

By Mr. Straus of Mattapoisett, petition of Bryan D. Wood, William M. Straus, Mark C. Montigny and others (by vote of the town) relative to the appointment of harbormaster, assistant harbormasters, shellfish warden and assistant shellfish wardens in the town of Fairhaven. Local Affairs. [Local Approval Received.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Nine.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE HARBORMASTER, ASSISTANT HARBORMASTERS, SHELLFISH WARDEN AND ASSISTANT SHELLFISH WARDENS OF THE TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN.

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. Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or
2 special law to the contrary, the Harbormaster, Assistant Harbor-
3 masters, Shellfish Warden and Assistant Shellfish Wardens for the
4 Town of Fairhaven shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen
5 of the Town of Fairhaven for terms not less than one nor more
6 than three years, and any of them may be removed for cause by
7 the Board of Selectmen prior to the expiration of the term.

1 SECTION 2. The provisions of this Act shall apply to each of
2 the present incumbent Harbormaster, Assistant Harbormasters,
3 Shellfish Warden and Assistant Shellfish Wardens, except that
4 each of their current terms in office shall expire on the date origi-
5 nally indicated at the time of this appointment to that term, or
6 three years from the date of that appointment, whichever is earlier.

