

HOUSE No. 00892

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 establishing a municipal library facilities loan fund.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Thomas M. Stanley

9th Middlesex

Chris Walsh

6th Middlesex

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By Mr. Stanley of Waltham, petition (accompanied by [legType], House, No. 00892) of Thomas M. Stanley and Chris Walsh relative to establishing a municipal library facilities loan fund. Joint Committee on Tourism, Arts and Cultural Development.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE
□ HOUSE
□ , NO. 3784 OF 2009-2010.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act establishing a municipal library facilities loan fund.

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Chapter 29 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 2000 the
2 following section: — Section 2PPP. There is hereby established and set up on the books of the
3 commonwealth a separate fund to be known as the Municipal Library Facilities Loan Fund.
4 There shall be credited to said fund such amounts as may appropriated or transferred by the
5 general court. Monies credited to the fund shall, under the control of the Massachusetts Board of
6 Library Commissioners, to make no interest loans to cities and towns for the construction of
7 library facilities, including the construction or purchase of public parking facilities. All loans
8 should be repaid to the commonwealth not later than 20 years after any such loan is made. The

9 method of repayment of such loans shall be through a deduction made on a recipient city or

10 towns cherry sheet, so-called.