

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 2459

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By Mr. Mullaly of Millville, petition of Charles A. Mullaly, Jr., that the Department of Public Works be directed to construct sidewalks on Route 16 in the town of Mendon. Highways and Motor Vehicles.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Two.

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### AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS TO CONSTRUCT CERTAIN SIDEWALKS IN THE TOWN OF MENDON.

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

1 The department of public works is hereby authorized and  
2 directed to construct sidewalks on Route 16 in the town of  
3 Mendon on the north side of said route beginning at Kelley's  
4 corner, so called, and proceeding westerly to the intersection of  
5 Route 16 and Hartford avenue in the said town of Mendon,  
6 and to expend for such purpose such sum of money as may be  
7 appropriated therefor.

Special Committee on Education

Report of the Committee on the State of Education

The Commission on the State of Education has the honor to submit to the Legislature its report on the progress of the work of the Commission during the past year. The Commission has been organized since the passage of the Act of March 1, 1901, and has since that time been engaged in a study of the various questions connected with the improvement of the public schools of this State. It has held numerous public hearings, and has received many suggestions from the teachers, parents, and the public generally. It has also conducted extensive investigations into the various phases of the educational problem, and has prepared a number of reports on these subjects. The Commission believes that the public schools of this State are in a better condition than ever before, and that the progress made during the past year is a credit to the State and to the people. It believes that the further improvement of the public schools is a matter of the highest importance, and that it is the duty of the Legislature to take prompt and effective action to secure the best possible results. The Commission recommends that the Legislature should continue to support the public schools, and should take such steps as may be necessary to improve them. It also recommends that the Commission be continued, and that it be authorized to continue its investigations and reports.