

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2563**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Paul McMurtry***

*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 interest on property tax bills.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>
<i>Carlos Gonzalez</i>	<i>10th Hampden</i>
<i>Alice Hanlon Peisch</i>	<i>14th Norfolk</i>
<i>John J. Lawn, Jr.</i>	<i>10th Middlesex</i>

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By Mr. McMurtry of Dedham, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2563) of Paul McMurtry and others for legislation to reduce the interest rate on overdue property tax bills to two percent annually. Revenue.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2624 OF 2017-2018.]

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)  
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An Act relative to interest on property tax bills.

*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 57 of chapter 59 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended, in line 11, by striking out the word “fourteen” and inserting  
3 in place thereof the figure “2”.

4 SECTION 2. Section 57A of said chapter 59, as so appearing, is hereby amended, in line  
5 7, by striking out the word “fourteen” and inserting in place thereof the figure “2”.

6 SECTION 3. Section 57B of said chapter 59, as so appearing, is hereby amended, in line  
7 7, by striking out the word “fourteen” and inserting in place thereof the figure “2”.

8 SECTION 4. Section 57C of said chapter 59, as so appearing, is hereby amended, in line  
9 144, by striking out the word “fourteen” and inserting in place thereof the figure “2”.