

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING UPDATE

Concord's 2016 Annual Town Meeting began on Monday, April 4th and continued this week on Tuesday, April 5th and Wednesday, April 6th. Town Meeting has now been adjourned and dissolved. The results are listed below, along with the attendance count for each session.

ARTICLE	DATE	SUBJECT	RESULT
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING			
1	4/4/16	Choose Town Officers	Passed by Declared Unanimous Vote
2	4/4/16	Hear Reports & Consent Calendar	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
3	4/4/16	Meeting Procedure (Rule of the Meeting governing requirements on motions and amendments made under articles concerned with expenditures)	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
4	4/4/16	Ratify Personnel Board's Classification Actions	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
5	4/4/16	Personnel Bylaw Amendments	Passed under Article 2 Consent Calendar
6	4/4/16	Personnel Board—Classification & Compensation Plan for Regular-Status Positions	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
7	4/4/16	Town Budget—Appropriation of \$39,283,841 for FY17	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
8	4/4/16	Home Rule Petition to Establish a Concord Senior Means-Tested Property Tax Exemption (subject to approval by the legislature, a subsequent Concord Town Meeting vote, and a vote of Concord voters at the polls)	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
9	4/4/16	Close Elementary School Debt Stabilization Fund	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
10	4/4/16	PEG Access and Cable-Related Fund	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
11	4/4/16	Public School Budget—Appropriation of \$35,660,111 for FY17	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
12	4/4/16	Concord Public Schools Renovations—Appropriation of \$870,000 from borrowing	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
13	4/4/16	Concord-Carlisle Regional High School Budget—Appropriation of \$20,719,713 as Concord's apportioned share of the FY17 budget	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
14	4/4/16	Concord-Carlisle Regional School District—Landfill Remediation	Failed to Pass
15	4/4/16	School Transportation Facility—Supplemental Appropriation	Passed by Declared Two-Thirds Majority Vote
16	4/4/16	Reconsidering the School Bus Terminal Location (by Petition)	Passed by Declared Majority Vote
17	4/5/16	Minuteman Regional Technical High School District Budget	Passed by Declared Overwhelming Majority Vote
18	4/5/16	Minuteman Regional High School Building Project Approval	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote

19	4/4/16	Free Cash Use--\$1,000,000 transferred from free cash to reduce the tax levy	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
20	4/5/16	Community Preservation Committee Appropriation Recommendations—Appropriation of \$1,480,844 from Community Preservation Fund	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
21	4/5/16	Outdoor Recreational Facilities—Emerson Track	No Motion Made
22	4/4/16	Municipal Building Renovations--\$200,000 Appropriation from borrowing	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
23	4/5/16	Land Acquisition—Ball’s Hill Road	Passed by Declared Unanimous Vote
24	4/4/16	Public Safety Equipment--\$150,000 Appropriation from borrowing	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
25	4/5/16	Cemetery Roadway Infrastructure and Drainage Improvements	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
26	4/4/16	2016 Road Program--\$1,350,000 Appropriation from borrowing	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
27	4/4/16	Road Repair Revolving Fund Expenditures—not to exceed \$140,000	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
28	4/5/16	Nagog Pond Water Treatment Facility, Intake Piping and Reservoir Improvements	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
29	4/5/16	Removal of Parking Meters (by Petition)	Failed to Pass
30	4/5/16	Snow Removal from Sidewalks (by Petition)	Failed to Pass
31	4/4/16	Regional Housing Services Revolving Fund Expenditures—not to exceed \$210,000 for FY17	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
32	4/5/16	Demolition Review Bylaw	Passed by Overwhelming Majority Vote
33	4/4/16	Historic Districts Map Amendment—Hubbardville District	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
34	4/5/16	Zoning Bylaw Amendment—Combined Business/Residence	Passed by Declared Two-Thirds Majority Vote
35	4/4/16	Zoning Bylaw Amendment—Residential Uses	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
36	4/6/16	Zoning Bylaw Amendment—Planned Residential Development Diversity of Dwelling Units	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
37	4/4/16	Zoning Bylaw Amendment—Site Plan Review for Religious Uses, Educational Uses and Child Care Facilities	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
38	4/4/16	Zoning Bylaw Amendment—Flood Plain Conservancy District Boundary	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
39	4/4/16	Zoning Bylaw Amendment—Flood Plain Conservancy District	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
40	4/4/16	Zoning Bylaw Amendment—Agricultural Uses	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
41	4/6/16	Zoning Bylaw Amendment—Limited Business District #2 Principal Use Regulations, Combined Business/Residence & Dimensional Regulations	Passed by Declared Two-Thirds Majority Vote
42	4/6/16	Zoning Bylaw Amendment—Dimensional Regulations & Maximum Floor Area Ration (FAR) for Residence Districts and Nonconforming Single and Two-Family Residential Structures	Passed by Declared Two-Thirds Majority Vote
43	4/6/16	Sign Bylaw Amendment	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote

44	4/6/16	Request to Create a Concord Municipal Light Board Advisory Committee to Analyze Benefits of & Requirements to Implement a Single-Revenue Decoupled Time-of-Use Rate Structure (by Petition)	No Motion Made
45	4/6/16	Bylaw Prohibiting Polystyrene in Food Service Wares (by Petition)	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
46	4/6/16	Request to Create a Net Zero Greenhouse Gas Emissions Goal, Task Force, Funding & Plan (by Petition)	No Motion Made
47	4/6/16	Three-Year Moratorium on the Installation of Synthetic Turf on Town Land (by Petition)	Passed by a Declared Overwhelming Majority Vote
48	4/6/16	Work to Reduce the Sale and Use of Neonicotinoid Pesticides (by Petition)	Passed by a Declared Near Unanimous Vote
49	4/6/16	Unpaid Bills	No Motion Made
50	4/4/16	Debt Rescission (Rescind \$640,000 in unused borrowing authorizations)	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
51	4/4/16	Light Plant Expenditures & Payment in Lieu of Taxes	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
52	4/4/16	Solid Waste Disposal Fund Expenditures	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
53	4/4/16	Sewer System Expenditures	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
54	4/4/16	Sewer Improvement Fund Expenditures	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
55	4/4/16	Water System Expenditures	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
56	4/4/16	Beede Swim & Fitness Center Enterprise Fund Expenditures	Passed Under Article 2 Consent Calendar
57	4/6/16	Bruce Freeman Rail Trail—Phase 2B—Appropriation of \$250,000 from borrowing	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
58	4/6/16	Land Acquisition—Bruce Freeman Rail Trail Right-of-Way	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote
59	4/6/16	Bruce Freeman Rail Trail Easements Over Town Land	Passed by Declared Near Unanimous Vote

Attendance: There were approximately 325 voters in attendance at the first session on Monday, April 4th; 416 in attendance at the second session on Tuesday, April 5th; and 352 in attendance at the third and final session on April 6th. The unduplicated count will be posted at a later date.