-2024.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)**  
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An Act to establish a free snowmobile weekend.

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

1 Chapter 90B of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 22 the  
2 following section:-

3 Section XX. “In conjunction with the Snowmobile Association of Massachusetts, or its  
4 successor organization, a three-day “free snowmobile weekend” shall be established annually by  
5 the Massachusetts Office of Law Enforcement on a mutually agreeable weekend during the  
6 winter snowmobiling season. For the purposes of this section a “free snowmobile weekend” is  
7 defined as Friday, Saturday, Sunday during which Massachusetts snowmobile registration and  
8 Trail Pass provided by the Snowmobile Association of Massachusetts or its appendant clubs is  
9 not required for non-residents to operate snowmobiles on public lands, or private lands under

- 10 agreement with the Snowmobile Association of Massachusetts or its appendant clubs, provided
- 11 said non-resident has proof of a valid registration in any state or Canadian province”.