

By Mr. Volterra of Attleboro, petition of Max Volterra that cities and towns be authorized to appropriate money for the construction and maintenance of artificial ice-skating rinks and the establishment and maintenance of community mental health programs and home health care agencies. Local Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Four.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING TOWNS TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES.

By 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. Section 5 of chapter 40 of the General Laws is
2 hereby amended by striking out clause (48), as amended by
3 section 1 of chapter 73 of the acts of 1959, and inserting in place
4 thereof the following clause:—

5 (48) For the construction, maintenance and operation of an
6 artificial ice-skating rink for which refrigeration equipment is
7 required, and for the leasing thereof: provided, however, that the
8 cost of maintenance and operation of said artificial ice-skating
9 rink including maturing debt and interest, shall be defrayed by
10 charges established by the city or town upon persons using said
11 rink.

1 SECTION 2. Section 5 of chapter 40 of the General Laws is
2 hereby amended by inserting after clause (67), as added by
3 chapter 480 of the acts of 1973, the following clauses:—

4 (68) For the purpose of establishing and maintaining com-
5 munity mental health programs.

6 (69) For the purpose of establishing and maintaining home
7 health care agencies.

