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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**James Cantwell**

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*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 community preservation funds for seawall repairs.

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| James Cantwell | 4th Plymouth |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 776 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act relative to community preservation funds for seawall repairs.

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

 SECTION 1.  Section 6 of chapter 44B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 6, the word “and”.

SECTION 2.  Section 6 of chapter 44B of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “housing”, in line 7, the following words:-

And in coastal communities that adopt the provisions of this act, not less than 10 per cent for the preservation of public infrastructure through beach nourishment, dune restoration, and seawall maintenance and reconstruction.