

## **S71, H1313 - An Act Promoting Restorative Justice Practices**

## **LEGISLATIVE BRIEFING**

*Lead Senate Sponsor: S71 Senator Jamie Eldridge*

*Lead House Sponsor: H1313 Representative Sean Garballey*

The individuals and agencies listed below support the passage of SB71 and H1313.

### **Law Enforcement Community**

**Acton** MA Police Chief Francis J. Widmayer, III  
**Arlington** MA Police Chief Frederick Ryan  
**Bedford** MA Police Chief Robert Bongiorno  
**Boxborough** MA Police Chief Warren B. Ryder  
**Cambridge** MA Police Commissioner Robert C. Haas  
**Carlisle** MA Police Chief John C. Fisher  
**Concord** MA Police Chief Joseph F. O'Connor  
**Groton** MA Police Chief Donald Palma, Jr.  
**Lexington** MA Police Chief Mark J. Corr  
**Littleton** MA Police Chief Matthew J. King  
**Moltonborough** NH Police Chief Lenonard J. Wetherbee, Jr. (**Concord** MA Police Chief, ret.)  
**Stow** MA Police Chief William Bosworth  
**Wellesley** MA Police Chief Terrence M. Cunningham

### **Massachusetts Major City Chiefs Association**

Arlington	Mass. Bay
Barnstable	Mass. State Police
Beverly	Medford
Boston	Methuen
Brockton	New Bedford
Brookline	Peabody
Cambridge	Pittsfield
Chelsea	Quincy
Everett	Revere
Fitchburg	Salem
Framingham	Somerville
Haverhill	Springfield
Holyoke	Taunton
Lawrence	Transit Authority
Lowell	Waltham
Lynn	Woburn
Malden	Worcester

### **Human Service, Restorative Justice, Faith Groups**

Communities for Restorative Justice, **Concord**  
Dismas House of Massachusetts, Inc., **Worcester**  
Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ  
Massachusetts Housing and Shelter Alliance, **Boston**  
Massachusetts Restorative Justice Collaborative  
Restorative Justice and Practices of **New Bedford**  
School Mediation Associates, **Watertown**  
Unitarian Universalist Urban Ministry, **Roxbury**  
United Teen Equality Center, **Lowell**  
Worcester Homeless Action Committee, **Worcester**

### **Universities/Academics**

Religion and Conflict Transformation Program,  
**School of Theology, Boston University**  
Center for Restorative Justice, **Suffolk University**  
Center for Peace, Democracy, and Development  
Department of Conflict Resolution,  
Human Security, and Global Governance  
McCormack Graduate School of Policy and Global  
Studies, **University of Massachusetts, Boston**  
Transformational Prison Project,  
**University of Massachusetts, Boston**  
Restorative Justice Juvenile Mediation Project,  
**University of Massachusetts, Boston**

### **Municipalities**

**Cambridge** City Council

### **Other Criminal Justice Agencies/Individuals**

First Justice Bettina Borders (Bristol County)  
Hon. John Cratsley (ret. Superior Court and Dist. Court)