



TOWN OF WILLIAMSBURG, MA

Annual Town Meeting

03 June 2024

Hampshire SS:

To the Constable of the Town of Williamsburg

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town, qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs, to meet at the **Anne T. Dunphy School, 1 Petticoat Hill Road**, in said town on **Monday, the third of June, Two Thousand Twenty-Four, at six o'clock** in the evening, then and there, to act on the following articles:

ARTICLE 01 To see if the Town will vote pursuant to **M.G.L. c268A, §21A** to authorize the Board of Selectmen, Board of Water/Sewer Commissioners, Board of Assessors, Board of Health, Board of Appeals, Finance Committee, and the Trustees of the Libraries to appoint their own members to positions under their respective jurisdictions at such salaries or wage rates to be established by the Board of Selectmen, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 02 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to choose a committee to expend the income from the Whiting Street Fund, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 03 To see if the Town will vote to accept monies from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation, including but not limited to Chapter 90 funds, for the maintenance and reconstruction of Town roads and bridges, and to authorize expenditure of the same without further appropriation, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 04 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept and expend any grants and/or gifts that may become available, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 05

[simple majority vote required]

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell, trade in or dispose of any surplus town-owned equipment and/or personal property, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 06

[simple majority vote required]

To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of **\$198,620** as listed below, for the purpose of operating, maintaining, and constructing the Town water system and all costs incidental and related thereto, including the laying of mains, for **Fiscal Year 2025**, and to transfer said sum from Water Enterprise Revenue, or take any other action relative thereto.

Stipends	\$ 2,940
Expenses	\$ 195,680
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Total	\$ 198,620

ARTICLE 07

[simple majority vote required]

To see if the Town will vote to transfer and appropriate the sum of **\$263,375** as listed below, for the purpose of operating, maintaining, and constructing the Town sewer system and all costs incidental and related thereto, for **Fiscal Year 2025**, and to transfer said sum from Sewer Enterprise Revenue, or take any other action relative thereto.

Stipends	\$ 2,940
Expenses	\$ 260,435
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Total	\$ 263,375

ARTICLE 08

[simple majority vote required]

To see if the Town will vote pursuant to **M.G.L. c44, §53E1/2**, as most recently amended, to set **Fiscal Year 2025** spending limits for the Revolving Funds as established by the Town's General Bylaws, Revolving Funds.

REVOLVING FUND	\$ LIMIT	REVOLVING FUND	\$ LIMIT
Firearms Licensing.....	5,000	Planning Board.....	30,000
Gas Inspector.....	1,500	Animal Control Officer.....	5,000
Electrical Inspector.....	10,000	Recreation Commission.....	30,000
Plumbing Inspector.....	4,000	Council on Aging.....	2,000
Transfer Station Open Box.....	30,000	Conservation Commission.....	5,000
Board of Appeals.....	6,000	Fire Department.....	7,000
Total Spending.....	135,500		

**ARTICLE
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[simple
majority vote
required]

To see if the Town will vote to approve the Capital Improvement Plan, as prepared and approved by the Finance Committee, including recommended capital improvements for the following five fiscal years, or take any other action relative thereto. [see next page]

LINE	Total Debt Years	Years Remaining	Interest Rate %	Project Description	Funding Method	Funding Years	Cost to Town (Current \$\$, Interest Not Incl.)	Remaining Principle	FY2025	FY2026	FY2027	FY2028	FY 2029
APPROVED REQUESTS													
2				Bonded									
3	20	12	2.85	ATD School Building Construction	DE	FY13 - FY33	5,183,250	2,360,000	318,350	312,950	302,350	296,750	285,950
4	20	20	3.60	Public Safety Complex	DE	FY24 - FY44	3,495,000	3,600,000	265,100	264,225	263,100	261,725	264,975
5				Short Term Borrowing									
6	5	5	??	Fire Dept. Rescue Truck	B	FY25 - FY29	240,000	240,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000
7				Third Party Assessments									
8													
9				TOTAL			8,918,250	6,200,000	633,450	627,175	615,450	608,475	600,925
10				FY OPERATION BUDGET (EST.)					9,488,765	9,963,203	10,461,363	10,984,432	11,533,653
11				DEBT PMNT. AS % BUDGET (EST.)					6.68	6.29	5.88	5.54	6.50
12													
13	CURRENT REQUESTS APPROVED FY2025												
14				LIB - meekins hvac engineering	FC	FY25	25,000						
15				HWY - woodchipper	FC	FY25	65,000						
16				TO - building improvements	FC	FY25	150,000						
17				FD - turnout gear	FC	FY25	50,000						
18				TREA - new software	FC	FY25	6,000						
19				HWY - truck w/plow (FY20)	FC	FY25	39,386						
20				TOTAL			335,386						
21													
22													
23	FUTURE REQUESTS												
24				FIRE - Engine #2			275,000						
25				TO - roof replacement			100,000						
26				TO - gutter replacement			15,000						
27				TO - elevator upgrade(s)			125,000						
28				TO - Bridget St. easements			75,000						
29				LIB - Meekins Mini Split			60,000						
30				LIB - Meekins re-point			50,000						
31				FIRE - Engine #4			500,000						
32				LIB - Meekins windows			50,000						
33				LIB - Meekins old entrance stairs			10,000						
34				HWY - truck 5 F550			75,000						
35				FIRE - SCBA air bottles (#10)			12,000						
36				FIRE - SCBA air bottles (#13)			15,600						
37				HWY - excavator			200,000						
38				FIRE - SCBA air bottles (#12)			14,400						
39				FIRE - Engine #1			500,000						
40				FIRE - UTV			60,000						
41				FIRE - Jaws of Life			50,000						
42				FIRE - radios (one)			60,000						
43				FIRE - radios (two)			60,000						
44				TOTAL			2,307,000						

**ARTICLE
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[simple majority vote required]

To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elected and appointed officers of the Town for the twelve-month period **beginning July 01, 2024 and ending June 30, 2025**, as provided in **M.G.L. c.41, §108**, as amended, and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as shall be deemed necessary to defray the expenses of the Town for that same period, with each line being its own appropriation and in the total sum of **\$9,488,765** as recommended by the Finance Committee, such sum to be appropriated by transferring **\$265,000** from Free Cash and raising **\$9,223,765** from taxation, or take any other action relative thereto.
[see next page]

TYPE	FY24 \$	FY25 \$	DIFFERENCE \$	DIFFERENCE %
Culture / Recreation.....	233,191	244,067	10,876	4.66
Debt Service.....	595,834	644,950	49,116	8.24
Education.....	4,828,686	4,803,463	(25,223)	(0.52)
Fixed Costs.....	1,171,639	1,287,470	115,831	9.89
Gen Gov't.....	705,176	795,023	89,747	12.73
Health / Human.....	155,432	159,111	3,679	2.37
Intergovernmental.....	97,316	99,478	2,162	2.22
Public Safety.....	617,871	750,366	132,495	21.44
Public Works.....	664,874	704,837	39,963	6.01
Total.....	9,070,119	9,488,765	418,646	4.62



LINE #	CATEGORY	DEPARTMENT	CODE	ACCOUNT #	NAME	FY2024 BUDGET	FY2025 BUDGET	\$ DOLLAR DIFFERENCE	% PERCENT DIFFERENCE
1	Culture / Recreation	Library	610	5100	Salaries & Wages, Director	57,420	61,862	4,442	7.74
2	Culture / Recreation	Library	610	5110	Salaries & Wages	128,720	132,582	3,862	3.00
3	Culture / Recreation	Library	610	5400	General Expenses	14,000	-	-	-
4	Culture / Recreation	Library	610	5442	Materials / Books	5,000	7,000	2,000	40.00
5	Culture / Recreation	Library	610	5444	School library program	17,437	17,873	436	2.50
6	Culture / Recreation	Recreation Activities	630	5110	Salaries & Wages	4,114	-	-	-
7	Culture / Recreation	Recreation Activities	630	5400	General Expenses	5,000	10,000	5,000	100.00
8	Culture / Recreation	Recreation Activities	630	5425	Woodland Trails Comm	500	250	(250)	(50.00)
9	Culture / Recreation	Historical Commission	691	5400	General Expenses	500	250	(250)	(50.00)
10	Culture / Recreation	Veteran's Recognition	699	5400	General Expenses	500	250	(250)	(50.00)
11					TOTAL	233,191	244,067	10,876	4.66
12	Debt Service	Retirement of Debt	710	5481	Highland Amb Vehicle	6,484	-	(6,484)	(100.00)
13	Debt Service	Retirement of Debt	710	5910	School Building	260,000	260,000	-	-
14	Debt Service	Retirement of Debt	710	5977	Public Safety Complex	105,000	115,000	10,000	9.52
15	Debt Service	Retirement of Debt	710	*new*	Fire Rescue Truck	-	50,000	50,000	#DIV/0!
16	Debt Service	Interest on Long-term Debt	751	5925	School Building	68,750	58,350	(10,400)	(15.13)
17	Debt Service	Interest on Long-term Debt	751	5977	Public Safety Complex	155,600	150,100	(5,500)	(3.53)
18	Debt Service	Interest on Long-term Debt	751	*new*	Fire Rescue Truck	-	11,500	11,500	#DIV/0!
19					TOTAL	595,834	644,950	49,116	8.24
20	Education	Elementary School	300	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Officials	1,590	1,638	48	3.00
21	Education	Elementary School	300	5400	General Expenses	2,391,744	2,467,595	75,851	3.17
22	Education	Regional School	310	5400	General Expenses	1,849,352	1,864,230	14,878	0.80
23	Education	Vocational/Technical School	320	5400	General Expenses	531,000	420,000	(111,000)	(20.90)
24	Education	Vocational/Technical School	320	5819	Voc Transportation	55,000	50,000	(5,000)	(9.09)
25					TOTAL	4,828,686	4,803,463	(25,223)	(0.52)
26	Fixed Costs	Property Insurace	193	5400	General Expenses	70,000	85,000	15,000	21.43
27	Fixed Costs	Retirement Contribution	911	5400	General Expenses	386,108	413,620	27,512	7.13
28	Fixed Costs	Worker's Compensation	912	5400	General Expenses	15,000	20,000	5,000	33.33
29	Fixed Costs	Unemployment Compensation	913	5400	General Expenses	2,500	2,500	-	-
30	Fixed Costs	Unemployment Compensation	913	5411	Police & Fire insurance	16,031	20,000	3,969	24.76
31	Fixed Costs	Health Insurance	914	5400	General Expenses	637,000	700,000	63,000	9.89
32	Fixed Costs	Medicare	916	5400	General Expenses	45,000	46,350	1,350	3.00
33					TOTAL	1,171,639	1,287,470	115,831	9.89
34	Gen Gov't	Moderator	114	5100	Salary	333	343	10	3.00
35	Gen Gov't	Selectmen	122	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Offi	9,312	9,591	279	3.00
36	Gen Gov't	Selectmen	122	5400	General Expenses	3,750	3,750	-	-
37	Gen Gov't	Town Administrator	123	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Offi	70,009	72,109	2,100	3.00
38	Gen Gov't	Town Administrator	123	5101	Admin Asst	19,764	20,733	969	4.90
39	Gen Gov't	Town Administrator	123	5400	General Expenses	1,250	1,250	-	-
40	Gen Gov't	Town Administrator	123	5403	Certified Public Procurement Offici	1,885	-	(1,885)	(100.00)
41	Gen Gov't	Capital Planning Committee	130	5400	General Expenses	75	75	-	-
42	Gen Gov't	Finance Committee	131	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Offi	4,209	4,335	126	3.00
43	Gen Gov't	Finance Committee	131	5400	General Expenses	500	500	-	-
44	Gen Gov't	Reserve Fund	132	5400	General Expenses	50,000	60,000	10,000	20.00
45	Gen Gov't	Accountant	135	5110	Salaries & Wages	41,003	42,233	1,230	3.00
46	Gen Gov't	Accountant	135	5400	General Expenses	300	500	200	66.67
47	Gen Gov't	Accountant	135	5420	Accounting Software	750	7,821	7,071	942.80
48	Gen Gov't	Accountant	135	5710	Audit Services	24,000	24,000	-	-
49	Gen Gov't	Assessors	141	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Offi	10,345	10,866	521	5.04
50	Gen Gov't	Assessors	141	5110	Salaries & Wages	25,025	28,923	3,898	15.58
51	Gen Gov't	Assessors	141	5400	General Expenses	17,200	16,200	(1,000)	(5.81)
52	Gen Gov't	Assessors / Revaluation	142	5400	General Expenses	5,000	5,000	-	-
53	Gen Gov't	Treasurer	145	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Offi	28,751	38,625	9,874	34.34
54	Gen Gov't	Treasurer	145	5110	Salaries & Wages (stipend)	1,000	1,000	-	-
55	Gen Gov't	Treasurer	145	5123	Treasurers Asst	7,439	18,025	10,586	142.30
56	Gen Gov't	Treasurer	145	5400	General Expenses	6,500	7,000	500	7.69
57	Gen Gov't	Treasurer	145	5421	Treasurer's Software	5,500	10,000	4,500	81.82
58	Gen Gov't	Treasurer	145	5810	OPEB Reeval	6,500	6,500	-	-
59	Gen Gov't	Collector	146	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Offi	56,175	38,625	(17,550)	(31.24)
60	Gen Gov't	Collector	146	5110	Salaries & Wages (stipend)	1,000	1,000	-	-
61	Gen Gov't	Collector	146	5400	General Expenses	16,000	16,500	500	3.13
62	Gen Gov't	Collector	146	5410	Deputy Coll Expenses	2,000	2,000	-	-
63	Gen Gov't	Collector	146	5460	Tax Title Exp	1,500	2,500	1,000	66.67
64	Gen Gov't	Oliver Smith Trust	149	5400	General Expenses	35	35	-	-
65	Gen Gov't	Legal	151	5400	General Expenses	10,000	10,000	-	-
66	Gen Gov't	Advertising /Other Operations Support	159	5400	General Expenses	1,200	1,200	-	-
67	Gen Gov't	Other Operations Support	159	5401	Energy Comm Expenses	250	250	-	-
68	Gen Gov't	Constable	160	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Offi	495	495	-	-
69	Gen Gov't	Clerk	161	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Offi	26,970	32,760	5,790	21.47
70	Gen Gov't	Clerk	161	*new*	Elections Stipend	-	4,500	4,500	#DIV/0!
71	Gen Gov't	Clerk	161	5124	Clerk's Assistant	2,600	2,600	-	-
72	Gen Gov't	Clerk	161	5400	General Expenses	1,700	1,700	-	-
73	Gen Gov't	Clerk	161	5404	Records Storage	1,500	1,500	-	-
74	Gen Gov't	Clerk	161	5422	Clerk's Software	500	500	-	-
75	Gen Gov't	Elections	162	5400	General Expenses	11,500	11,500	-	-
76	Gen Gov't	Street Listing	164	5400	General Expenses	1,450	1,450	-	-
77	Gen Gov't	Conservation Commission	171	5110	Salaries & Wages	1,995	3,500	1,505	75.44
78	Gen Gov't	Conservation Commission	171	5400	General Expenses	2,700	1,000	(1,700)	(62.96)

LINE #	CATEGORY	DEPARTMENT	CODE	ACCOUNT #	NAME	FY2024 BUDGET	FY2025 BUDGET	\$ DOLLAR DIFFERENCE	% PERCENT DIFFERENCE
79	Gen Gov't	Planning Board	175	5400	General Expenses	750	500	(250)	(33.33)
80	Gen Gov't	Zoning Board/Appeals	176	5400	General Expenses	600	500	(100)	(16.67)
81	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5125	Custodian Labor	13,235	30,000	16,765	126.67
82	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5130	Building Supervisor	10,221	10,528	307	3.00
83	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5400	General Expenses	30,000	35,000	5,000	16.67
84	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5412	Town Office Exp	2,500	2,500	-	-
85	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5430	Internet	11,000	15,000	4,000	36.36
86	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5431	Town Telephone	11,000	12,000	1,000	9.09
87	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5432	Copier Maint	2,400	2,400	-	-
88	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5436	Document Storage	2,100	2,100	-	-
89	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5450	Heating	25,000	30,000	5,000	20.00
90	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5455	Electricity	35,000	35,000	-	-
91	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5470	Computer Services	45,000	50,000	5,000	11.11
92	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5480	Technology Upgrades	5,000	5,000	-	-
93	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	5850	Town Building Repairs	20,000	20,000	-	-
94	Gen Gov't	Town Office	192	*new*	Public Safety Complex Operations	-	10,000	10,000	#DIV/0!
95	Gen Gov't	Town Reports	195	5400	General Expenses	1,500	1,500	-	-
96	Gen Gov't	Transfer To	970	5900	OPEB	10,000	10,000	-	-
97					TOTAL	705,276	795,023	89,747	12.73
98	Health / Human	Animal Inspection	510	5400	General Expenses	1,020	2,000	980	96.08
99	Health / Human	Board of Health	512	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Offi	4,109	4,232	123	3.00
100	Health / Human	Board of Health	512	5400	General Expenses	1,050	1,050	-	-
101	Health / Human	Board of Health	512	5418	Public Health Emgy/Training	1,550	1,550	-	-
102	Health / Human	Council on Aging	541	5110	Salaries & Wages	38,274	39,422	1,148	3.00
103	Health / Human	Council on Aging	541	5128	COA Labor	19,764	20,357	593	3.00
104	Health / Human	Council on Aging	541	5129	COA Meal Site Staff	14,823	15,268	445	3.00
105	Health / Human	Council on Aging	541	5140	COA Admin Asst	12,567	12,944	377	3.00
106	Health / Human	Council on Aging	541	5400	General Expenses	5,000	5,000	-	-
107	Health / Human	Council on Aging	541	5419	COA HEN Program	4,000	4,000	-	-
108	Health / Human	Veteran's Services	543	5400	General Expenses	12,875	12,888	13	0.10
109	Health / Human	Veteran's Services	543	5454	Veterans Benefits	40,000	40,000	-	-
110	Health / Human	ADA	549	5400	General Expenses	400	400	-	-
111					TOTAL	155,432	159,111	3,679	2.37
112	Intergovernmental	County Assessment & Charges	830	5494	FRCOG Assessment	3,025	3,025	-	-
113	Intergovernmental	County Assessment & Charges	830	5628	HC Reg Lock Up	1	-	-	-
114	Intergovernmental	Inspection Services	840	5400	Hilltown Resource MGMT	13,912	15,651	1,739	12.50
115	Intergovernmental	Inspection Services	840	5490	Foothills Health District	37,120	37,533	413	1.11
116	Intergovernmental	Inspection Services	840	5491	Building Inspection Prog	42,500	42,500	-	-
117	Intergovernmental	Inspection Services	840	5492	PVPC Assessment	458	469	11	2.40
118	Intergovernmental	Inspection Services	840	5493	Plumbing/Gas Inspect Prog	300	300	-	-
119					TOTAL	97,316	99,478	2,162	2.22
120	Public Safety	Police	210	5110	Salaries & Wages	85,416	90,038	4,622	5.41
121	Public Safety	Police	210	5121	Police Dept labor	162,248	225,161	62,913	38.78
122	Public Safety	Police	210	5400	General Expenses	25,626	25,626	-	-
123	Public Safety	Police	210	5423	Police Records Software	8,035	8,035	-	-
124	Public Safety	Police	210	5441	Police Bridge Academy	17,000	-	(17,000)	(100.00)
125	Public Safety	Fire	220	5110	Salaries & Wages	56,177	77,149	20,972	37.33
126	Public Safety	Fire	220	5122	Fire Dept labor	42,000	55,505	13,505	32.15
127	Public Safety	Fire	220	5131	FD Admin Asst	15,331	16,590	1,259	8.21
128	Public Safety	Fire	220	5132	FD Training	17,246	28,016	10,770	62.45
129	Public Safety	Fire	220	5400	General Expenses	42,072	44,807	2,735	6.50
130	Public Safety	Ambulance	231	5400	General Expenses	140,533	171,388	30,855	21.96
131	Public Safety	Emergency MGMT Service	232	5110	Salaries & Wages	1,331	2,500	1,169	87.83
132	Public Safety	Emergency MGMT Service	232	5127	Emer Mgmt Deputy	620	1,000	380	61.29
133	Public Safety	Emergency MGMT Service	232	5400	General Expenses	3,750	4,051	301	8.03
134	Public Safety	Emergency MGMT Service	232	5433	Emergency Communications	486	500	14	2.88
135					TOTAL	617,871	750,366	132,495	21.44
136	Public Works	Tree Service	294	5414	Tree Removal/Planting	7,000	7,000	-	-
137	Public Works	Highway	422	5100	Salaries & Wages, Elected Offi	78,750	81,113	2,363	3.00
138	Public Works	Highway	422	5110	Salaries & Wages	147,693	152,124	4,431	3.00
139	Public Works	Highway	422	5400	General Expenses	93,500	93,500	-	-
140	Public Works	Highway	422	5416	Highway Garage/Equip Maint	45,800	50,380	4,580	10.00
141	Public Works	Highway	422	5417	Vehicle Fuel	45,000	45,000	-	-
142	Public Works	Highway	422	5440	Invasive Species	1,500	1,500	-	-
143	Public Works	Highway	422	5443	Sidewalk Construction	5,000	5,000	-	-
144	Public Works	Highway	422	5840	Highway Surplus equip	3,000	3,500	500	16.67
145	Public Works	Snow & Ice Removal	423	5110	Salaries & Wages	15,997	15,997	-	-
146	Public Works	Snow & Ice Removal	423	5400	General Expenses	72,500	72,500	-	-
147	Public Works	Street Lighting	424	5400	General Expenses	8,000	8,000	-	-
148	Public Works	Transfer Station	433	5110	Salaries & Wages	35,509	38,424	2,915	8.21
149	Public Works	Transfer Station	433	5400	General Expenses	102,825	128,000	25,175	24.48
150	Public Works	Cemetery	491	5400	General Expenses	1,200	1,200	-	-
151	Public Works	Cemetery	491	5458	Haydenville Town Clock	1,600	1,600	-	-
152					TOTAL	664,874	704,837	39,963	6.01

ARTICLE 11 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Free Cash the sum of **\$1,150**, being an amount equal to one-half of the amount received by the Town as Medicaid reimbursements in the FY23, to the Williamsburg School Department, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 12 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Free Cash the sum of **\$396**, to pay for costs incurred by GIR USA Inc. (fuel monitoring software), in FY22, or take any other action relative thereto.
[four-fifth vote required]

ARTICLE 13 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Free Cash the sum of **\$25,000** for the purpose of paying for engineering service to develop a schematic design for the electrification of replacement HVAC system(s) at the Meekins Library and any other incidental and related expenses, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 14 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Free Cash the sum of **\$65,000** to purchase and equip a 15" woodchipper for the Williamsburg Highway Department and any other incidental and related expenses, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 15 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Free Cash the sum of **\$50,000** to purchase and equip new turnout gear for the Williamsburg Fire Department and any other incidental and related expenses, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 16 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Free Cash the sum of **\$150,000** for the purpose of paying for building maintenance at the Williamsburg Town Offices and any other incidental and related expenses, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 17 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Free Cash the sum of **\$6,000** for the purpose of paying for additional software for the Treasurer and any other incidental and related expenses, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 18 To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Free Cash the sum of **\$39,385.50** to purchase and equip a truck and plow for the Williamsburg Highway Department in FY24 and any other incidental and related expenses, or take any other action relative thereto.
[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 19 To see if the Town will vote to transfer **\$200,000** from Free Cash into the Stabilization Fund, or take any other action relative thereto.

[simple majority vote required]

ARTICLE 20 To see if the Town will vote to petition the Massachusetts General Court to enact legislation entitled "An Act Authorizing the Town of Williamsburg to Continue Employment of Glen Everett Beyond the Age of 65", as set forth below, provided, however, that the General Court may make clerical and editorial changes to the bill, or take any other action relative thereto:

[simple majority vote required]

An Act Authorizing the Town of Williamsburg to Continue Employment of Glen Everett Beyond the Age of 65

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, **Glen Everett**, a member of the fire department in the town of Williamsburg, who would be subject to mandatory retirement on the last day of the month in which he turns 65 years old, may continue to serve in such a position until **06/25/2029**, or until the date of his retirement, or the date he is relieved of his duties by the Town, whichever occurs first; provided however, that no deductions shall be made from the regular compensation of Glen Everett pursuant to Chapter 32 of the General Laws for any service subsequent to him reaching the age of 65 in connection with his service to the Town for retirement purposes; provided further, that he is mentally and physically capable of performing the duties of his office; provided further, that the Town may at its own expense require that Glen Everett be examined by an impartial physician designated by the Town to determine such capability; and provided further, that Glen Everett shall, upon retirement, receive a superannuation retirement allowance equal to that which he would have been entitled had he retired at the age of 65.

(b.) Notwithstanding section 1, **Glen Everett** shall be subject to chapter 6E of the General Laws and section 96B of chapter 41 of the General Laws for the duration of his employment pursuant to this act.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

ARTICLE

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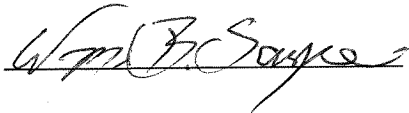
[simple
majority vote
required]

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen (i) to enter into an agreement for payments-in-lieu of taxes pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 59, Section 5 Clause Forty-fifth, and/or Chapter 164, Section 1, or and other enabling authority for personal property attributable to a solar photovoltaic facility located on privately owned land at 5 Hatfield Rd. and 95 Main St., Haydenville, shown as Assessor's Maps 7G-Lot 77 and 11K-Lot 33, on such other terms and conditions and for such consideration as the Board of Selectmen deems appropriate; and (ii) to execute documents and take all other actions necessary or convenient to implement and administer such agreement, or take any other action relative thereto.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies hereof in at least five places in said Town, at least seven days before the date thereof, as within directed.

Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

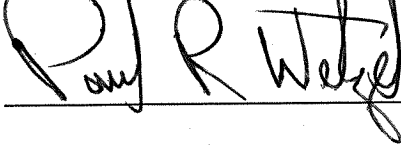
Given under our hand this 23 day of May, Two Thousand Twenty-Four.



William B. Sayre, Chair

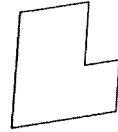


Denise L. Banister



Paul R. Wetzel

Board of Selectmen



Hampshire SS:

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Williamsburg by posting up attested copies of the same in at least five places in said town at least fourteen days before the day thereof, as within directed.

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Date



Constable of Williamsburg