

**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
WALTER S. LITTLE AUDITORIUM
BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
166 MT. PROSPECT STREET, BRIDGEWATER, MA 02324
MONDAY, MAY 1, 2006**

The Moderator called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. All postings of warrants was duly noted as required by town by-laws as voted. The Town Clerk swore in the following counters: Paula Lehtola & Michael Tibert. Total in attendance: 88

ARTICLE 1. It was voted to choose all minor Town Officers for the ensuing year.

SURVEYOR OF WOOD & LUMBER

1. Herbert Lemon

FENCE VIEWERS

1. Christopher Delmonte
2. David Hathaway
3. David Moore

SWORN WEIGHERS

Bridgewater-Raynham Sand & Stone

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| 1. Joseph A. Arruda | 4. Jodi A. Kirker |
| 2. Traci E. Arruda | 5. Stephen Reilly |
| 3. Daniel G. Kirker | 6. Nancy Ziomek |

Bridgewater Recycling

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| 1. Joe Alves | 5. James Dumas |
| 2. Mike Byrne | 6. Andrew Lloyd |
| 3. Robert Coffey | 7. David Wagman |
| 4. Ellen DuFour | 8. Ronald Wagman |

Wood's Auto Parts

1. Timothy Castelluzzi
2. Karl Irving
3. Cameron Wood

Passed

ARTICLE 2. It was unanimously voted to hear and act upon the Jury List, Report of Selectmen, Town Accountant, School Committee, Advisory Committee, Treasurer and other Officers and Boards as required by Vote or Bylaw, or as considered expedient to report, and such other matters as the Law or Bylaws require, or the Selectmen consider expedient.

Unanimous

ARTICLE 3. It was unanimously voted to hear and act upon the Report of any committee appointed by the Town and to continue such Committees, as the Town deems appropriate.

- Community Preservation Committee as read by Marilee Hunt to be continued to the next Annual Town Meeting.
- Housing Partnership as read by Stanley Kravitz to be continued to the next Annual Town Meeting

Unanimous

ARTICLE 4. It was unanimously voted that the Town authorize the Treasurer/Collector, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to enter into a compensating balancing agreement or agreements for the fiscal year July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007, pursuant to MGL C. 44, Sec. 53F, added by Chapter 740, Section 1 of the Acts of 1985, amended by Chapter 454 of the Acts of 1989.

Unanimous

ARTICLE 5. It was unanimously voted that the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 2006, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a Note or Notes therefor, payable within one (1) year, and to renew any Note or Notes as may be given for a period of one (1) year, in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Unanimous

ARTICLE 6. It was unanimously voted that the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for, receive and expend grants on behalf of the Town of Bridgewater.

Unanimous

ARTICLE 7. To see whether or not the Town will vote pursuant to MGL Chapter 44, Section 53E ½ to re-authorize all revolving funds in the Town of Bridgewater, or to take any other action relative thereto.

This article continued to Recessed Annual Town Meeting, June 5, 2006

ARTICLE 8. It was unanimously voted that the Town appropriate from time to time monies for resurfacing, improving, constructing and/or reconstruction of Bridgewater streets pursuant to applicable chapter and sections of the Acts of the Legislature, as approved by the Selectmen and the Massachusetts Department of Public Works and to meet said appropriation the Town authorize the Town Treasurer to borrow a sum of money, which amount shall not exceed funds available or to become available to the Town of Bridgewater under any and all state aid construction funds to be used and expended under the direction of the Highway Department with the approval of the Board of Selectmen for the resurfacing, improvement, construction and/or reconstruction of the Bridgewater streets, and to deposit any funds received under State Aid Construction in a separate account to be used to retire the indebtedness for said use; and, in addition thereto, the Town vote to authorize the Town Treasurer to pay any interest on temporary borrowing.

Unanimous

ARTICLE 9. It was unanimously voted that the Town accept the following streets as public ways in the Town of Bridgewater and accept the layouts as public ways of the following streets:

Old Willis Farm Road
Grange Court
Little Pond Circle

or portions thereof, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and to authorize the Board to take by eminent domain, purchase, otherwise acquire, any fee, easement or other interest in land necessary therefore, no appropriation being required.

Unanimous

ARTICLE 10. It was voted that the Town declare five parcels of land located in the Planned Development District (PDD) surplus and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to convey or otherwise dispose of, on terms and conditions to be established by the Board of Selectmen, Town owned real property described as follows:

Map 83, Parcel 49, 50, 51	.25± acres
Map 96, Parcel 1	1.08± acres
Map 96, Parcel 3	15.25± acres

Passed

ARTICLE 11. It was unanimously voted that the Town amend the Fee Structure of the Office of the Town Clerk as shown in the attached **Exhibit A**.

Unanimous

Motion made and duly seconded to recess until June 5, 2006 at 7:30 p.m. at the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional High School.

Meeting recessed 8:10 p.m.

A true copy, Attest:

Ronald R. Adams
Town Clerk