

SENATE No. 514

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul R. Feeney

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 protect the integrity of town meetings.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Paul R. Feeney

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Bristol and Norfolk

SENATE No. 514

By Mr. Feeney, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 514) of Paul R. Feeney for legislation to protect the integrity of town meetings. Election Laws.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 417 OF 2023-2024.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act to protect the integrity of town meetings.

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 32 of chapter 56 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official Edition,
- 2 is hereby amended by inserting, in line 3, after the word “vote” the following words:- or to
- 3 incentivize their attendance or absence at a town meeting.