Introduced By: Councilor Jesse Gordon May 8, 2023

Authorization By The Randolph Town Council To Petition The General Court To Enact Special Legislation Regarding The Status of The City Known As The Town Of Randolph As A Gateway Municipality

The Randolph Town Council hereby authorizes a petition to the General Court to enact special legislation regarding the status of the City Know As The Town of Randolph as a Gateway Municipality, said special legislation to be in a form that is substantially as presented below, and authorizes the Town Manager to take any action necessary in connection with the submission of said petition, and further authorizes the General Court to make clerical or editorial changes of form to the proposed special legislation:

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE STATUS OF THE CITY KNOWN AS THE TOWN OF RANDOLPH AS A GATEWAY MUNICIPALITY.

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

SECTION 1. As used in this act, the following words shall have the following meanings unless the context clearly requires otherwise:-

"Gateway municipality", a municipality with a population greater than 35,000 and less than 250,000 with a median household income below the commonwealth's average and a rate of educational attainment of a bachelor's degree or above that is below the commonwealth's average, as defined in section 3A of chapter 23A of the General Laws.

"Town", the city known as the town of Randolph.

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding section 3A of chapter 23A of the General Laws or any other general or special law to the contrary, the town shall henceforth be deemed a gateway municipality for all purposes under the General Laws.

SECTION 3.	This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved ______.