

# HOUSE . . . . . No.

---

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

---

PRESENTED BY:

*Jeffrey N. Roy*

---

*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 bake sales, farmer's markets, or community festivals by political party committees.

---

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Jeffrey N. Roy</i>	<i>10th Norfolk</i>	<i>1/14/2025</i>

# HOUSE . . . . . No.

---

[Pin Slip]

---

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

\_\_\_\_\_  
In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)  
\_\_\_\_\_

An Act relative to bake sales, farmer’s markets, or community festivals by political party committees.

*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 of chapter 55 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official Edition, is  
2 hereby amended by inserting at the end of the definition of “contribution” the following sentence  
3 in line 72:-

4           It shall not include any payments in the aggregate of less than \$10,000 per calendar year  
5 made by individuals for food, beverages, or goods sold by a political party committee organized  
6 pursuant to G.L. c. 52, §§2 and 3 for a nominal price per item at events such as bake sales,  
7 farmer’s markets, or community festivals even if the purchase price exceeds the cost of the goods  
8 sold.