

**TOWN OF WEST NEWBURY
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
WARRANT – SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
MONDAY, APRIL 24, 2023 @ 7:00pm**

Essex, ss.

To any of the Constables of the Town of West Newbury:

In the name of the Commonwealth, you are hereby required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of the Town of West Newbury, who are qualified to vote in the elections and Town affairs, to meet at the Town Annex, located at 379 Main Street, at **7:00 p.m. on Monday April 24, 2023**, to act upon or take any other action relative to all of the following articles:

APPROPRIATIONS

ARTICLE 1: To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds a sum to fund the existing year snow and ice deficit during the fiscal year 2023, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the DPW Director.*

ARTICLE 2: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$60,180.00 to fund an inoculation treatment program for ash trees within public rights-of-way against the effects of the Emerald Ash Borer, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the DPW Director.*

ARTICLE 3: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$20,000.00 to fund professional invasive species management on town owned land, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Open Space Committee*

ARTICLE 4: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$50,000.00 to fund an engineering study related to property located at 31 Dole Place, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Select Board.*

ARTICLE 5: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$140,000.00 for the purchase of water from the City of Newburyport during the remainder of FY 2023 and to replenish the line items within the FY 2023 Water Operating Budget that were utilized to pay water bills, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Board of Water Commissioners.*

ARTICLE 6: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$3,865.00 for the purchase of equipment and materials to replace the current Master Meter, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Board of Water Commissioners.*

ARTICLE 7: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$19,900.00 for the purchase of equipment and materials for a continuous chlorine monitoring system, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Board of Water Commissioners.*

ARTICLE 8: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$7,340.00 for the purchase of equipment and materials for SCADA Remote Terminal Units (RTU's), or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Board of Water Commissioners.*

ARTICLE 9: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$16,610.00 for the purchase of equipment and materials to be used for repairs to the original Wellfield #1 building, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Board of Water Commissioners.*

ARTICLE 10: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$9,975.00 for the purchase of equipment and materials to be used for cleaning of the well heads located at Wellfield #1, or take any other action related thereto, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Board of Water Commissioners.*

ARTICLE 11: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$30,000.00 for the purchase of equipment and materials to be used for the repair and/or replacement of valves, hydrants, water main, meter pits and/or any other devices that are part of the Town's water distribution system, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Board of Water Commissioners.*

ARTICLE 12: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$115,000.00 to fund the replacement of the HVAC unit at the Page School Main Office and Entry Area, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the DPW Director.*

ARTICLE 13: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$25,000.00 to fund the purchase of a police cruiser for use by the Police Department, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Police Chief.*

ARTICLE 14: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$4,425.00 to fund the purchase of an ABI Infield Rascal Pro infield maintainer or similar product for purposes of field maintenance, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Parks & Recreation Commission.*

ARTICLE 15: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$9,960.00 to fund the replacement and repair of the soccer field fencing at Pipestave Athletic Field, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Parks & Recreation Commission.*

ARTICLE 16: To see if the Town will vote to transfer and/or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$7,500.00 to provide matching funds for the One Stop for Growth grant awarded to

the Town of West Newbury in FY 2023 for planning and zoning consulting services related to the MBTA Communities Act, so-called, or take any other action relative thereto. *By request of the Select Board.*

You are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at least 14 days before the date of the Annual Town Meeting, as provided within the Town Bylaws.

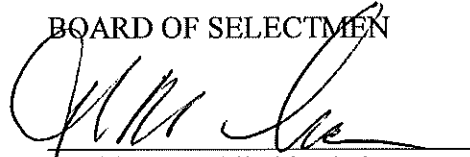
LOCATIONS TO POST WARRANT:


1910 Town Office Building
G.A.R. Memorial Library
Public Safety Building
Laurel Grange
Post Office
Town Hall

Hereof fail not to make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of holding said meeting.

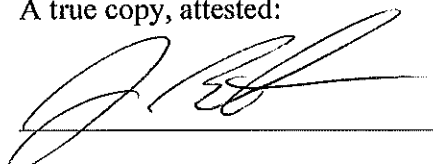
Given under our hands this 7th day of April, 2023.


BOARD OF SELECTMEN


David W. Archibald, Chair


Richard G. Parker

A true copy, attested:


James RW Blatchford, Town Clerk



Wendy J. Reed

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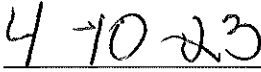

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