

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 4629**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Michael S. Day*

*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 amending the charter of the town of Stoneham to change the name of the board of selectmen.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Michael S. Day*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*31st Middlesex*

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By Mr. Day of Stoneham, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4629) of Michael S. Day (by vote of the town) that the town of Stoneham be authorized to amend the charter of said town to change the name of the board of selectmen. Municipalities and Regional Government. [Local Approval Received.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act amending the charter of the town of Stoneham to change the name of the board of selectmen.

*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. Section 2 of chapter 26 of the acts of 1981, as appearing in section 1 of  
2 chapter 296 of the acts of 1994 , is hereby amended by striking out the word “selectmen”, each  
3 time it appears except when preceded by the words “board of”, and inserting in place thereof the  
4 following words:- select board.

5           SECTION 2. Said section 2 of said chapter 26, as so appearing, is hereby further  
6 amended by striking out the words “board of selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the  
7 following words:- select board.

8           SECTION 3. Section 4 of said chapter 26, as appearing in section 2 of said chapter 296 of  
9 the acts of 1994, is hereby amended by striking out the words “board of selectmen” and inserting  
10 in place thereof the following words:- select board.

11 SECTION 4. Section 5 of said chapter 26, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking  
12 out the word “selectmen”, each time it appears except when preceded by the words “board of”,  
13 and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following words:- select board.

14 SECTION 5. Said section 5 of said chapter 26, as so appearing, is hereby further  
15 amended by striking out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in  
16 place thereof, in each instance, the following words:- select board.

17 SECTION 6. Section 6 of said chapter 26, as so appearing, is hereby amended by  
18 striking out the word “selectmen”, each time it appears, and inserting in place thereof, in each  
19 instance, the following words:- select board.

20 SECTION 7. Section 7 of said chapter 26, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking  
21 out the word “selectmen”, each time it appears, and inserting in place thereof, in each instance,  
22 the following words:- select board.

23 SECTION 8. Section 8 of said chapter 26, as so appearing, is hereby amended by  
24 striking out the word “selectmen”, each time it appears except when preceded by the words  
25 “board of”, and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following words:- select board.

26 SECTION 9. Said section 8 of said chapter 26, as so appearing, is hereby further  
27 amended by striking out the words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in  
28 place thereof, in each instance, the following words:- select board.

29 SECTION 10. Section 9 of said chapter 26, as so appearing, is hereby amended by  
30 striking out the word “selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words:- select  
31 board.

32 SECTION 11. Subsection (a) of section 10 of said chapter 26, as amended by chapter 91  
33 of the acts of 1996 , is hereby further amended by striking out the words “board of selectmen”  
34 and inserting in place thereof the following words:- select board.

35 SECTION 12. Subsections (b), (d) and (e) of said section 10 of said chapter 26, as  
36 appearing in section 3 of chapter 296 of the acts of 1994, are hereby amended by striking out the  
37 words “board of selectmen”, each time they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each  
38 instance, the following words:- select board.

39 SECTION 13. Subsections (f), (g) and (j) of said section 10 of said chapter 26, as so  
40 appearing, are hereby amended by striking out the word “selectmen”, each time it appears, and  
41 inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following words:- select board.

42 SECTION 14. Subsections (f) and (l) of said section 10 of said chapter 26, as so  
43 appearing, are hereby amended by striking out the word “selectmen’s”, each time it appears, and  
44 inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following words:- select board’s.

45 SECTION 15. Section 12 of said chapter 26, as appearing in section 4 of chapter 296 of  
46 the acts of 1994, is hereby amended by striking out the word “selectmen” and inserting in place  
47 thereof the following words:- select board.

48 SECTION 16. Section 13 of said chapter 26, as most recently amended by chapter 23 of  
49 the acts of 2003 , is hereby amended by striking out the words “board of selectmen”, each time  
50 they appear, and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following words:- select board.

51           SECTION 17. Section 14 of said chapter 26, as appearing in section 4 of chapter 296 of  
52 the acts of 1994, is hereby amended by striking out the words “board of selectmen” and inserting  
53 in place thereof the following words:- select board.

54           SECTION 18. Section 15 of said chapter 26, as so appearing, is hereby amended by  
55 striking out the word “selectmen” and inserting in place thereof the following words:- select  
56 board.

57           SECTION 19. Section 16 of said chapter 26, as so appearing, is hereby amended by  
58 striking out the word “selectmen”, each time it appears, and inserting in place thereof, in each  
59 instance, the following words:- select board.

60           SECTION 20. This act shall take effect upon its passage.