

HOUSE No. 3957

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Stephen Kulik

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 Deerfield Area Fire Protection District to continue the employment of Fire Chief Chester Yazwinski.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Stephen Kulik

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

1st Franklin

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By Mr. Kulik of Worthington, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Stephen Kulik relative to the employment of Fire Chief Chester Yazwinski by the Deerfield Area Fire Protection District. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act authorizing the Deerfield Area Fire Protection District to continue the employment of Fire Chief Chester Yazwinski.

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 any general or special law to the contrary, Chester
2 Yazwinski, the fire chief of the Deerfield Area Fire Protection District, may continue in his
3 position or in the position of volunteer firefighter until he reaches the age of 70, the date of his
4 retirement or the date he is removed or suspended from office by the prudential committee of the
5 fire district in accordance with applicable laws, rules or regulations, whichever occurs first;
6 provided, that he remains physically and mentally capable of performing the duties of the
7 position. If requested, Chester Yazwinski shall, at the expense of the fire district, be examined by
8 an impartial physician designated by the prudential committee to determine his capacity. No
9 deductions shall be made from the regular compensation of Chester Yazwinski pursuant to
10 chapter 32 of the General Laws for any service subsequent to May 3, 2017 and upon retirement
11 Chester Yazwinski shall receive a superannuation retirement allowance equal to that which he
12 would have been entitled had he retired on May 3, 2017.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.