

# HOUSE....No. 152.

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[Reported, in the Senate, by the Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.]

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## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty.

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### R E S O L V E S

In relation to the Preservation of Cape Cod Harbor.

*Whereas*, It has been made to appear to this Legislature, that "Cape Cod Harbor," within this Commonwealth, is being greatly injured by the drifting of loose sand from the beach into said harbor, by which, or by other causes, the current of the tide is undermining and wearing away said beach, which is the only barrier between the harbor and the ocean, and which, if once removed, will effectually destroy said harbor; and whereas, said "Cape Cod Harbor" is of immense importance to our national and commercial marine, therefore,

*Resolved*, That the Senators and Representatives of this Commonwealth, in the Congress of the United States, be, and they hereby are requested, to use their endeavors to procure an appropriation by Congress, for the purpose of preventing the destruction of "Cape Cod Harbor," in this Commonwealth.

*Resolved*, That his Excellency the Governor, be, and he hereby is requested to transmit to each of the Senators and Representatives of this Commonwealth, in Congress, a copy of the foregoing Resolution.

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IN SENATE, April 9, 1850.

Passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

CHAS. CALHOUN, *Clerk.*