Massachusetts

Nickname.............................................................................................................The Bay State
Motto........................................................................................................Ense Petit Placidam Sub Liberate Quiem
(By the Sword We Seek Peace, but Peace Only under Liberty)
Flower........................................................................................................Mayflower (Epipigaea repens)
Bird.........................................................................................................................Chickadee
Tree................................................................................................................American Elm
Song................................................................................................................All Hail to Massachusetts
Entered the Union..........................................................................................February 6, 1788
Capital..................................................................................................................Boston

STATISTICS

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<th>Land Area (square miles)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Population</td>
<td>6,692,824</td>
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<td>Density per square mile</td>
<td>858.0</td>
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<td>Capital City</td>
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<td>Population</td>
<td>636,479</td>
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<td>Largest City</td>
<td>Boston</td>
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<td>Number of Representatives in Congress</td>
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<td>Number of Geographic Counties</td>
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<td>Number of County Governments</td>
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<td>Number of Consolidated Governments</td>
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<td>Number of Municipal Governments</td>
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*Seven counties have been abolished and are only geographic in nature.

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Legislative Body ..............................................General Court
President of the Senate ........................................Therese Murray
President Pro Tem of the Senate .........................Richard Moore
Speaker of the House ..........................................Robert A. DeLeo
Clerk of the House .............................................Steven T. James

Number of Senators.............................................40
Number of Representatives.............................160

EXECUTIVE BRANCH

Governor .........................................................Deval Patrick
Lieutenant Governor ........................................Vacant
Secretary of State .............................................William F. Galvin
(Secretary of the Commonwealth)
Attorney General ..............................................Martha Coakley
Treasurer .............................................................Steve Grossman
(Treasurer & Receiver General)
Auditor .................................................................Suzanne Bump
State Comptroller .........................................Martin J. Benison (Comptroller)

Governor’s Present Term...............................1/2007 – 1/2015
Number of Elected Officials in the Executive Branch | 6
Number of Members in the Cabinet .....................10

JUDICIAL BRANCH

Highest Court ...............................................Supreme Judicial Court
Supreme Court Chief Justice.............................Roderick L. Ireland
Number of Supreme Court Judges .....................7
Number of Intermediate Appellate Court Judges ....28
Number of U.S. Court Districts.........................11
U.S. Circuit Court .............................................1st Circuit