

STATE REPRESENTATIVE STEVEN G. XIARHOS

BEACON HILL BRIEF

February In-Review

March 7, 2023



Hi Friends,

Welcome to the February edition of my monthly newsletter where you can review some of last month's highlights as your 5th Barnstable State Representative. For a more in-depth weekly breakdown, I release a report every Wednesday sharing my weekly highlights across our district.



As always, my office remains committed to having constituent services as our number one priority. If you are having issues with Unemployment, the RMV, or any other state agency, please contact us directly and we will assist you in whatever way we can. I can be reached at my email: Steven.Xiarhos@mahouse.gov or by phone: (617) 722-2488. Please do not hesitate to reach out.

WELCOME

Yours in Service,

Steven G. Xiarhos

**MA 3RD BATTALION 126TH
AVIATION REGIMENT
DEPLOYMENT
CEREMONY**

2/5/23



**CIVIL AIR PATROL AMELIA
EARHART AWARD CEREMONY
AT JBCC**

2/8/23



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**US MARINE CPL NGX MEMORIAL
BLOOD DRIVE WEEKEND**

2/11/23



**AMERICAN RED CROSS EVENT
AT THE STATE HOUSE**

2/16/23



**COATS4VETS IN BOURNE AT VFW
APTUCKET POST 5988**

2/18/23



**IWO JIMA REMEMBRANCE DAY
AT THE STATE HOUSE**

2/21/23



**NERO'S LAW TRAINING AT K9 SGT
SEAN GANNON TRAINING CENTER
AT YPD**

2/22/23



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**DIAPERS4THEDISTRICT
DAY**

2/28/23



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193rd General Court Committee Appointments



Xiarhos Appointed to Serve on Four Key Legislative Committees

Service to Include Membership on Ways and Means Committee

BOSTON, MA. – State Representative Steven Xiarhos (R-5th Barnstable) is pleased to announce that he has been appointed to serve as a member of the Joint Committee on Ways and Means for the 2023-2024 Legislative Session.

As a member of the Ways and Means Committee, Xiarhos will play a crucial role in shaping the state's budget and fiscal policies, including laws regarding revenue, and making recommendations on state expenditures. In this capacity, Xiarhos will be well-positioned to work on policies that have a direct impact on the economic well-being and prosperity of Cape Cod residents.

In addition to serving on Ways and Means Committee, Xiarhos will also

serve as the Ranking Minority Member on the Joint Committee on Veterans & Federal Affairs, Assistant Ranking Minority Member on the Joint Committee on Public Safety & Homeland Security, and as member of the Joint Committee on Mental Health, Substance Use & Recovery.

“I appreciate the opportunity to work directly on issues that affect the economic prosperity, public safety, and well-being of the people who live in the 5th Barnstable District.”

Xiarhos was assigned to serve on legislative committees by House Minority Leader Bradley H. Jones, Jr. (R – North Reading), who praised Xiarhos’ work to date as a member of the Legislature since 2021.

Nero's Law in Connecticut



On Valentines Day, I had the honor of visiting the Connecticut General Assembly to testify in favor of CT Senate Bill 932, which would allow emergency medical personnel to treat and transport police dogs injured in the line of duty. I was proud to join Sean Gannon's mother Denise, MA State Trooper and US Marine Veteran Chris Johnson, and Connecticut State Representative Tony Scott to testify on behalf of Sgt. Gannon & Nero's story and of the bipartisan success we've had passing Nero's Law in MA.



It was a deeply powerful and emotional day, and a wonderful opportunity to speak on all of the good that Nero's Law has already done to protect police canines here in Massachusetts. We hope Connecticut will join MA, RI, and other states who have already passed this crucial piece of legislation soon.

JOIN US!



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