

TOWN OF HALIFAX
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT
MAY 9, 2016

Please note that the actual order in which articles will be voted upon will be determined by lottery under the Town's by-laws, Chapter 47. The article numbers shown below are used to identify the articles.

ARTICLE 1 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds the sum of \$10,000 for Line 153 (Medicare) of Article 4 of the Annual Town Meeting of May 11, 2015 or take any action thereon.

Proposed by Treasurer-Collector
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 2 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds the sum of \$75,000 for a new account, "Monponsett Pond Management" for expenditures related to algae remediation, invasive weed monitoring and eradication, and any other programs or actions to improve the water quality of Monponsett Pond or take any action thereon.

Proposed by the Board of Selectmen
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 3 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds the sum of \$4,000 for Line 7 (Town Hall Electricity) of Article 4 of the Annual Town Meeting of May 11, 2015 or take any action thereon.

Proposed by the Town Administrator
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 4 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds the sum of \$25,000 for the Unemployment Compensation Fund or take any action thereon.

Proposed by the Town Treasurer-Collector
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 5 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds the sum of \$3,191 to be added to a recycling grant of \$4,400 for a total of \$7,591 to enlarge and repair the doors at the Recycling Center or take any action thereon.

Proposed by the Recycling Coordinator
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 6 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds the sum of \$50 to pay an unpaid bill from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for boiler inspections at the Halifax Fire Station or take any action thereon.

Proposed by the Town Accountant
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 7 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds the sum of \$348.24 to pay an unpaid bill from the Southeastern Massachusetts Resource Recovery Facility (*SEMASS* RRF) for trash disposal or take any action thereon.

Proposed by the Town Accountant
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 8 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Line 78 (Silver Lake Assessment) of Article 4 of the Annual Town Meeting of May 11, 2015 the sum of \$312,458.79 to the Town's Stabilization (General) Fund or take any action thereon.

Proposed by the Town Accountant
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 9 To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$2,850 from available funds to Line 8 (Town Report) of Article 4 of the Annual Town Meeting of May 11, 2015 to pay for the costs of the Special Town Meetings of September 8, 2015 and January 4, 2016 or take any action thereon.

Proposed by the Town Administrator
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 10 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds the sum of \$5,000 for Line 6 (Law) of Article 4 of the Annual Town Meeting of May 11, 2015 or take any action thereon.

Proposed by Town Administrator
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 11 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$6,300 to fund an actuarial study of Town-paid post-employment benefits, which will allow the Town to meet the requirements of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statements No. 45 (GASB 45) or take any action thereon.

Proposed by the Town Collector-Treasurer
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting

ARTICLE 12 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$27,000 to purchase a used 2005 or newer 45 foot articulating lift boom to replace the 1985 lift articulating boom used by the building maintenance department or take any action thereon.

Proposed by the Municipal and School Building Committee
Finance Committee Recommendation at Town Meeting