

HOUSE No. 3476

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Susannah M. Whipps

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 providing for a Red Shield/Blue Shield license plate to survivors of firefighters and police officers who have died in the line of duty.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Susannah M. Whipps</i>	<i>2nd Franklin</i>	<i>1/18/2023</i>
<i>Vanna Howard</i>	<i>17th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/1/2023</i>

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By Representative Whipps of Athol, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3476) of Susannah M. Whipps and Vanna Howard relative to providing for a red shield/blue shield license plate to survivors of firefighters and police officers who died in the line of duty. Transportation.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3630 OF 2021-2022.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court
(2023-2024)**

An Act providing for a Red Shield/Blue Shield license plate to survivors of firefighters and police officers who have died in the line of duty.

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 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, after paragraph twenty, the following
3 paragraph:-

4 The registrar shall furnish without charge to the owner of a private passenger motor
5 vehicle who is a parent, child, sibling, grandchild or spouse of a paid professional firefighter or
6 call firefighter or police officer or reserve police officer who has died in the line-of-duty, upon
7 presentation of satisfactory evidence of such status as determined by the registrar, a distinctive
8 license plate bearing a design approved by the Registrar.