TOWN OF SAUGUS

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To the Constable of the Town of Saugus

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Saugus, qualified to vote in Town affairs for the Annual Town Meeting at the Saugus Town Hall located at 298 Central Street on May 2, 2016 at 7:30 PM to hear and act on the following articles: viz;

- **<u>Article 1.</u>** To hear and act on reports of Committees.
- <u>Article 2.</u> To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town charges for the ensuing Fiscal Year 2017. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 3.</u> To see if the Town will vote to make supplementary appropriations to be used in conjunction with money appropriated under Article 1 of the 2015 Annual Town Meeting during the current fiscal year, and determine whether the money shall be provided by transfer from available funds; or to see what other action the Town wishes to take in the matter. (Town Manager)
- Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to make supplementary appropriations to be used in conjunction with money appropriated under Article 5 of the 2015 Annual Town Meeting during the current fiscal year, and determine whether the money shall be provided by transfer from available funds; or to see what other action the Town wishes to take in the matter. (Town Manager)
- Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to make supplementary appropriations to be used in conjunction with money appropriated under Article 6 of the 2015 Annual Town Meeting during the current fiscal year, and determine whether the money shall be provided by transfer from available funds; or to see what other action the Town wishes to take in the matter. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 6.</u> To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Water Enterprise Fund for the ensuing Fiscal Year 2017. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 7.</u> To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Sewer Enterprise Fund for the ensuing Fiscal Year 2017. (Town Manager)
- **Article 8.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to be transferred to the Stabilization Fund. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 9.</u> To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize a revolving fund for the purpose of supporting recreational programs for the community. Established fees will be used for the operating expenses in connection with maintaining these programs. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 10.</u> To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize a revolving fund for the purpose of supporting the water system cross-connection program. Established fees will be used for the operating expenses in connection with maintaining the program as mandated by the Department of Environmental Protection. (Town Manager)

- <u>Article 11.</u> To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize a revolving fund for the purpose of supporting programs and activities at the Senior center. Established fees will be used for the operating expenses in connection with maintaining these programs.
- <u>Article 12.</u> To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize a revolving fund for the purpose of supporting the Senior Lunch Program at the Senior Center. Established fees will be used for the operating expenses in connection with maintaining this program. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 13.</u> To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize a revolving fund for the purpose of supporting the Town of Saugus Compost program. Established fees will be used for the operating expenses in connection with maintaining this program. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 14.</u> To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds (FY 2017 Chapter 90 Highway) a sum of money for street resurfacing, handicapped ramps and sidewalks. Said sum will be reimbursed by the Commonwealth under the provisions of MGL chapter 90, Section 34. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 15.</u> To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of funding unpaid bills of a prior fiscal year. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 16.</u> To see if the Town will vote to increase water rates with all receipts to be held within the Water Enterprise Fund to be used exclusively for water expenses, water maintenance, water debt and interest and water improvement programs, or take any other action relating thereto. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 17.</u> To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of funding the construction of the CHARM Center. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 18.</u> To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to borrow a certain amount at 0% interest from the MWRA Local Pipeline Assistance Program for the purpose of designing and constructing improvements to the water pipelines or to take any other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- Article 19. To see if Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for capital improvements to the Town's sanitary sewer system, including the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing from the Massachusetts Clean Water Trust or otherwise; and to take any other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 20.</u> To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer to raise and appropriate by borrowing or otherwise for the purpose of designing & constructing improvements to water pipelines. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 21.</u> To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of vehicles for the police department; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- Article 22. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to pay costs of purchasing fire alarm radio box receiver and all related equipment, and for the payment of all other costs incidental an related thereto; to determine whether this amount shall be raised by taxation, transfer from available funds, borrowing or otherwise, or to take any other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)

- <u>Article 23.</u> To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for purchasing various equipment for town departments, including the payment costs incidental or related thereto; and to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take any other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- Article 24. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for Town Hall interior and exterior remodeling (including, but not limited to stripping and repainting structure, replacing clapboards, trim and facia boards, replacement of down sprouts and gutters, and replacement of slate roof tiles as required), including the payment costs incidental or related thereto; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take any other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- Article 25. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for planning and construction of a drainage and catch basins project on Elm Street, including the payment of costs incidental or related thereto; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take any other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 26.</u> To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for design and repair/construction of Town storm drains, including the payment of costs incidental or related thereto; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take any other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 27.</u> To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the removal of the failed underground storage tank at the Lincoln Avenue Pumping Station, including the payment of costs incidental or related thereto; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take any other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 28.</u> To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for construction and reconstruction of various streets, including the payment of costs incidental or related thereto; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take any other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 29.</u> To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the replacement of the Morris Place Pump Station and improvements to the Bristow Street Pump Station, including the payments of costs incidental or related thereto; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take any action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for inspections, dye water testing, mailings and mapping related to private inflow and infiltration removal, including the payments of costs incidental or related thereto; to determine whether this appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or to take any other action relative thereto. (Town Manager)
- <u>Article 31.</u> To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to raise and appropriate by borrowing or otherwise a sum of money for the purpose of funding the paving of Montgomery Street in Precinct 3. (William Stewart, Town Meeting Member, Precinct 3)
- Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for removal of the thirty inch drain from the North side to the South side of the Elm Street/Saville Street bridge. Also, to install a new drain from the end of Elm Street to the South Side of the bridge. (Jack Perry, 7 Innis Street, Precinct 7)
- <u>Article 33.</u> To see if the Town will authorize the funding from free cash or stabilization fund not to exceed \$17,000.00 to complete the land survey needed to verify if the land located across the river from the cemetery is suitable for the expansion of cemetery grounds for use of burials. (Cemetery Commission)

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Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to raise and appropriate by borrowing or otherwise a sum of money for the purpose of funding the paving of Seminole Street in Precinct 5. (Specifically, that portion of the street beginning at Social Street and continuing down to where the current road paving ends past #14 Seminole Street). (Pamela J. Goodwin, Town Meeting Member, Precinct 5)