

HOUSE No. 548

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Thomas M. Stanley

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 meals on wheels.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Thomas M. Stanley	9th Middlesex
Thomas P. Kennedy	Second Plymouth and Bristol
Bruce E. Tarr	First Essex and Middlesex
Richard J. Ross	9th Norfolk
Benjamin Swan	11th Hampden
Brian A. Joyce	Norfolk, Bristol and Plymouth
Michael F. Rush	10th Suffolk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO MEALS ON WHEELS.

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 law or special rule to the contrary, the Department of
2 Elder Affairs, in consultation with the Department of Public Health, shall establish rules and
3 regulations to conduct a program, in addition to or in conjunction with programs incorporated in
4 Section 37 of Chapter 19A, to provide meals to authorized elderly persons with special dietary
5 needs, including, but not limited to diabetes.

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