

HOUSE No. 1942

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, May 16, 1946.

The committee on Municipal Finance, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1856) of the Shelburne Recreation Commission and others that the towns of Shelburne and Buckland be authorized to jointly establish and maintain recreation centers in either, or both of said towns and to appropriate money therefor, report the accompanying bill (House, No. 1942).

For the committee,

ERNEST A. JOHNSON.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWNS OF SHELBURNE AND BUCKLAND TO JOINTLY ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN RECREATION CENTERS IN EITHER OR BOTH OF SAID TOWNS, AND TO APPROPRIATE MONEY THEREFOR.

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. The towns of Shelburne and Buckland
2 may jointly establish and maintain one or more recrea-
3 tion centers in either or both of said towns and each
4 of said towns may appropriate money therefor. Such
5 center or centers shall be under the control of a recrea-
6 tion commission consisting of five citizens of each of
7 said towns to be appointed by the respective selectmen
8 thereof. The initial membership of said commission
9 shall be established by the appointment by the respec-
10 tive selectmen of said towns of the members thereof
11 as follows: — two to serve until the next annual town
12 election, two to serve until the annual town election
13 in the year nineteen hundred and forty-eight, two to
14 serve until the annual town election in the year nine-
15 teen hundred and forty-nine, two to serve until the
16 annual town election in the year nineteen hundred
17 and fifty and two to serve until the annual town
18 election in the year nineteen hundred and fifty-one.
19 Upon the expiration of the terms of office of the

20 members of said commission, their respective succes-
21 sors shall be elected by the voters of their respective
22 towns for terms of five years each. Except as otherwise
23 provided herein, the establishment and maintenance
24 of such recreation center or centers shall be subject
25 to section fourteen of chapter forty-five of the General
26 Laws.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its
2 passage.

