

HOUSE No. 2836

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John D. Keenan and Linda Campbell

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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to the annual observance of Massachusetts Women’s Defense Corps Remembrance Day .

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>John D. Keenan</i>	<i>7th Essex</i>
<i>Linda Campbell</i>	<i>15th Essex</i>
<i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>	<i>20th Middlesex</i>
<i>Cory Atkins</i>	<i>14th Middlesex</i>
<i>Christine E. Canavan</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>
<i>Michael F. Rush</i>	<i>Norfolk and Suffolk</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>
<i>Kate Hogan</i>	<i>3rd Middlesex</i>

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By Representatives Keenan of Salem and Campbell of Methuen, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2836) of John D. Keenan and others relative to the annual observance of Massachusetts Women’s Defense Corps Remembrance Day . State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen
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An Act relative to the annual observance of Massachusetts Women’s Defense Corps Remembrance Day .

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. Chapter 6 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section
2 1500000 the following section:-

3 Section 15PPPPP. The governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting apart April
4 2nd as the Massachusetts Women’s Defense Corps Remembrance Day, in recognition of the
5 generous contributions of the approximately 18,000 women who volunteered to train as air raid
6 wardens, drivers, communications personnel, canteen workers medics, chemical detections
7 personnel and as emergency fire fighters, and recommending that the day be observed in an
8 appropriate manner by the people.