

Town of Whately
Special Town Meeting Warrant
March 25, 2020

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Franklin, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Whately in the County of Franklin,

GREETING:

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 **Whately Town Offices, 4 Sandy Lane, Whately, MA on the twenty-fifth (25th) day of March 2020, next, at seven (7:00) in the evening**, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1:

To see if the Town will vote to accept G.L. c.200A, §9A authorizing the Town to dispose of abandoned funds held in the custody of the Town per the procedure outlined by the statute, or take any other action relative thereto.

Majority vote required

Recommended by the Selectboard
Recommended by the Finance Committee

Article 2:

To see if the Town will vote to accept the last paragraph of G.L. c.41, §111F to create a special fund to be known as the Injury Leave Indemnity Fund, to be expended by the Selectboard, without further appropriation, for payment of injury leave compensation or medical bills incurred under G.L. c.41, §§111F or 100, and to which appropriations may be made, and amounts received from insurance proceeds or restitution for injuries to firefighters or police officers shall be credited, provided, that said Board may, if the amounts therein are not immediately necessary or required in the foreseeable future for the purpose of the Fund, release specific amounts to the General Fund, or take any other action relative thereto.

Majority vote required

Recommended by the Selectboard
Recommended by the Finance Committee

Article 3:

To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of **\$9,000** from available funds (FY19 Free Cash) to the Police Department General Expenses account (001-210-5400), or take any other action relative thereto.

Majority vote required

Recommended by the Selectboard
Recommended by the Finance Committee

Article 4:

To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to G.L. c. 44B, to appropriate and transfer from the Community Preservation Fund Unreserved Fund Balance the sum of **\$28,130.92** to make an additional payment on the one year note for the Town Hall Historic Rehabilitation Project, or take any other action relative thereto.

Majority vote required

*Recommended by the Selectboard
Recommended by the Finance Committee*

Article 5:

To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of **\$50,000** from the Capital Stabilization Fund to pay for costs associated with the replacement of two bridges on Williamsburg Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

2/3 Majority Vote Required

*Recommended by the Selectboard
Recommended by the Finance Committee*

Article 6:

To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of **\$4,000** from available funds (FY19 Free Cash) to pay for the costs of engineering oversight services during the construction of crosswalks and sidewalks along Chestnut Plain Road, or take any other action relative thereto.

Majority vote required

*Recommended by the Selectboard
Recommended by the Finance Committee*

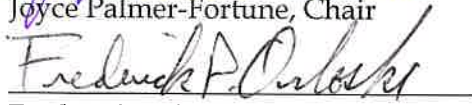
And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the Town Office Building, Whately Post Office, and the S. W. Dickinson Library in said Whately, fourteen days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

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 hands this 10th day of March in the year two thousand and twenty.



Joyce Palmer-Fortune, Chair



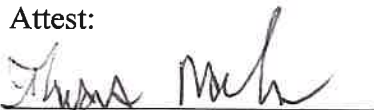
Frederick Orloski, Vice Chair

Selectboard
of
Whately

Jonathan Edwards, Clerk

A true copy.

Attest:



Constable