

HOUSE No. 166

At the request of Mr. Carroll of Revere, taken from the files of the preceding year. Rules (Joint).

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty-Three.

Resolve providing for an Investigation by a Special Board relative to Construction, Repair, Alteration or Reconstruction of a Bridge over Mystic River between the Cities of Boston and Chelsea.

1 *Resolved*, That an unpaid special board, to con-
2 sist of the commissioner of public works of the city
3 of Boston or some person designated by him, the
4 mayor of the city of Chelsea or some person desig-
5 nated by him, the mayor of the city of Revere or
6 some person designated by him, one senator ap-
7 pointed by the president of the senate, and one
8 representative appointed by the speaker of the house
9 of representatives, is hereby established.

10 Said board shall make and prepare surveys, esti-
11 mates of cost, plans and specifications for the con-
12 struction of a new bridge with or without draws for
13 vehicular and foot traffic and/or, the repair, altera-
14 tion or reconstruction of the present bridge over the
15 Mystic river from a point at or near City square in
16 the Charlestown district of the city of Boston to a
17 point at or near Chelsea square in the city of
18 Chelsea and may expend therefor a sum not exceeding

19 five thousand dollars of which seventy-five per cent
20 shall be paid by the city of Boston, fifteen per cent
21 by the city of Chelsea and ten per cent by the city
22 of Revere. It shall also inquire as to whether the
23 said bridge in view of its serving a main route of
24 travel should be taken over and maintained by the
25 commonwealth.

26 Said board shall report to the general court the
27 results of its investigation and its recommendations,
28 if any, with plans of a new bridge or for the repair,
29 alteration, or reconstruction of the present bridge
30 which it may recommend, including the cost, and in
31 view of the municipalities served by such bridge,
32 by which municipalities such cost is to be borne,
33 together with drafts of legislation to carry such
34 recommendations into effect, by filing the same with
35 the clerk of the house of representatives on or before
36 the first Wednesday in December in the current year.