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## SPECIAL TOWN MEETING May 10, 2010

After determining that a quorum was present, the Special Town Meeting was called to order at 7:18 pm by Moderator, Anne Farina. Town Clerk Carol Skerrett read the greetings; a motion was made and seconded to dispense with the reading of the articles, voted in the affirmative, ending with the closing of the warrant and return of service.

**ARTICLE 1.** Motion made and seconded that the Town raise and appropriate by transfer from free cash, the sum of Forty Six Thousand Nine Hundred Sixteen and 61/100 (\$46,916.61) Dollars, to defray the excess expenditures, as authorized for Snow Removal in accordance with Chapter 44 Section 31D of Massachusetts General Laws, in addition to those costs defrayed by the appropriation voted under Article 2 of the Annual Town Meeting of May 11, 2009.

Majority Vote Required Voted in the Affirmative Unamiously

**ARTICLE 2.** Motion made and seconded that the Town transfer from free cash, the sum of Sixteen Thousand Five Hundred (\$16,500.00) and no/100 Dollars for the purpose of paying an outstanding invoice due to Minuteman Regional Vocational Technical School District in Lexington for the Chapter 74 tuition for the 2009-2010 school year.

Majority Vote Required Voted in the Affirmative

**ARTICLE 3**. Motion made and seconded that the Town transfer \$223.99 from free cash for the purpose of paying an outstanding W. B. Mason bill in that amount from 2009.

4/5 Vote Required Voted in the Affirmative Unamiously

**ARTICLE 4**. Motion made and seconded that the Town transfer the sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred (\$3,600.00) and no/100 Dollars from free cash for the purchase of a replacement copier machine for the Town Hall first floor offices.

Majority Vote Required Voted in the Affirmative

**ARTICLE 5.** Motion made and seconded that the Town appropriate Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars from the Community Preservation Committee to pay for additional engineering necessary to cover modification costs of the construction plans for McGovern's Farm Wall to protect the historic integrity of the wall as detailed in the application approved by the Community Preservation Committee on April 29, 2010.

Majority Vote Required Voted in the Affirmative

Motion made and seconded to adjourn the Special Town Meeting of May 10, 2010 at 7:27 pm.

Majority Vote Required Voted in the Affirmative

## **Quorum Certificate**

In accordance with The Town of Dunstable's Town Meetings, Town Elections & Records Bylaw, I hereby certify that the quorum for an Annual or Special Town Meeting is 50 registered voters of the Town of Dunstable.

Total number of voters checked in at the Special Town Meeting of May 10, 2010: 308

Respectfully submitted,

Carol A. Skerrett Town Clerk, CMMC