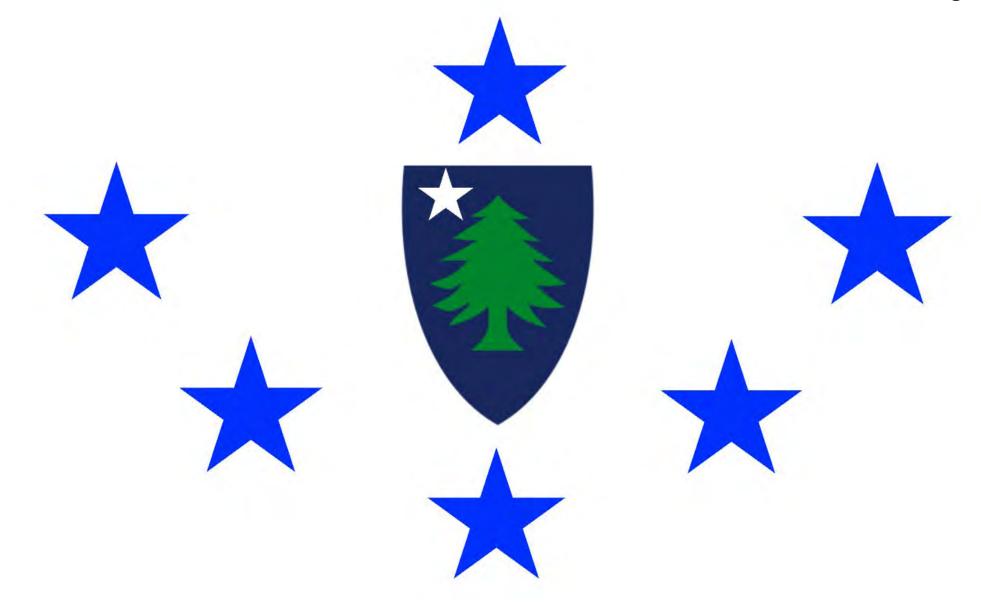
# Seal, Flag, and Motto Submissions Deck



Flag Submission



#### Seal Submission



Motto Submission.

Massachusetts home of free because of the brave



Seal, Flag, Motto Submission.







Star represents Statehood Pine tree represents MA landscape Native American is a symbol to the Massachusetts tribe Shield is representative of the English

#### **New Banner Slogan:**

By sea we seek peace, but peace under liberty.

#### Old Banner Slogan:

By the sword we seek peace, but peace under liberty.

The new slogan is written to consider the journey to liberty by immigrants. I removed the arrows from the Native's hand, which is representative of being "docile".









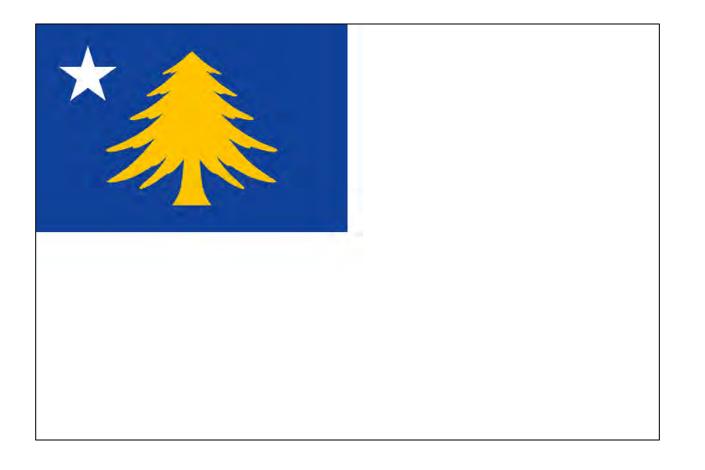


- 1. Ubuntu: I am because we are.
- 2. Onward and upward, united together.

Worked for the commonwealth for over 41 years I personally seen the compassion thoughtfulness and caring the commonwealth provides daily to its residents. **Live educate enjoy provide and care.** In the commonwealth. .... The civil war differently should have a flair within the flag. Along with life altering devices mass offered to the world if any. The strong educational Work and Enjoyment ethics all residents enjoy. Ideas should not lean to only one aspect of residents.

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WHITE background with the GREEN PINE TREE. - the old Appeal To Heaven flag design. It says a lot!



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The flag should have an image of the famous ship USS Constitution.

I have several ideas
Paul Revere on his horse
Minuteman statue
Old North Church lantern

## Melius praeteritum futurum intelligendo facimus.

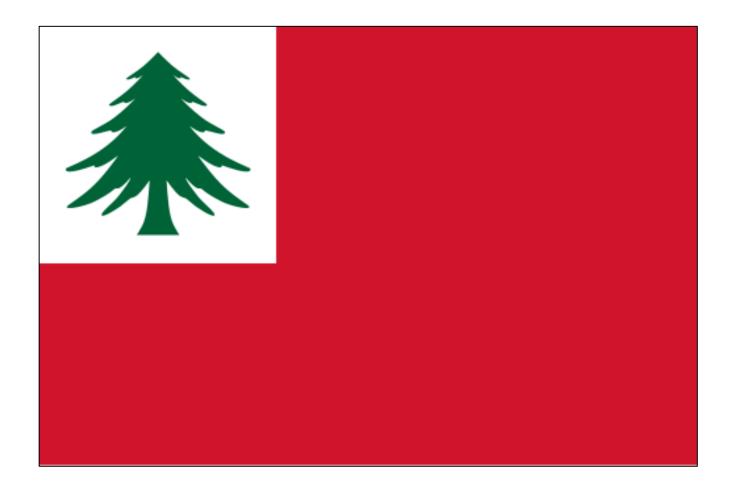
Translated from Latin:

"By understanding the past, we make a better future."

A golden codfish on a blue field. Simple, profound, and noncontroversial.

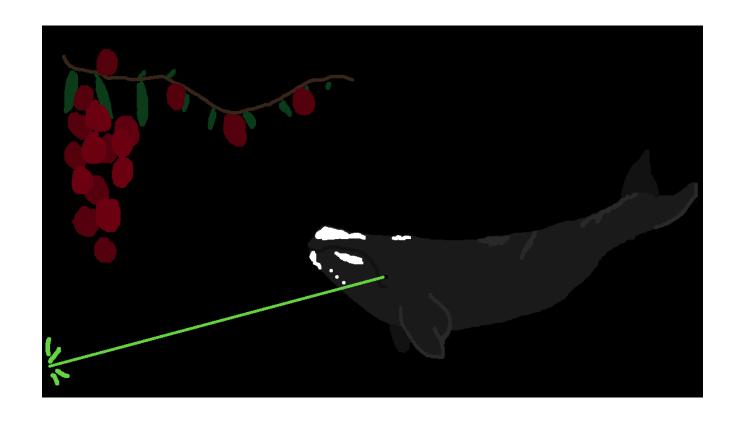
Flag and Seal Submission

Please do not erase my ancestors from the flag/seal. Doing so would be disrespectful and racist, not that I should expect anything less from MA people.



Seal and Flag Submission

- Mayflower ship in the middle, banner around the ship
- The Mayflower the beginning of the American Dream



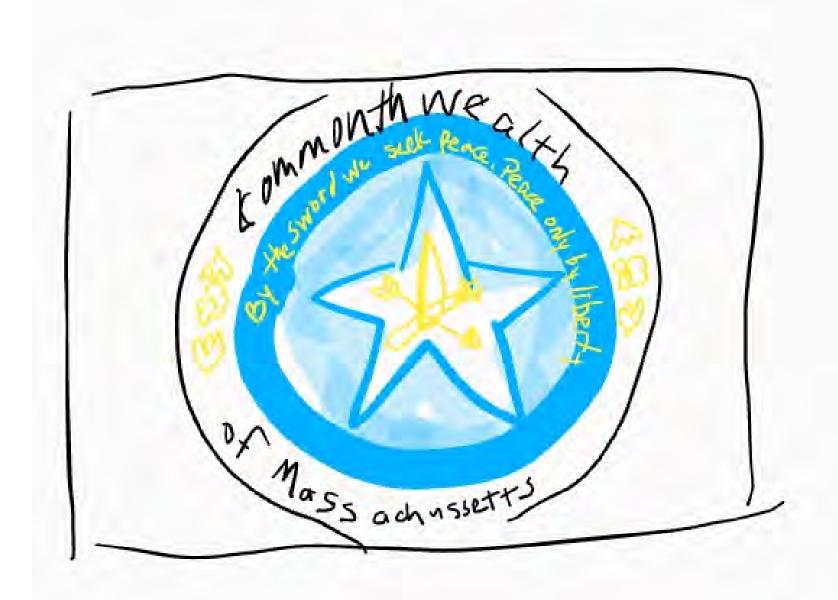
The seal is a stylized outline of an Atlantic Cod (Gadus morhua), white and gold against a blue background. The flag features this same seal in the center, also white on blue in the colors of the current state flag. The motto is "In Cod We Trust."

• "Radicatus in doctrina, ad innovationem pertingens." (Rooted in learning, reaching for innovation)

 Would pair nicely with literature or tree-themed imagery.



Flag Submission



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#### Seal and Motto Submission



# Aequalitas. Diversitas. Libertas.

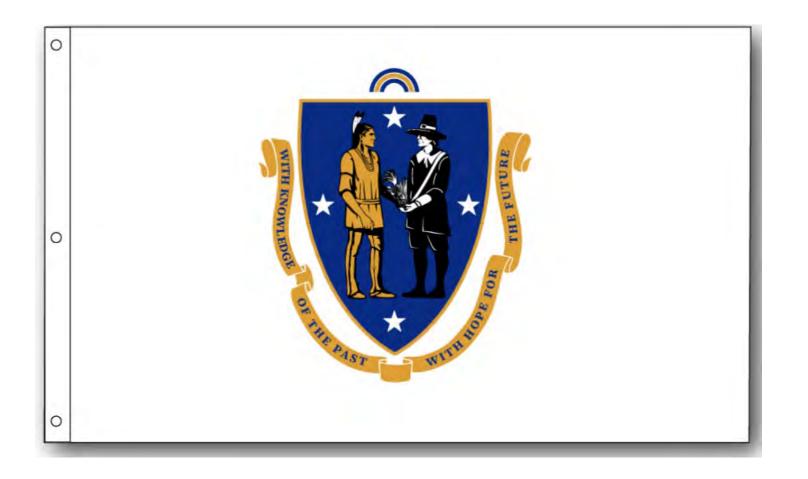
These are the latin words for the ideals we uphold in our Commonwealth; equality, diversity, and freedom. If we recite these ideals, we may continue to embed them into our communities.

I believe that the Forefathers Monument ...would a great choice for the flag and or seal .....the monument was conceived in 1820 with the Establishing of the Pilgrim Society and in 1850 the society resolved to build a monument....Hammatt Billings was hired as the architect ...the cornerstone was laid in 1859....the pedestal was completed in 1875 and Faith was put in place in 1877... the monument was dedicated in 1889 it has stood in the same location for more then 100 years...Faith symbolizes Virtue which inspired the Pilgrims journey to the New World.... Figures of Morality...Education, Law and Liberty ... Stand around the base .....and the Pilgrim Society was caretaker of the monument until several years ago the monument was Transferred to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and stands in Pilgrim Memorial Park....the message she sends and represents is very basic but can be applied to todays needs ..... She is a symbol that would be good for the state ....

#### Seal and Motto Submission



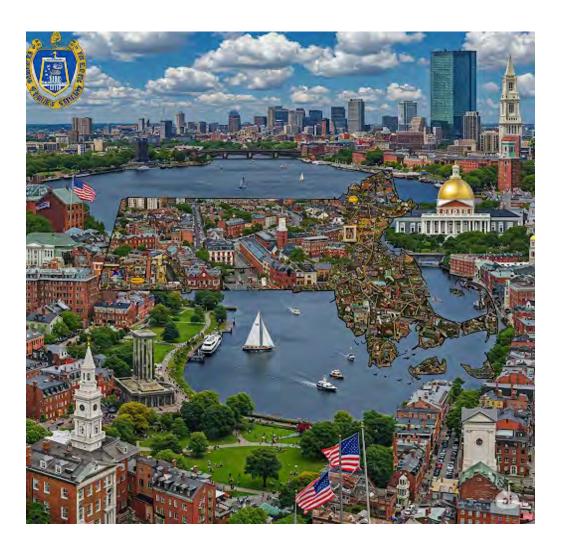
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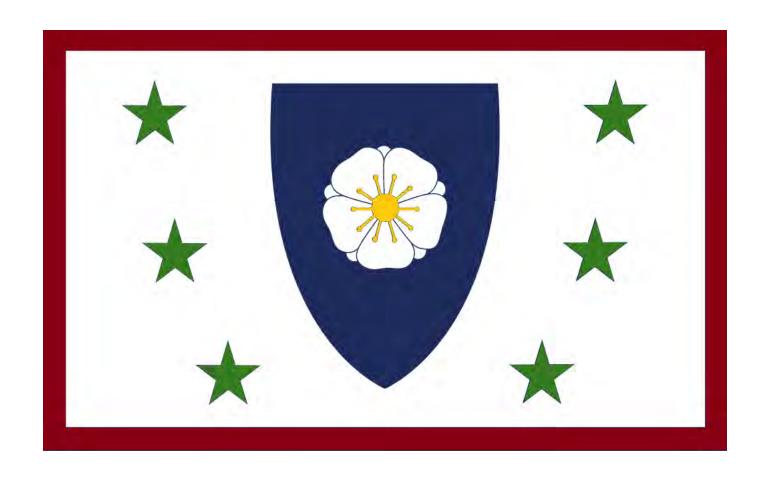


#### Seal Submission





Rooted in History, Growing in Innovation.





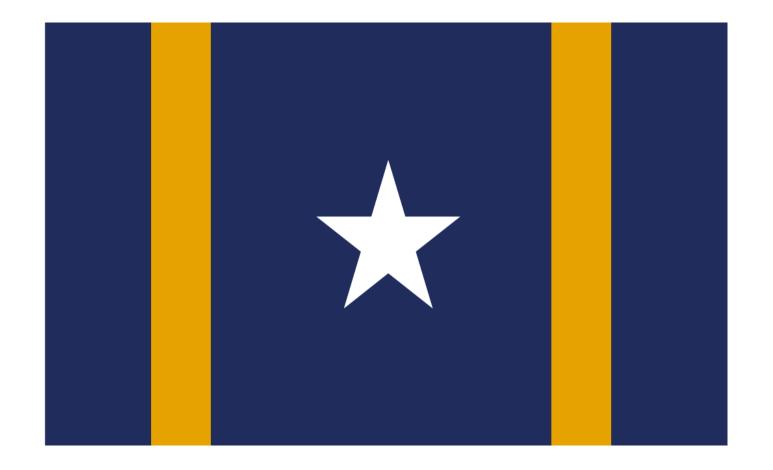


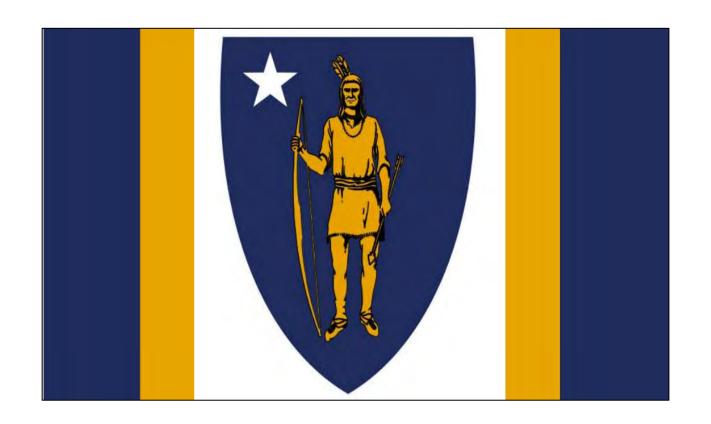
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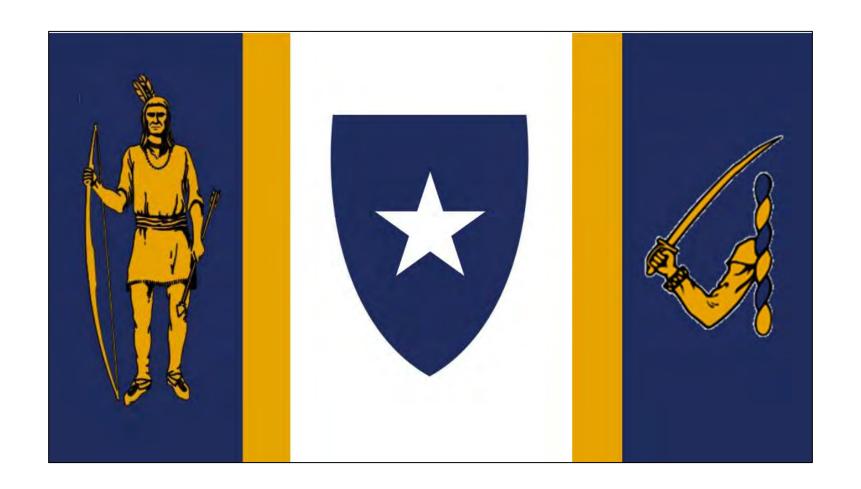
Manu haec inimical tyrannis

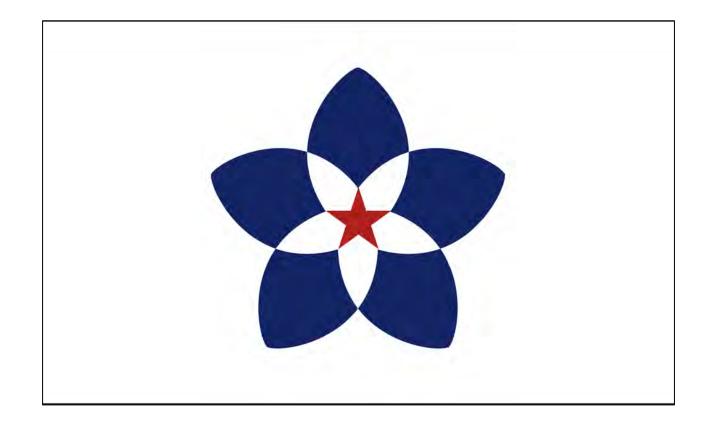
(this land is hostile to tyrants)

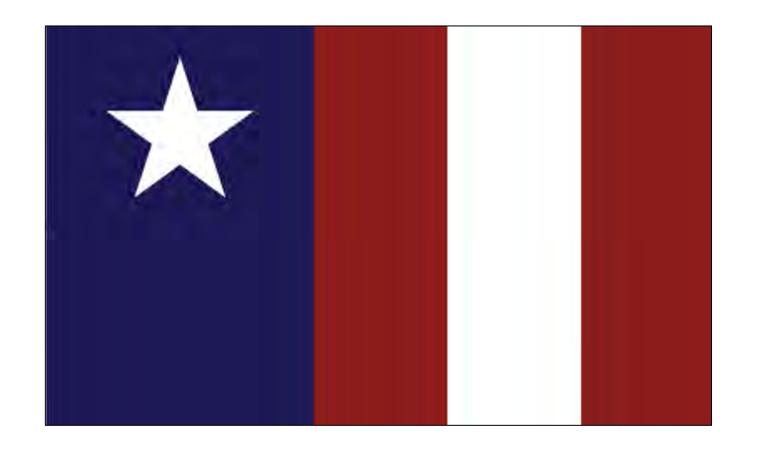
It should feature the New England pine tree and the actual colors of Massachusetts, not Boston

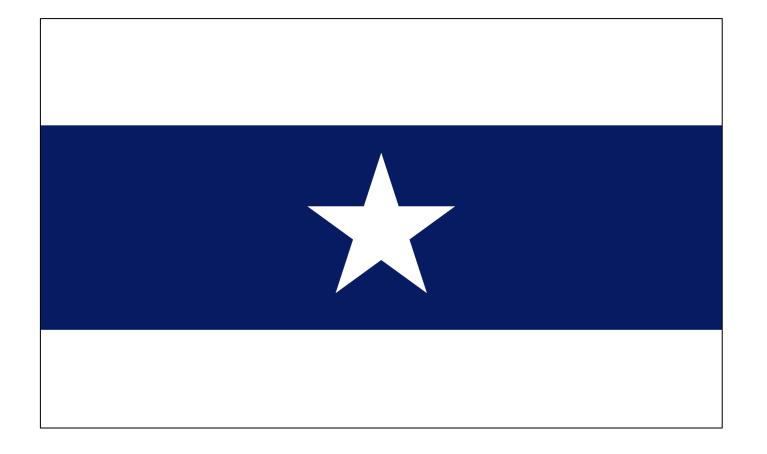


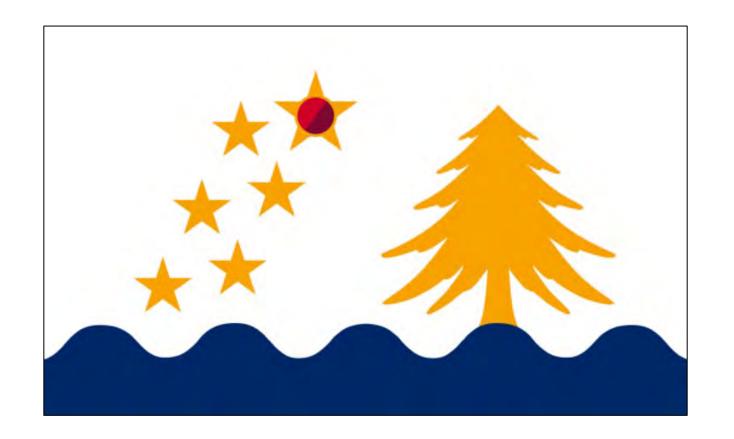




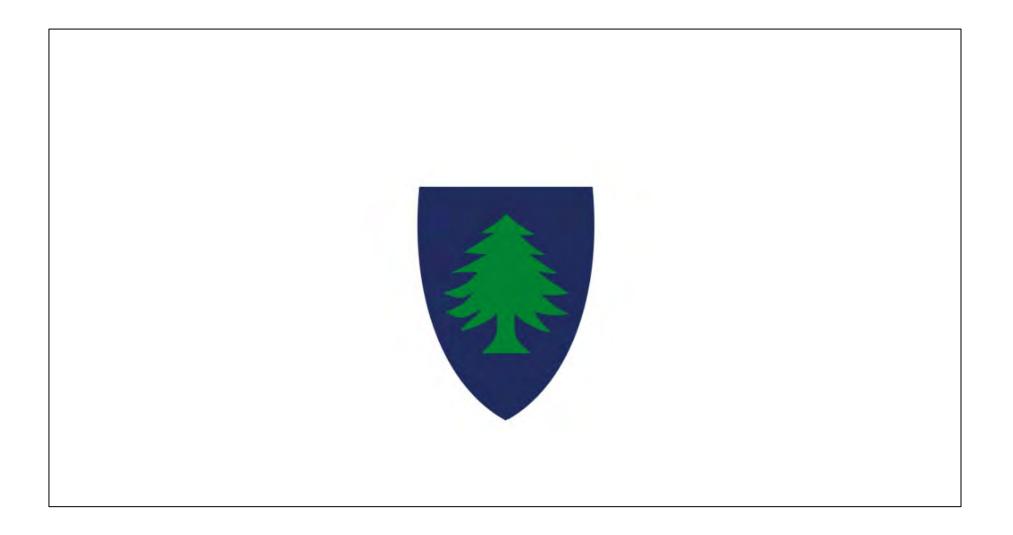








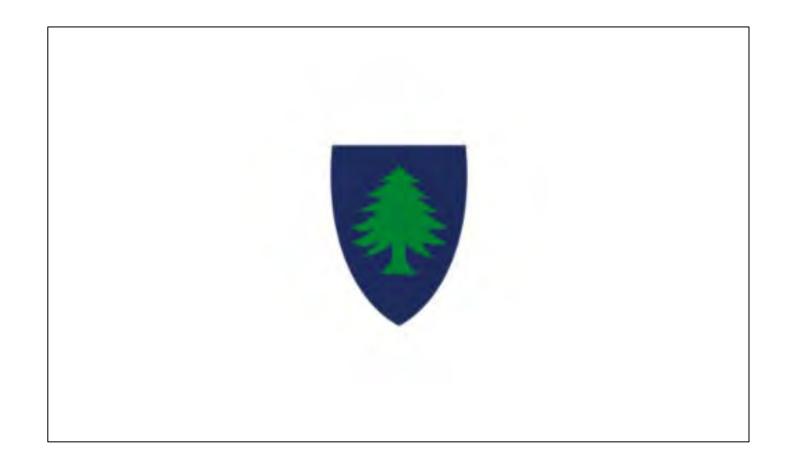
Flags are largely managed by the military, municipalities, and schools: our institutions. Invite a process to honor the tradition of stitching and keep the state flag exactly the same, but invite each group displaying a flag the latitude and expression to add or embellish the shield with a design or pattern that matches their community, organization, or local expression. Keep all colors the same. Offer test scraps of the shield for communities to use (or not, maybe some communities will opt for a longer position in the line of "wait and see" how other communities adopt and support this initiative for themselves. There is no requirement to change the shield graphic, just an option. Since the military are the best examples and most regular supporters of flags, start with them to design and embellish their shields. Many early flags were stitched with secret codes: there is a proud history we share in MA, our story of communications and displaying beacons in many creative ways.

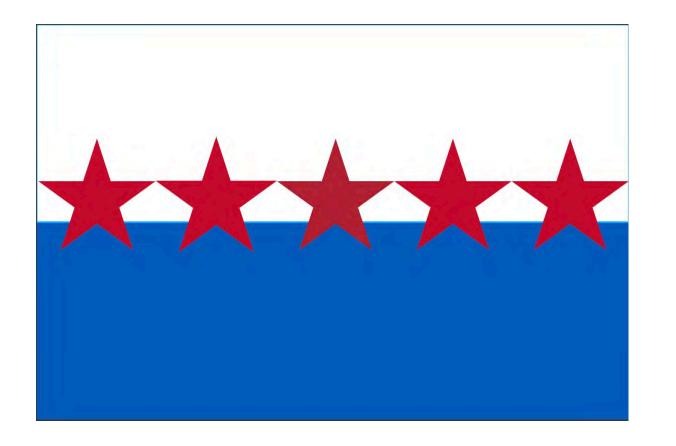


Motto Submission

Motto suggestion: Truth and Honor (or Latin translation thereof)

### Seal and Flag Submission



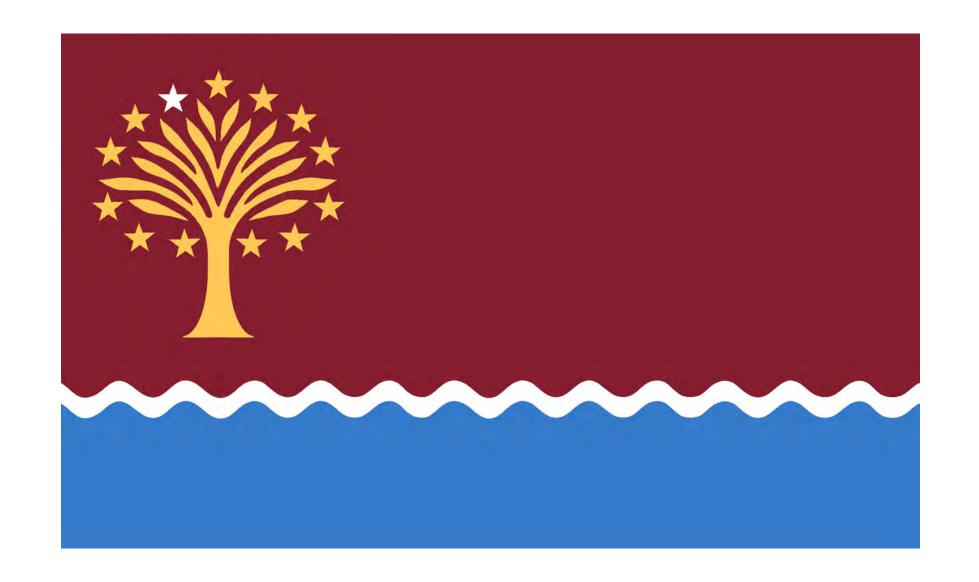


• Eliminate the arm and sword image. Replace the Indian symbol with a turkey (which represents intelligence, endurance and overcoming adversity.) Replace the slogan with: **Peace, Liberty and freedom from tyranny**. (I prefer the slogan be in English, but Latin is acceptable.)



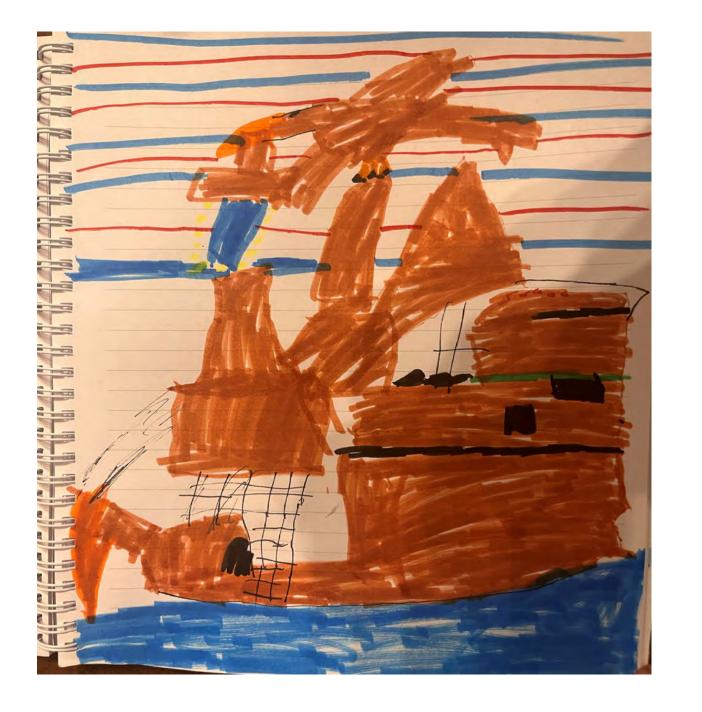
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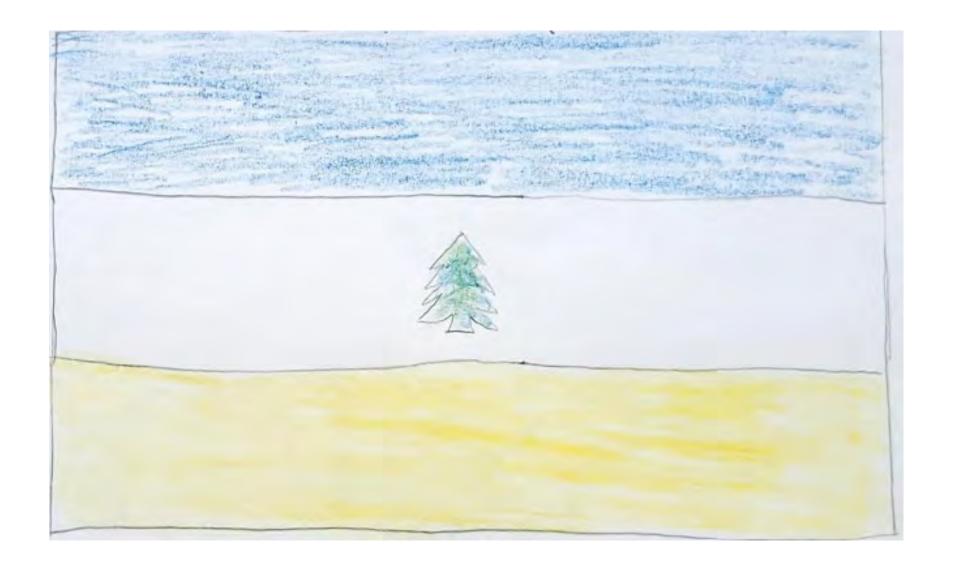










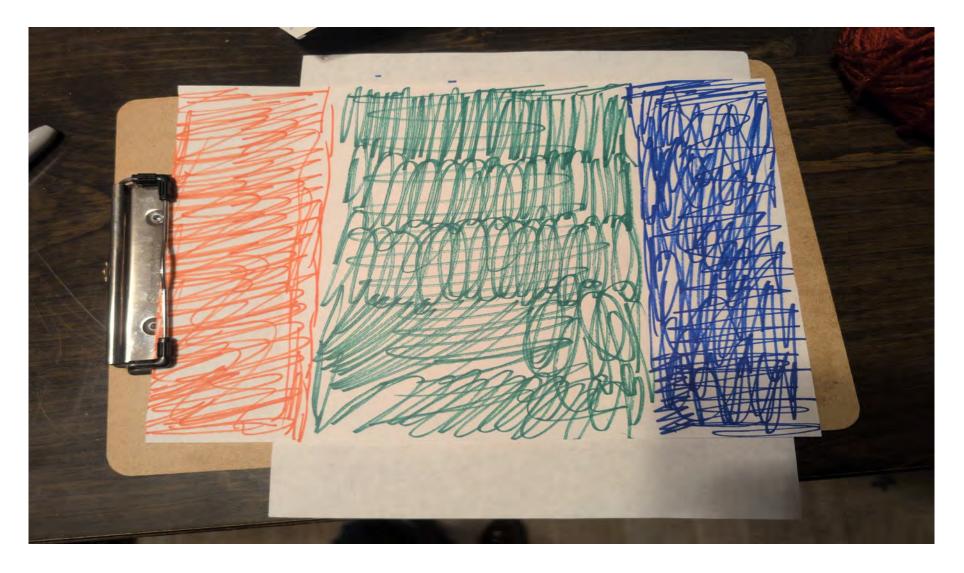


• The seal should probably be redesigned to remove the Native American figure from the design. Some have mentioned the inclusion of nature symbols and wildlife, and I agree with this sentiment; in particular the inclusion of either the Right Whale or the Cod, or both, in recognition of their historical importance to the seafaring economy of the Commonwealth, strikes me as historically and culturally appropriate.

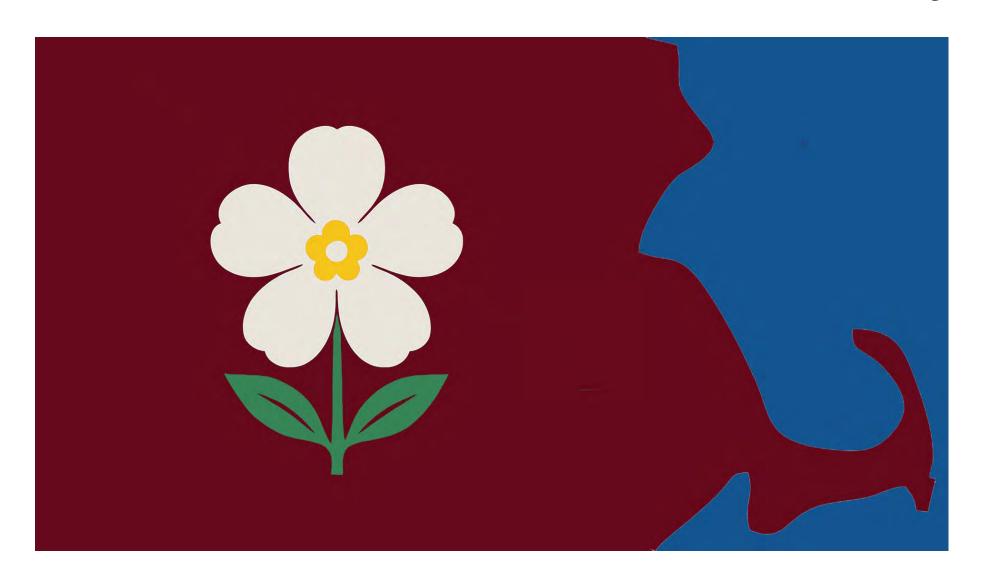
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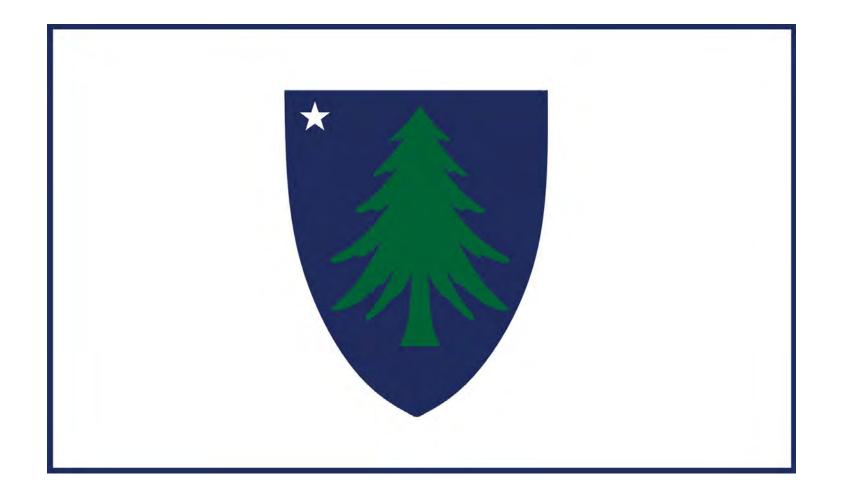


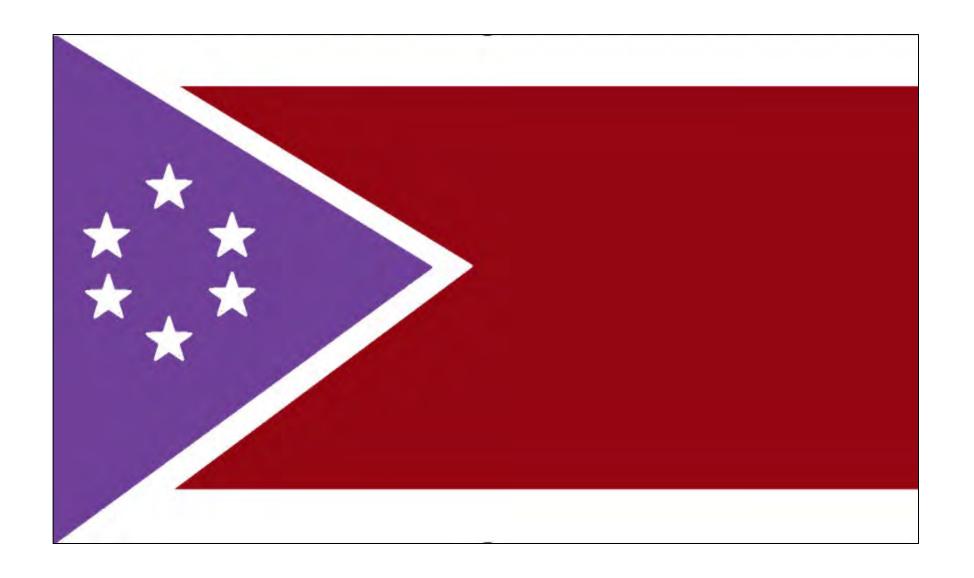






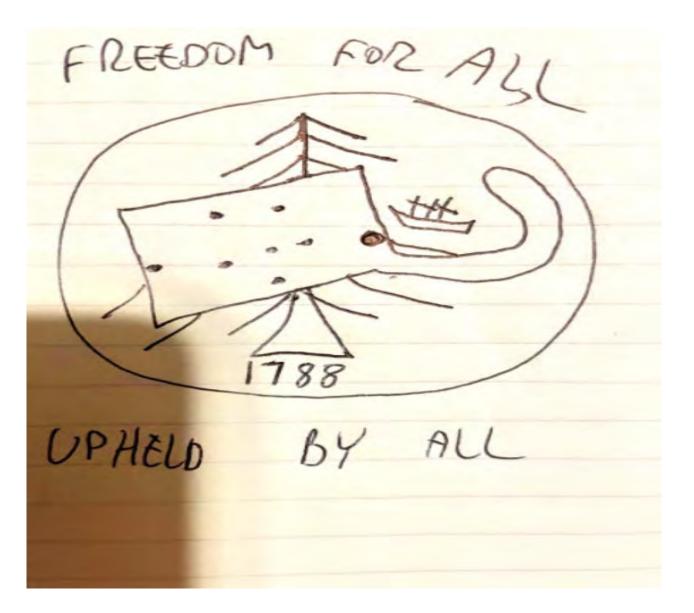
• The Latin motto of "Vince Aut Morire" translates to "Conquer or Die." However, morire is a misspelling of "morere," a second person conjugation of morie. The correct translation is "Vince Aut Morere." The misspelling in the seal's motto, while accidental, tells a story. Like the crack in the liberty bell, it can serve as a reminder that America is not and has never been a perfect nation, something I'm sure the people of Massachusetts have been very vigilant about. This acknowledgment can serve as a testament to the self awareness of Massachusetts.





The Continental or Bunker Hill Flag: Red flag with White canton. A Green pine tree in the canton. This historic flag ties Massachusetts directly to its revolutionary past and represents the larger region of New England, of which Massachusetts is a leading member. It is simple, well-known, and should be adopted by the people and government of Massachusetts

Seal, Flag, and Motto Submission



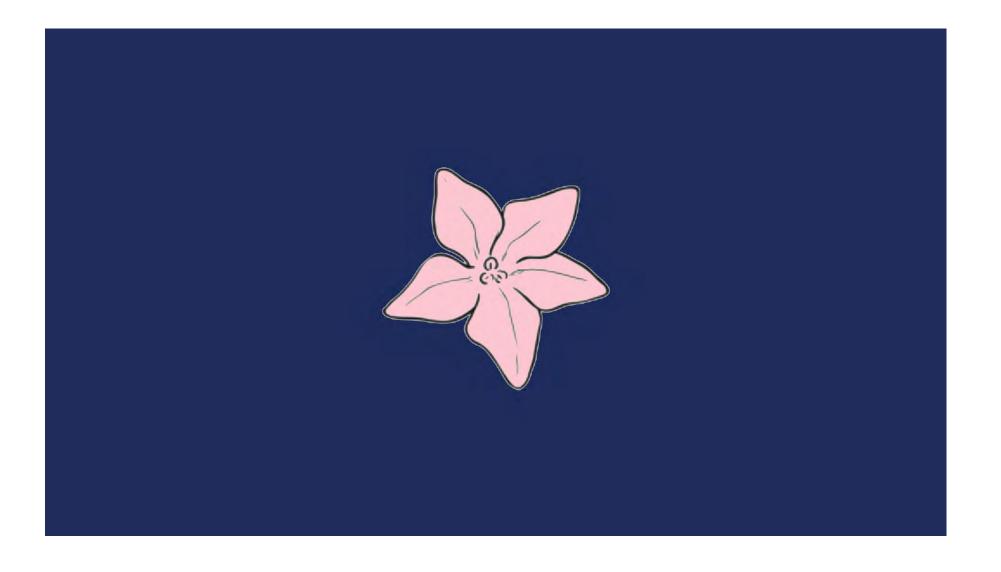
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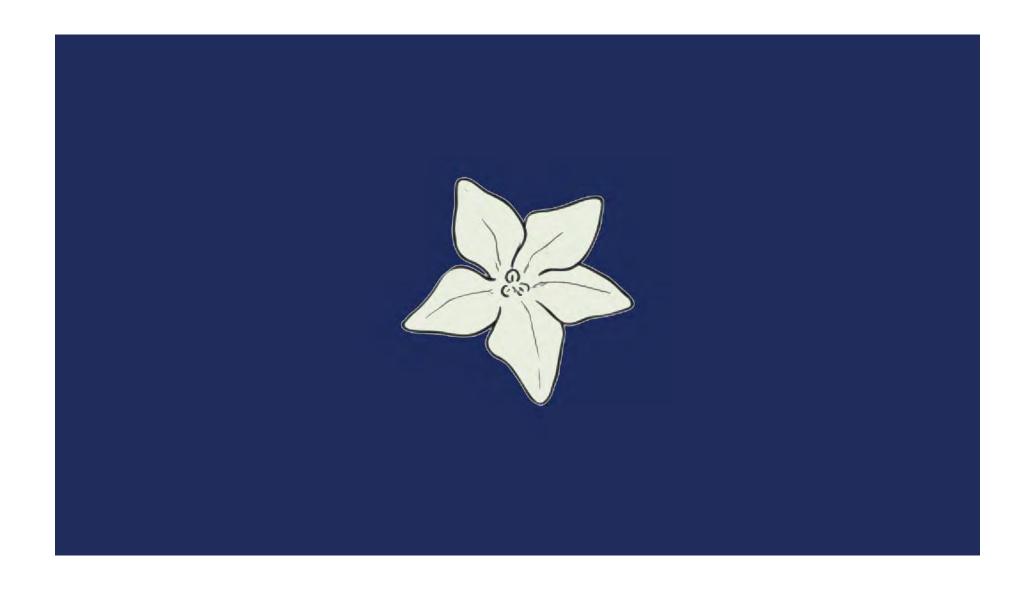


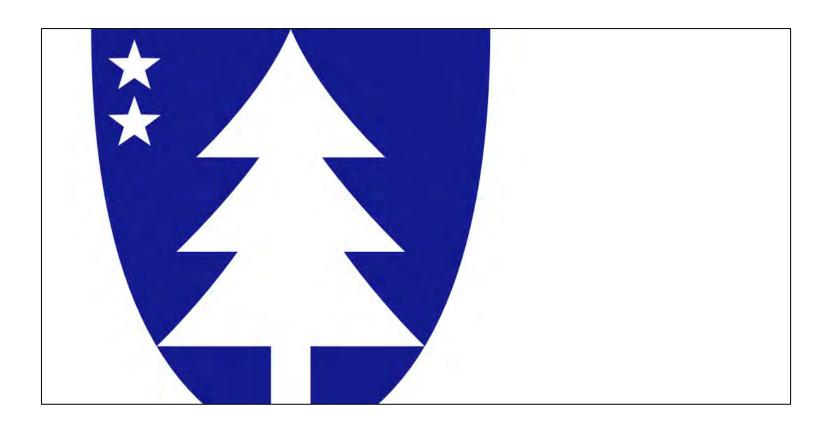
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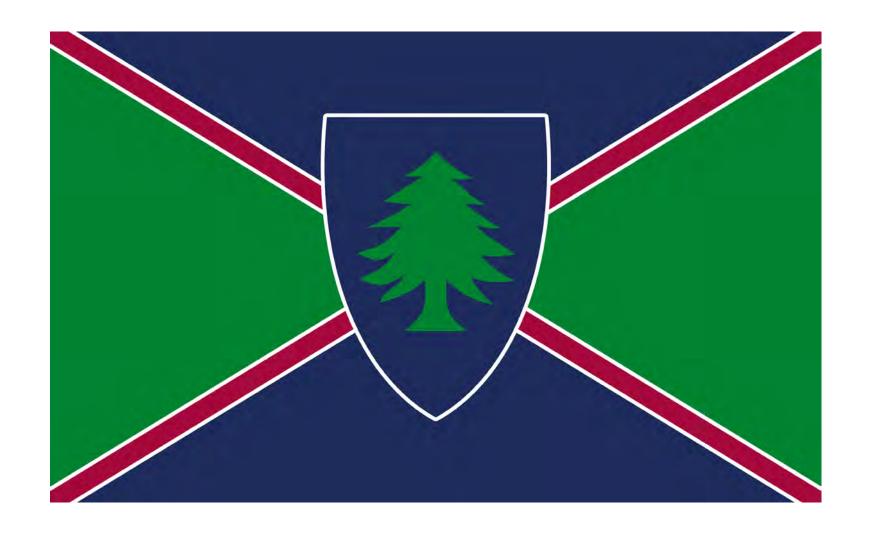


# The Shield Against Tyranny











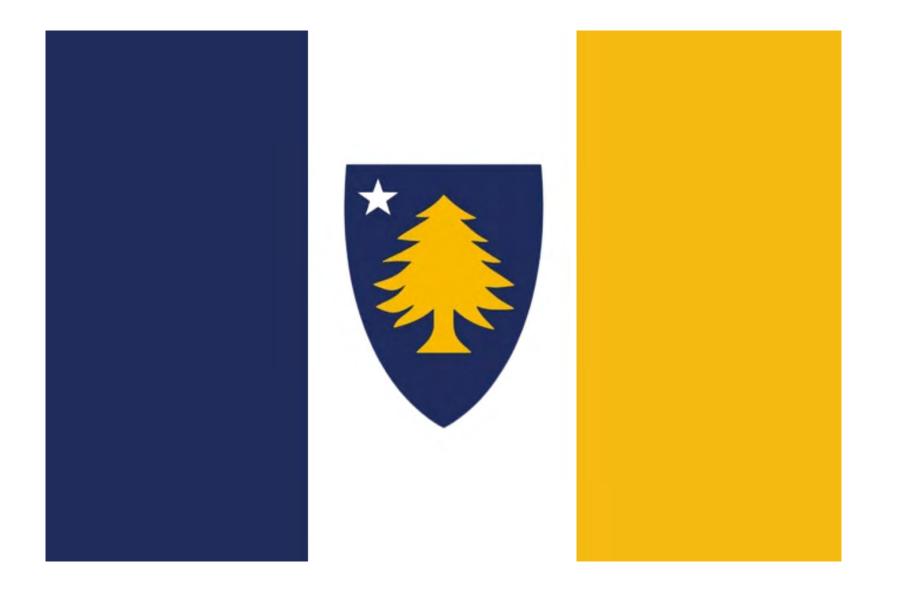


"Let it begin here."

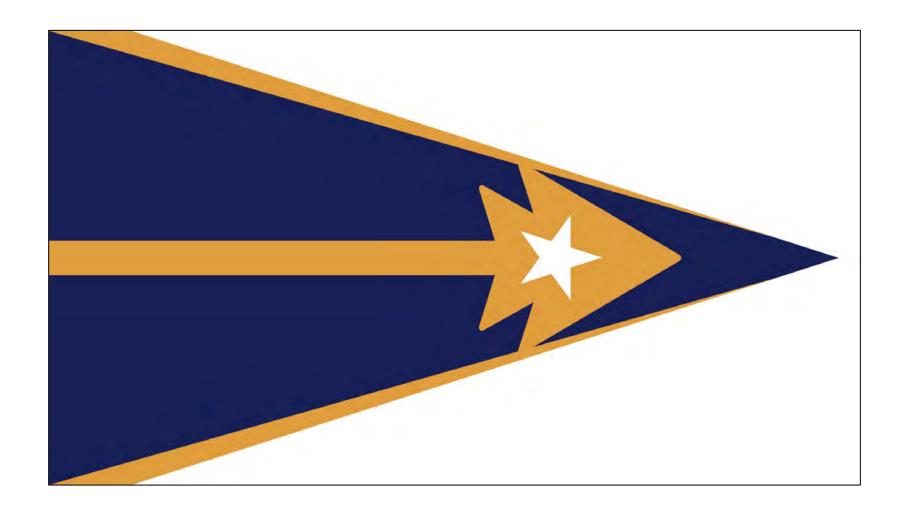




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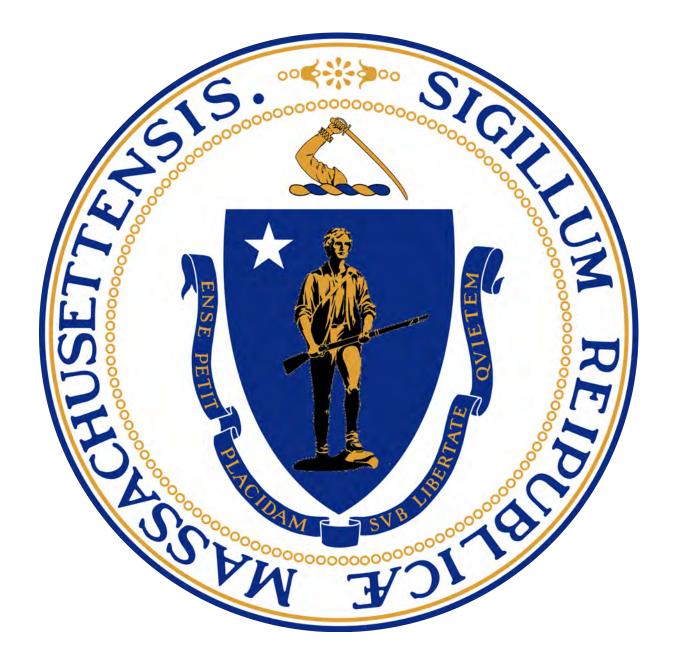
## Nunquam libertas gratior extat

• (Never does liberty appear in a more gracious form) Which is the old motto for the Dominion of New England



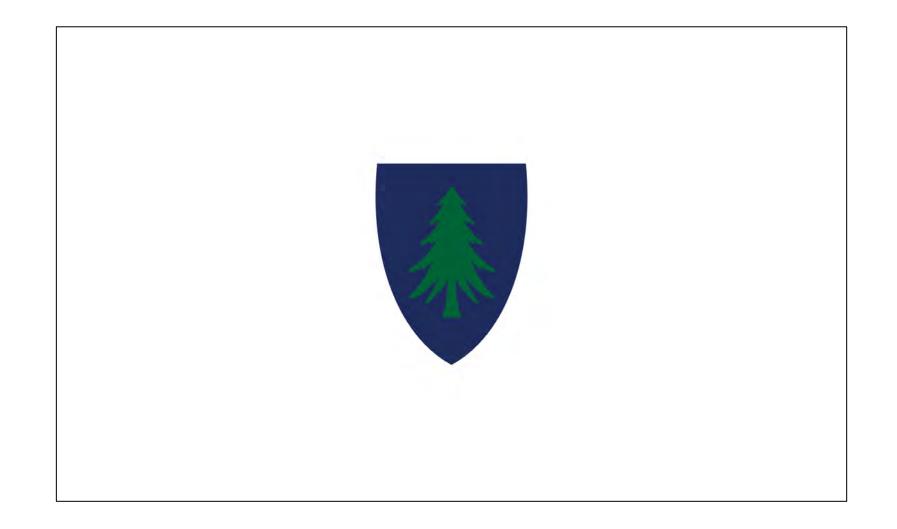
Given the current political environment, I support keeping the state motto as-is. However, there is one change I'd be very supportive of. Our motto is thematically similar to the much more well-known "Live Free or Die" of our neighbors. My proposed change could be making it more succinct, truncating it to "Peace only under liberty", which I think captures the easy-to-grasp feeling of our neighbor's slogan again. At a minimum, the motto should be displayed/circulated more in English rather than in Latin. It's a good motto with strong historical roots, but a mostly dead language is not the best way to convey that

#### Seal and Flag Submission





Hello. My idea is simply a slight modification of the current flag. (we should modify history carefully) Remove the sword above the natives head, and replace it with a small pine tree which was previously the design on the reverse of the flag. The pine tree has rich symbolism for New England. I would replace the motto with simply "The People Alone" (or latin version) This quote comes from Art. IV of the MA Constitution authored by John Adams during the revolution in 1780. It is the oldest still governing constitution in the world. Article IV is the heart and soul of the ideal of self governing popular sovereignty. ...that all political power resides in the people alone....truly the spirit of MA. Article VII. "Government is instituted for the common good; for the protection, safety, prosperity and happiness of the people; and not for the profit, honor, or private interest of any one man, family, or class of men: Therefore the people alone have an incontestable, unalienable, and indefeasible right to institute government; and to reform, alter, or totally change the same, when their protection, safety, prosperity and happiness require it."



Massachusetts: The Gateway to New Hampshire

I propose for our motto: "God damn it, Massachusetts, #1 again?!?!" Sort of like the opposite of "Thank God for Mississippi"

Where republicans go to become Democrats

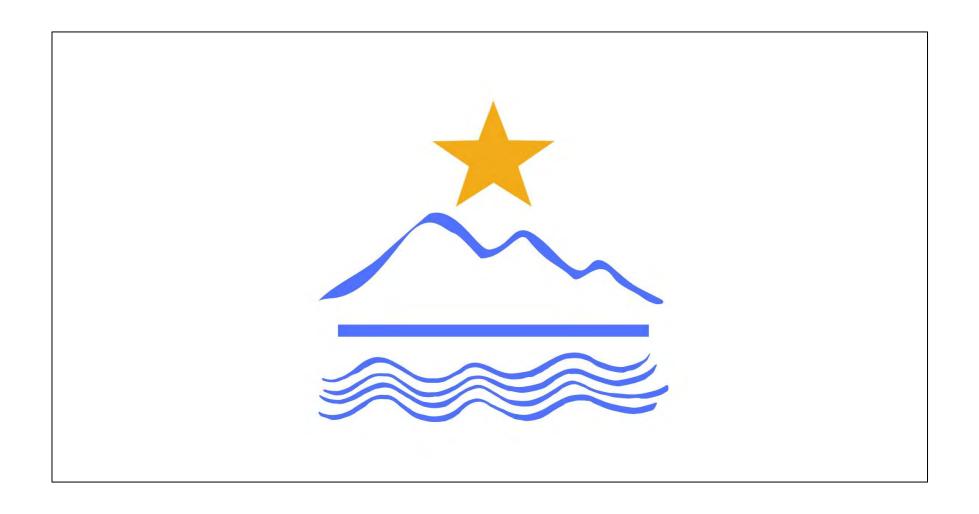
Massachusetts: The France of the 80s

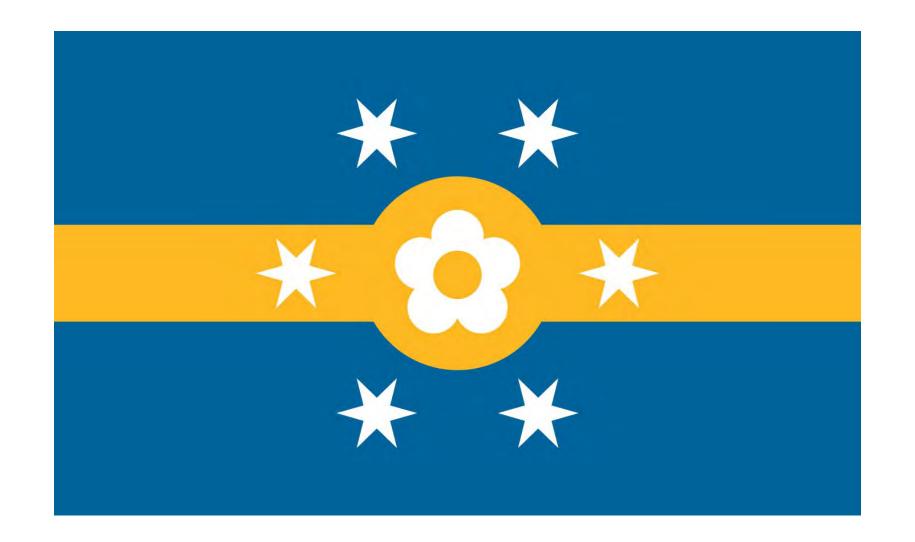
Massachusetts: Witch-free since 1693

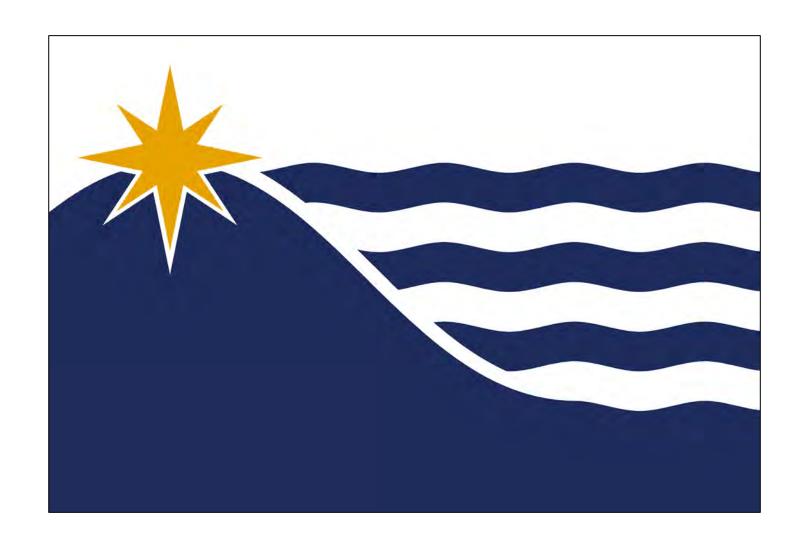
Help I'm trapped in a state motto factory. Lucky Numbers: 31 41 59 26 53 58

Massachusetts: We made your CEO

- Magna est veritas et praevalebit (Great is truth and it will prevail)
- Jus superat vires (Right overcomes might)
- Fiat justitia, vuat caelum (Let justice be done though heaven may fall)
- Naught is sweeter than one's native land (in Greek, but I don't have a keyboard with Greek letters)



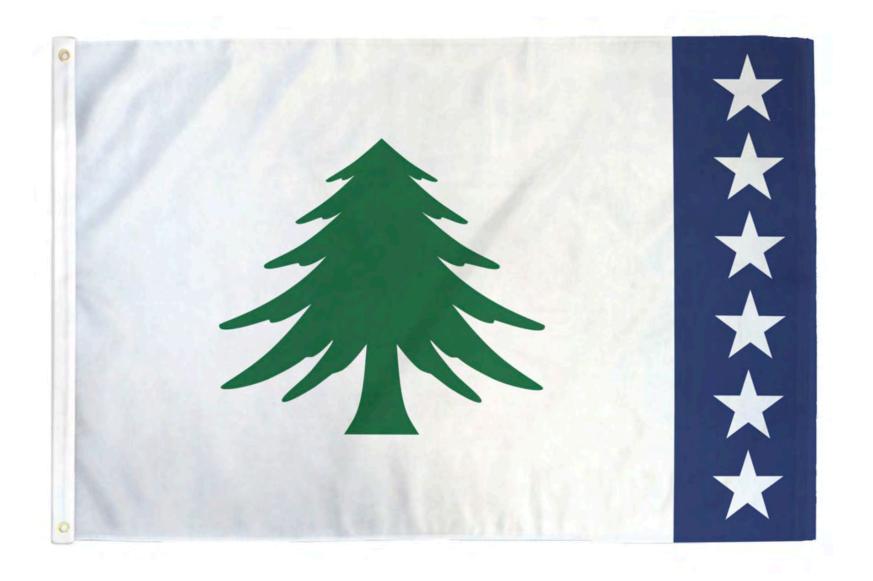




The new motto I'm proposing is "primus in cogitatione, primus in actio".

"Apertis armis, excipimus te."

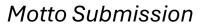
With open arms, we welcome you.



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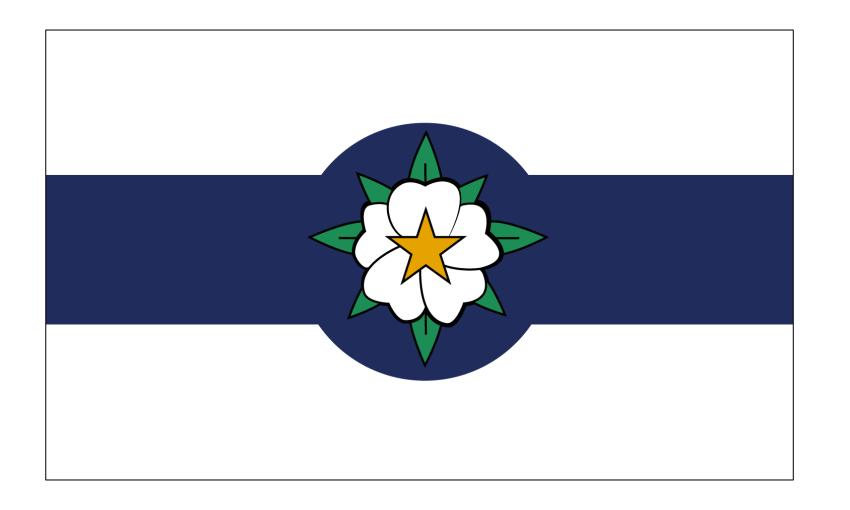


Freedom, Equality and Democracy . Now and Forever

"Paratus intra uni momenti proscriptionem







#### Seal and Motto Submission



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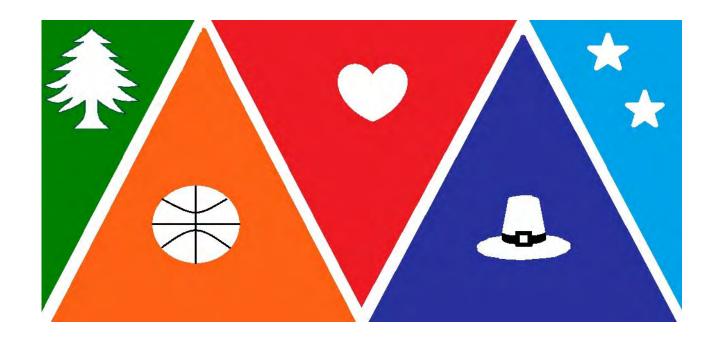


Hello - I do not have a specific suggestion for the flag, but heraldically speaking, I would like to see something that is not the seal on a white field for the flag. The flag should be simple enough so that anyone can draw it. Alabama, Minnesota, and Texas are all good examples of well designed flags. Some elements to consider are dark blue coloring for the naval background of the state, a pine tree to tie to the original New England flag, and a star to represent MA as one of the original colonies.



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"**Home of the Revolution**" a reference to Massachusetts' pivotal role in the American Revolution



I would like to point the Commission towards the designs created by Brian Cham on his personal website:

https://briancham1994.com/2022/02/07/proposed-flag-of-massach usetts-2/ I think these, especially the first design, are the best possible ones that could be used for Massachusetts, the former is incredibly easy to draw and is still recognizable from a distance, while also being very small of a change. I care not for anything regarding the seal or the motto, I just think that the first flag is a good concept and idea.

Keep the flag and seal as is, but make one change: Remove the arm and sword over the Native American. Preserve the beauty of this simple white flag.

Current Latin motto on the flag- Ense petit placidam sub libertate quietem- By the sword we seek peace, but peace only under liberty. Forget the Latin motto and use the Massachusetts Native Language out of respect for original inhabitants. Source- Natick Dictionary, Trumbull 1903, pp.264 under the word definition for "Free" is the questionSunnummatta Nut-chippinninnuoo - Am Not I Free? Sunnummatta Nut-chippinninnuoo Am I not free? It's a simple question all people in Massachusetts have asked and will continue to ask. New Motto- Sunnummatta Nut-chippinninnuoo

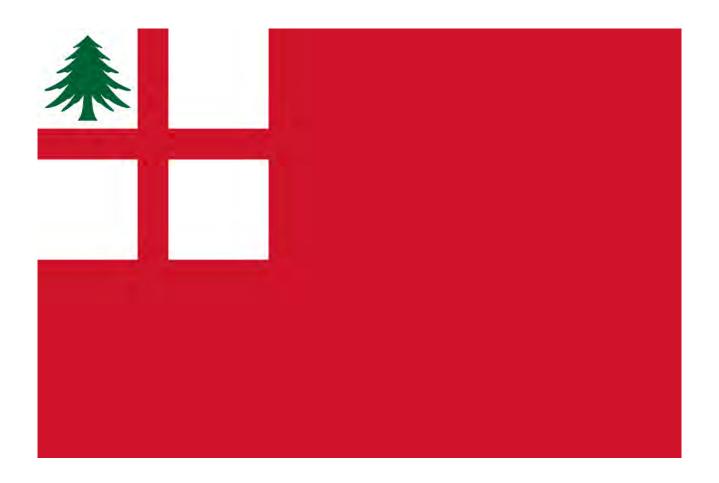
Motto: liberty for all

• Seal: image of white colonist, Native American, and African American



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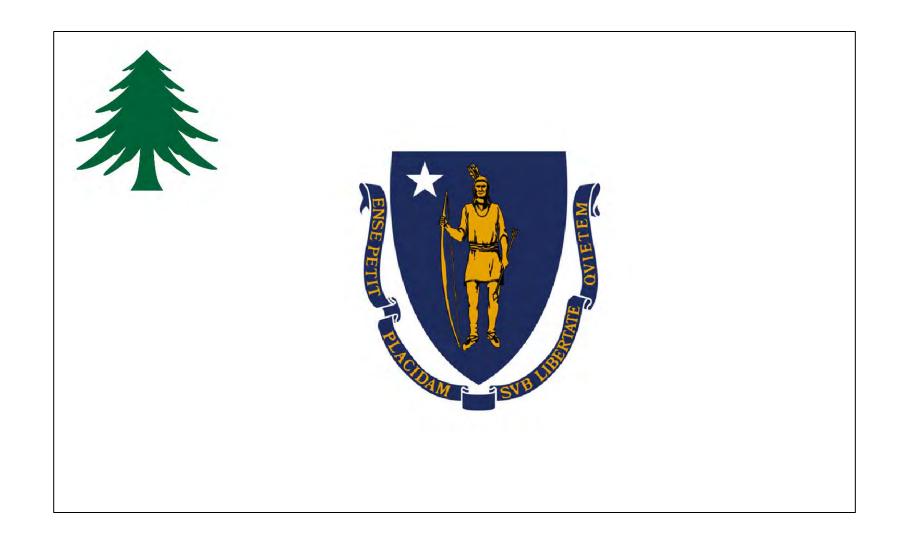
"WE ALL BLEED THE SAME." "Sanguinamus Omnes Similiter." in Latin.



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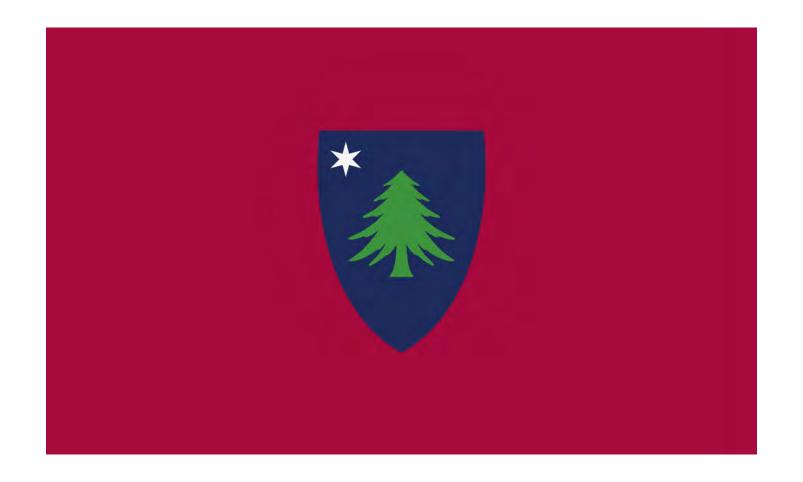




	Motto Submission
Through resistance I found freedom, and through freedom I found happiness	

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Remove the sword and arm and call it a victory







New Motto for Massachusetts: "LIBERTAS AETERNUS" translates to "Freedom Forever

Libertas Venimus
Translates to "We have come to freedom" or "We have arrived at liberty"

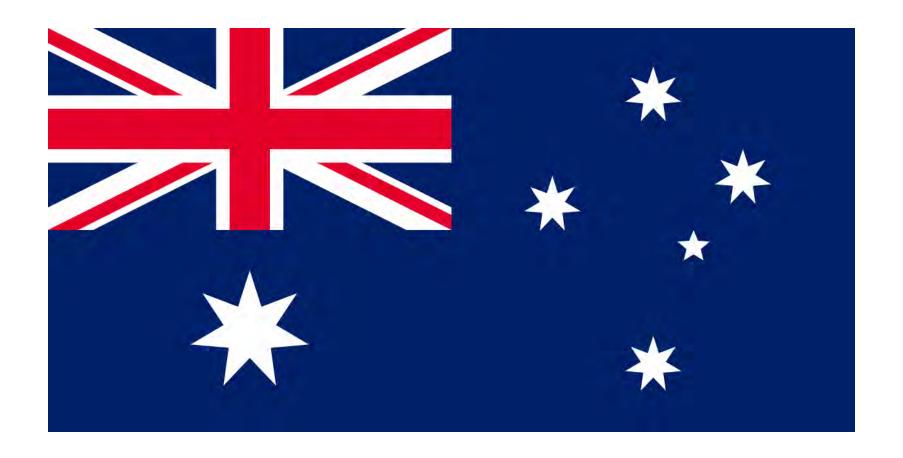


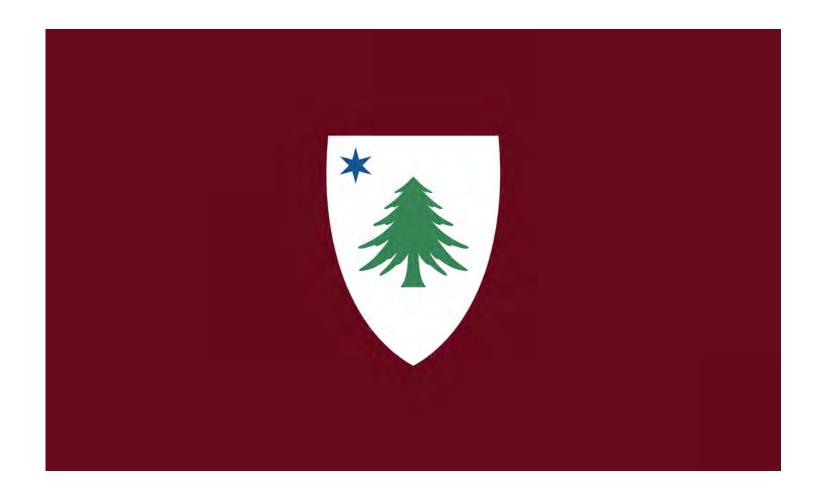


New Motto for Massachusetts: "PATRIA LIBERTATIS" translates to "Motherland of Freedom".

**QUAERENS LIBERTAS** 

**Seeking Freedom** 

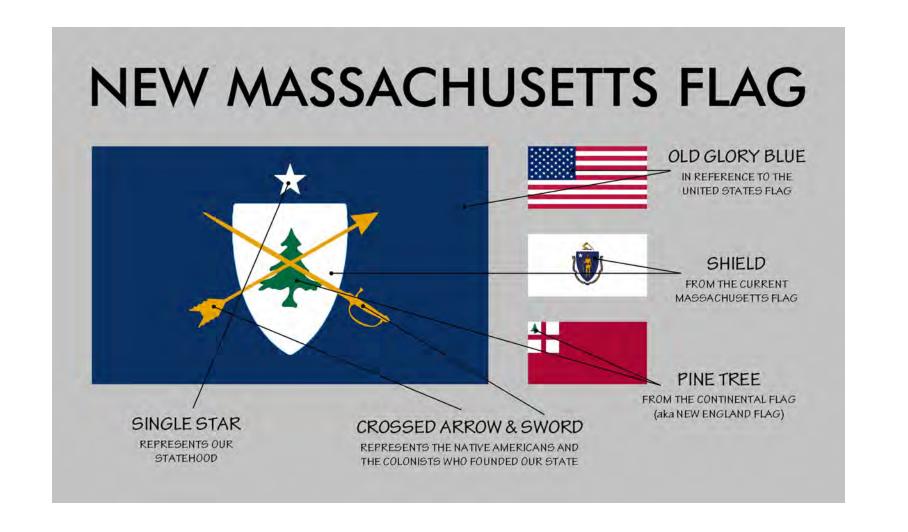




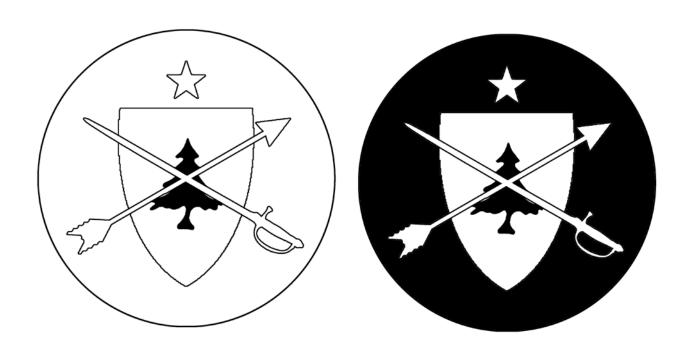
Motto: "NOS SANGUINEM UT"

Translates to "We bleed as one"





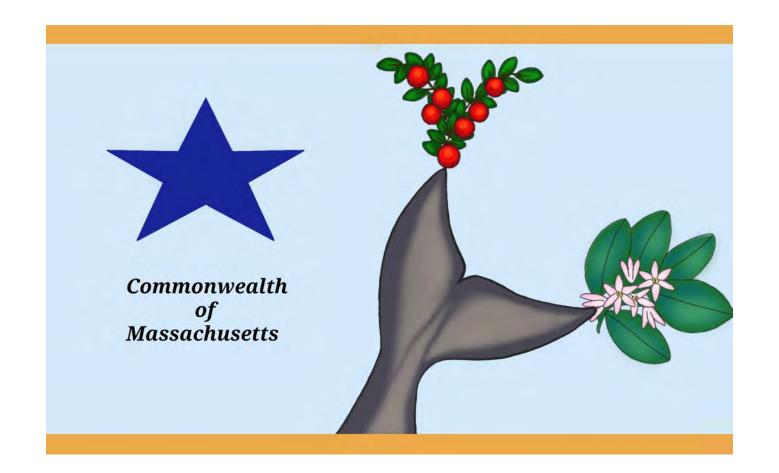
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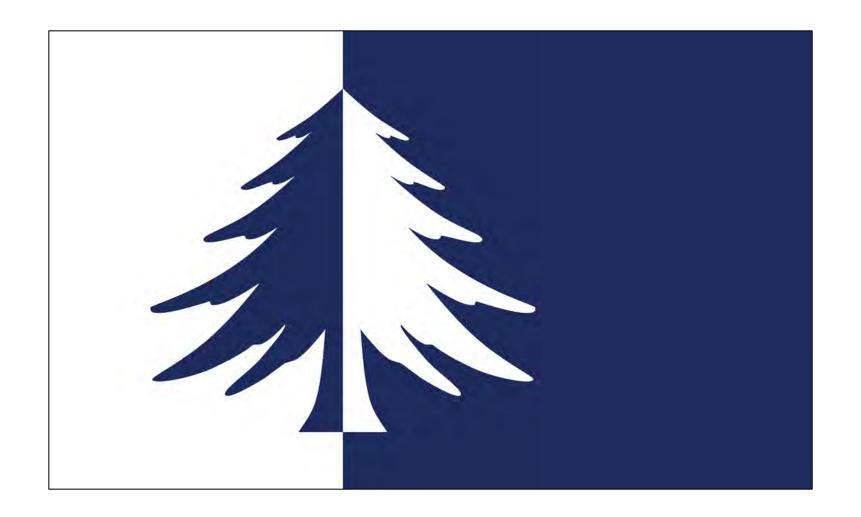
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Motto:
Historically proud of our past
Improving in the present
Planning for our future

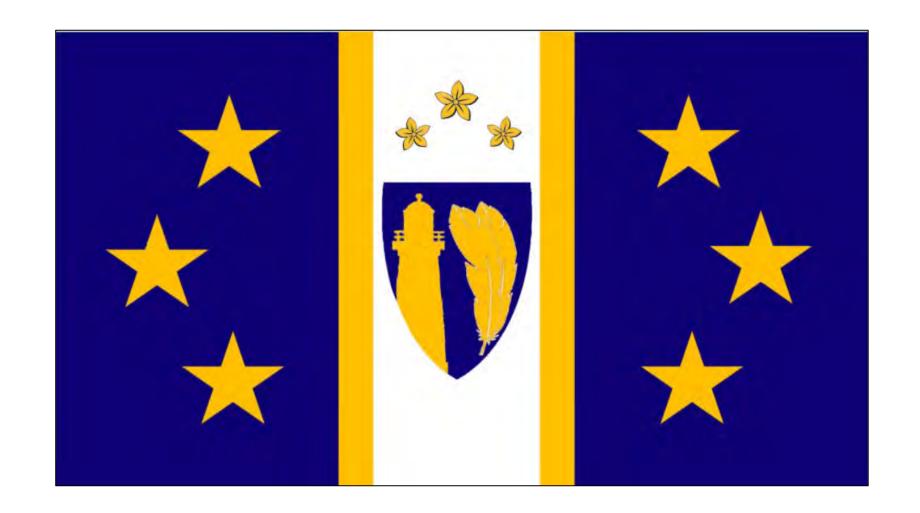


Motto: First Against Tyranny



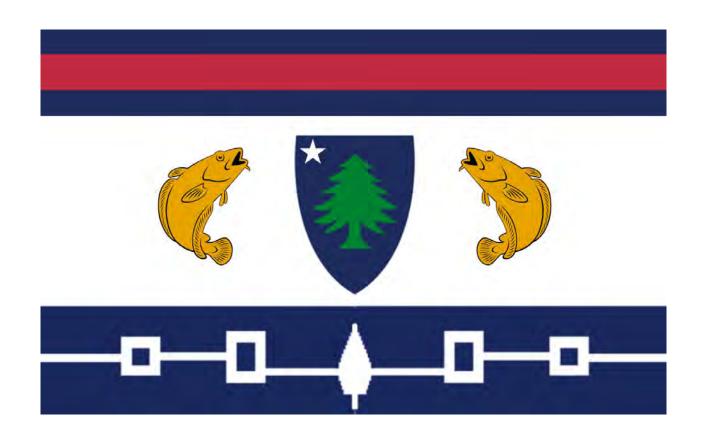
Motto: Be Revolutionary

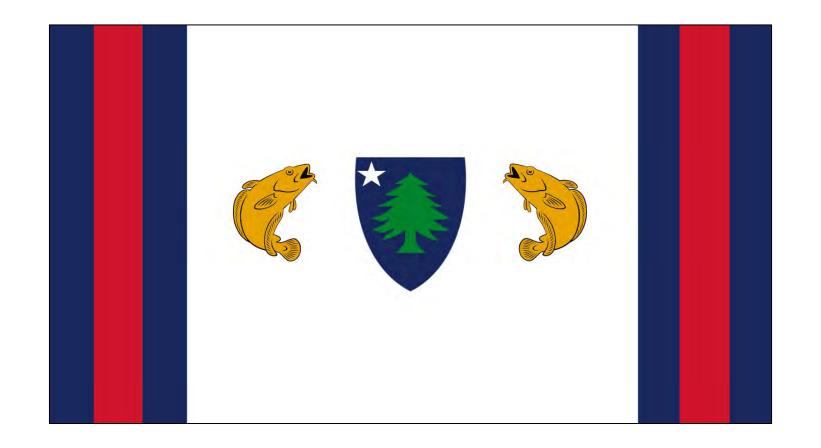
**Together We Are Better** 

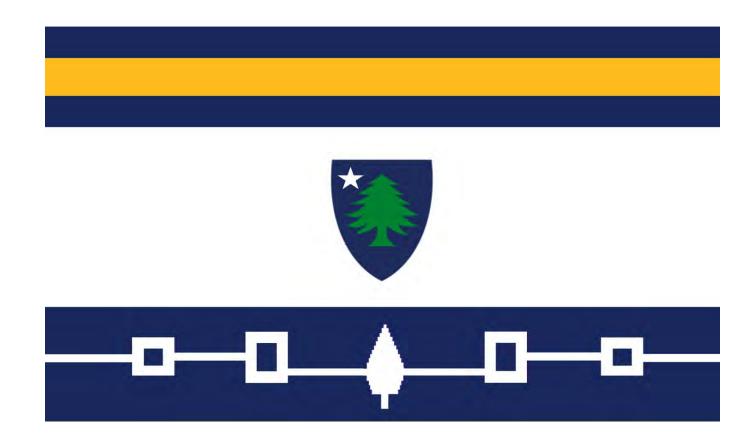


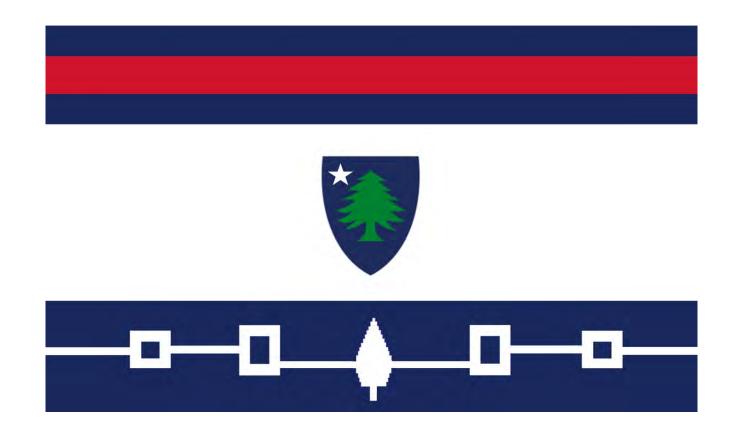
The Birthplace of Freedom

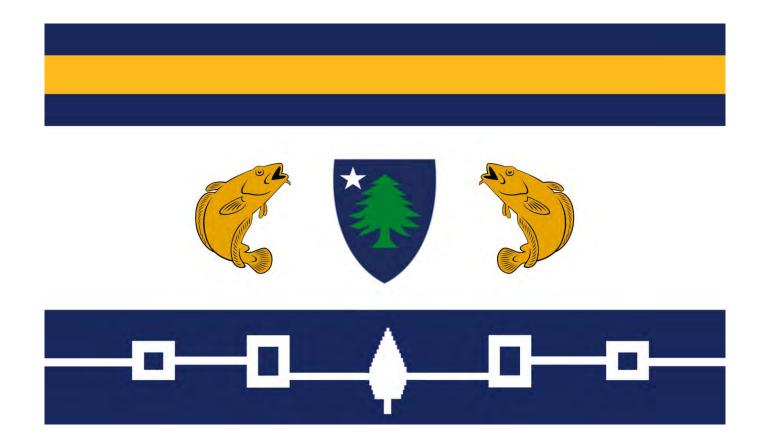
From individual freedoms to collective wisdom: Ex libertate singulari ad sapientiam communem Ex libertatibus personalibus ad sapientiam collectivam Freedom and wisdom: Libertas et Sapientia These mottos combine our states' values of freedom and education.

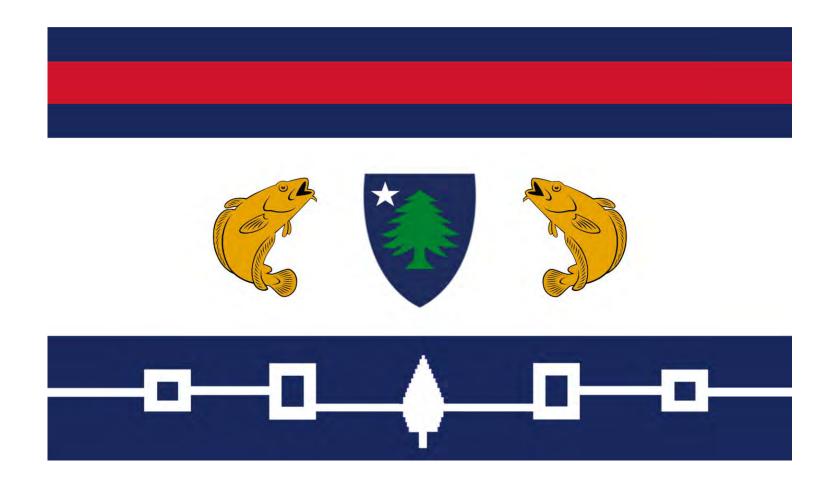








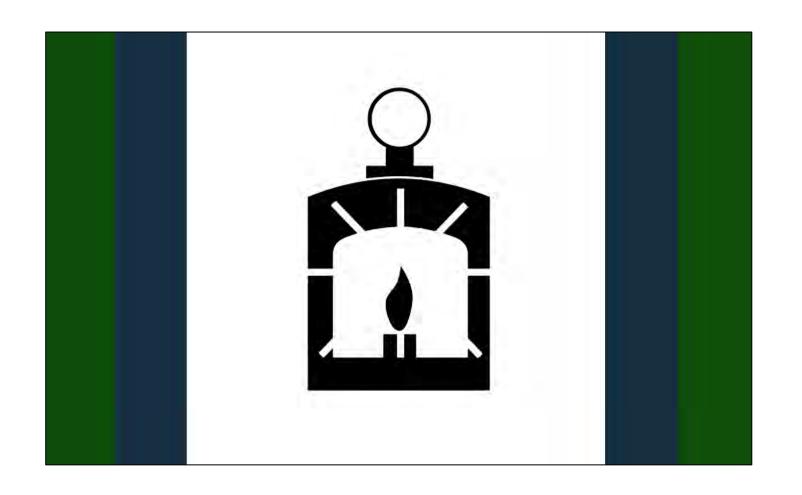


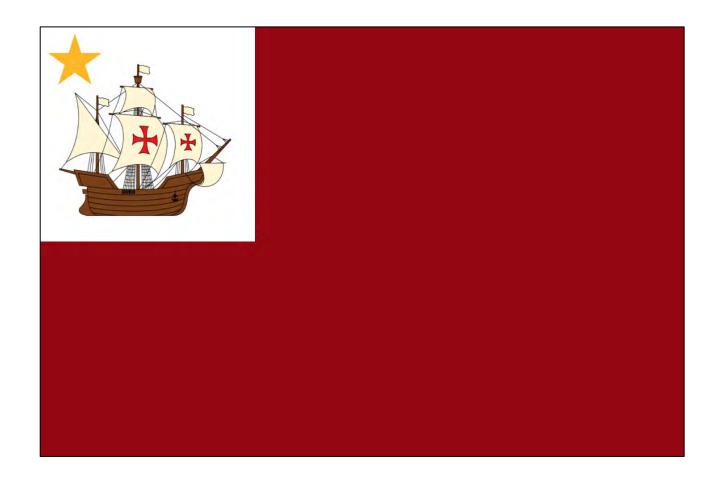


**Glory Without End** 

"Tyrannis Resistere Est Virtus" To resist tyranny is a virtue

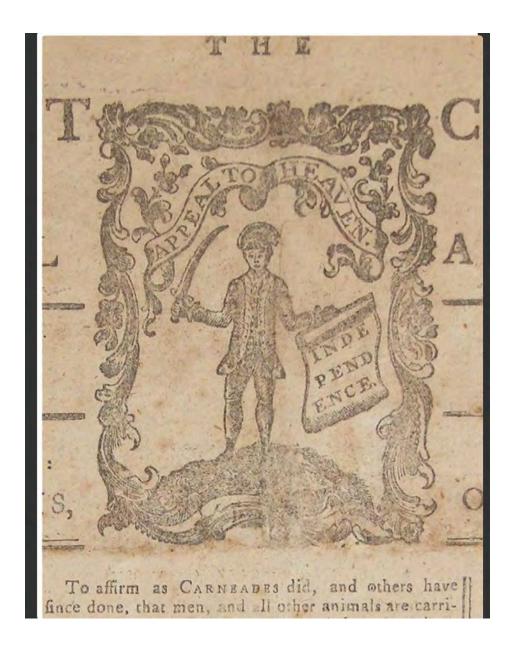


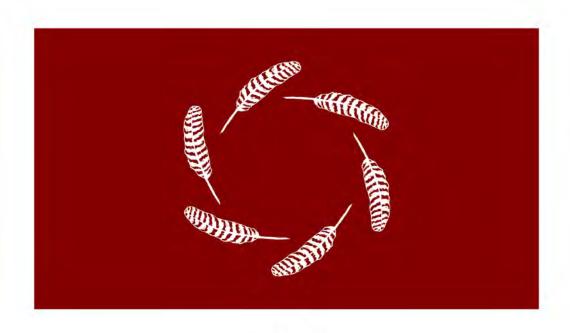






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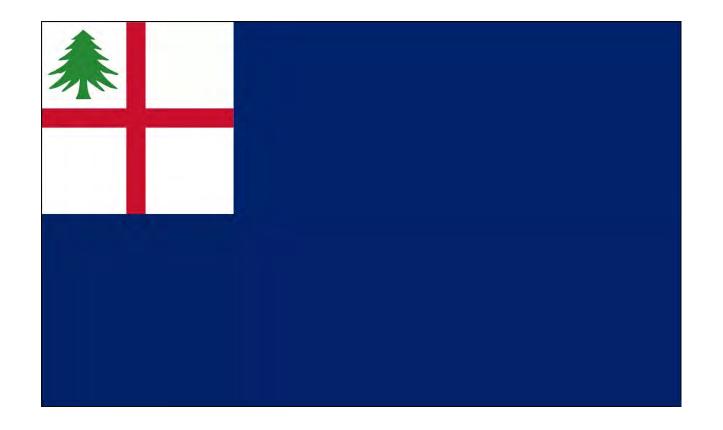


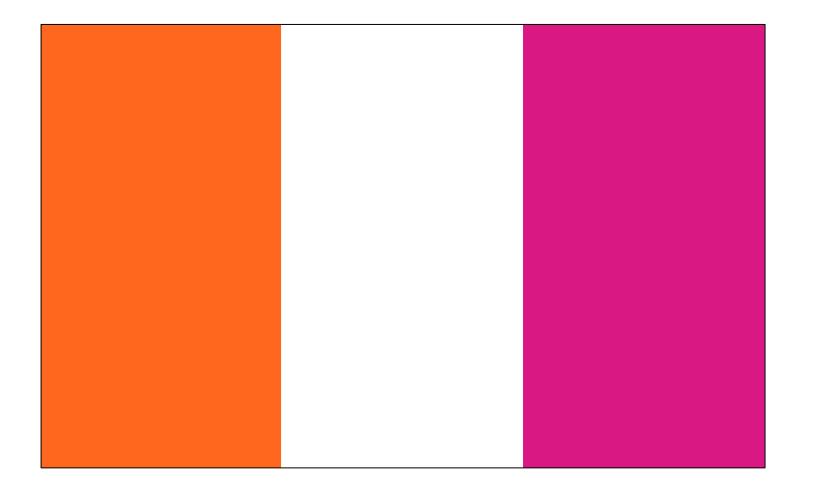




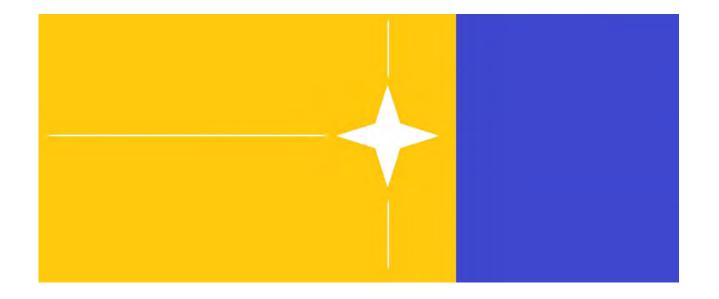
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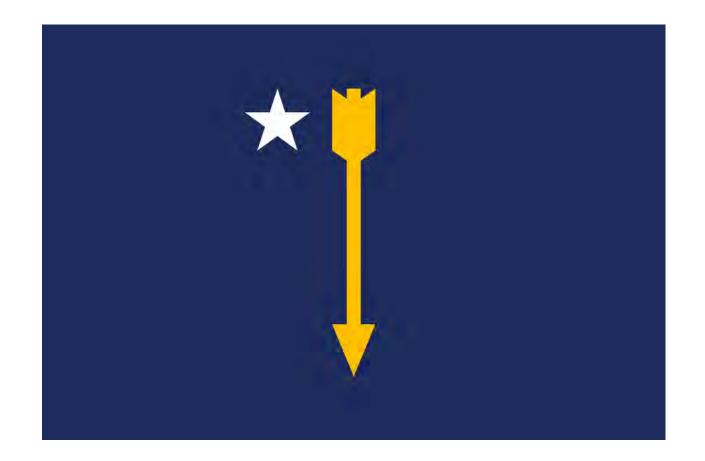


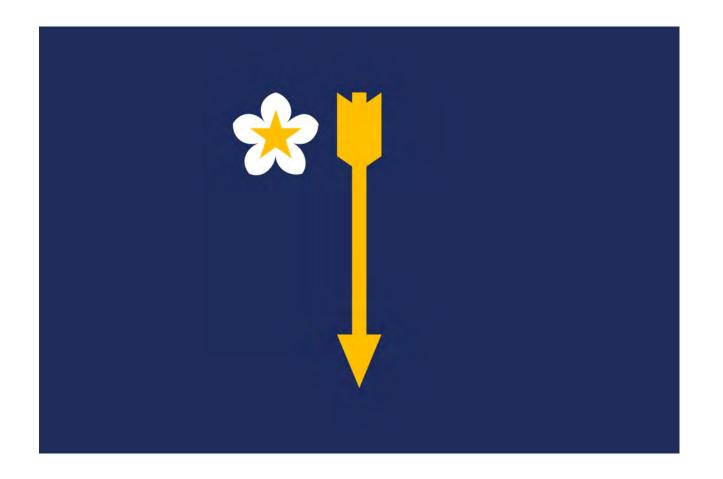




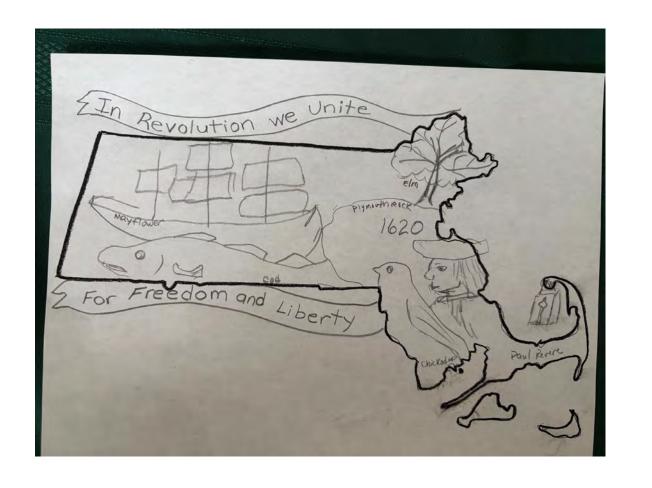


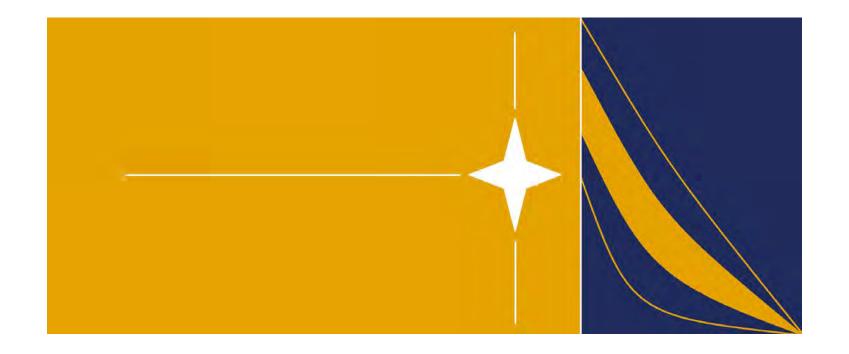
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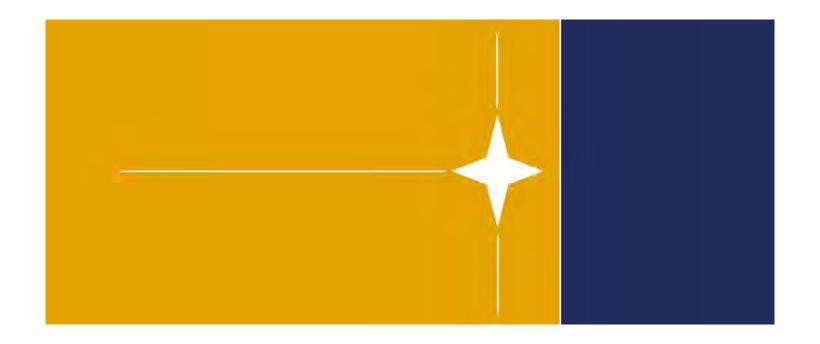




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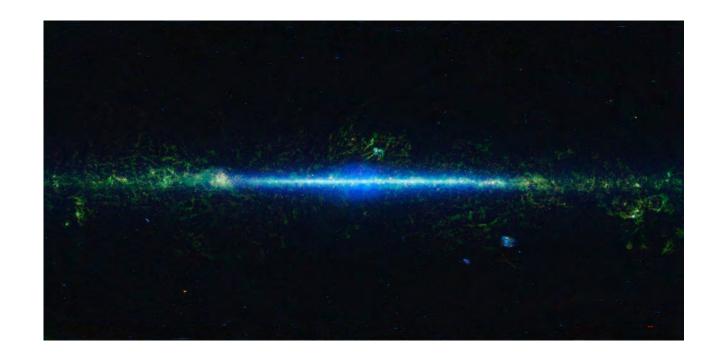




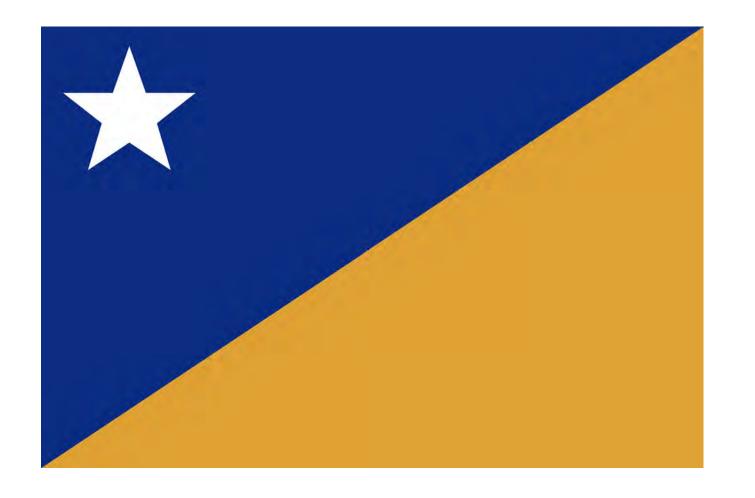
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Seal and Motto Submission

# Motto: "Freedom Began Here"

Use the Minuteman symbol, as Massachusetts is where our freedom began

The Beverly Public Library has a bronze seal in its floor that has a motto originally written by Benjamin O Peirce. It says: **Bono publico laetamur**. That translates to, "we rejoice in the public good." Ever since I read that on a Beverly Public Library instagram post, I've thought it was such a perfect motto for any public entity. I'd like to submit it as a possibility for the state's motto. It expresses a hopefulness and joy about building things for communal benefit, which I think captures the best of Massachusetts.

## Seal, Flag, and Motto Submission







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"NOS SANGUINEM SIMUL." "WE BLEED TOGETHER." in Latin

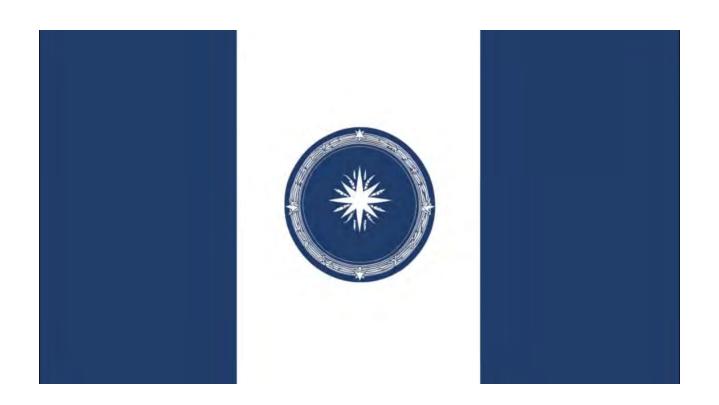
Motto Submission

I want to supply 3 possible mottos and perhaps an artist can put it all' together. The 3 would be mottos are all similar with all three in Latin: "NOS SANGUINEM SIMUL." ("WE BLEED TOGETHER."), " "NOS SANGUINEM UT." ("WE BLEED AS ONE."), "OMNES EODEM SANGUINE VIVIMUS." ("WE ALL BLEED THE SAME

Motto Submission

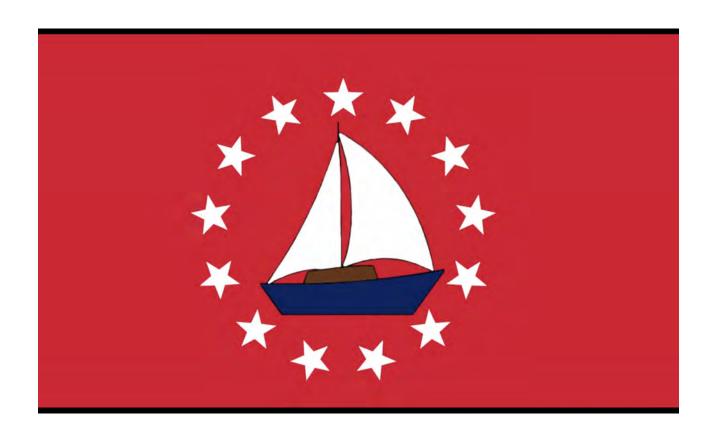
Two proposals for a new motto: 1. "For the People and the Common Wealth" 2. "From This Cradle Grows Liberty"

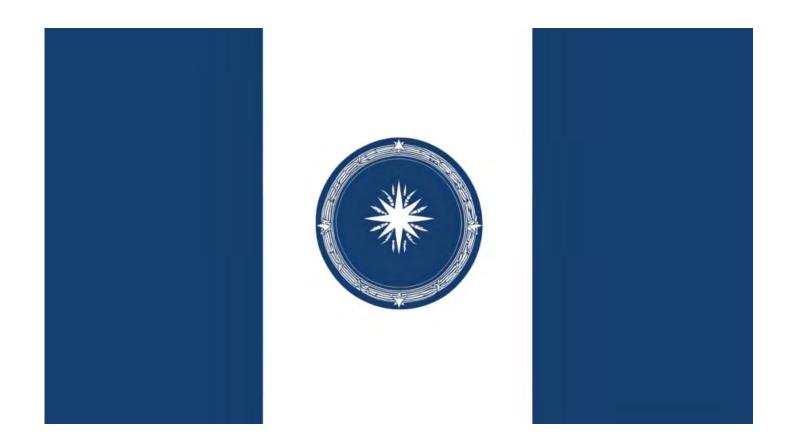
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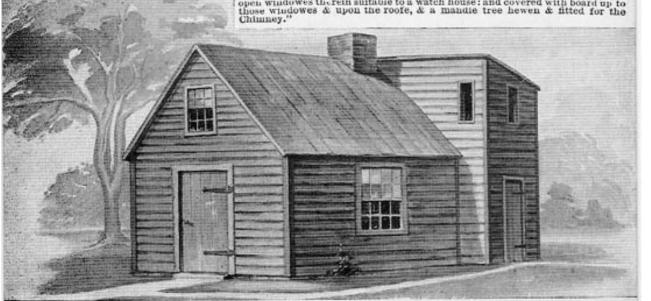


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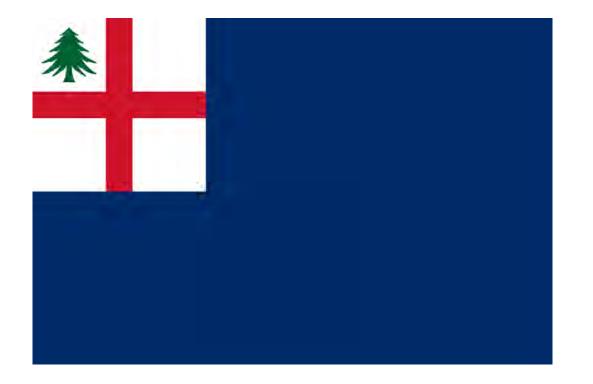


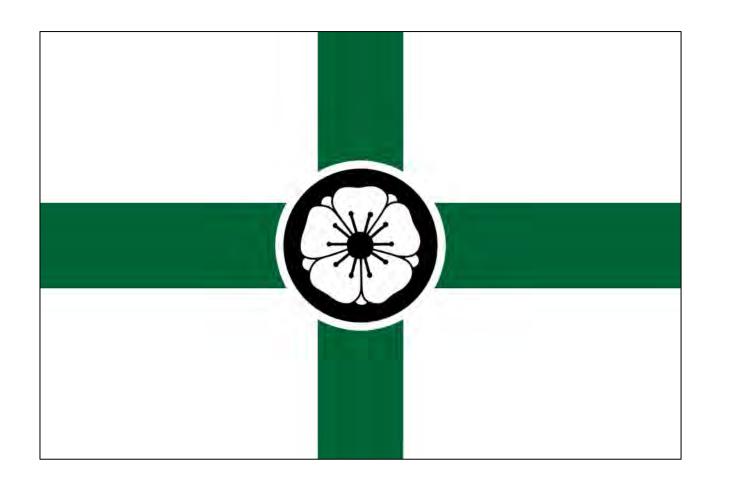
#### Seal and Motto Submission

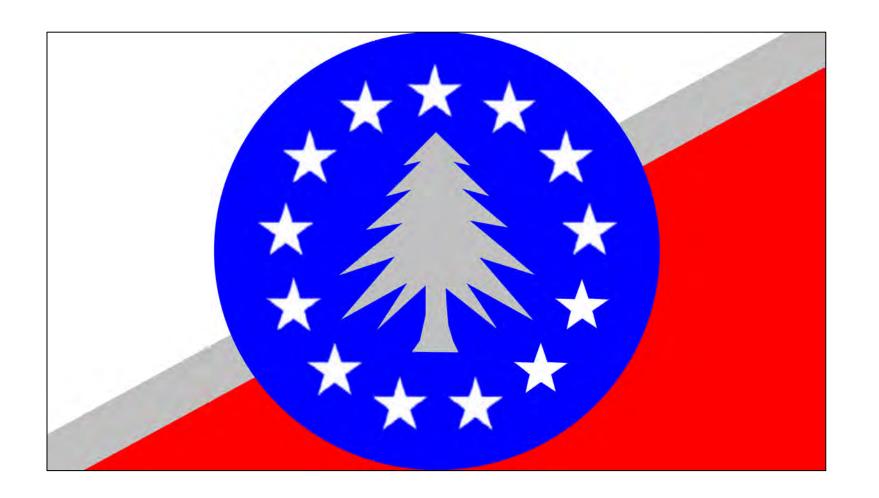
The following, taken from the Dedham Historical Register of July, 1830, are the specifications of a combined school and watch-house built at Dedham, Mass., 1649, and is, as far as known, the first school house in America to be bunt and maintained by general taxation, and from which this illustration was made. "The length 18 foote, being 14 foote beside the chimney, the wideness 15 foote, the studd 9 foote betwixt joynts, one floore of joyce: 2 convenient windowes in the lower roome & one in the chamber, the plancher layed, the floor planked, the stayers made, the sides boarded, featheredged & rabbited, the doors made & chamber, the plancher layed, the floor planked, the back of the chimney sixe foote wide, the length theref 2 foote & one half more than the house is wide, so placed that the end theref may extend past the corner of the house, so that the watch may have an aspect 4 severall wayes, & open windowes & upon the roofe, & a mandle tree hewen & fitted for the Chimney."



FIRST FREE PUBLIC SCHOOL HOUSE IN AMERICA.













Seal and Motto Submission

A CLOSE-UP OF A PILGRIM IN HIS COCKEL HAT....BELOW HIS CHIN " 1620"

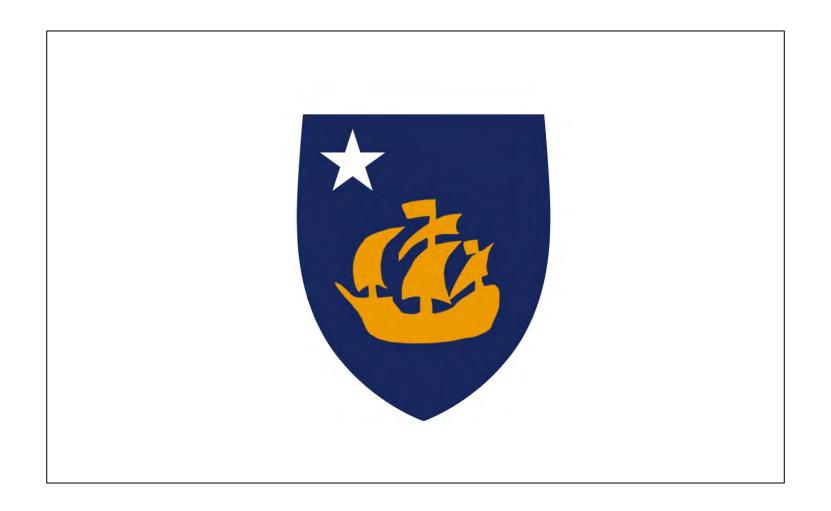
ABOVE HIS HAT AND HEAD) " WE CAME SEEKING FAITH AND FOUND FREEDOM"

Motto Submission

Motto of the Commonwealth: NON REGES TUNC NON REGES NUNC

Please note I am just asking that the Mayflower blossom is included. This state was first in many ways in creating this united States and I am proud to live here. I was also enamored of the colonial gentleman holding a copy of the Magna Carta. Thank you

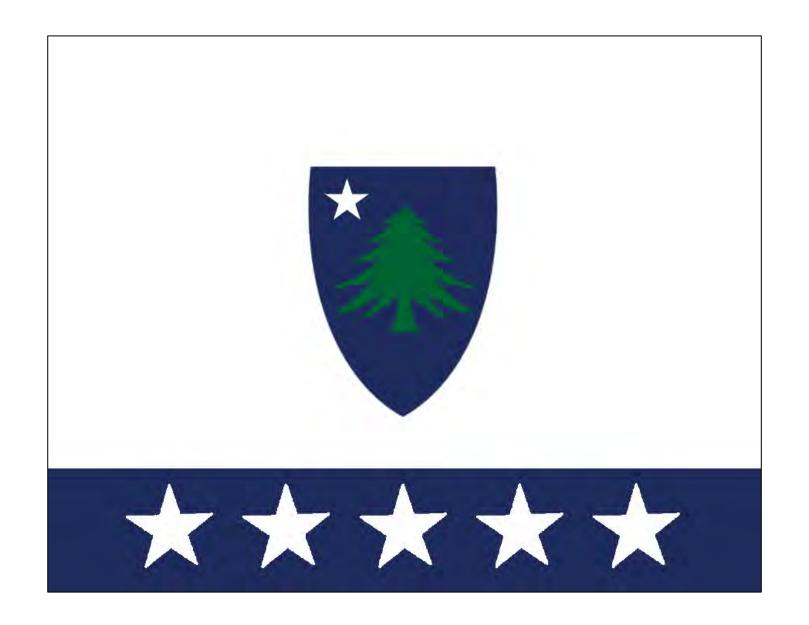






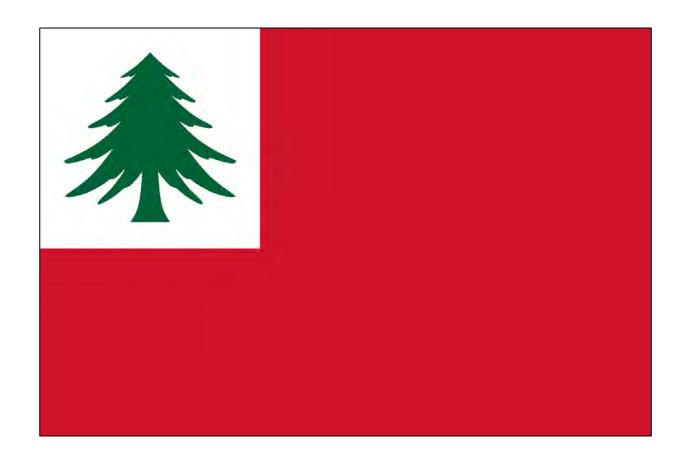
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**Humani Nil Alienum** 



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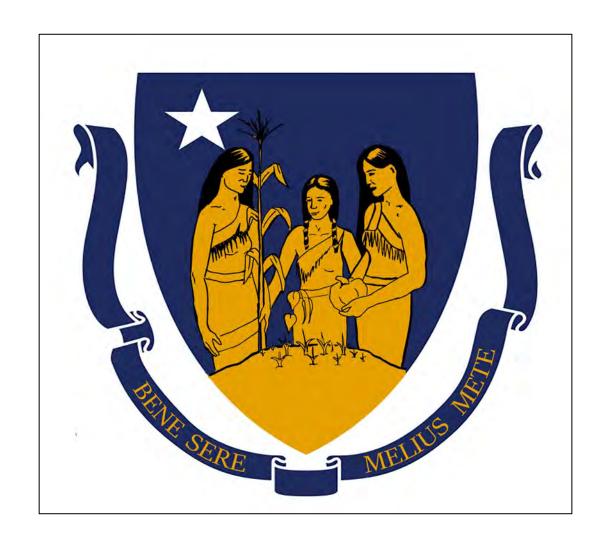


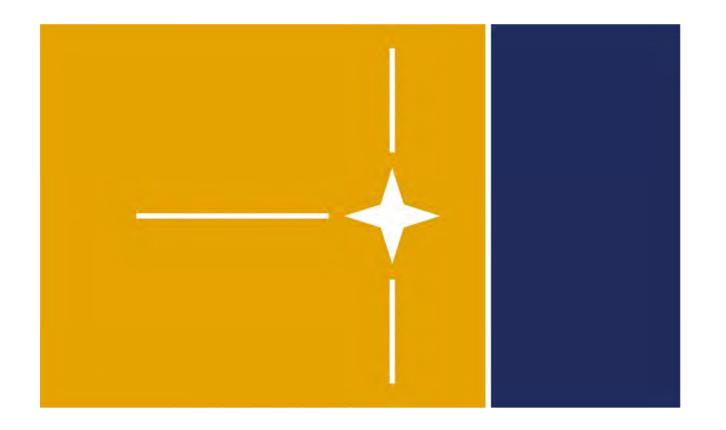
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## Motto: Massachusetts Means More

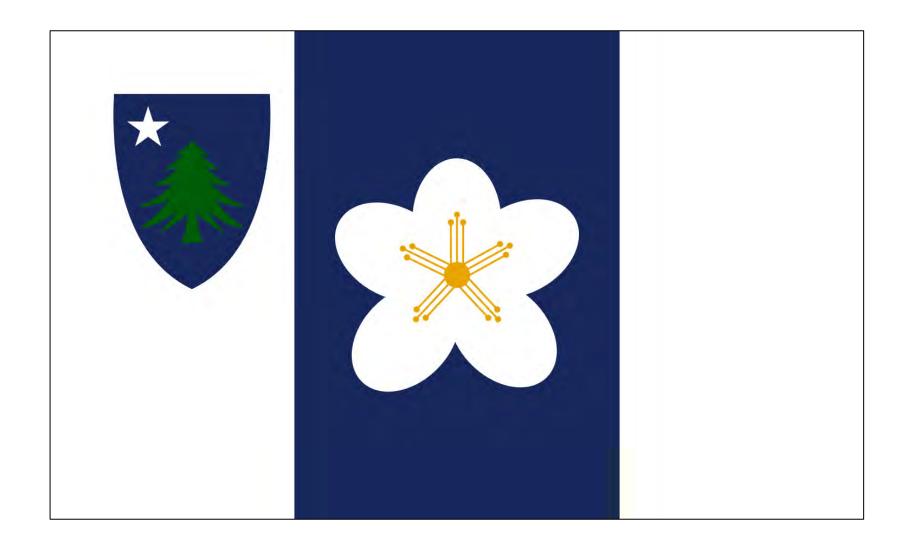
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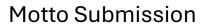








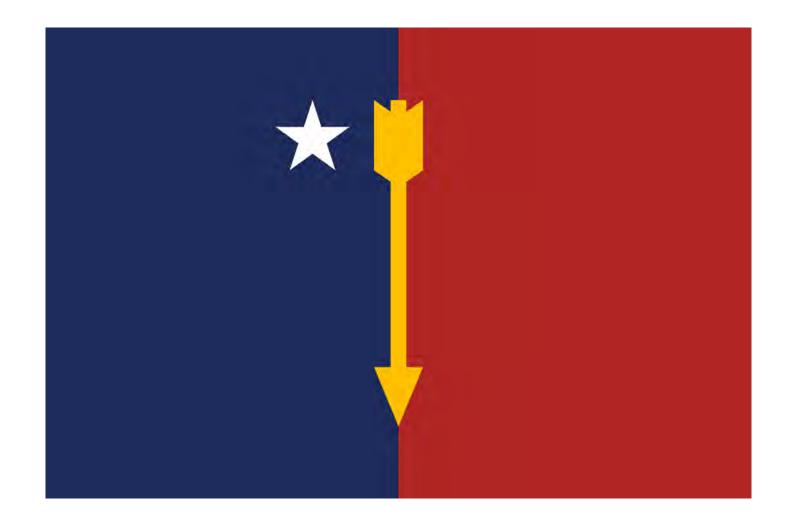


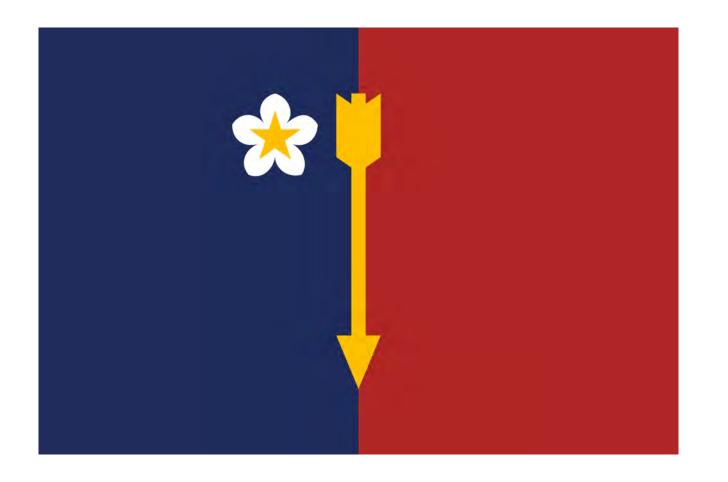


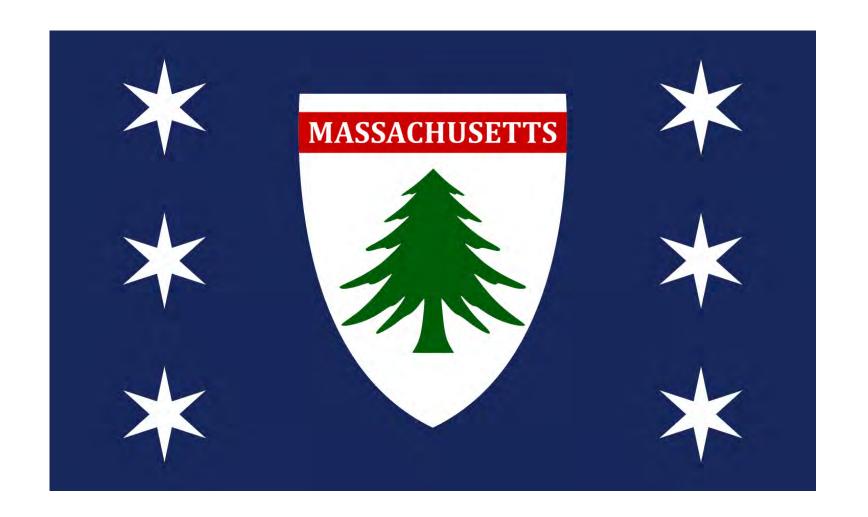
"A Government of Laws and Not of Men."

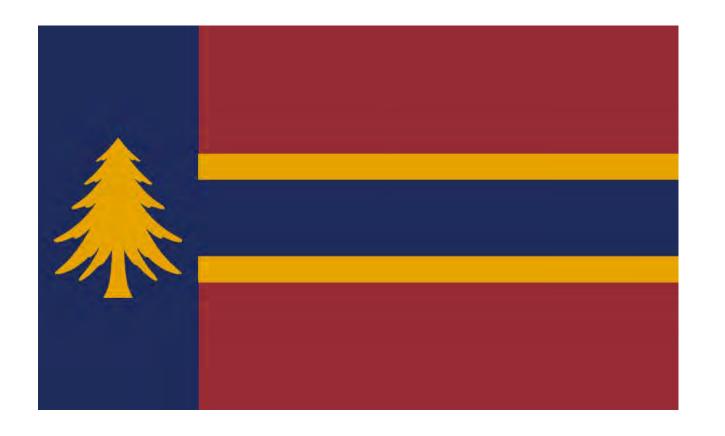
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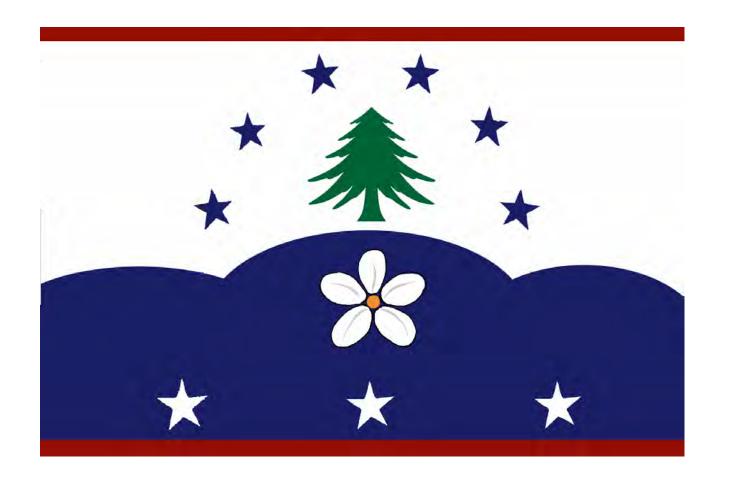


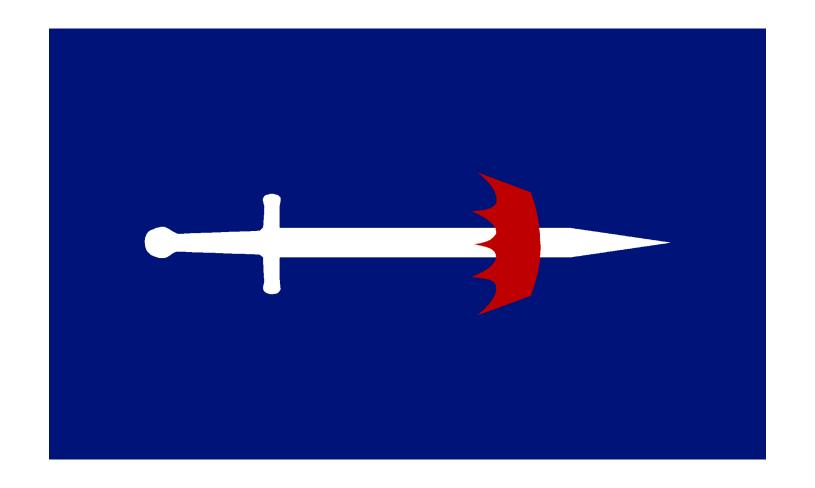




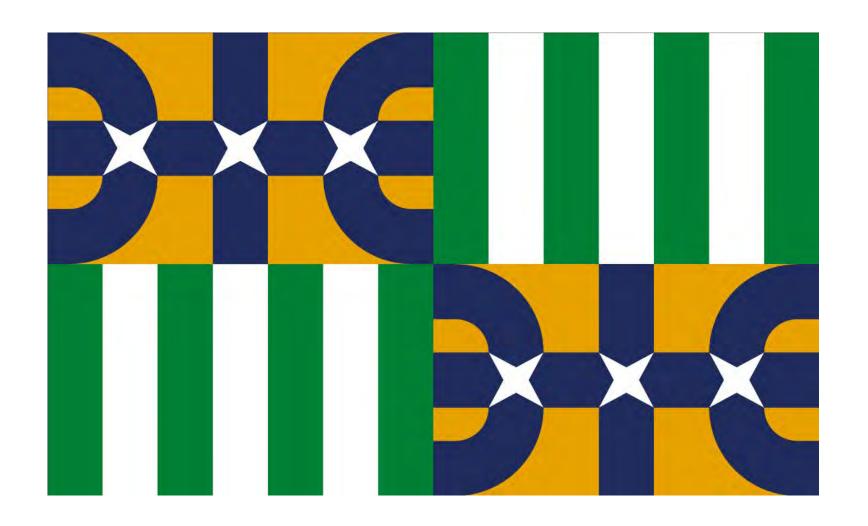


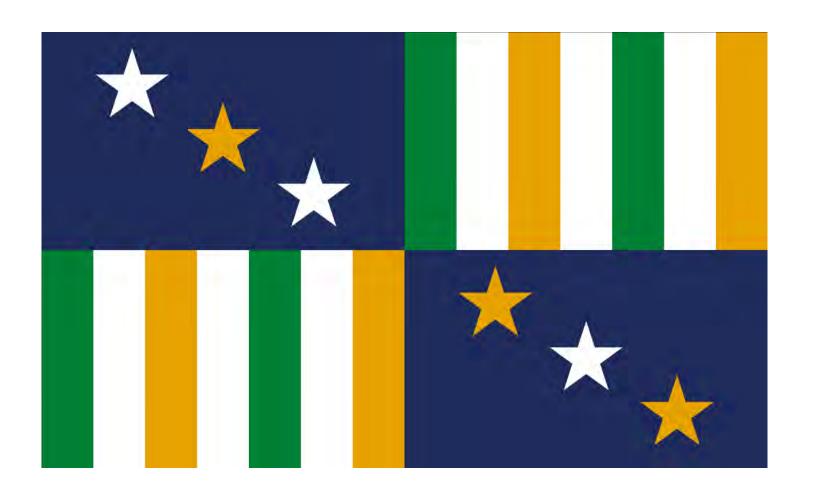
















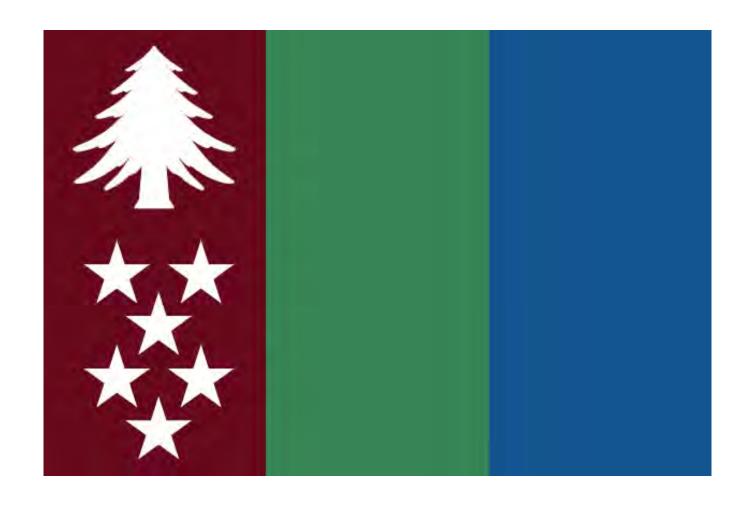
#### Seal Submission



**Motto Submission** 

# PAX SUB LIBERTATE

Peace Under Liberty



#### Seal, Flag, and Motto Submission



#### Seal and Flag Submission



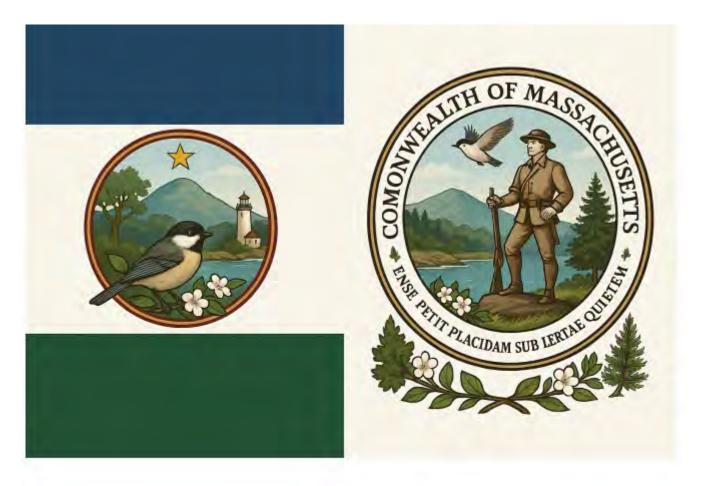


KDB\_ Flag ONE KDB\_ Flag TWO

A flag should be simple and attractive. It should be the kind of design that a child can draw from memory, as well as a design that someone might want to actually have on a piece of merchandise. The flags of Colorado and New Mexico are both extraordinary examples that are widely loved by the citizens of those states -- you can see hats and bumper stickers with those designs very frequently. These simple flags can be shrunk down and remain legible, and they're more easily recognizable. They improve the brand of the state. My submission is the current naval ensign. It's a distictive-looking version of the tree, and its connection to the state is ancient and respectable and symbolic. If necessary, another element can be added, such as six stars of blue. Avoid the temptation to add numerous elements. Try to please everyone, and you will please no one

Motto Submission

Motto: We the people, for the people

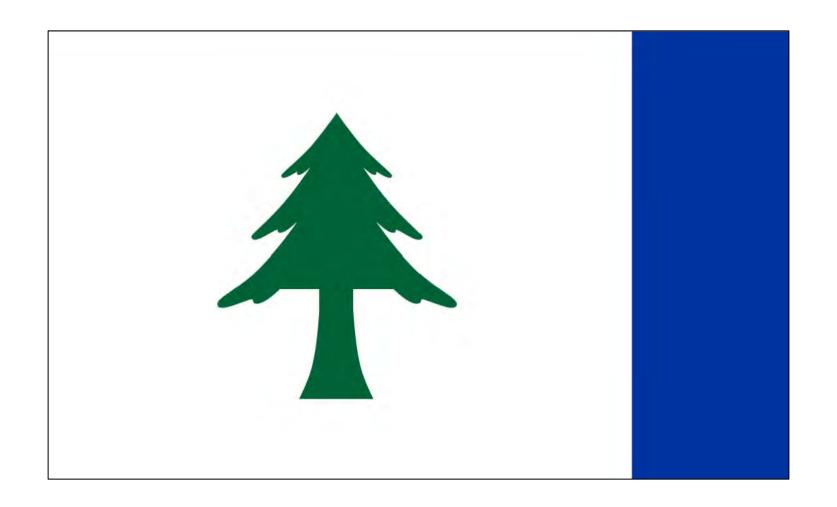


"Pacem petimus, sed numquam sine libertate"



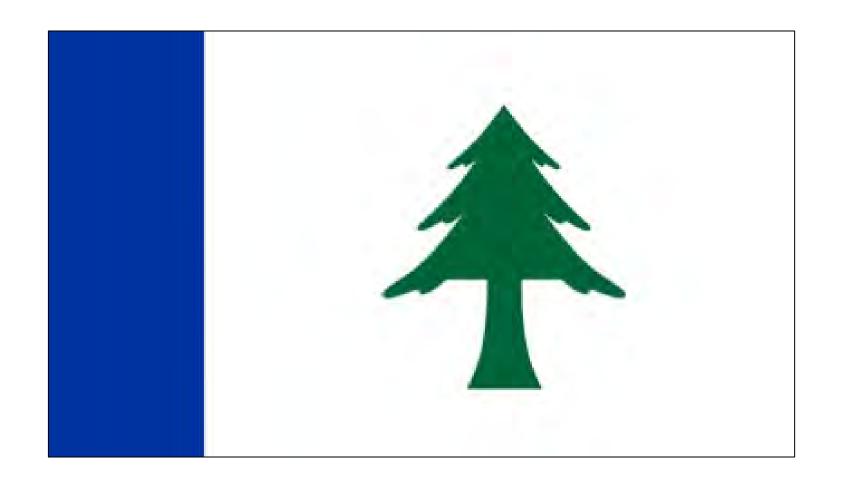
## Flag and Motto Submission















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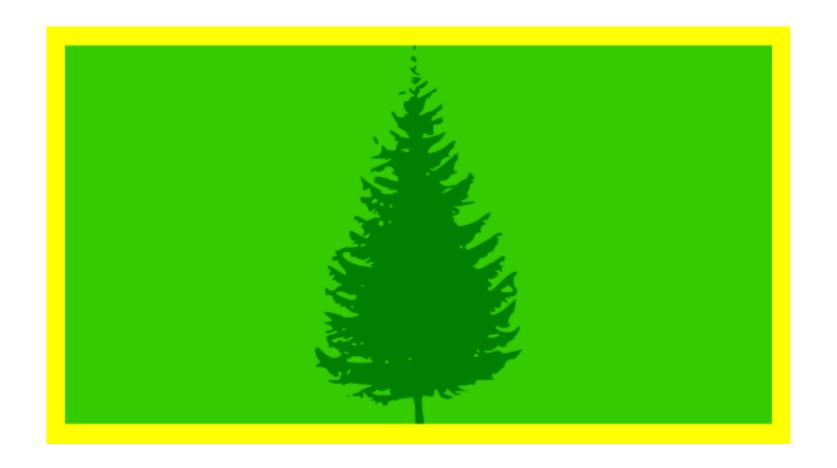
"Peace Under Liberty" or "Peace Through Liberty"

**Motto Submission** 

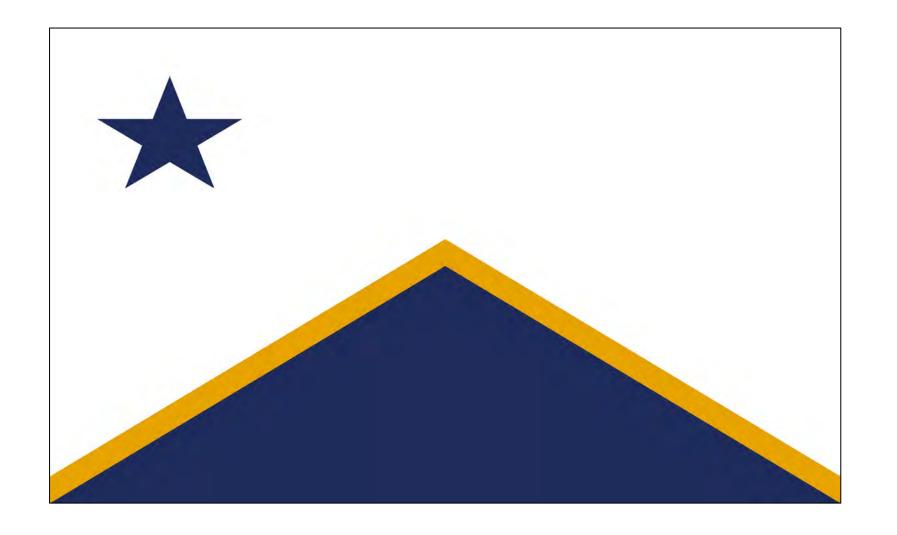
Motto: "More Than Enough"



Motto: Where our Independence Began







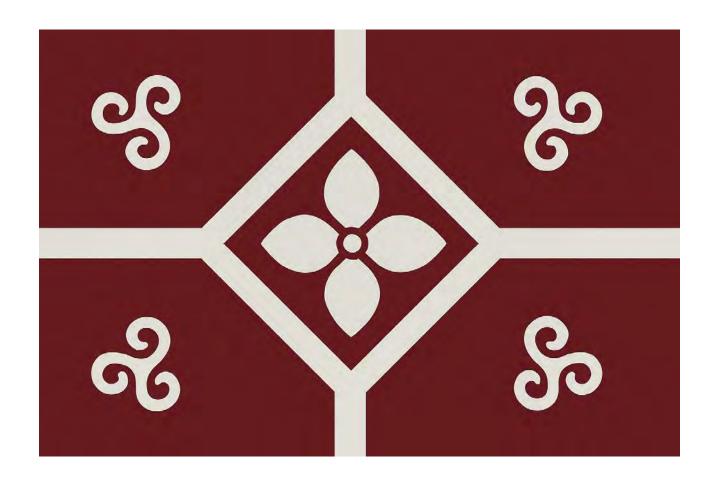


#### Seal Submission



Motto Submission

basically I was thinking "among the hills, liberty" or something similar because Massachusett means "by/around the hills" which makes a reference to the Native population that lived here before we did

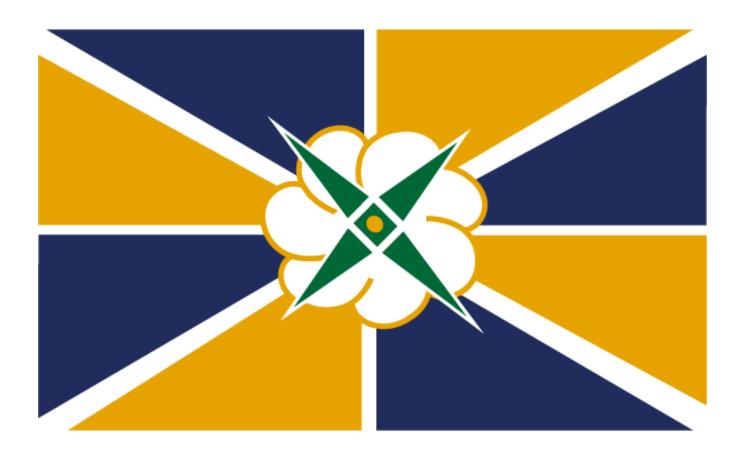


## Seal, Flag and Motto Submission



- "By Wisdom and Revolution, We Rise" Honors the state's role in the American Revolution and its leadership in education (Harvard, MIT) while looking forward.
- "Defiant Spirit, Relentless Progress" Reflects Massachusetts' rebellious roots and its modern push for social and technological advancement.
- "The Past's Battleground, The Future's Blueprint" Acknowledges its revolutionary history while emphasizing its role in innovation (biotech, renewable energy).
- "Freedom First, Forward Always" A modern twist on its revolutionary legacy and progressive politics. "Think Bold, Act Just, Move Forward" Speaks to Massachusetts' intellectual culture, social activism, and innovative drive.
- "Cunning Minds, Stubborn Hearts" A playful take on the stereotypical Bostonian attitude (sharp, argumentative, but principled).
- "From Liberty's Cradle to Tomorrow's Light" Connects its revolutionary origins (Lexington, Concord) with its leadership in science and education.
- "The Spirit of '76 Still Speaks" A direct homage to its revolutionary fire, suggesting that its boldness endures today.



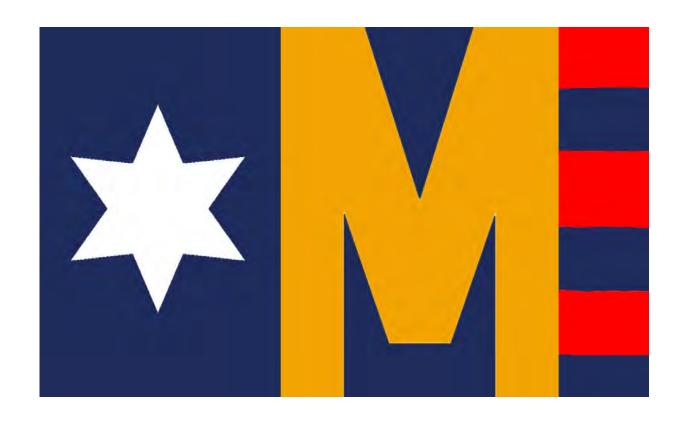


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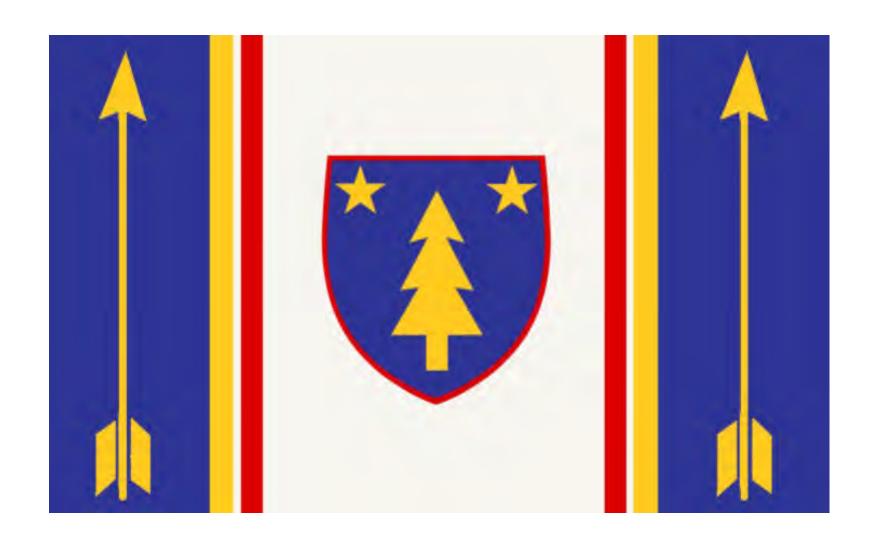
SUBMISSION TYPE: Seal, Motto

**Peace Through Revolution** 



	Flag and Motto Submission
The New American Dream - Unyielding - Breaker of Tyranny	





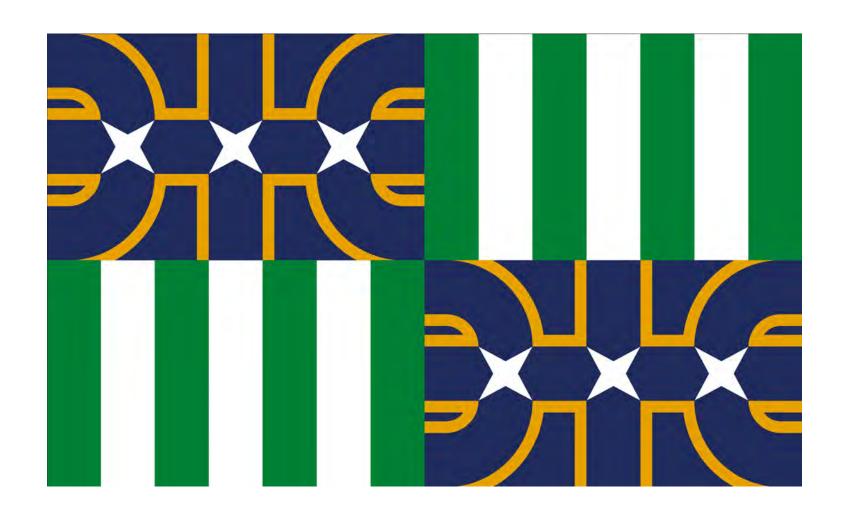


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#### Seal Submission









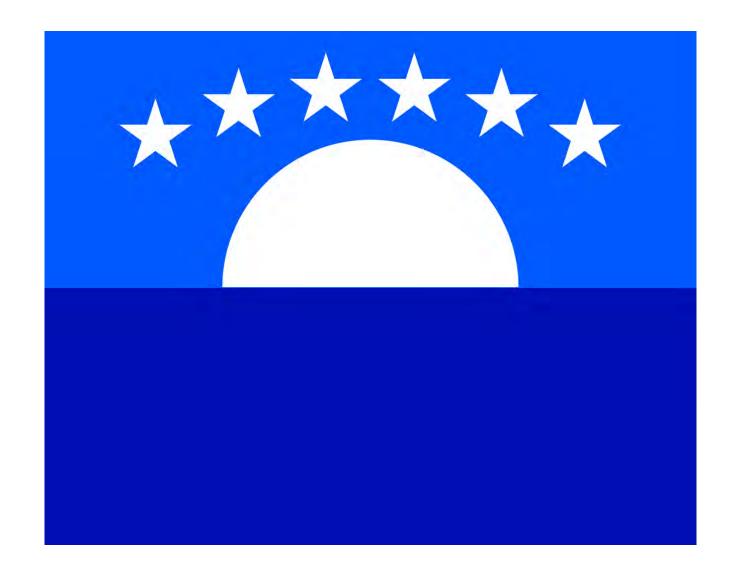


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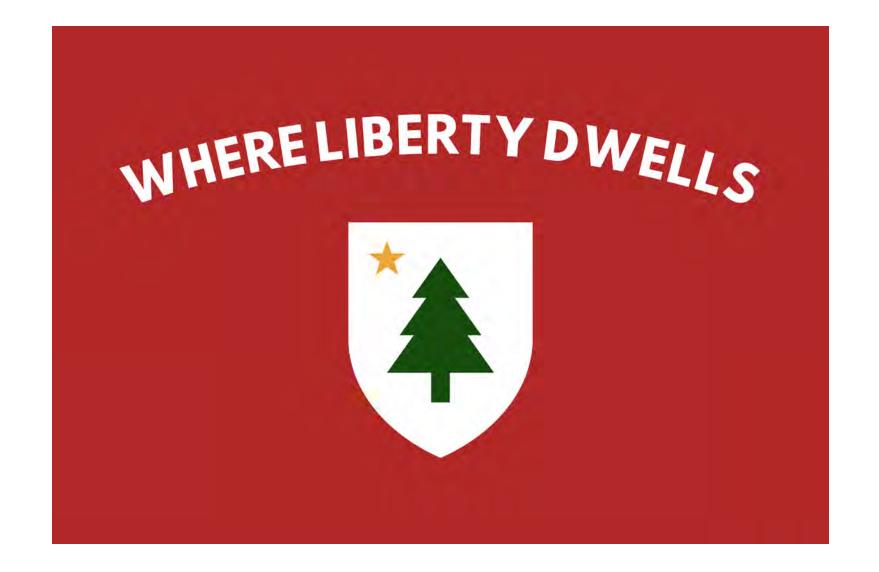
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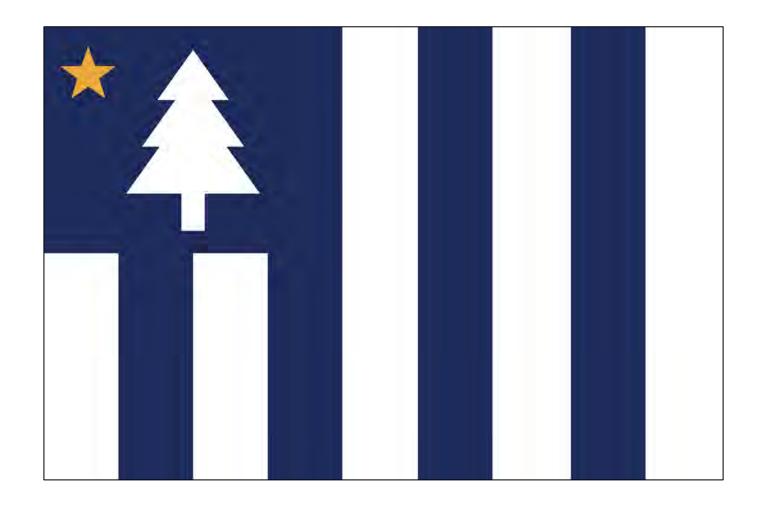


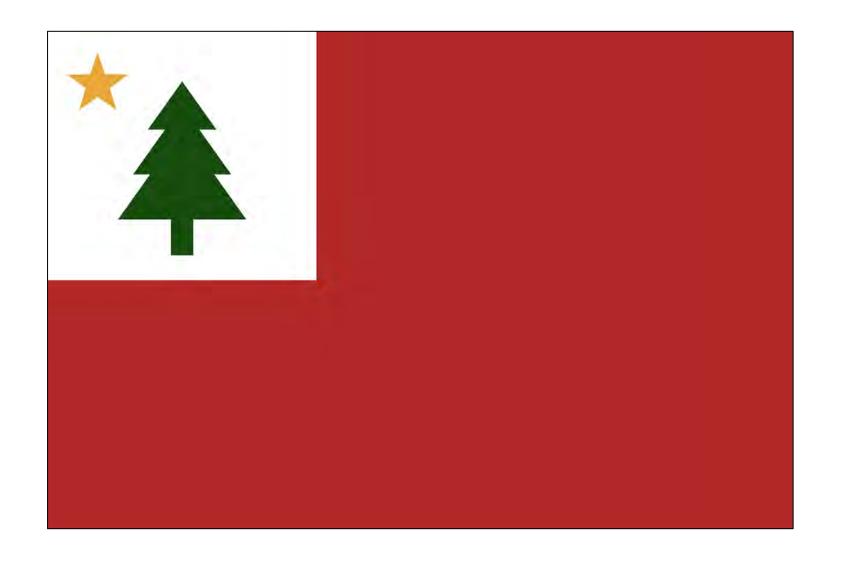












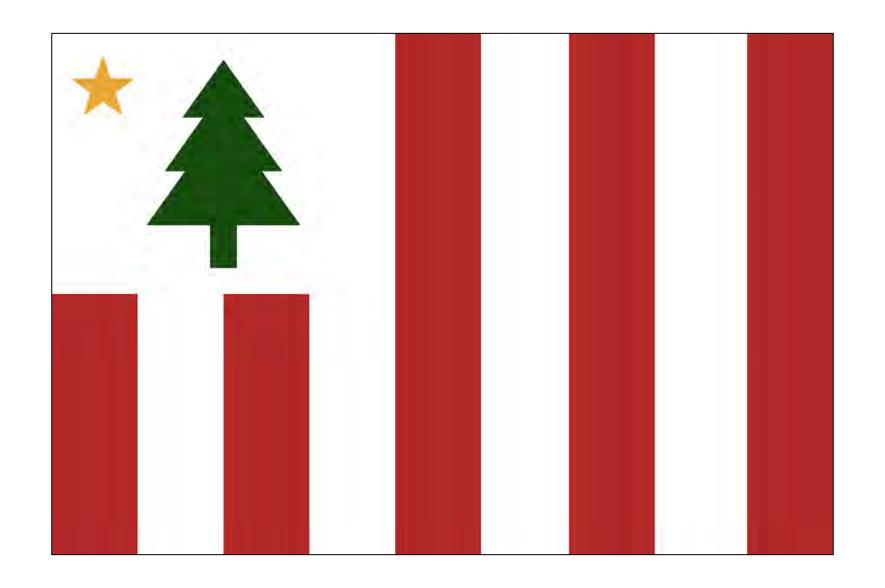
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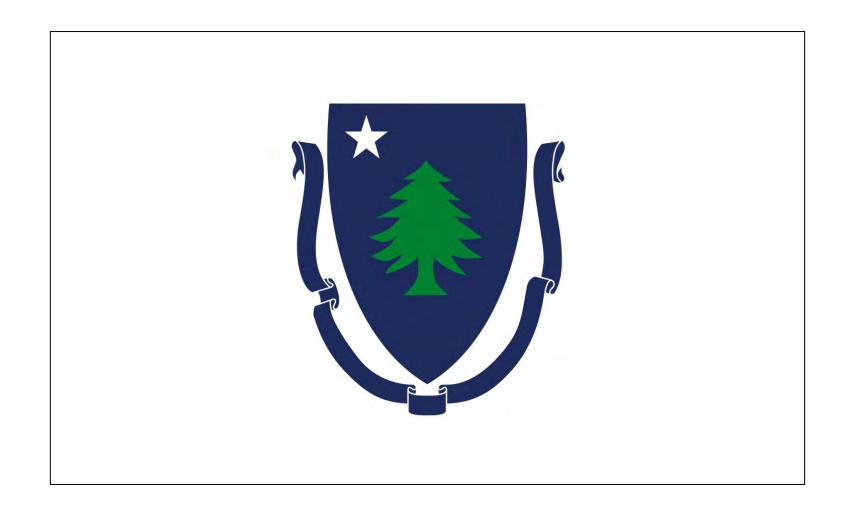


Motto Submission

I have also found a Benjamin Franklin **quote "Where Liberty Dwells"** and have used it as our state motto. Thank you for taking the time to look at my submissions



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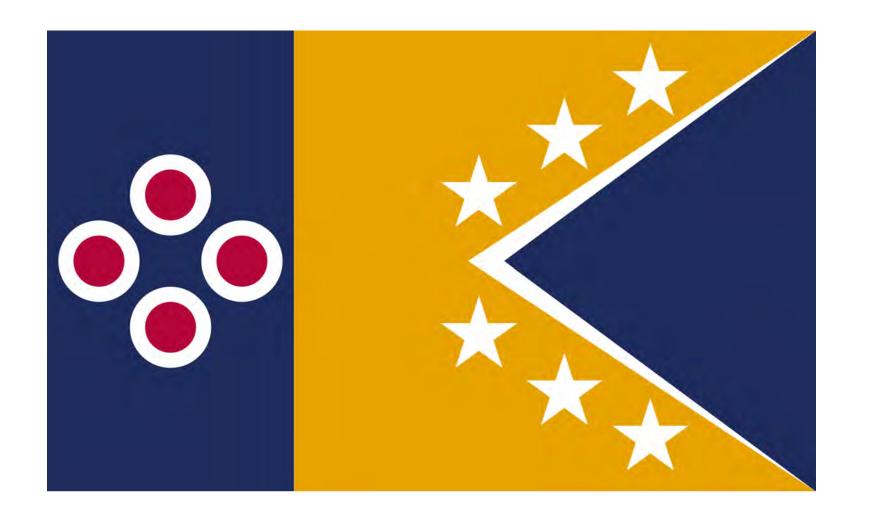
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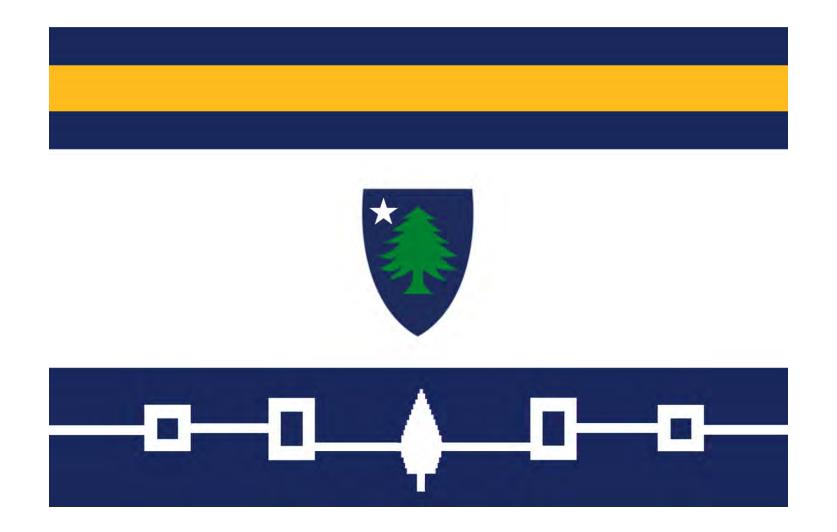


**Motto Submission** 

Motto: **Turning Dreams into Memories** 

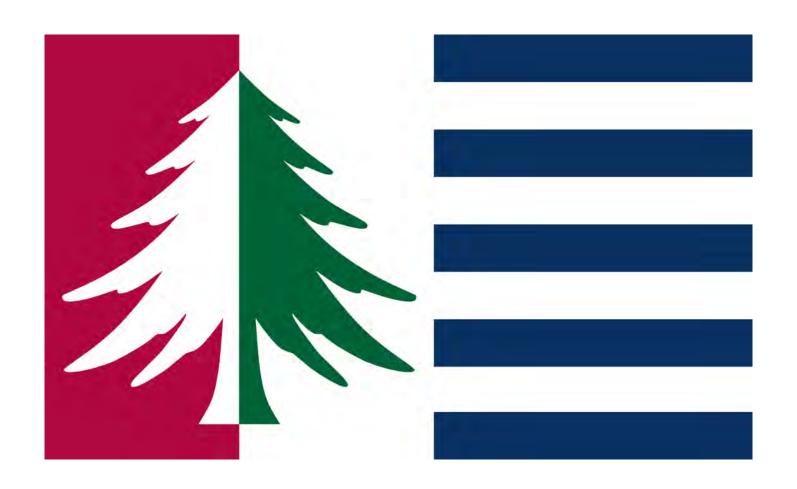






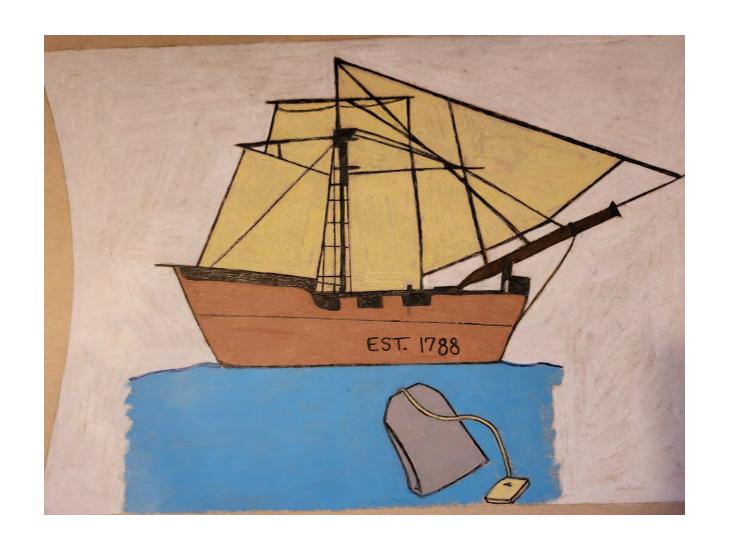
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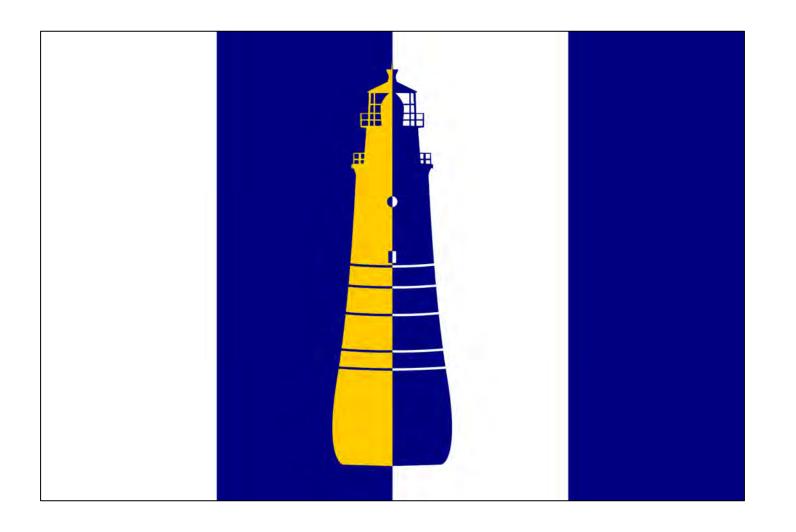


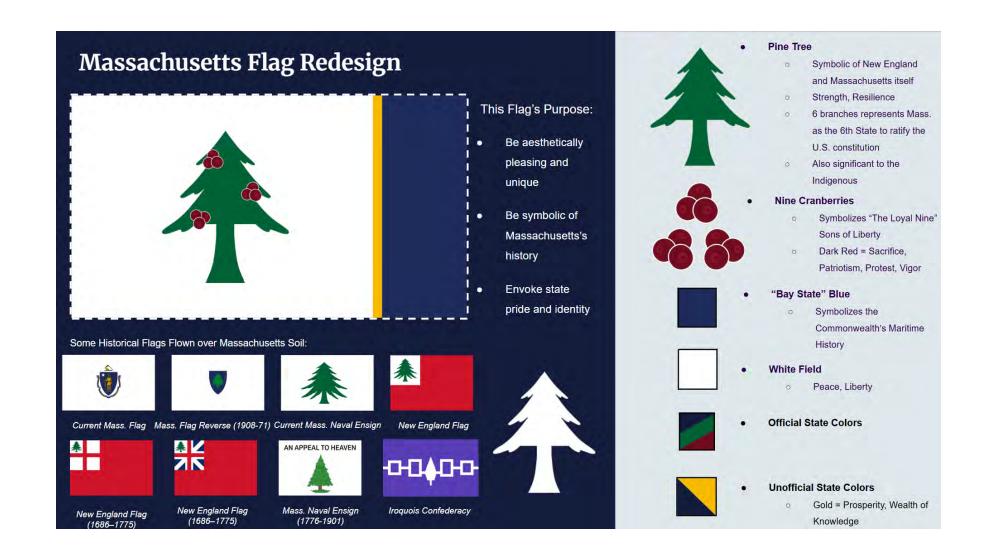
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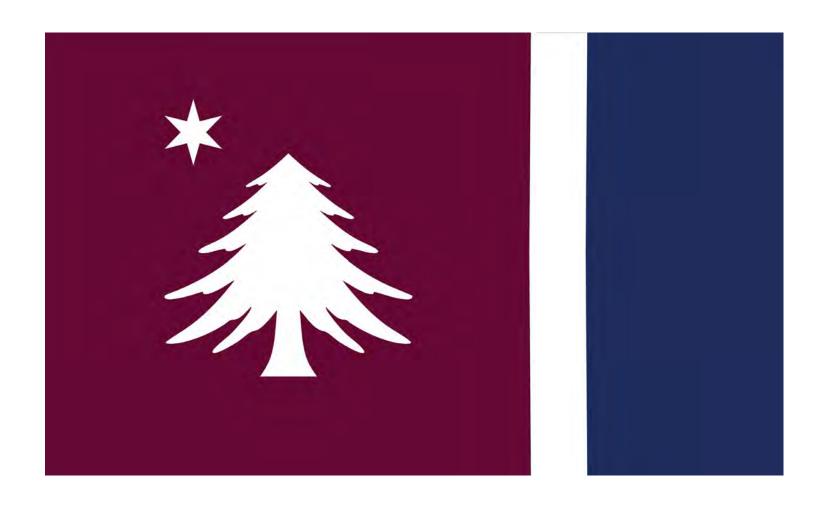


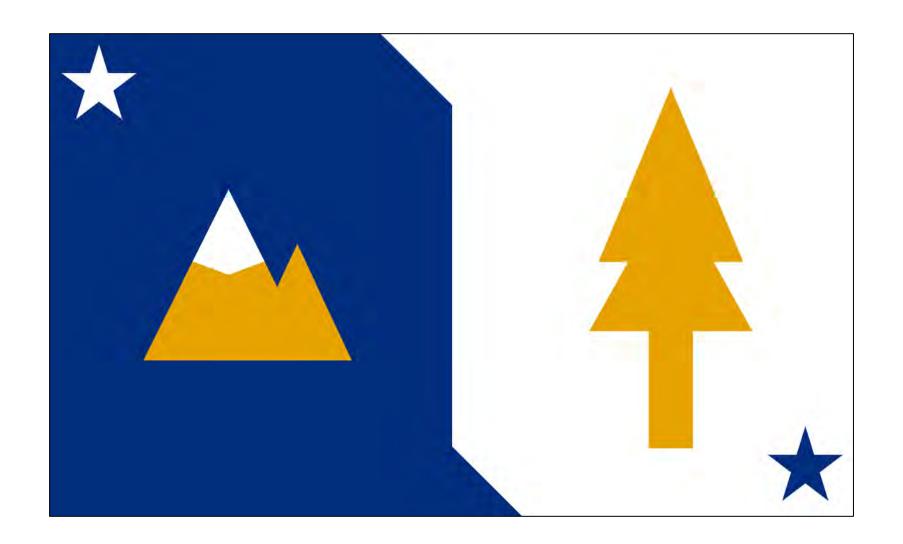
The proposed motto is "As a city upon a hill, the eyes of all people are upon us." These words, delivered by John Winthrop to the first generation of the Massachusetts Bay colony before their departure from England, are both historically important to the Commonwealth and of continuing relevance. The full quotation is important: "A city upon a hill" alone sounds self-congratulatory, but in the original context the statement is not a boast but a warning: if our society does not live up to its principles, the world will know







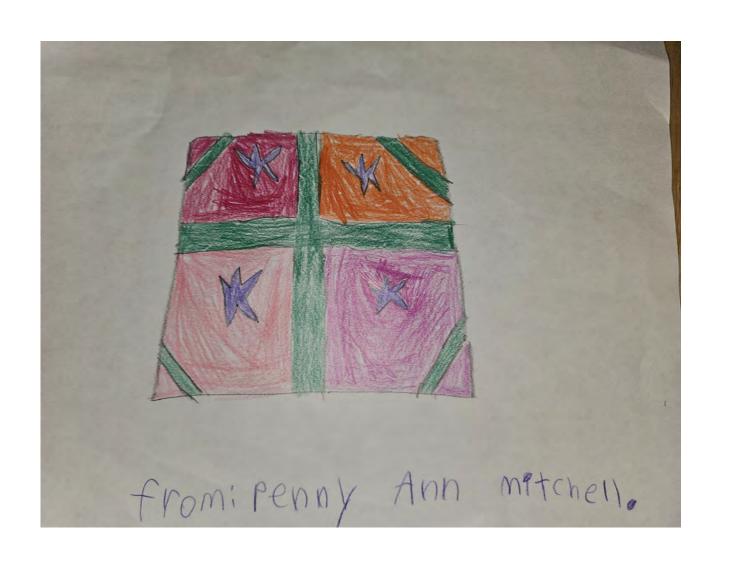


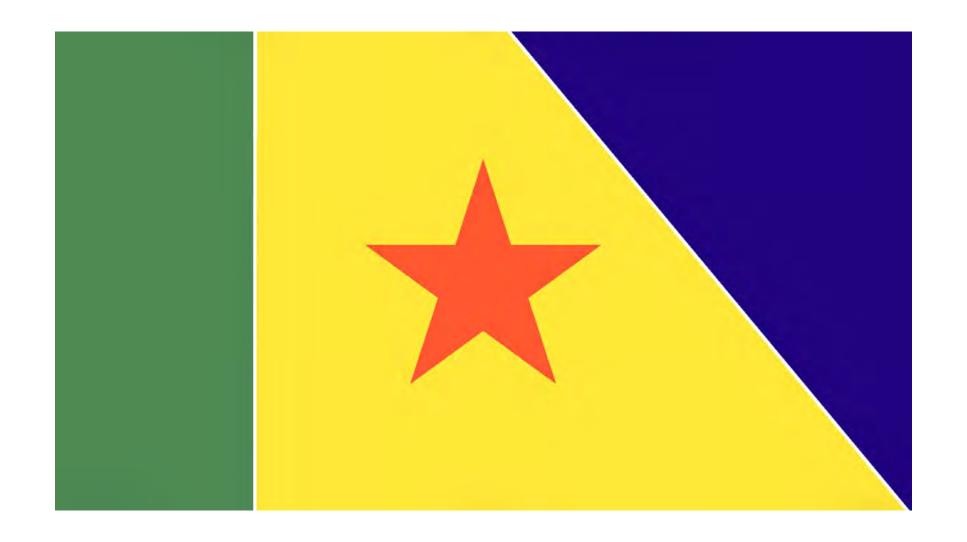


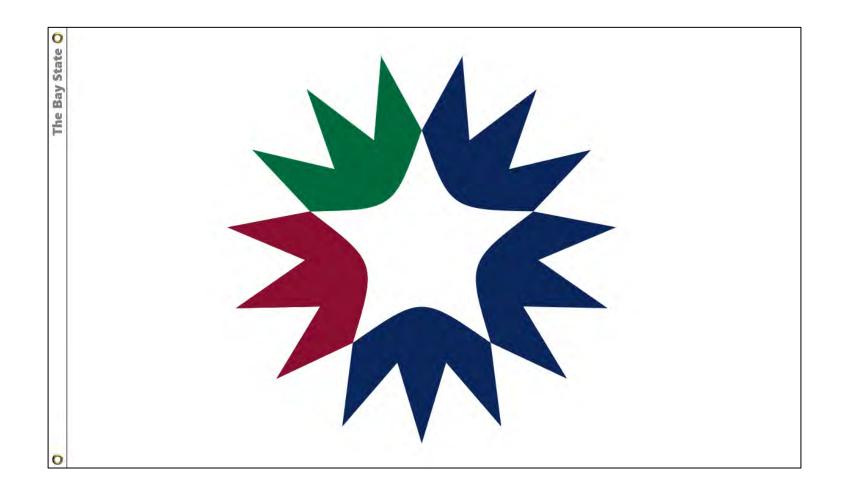
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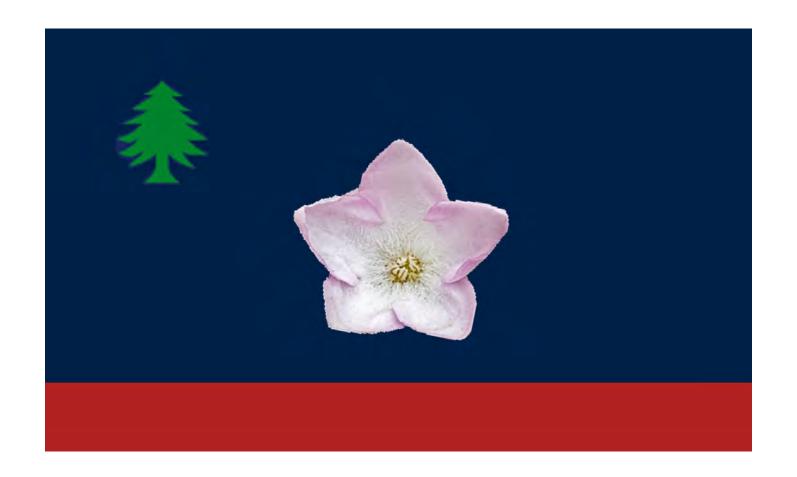






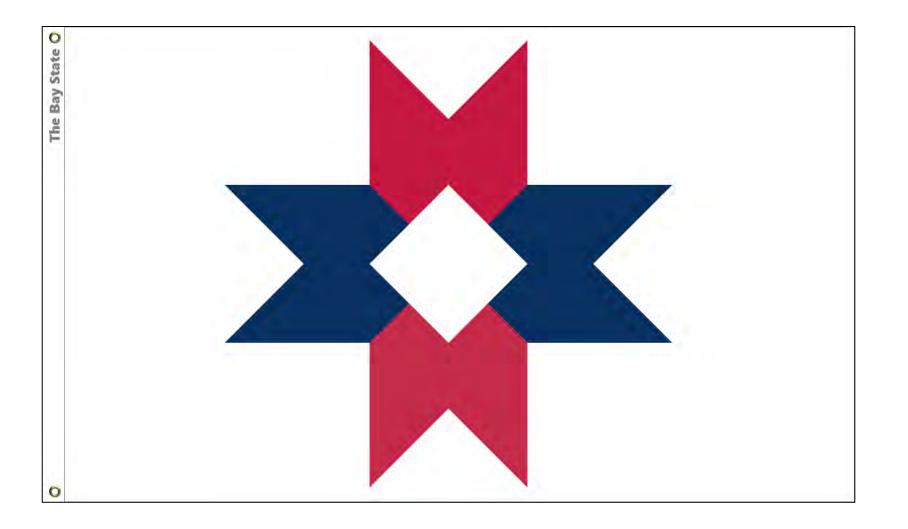






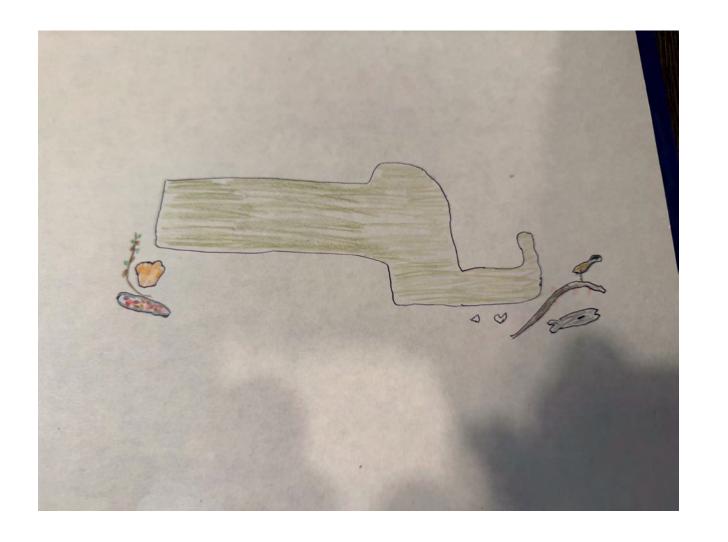
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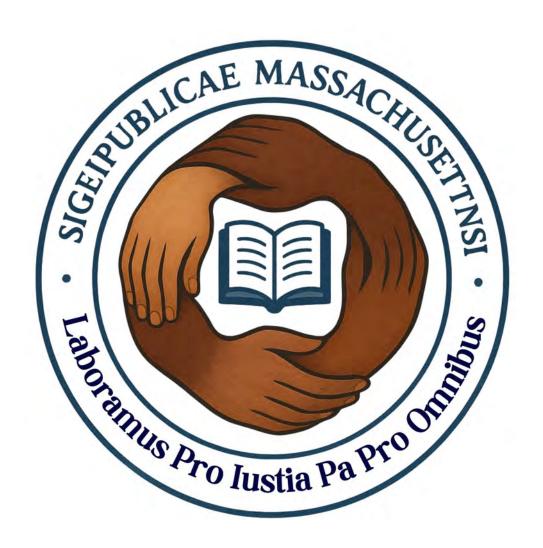


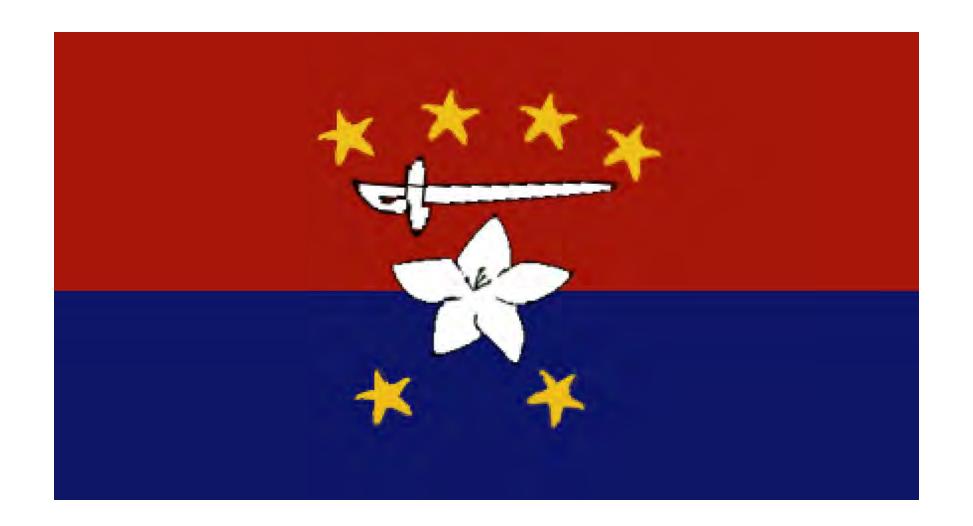


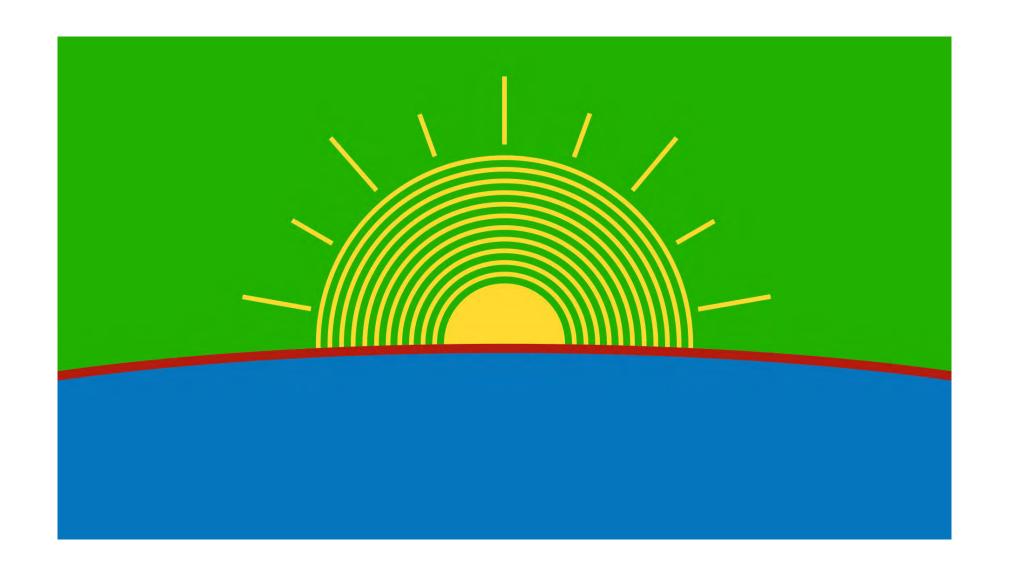
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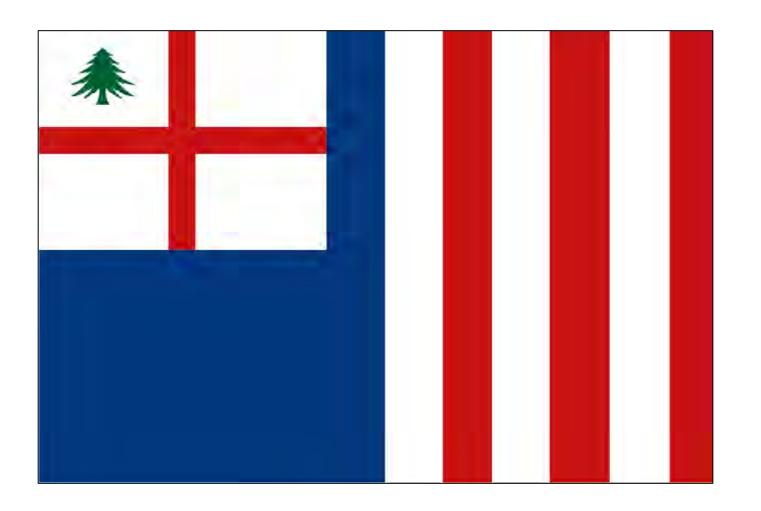
# PEACE & LIBERTY





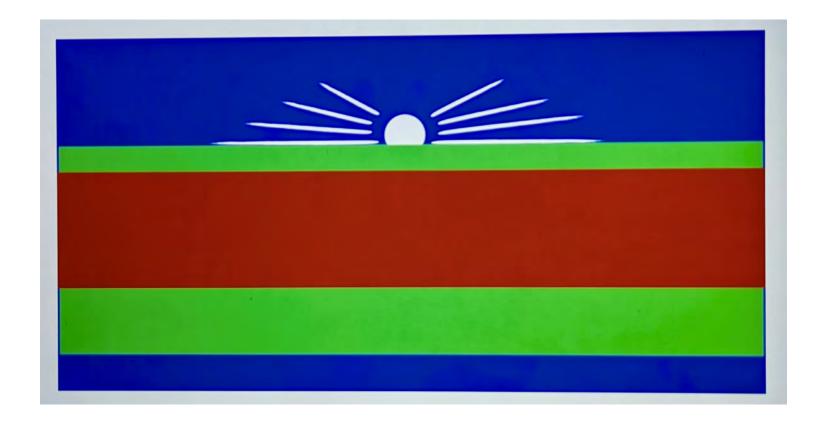






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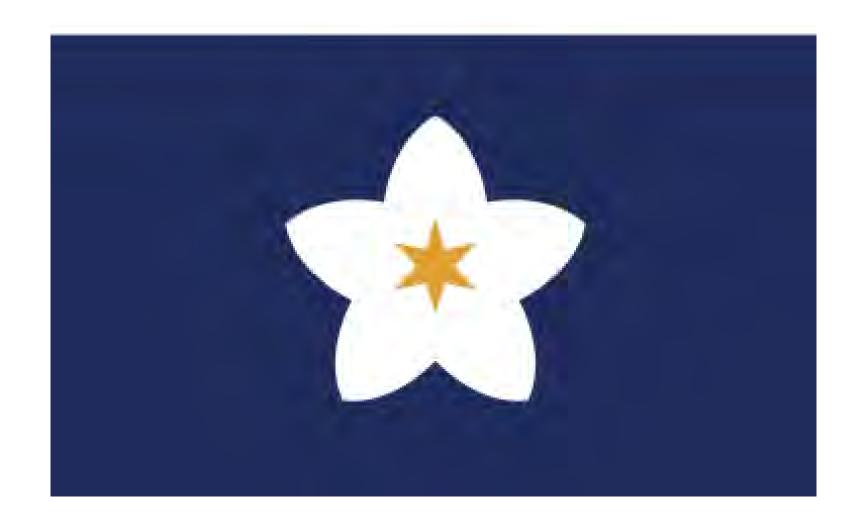




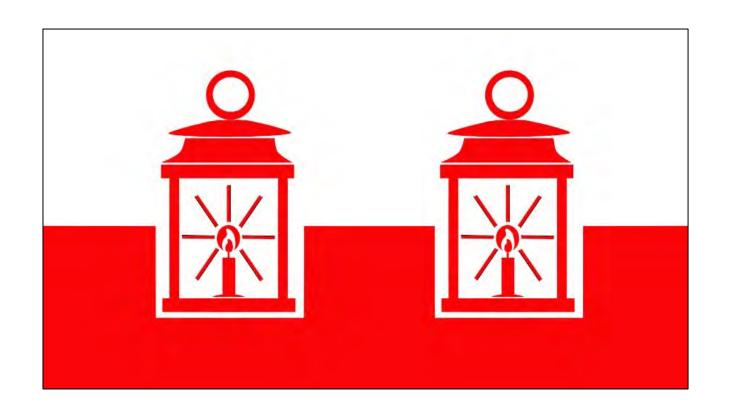


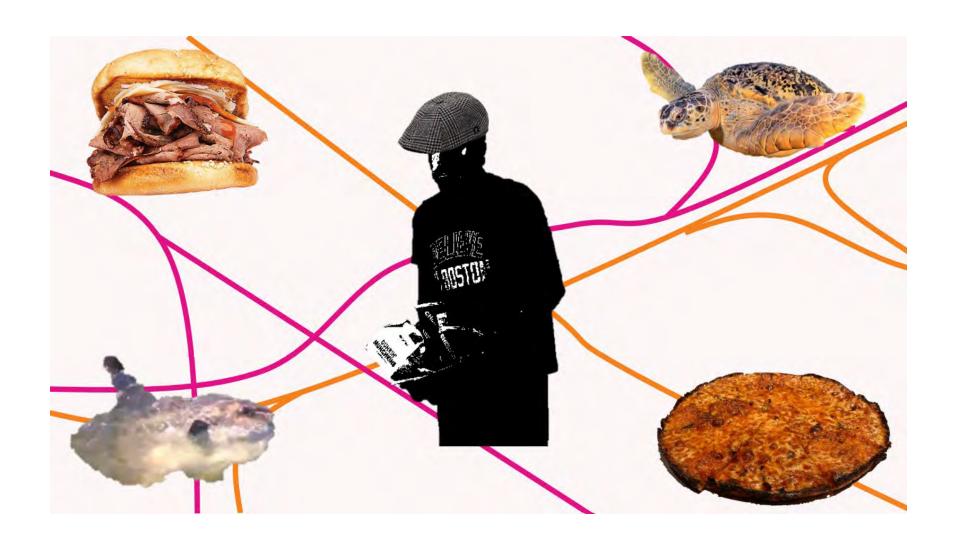


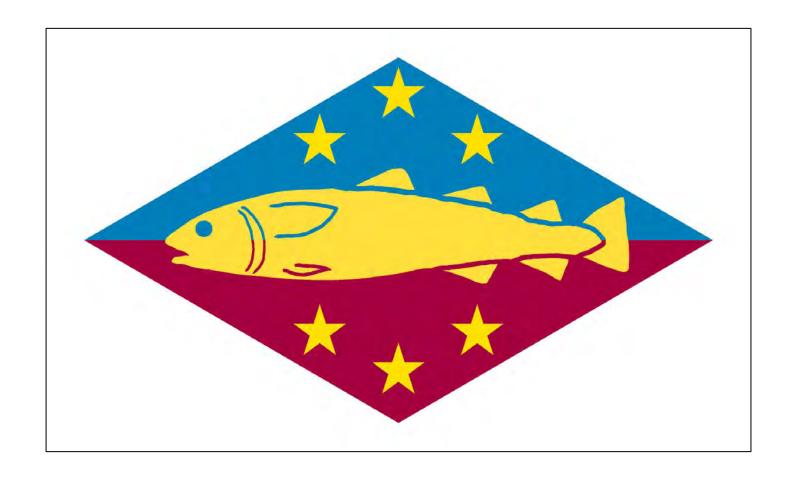


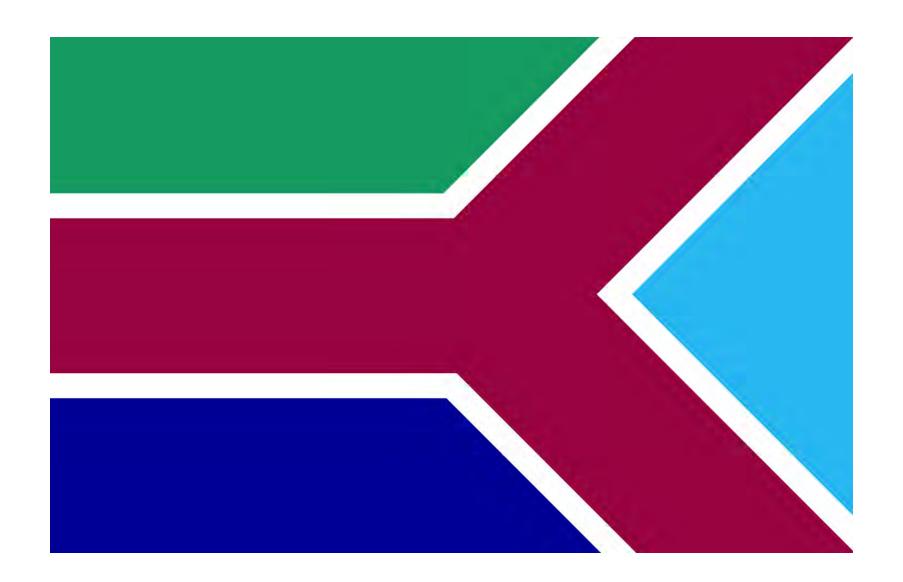


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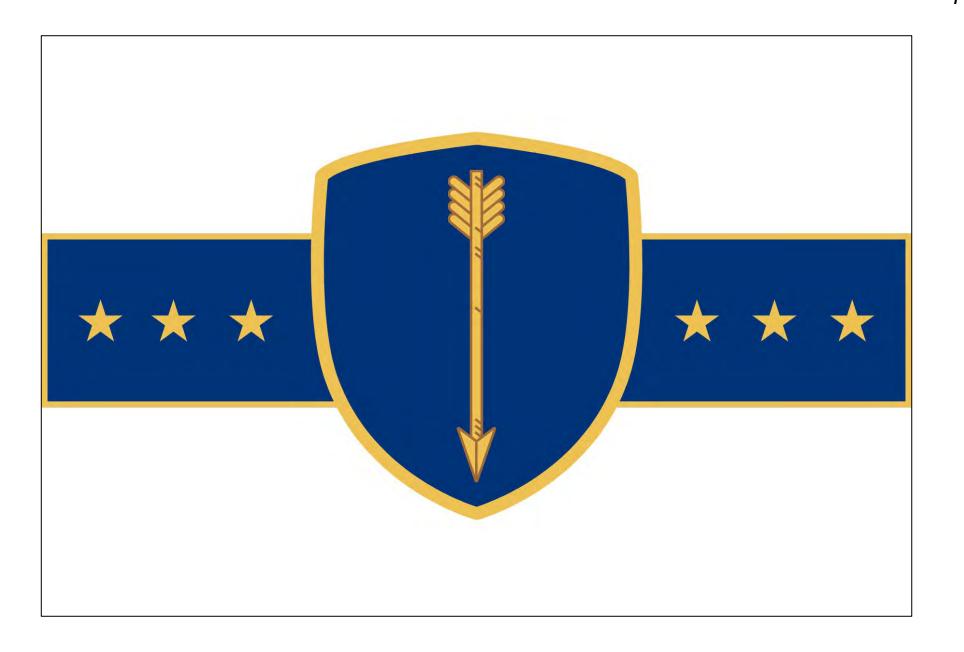








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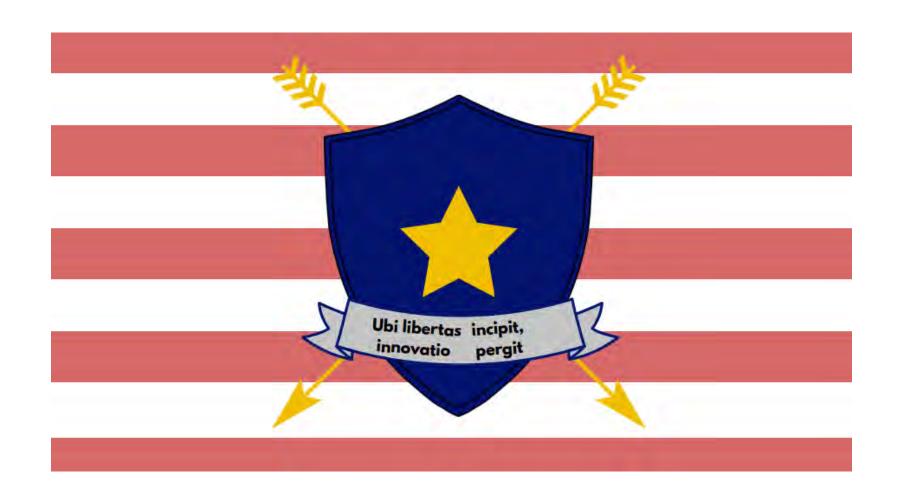




### Flag and Motto Submission







**Motto Submission** 

Motto: Let it Begin Here



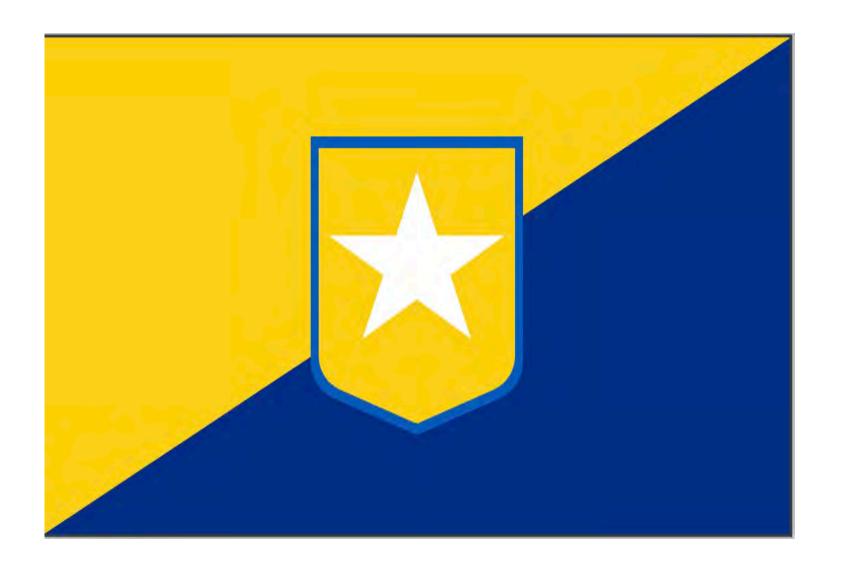
Lastly, the motto can mean a lot of things, but I wanted it to have a nod towards the massive role that Massachusetts played in the American Revolution. Freedom's Foundation is what I chose, as Massachusetts had a big part to play in the US gaining its freedom. The next part is supposed to represent how Massachusetts as a whole is a forward-thinking state, always trying to innovate and create something new. Future's Focus means that while we recognize our history, in things like the Freedom Trail, which draws millions to Massachusetts every year, we also need to move forward and create new traditions and history.

### Flag and Motto Submission

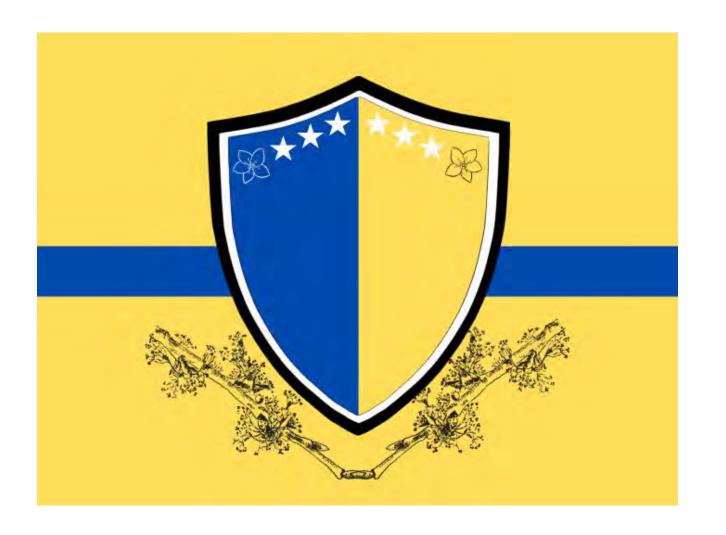


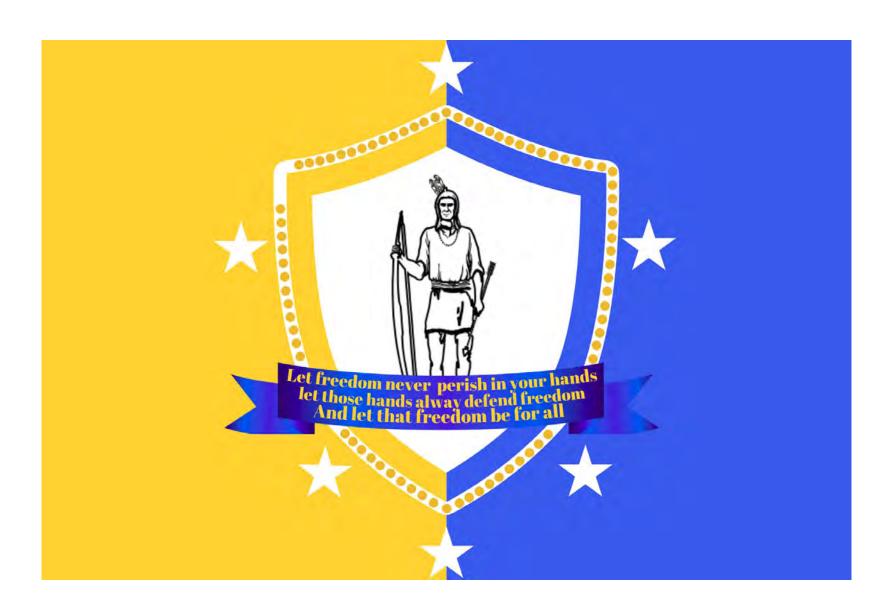


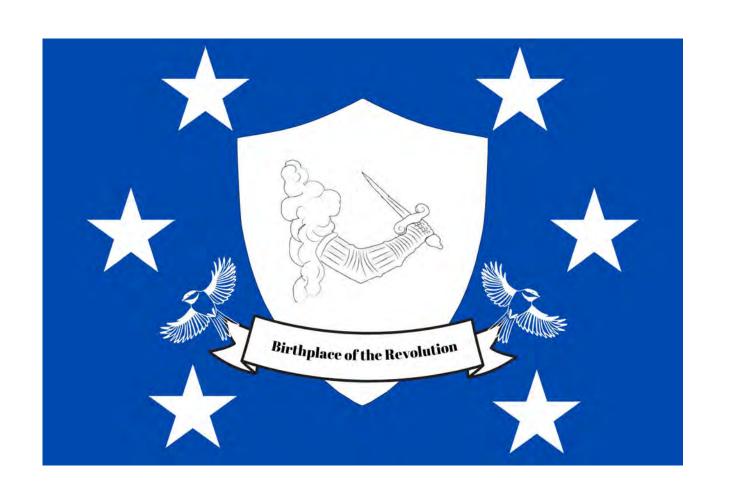
The motto, "fall seven times, stand up eight," is attributed to the perseverance ingrained in the culture here in Massachusetts. Whether it be education and learning, our large biomed industry and its innovative contributions to medicine that help protect people from disease and illness, or our sports teams beating the odds when it's against them. The identity we carry with ourselves is to never back down and never give up, and to keep fighting for ourselves and what we believe in, and for the unity of the commonwealth. Massachusetts, in more recent history, has been democratically leaning and promotes reform and progress. Reform and progress come with action, and the action has started in Massachusetts since the founding of the US



# Flag Submission

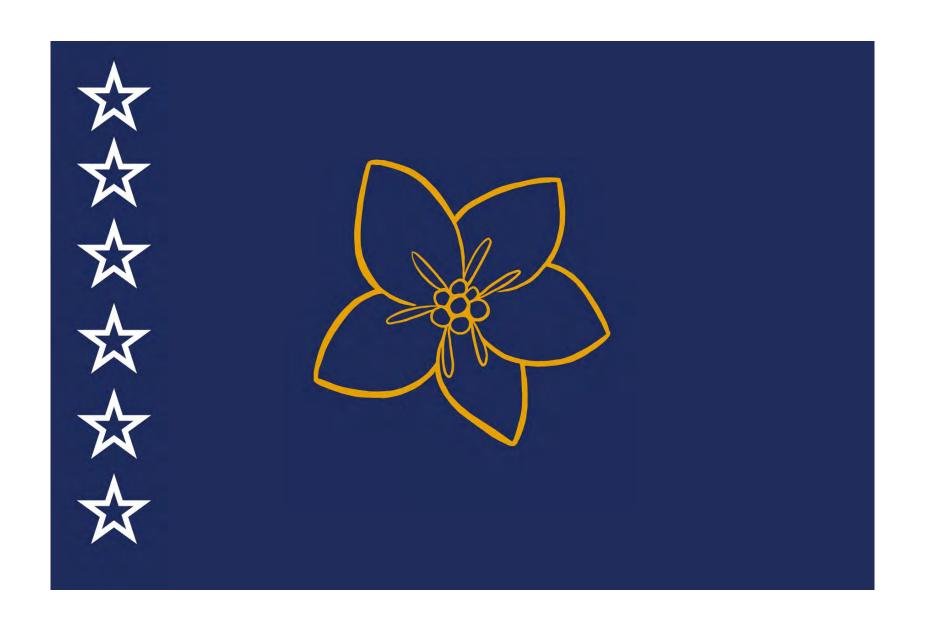




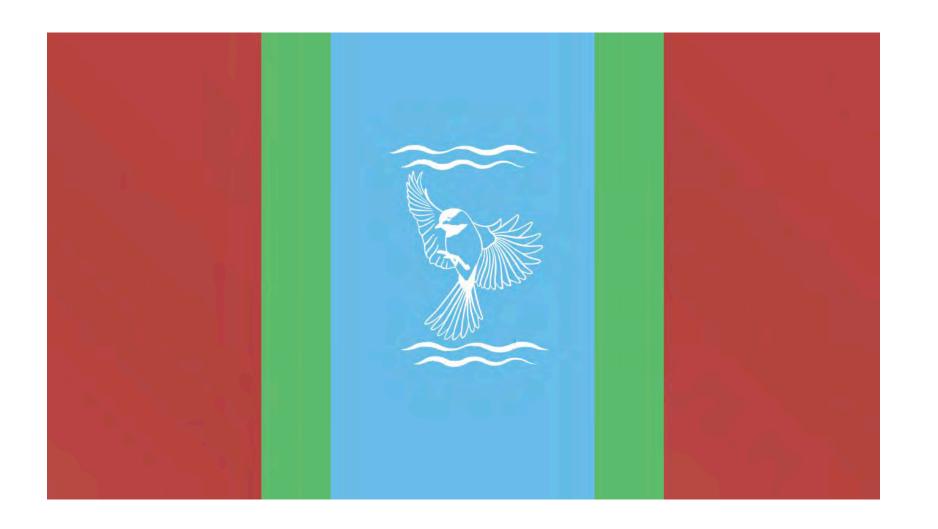








Lastly, the motto I chose is "Strive for peace and fight for liberty". I chose this motto to continue the importance of peace and liberty but using modern wording and ideas. Massachusetts is a symbol of liberty starting with the Boston Tea Party and the Sons of Liberty. Massachusetts is where many of the Patriots fought British tyranny and started with the rally cry of "no taxation without representation". They used this rally and boycotts to push against British laws and acts such as the Sugar and Stamp Act. Then the legacy of liberty carried into the battles of Lexington and Concord which marked the beginning of the American Revolutionary War. This flag is meant to honor the history of fighting for liberty in Massachusetts while also making the flag more modern in the design and its ideas.

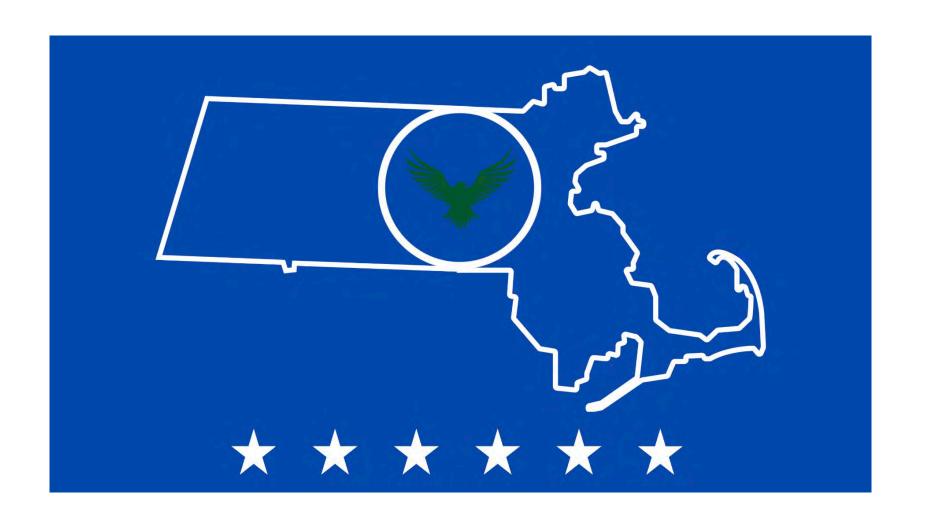


The motto that I came up with is "Where I fly, freedom thrives" which is a nod to the chickadee and how it represents a thought of warning to danger. I came up with this because of how Paul Revere came to tell the colonies that the British were coming. I wanted to incorporate it somehow because I know that it is very important to MA and to its important history.

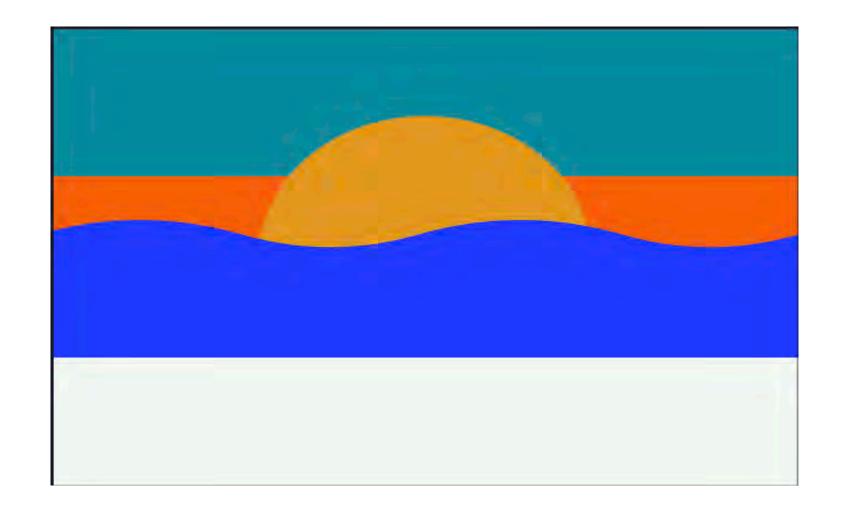
# Seek your liberty



The motto "seek your liberty" is an accurate summary of the larger role played by the citizens and groups of Massachusetts in the founding of our country. Liberty is a notion that never has been, and never will be, forgotten among citizens and governors of this state and our country as a whole. Even today, we as citizens of Massachusetts make freedom and justice a priority in the value placed on public institutions such as public school in order to keep the general public educated on the principles of liberty to maintain the democratic state that we are currently in.



To go along with the ideas of Independence and our current focus on Innovation, our state motto should be "Where Innovation Meets Independence", as this represents our past, present, and future. We are a progressive state and we should not lose that. It also ties together the flag and seal



The motto for this flag is; Where Acceptance Meets Freedom. This motto represents both the strong ideals of tolerance and liberty in this state, and combines them.

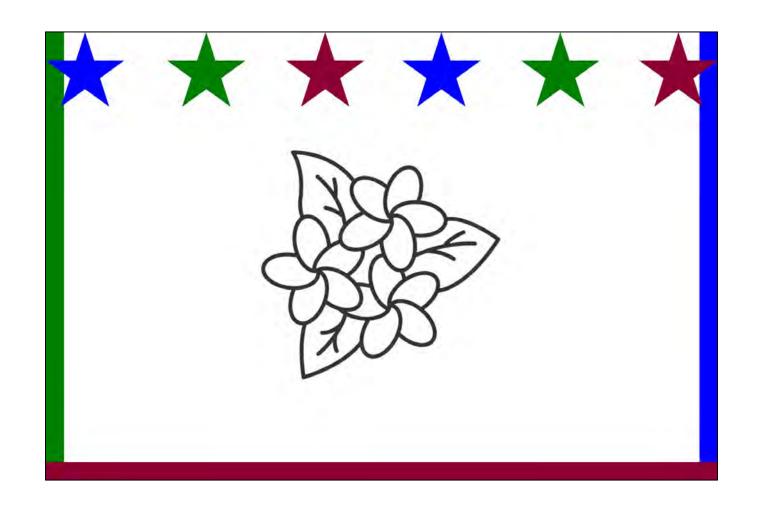
### Flag Submission



Finally, there is the motto. It is called "Libertas" in Latin and translates to "Freedom" in English. Massachusetts has played a large role in dictating the freedom of people in the US. It was there since the first pilgrims landed on Plymouth and continued on through significant wars like the Revolutionary War and Civil War. Massachusetts has always believed in no slavery and equal rights for the people. With these ideals, it's only fitting for them to have the motto of "Libertas" or "Freedom".



My motto for the new state flag is "We the Stars, United under peace and freedom". I think this motto captures important values of Massachusetts unity as well as peace between individuals and individual freedom, which are portrayed in the flag.



The motto of the flag is "Liberty of the Bay." Massachusetts is often called the Bay State, and to show the history of Massachusetts in one word, I chose liberty. The colonists' desire to acquire freedom through events such as explained, shows how Massachusetts is developed.

### Flag Submission



The motto reads, "The Heart of the East Coast". This was the motto I chose because it also goes back to the Massachusetts history and origins of how we began. As Massachusetts was the first of the east coast colonies I referred to it as the heart as it was the beginning to America, creating an easily understandable and recognizable quote to all Americans not just natives to Massachusetts.

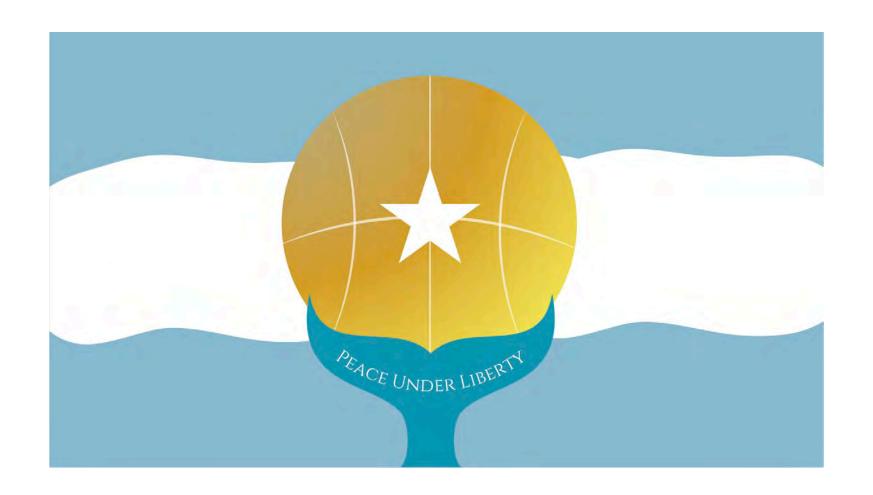
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"Under the stars, We fight for freedom blue."

### Seal and Flag Submission



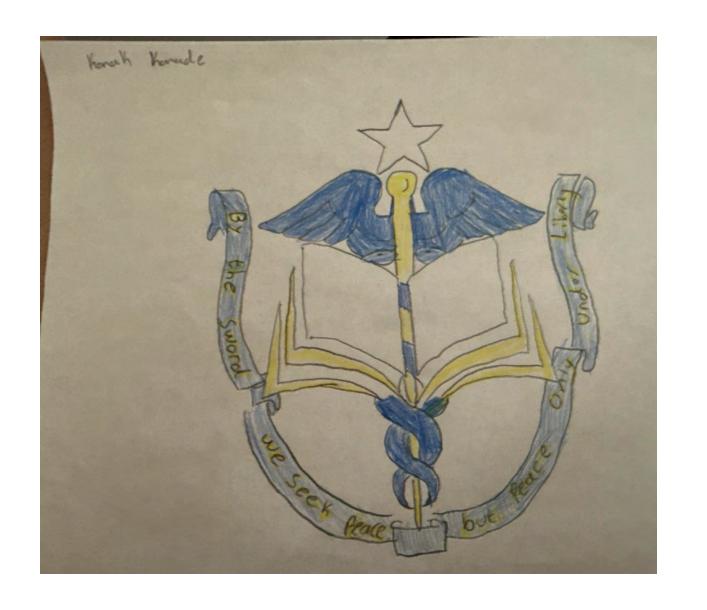
**Peace Under Liberty** 

#### Flag and Motto Submission

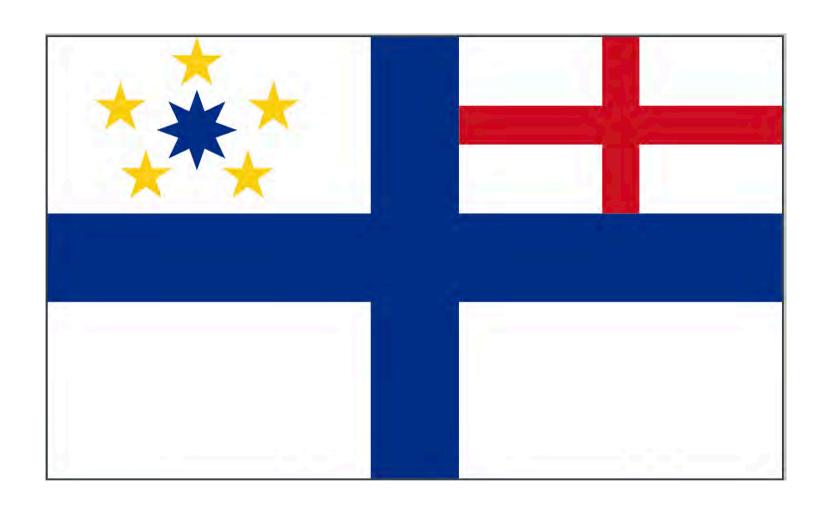




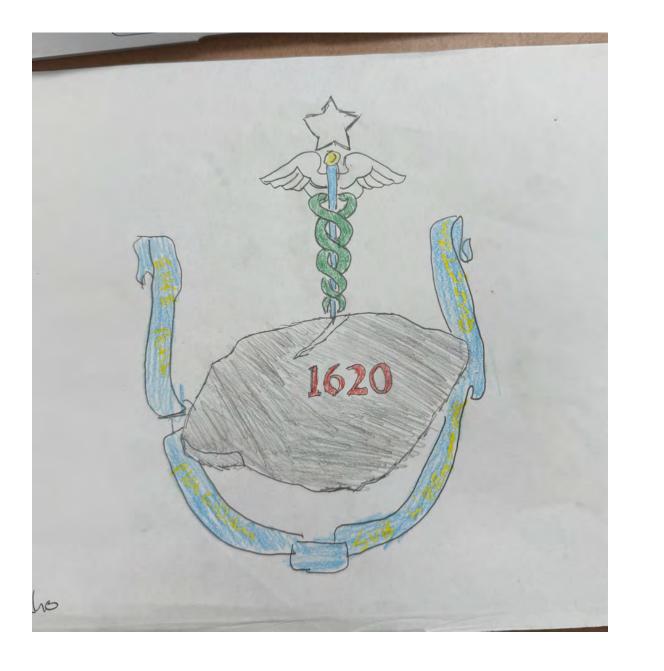
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### Flag and Motto Submission

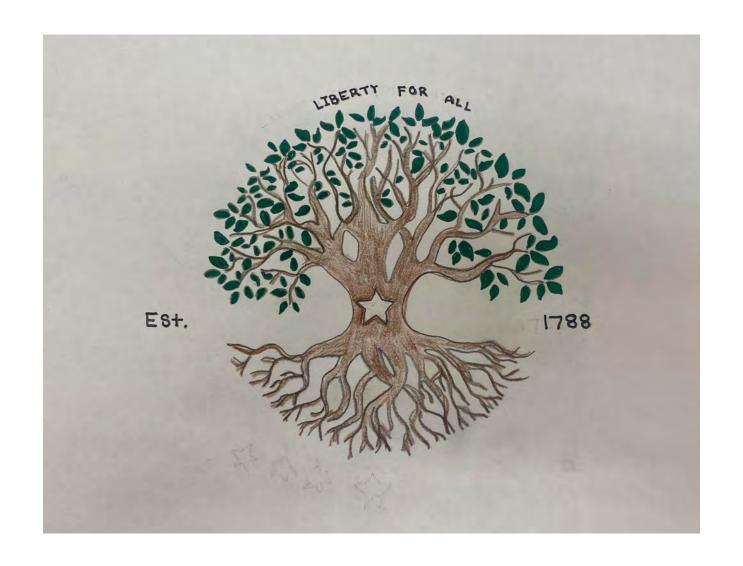


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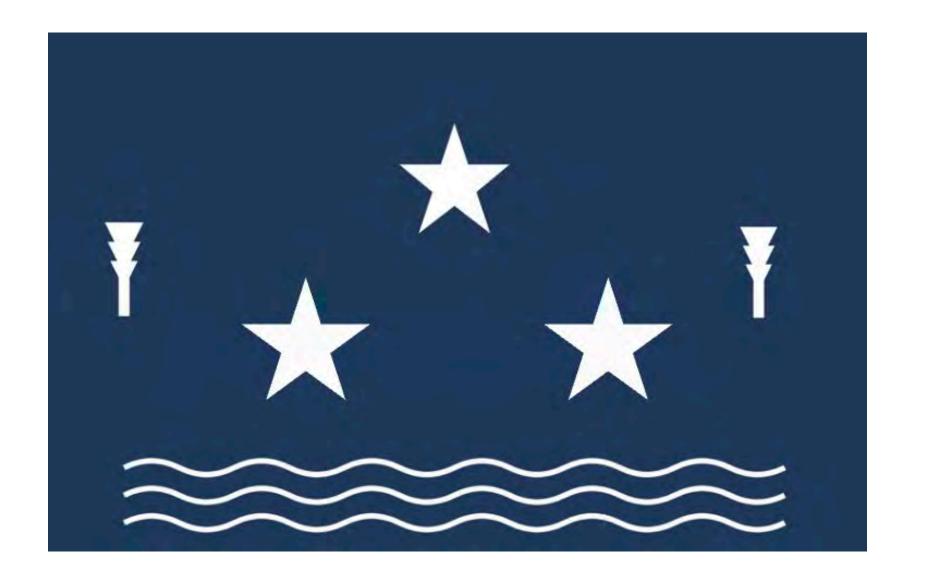
The motto translated to english means "By the sword we seek peace but peace only under liberty". This motto is something that Massachusetts takes pride in and tries to achieve, so I think it is important to keep it in the flag as it is a good message. The reason I keep it in latin instead of translating to english is to preserve our history permanently.

#### Flag and Motto Submission





As well as this there is six stars around the Mayflower on the seal to represent Massachusetts being the sixth state with a new motto "Start of a New World", because although there were colonies before the pilgrims, the pilgrims were given new colonies as a way of freedom from britain in comparison to Jamestown being a moneymaker for Britain. People came to the colonies for religious freedom, something we see today with many religions which is protected by the first amendment. It's fitting for the state that made this happen to have that as their motto



## Flag and Motto Submission





### Seal, Flag, and Motto Submission









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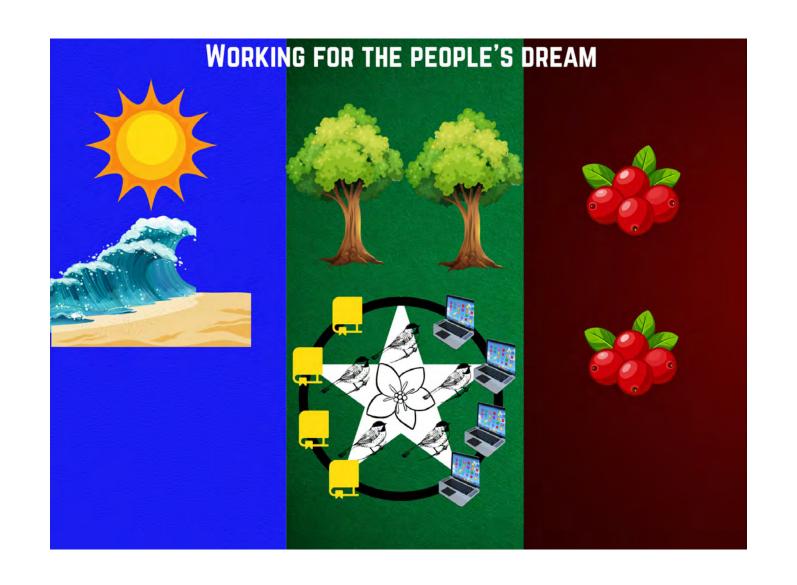
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# Flag Submission







## Flag Submission

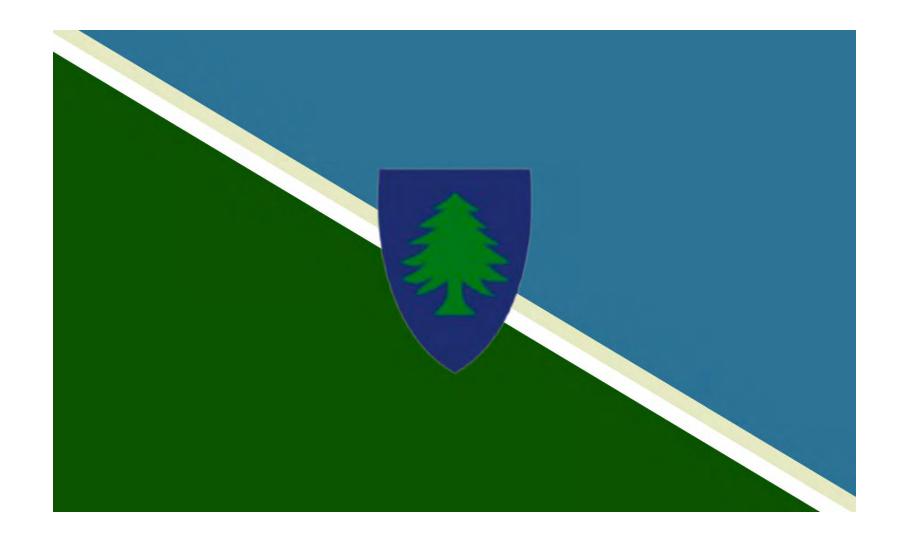


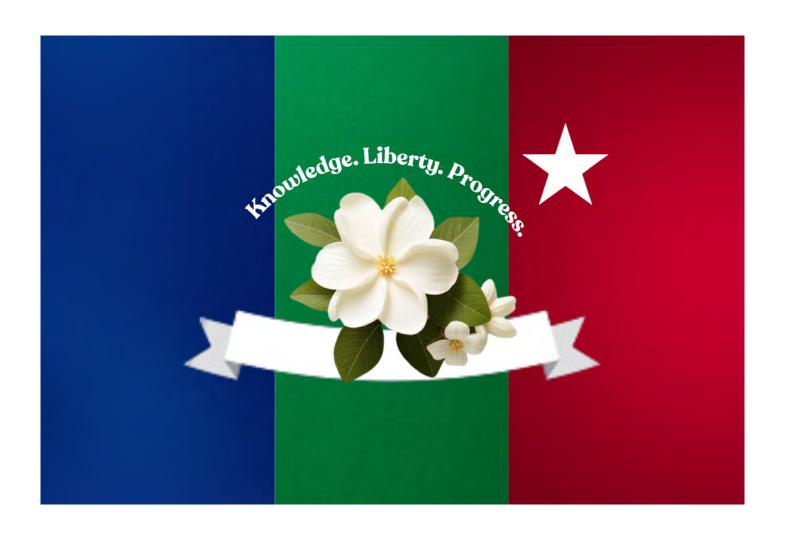
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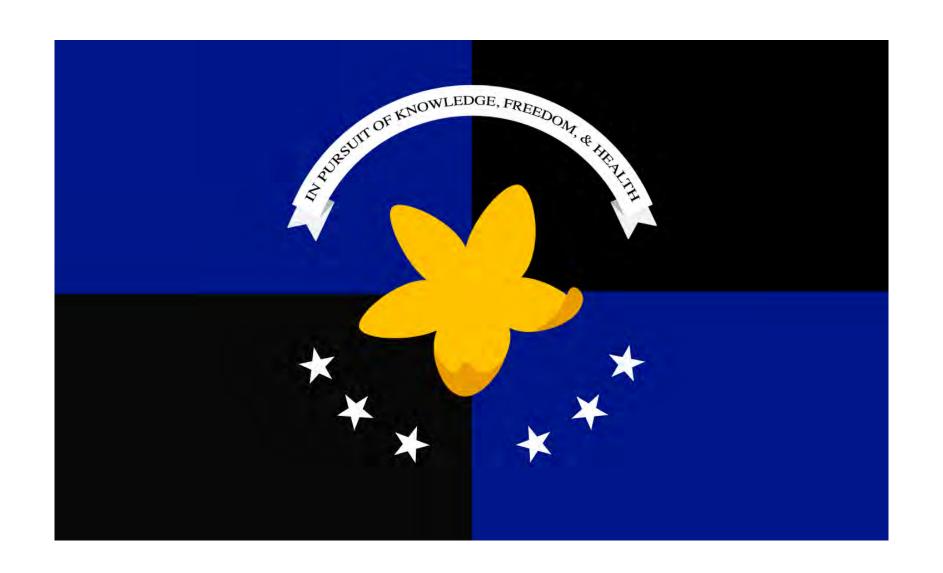
State Bird Pink flag

Motto: Spirit Of America

### Flag Submission



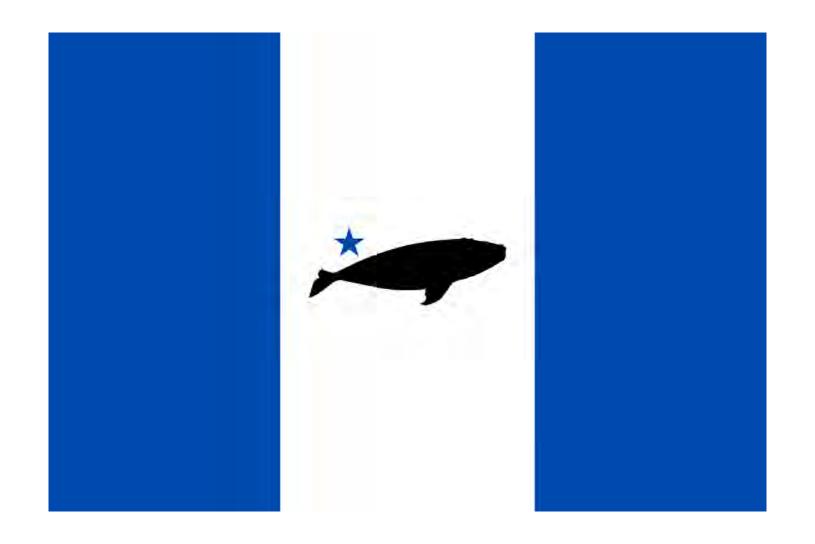








# Flag and Motto Submission





The state motto is "Prosperous Harvest, Enduring Legacy". This motto shows Massachusetts' unique identity by incorporating themes of its industry and rich historic importance. The reference to the harvest, specifically cranberries, represents crops and these fruits of the land that make Massachusetts' uniquely different. The references to its legacy reflects Massachusetts' history and role in the American revolution and commitment to democratic values. With both themes together, the motto showcases state pride in past achievements while celebrating its ongoing contribution to the nation. In addition, this motto lacks the traditional latin origins as most Americans today cannot read latin. The simplistic nature of the motto ensures its recognizability across the nation.



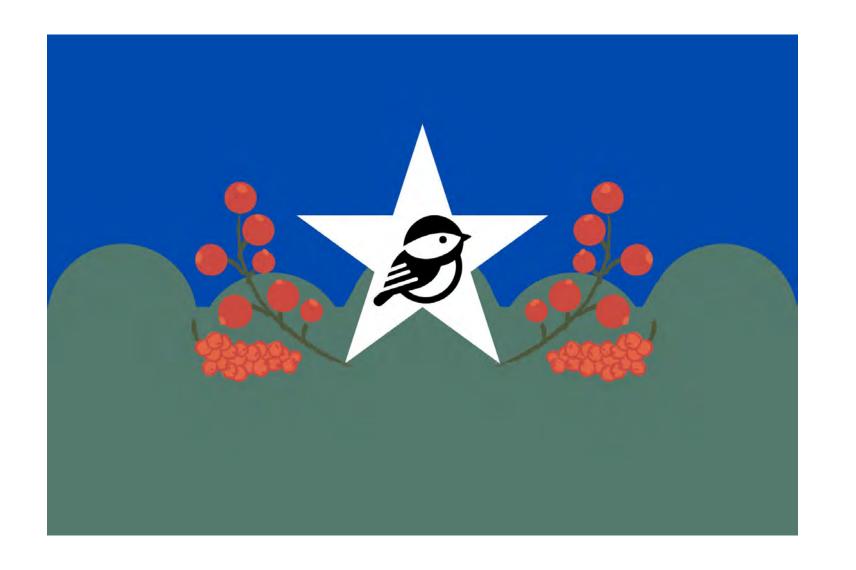
The motto, "Where everyone's voice is heard" represents Massachusetts' strong commitment to representing people of different races, genders, and economic backgrounds. This is shown in the Non-discrimination laws and public policies that ensure equal rights. Massachusetts has always been a state that advocates for the rights of its citizens regardless of their backgrounds.

Seal Submission

Keep the Native American and remove the arm and the sword. I am African and Native American and I see no reason to remove the Native American. Just remove the arm and sword over my ancestor

#### Seal Submission





Finally the new state motto of "Hope for the Common Good" Is meant to show the history Massachusetts has with fighting for rights. From the revolutionary war to today where Massachusetts has town meetings and has a very unique form of governance at a town level. It is meant to represent the independence the state gives to its residents, also tying back to the colonists who came here to the state in order to escape persecution, showing how the state will always be a fighter for those in need

### Flag and Seal Submission



## Seal and Flag Submission

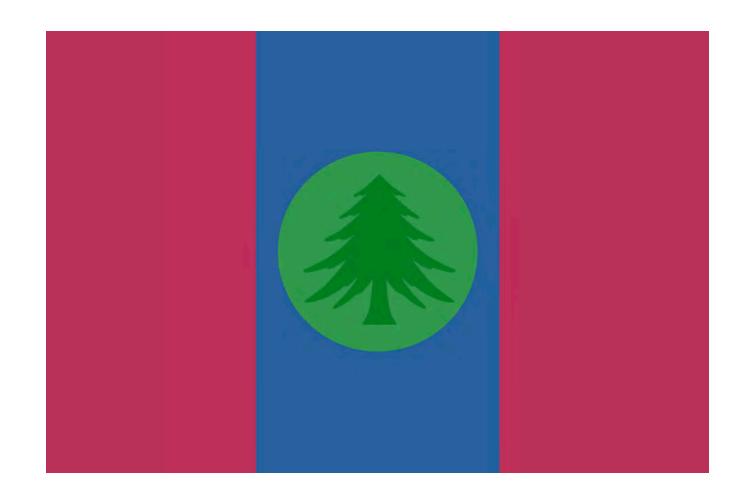


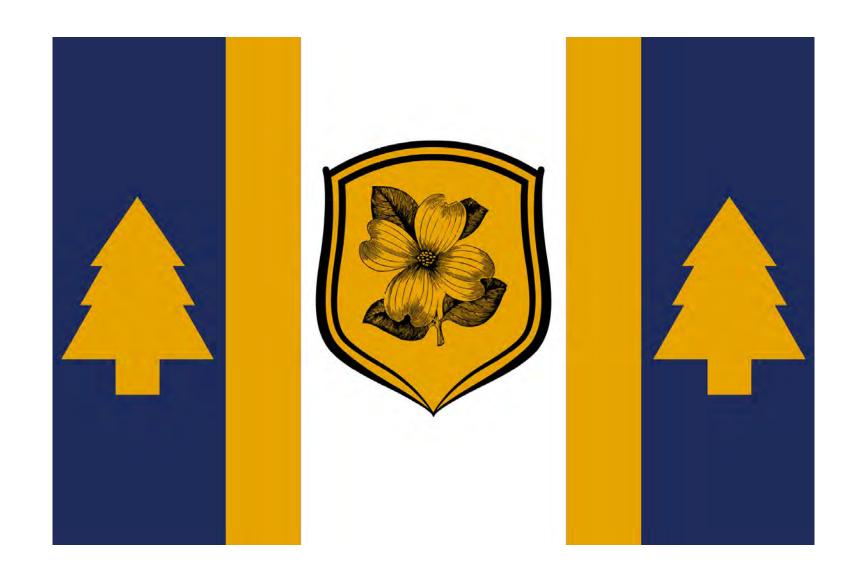
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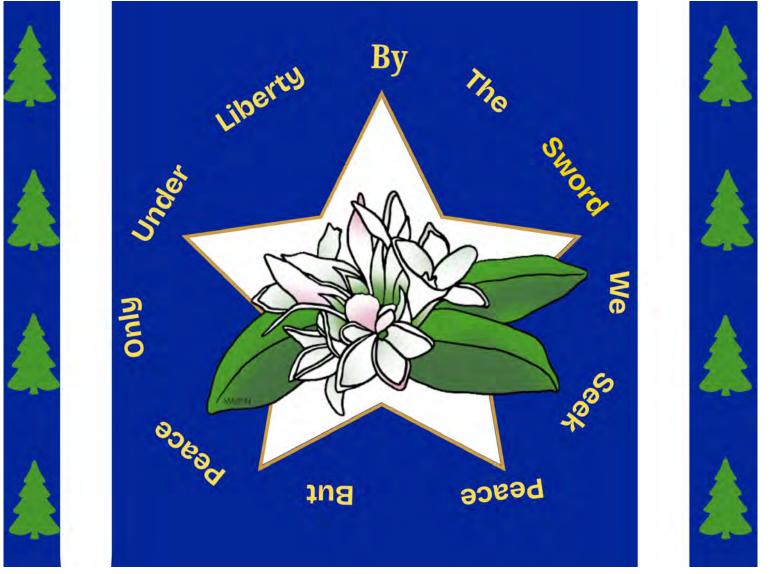


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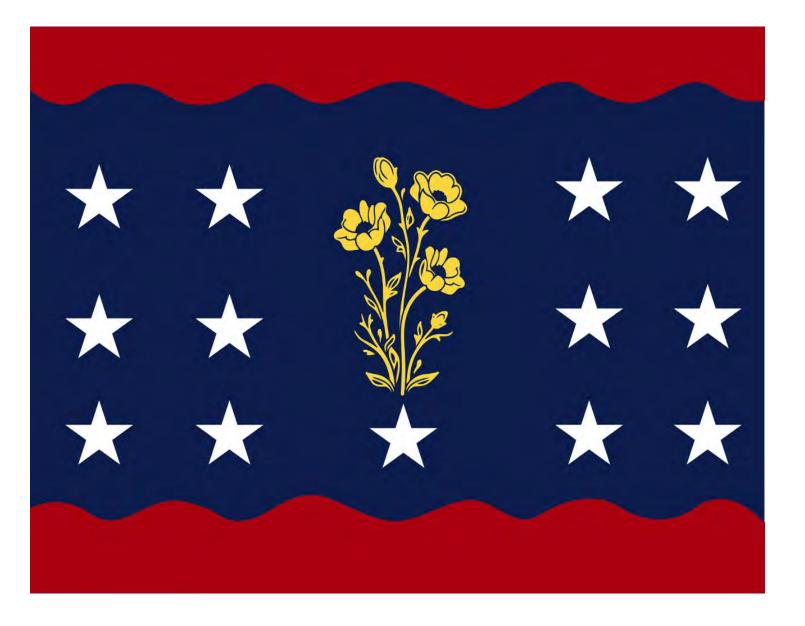


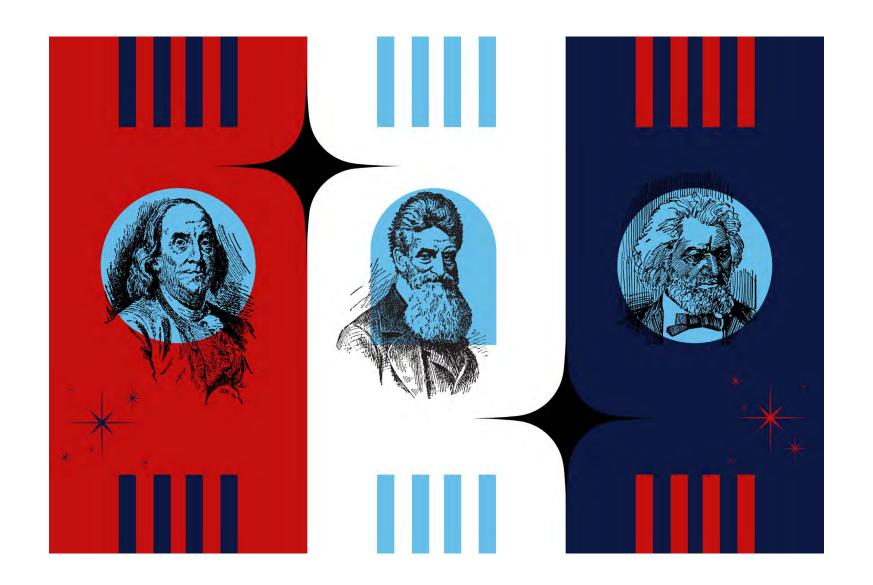






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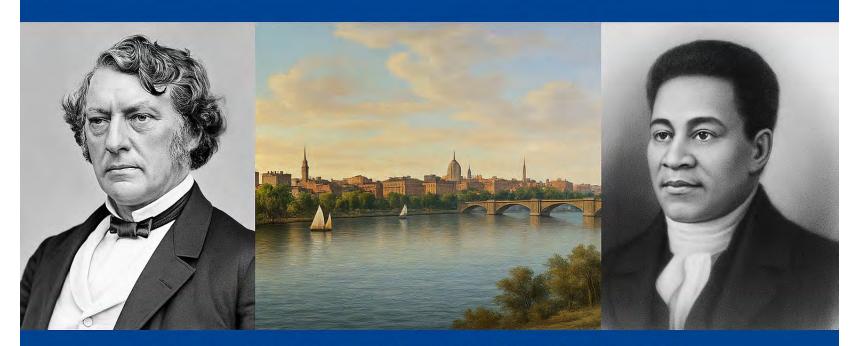


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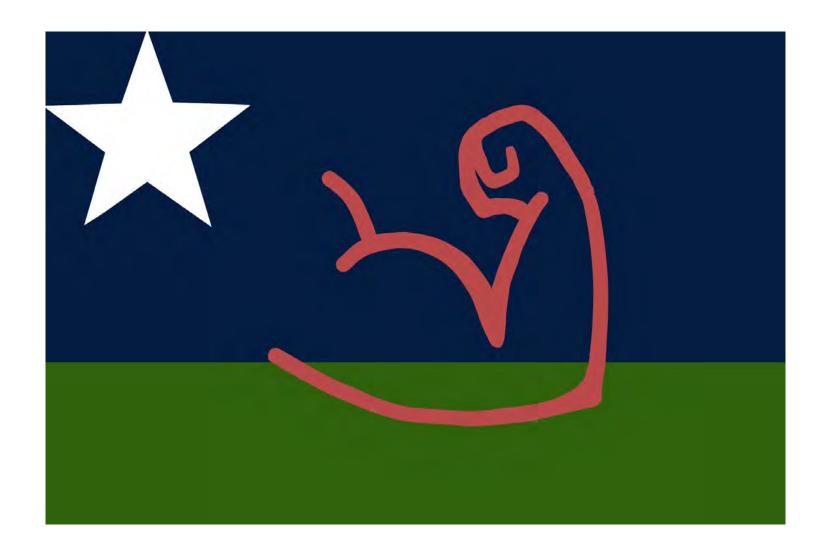
Motto: de sacrificio martyrum stamus

Motto Submission

Motto: Libertas et rebellio



MASSACHUSETTS,
BIRTHPLACE OF AMERICAN FREEDOM



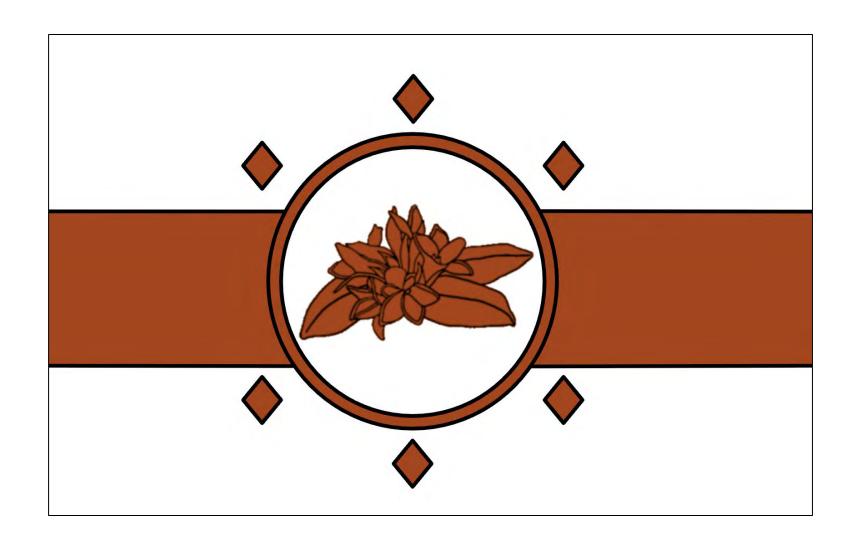






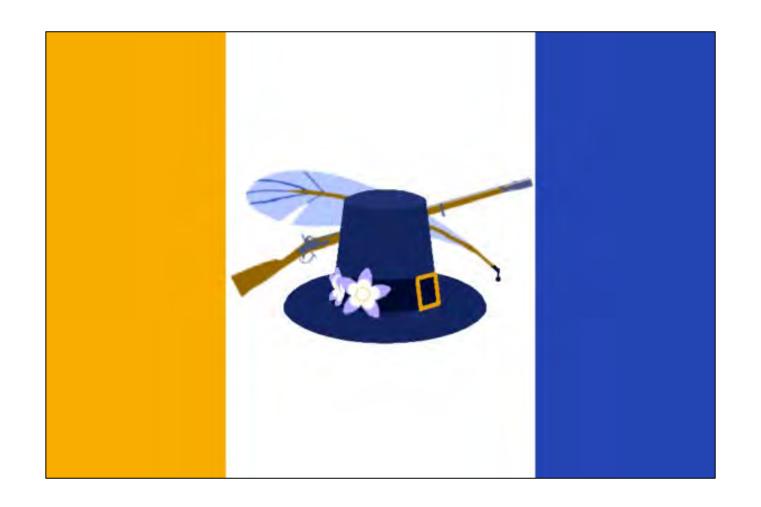
# Seal and Flag Submission





# Seal, Flag and Motto Submission









For the motto of my flag, I chose JFK's quote, "Liberty without learning is always in peril; learning without liberty is always in vain". I think this motto conveys how Massachusetts prioritizes the values of education and freedom. We have exceptional school systems and a history of initiating freedom and liberties, which is why I think this quote works so well. Because of Massachusetts's value for education, its people are generally perceived as very open-minded and unprejudiced. Additionally, John F. Kennedy is from Massachusetts, so I think a quote from him fits the motto for Massachusetts.

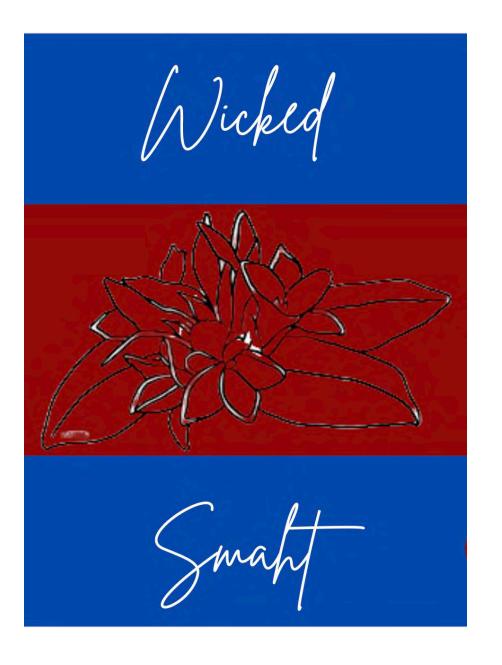


Courage, Then, My Countrymen; Our Contest Is Not Only Whether We Ourselves Shall Be Free

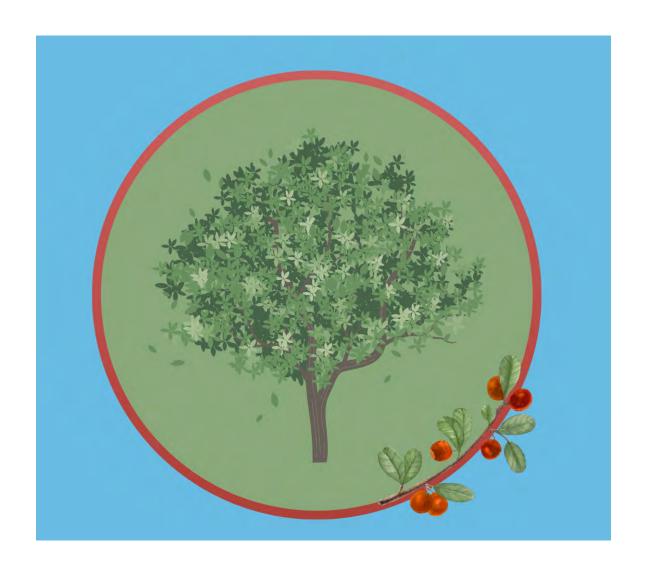


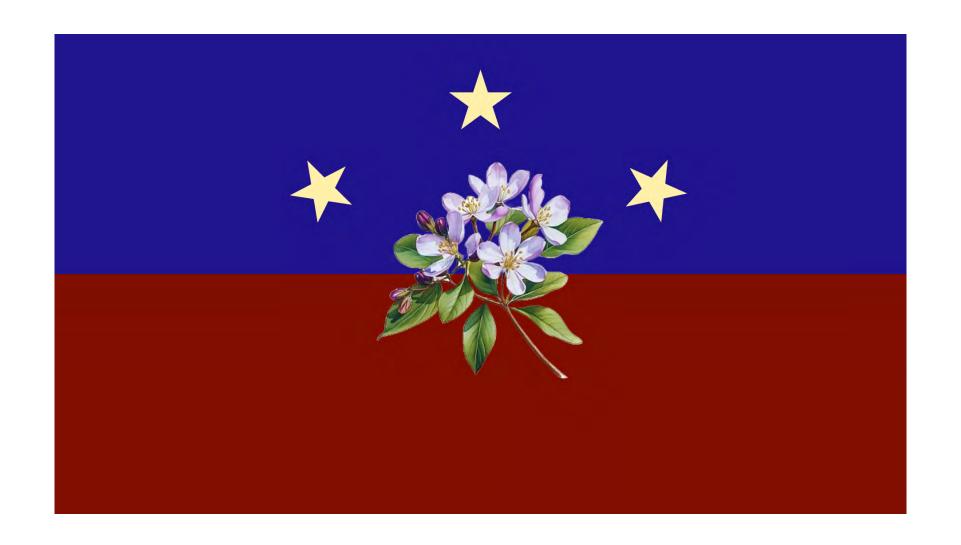


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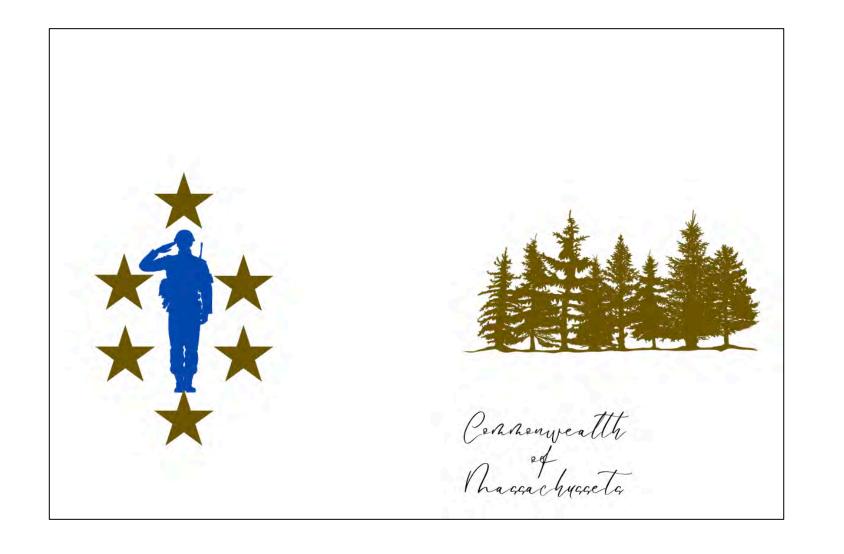


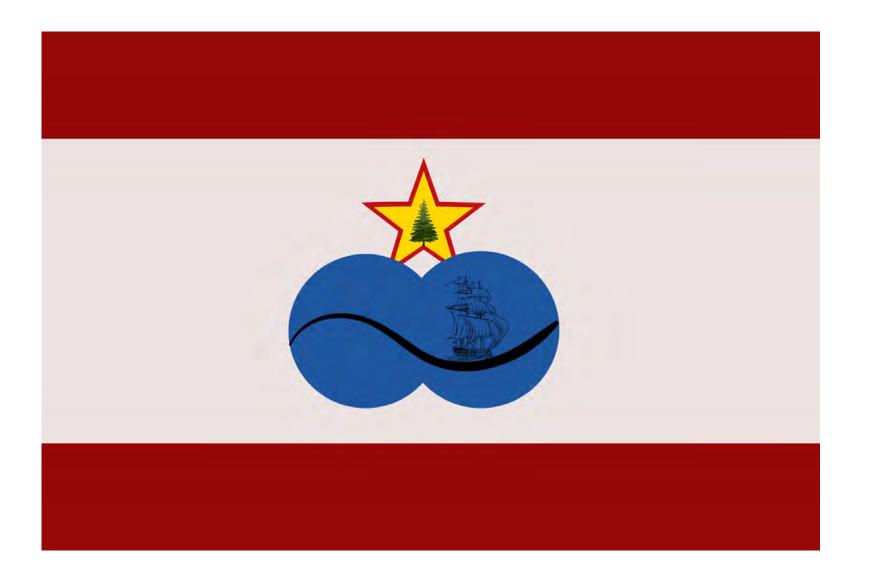
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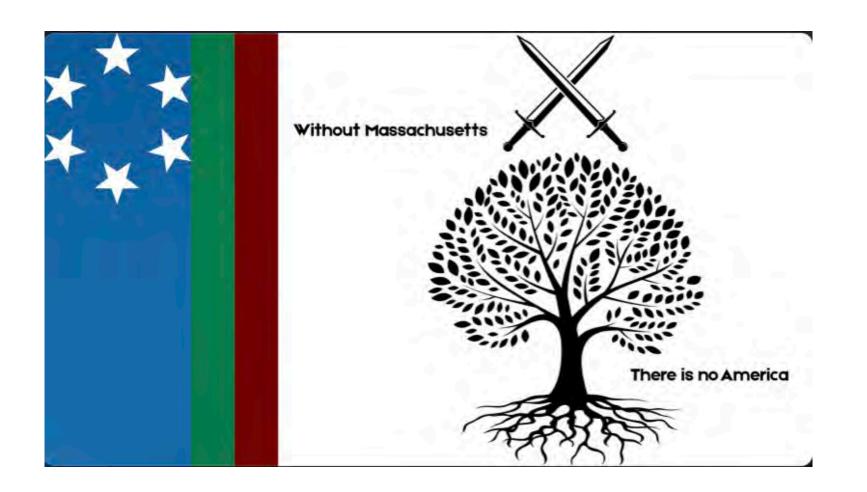


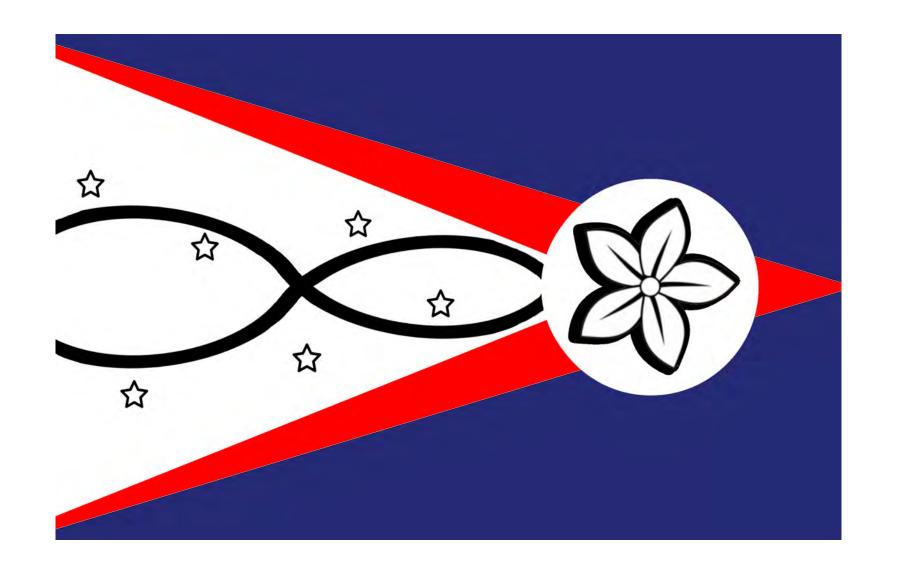
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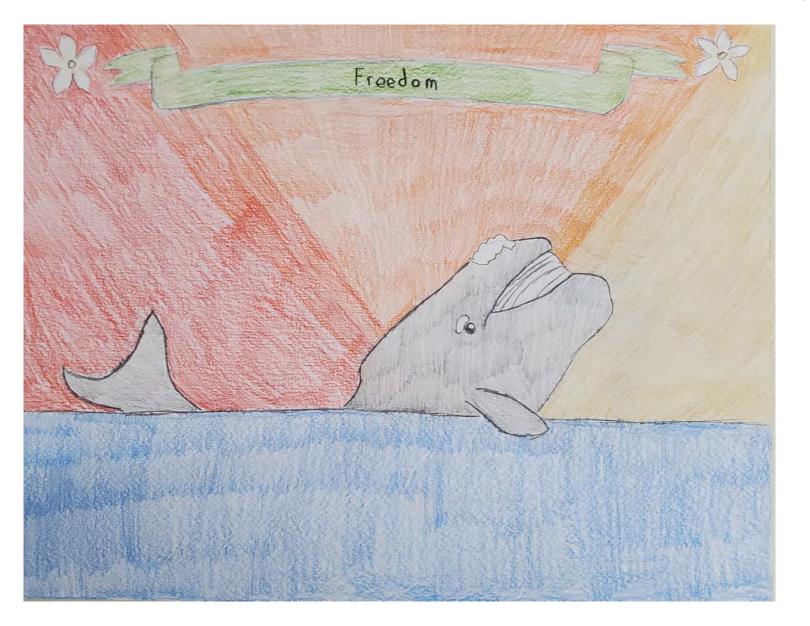
















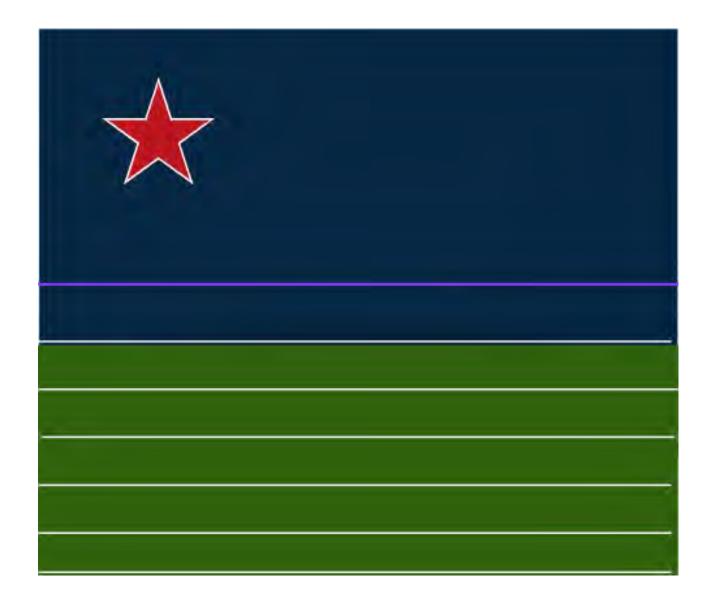


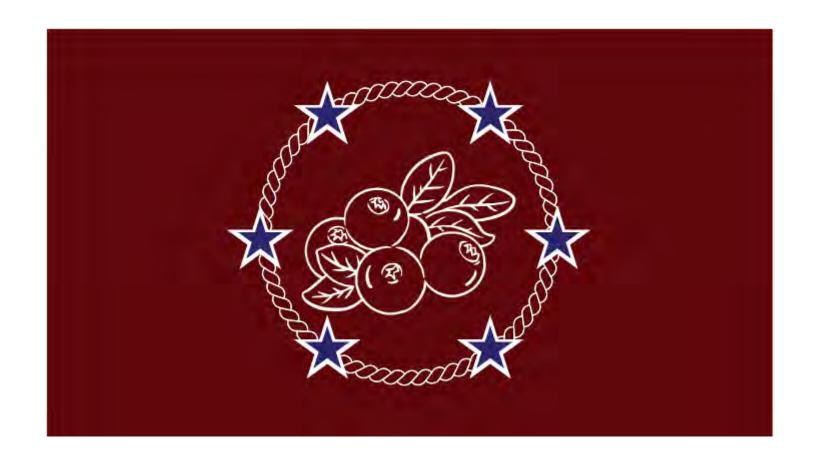


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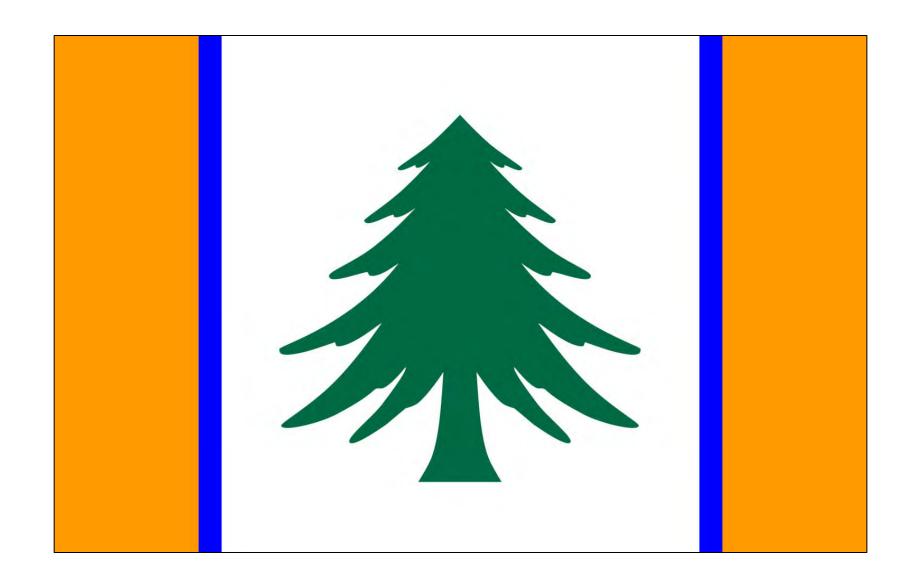




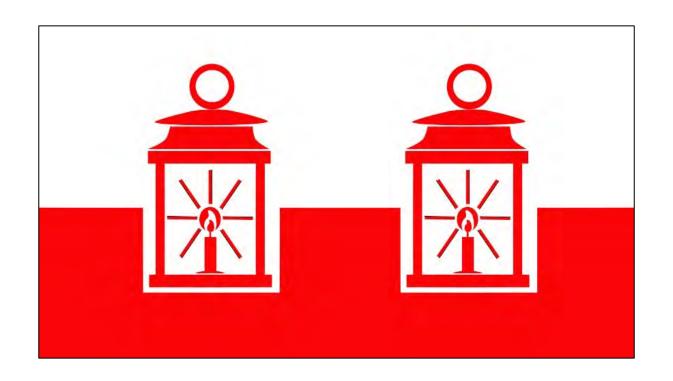


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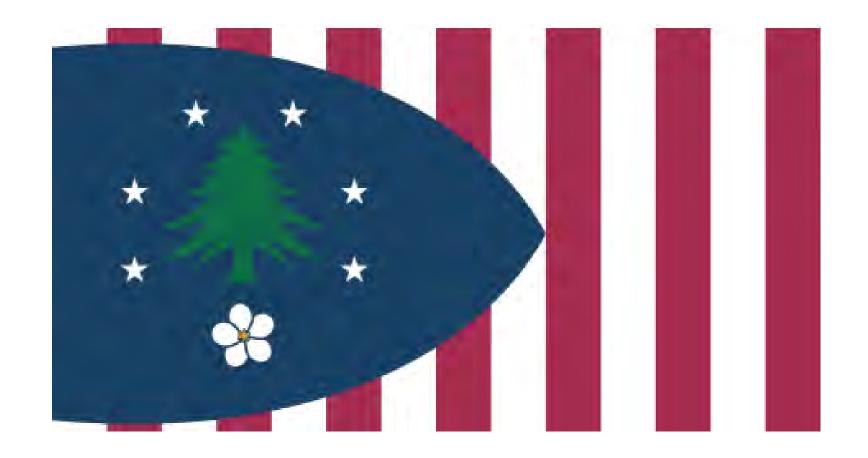
Massachusetts: Providing Spelling Bee Fodder for the Ages



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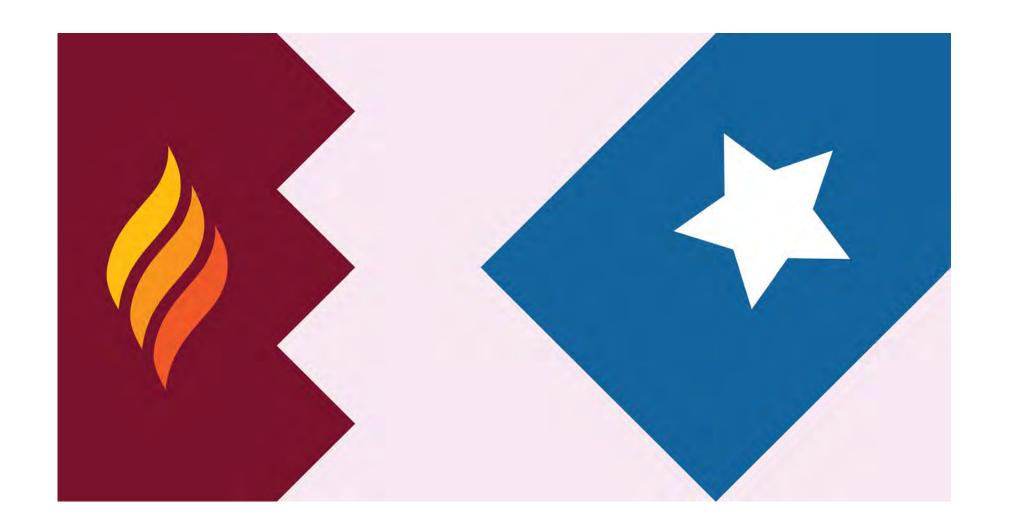


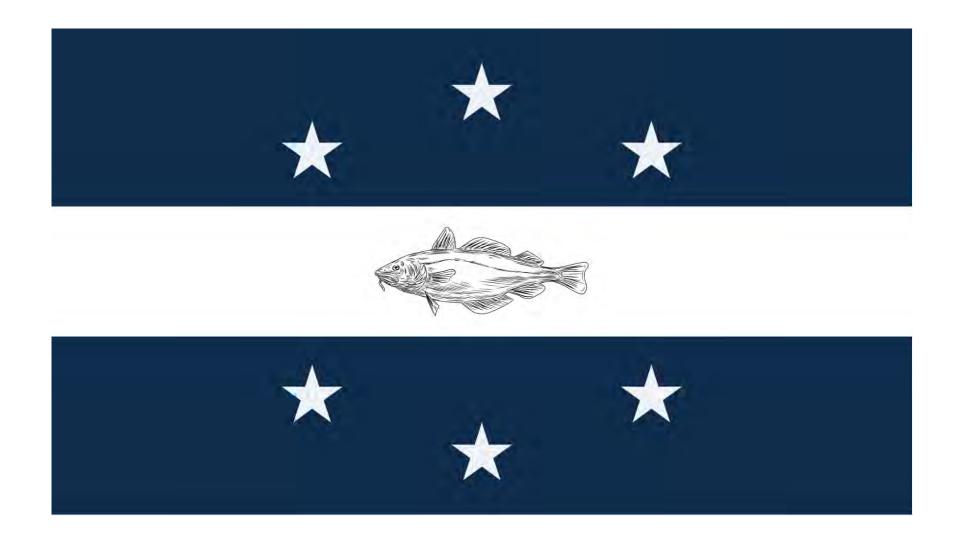
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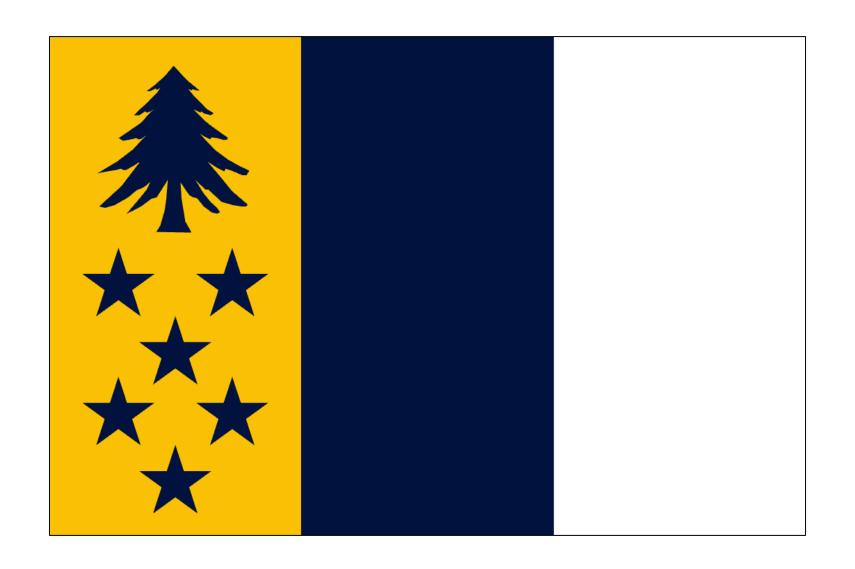
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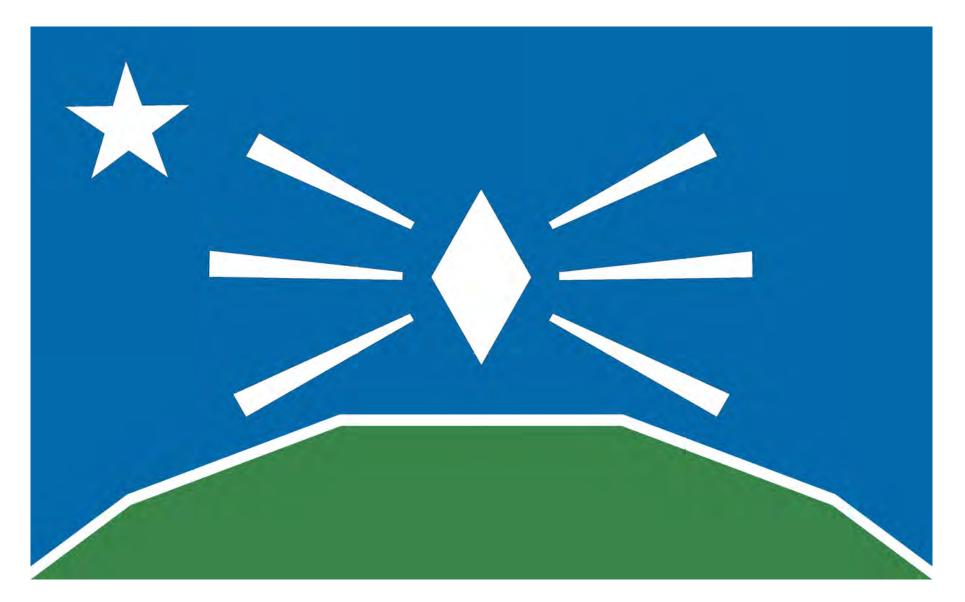


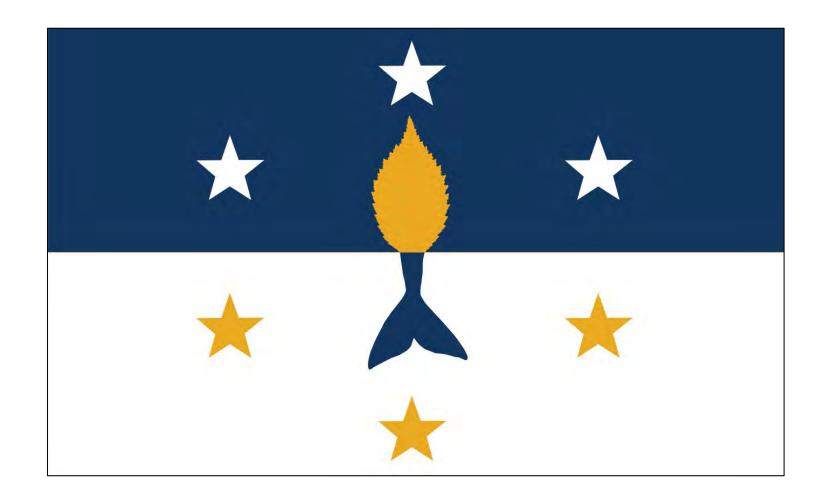












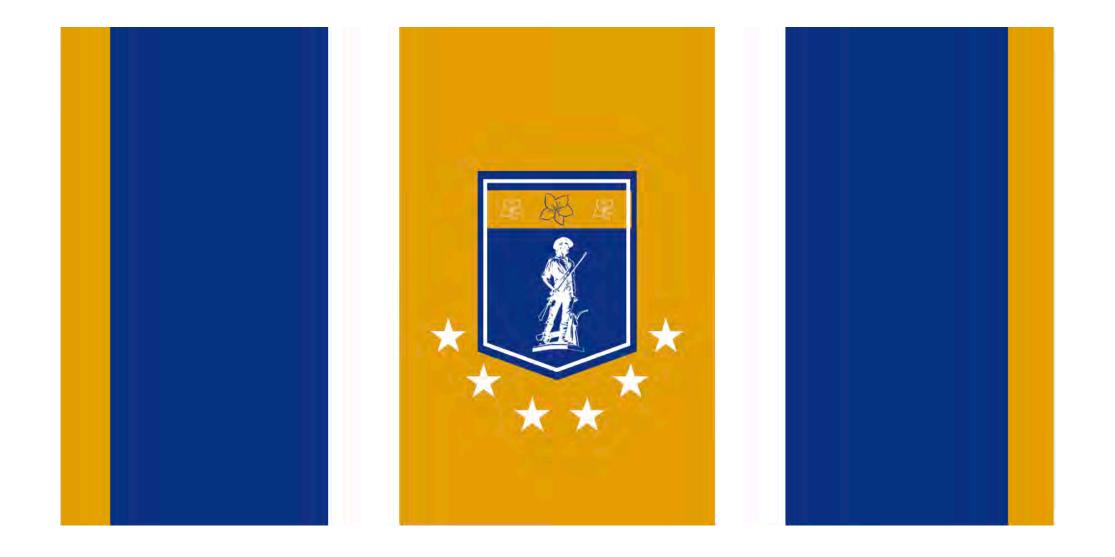
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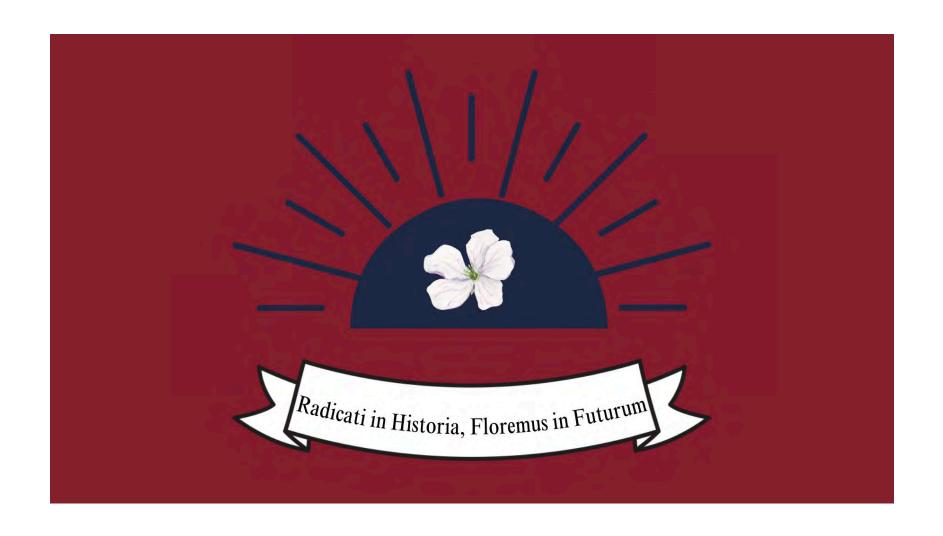
#### Flag and Motto submission



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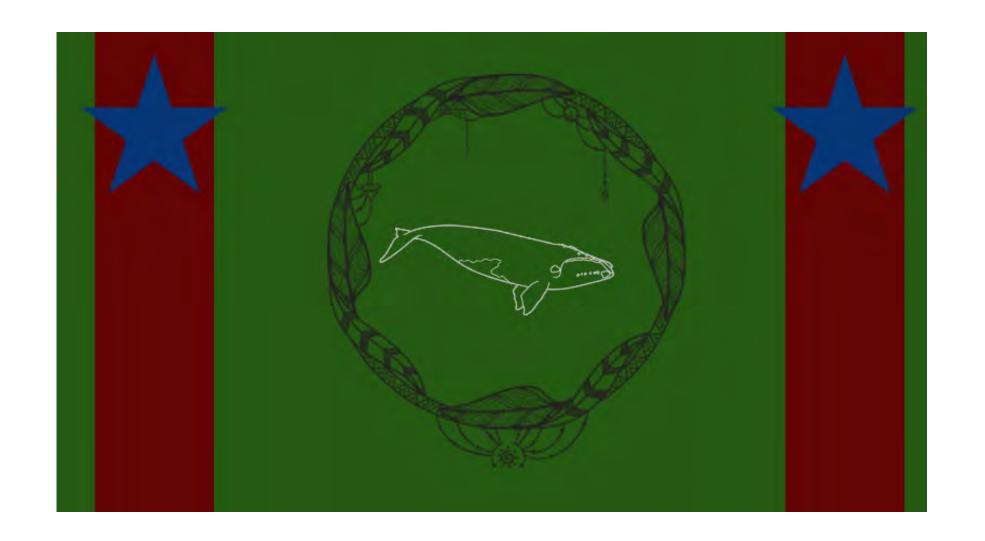
Furthermore, the motto for my flag is "strength through freedom and unity", which translates to strength through freedom and unity. The motto is translated into latin because it depicts a sense of tradition and history, while highlighting the principles of strength, freedom, and unity. Strength signifies resilience and ability to overcome challenges, which reflects the state's history of perseverance, from its early colonial days to its role in the fight for independence. The word freedom represents the states commitment to provide individual liberties and democratic ideals that the state has been grounded on for a very long time. Lastly, the word unity in the motto emphasizes the significance of coming together as a diverse community. This motto signifies the reminder that true strength is achieved not through only individual freedoms, but through the collective efforts of united people, which connects back to the values of the country as well. It creates a sense of pride and shared purpose among the state, specifically the citizens



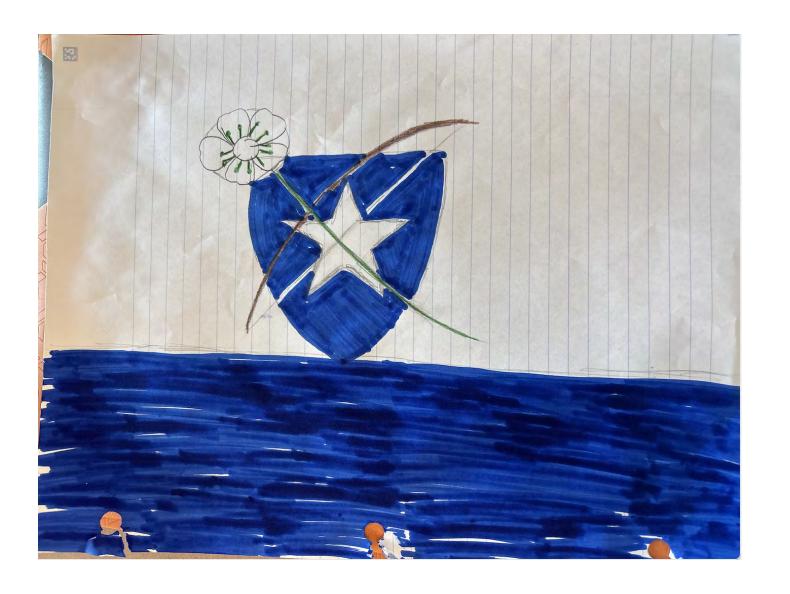


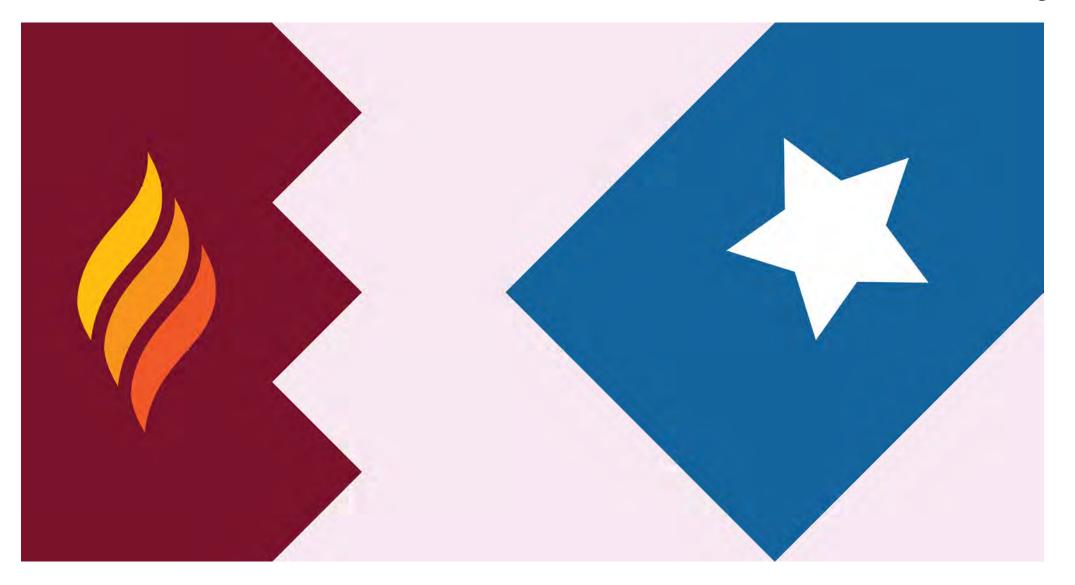
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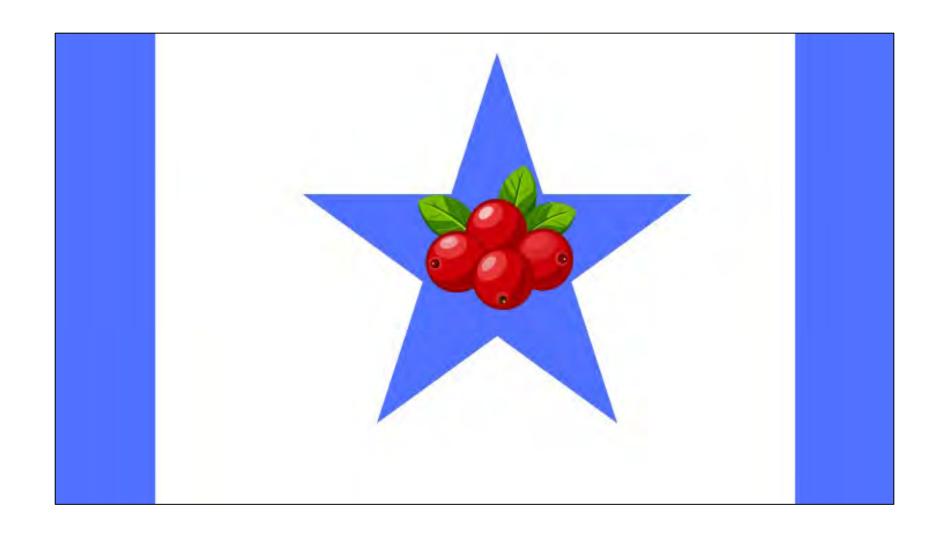




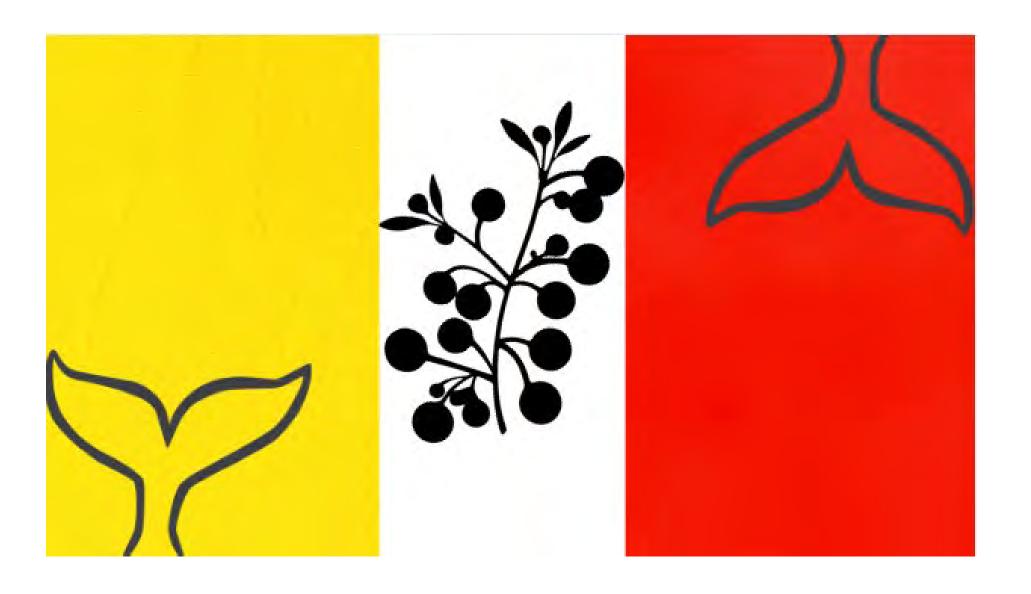




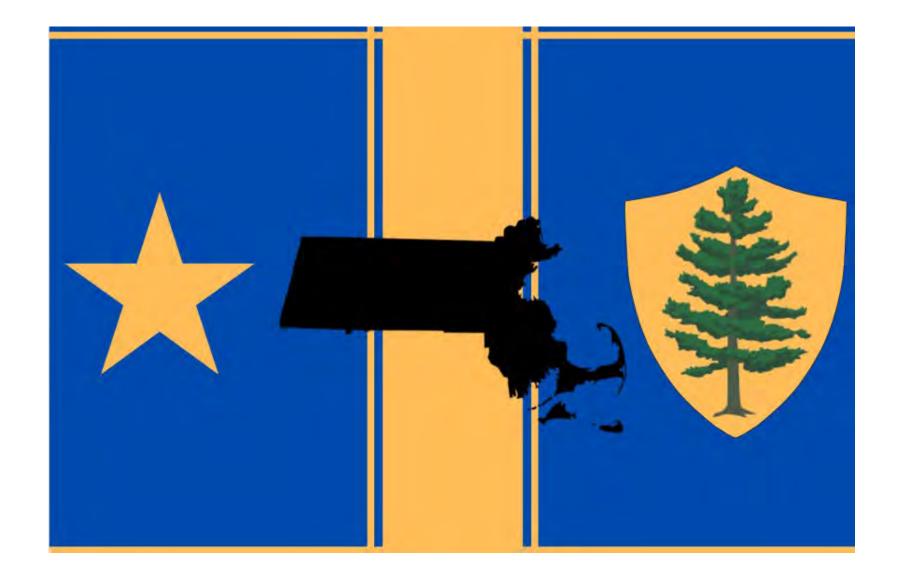


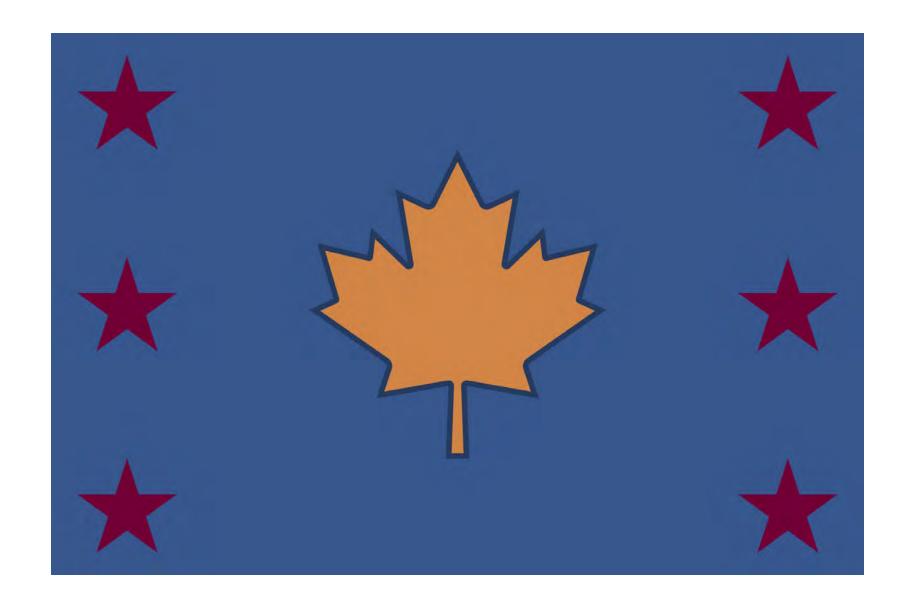


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I have provided the presentation I made for my 3rd grade class as well as 2 variations of my flag design and seal.

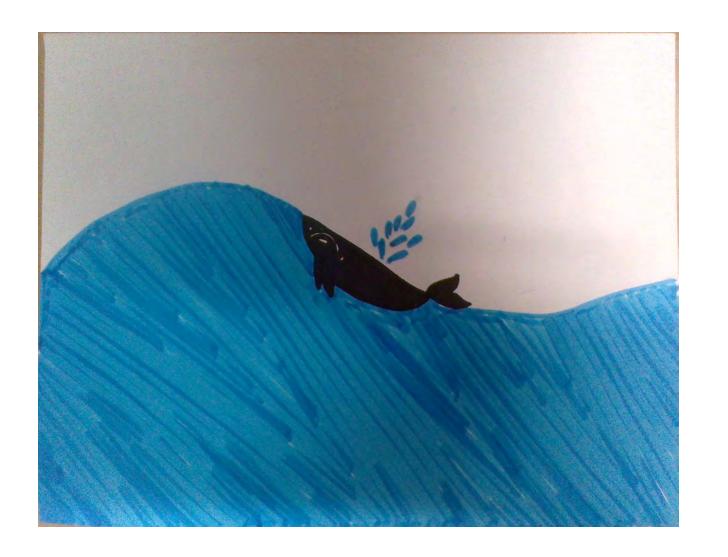


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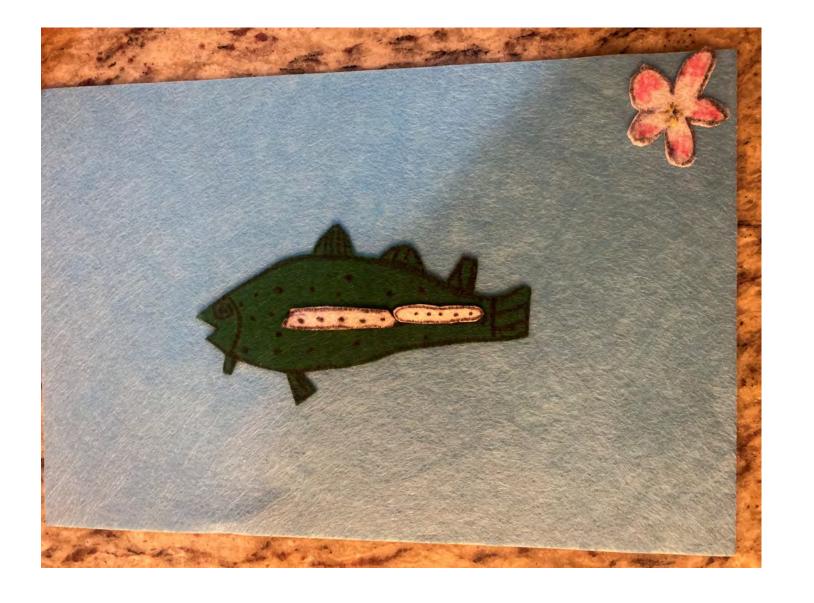






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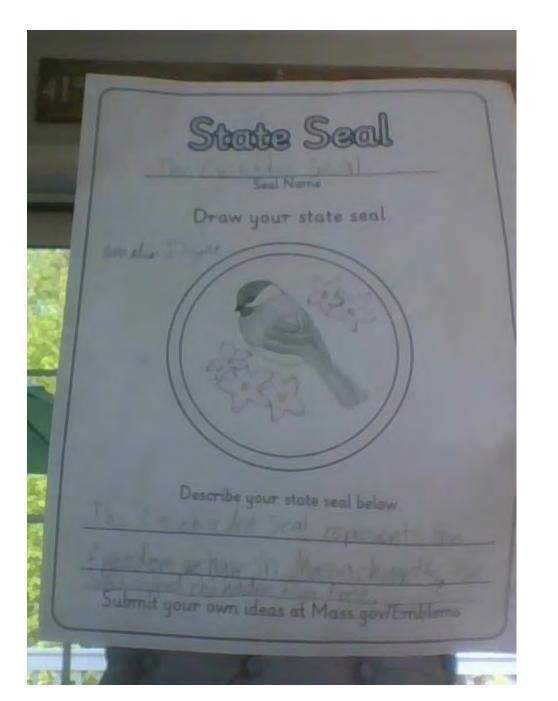




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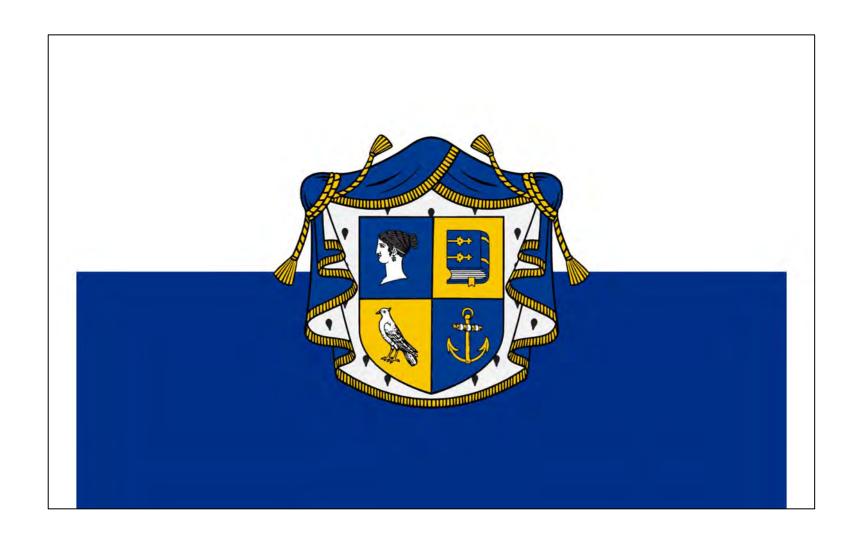


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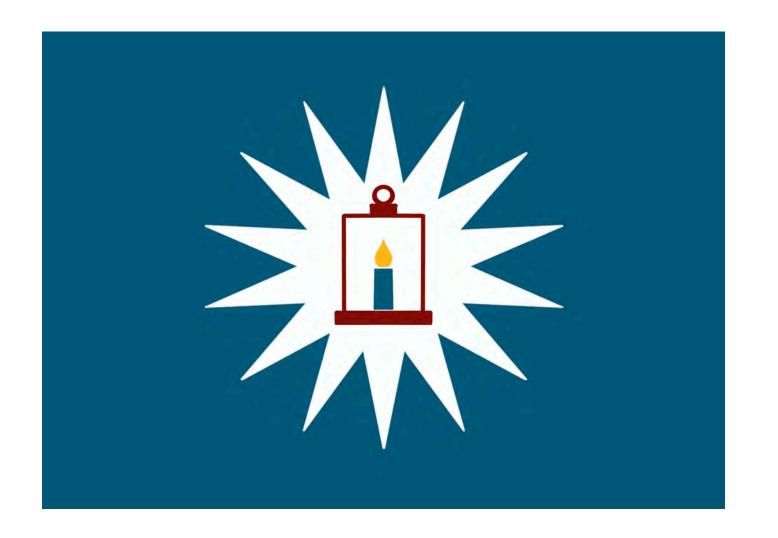
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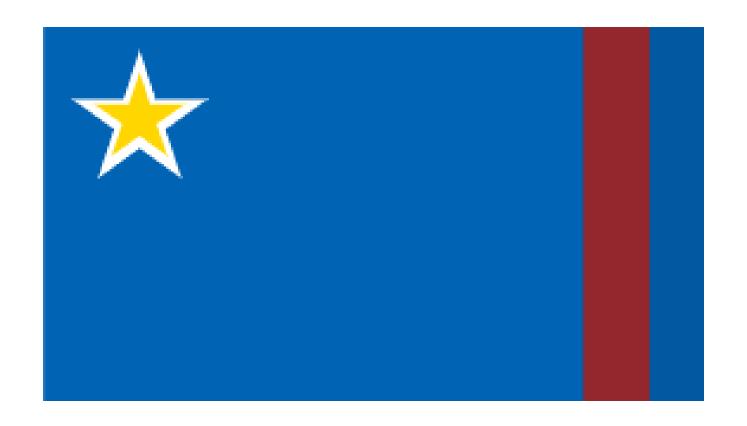


My motto is: "The Bay State has arrived"











#### The Commonwealth of Massachusetts





The motto should be "Wicked"











Flag Submission









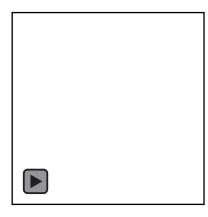


My motto proposal is "The Bay State. The Revolutionary State."
"The Bay State" portion acknowledges MA's official nickname,
while "The Revolutionary State" portion is a clever play on words;
MA was where the Revolutionary War began, and because MA is
one of the most progressive states in the northeast, it's where
revolution and evolution lead to change that furthers the state's
population towards continued success and greatness

## Seal, Flag, and Motto Submission



# Motto: The Spirit of America













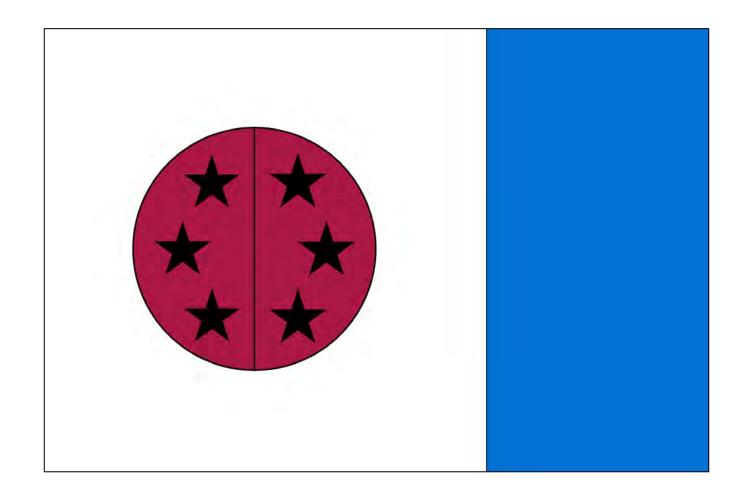


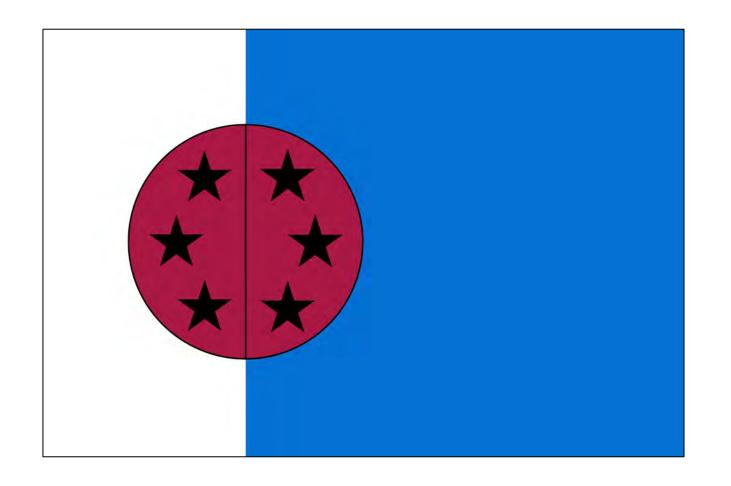
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## Seal and Motto Submission











### Seal and Motto Submission



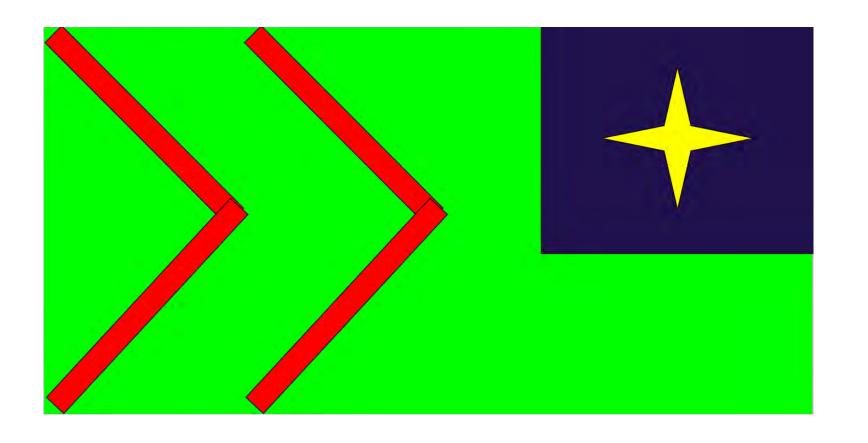


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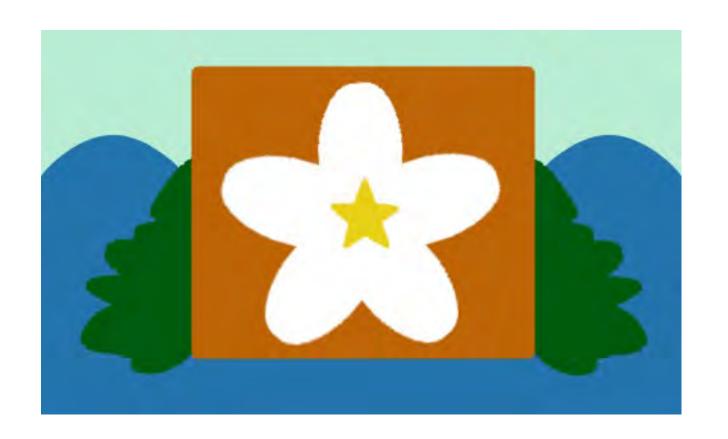


## Flag and Seal Submission





# "To honor the pursuit of knowledge and progress"

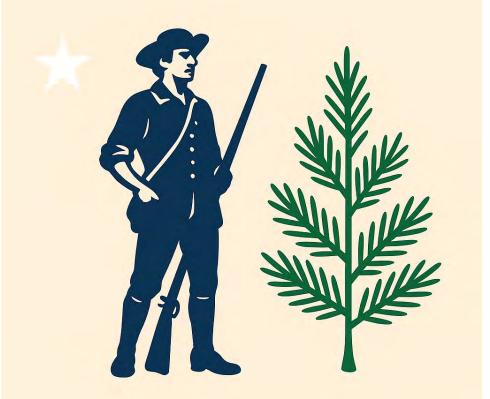


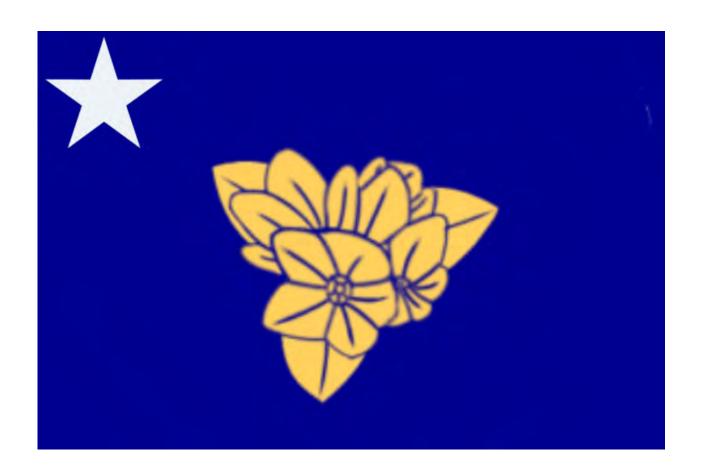
Flag Submission





I would like very much to redesign our State Flag to better represent the composition of people in our Commonwealth. As it is now, I find the imagery of the Seal and flag offensive and demeaning. Regarding the motto, I see no good reason to write it in English and Latin. In the same way that analog clocks are disappearing, I think Latin Translations of our state motto are obsolete and unreadable by the majority of citizens. I would write the Motto in English only. As for the Seal, within a shape, not Coat of Arms, the multicultural, multiethnic nature of our State's citizens would be depicted, beginning with indigenous people on whose ancestral lands we reside on. This multicultural image would be surrounded by the Words, "The Seal of the Republic of Massachusetts." (Written in English only to reflect the majority of readers.) When you get to the point of choosing designs, based on your decisions, please contact me so that I may send graphic designs showing the ideas I have mentioned. Thank you so much for the opportunity to express my ideas regarding the State Seal, Flag and Motto changes/ updates.





"Forge Your Future, Rooted in History / Freedom in Thought, Strength in Unity"

#### State Flag:

- · New shield design
- Six stars, to represent Massachusetts as the 6<sup>th</sup> state to join the Union.
- · The blue waves represent the waters of the bay
- . The tan bar represents the sands of the Bay State



#### State Seal:

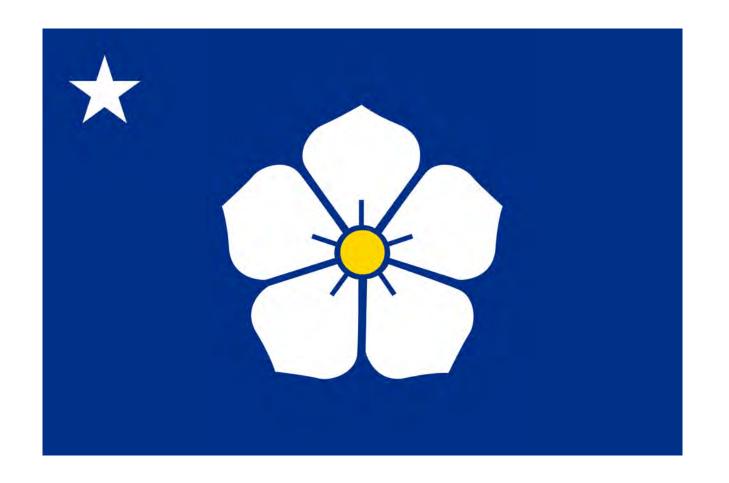
- Reusing the new blue shield design
- Center of shield is the Mayflower, the state flower
- At the bottom is a star representing the Commonwealth/state of Massachusetts



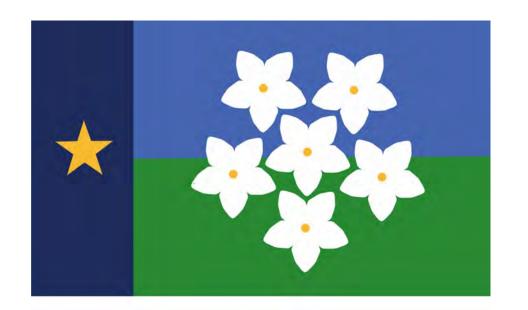
#### State Motto:

English: "Where the hill meets the shore, where the forest meets the marsh, where the old meets the new" Latin: "Ubi collis litus attingit, ubi silva paludem, ubi vetus novum attingit"



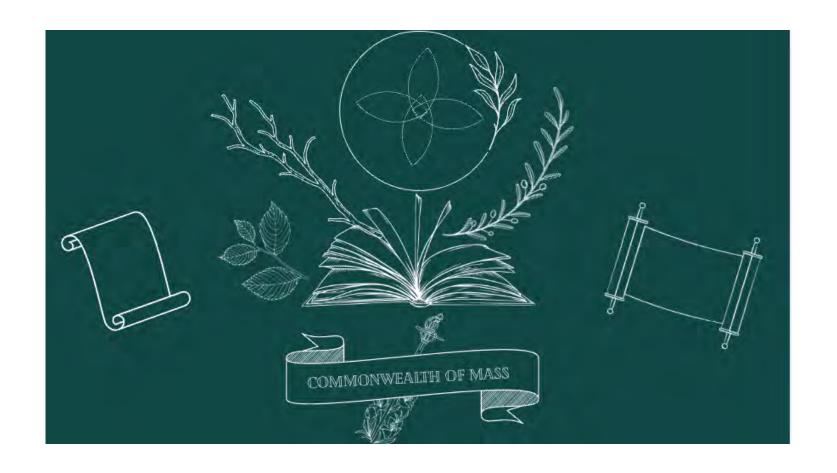


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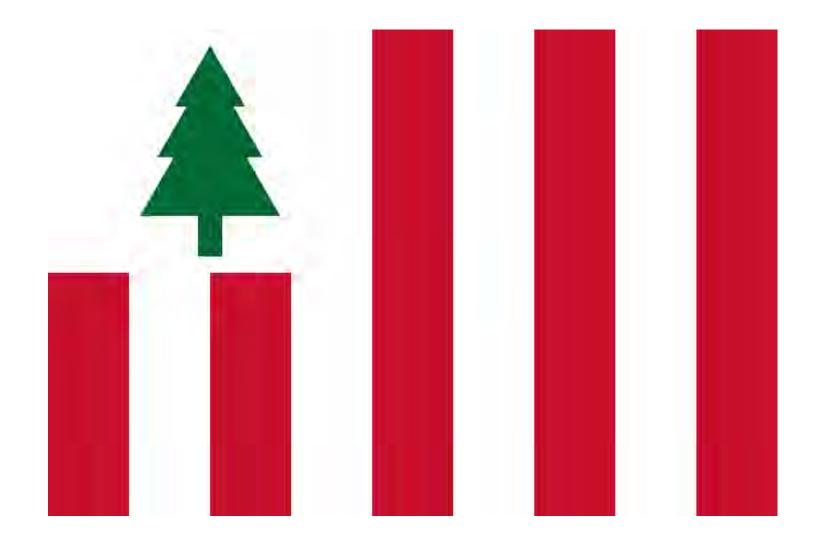


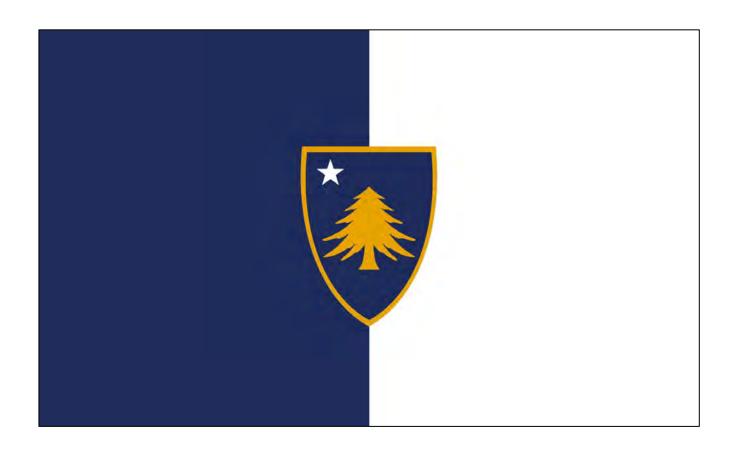






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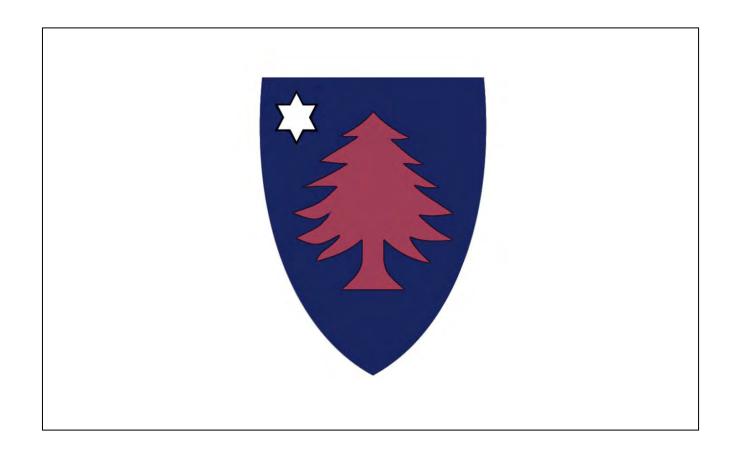


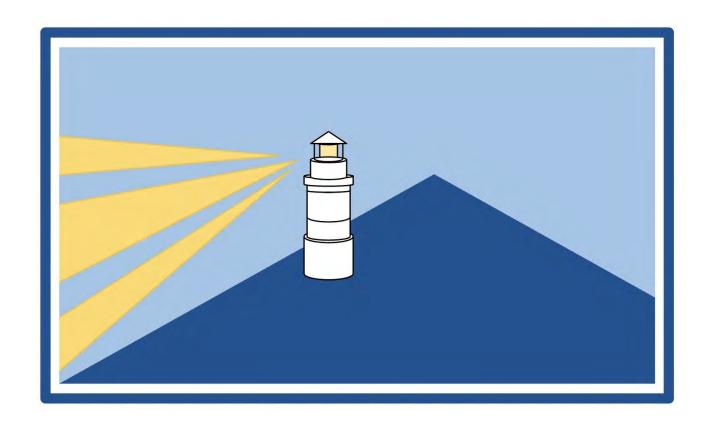






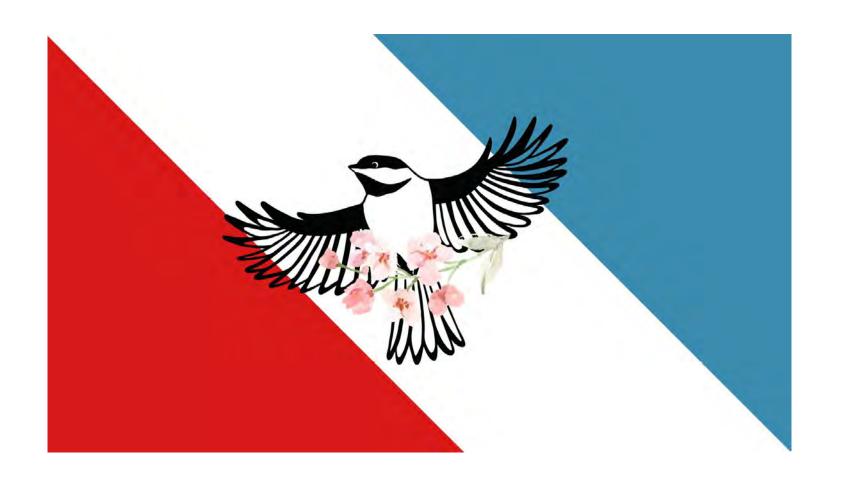


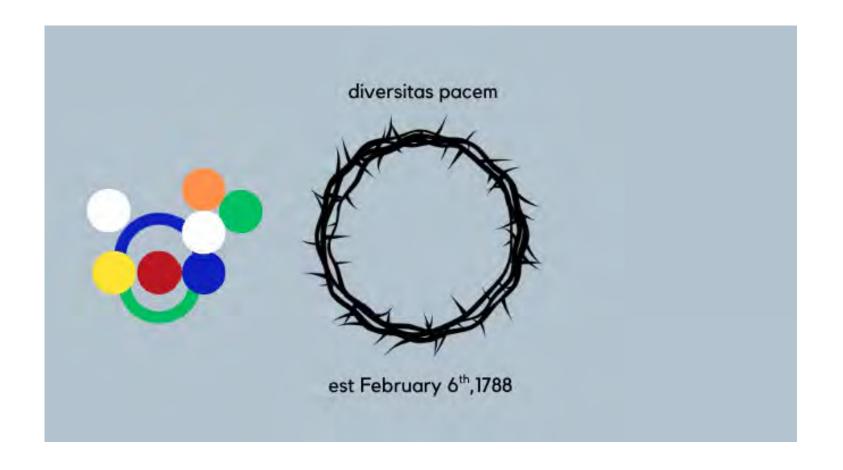


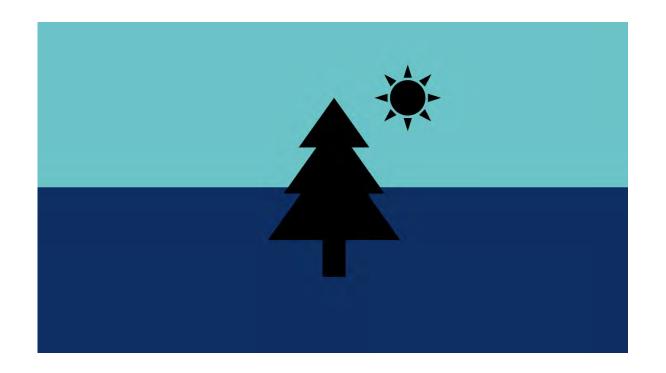


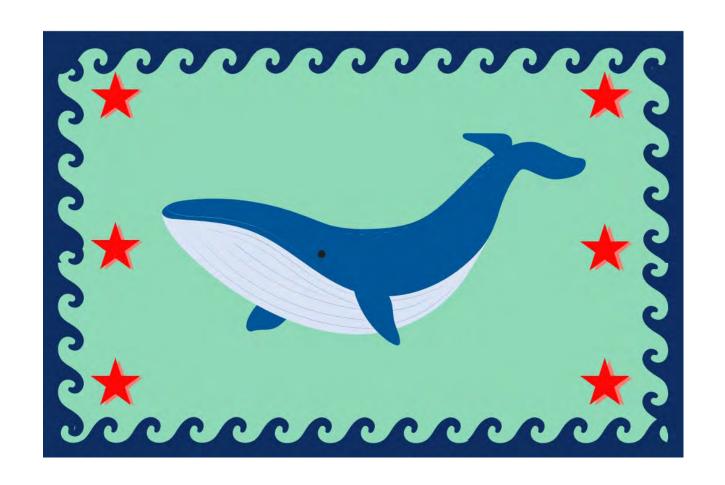


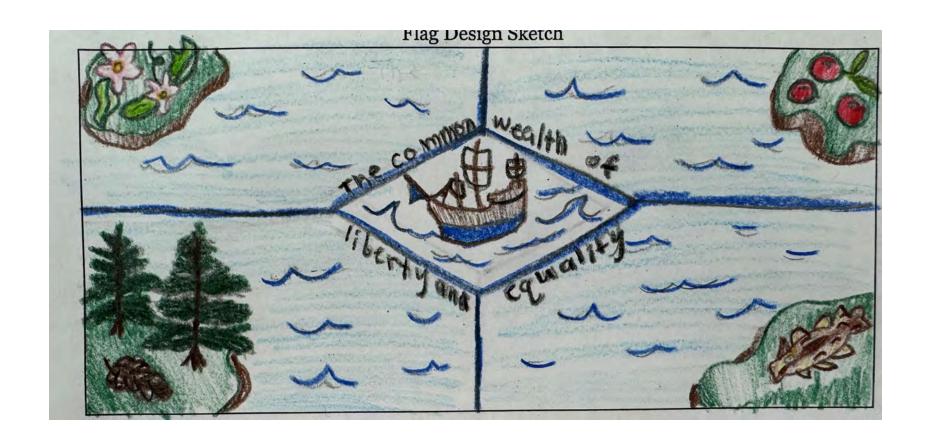




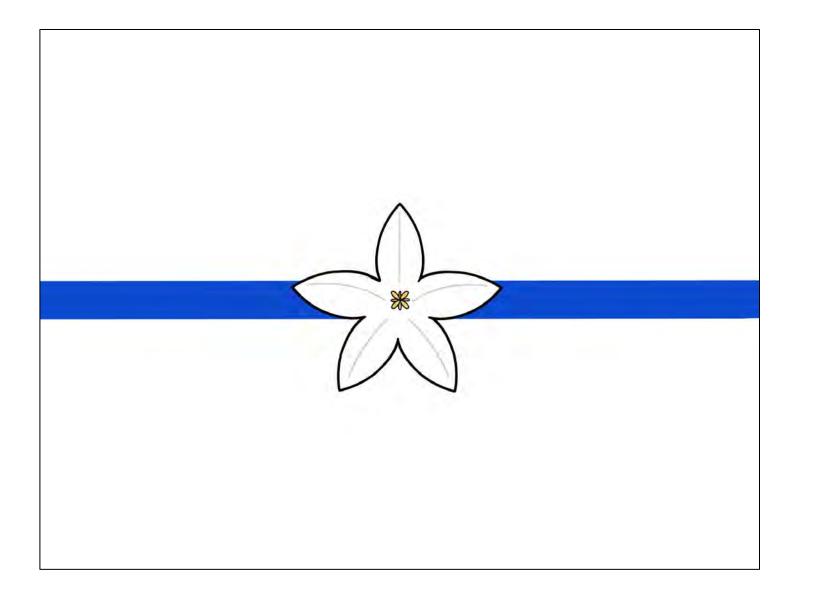


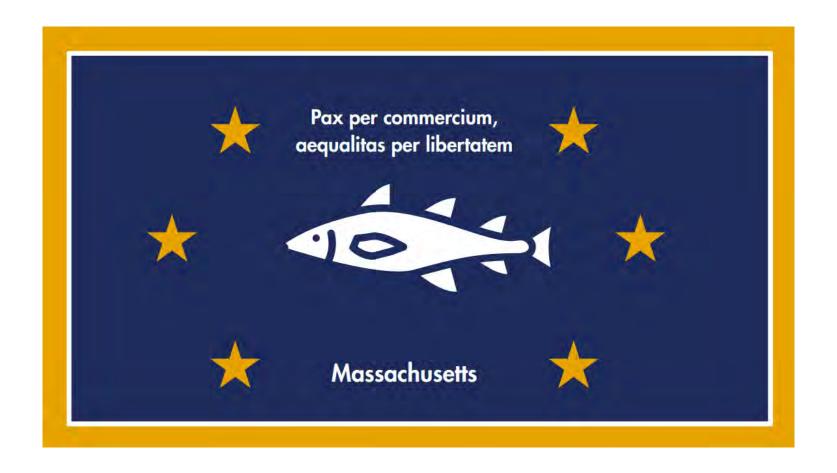




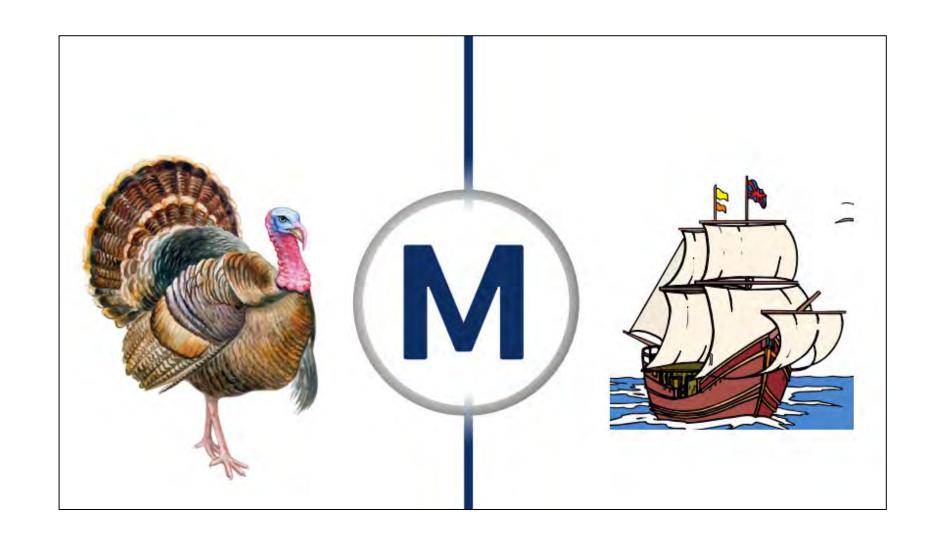


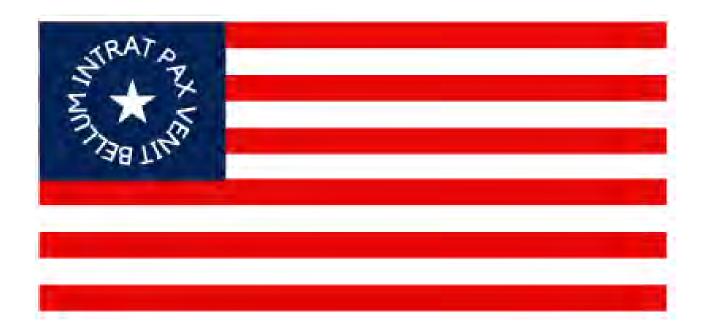




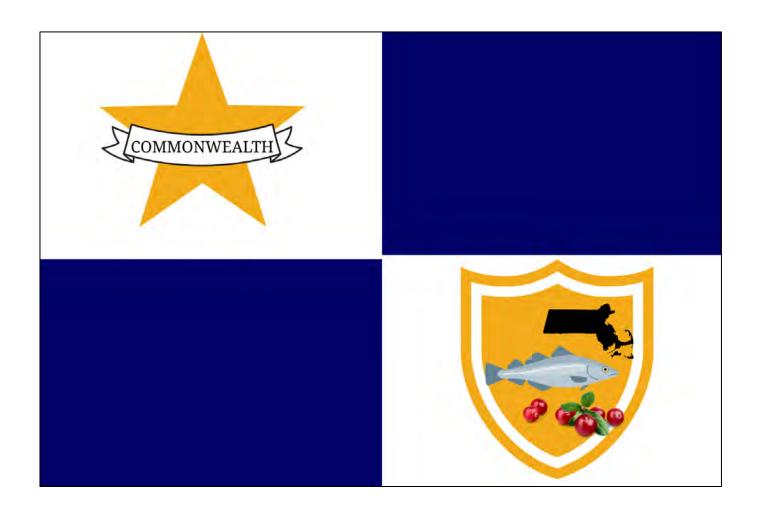




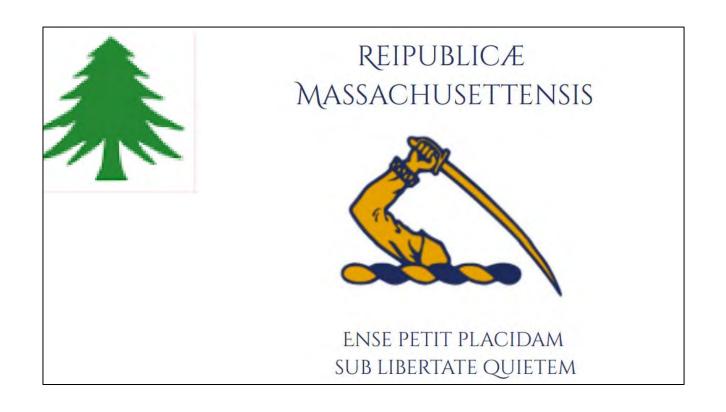






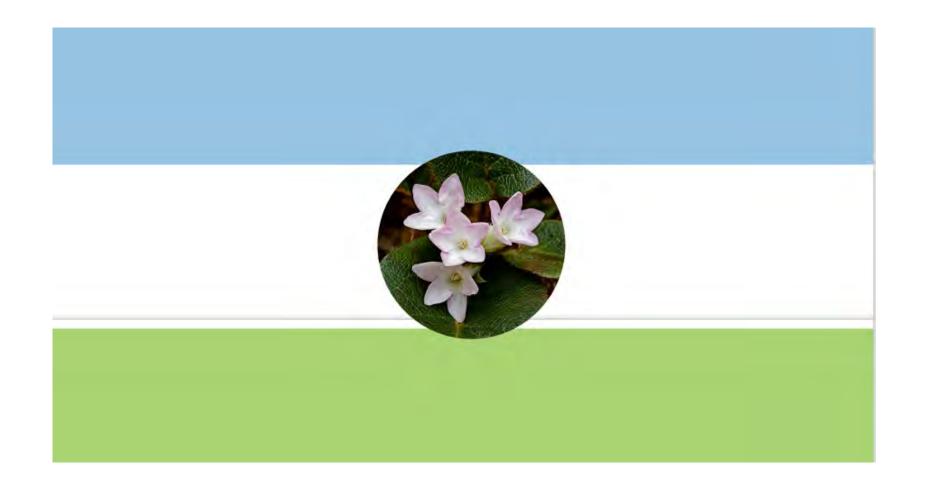










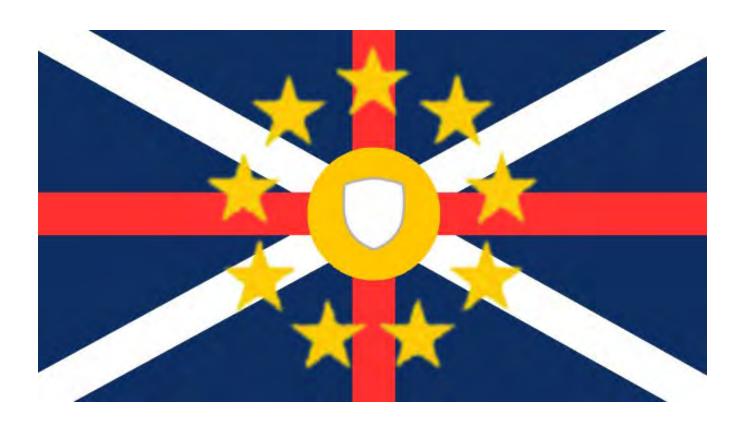


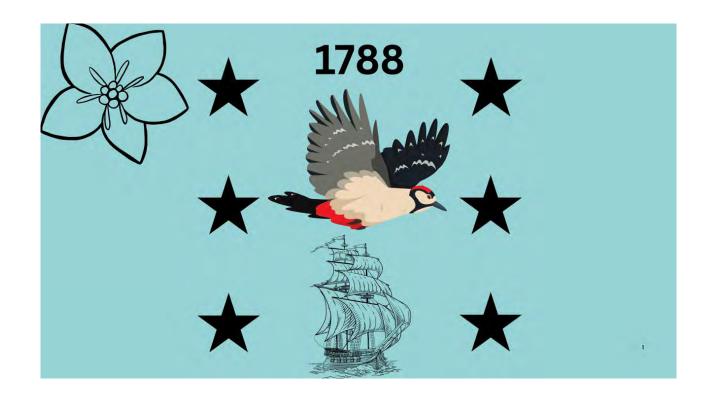


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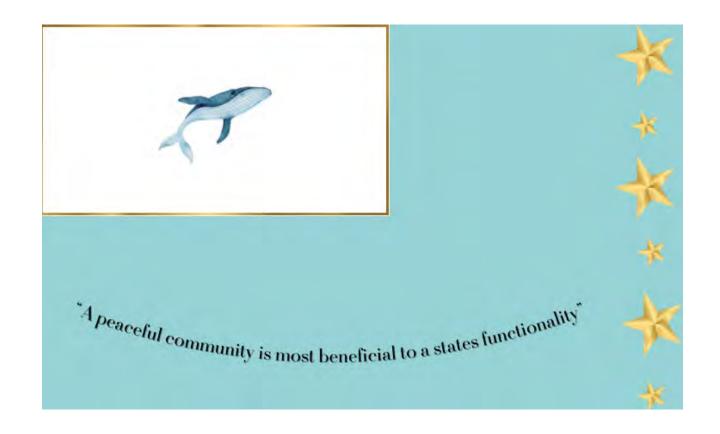


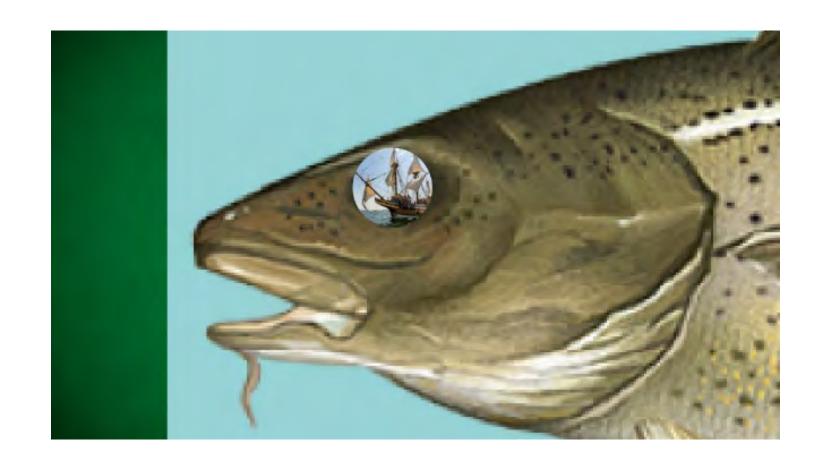


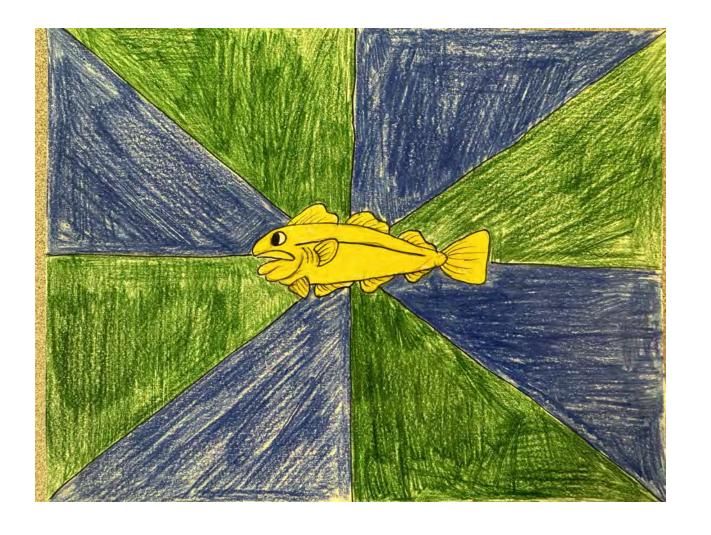














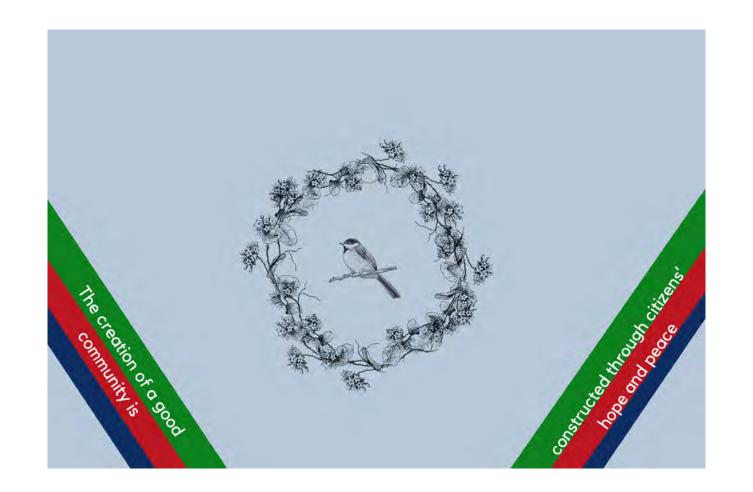










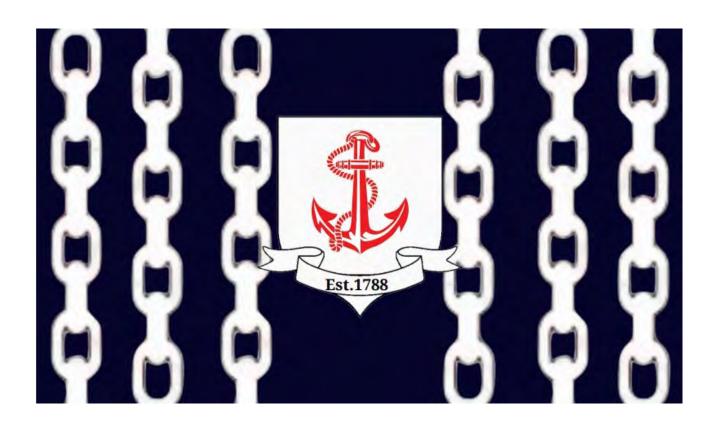














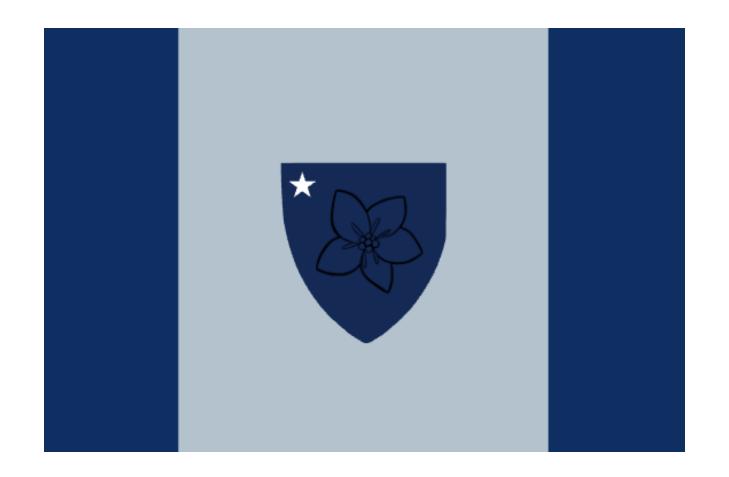


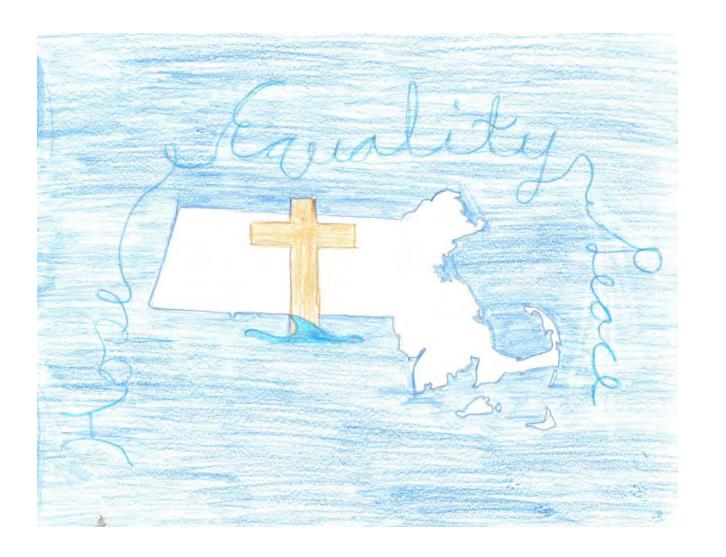




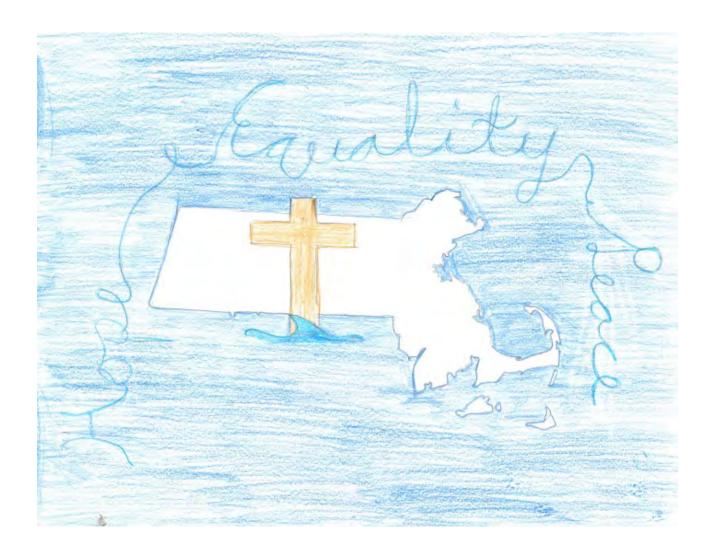
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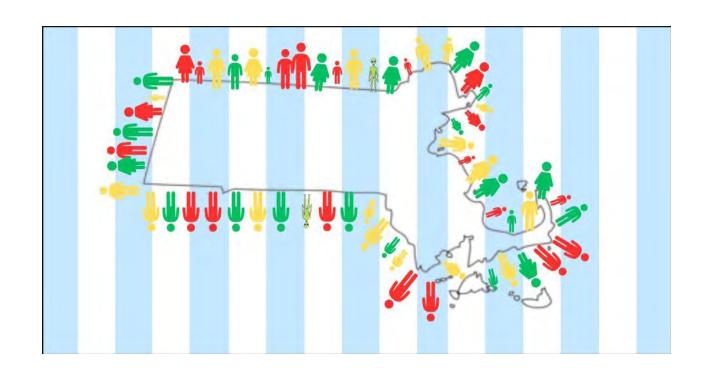


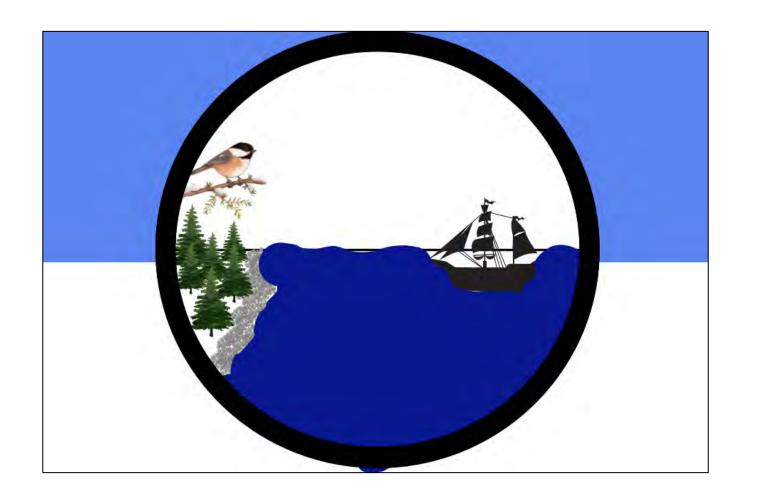








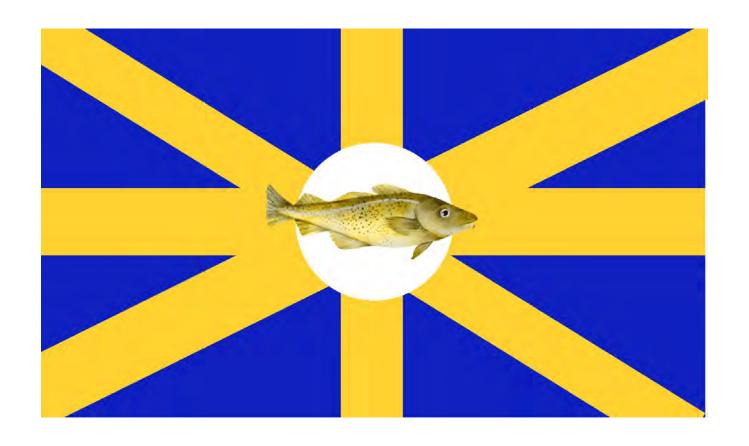


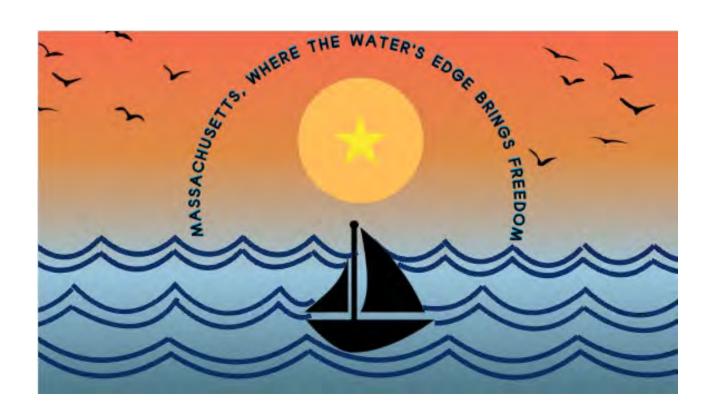


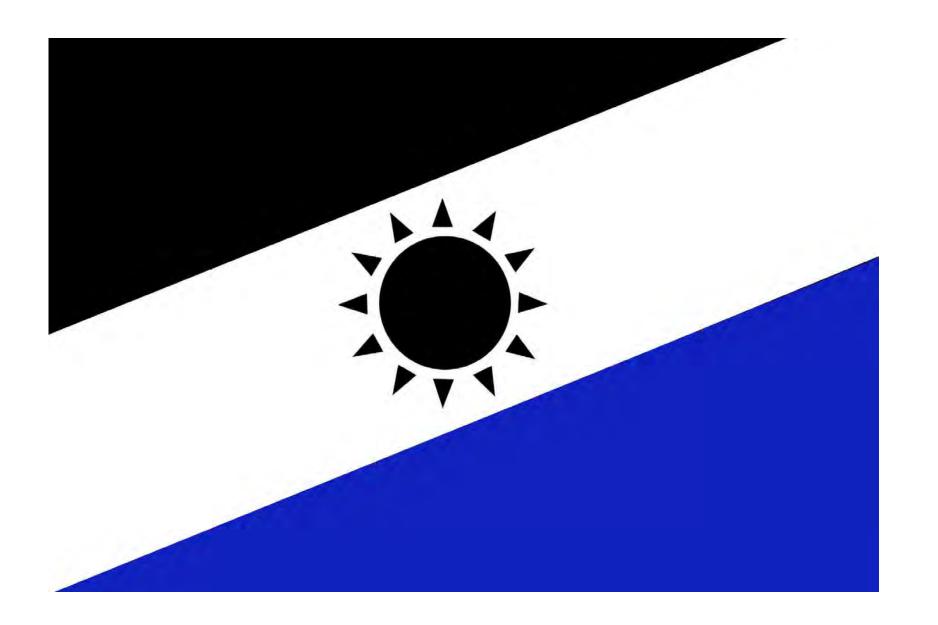




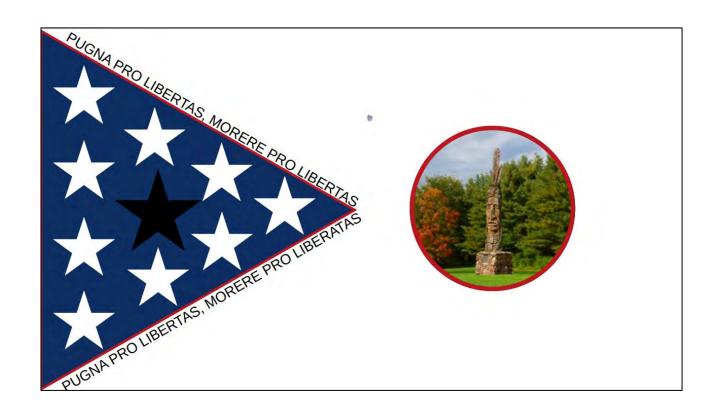


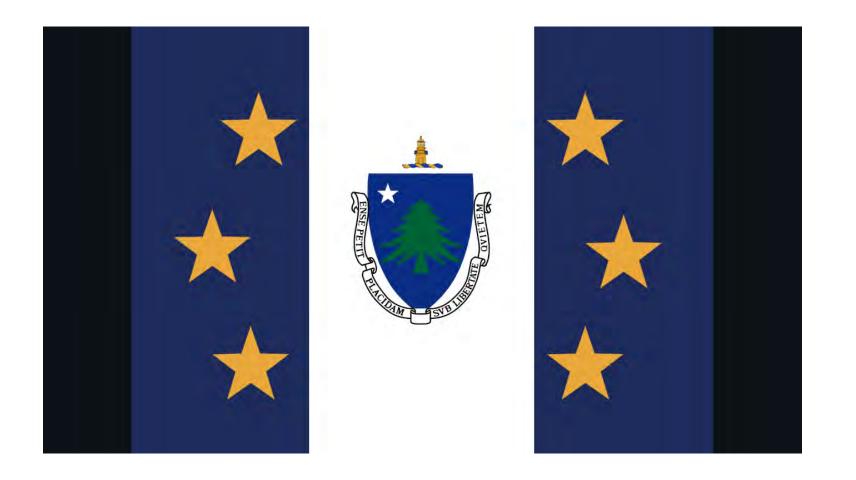






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# Omnes sic advenite, et tuti sunt All are welcome, all are safe



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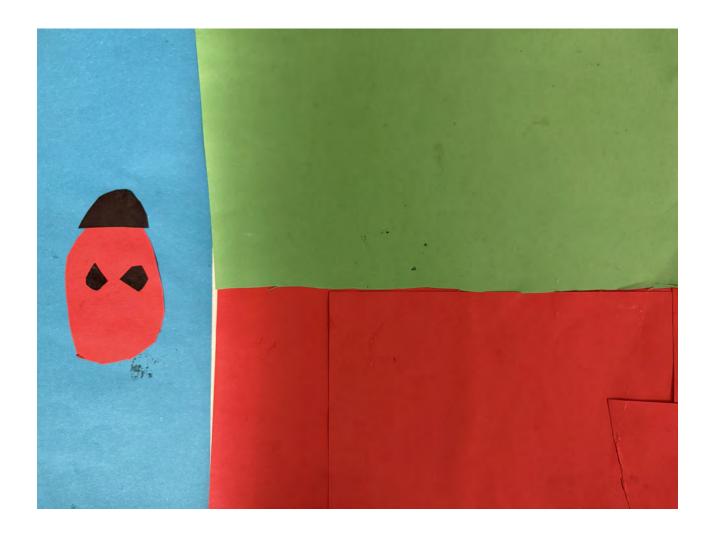


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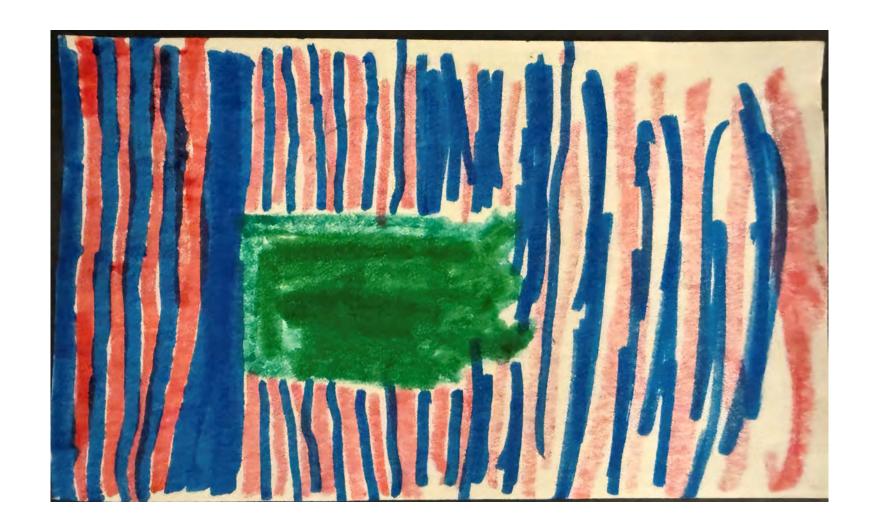




























The Massachusetts Flag Design New Seal of the Commonwealth

Colors used and representation:

Yellow: optimism and a bright future.

Blue: Great Blue Hill, also represents tranquility, harmony and perseverance.

White: peace and purity.

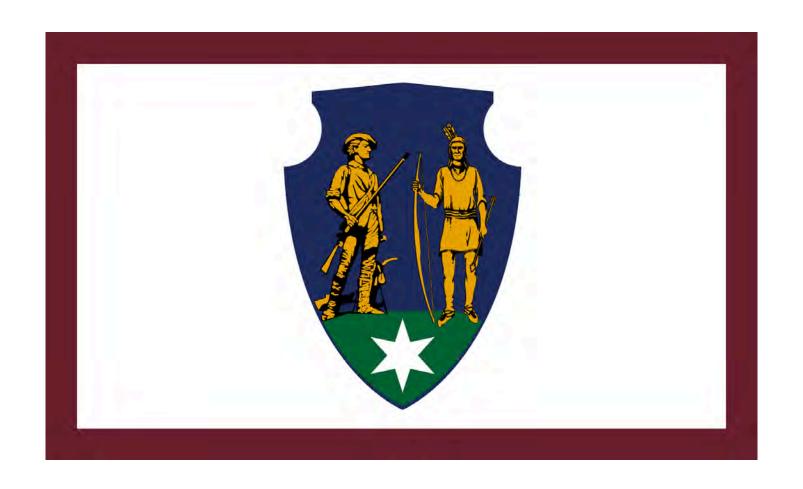
Elements used and representation:

Six point star: MA being sixth of the original thirteen colonies to ratify the United States Constitution.

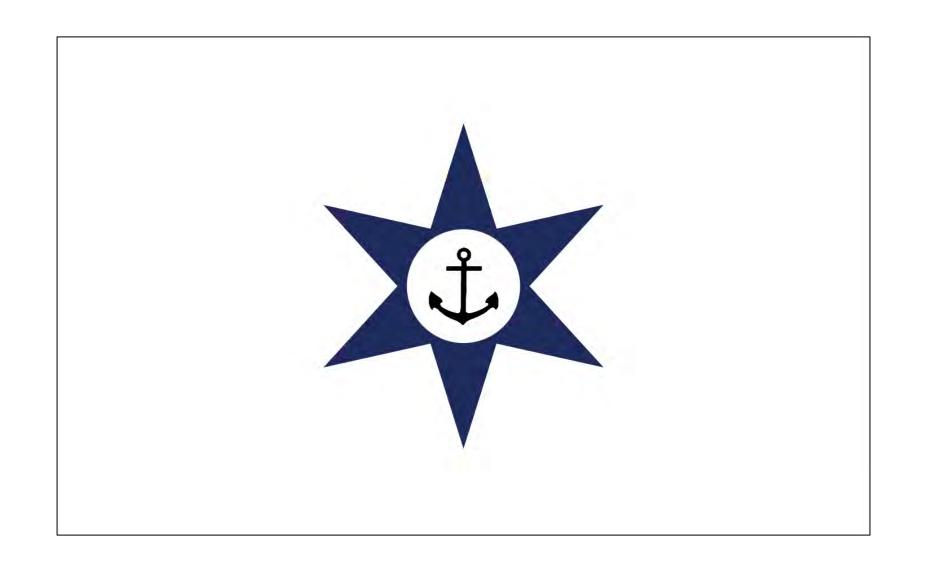
Six stars on vertical double line pattern: Ma's important status as the sixth state to join the union.









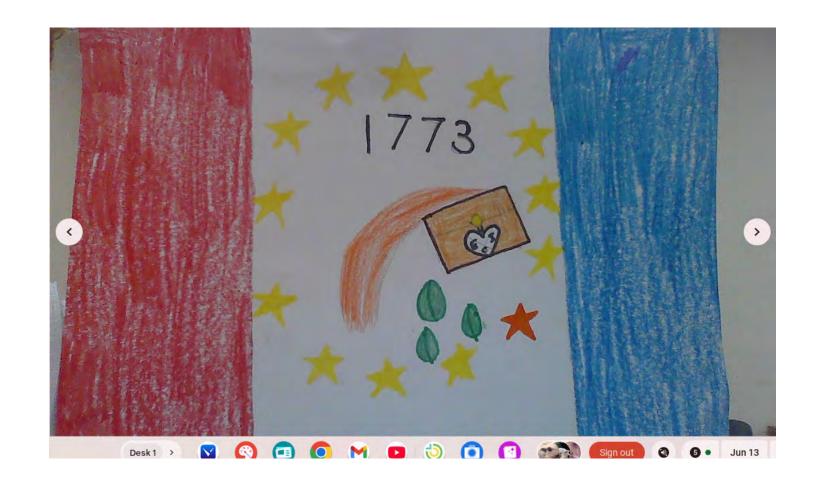






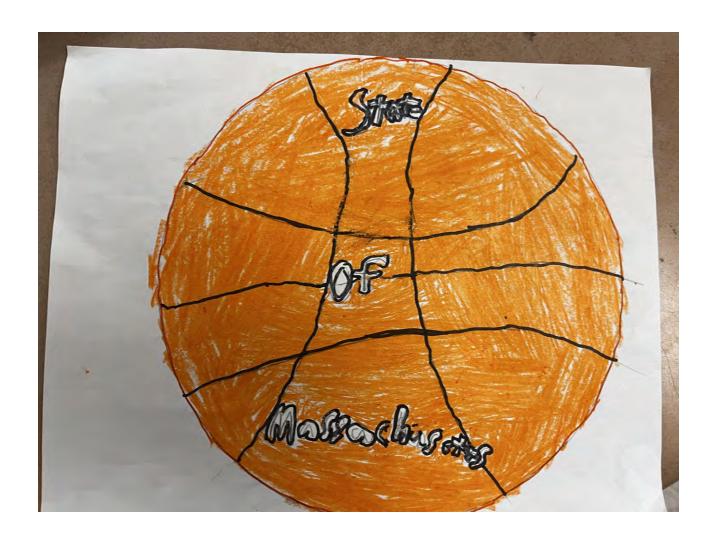


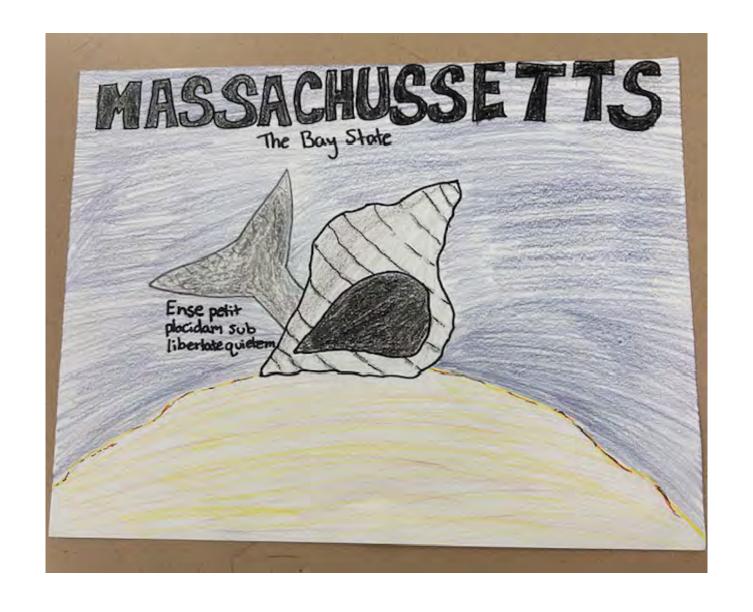








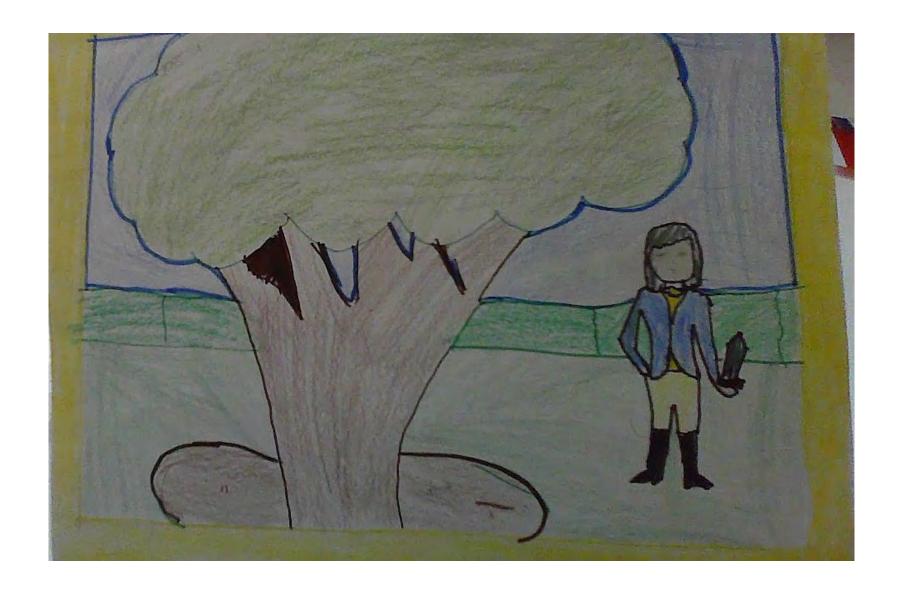










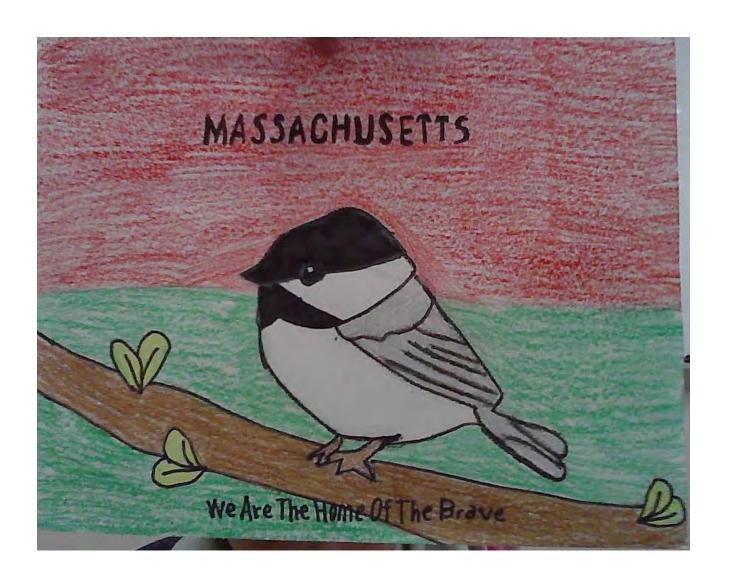




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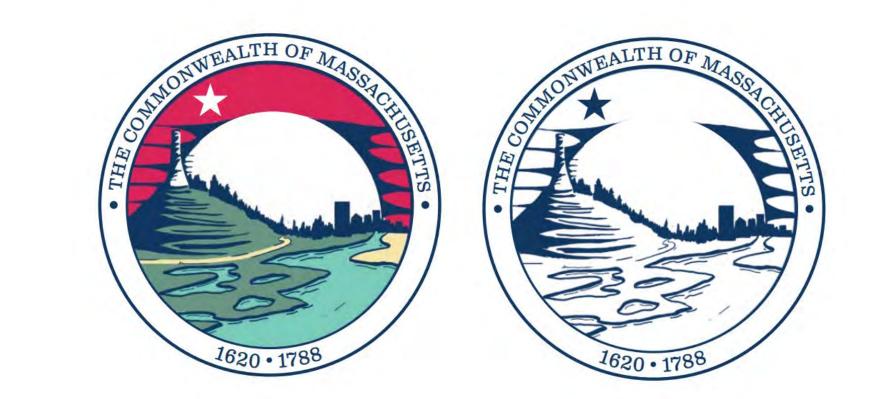








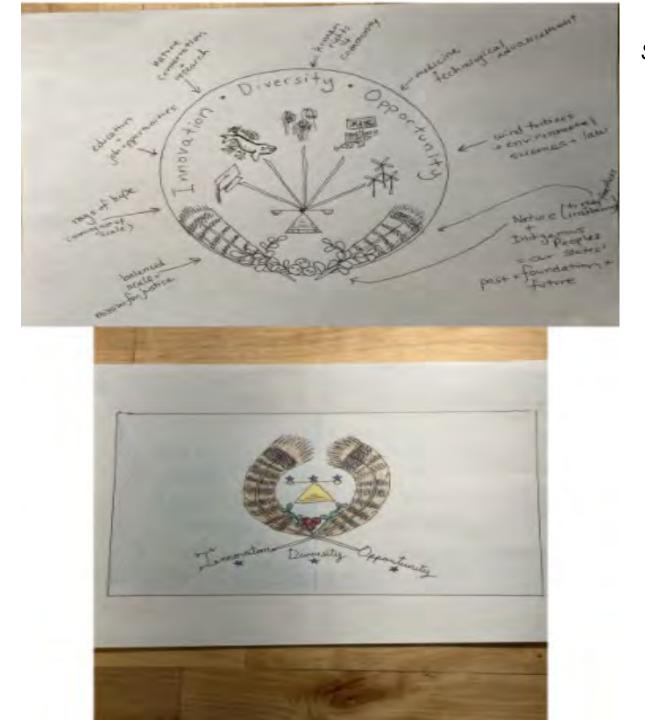
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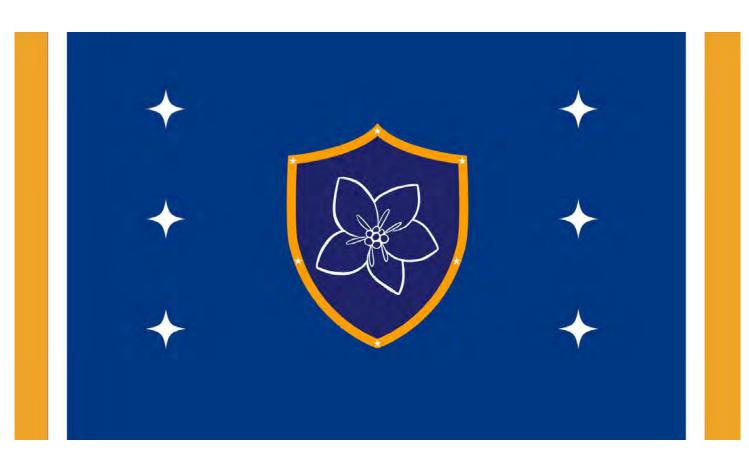


#### Seal and Motto Submission





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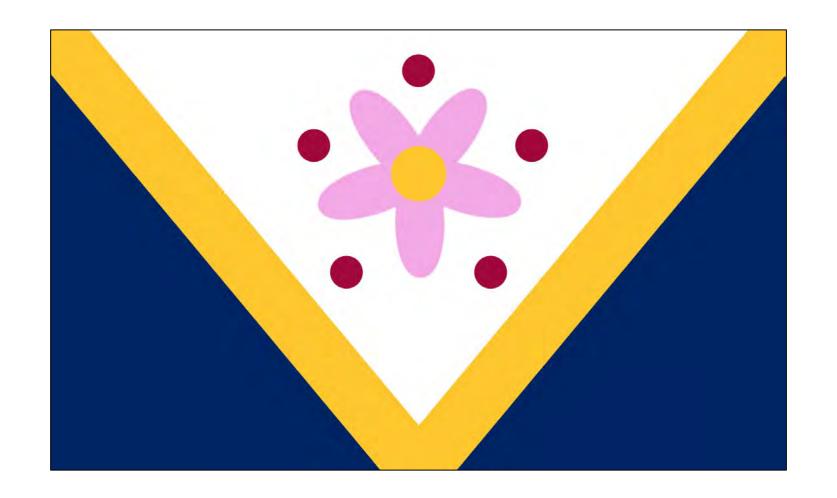


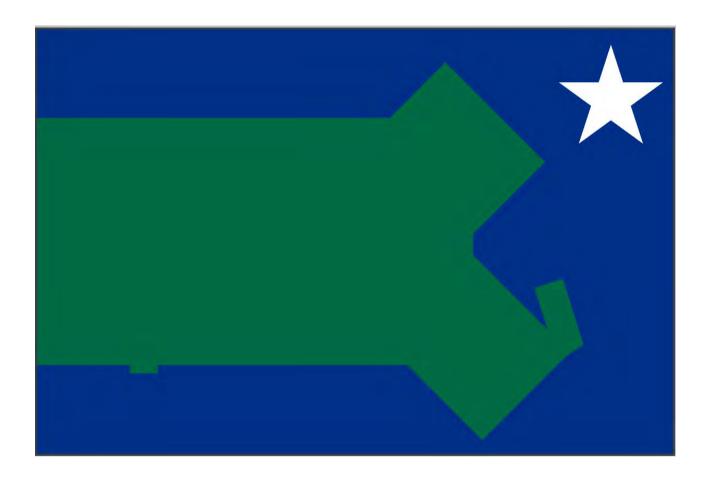
Motto Submission

The State Motto should be: **SAFEGUARD PEACE AND LIBERTY** 

This is a shorter rephrasing of the inscription on the north side of the beautiful Boston Public Library building: "THE COMMONWEALTH REQUIRES THE EDUCATION OF THE PEOPLE AS THE SAFEGUARD OF ORDER AND LIBERTY"















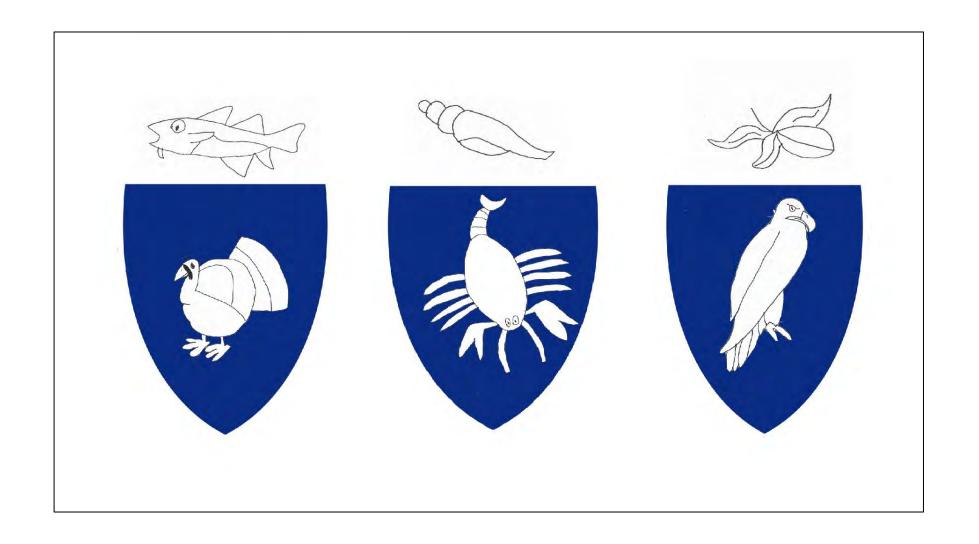


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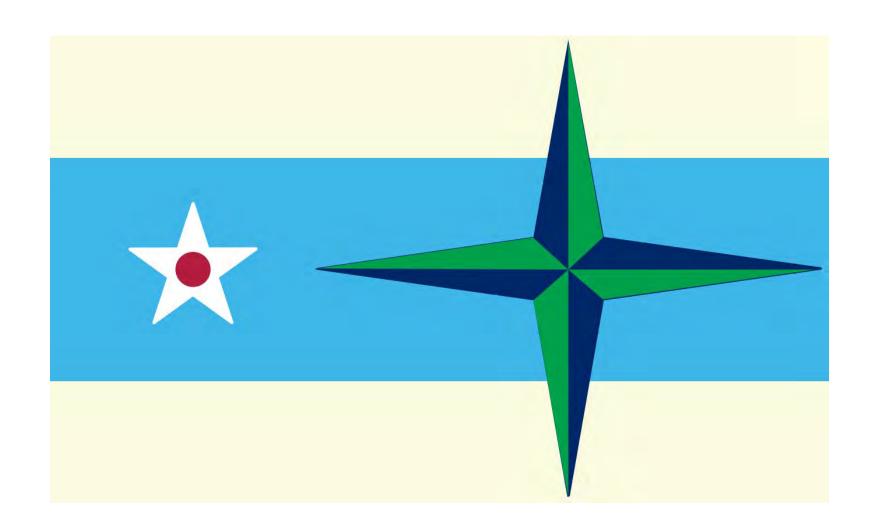
From our pre-revolutionary ballad, The Liberty Song. "In Freedom we're all born, in Freedom we all live"

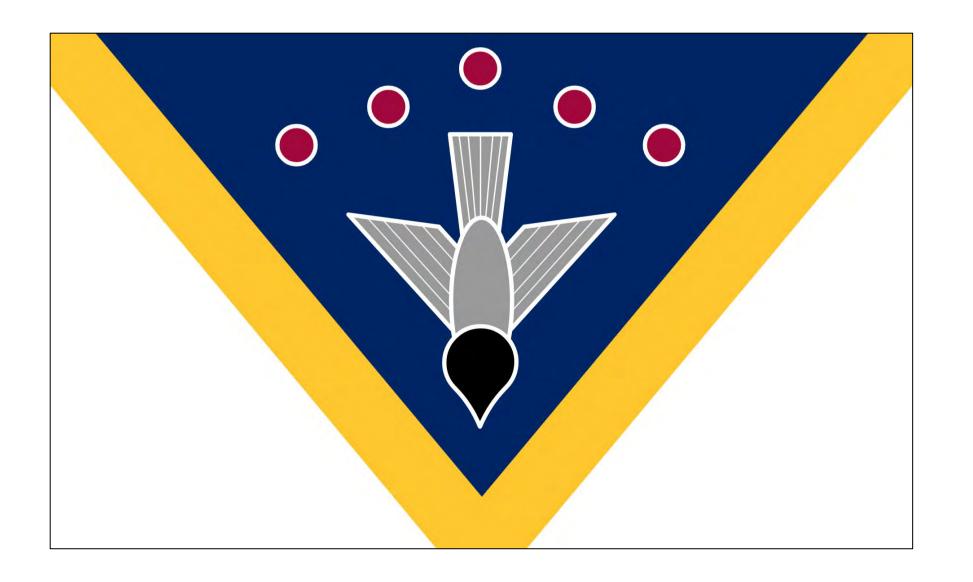
or Massachusetts; Beautiful and Bountiful

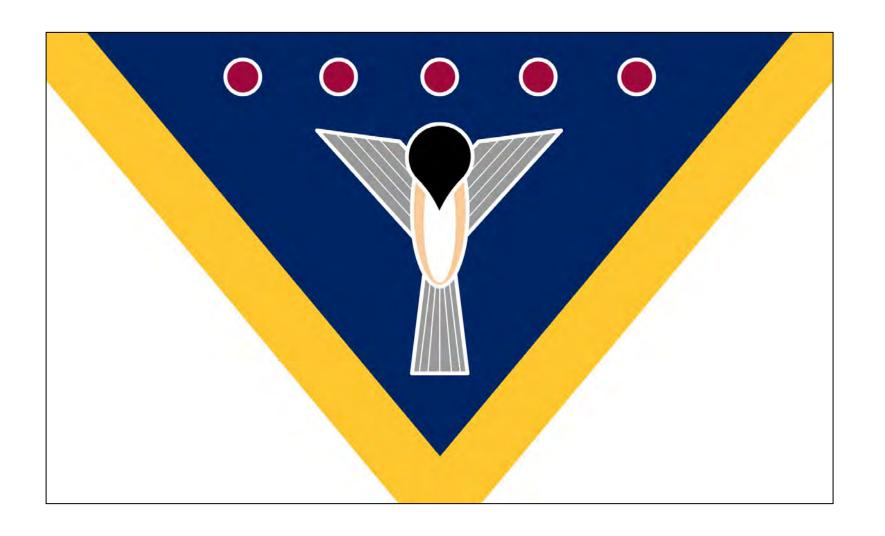
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"Erimus velut urbs in colle posita," which translates to: "We shall be as a city upon a hill	<b>99</b>

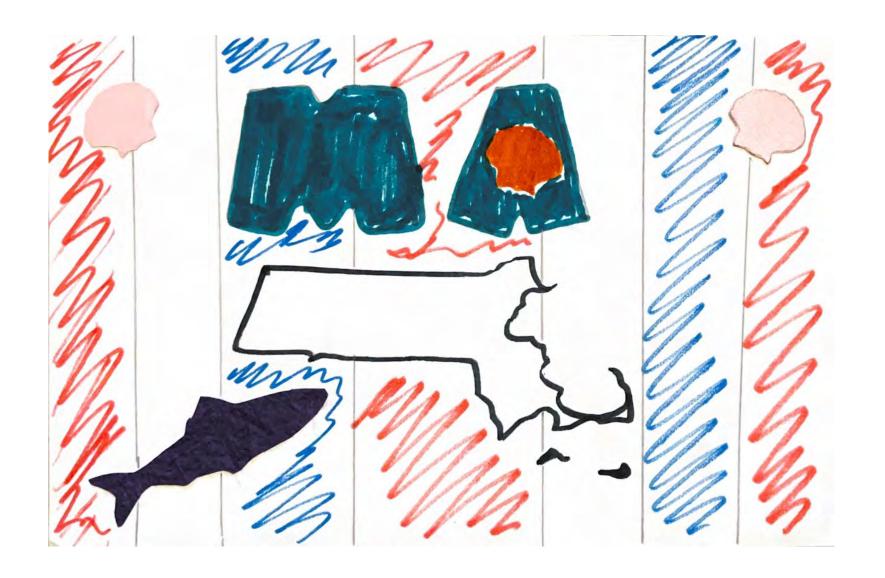


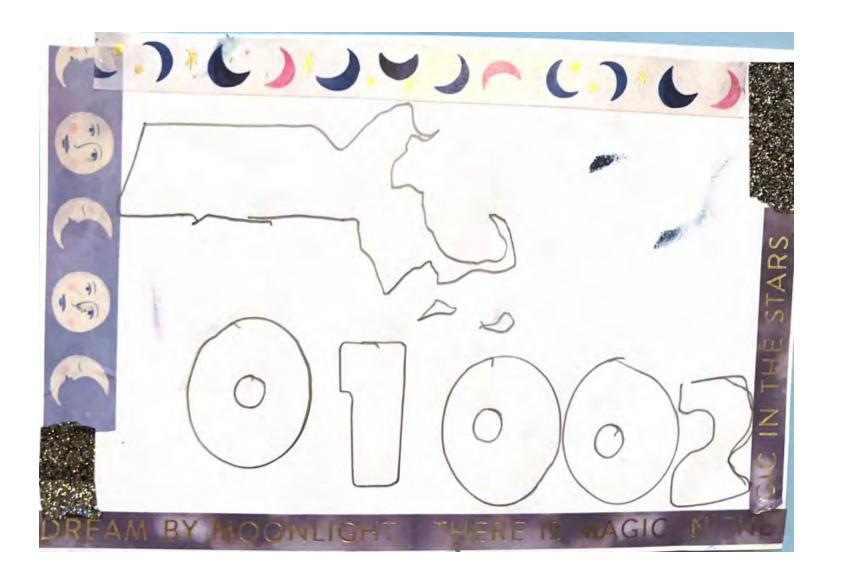
















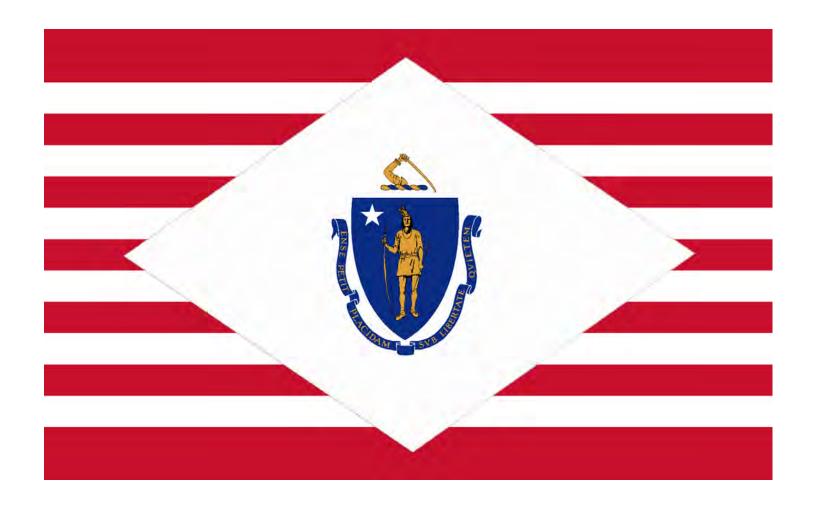


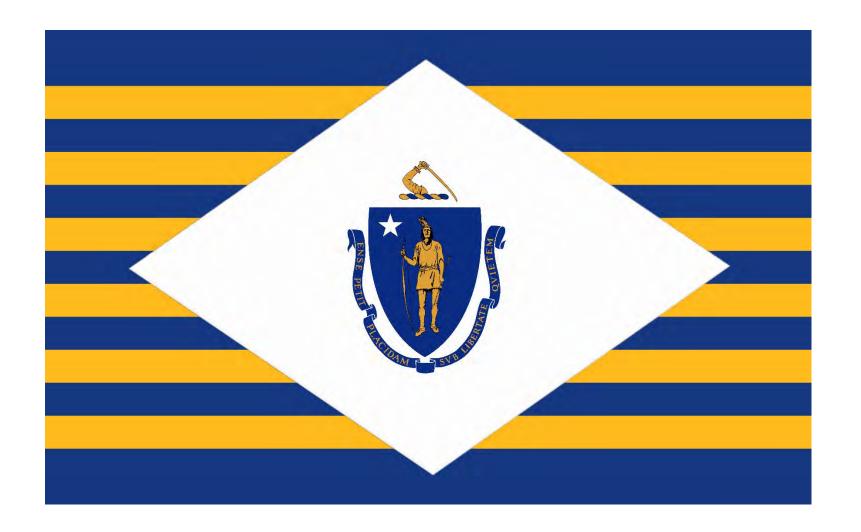
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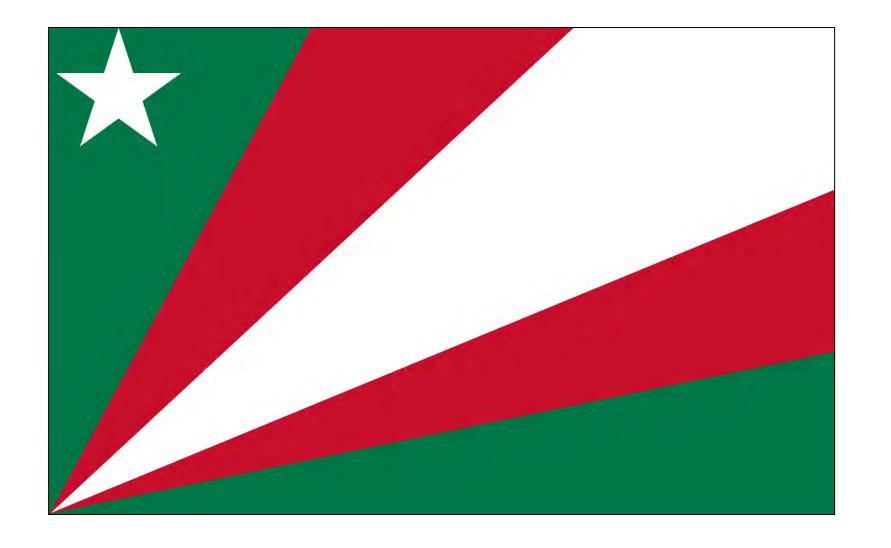
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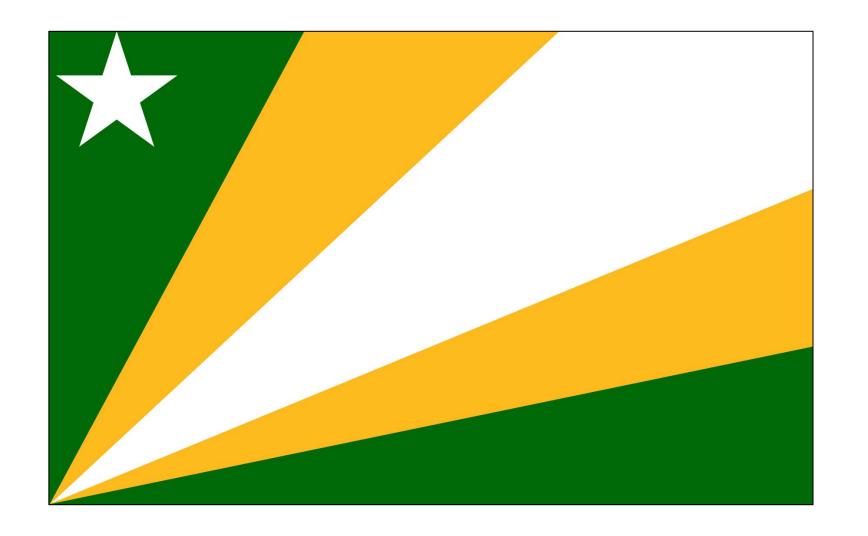


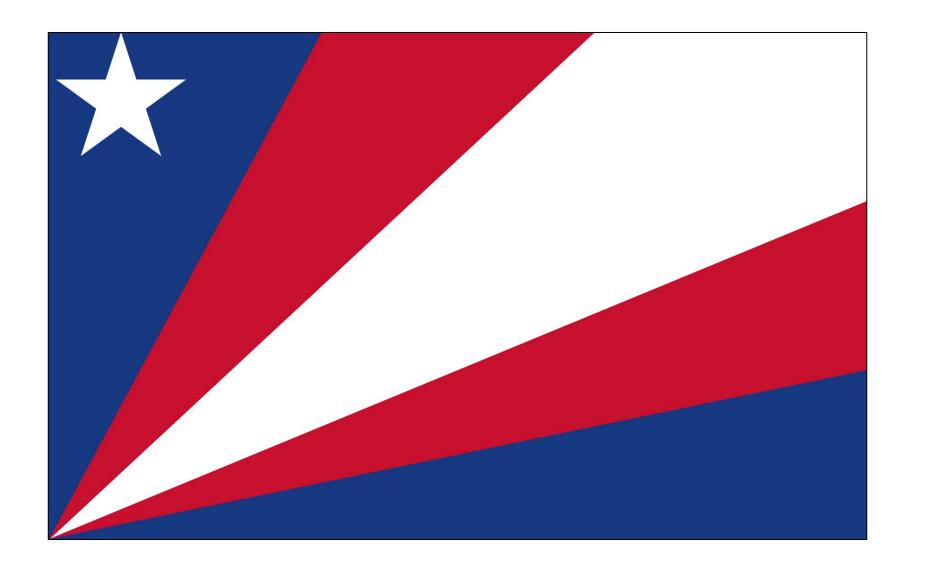




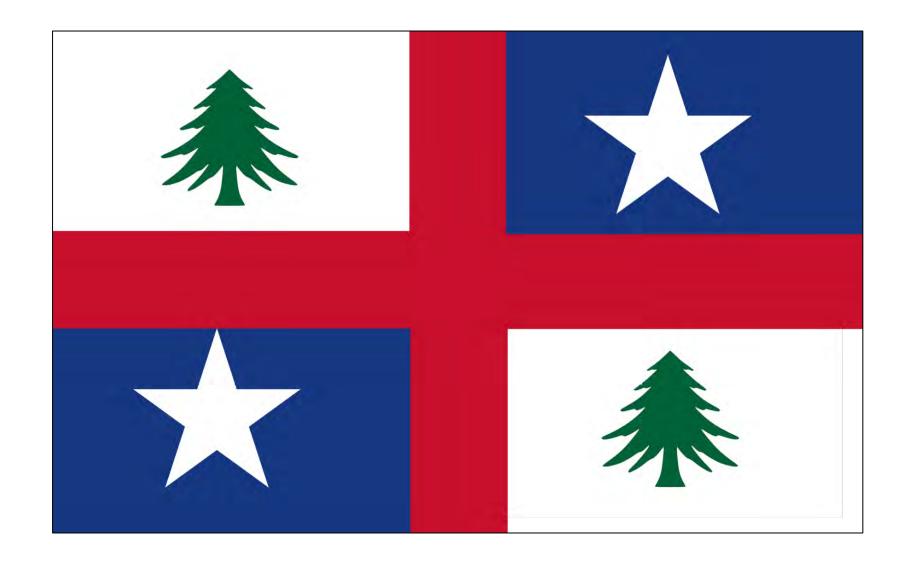




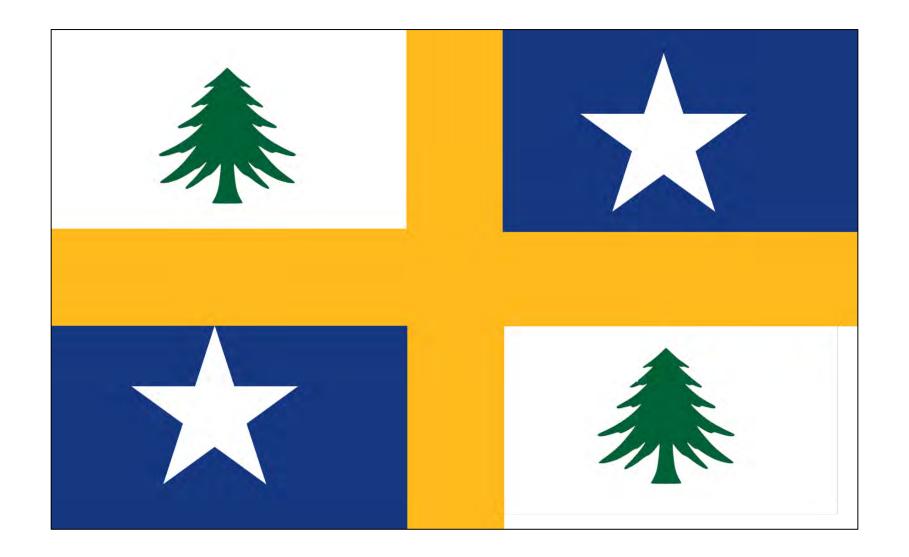




Flag Submission



Flag Submission



Motto Submission

Motto: Let it begin here!

Flag is divided into three equal horizontal stripes: dark blue along the bottom (symbolizes the coast, rivers, and lakes) forest green in the middle (symbolizes the mountains and forests), and gold across the top (symbolizes the sun and references the Wampanoag "people of the first light."). In the center of the flag is one of several possible images: 1. A sturgeon 2. A quahog 3. A large capital letter M that is designed to look like two mountains. 4. A bobcat I have no design skills, so I'm just submitting my ideas as text.

#### Seal and Motto Submission



## Seal Submission

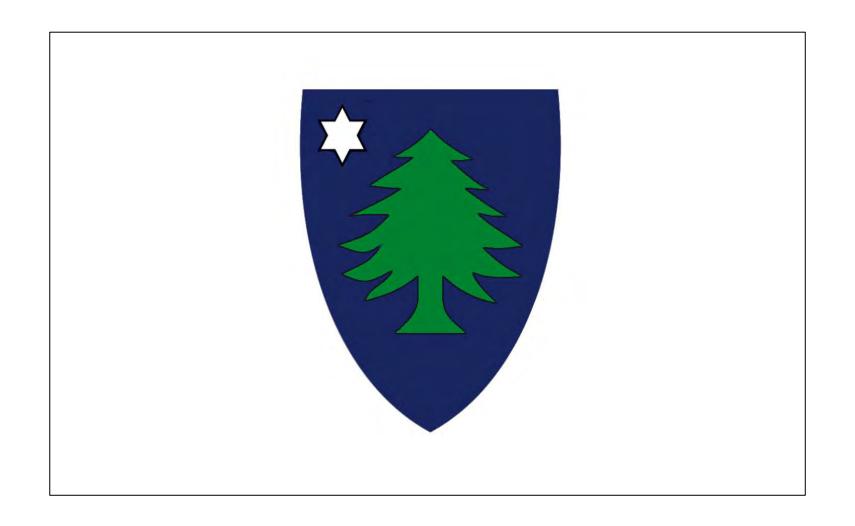


# **Proposed Flags of the Commonwealth** Option A Option B New Seal of the Commonwealth New State Motto of the Commonwealth **CONSTANS UT TEMPORA** "Steady as the Seasons" Design and Proposal by Gabriel Mata

#### Seal, Flag and Motto Submission

# Flag and Motto Submission



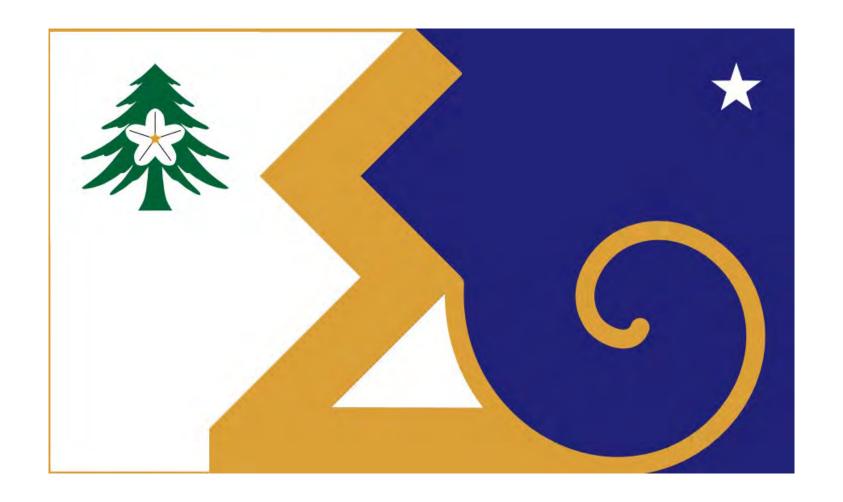




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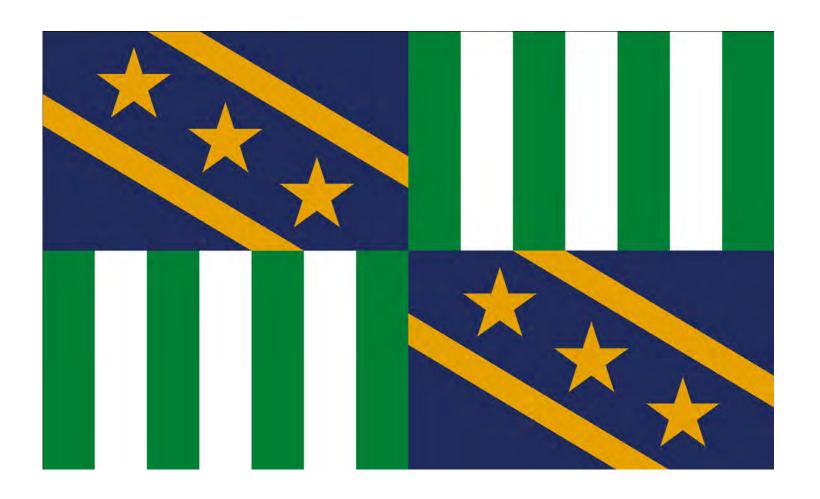


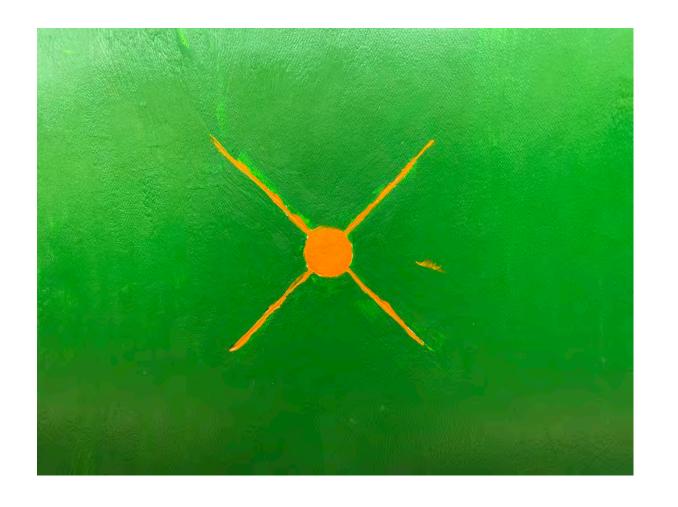


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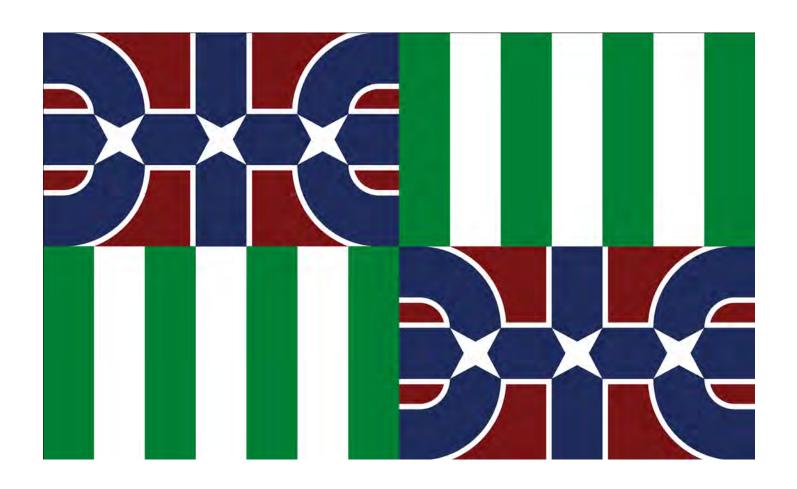








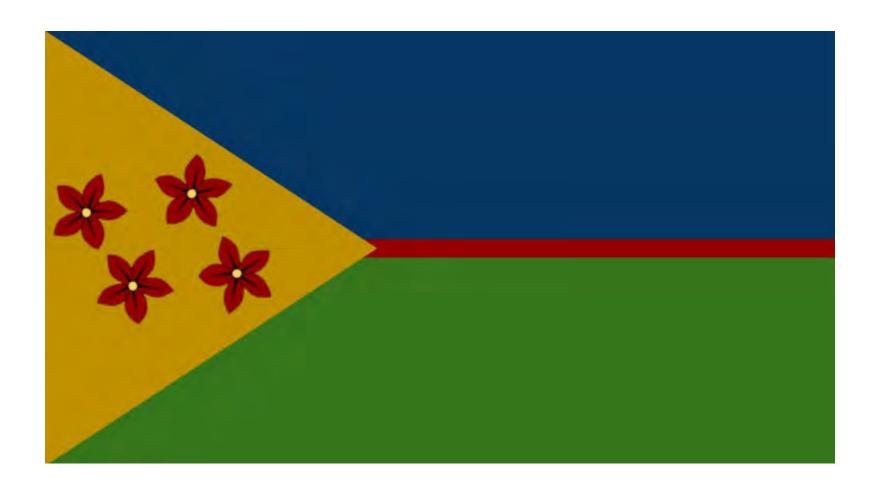


















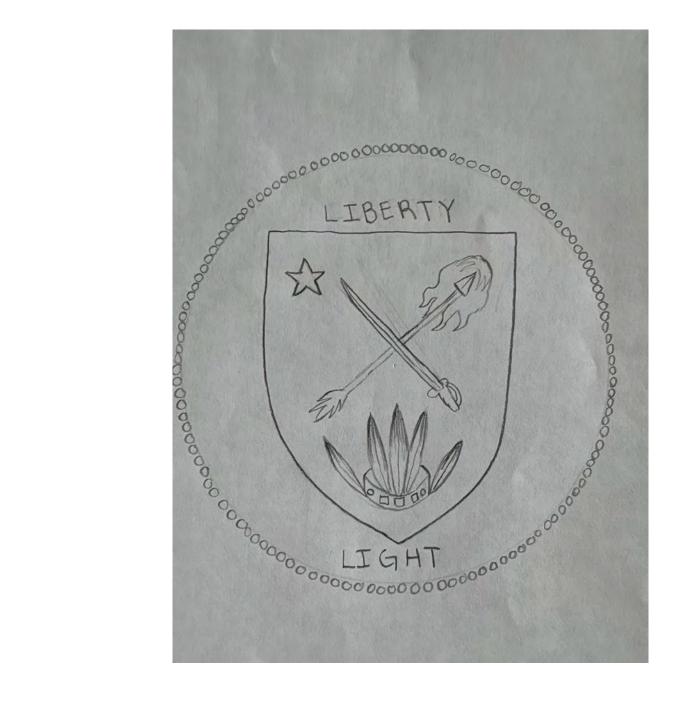
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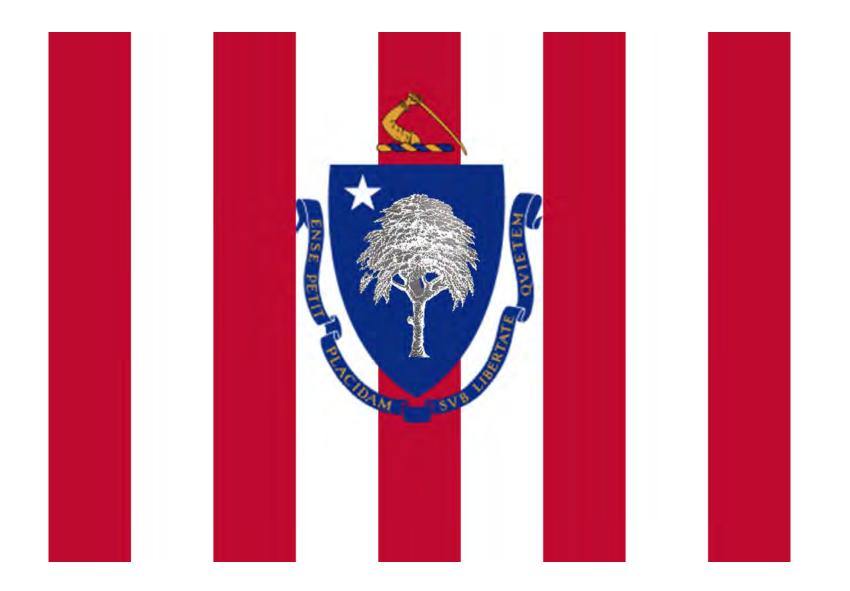




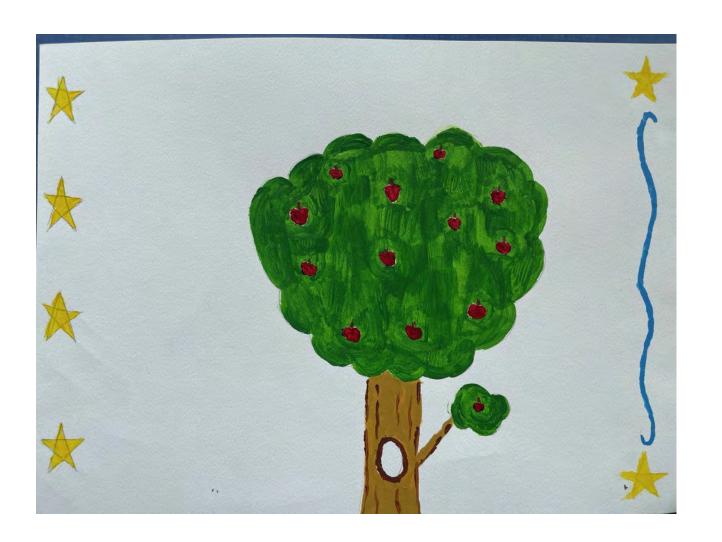


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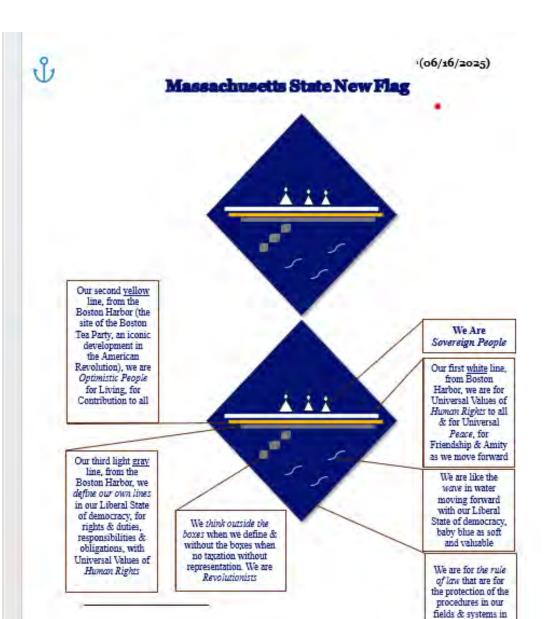




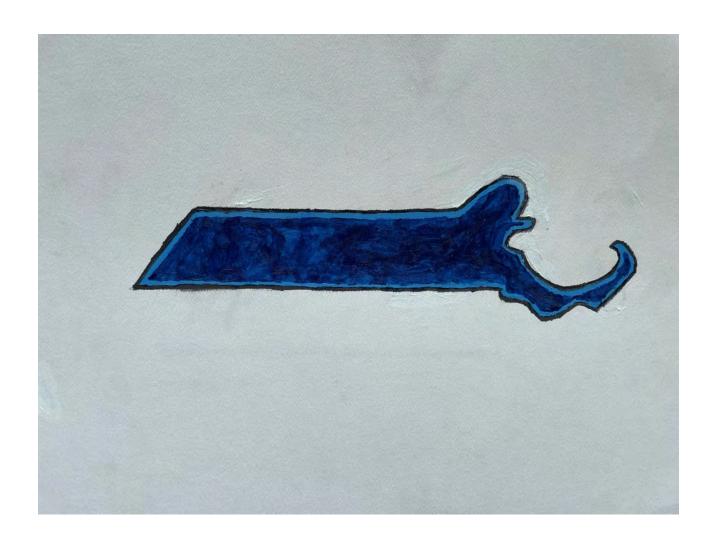


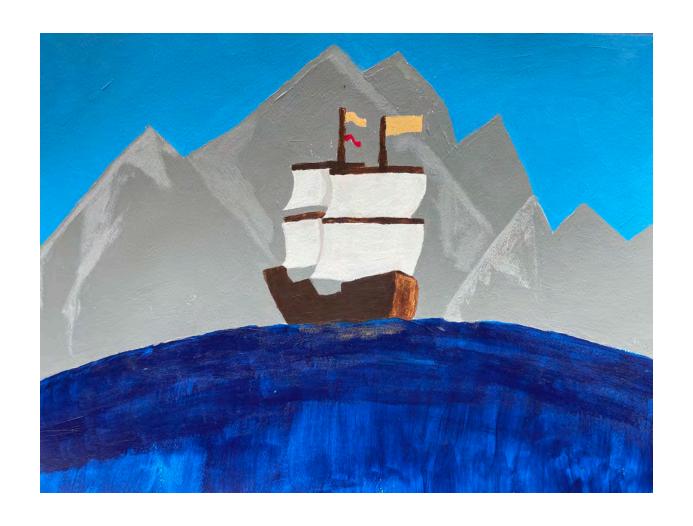
# Flag Design





democracy, as costal navy-blue color of the water, as we move forward

















Motto Submission

For the new motto, I suggest, "Give Thanks".

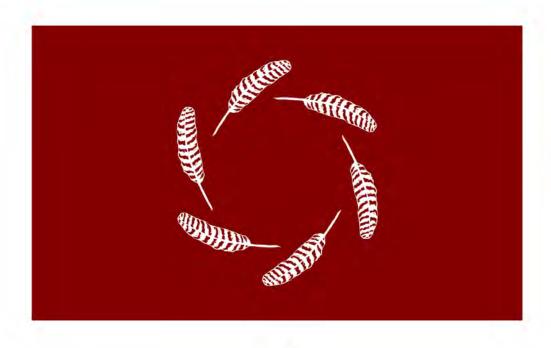
It is simple, pithy, and easily remembered. The phrase evokes an iconic moment in Massachusetts and American history: the First Thanksgiving.



#### Seal and Motto Submission









Flag Seal

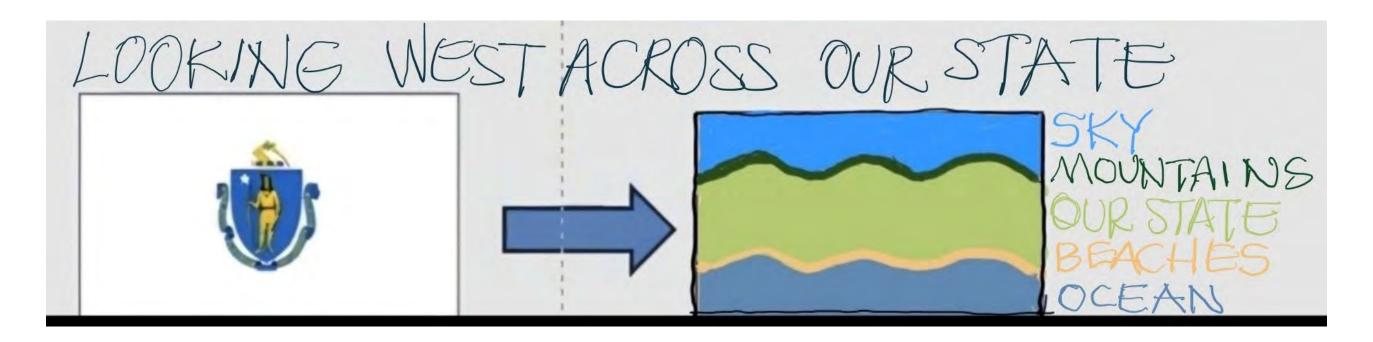
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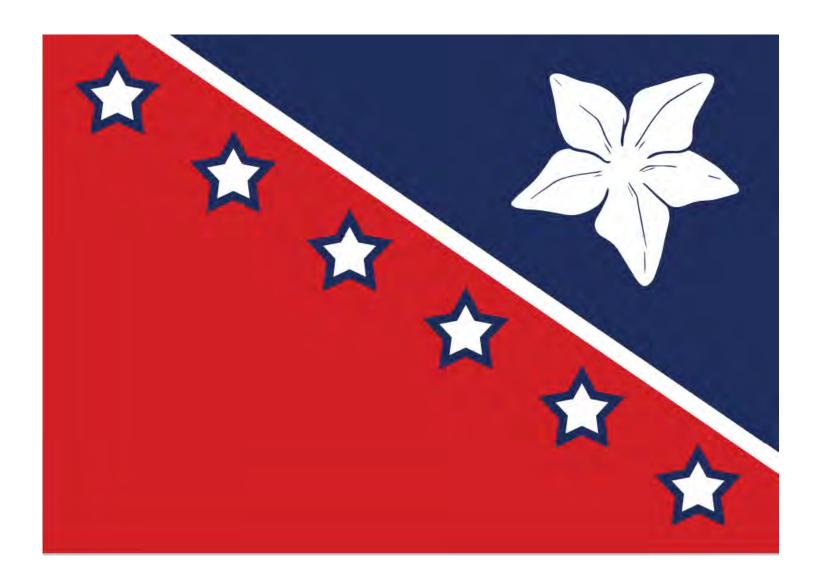


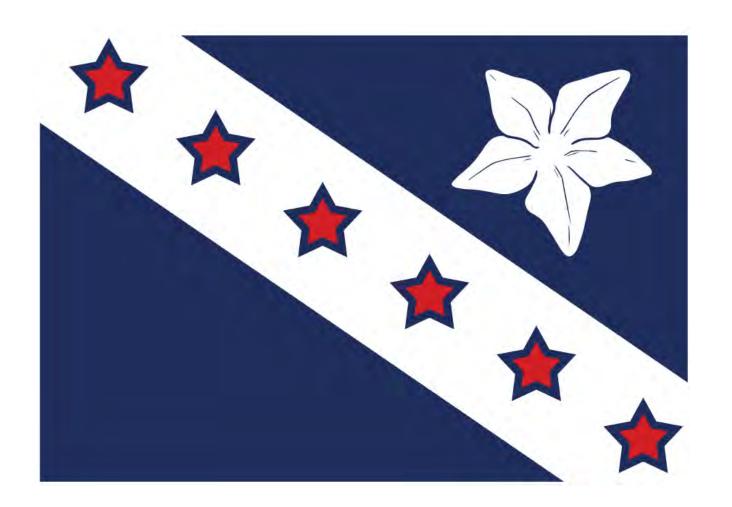
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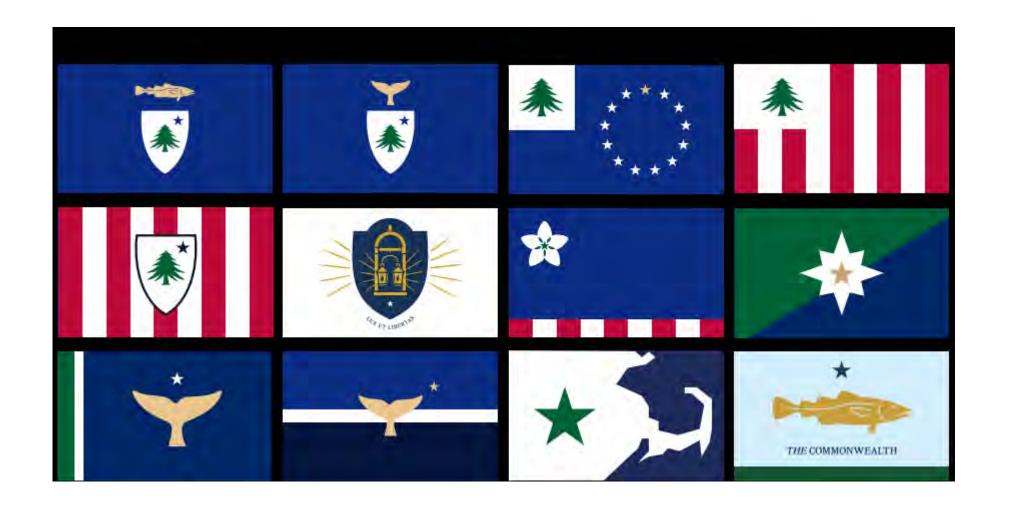










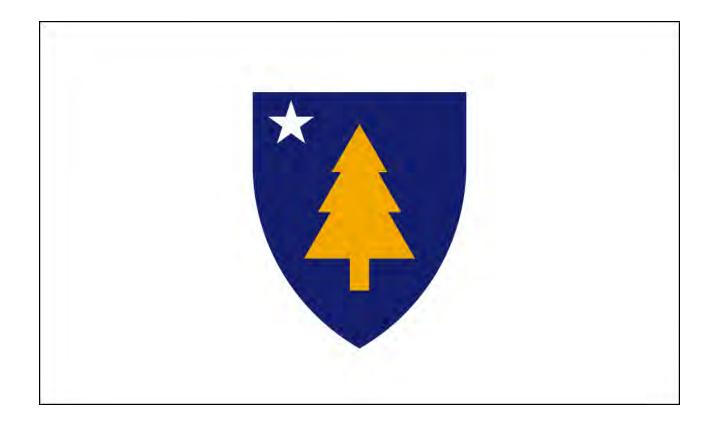


- 1. Ingenio et Animo: Celebrates Massachusetts' distinctive blend of world-class innovation and the grit to pursue it. (Latin: "By Talent and Courage")
- 2. 2. Fortitudo et Scientia: Affirms that resilient people empowered by knowledge drive progress. (Latin: "Strength and Knowledge")
- 3. 3. Lux et Libertas: Portrays Massachusetts as a beacon of knowledge, freedom, and enlightened progress, reflecting our intellectual traditions and foundational commitment to individual rights. (Latin: "Light and Liberty")
- 4. 4. Liberty and Union: Drawn from the historic Taunton "Liberty and Union" flag, this motto connects Massachusetts' revolutionary roots to its enduring dedication to national unity.
- 5. 5. Spirit of Inquiry, Heart of Progress: Explicitly communicates Massachusetts' ongoing dedication to curiosity and intellectual exploration, powering breakthroughs in science, culture, and civic life



Provd to live in Massachusetts!

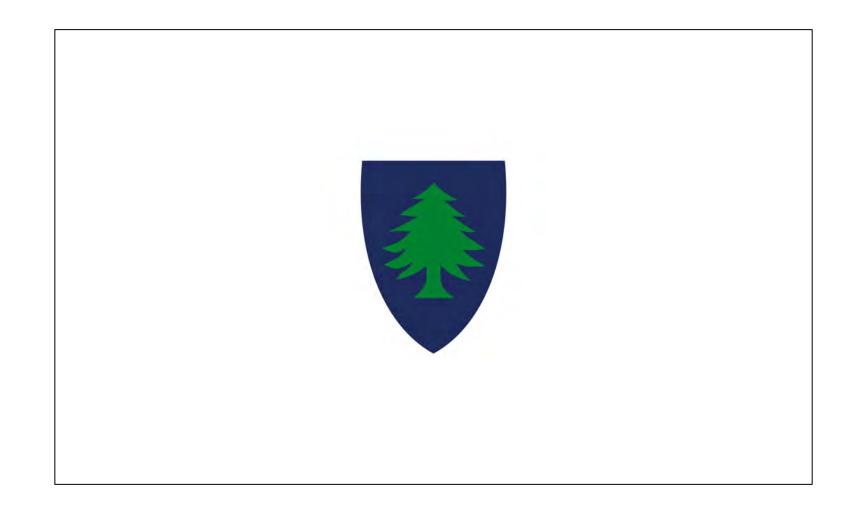




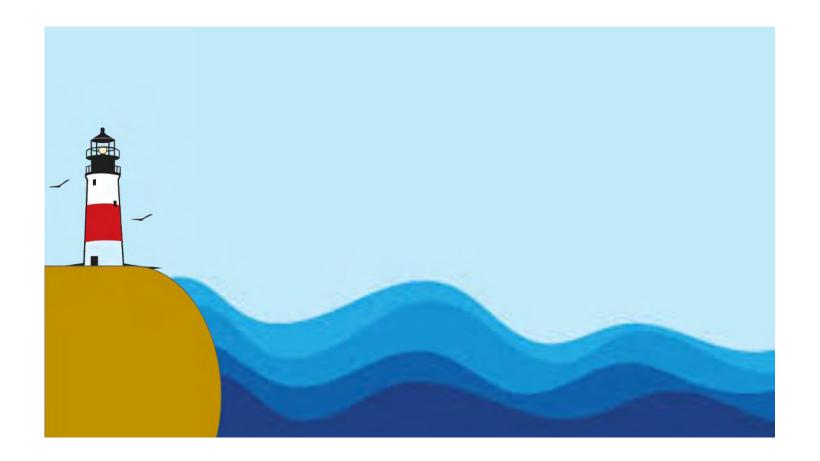


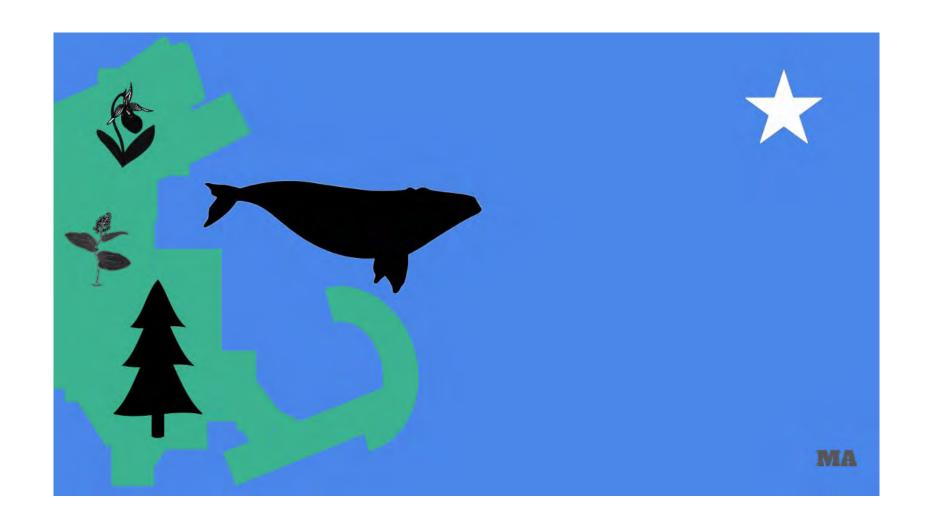










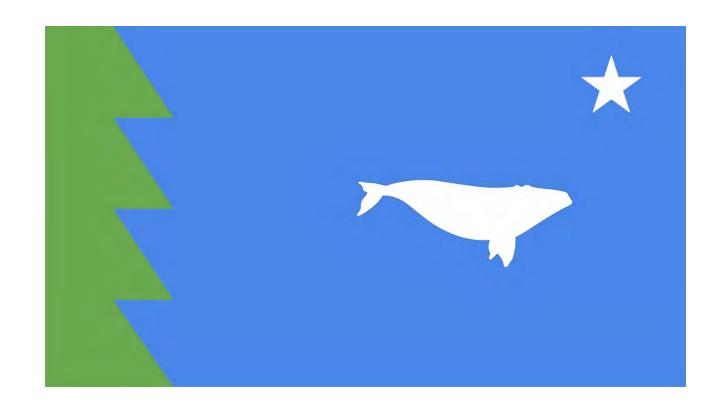


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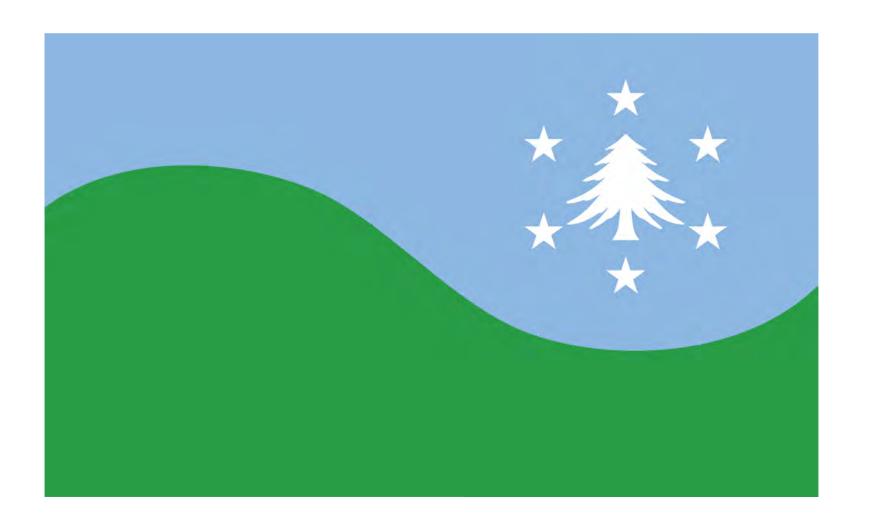
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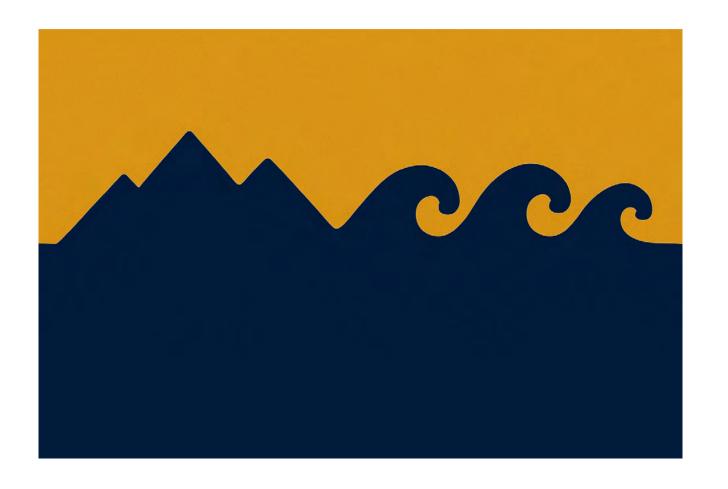
"game is game"



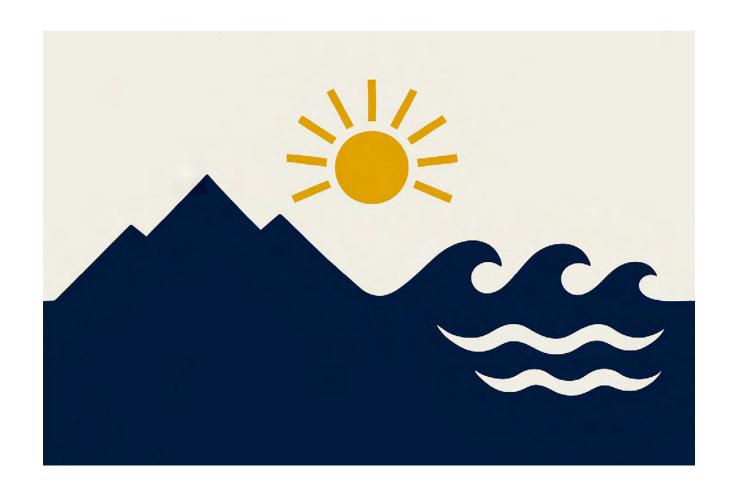


Motto: We're always Right

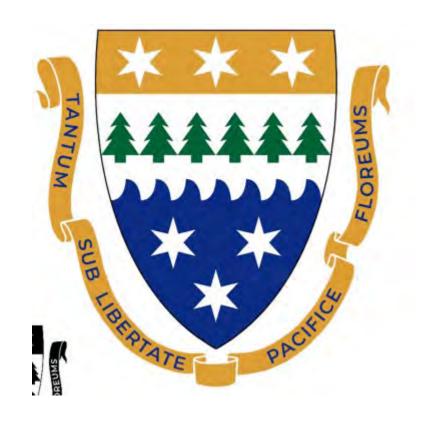




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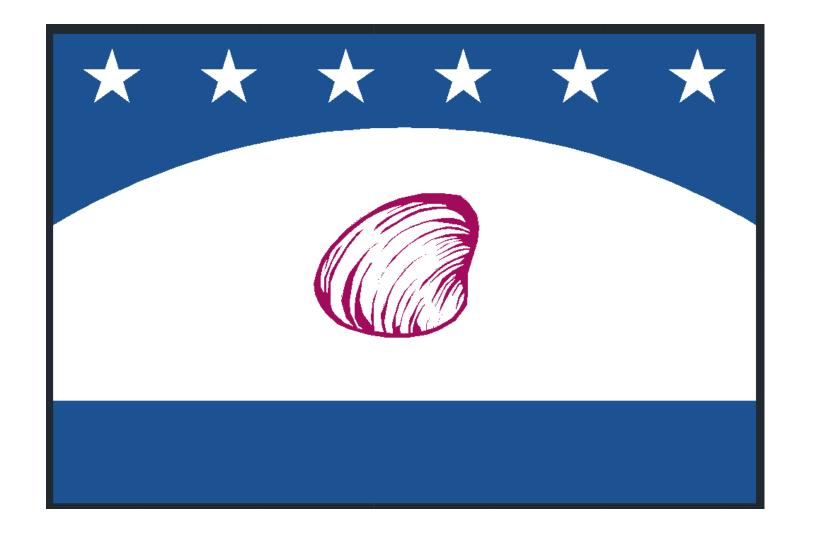
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Motto: Land of liberty, sea of dreams



# Flag and Motto Submission



Flag Submission



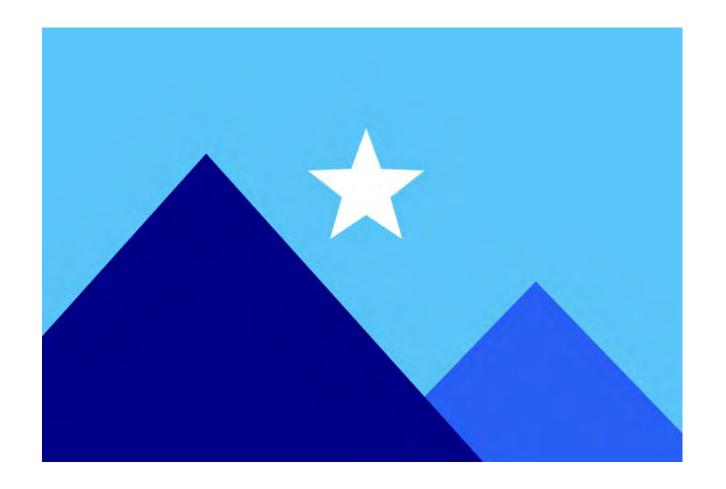
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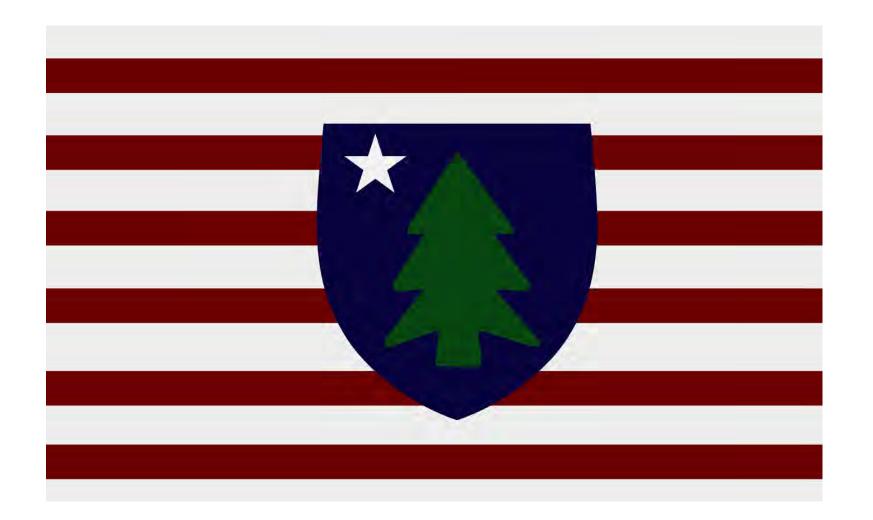












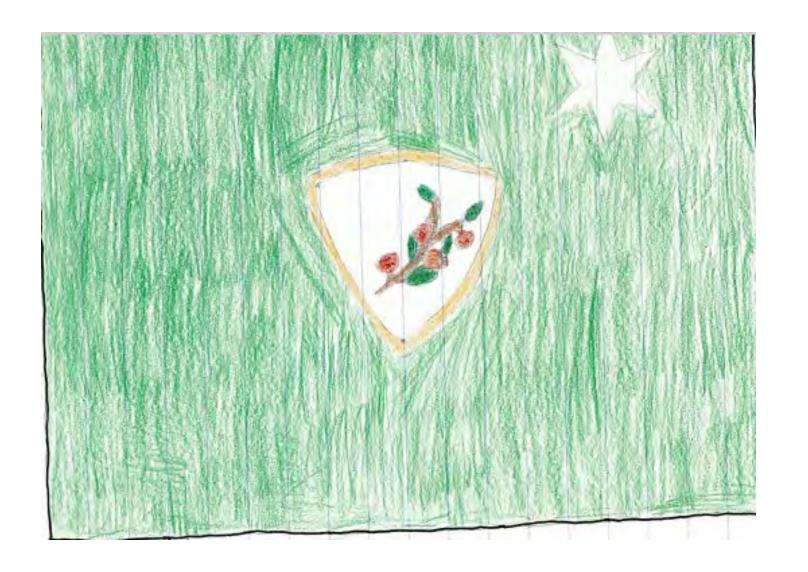








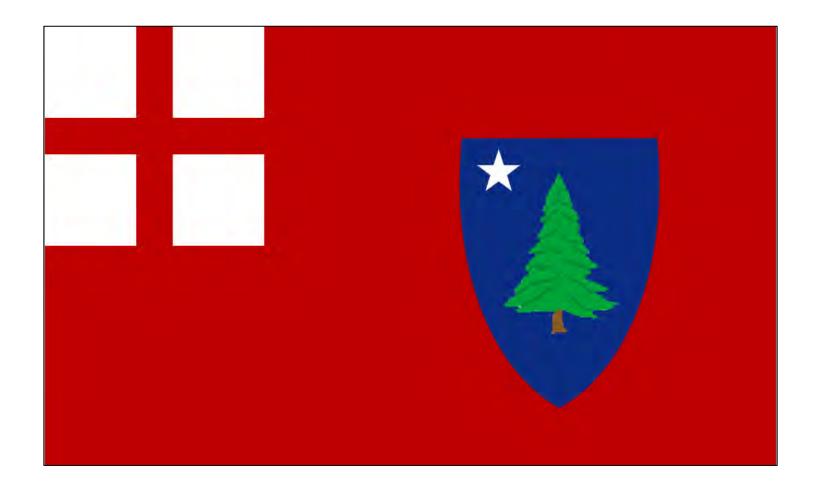
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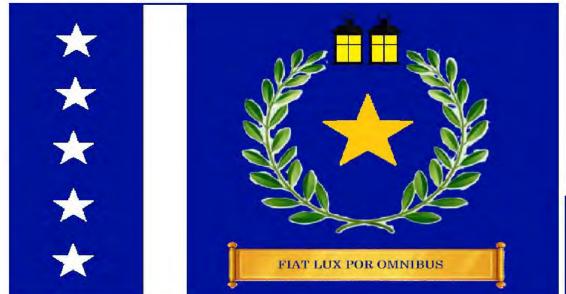


Question: Is it still required that the MassachusettsState Seal be on the Massachusetts State Flag? If so the SEAL and FLAG should include.

- 1) An historic depiction of how the Patuxet tribe within the Wampanoag, guided the Pilgrims on how to plant crops, fish, and hunt, skills vital for their survival. The Wampanoag also shared their food and knowledge of the land, leading to a shared harvest celebration in 1621, now known as the First Thanksgiving.
- 2) The Mayflower
- 3) Symbolic depiction of the BAY State The MOTTO should be **Together We Heal OR We Thrive Together OR Together We Thrive**



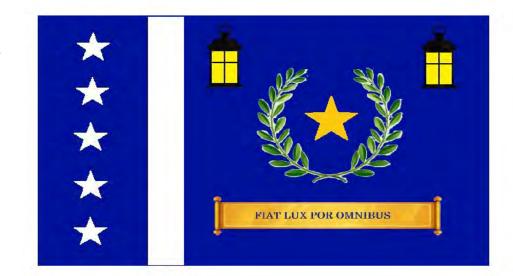
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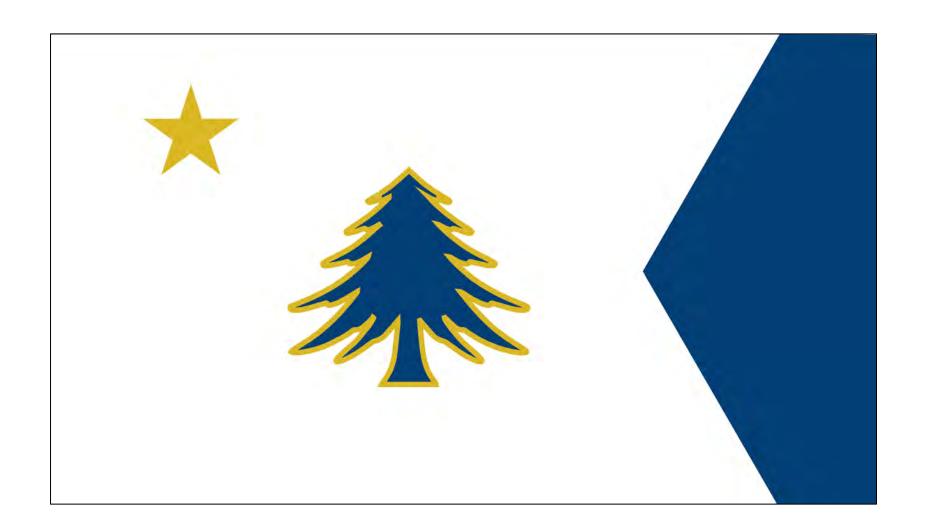
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"It Starts With Us."



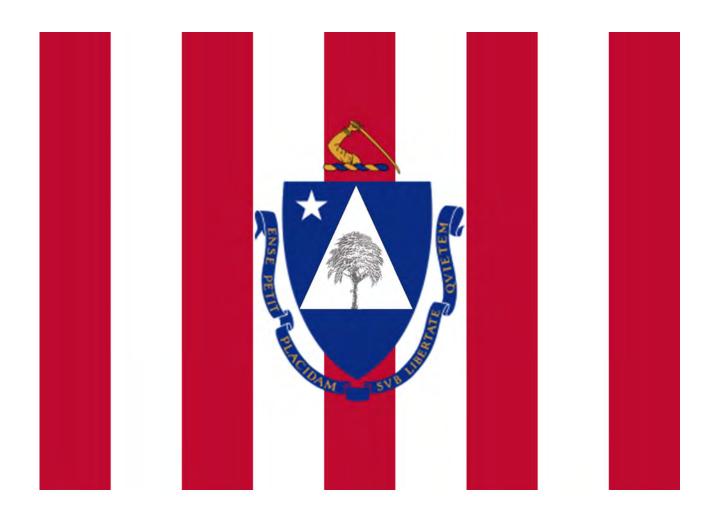


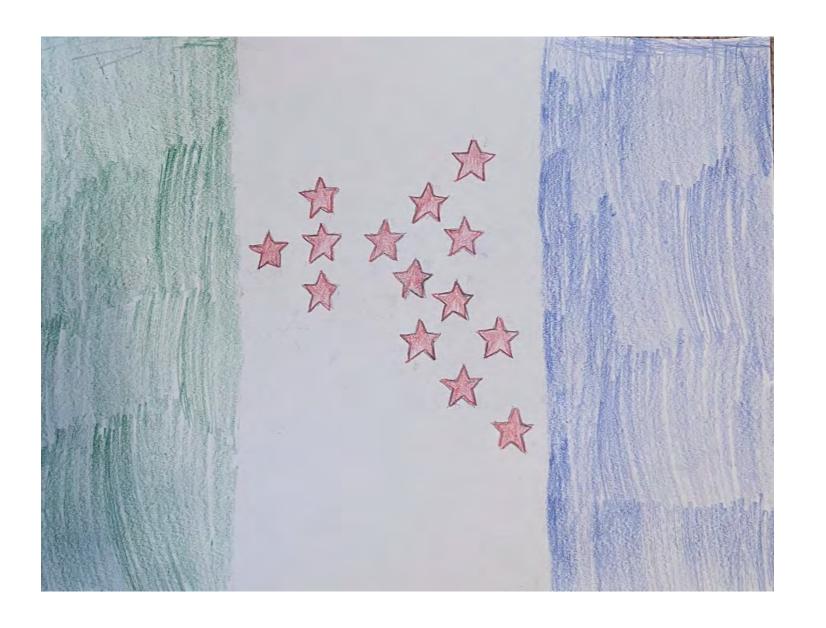
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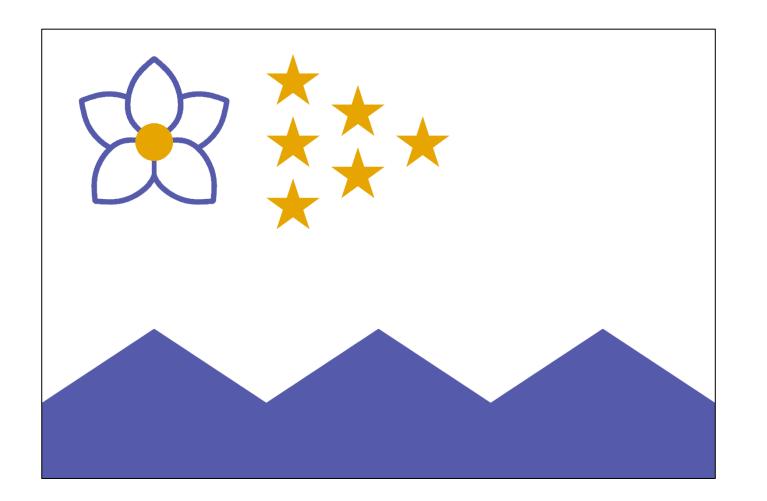
My motto for Massachusetts is "Where Freedom's Fight Began". This motto highlights that Massachusetts is the birthplace of the American Revolution, and simplifies the message of the fight for liberty central to the current motto.

#### Seal Submission









#### Seal, Flag and Motto Submission

#### SEAL



#### FLAG MOTTO OPTIONS

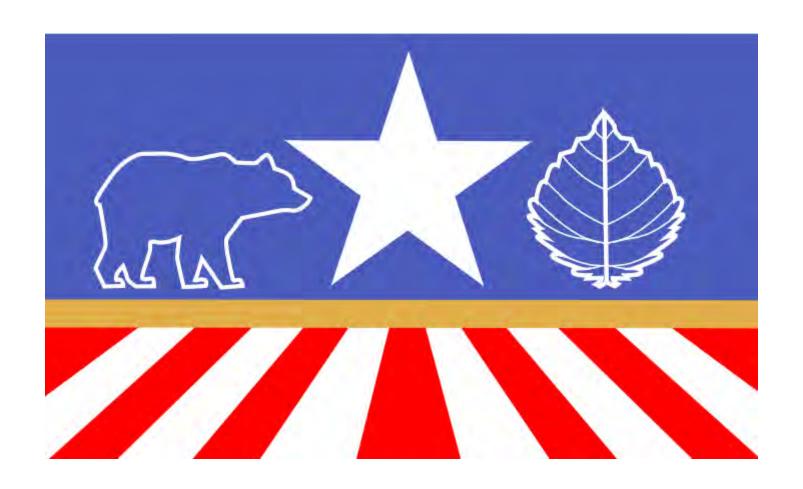


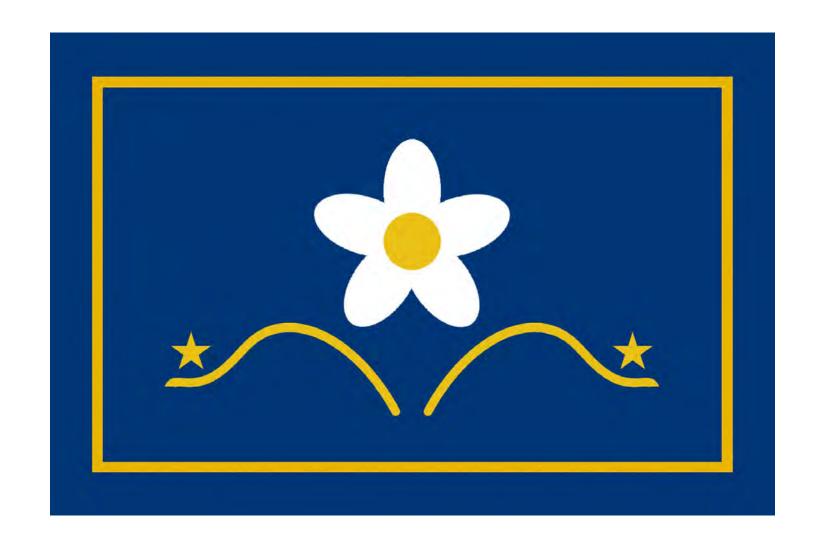
lux et progressus (light and progress)

> lux via (light the way)

pax sub libertate (peace under liberty)



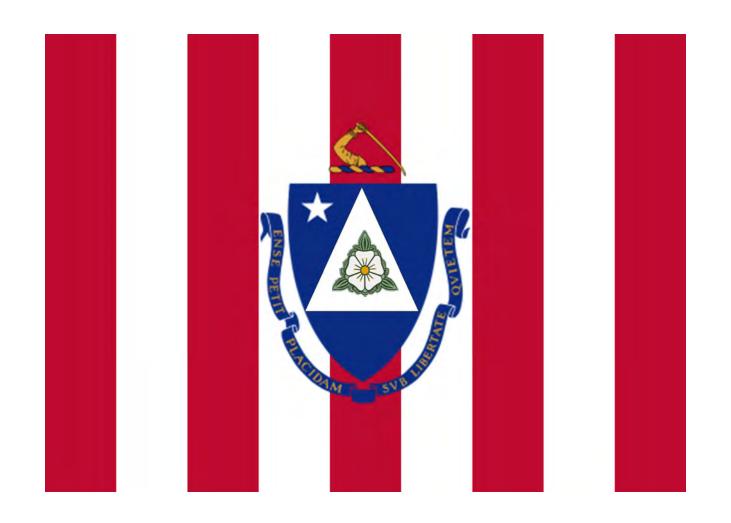




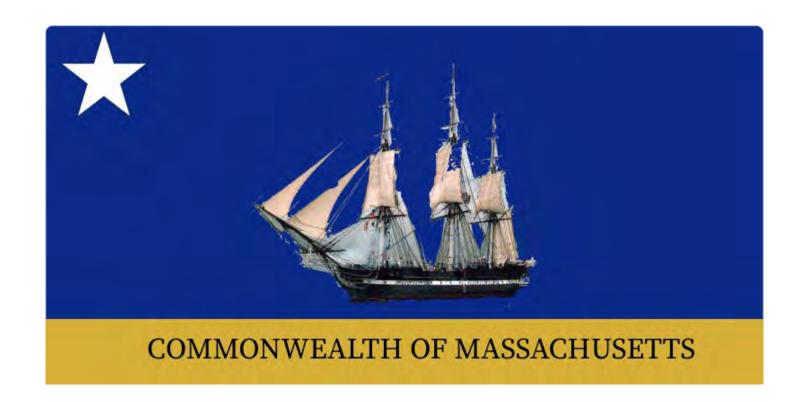


Motto Submission

New motto: Represents history and current status "First in Education"









Motto Submission

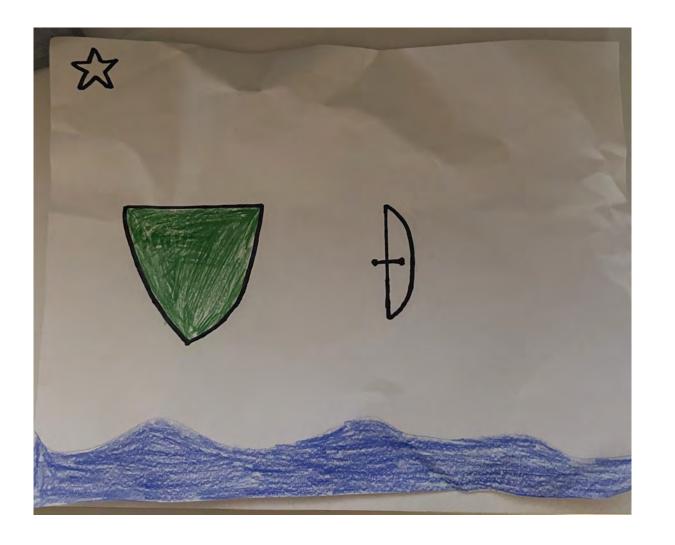
I think the motto for the Commonwealth should be the last words that Isaac Davis said to his wife as he started out to lead the Acton minutemen to Concord. He said "Take good care of the children." It is an appropriate motto for the Commonwealth.

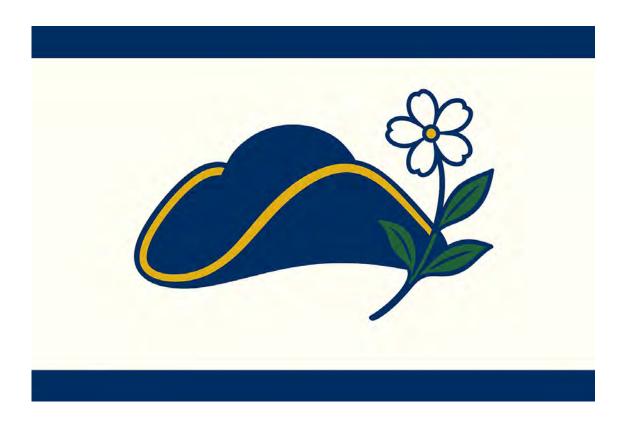




# Flag and Seal Submission



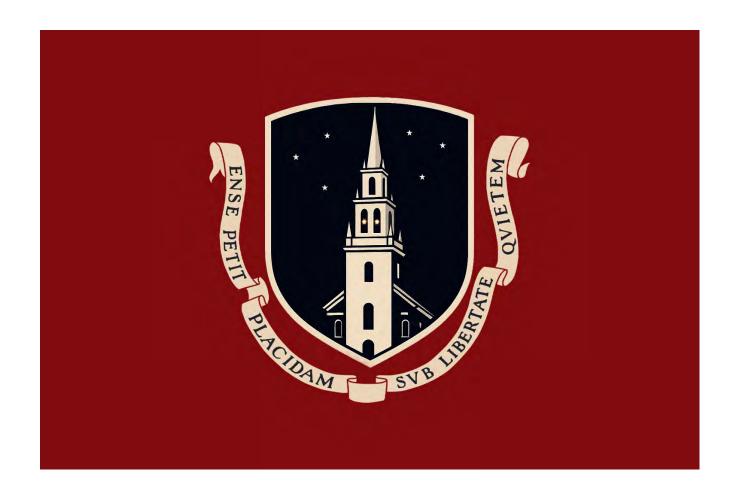


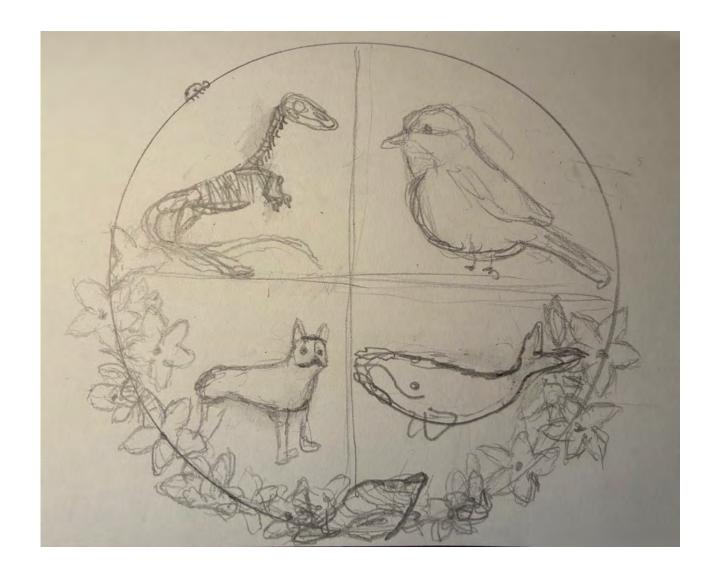




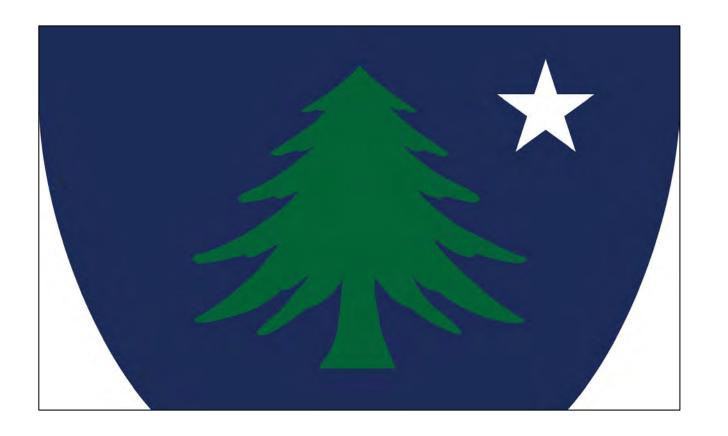








"Born Free and Equal" We propose "Born Free and Equal" as the new motto of the Commonwealth. It is drawn from the first sentence of the first article of the Massachusetts state constitution. This phrase powerfully reflects the Commonwealth's core values of liberty and equality. It affirms that all people are inherently equal and entitled to freedom under the law. This principle not only laid the foundation for the abolition of slavery in Massachusetts but also continues to inspire movements for civil rights and social justice today. "Born free and equal" speaks to a more inclusive vision of Massachusetts and one that honors its historical leadership in the fight for human dignity.

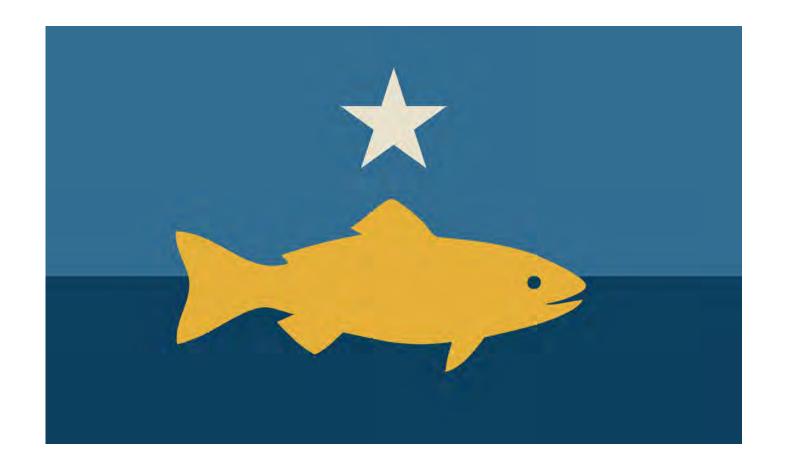


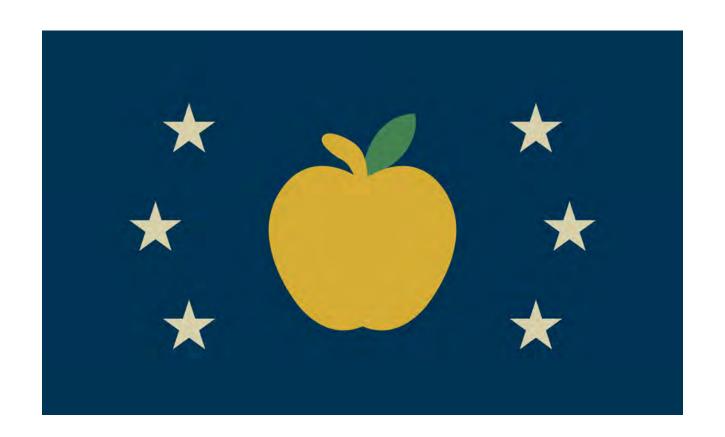




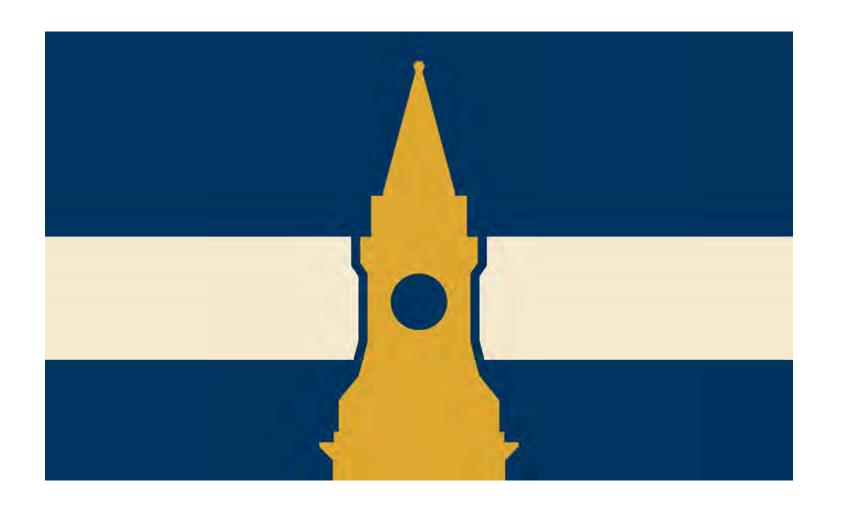












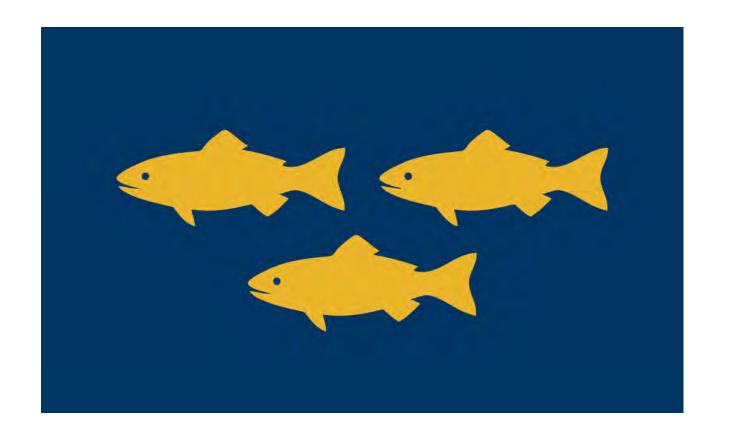






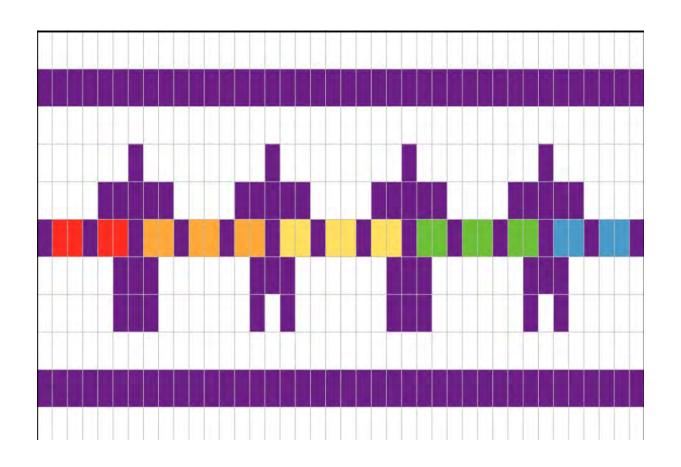












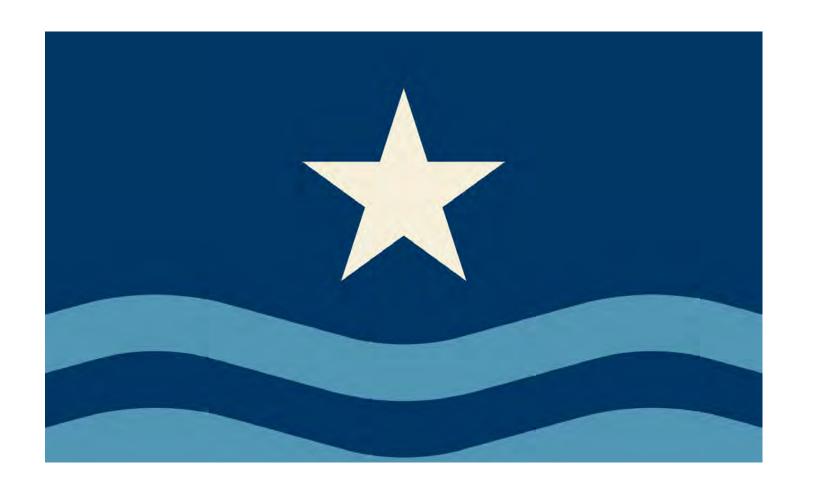






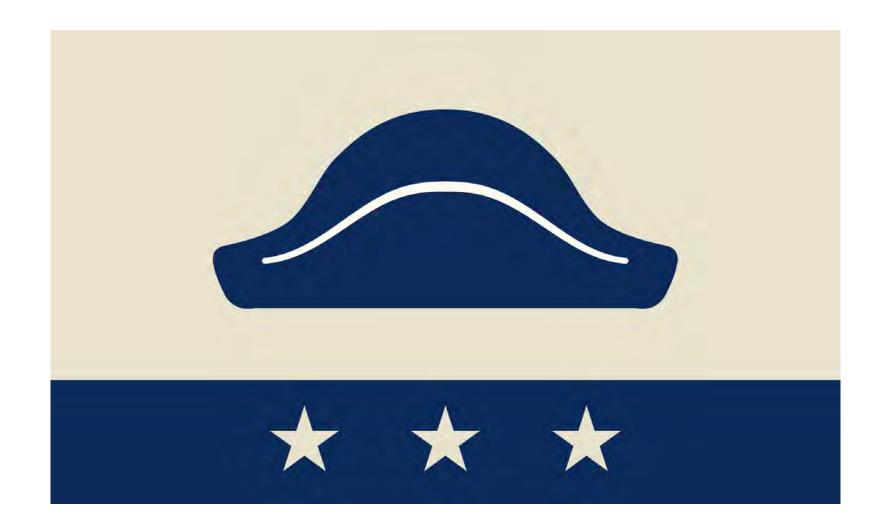




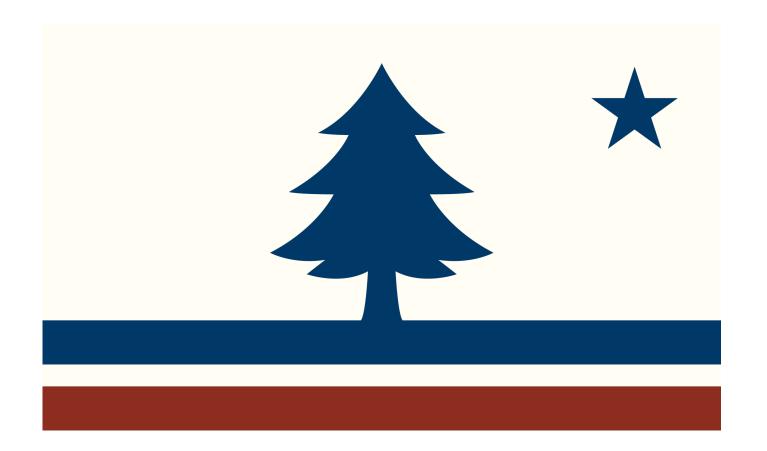


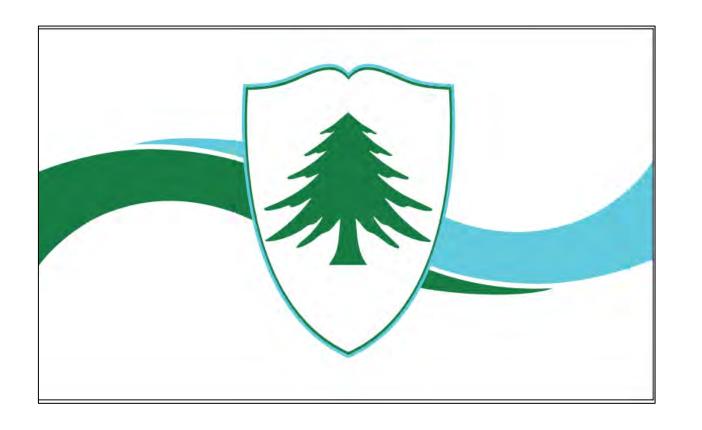










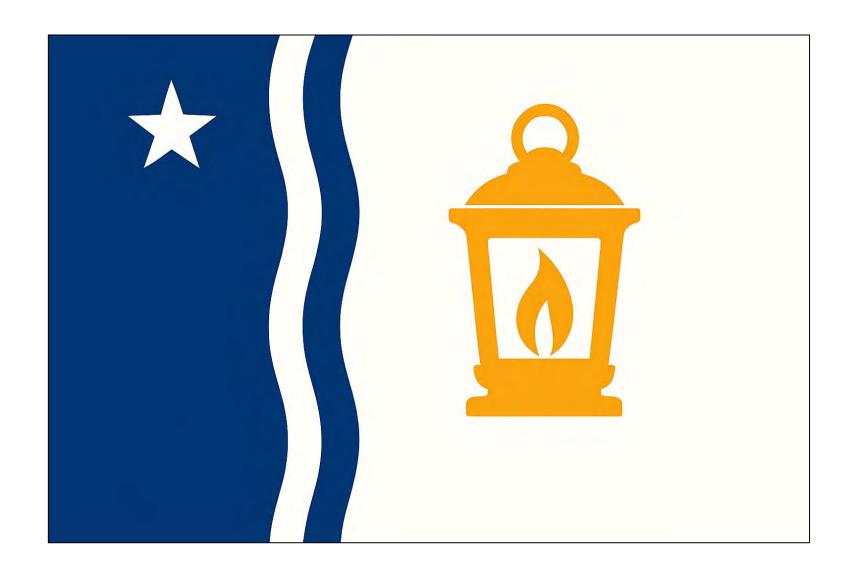


#### Seal Submission



Motto Submission

"Lighting the Way"



#### Seal, Flag, and Motto Submission



#### Seal Submission

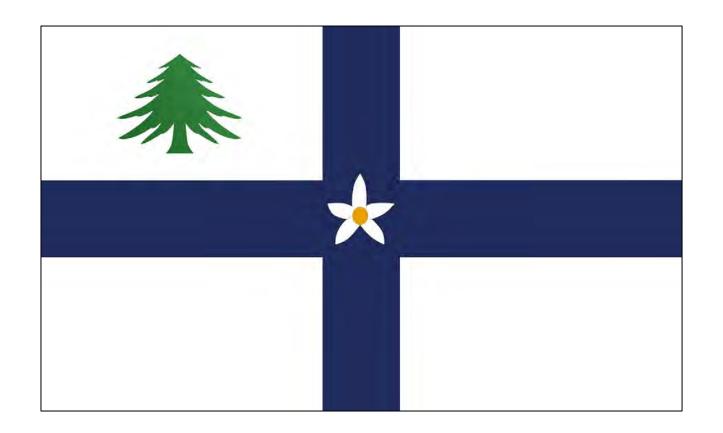


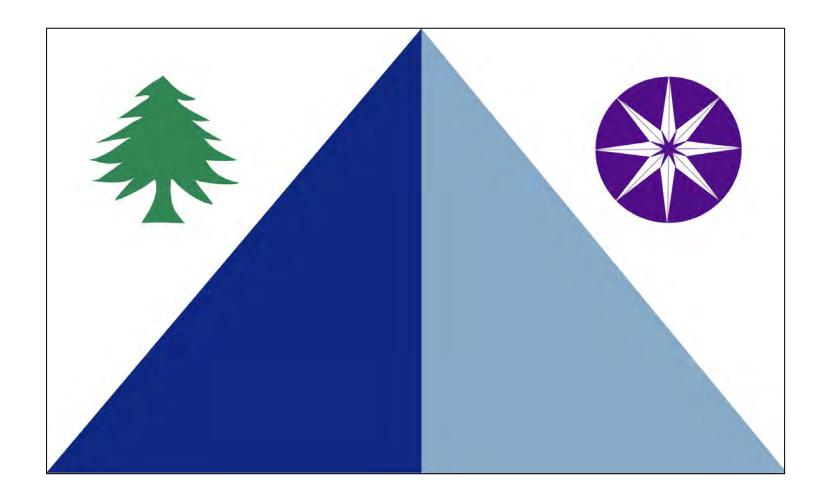
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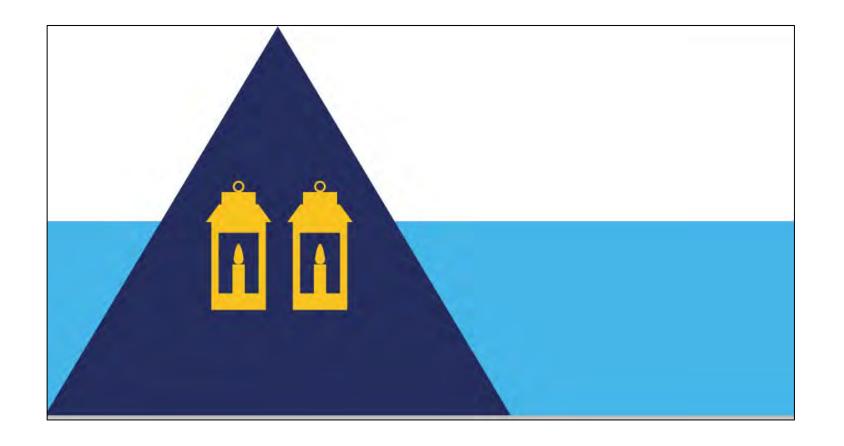
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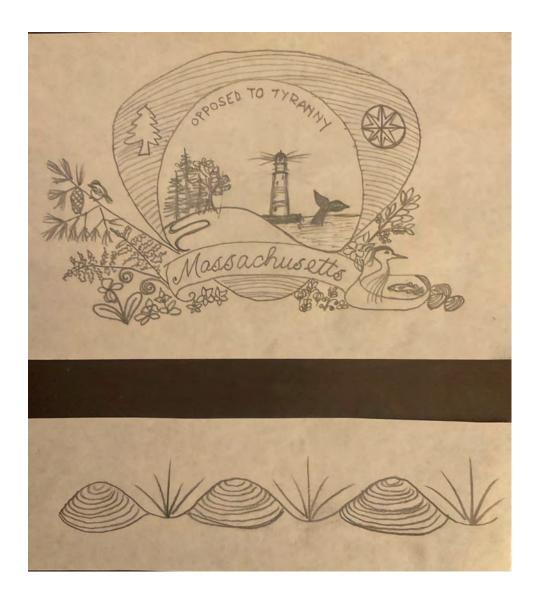




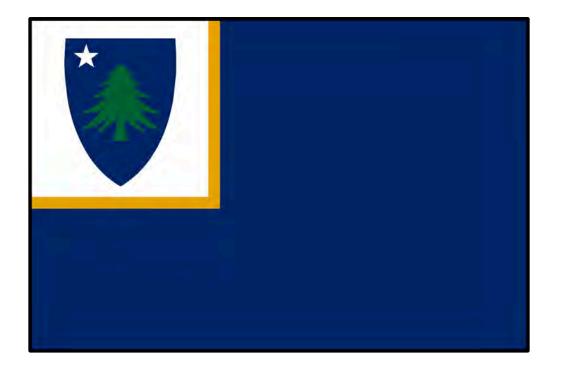
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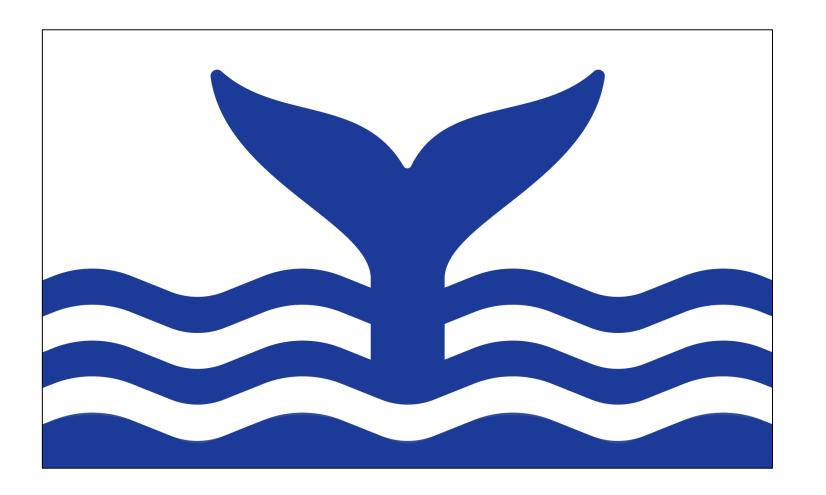
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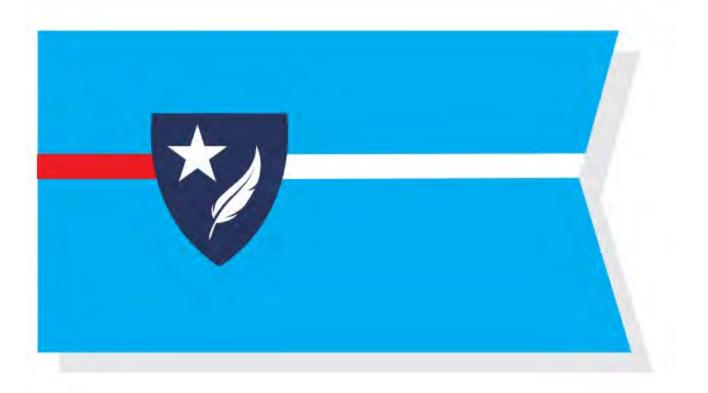


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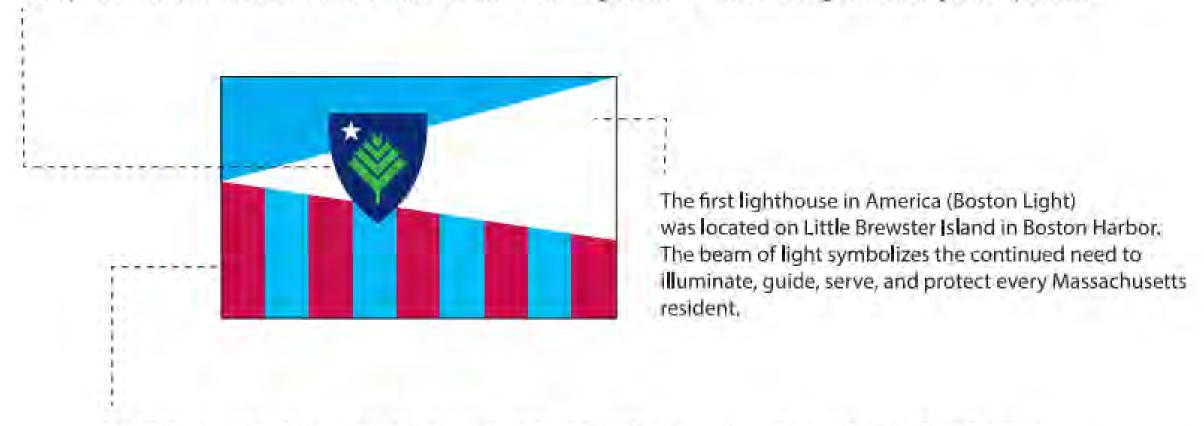
The star & shield would be retained from current state flag, with an added white Native American feather, and is held by both the red & white stripes.

Indigenous people representatives would select a preferred red color to represent their heritage.

Blue would represent of both the "Great Blue Hill Region" and the Atlantic Ocean.

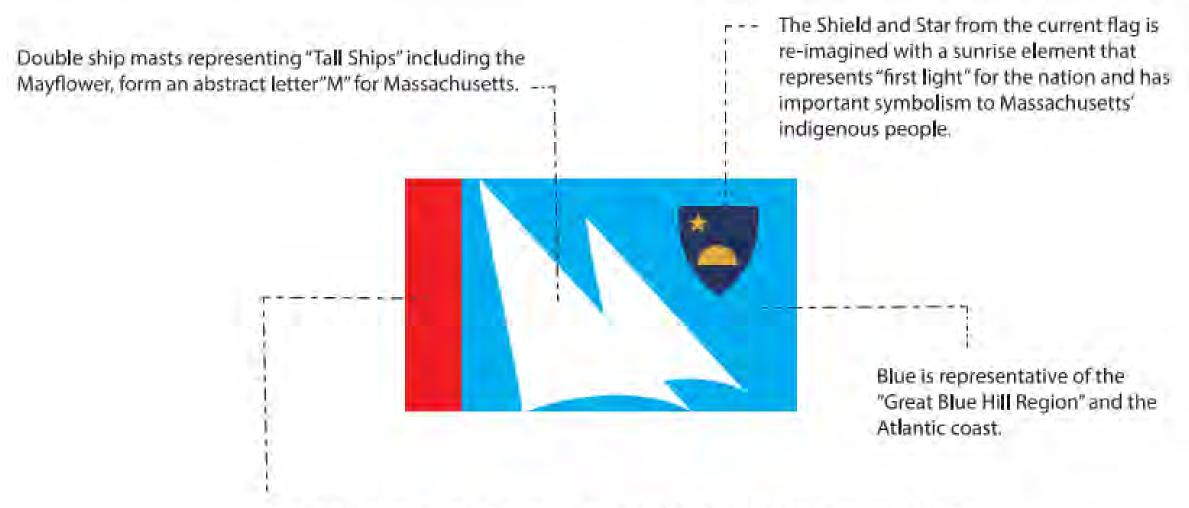


Inspired by the 1776 Pine Tree Copper Penny, designed and engraved by Paul Revere, a more modern pine tree containing 14 "tips" representing the 14 counties of Massachusetts becomes the main focus inside the "star & shield" (currently on the state flag). The tips at the end of each branch could also be seen as forming a letter "M" contributing to the design's uniqueness.



The striped pattern taken from the "Sons of Liberty" historic flag anchors the bottom of this flag design.

Cranberry red (representing the official state fruit), and blue, for both the "Great Blue Hill Region" and the Atlantic Ocean, alternate to create the pattern.



Massachusetts state sovereignty came well after the land's indigenous inhabitants.

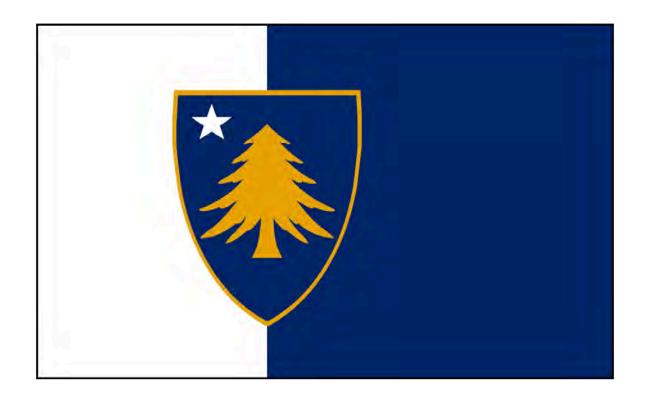
For that reason, the red banner, representing those tribes, is closest to the hoist side of the flag design; hence everything "flows" from their existence onward.

The color red (or a color of choice) would be made by representatives of indigenous residents.

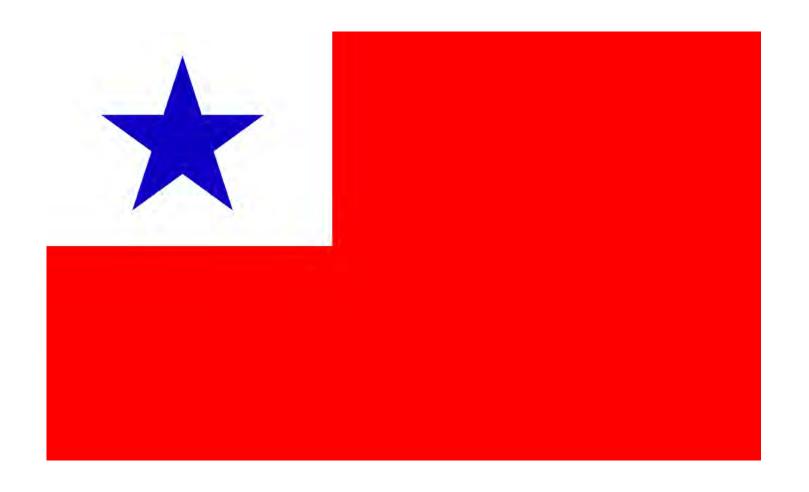


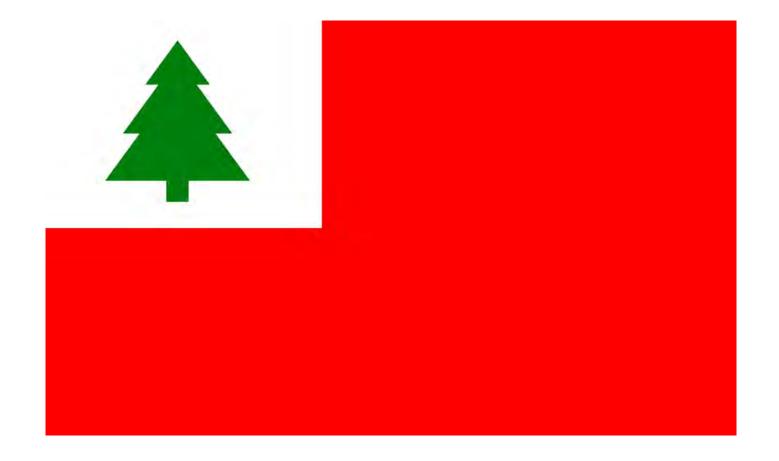
# The Cradle of Liberty

Liherty and Justice For All



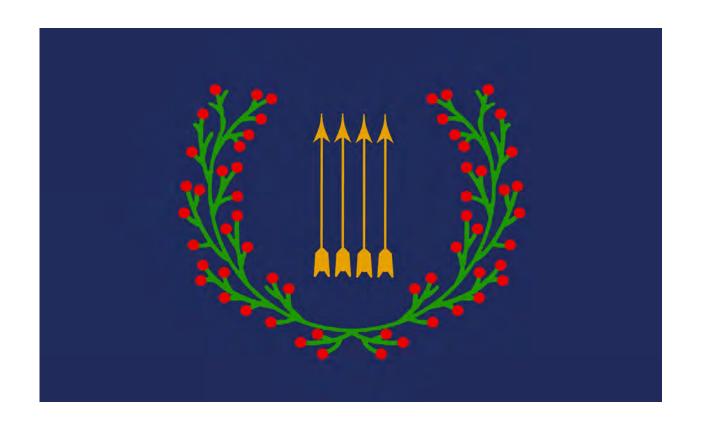


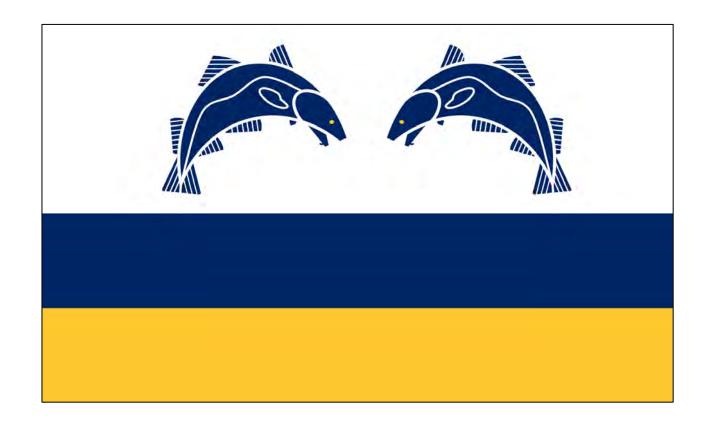




Massachusetts has a rich history. Our state played a pivotal role in the American Revolution, abolishing slavery, legalizing same-sex marriage, and mandating childhood education. The spirit of revolution continues to run strong in Massachusetts, with our state leading the country in education, health care, economy, and innovation. I believe our state motto should reflect our roots, as well as a vision to propel us into the future. The following motto ideas are drawn from themes in Massachusetts founding documents, including the Mayflower Compact, the Body of Liberties, early sermons (particularly City Upon a Hill), and the Massachusetts Constitution: "The spirit of revolution" "Born free and equal" "Wisdom, Knowledge, Virtue" "Liberty, Justice, Knowledge" "The eyes of the world are upon us"



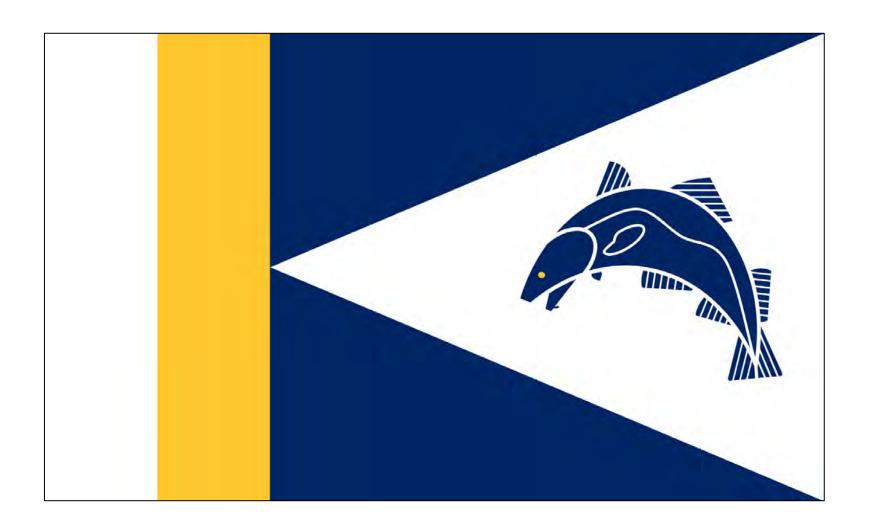








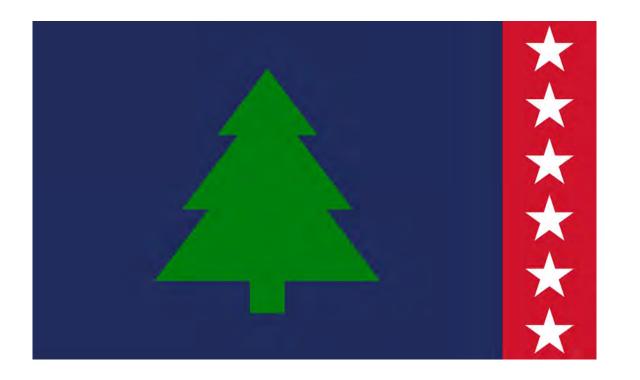
















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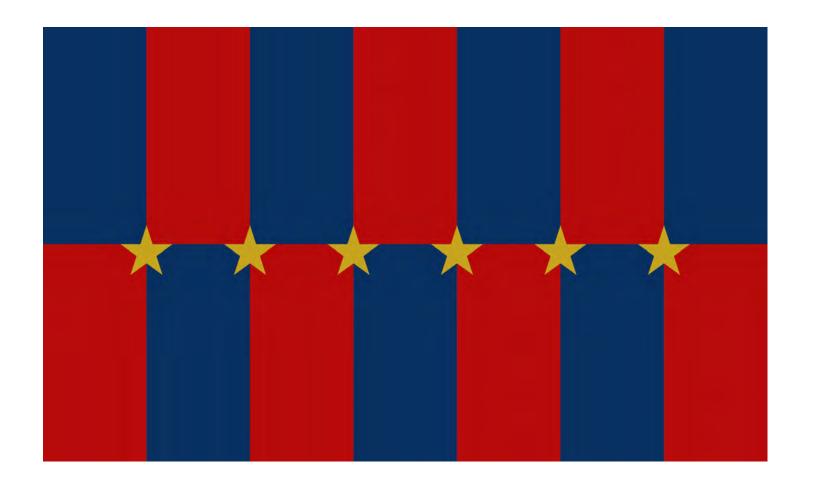




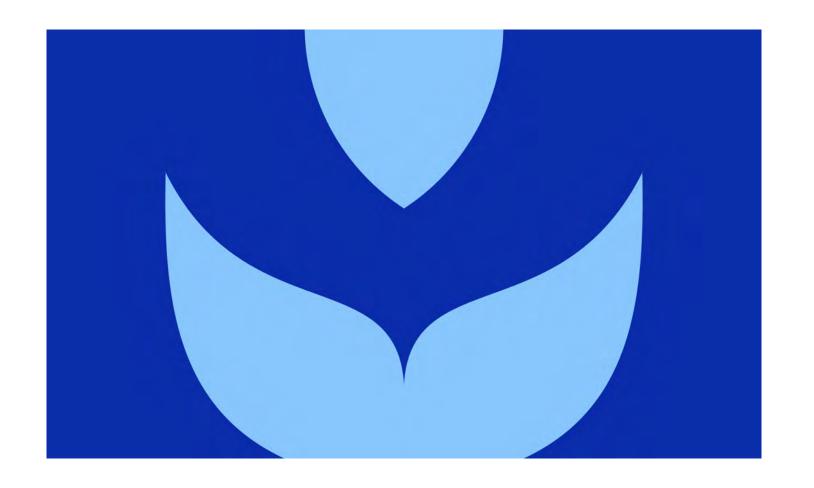


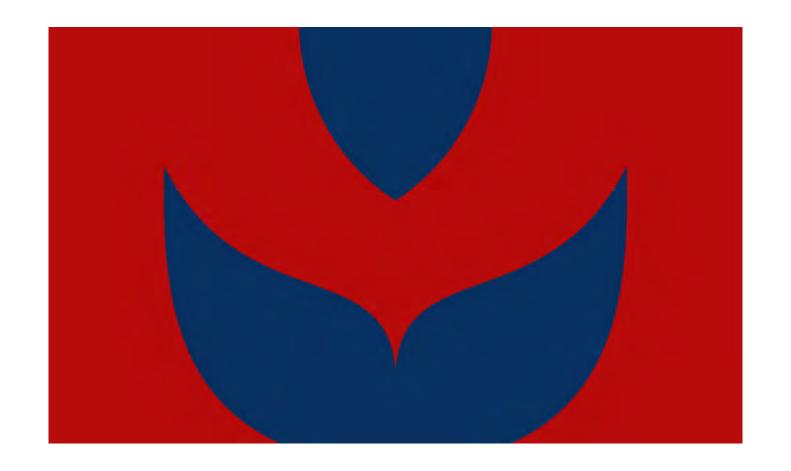


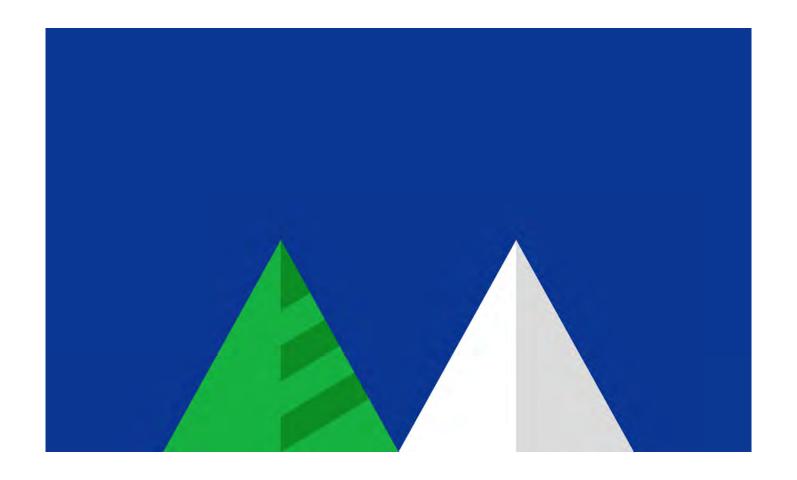




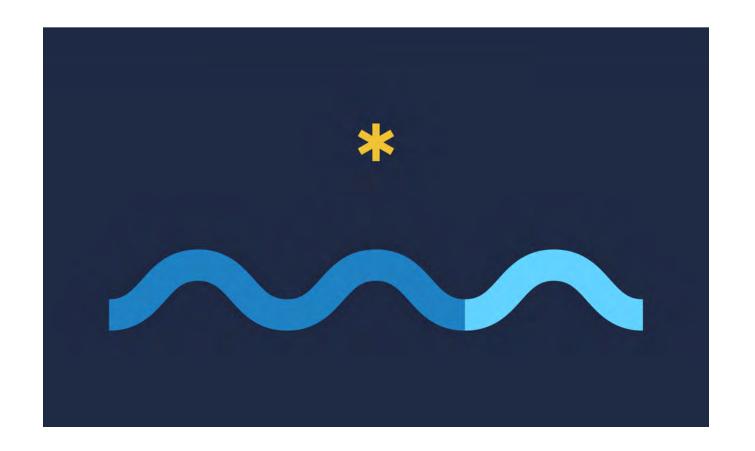


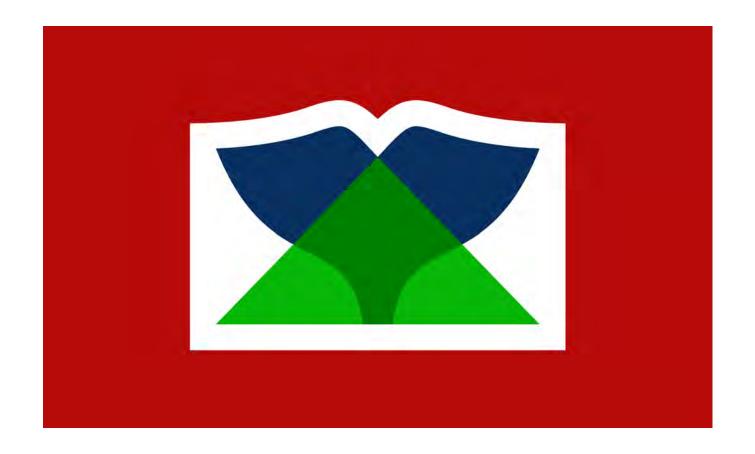


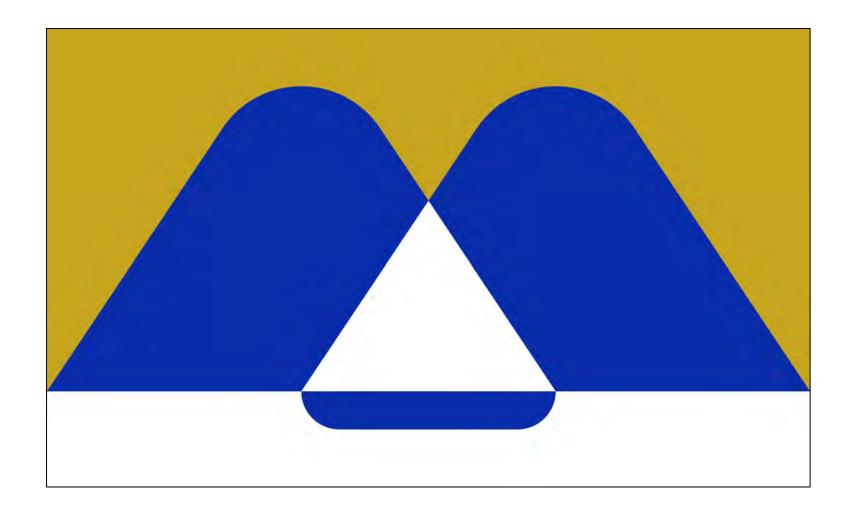


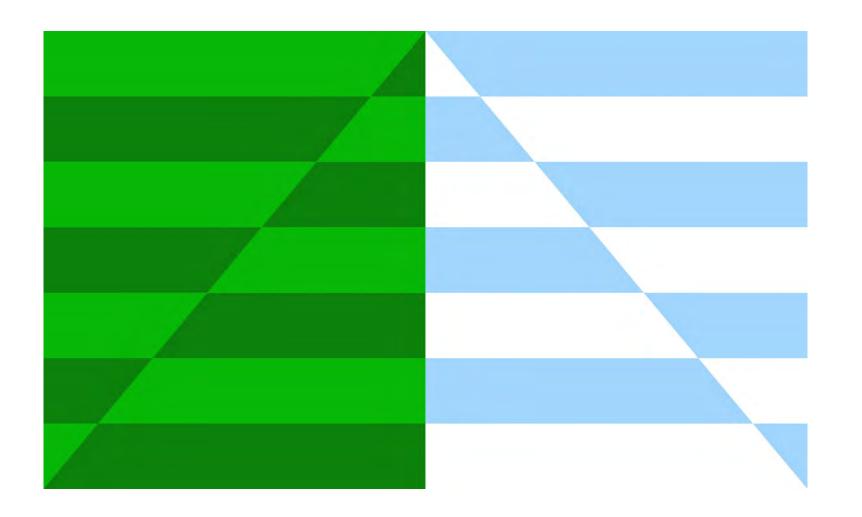


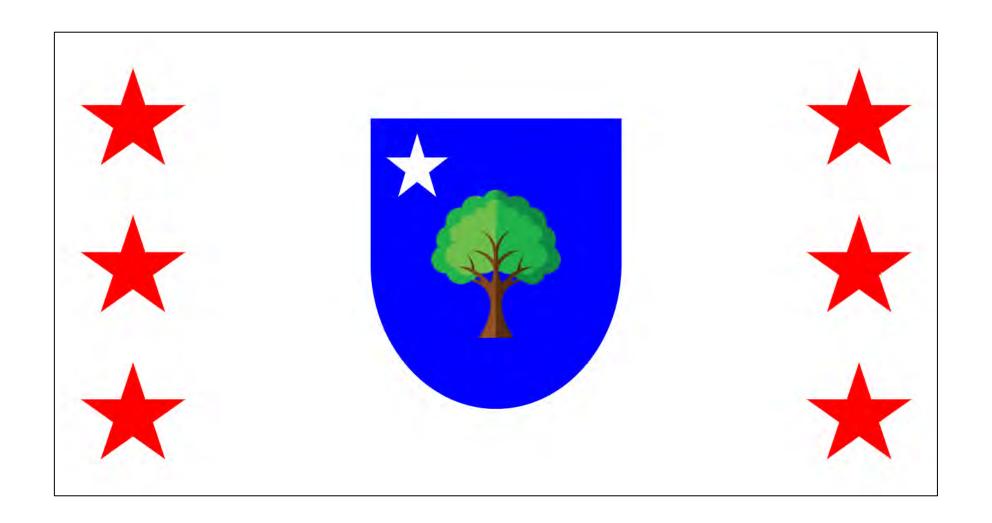




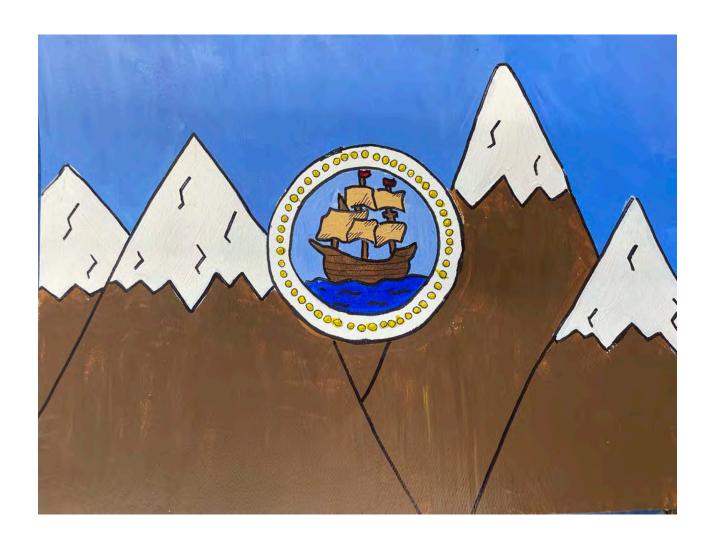












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"From Many, One Commonwealth" - Ex Pluribus Res Publica

### Seal, Flag, and Motto Submission





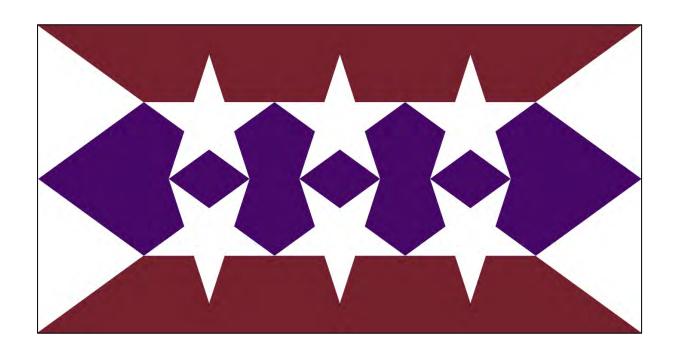
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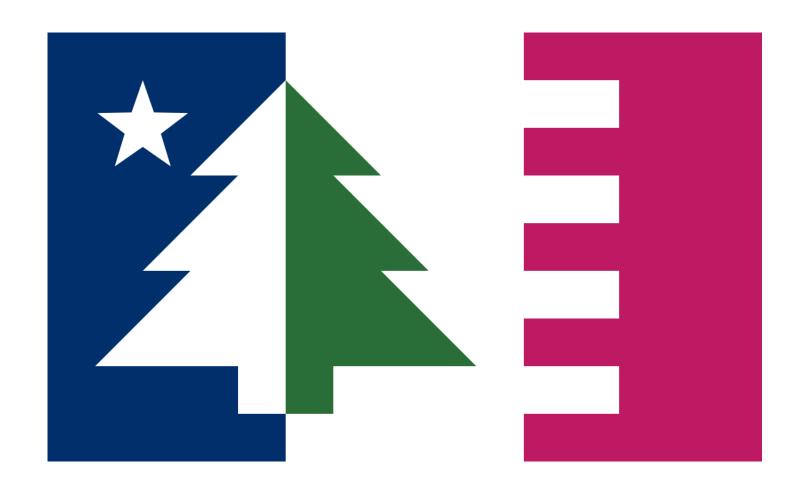


#### Seal and Motto Submission









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"Larus petit cibum sub libertate quietum" (The seagull seeks food under freedom).

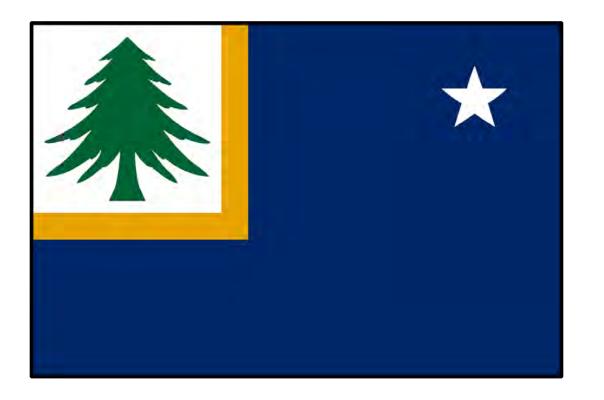
Azure, a seagull White volant striking a hand in nombril aversant clutching a carton Gules of French fries Or. In dexter chief a mullet of 5 Argent

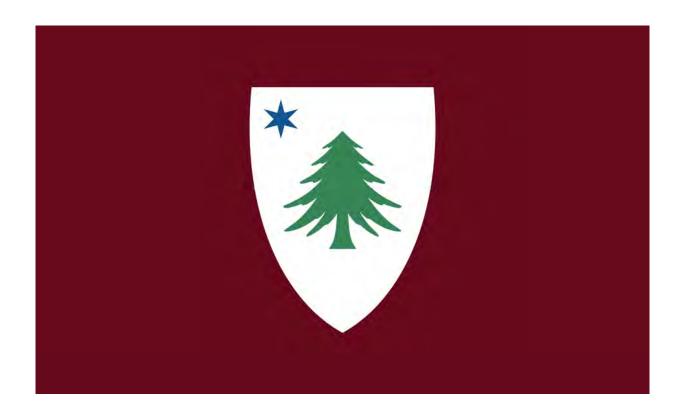


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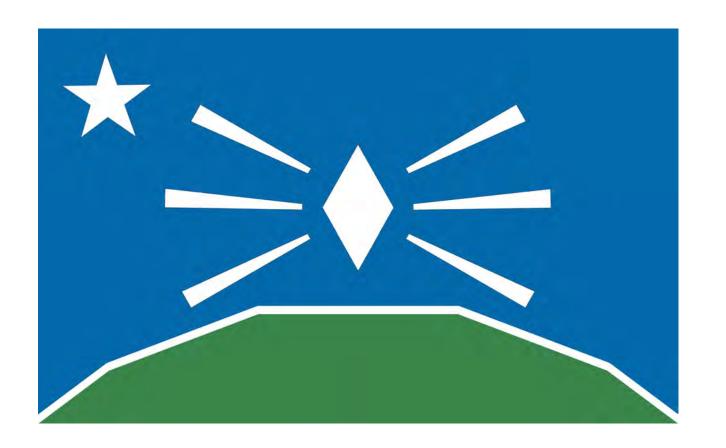






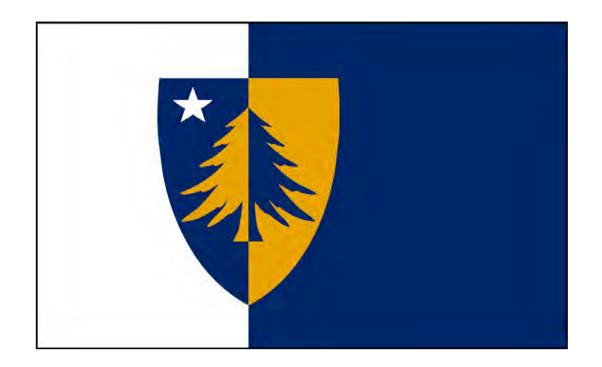


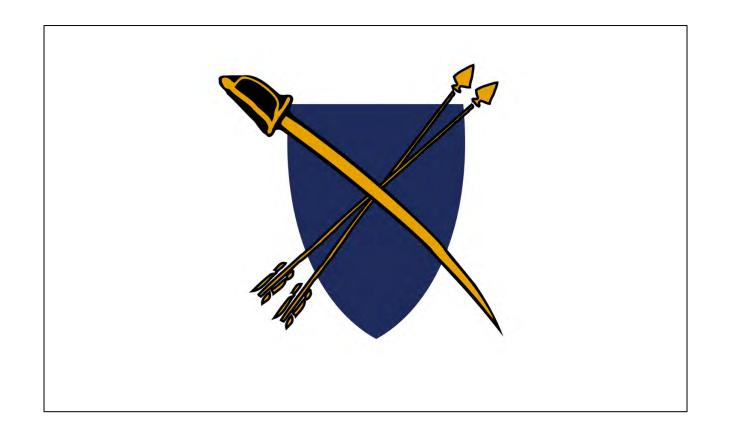




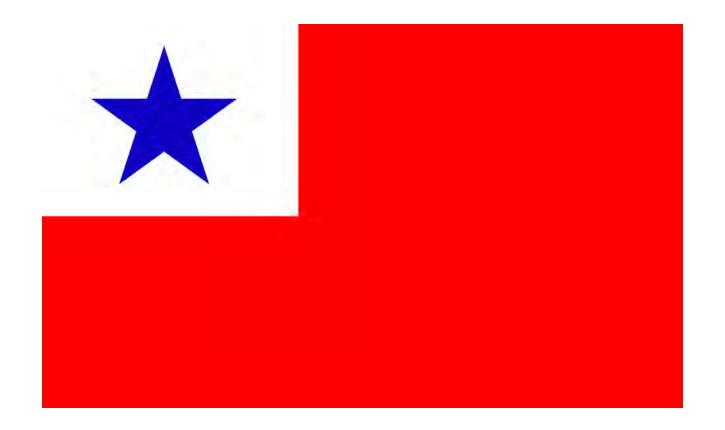




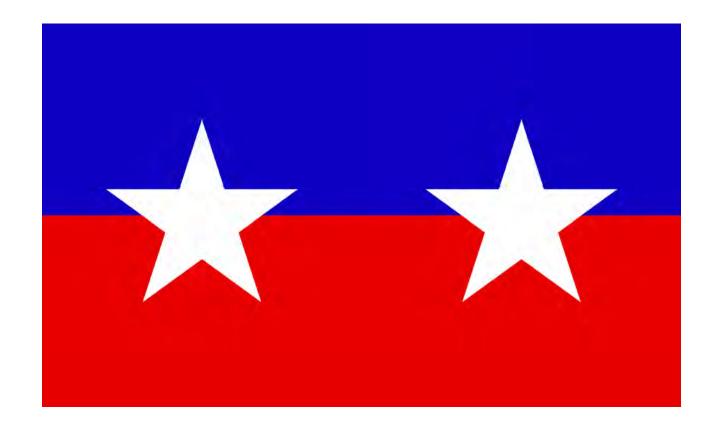








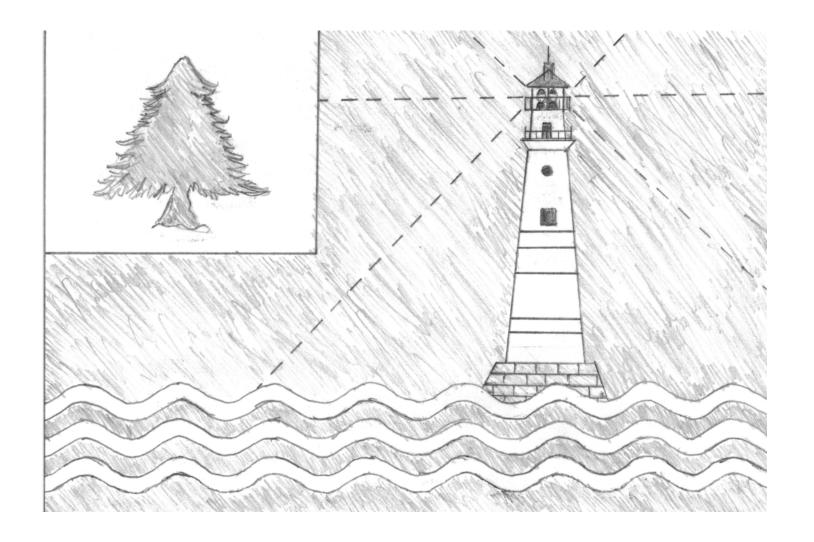




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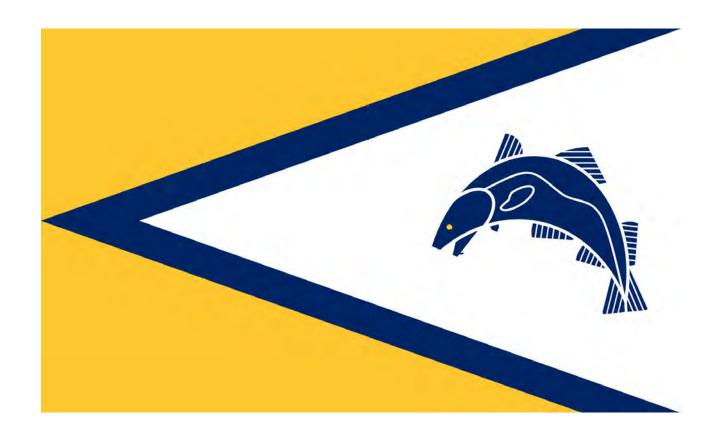


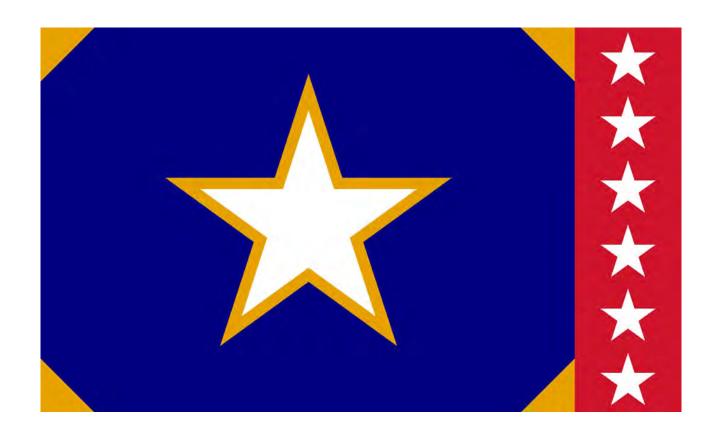








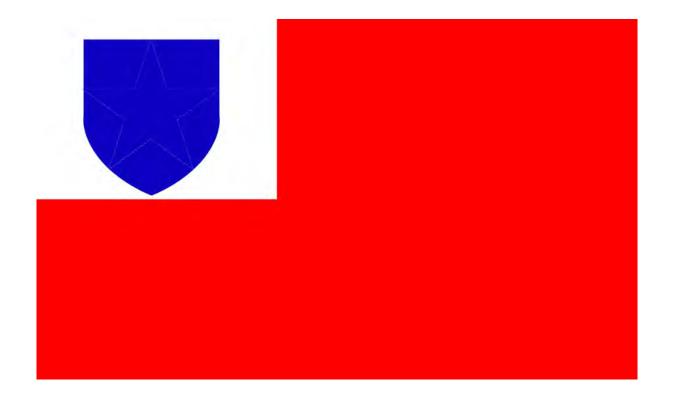




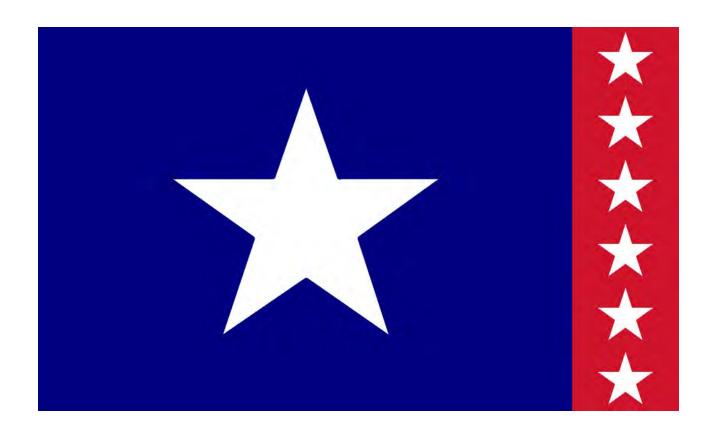
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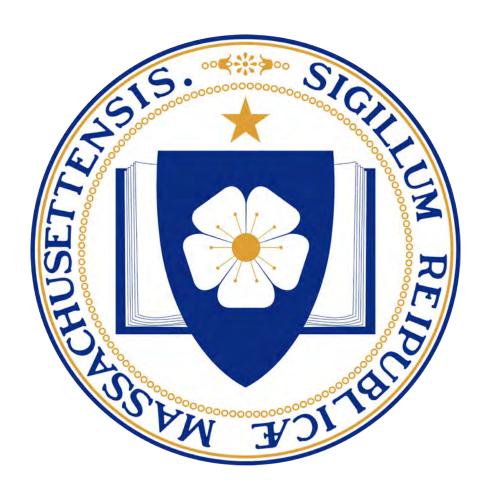




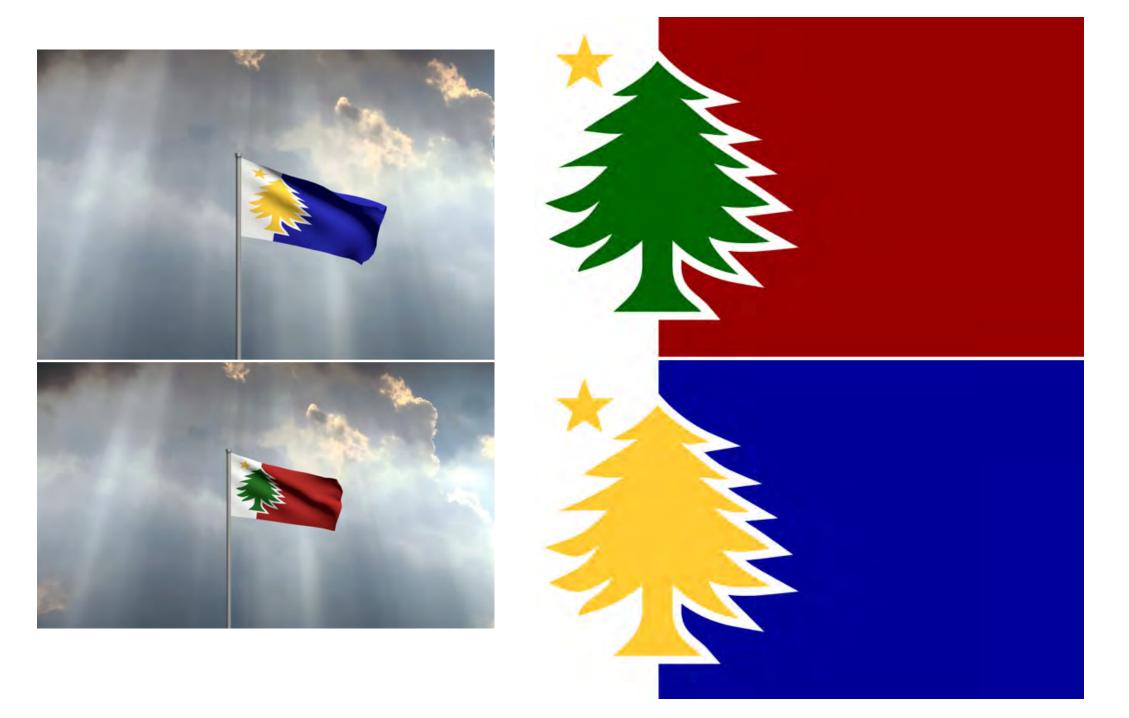
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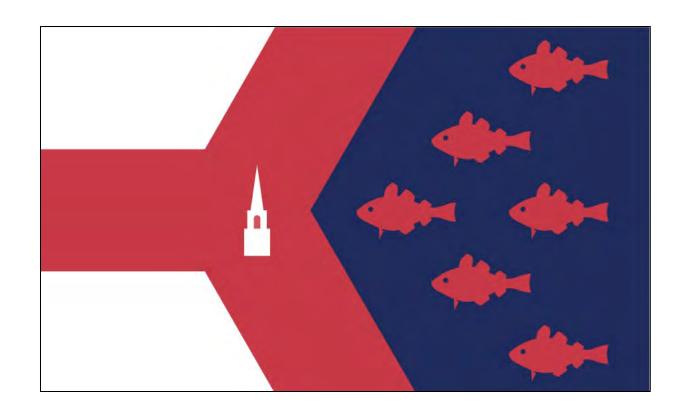


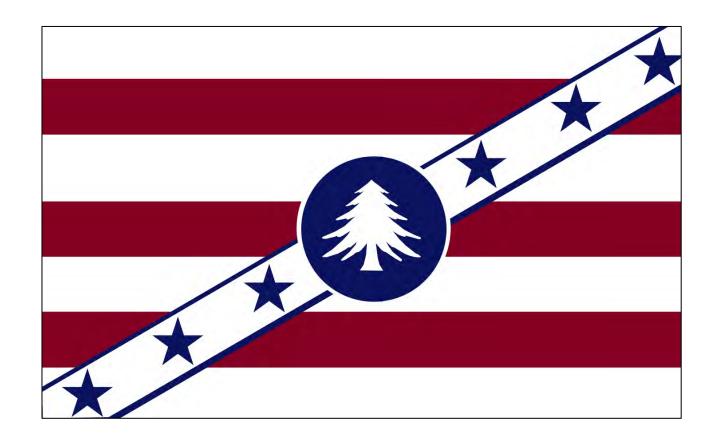
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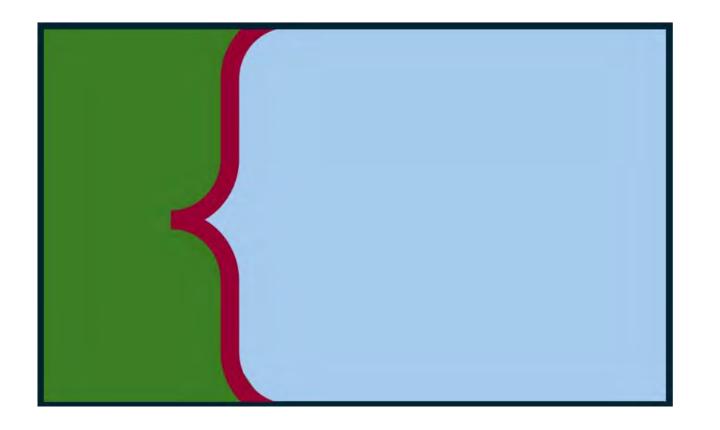
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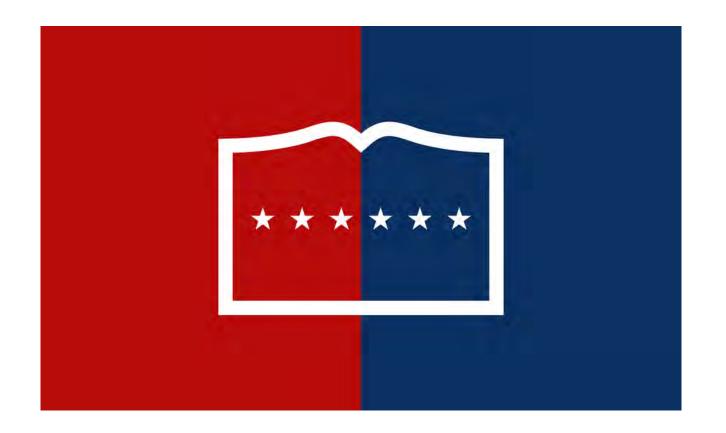








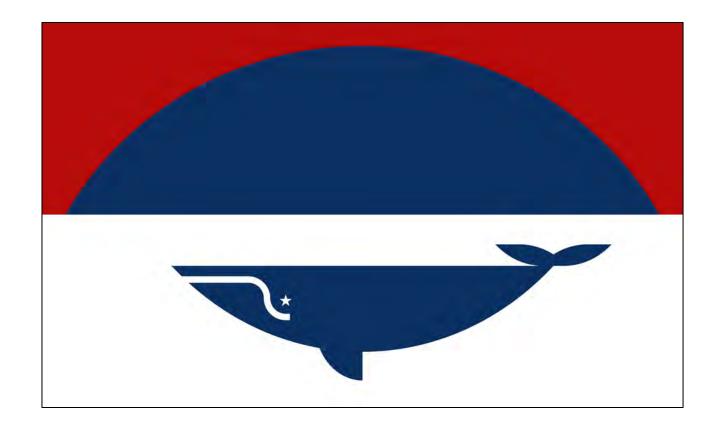




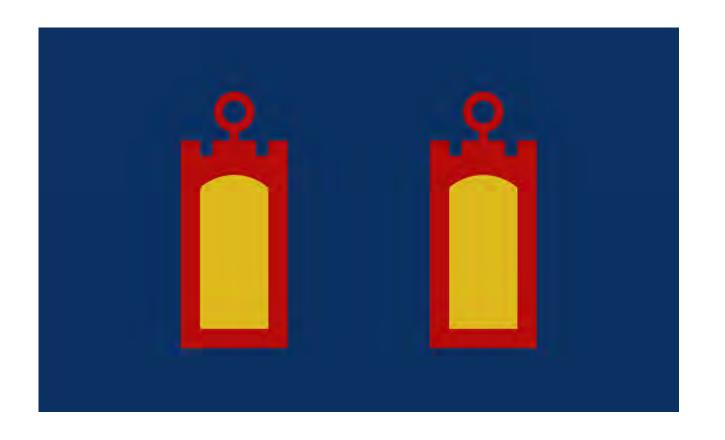


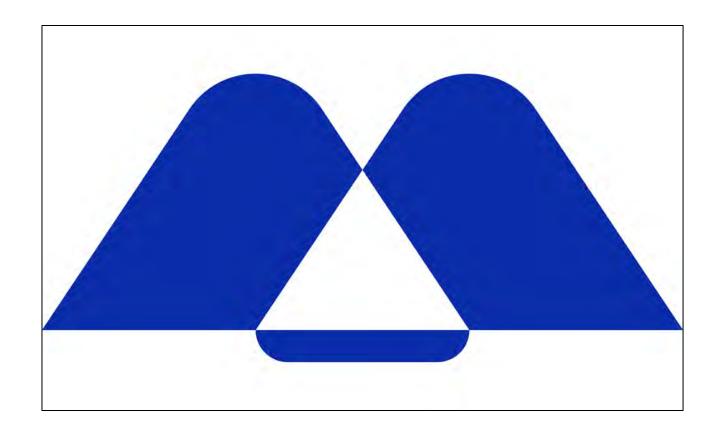


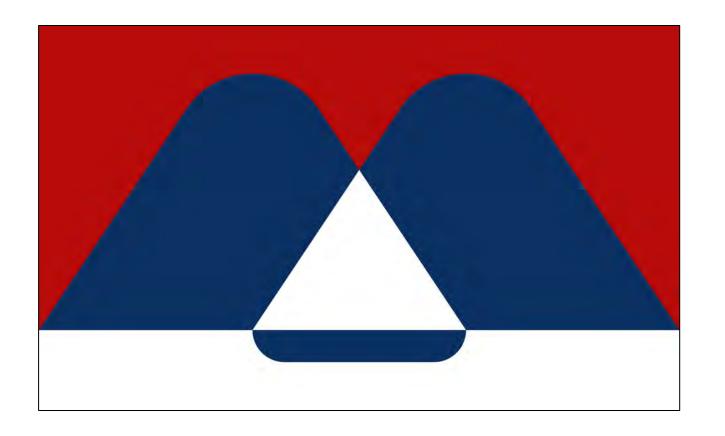


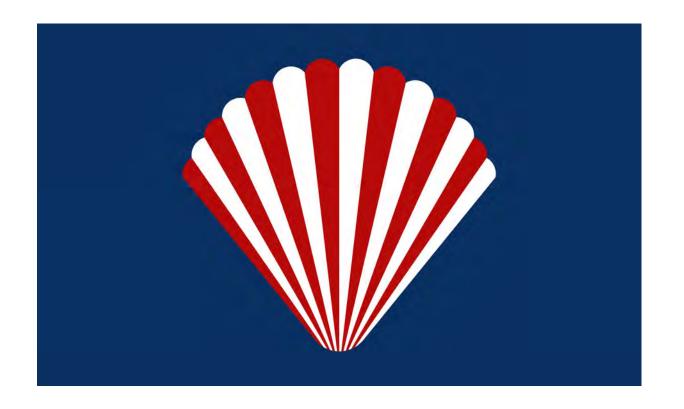




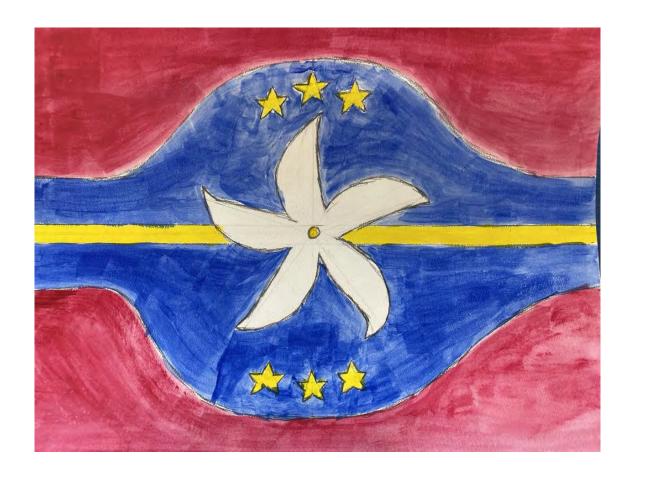






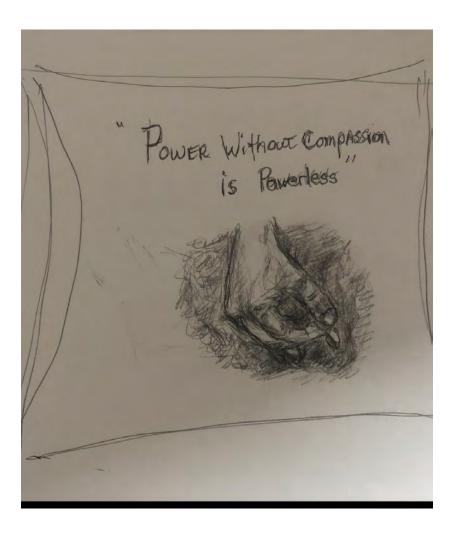








#### Motto and Seal Submission



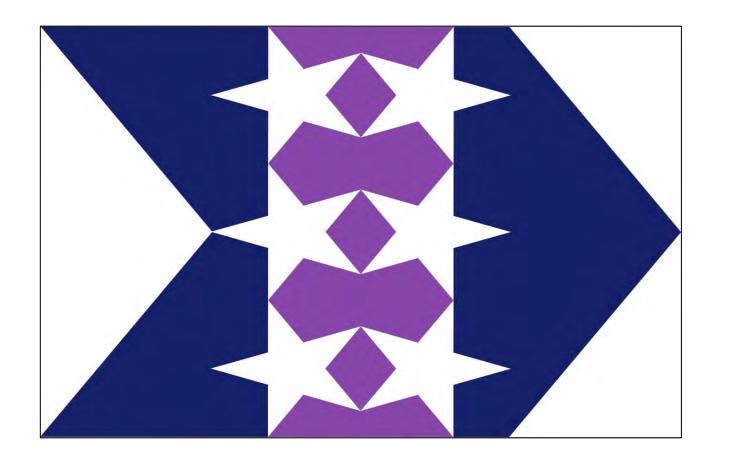












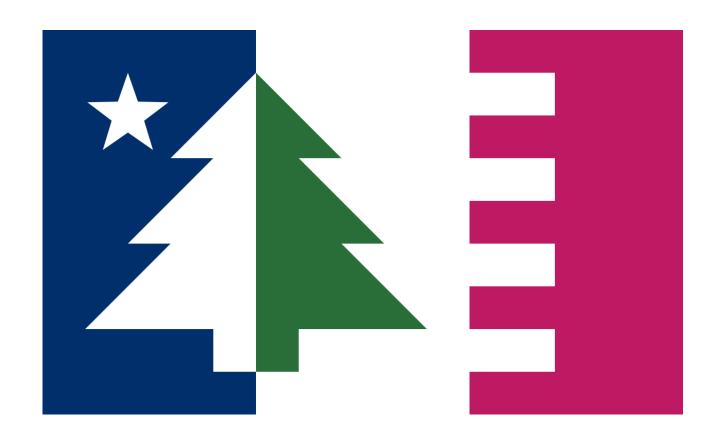


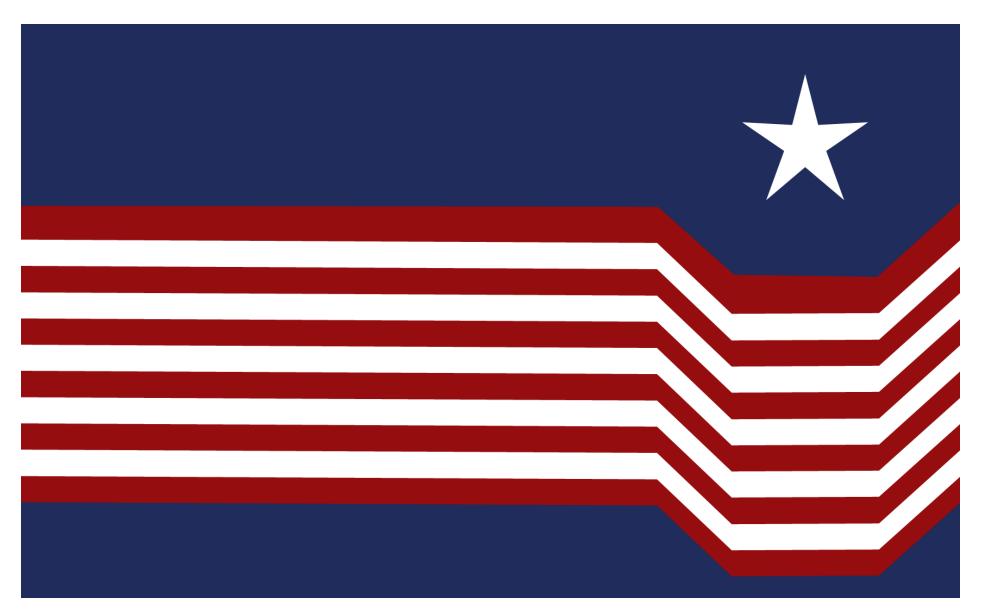
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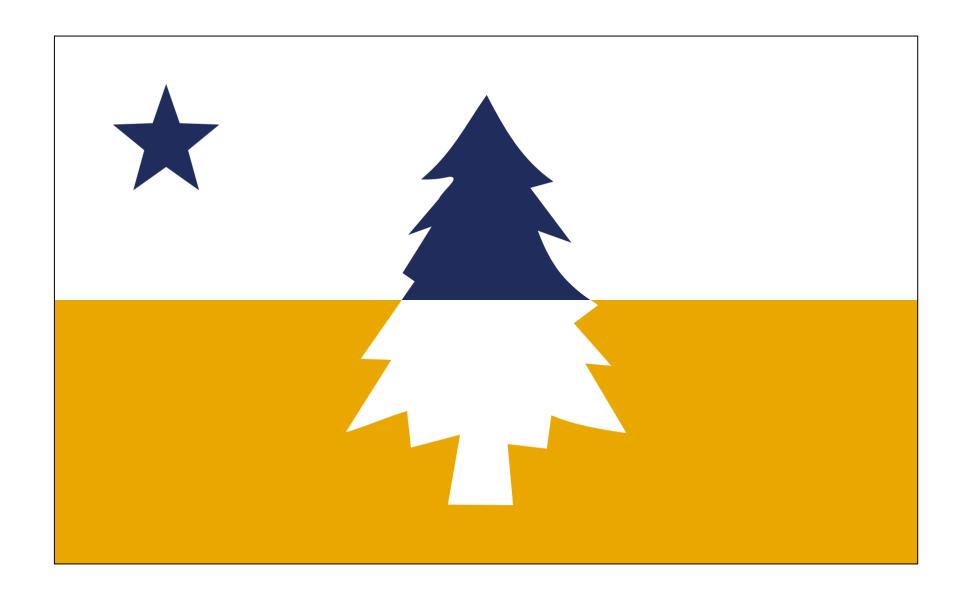
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"OMNES HOMINES LIBERI ET AEQUALES NASCUNTUR."

















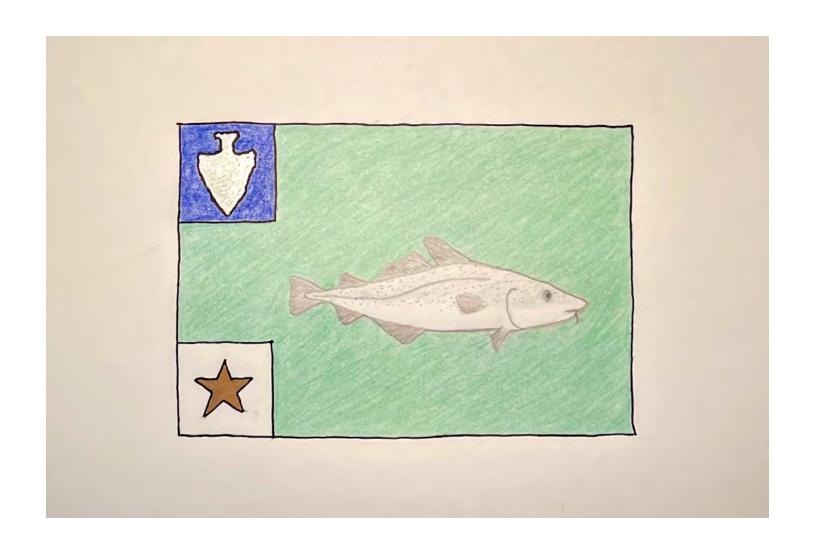






Flag Submission











#### Seal and Flag Submission



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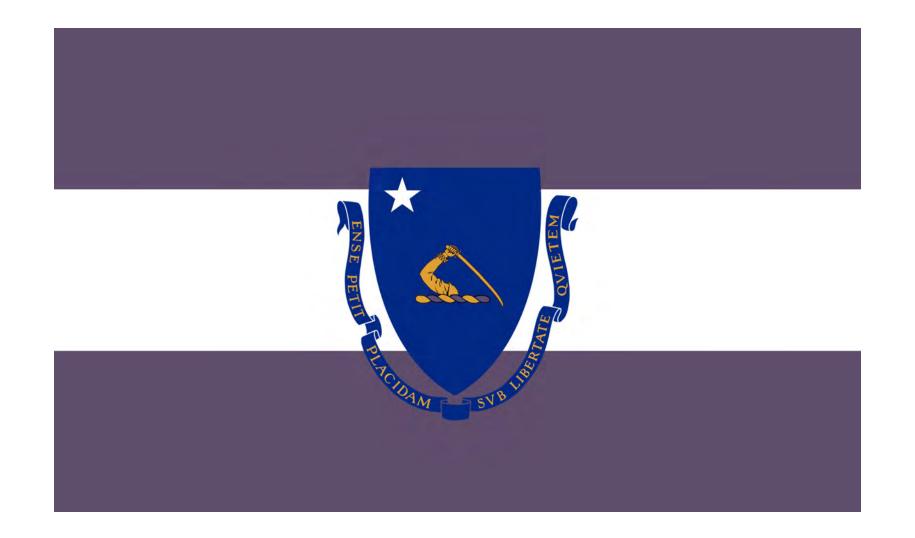


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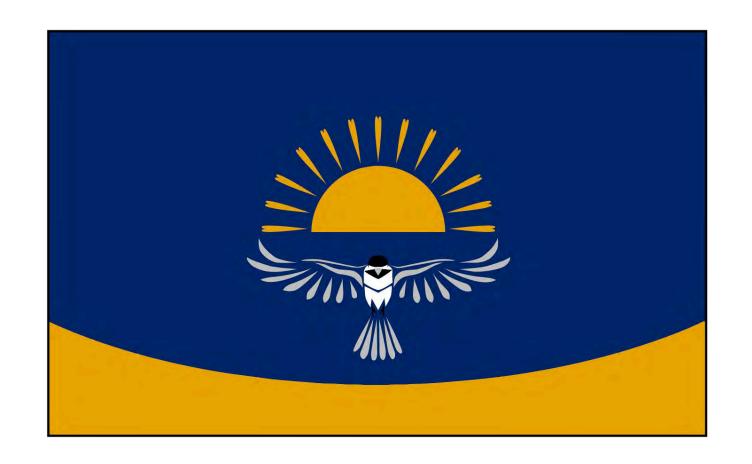


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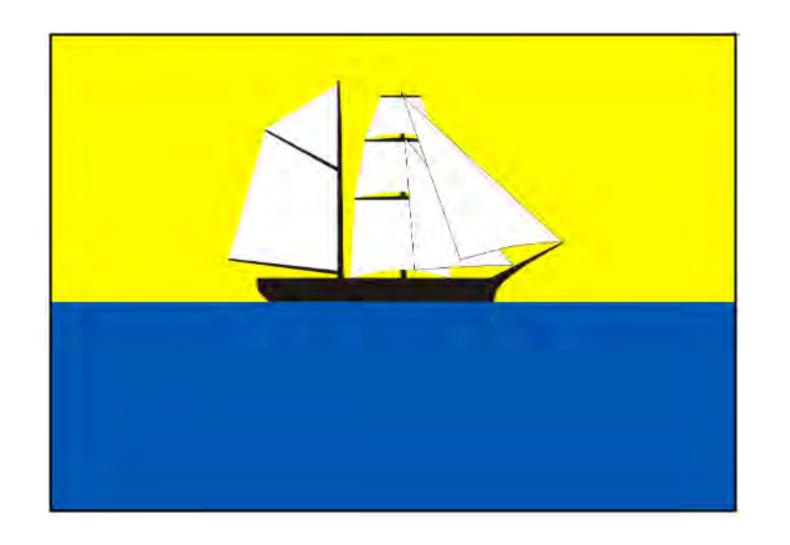
Motto Submission

I created a new state motto that says, "Wherever you're from, you'll always be safe here in the heart of Massachusetts."



### Flag and Seal Submission







	Motto Submission
"By our cries we rose, through our pen we prevail."	

Flag and Motto Submission

Motto: Small but mighty

### Seal, Flag and Motto Submission









### Seal and Flag Submission





- 1. **Ingenio et Animo**: Celebrates Massachusetts' distinctive blend of world-class innovation and the grit to pursue it. (Latin: **"By Talent and Courage"**)
- 2. **Fortitudo et Scientia**: Affirms that resilient people empowered by knowledge drive progress. (Latin: "Strength and Knowledge")
- 3. **Lux et Libertas**: Portrays Massachusetts as a beacon of knowledge, freedom, and enlightened progress, reflecting our intellectual traditions and foundational commitment to individual rights. (Latin: **"Light and Liberty"**)
- 4. **Liberty and Union**: Drawn from the historic Taunton "Liberty and Union" flag, this motto connects Massachusetts' revolutionary roots to its enduring dedication to national unity.
- 5. **Spirit of Inquiry, Heart of Progress**: Explicitly communicates Massachusetts' ongoing dedication to curiosity and intellectual exploration, powering breakthroughs in science, culture, and civic life.



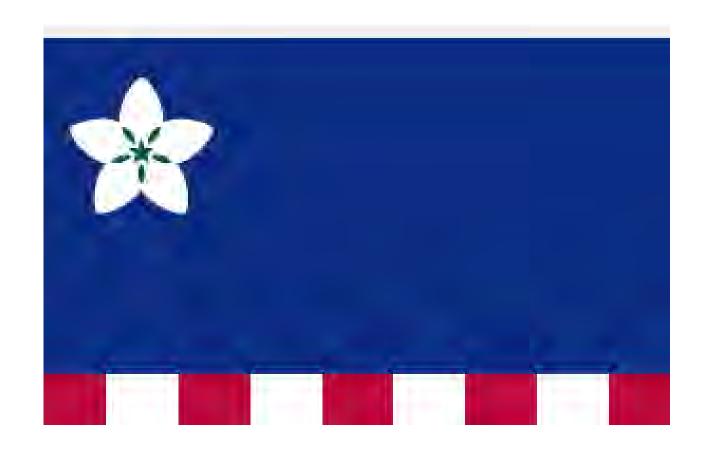


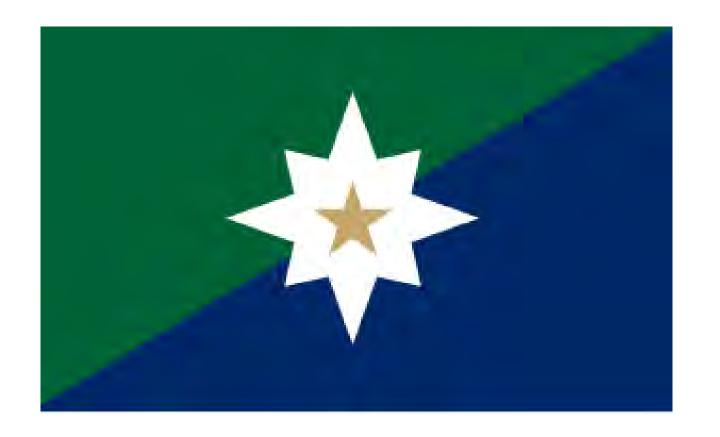












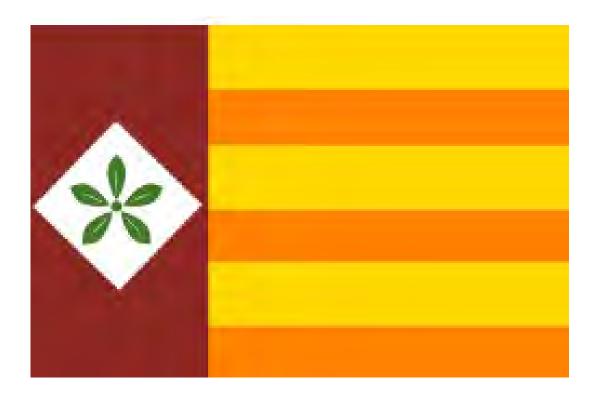






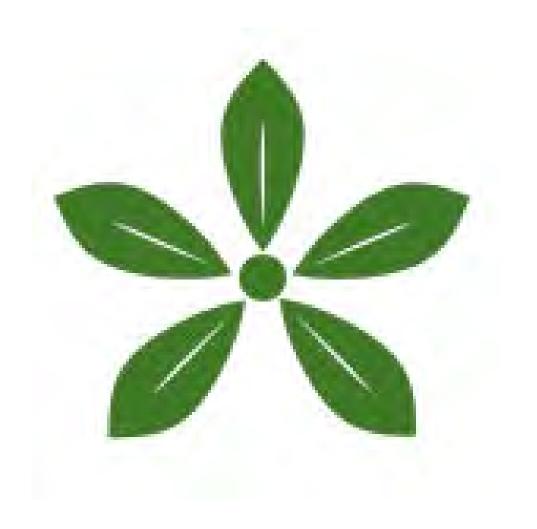




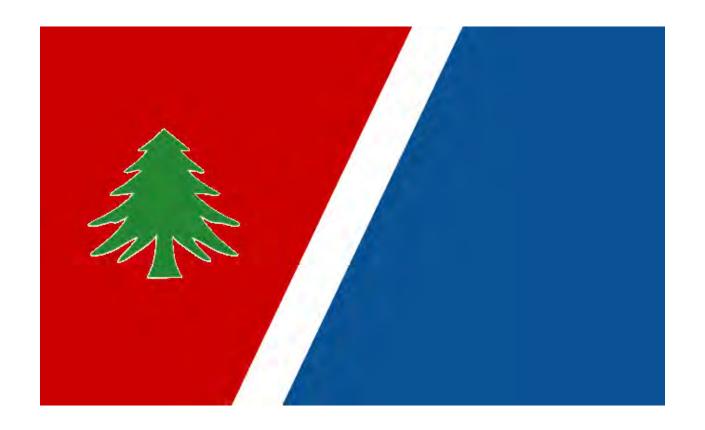




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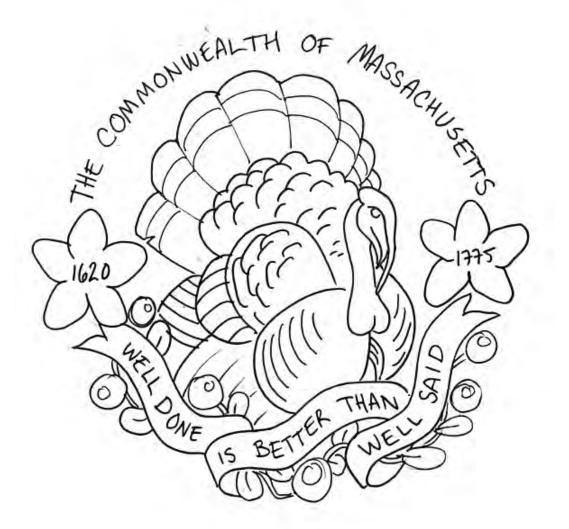




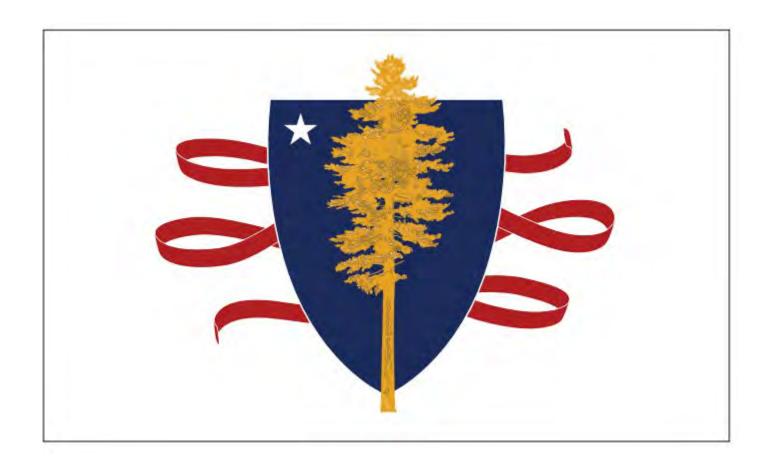




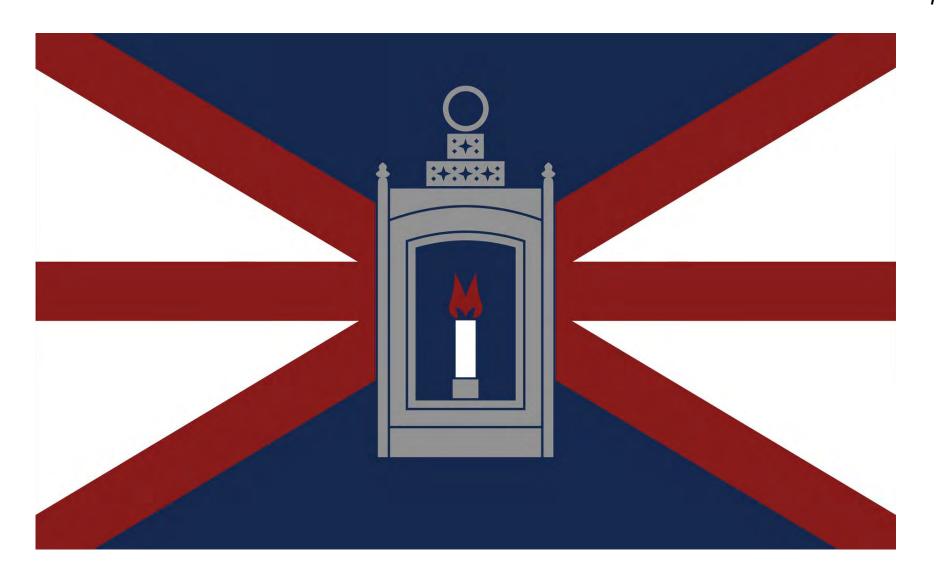
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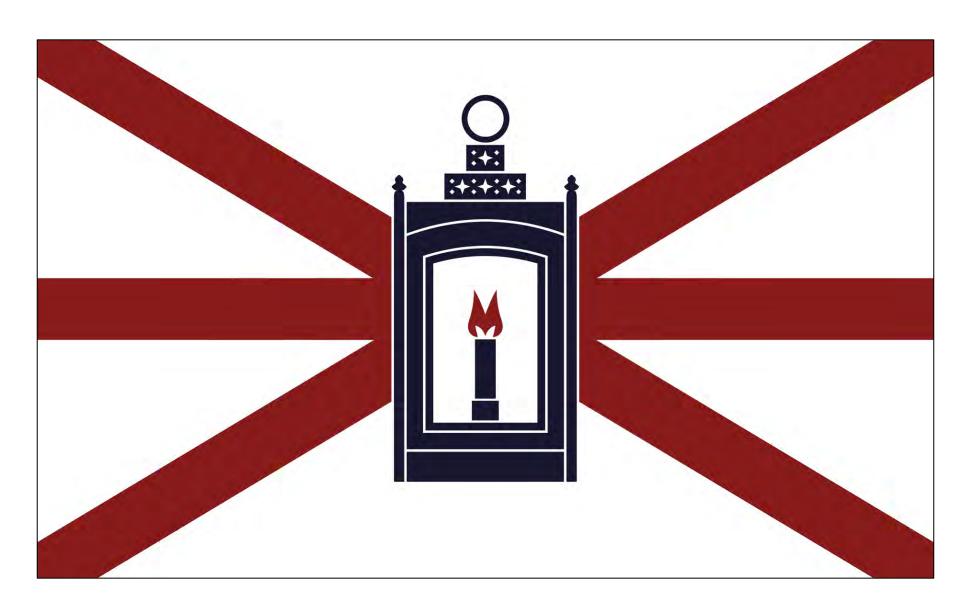


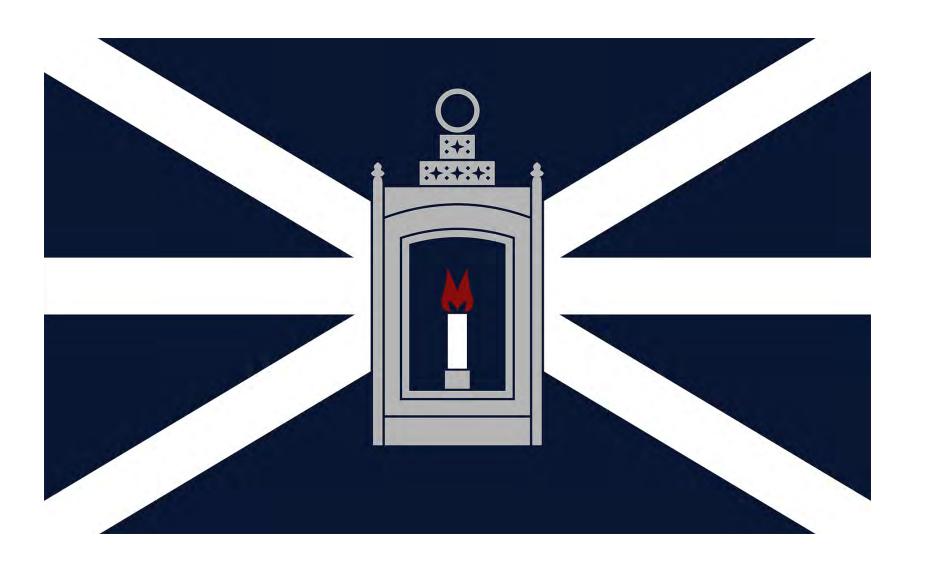




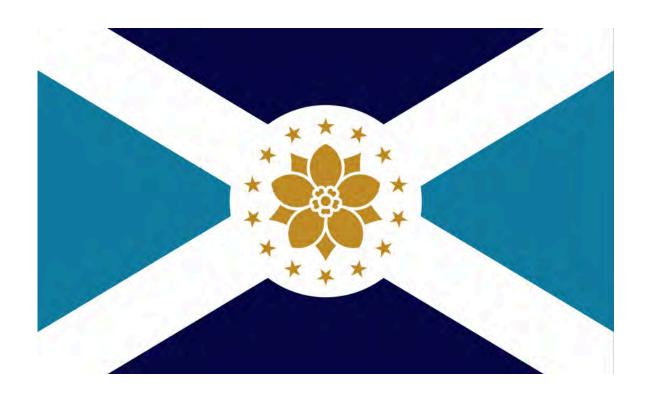
Flag Submission















Motto Submission

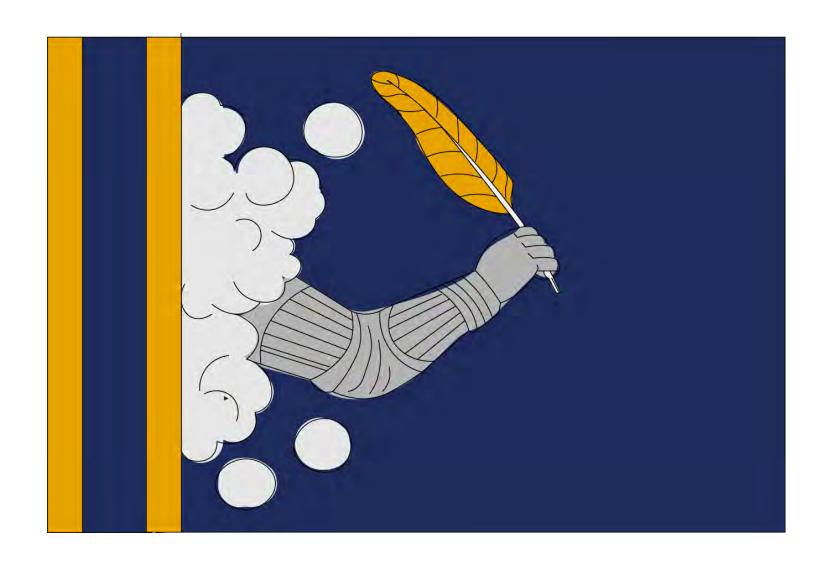
FILIVS LIBERTATIS, RERVM NOVARVM PATER (Son of Liberty, Father of the Revolution)

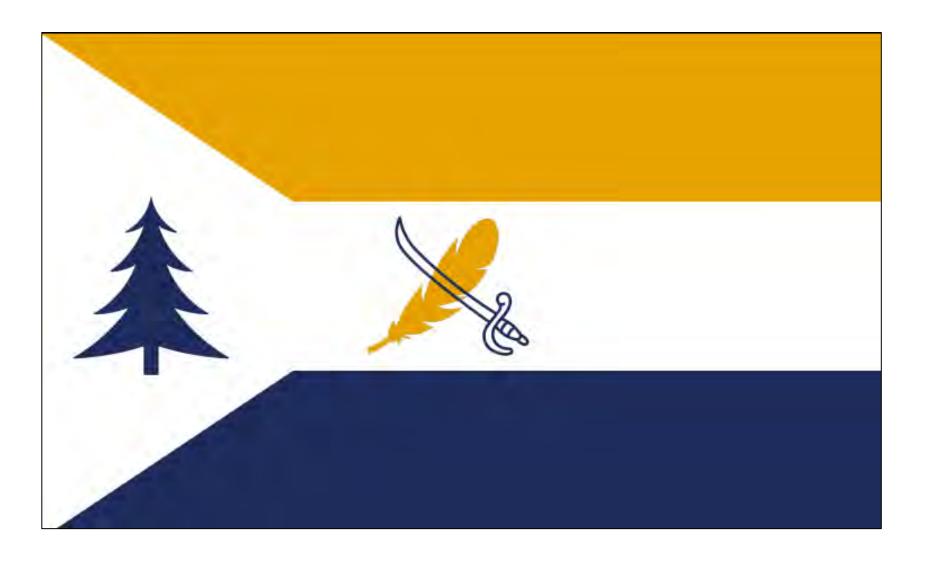
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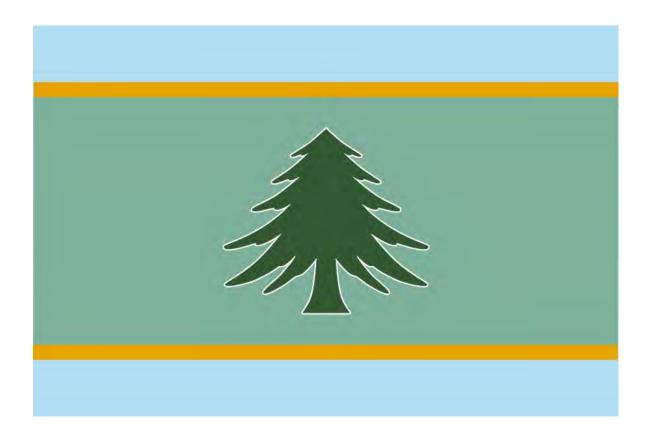




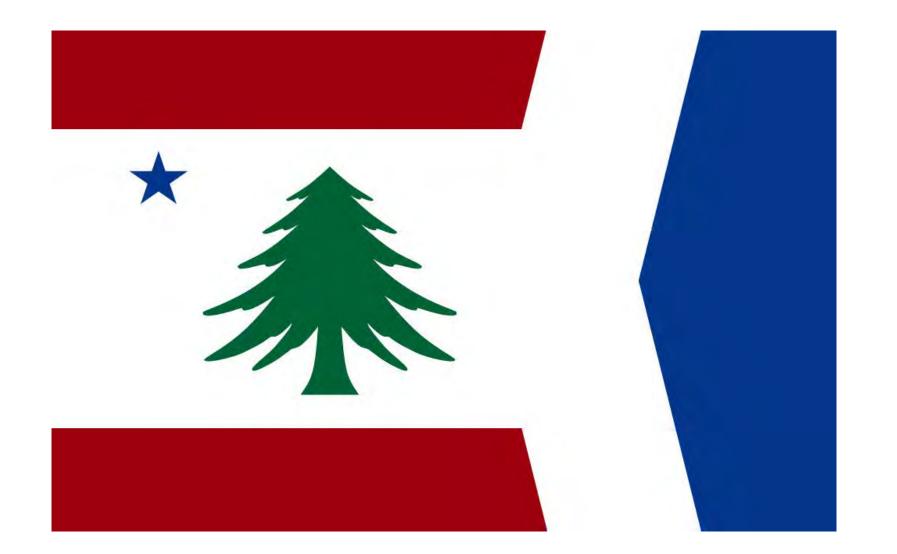


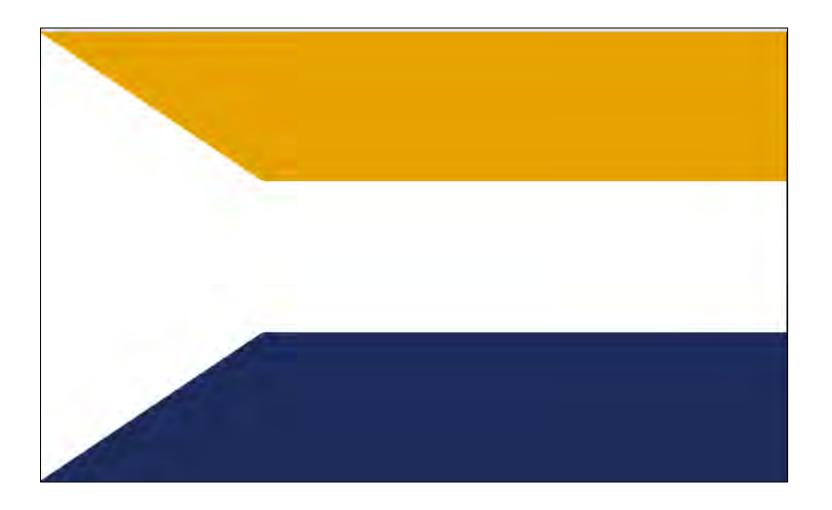






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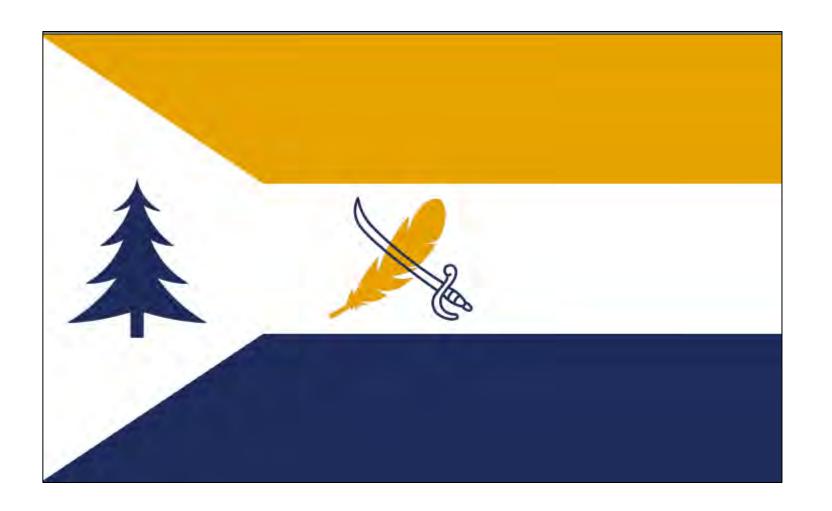




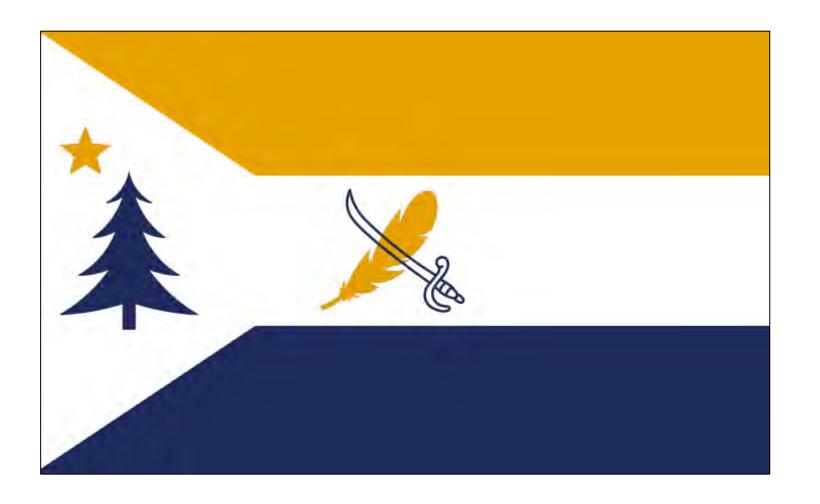


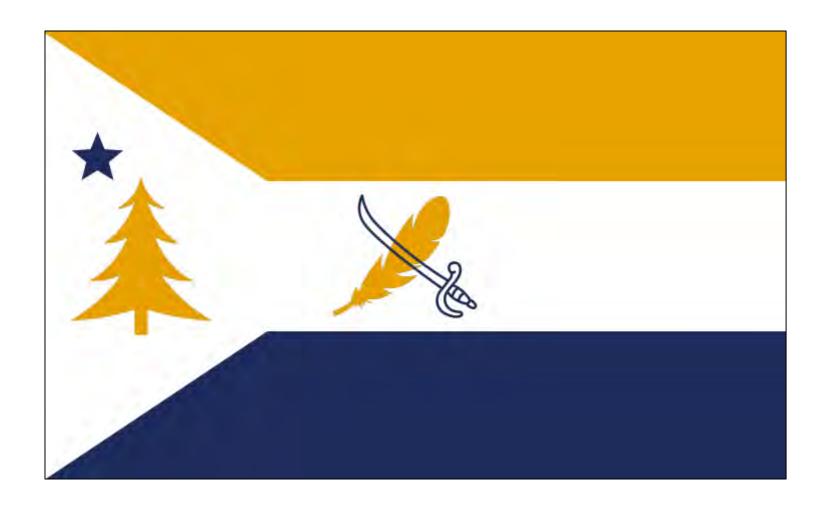






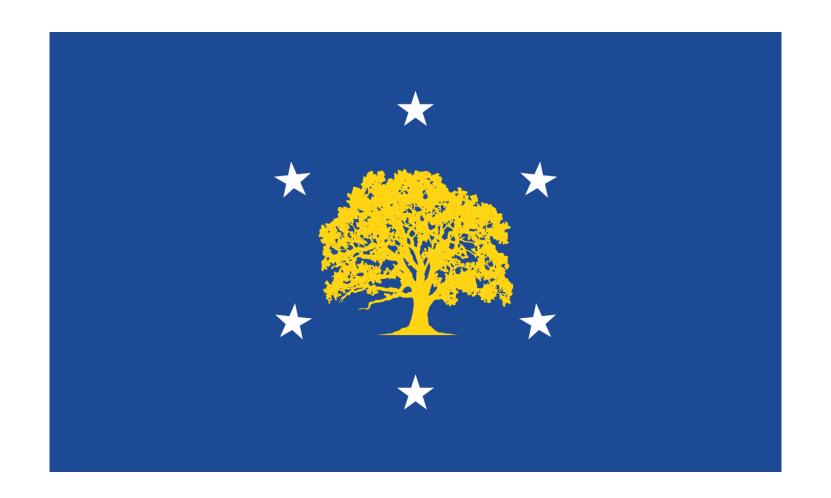


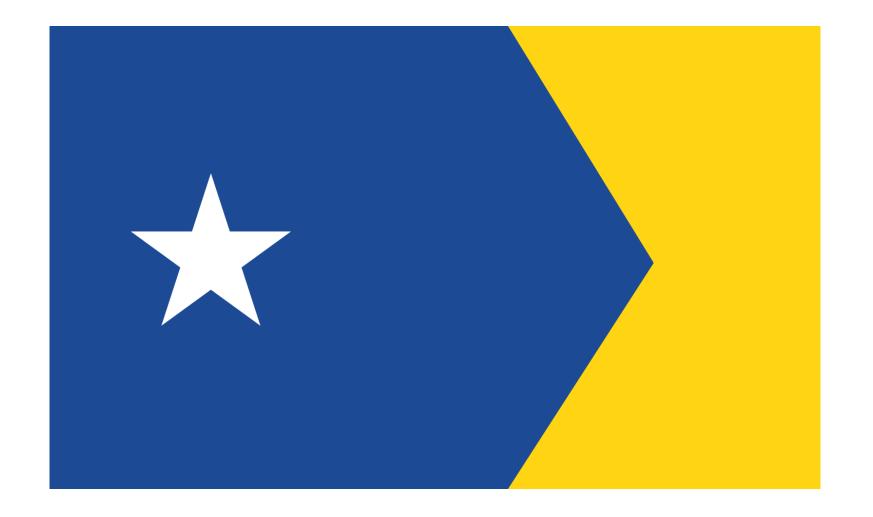


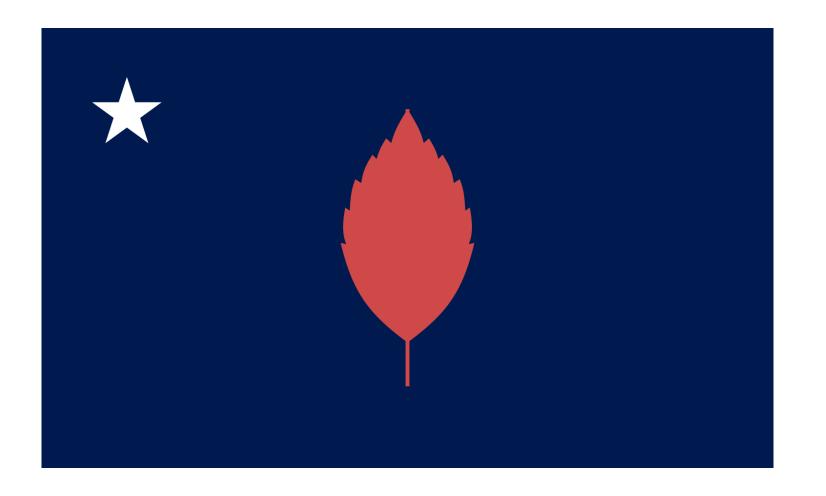


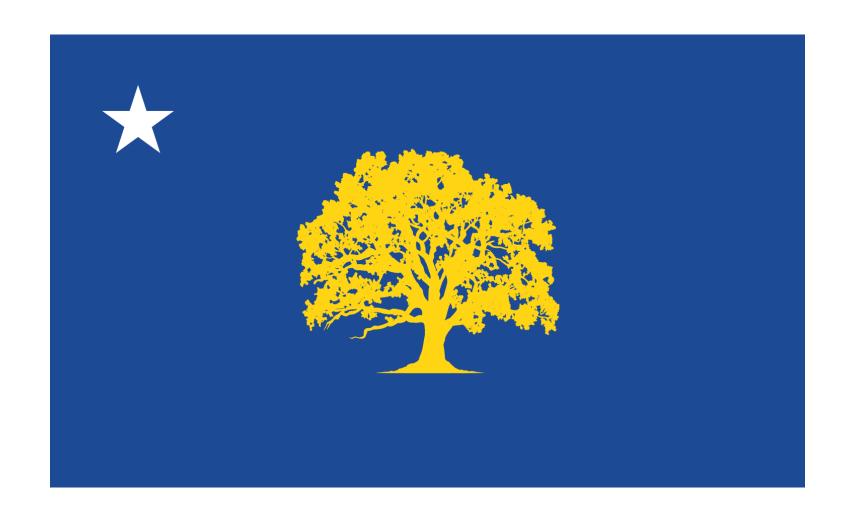












Motto Submission

New State Motto: United We Stand

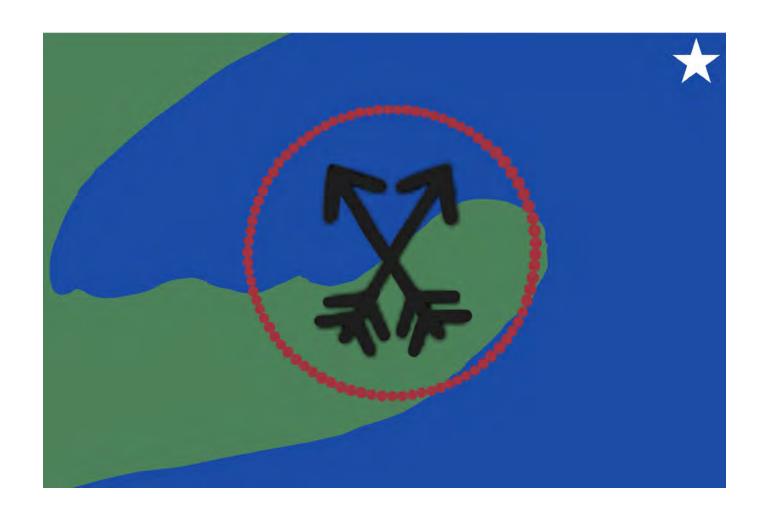
• Simple Chickadee flag using state colors



	Flag Submission
We need to bring back the first Massachusetts flag, the Pine Tree Flag!	

	Motto Submission
In the Spirit of the First Light, We Remember and Rise with Justice and Truth	



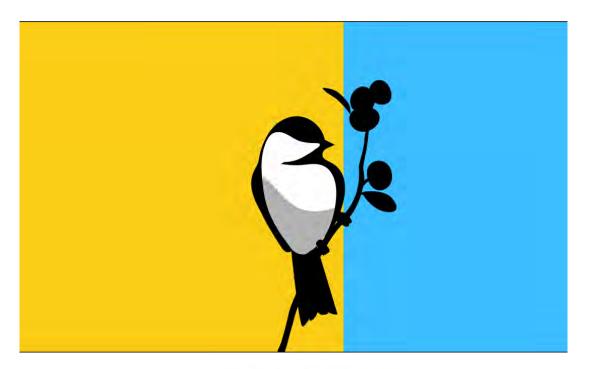


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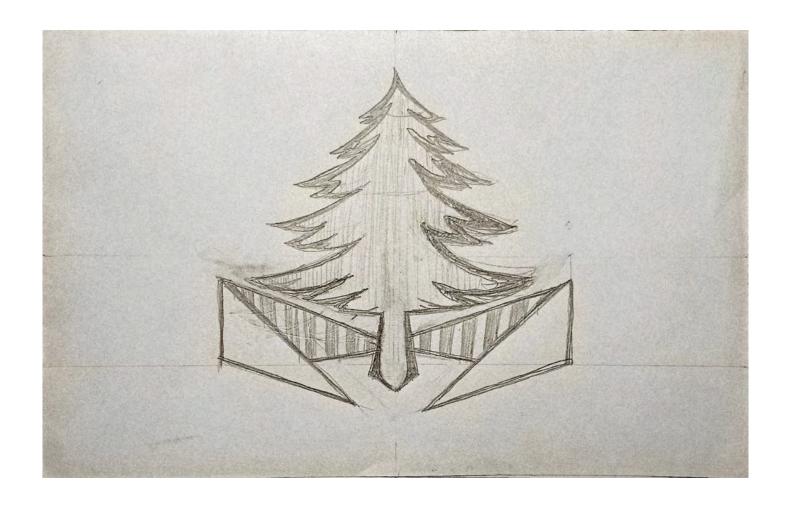
United by Liberty. Guided by Justice









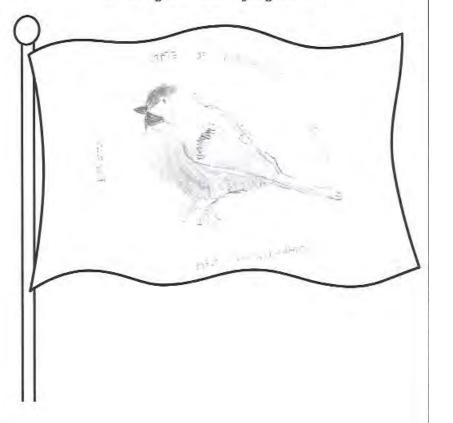


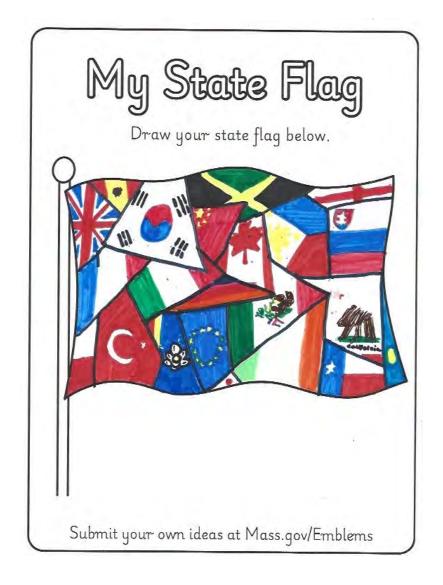
**Motto Submission** 

"Peace only under Liberty"

# My State Flag

Draw your state flag below.







### Seal and Flag Submission



**Motto Submission** 

"Veritas et Aequitas"



**Motto Submission** 

The Knowledge of The People is the Safeguard of Justice and Liberty

Flag and Motto Submission

The flag will have two side divide by Massachusetts boarder with the sea. The ocean side is blue and land side is red. In the red side there will be six states due to it being the sixth state one will be near Boston the capital and five in the shape of a pentagon because some five star generals have been from Massachusetts the pentagon will surround a area near where Lexington would be due to it being where the revolutionary war started the stars will be white.

The state motto would be **fundamentun americae** which in English is **The foundation of America** 



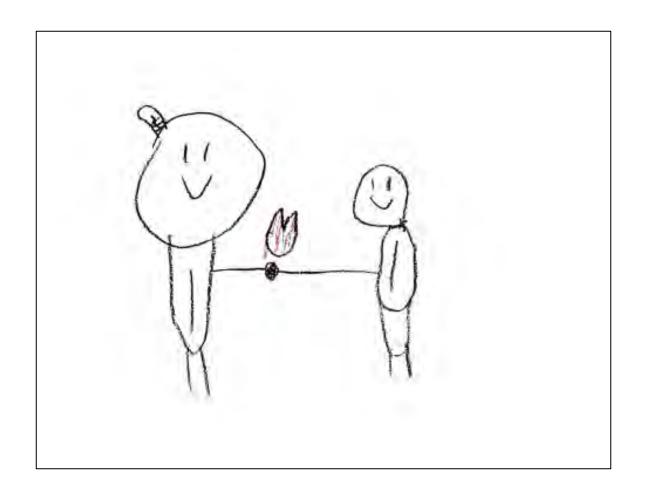








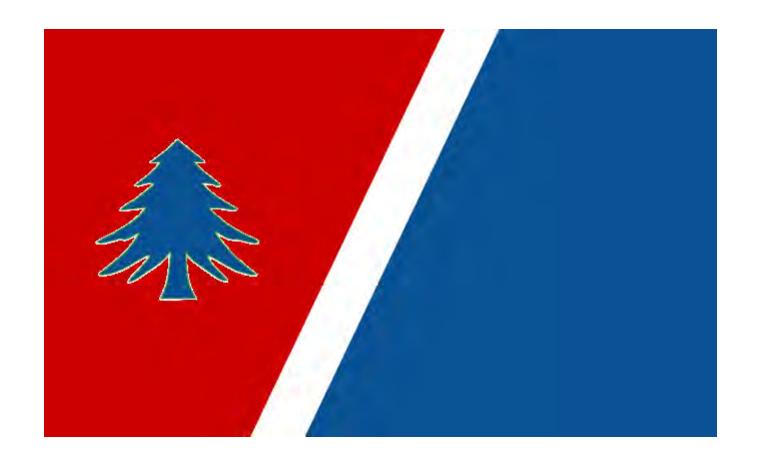




people of apposite Pract shaking hands wearing matching Suits, and the white race has green eyes, and the black race with hasle green eyes, and amaskulen body type for body typeforthewite reason a also maskulan the motor will be A free State comes with free living people of all diffrent race and rights." discription will be a dimond.

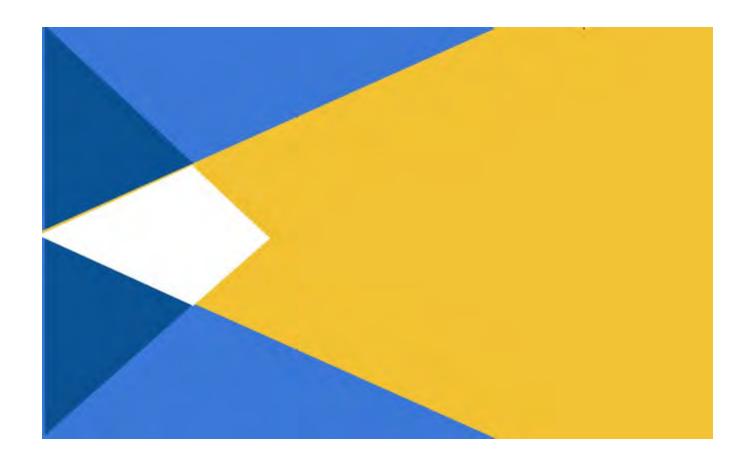


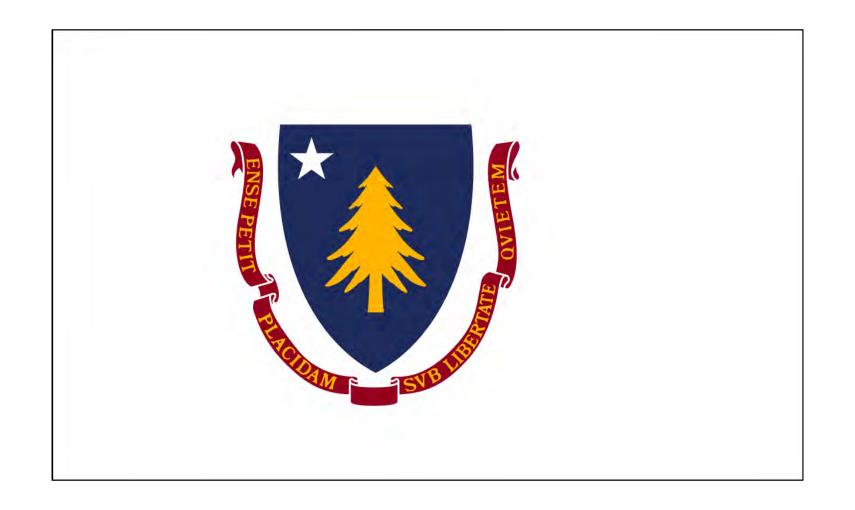




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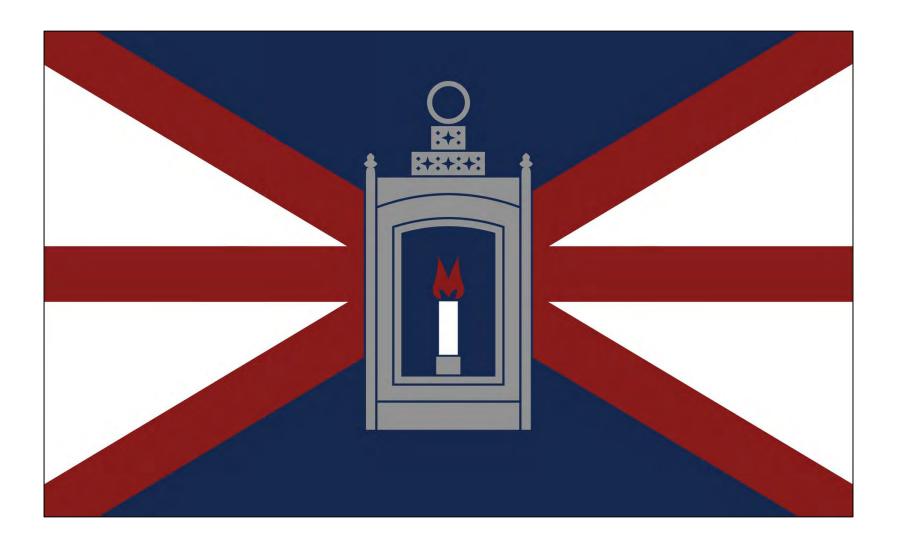




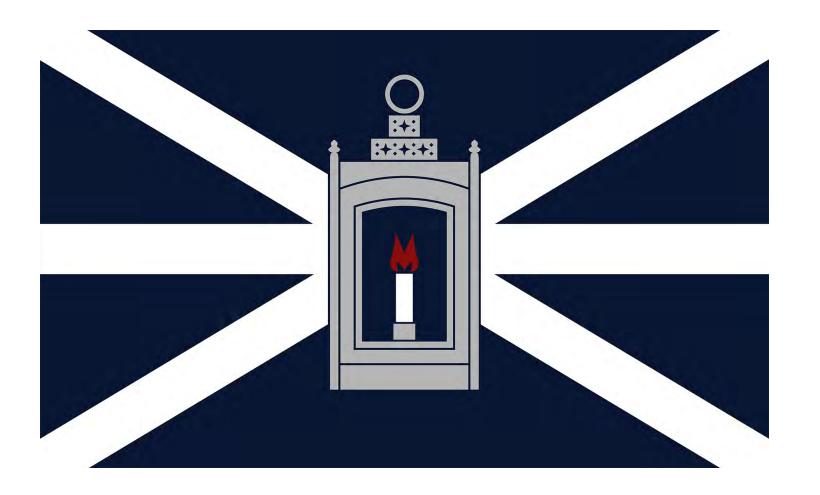
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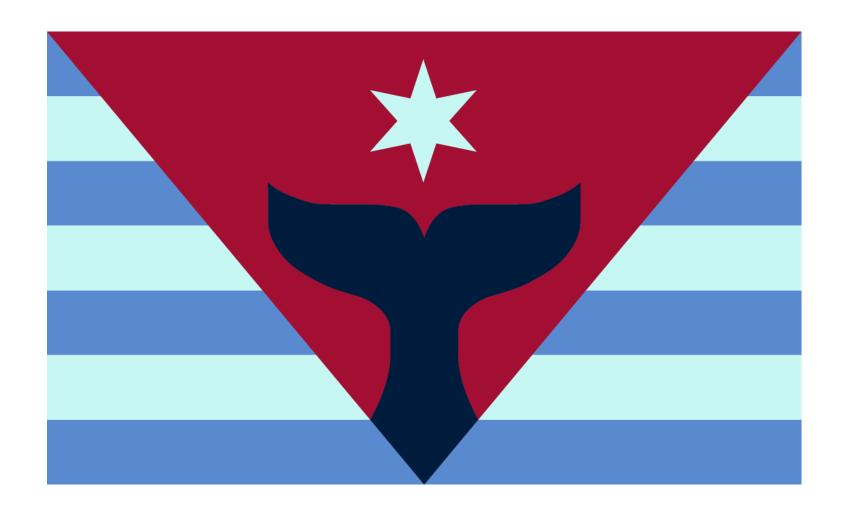
Pax sub libertate et libertate omnibus.

"Peace Under Liberty, and Liberty For All"

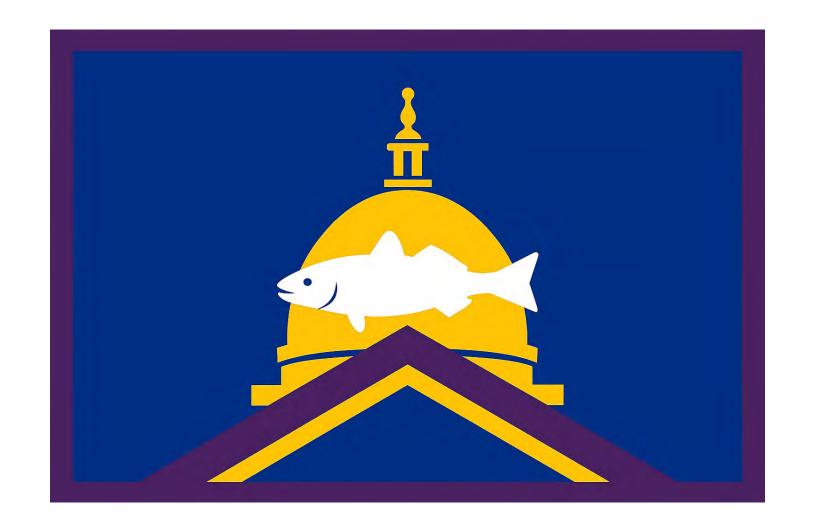






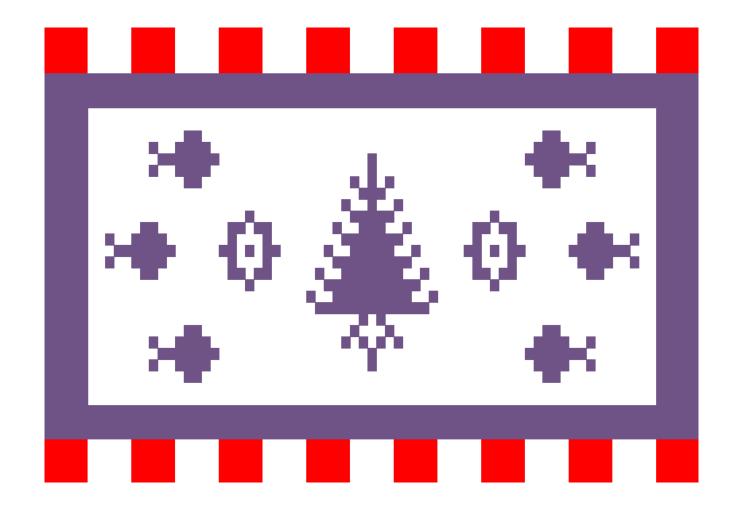






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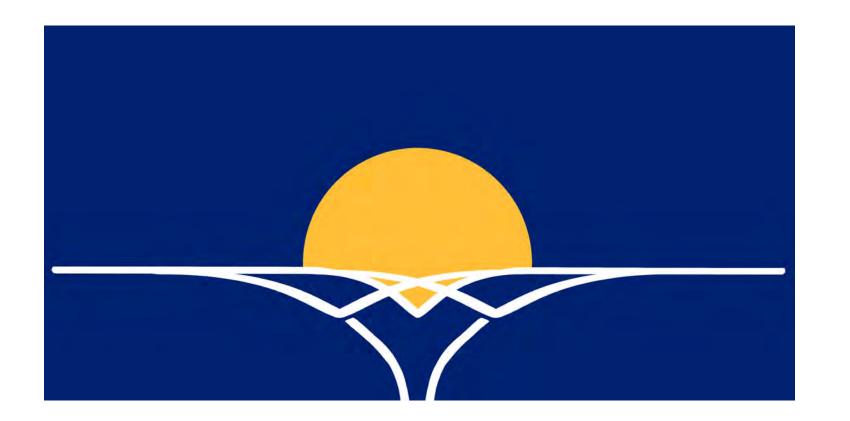


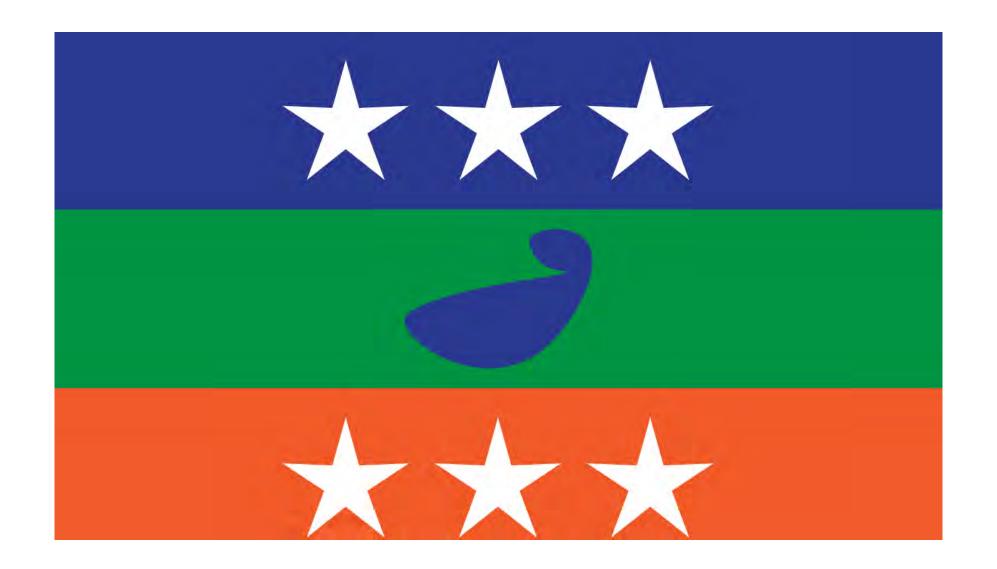
#### Seal and Motto Submission



Concept for New Seal of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with Proposal for New Motto submitted by Charles Adler

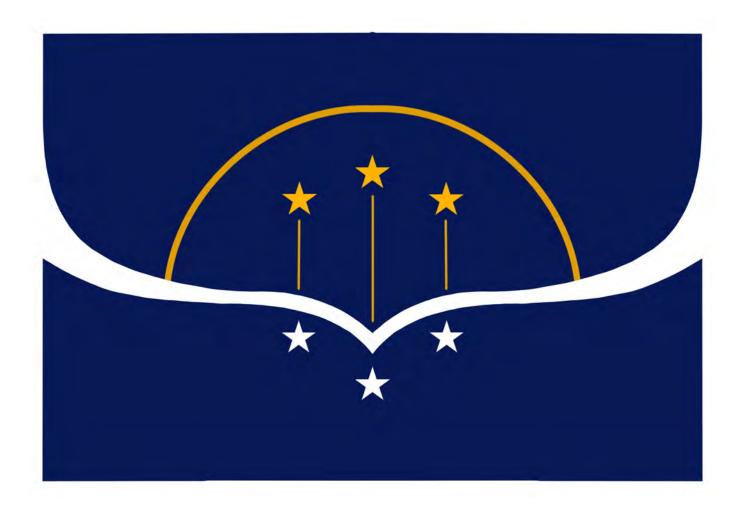








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Lighthouse or a whale

