# **Annual Town Report for 2016**

# TOWN OF LYNNFIELD



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## **BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

The Board of Selectmen, under the Town Charter, is vested with all executive powers of the Town, except as otherwise provided by the Charter. The Board "shall exercise control over town affairs by recommending major courses of action to the Town Meeting and by setting policies to be carried out by the Town Administrator, and other officers, boards, and commissions appointed by the Board of Selectmen."

The Board also is empowered by the Charter "to enact rules and regulations relating to the conduct of town elections and for the establishment of town policies, not otherwise governed by Statue, this Charter, or By-law, provided, however, that whenever an appropriation shall be necessary to implement such action, the vote of the Board shall be effective only if such appropriation shall be made by the Town Meeting." The Town Charter also invests in the Board of Selectmen the power to make and rescind appointments for various committees and department heads.

The Board of Selectmen has served as the chief executive power in the Town since its establishment as a municipality. Selectmen were originally elected to one-year terms at the annual town meeting. The three-year overlapping term system for the Board was not adopted until the 1950s.

In January, the Board embarked on its annual review of budget requests from Town departments and committees. This year's spending plan submitted to the annual town meeting included a 4.89 percent increase in the operating budget as well as a significant commitment in the capital budget to address aging equipment and maintenance issues. Funding in the operating budget included a \$200,000 commitment to address the Town's OPEB (other post-employment benefits) obligation as well as significant funding commitments to the maintenance of recreational facilities and Town roads and sidewalks.

April also brought a change in Board membership. Selectman Thomas Terranova Jr. decided not to seek re-election after one term. Previously, Mr. Terranova served the Town as a chair and member of the Recreation Commission and as a member of the Finance Committee. The Board thanks Mr. Terranova for his service to the Town. Richard Dalton, a member of the Planning Board, was elected to the Board, and was able to contribute immediately due to his depth of experience in government and the private sector and his familiarity with the Town and its government.

One major Town department underwent plans for a major change in 2016. Fire Chief Mark Tetreault brought to the Board his concerns that the current staffing structure, in which permanent firefighters worked eight-hour daytime shifts Monday through Friday, and night and weekend calls were handled by call firefighters and permanent firefighters returning on overtime. Due to changes in society, this arrangement was taxing both the permanent and call firefighters. The Board supported Chief Tetreault's proposal to change the permanent firefighter operation from an eight-hour, five-day operation to a 12-hour, seven-day operation, as this will provide additional service to the community, ensure faster response time to incidents during the additional hours of full staffing, and relieve the burden placed on both permanent firefighters and call firefighters by reducing the number of call-backs during non-staffed hours. Voters approved the additional funding required for the staffing and the Board worked with the Lynnfield Firefighters

Association to negotiate a collective bargaining agreement that provided for the change in operations.

Major projects also moved ahead during 2016. The Fields Committee, under leadership of Chairman Arthur Bourque, worked on tying up details on the highly successful project at the High School, while continuing its work on other Town facilities. As the year closed, Mr. Bourque and his committee were working on preparing for work to upgrade facilities at the Middle School, the elementary schools, Newhall Park and Jordan Park. Town meeting appropriated funds to make improvements at Glen Meadow Park following an initiative from a parents' group. A comprehensive maintenance plan for Town recreational facilities was the subject of efforts by Mr. Bourque and his committee, the new public works director, and the Recreation Commission.

The Capital Needs Facilities Committee, chaired by Ted Caswell, continued its review of the state of Town facilities and examination of the needs of various Town departments and functions. A full report of the committee's finding is expected in 2017.

The Library Building Committee, another ad-hoc committee appointed by the Board of Selectmen, is chaired by Board of Library Trustees member Russell Boekenkroeger. Town meeting authorized the submission of an application to the state for a grant that would help fund the construction of a new library on a portion of the Reedy Meadow Golf Course site on Summer Street, and also authorized the transfer of that portion of the golf course to the Board of Library Trustees for that purpose.

The Board also hired two department heads in 2016. Town Accountant and Assistant Finance Director Colleen Tam chose to resign due to family obligations only a few months into her tenure. Fortunately, her predecessor, Julianne McCarthy, who left to become Finance Director in the Town of Norfolk, expressed a desire to return to service in Lynnfield. Ms. McCarthy's depth of understanding of the Town's operations and finances and her outstanding record of service ensured that the Town will continue to be well served, and her selection was unanimous. Public Works Director Andrew Lafferty also resigned in 2016, and after a lengthy search, the Board unanimously voted to appoint John Tomasz, incumbent public works director in the City of Salem, to the position. Mr. Tomasz has a lengthy record as a public works director in Massachusetts communities and impressed the Board with his organizational skills and work-tracking methods.

The Board continued to work on all fronts to solve the issue at the former Perley Burrill service station on Salem Street, which has become a nuisance and blight to the neighborhood. The Town proceeded with the taking of the property through the tax title process, and moved to have public safety hazards at the site addressed. As the year closed, the Town was awaiting approval from the state for its asbestos abatement plan in order to have dilapidated buildings on the site razed. The Board thanks the residents of that neighborhood for their patience during this difficult and lengthy process, in which the Board has worked to protect the interest of the neighbors while ensuring the Town will not be exposed to any potential hazardous waste clean-up costs. The Board intends to sell the property through the public bidding process once these items are addressed. While Perley Burrill operated as a commercial venture for decades, that use preceded the adoption of zoning. As the property is situated in a residential zone, that exemption to the zoning has expired, and any future development at that location will be residential in nature.

Voters authorized the Board to sell the Center Farm historic property on Main Street, which had been purchased by the Town in order to preserve this essential part of the historic Town center and prevent its razing or additional development on the property. The Town, through the work of

its Historical Commission as reviewed by the Massachusetts Historical Commission, crafted historic preservation deed restrictions as well as development restrictions, and solicited bids for the sale of that property, which will restore it to private ownership and the tax rolls while guaranteeing its preservation.

Residents and Town officials breathed a sigh of relief when Kinder Morgan withdrew its plans to build a new gas pipeline in the region, a portion of which would have run through Lynnfield. The Board had filed for intervenor status and had opposed the building of the pipeline, while at the same time working with the utility to ensure that if the pipeline were to be built, the impact on the Town and its residents would have been mitigated as much as possible.

The Board also continued to work with residents in Lynnfield and the region to oppose a proposal by Partners Healthcare to, over time, shut down the Union Hospital campus in Lynn. The Board has pointed out that the emergency and trauma services offered at Union Hospital are relied upon by Lynnfield residents to provide essential and easily accessed services. When Partners Healthcare's plans were approved by the state, the Board continues to work to ensure that the Town's needs for access to emergency medical services are addressed.

In 2016, the Town applied for state assistance to two major initiatives as part of the Community Compact program initiated by the state. The Town's application was approved and in December Lt. Governor Karyn Polito and Chairman Philip Crawford signed the Community Compact, in which the Town agreed to adopt best practices in the area of financial management and capital planning, and the Commonwealth agreed to find financial and technical support for these efforts. In the area of financial management, the Board sought proposals from entities that assist municipalities in making the Town's financial information available to residents through the Town's website. The Board awarded a contract to Tyler Technologies, the provider of the Town's MUNIS financial system, to provide the software for this purpose. The Town is using the funds for capital planning to assist the CFAC in its efforts.

At the request of former Veterans Services Director John H. Kimball III, the Board formed an ad hoc Veterans War Memorial Committee. The committee, chaired by Mr. Kimball, will investigate updating the war memorial and possible relocating it within the Town center.

In response to a tragic incident, the Board worked to regulate the burgeoning business of short-term rentals of single-family homes. Town meeting approved a revision to the Town's bylaws prohibiting this practice.

While the Board is deeply indebted to the many Town employees who work so hard on behalf of the residents, the Town of Lynnfield's Open Town Meeting/Board of Selectmen form of government could not be maintained without the countless volunteer hours of its board and committee members. We thank all those residents who are willing to work on behalf of their fellow townspeople. Without your efforts and those of your predecessors, the Town would not enjoy the bright future your efforts have secured.

Respectfully submitted,
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
Philip B. Crawford, Chairman
Christopher J. Barrett, Vice Chairman
Richard P. Dalton, Clerk
James M. Boudreau, Town Administrator
Robert E. Curtin, Assistant to Administration

## **ACCOUNTANT**

A Fiscal 2016 audit of the Town's financial records was successfully completed by Melanson Heath & Co, PC. The Town of Lynnfield has addressed all of the prior year's management comments.

The Town is in compliance of GASB (Governmental Accounting Standards Board) statement 45. GASB 45 addresses other post-employment benefits (OPEB), including medical, dental, and other health—related benefits provided to terminated or retired employees and their dependents and beneficiaries. The actuarial study was updated in fiscal year 2016 and is done on a bi-annual basis. The Town of Lynnfield has created an OPEB Trust Fund in the fall of 2013 and has made annual contributions to the trust.

I would like to thank the many members of the various boards, committees and departments for their support and assistance during the year. Also, my sincere appreciation to my assistant Janice Coburn for all her efforts and commitment. Together we look forward to serving the Town of Lynnfield in the upcoming year.

Respectfully Submitted, Julie McCarthy Town Accountant

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		Appropriation		Transfers O		Encumbrances	
	Carryforward		Transfers In		Expenditures		Returned Surplu
General Government							
Selectmen							
Board Salaries	\$0	\$2,250	\$0	\$0	\$1,400	\$0	\$850
Town Administrator	\$0	\$178,500				\$2,830	
Other Salaries	\$0	\$64,666			,		·
General Town Insurance	\$0	\$512,150					
Professional Service	\$2.800	\$72,000			,		
Expenses	\$711	\$18,000					
Contingency Fund	\$0	\$50,000				\$0	1.,
Selectmen	\$3,511	\$897,566			•	\$2,830	
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Finance Committee							
Other Salaries	\$0	\$3,000	\$675	\$0	\$3,440	\$0	\$235
Reserve Fund	\$0	\$420					
Town Reports	\$0	\$1,800					
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Expenses Finance Committee	\$0						,
Finance Committee	\$0	\$50,220	\$675	φυ	\$5,324	φυ	\$45,571
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Town Accountant		0400 000	04.000	-	000 004		04.046
Accountant Salary	\$0	\$102,000				\$0	
Other Salaries	\$0	\$52,165				\$0	
Expenses	\$0	\$4,255			\$3,657	\$0	
Town Accountant	\$0	\$158,420	\$3,500	\$0	\$156,114	\$0	\$5,806
Board of Assessors							
Board Salaries	\$0	\$11,500					
Other salaries	\$0	\$132,711	\$0			\$0	,
Professional Services	\$0	\$28,800	\$5,000			\$4,900	
Revaluation	\$0	\$9,200	\$0	\$0	\$3,300	\$0	\$5,900
Expenses	\$0	\$11,970	\$0	\$0	\$2,935	\$0	\$9,035
Board of Assessors	\$0	\$194,181	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$161,010	\$4,900	\$28,271
Town Counsel							
Professional Services	\$0	\$75,000	\$0	\$0	\$46,960	\$0	\$28,040
Expenses	\$0	\$2,200	\$500	\$0	\$2,700	\$0	\$0
Town Counsel	\$0	\$77,200	\$500	\$0	\$49,660	\$0	\$28,040
Personnel Board							
Other Salaries	\$0	\$2,874	\$0	\$0	\$411	\$0	\$2,463
Professional Services	\$0	\$2,870	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,870
Expenses	\$0	\$330	\$0	\$0	\$250	\$0	\$80
Personnel Board	\$0	\$6,074	\$0	\$0	\$661	\$0	\$5,413
Conservation Commission							
Other Salaries	\$0	\$79,006	\$1,000	\$0	\$79,127	\$0	\$879
Professional Services	\$0						
Expenses	\$0						
Open Space	\$1,171						
Conservation Commission							
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Planning Board							
Other Salaries	\$0	\$44,231	\$825	\$0	\$44,281	\$0	\$775
Expenses	\$326						
Planning Board	\$326						
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Board of Appeals							
Expenses	\$0	\$2,741	\$0	\$0	\$972	\$0	\$1,769
Board of Appeals	\$0						
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\$0	\$72,844	\$3,000	\$0	\$75,828	\$0	\$16
\$0	\$96,750	\$31	\$0	\$96,781	\$0	\$0
\$0	\$21,240	\$0	\$0	\$16,265	\$0	\$4,975
\$0	\$190,834	\$3,031	\$0	\$188,875	\$0	\$4,990
\$0	\$6,000	\$0	\$0	\$3,535	\$0	\$2,465
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\$0	\$149,700	\$0	\$0	\$120,668	\$17,851	\$11,181
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\$0	\$17,150	\$0	\$900	\$16,250	\$0	\$0
\$637	\$4,900	\$0	\$0	\$4,151	\$0	\$1,386
\$758	\$7,050	\$0	\$0	\$7,291	\$0	\$517
\$1,395	\$138,044	\$1,900	\$900	\$138,408	\$0	\$2,031
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	Carryforward		Transfers In		Expenditures		Returned Surplu
Education							
Treasurer							
North Shore Voke	\$0	\$364,937	\$0	\$0	\$364,256	\$0	\$68
Treasurer	\$0	\$364,937		\$0	\$364,256	\$0	
School Administration							
School Committee	\$0	\$12,449	\$0	\$0	\$12,381	\$0	\$6
Superintendent's Office	\$0	\$343,751	\$0	\$0	\$345,921	\$0	-\$2,17
Business Office	\$0	\$248,342	\$0	\$0	\$251,583	\$0	-\$3,24
Legal Services	\$0	\$60,000	\$0	\$0	\$97,687	\$0	-\$37,68
Administrative Technology	\$0	\$413,536	\$27,361	\$0	\$438,967	\$66	\$1,86
Building Technology	\$0	\$151,769	\$0	\$0	\$147,682	\$0	\$4,08
Attendance & Parent Liasor	\$0	\$1,797	\$0	\$0	\$1,795	\$0	\$
Utilities	\$0	\$7,000	\$0	\$0	\$11,212	\$0	-\$4,21
Maintenance of Buildings	\$0	\$12,000	\$0	\$0	\$14,713	\$0	-\$2,71
Building Security	\$0	\$30,000	\$0	\$0	\$14,864	\$0	\$15,13
Maintenance of Equipment	\$0	\$4,000	\$7,644	\$0	\$15,916	\$0	-\$4,27
Networking and Communica	\$0	\$95,800	\$0	\$0	\$57,955	\$24,704	\$13,14
Technology Maintenance	\$0	\$11,700	\$0	\$0	\$25,836	\$0	-\$14,13
Employee Sick and Vacatio	\$0	\$3,452	\$0	\$0	\$3,452	\$0	\$
Health Insurance	\$0	\$2,332,000		\$0	\$2,332,000	\$0	\$
Unemployment Ins	\$0	\$40,000	\$0	\$3,314	\$16,365	\$3,000	\$17,32
Lease Payments	\$5,027	\$115,500	\$0	\$0	\$140,074	\$0	-\$19,54
School Administration	\$5,027	\$3,883,096	\$35,005	\$3,314	\$3,928,403	\$27,770	-\$36,35
Special Education							
Districtwide Leadership	\$0	\$370,858	\$6,000	\$0	\$370,084	\$902	\$5,87
Classroom Instruction	\$0	\$317,619	\$0	\$2,400	\$310,772	\$0	\$4,44
Teachers & Specialists	\$0	\$188,582		\$0	\$170,243	\$0	
Medical/Therarputic Services	\$1,884	\$201,459		\$60,915	\$186,816	\$0	
Substitutes	\$0	\$108,500		\$0	\$136,125	\$0	
Instructional Aides	\$0	\$68,693		\$0	\$119,397	\$0	
Professional Development	\$0	\$110,300		\$2,294	\$93,915	\$0	
Textbooks	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$
Instructional Equipment	\$10	40000		\$0	53763.81	\$30	
Testing & Assessment	\$880	\$15,000	\$0	\$0	\$16,053	\$0	
Psychological	\$100	\$187,283		\$86,000	\$78,294	\$0	\$23,08
Pupil Transportation	\$0	\$182,677		\$0	\$297,949	\$0	
Programs with Others	\$0	\$410,725		\$85,000	\$649,459	\$0	
Special Education	\$2,874	\$2,201,696		\$236,609	\$2,482,871	\$932	
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Summer Street School							
Principal/School Leadership	\$0	\$338,094	\$2,500	\$3,500	\$333,242	\$0	\$3,85
Principal's Office Technology		\$0	1 / 1	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Classroom Instruction	\$0	\$2,311,031		\$62,000	\$2,246,874	\$0	
Teachers & Specialists	\$0	\$238,322		\$2,500	\$219,678	\$0	
Substitutes	\$0	\$27,000		\$0	\$38,266	\$0	,.
Instructional Aides	\$0	\$179,652		\$0	\$190,557	\$0	
Librarians & Media Center	\$0	\$55,782		\$0	\$58,348	\$0	
Professional Development	\$0	\$92,955		\$0	\$92,955	\$0	
Professional Development S		\$9,700		\$0	\$7,408	\$0	·
Textbooks	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$0	
Other Instructional Materials		\$9,400		\$0	\$8,709	\$0	
Instructional Equipment	\$0	\$1,500		\$0	\$1,049	\$0	
General Supplies	\$14,993	\$77,750		\$0	\$97,753	\$4,595	
Instructional Technology	\$11,812	\$17,500		\$0	\$24,151	φ <del>-</del> ,393 \$0	
Other Instructional Hardware		\$17,300		\$0	\$0	\$0	
Testing & Assessment	\$0	\$1,200		\$0 \$0	\$122	\$0	
Psychological	\$0	\$80,929		\$0 \$0	\$80,595	\$0 \$0	
Health Services	\$69	\$81,968		\$0	\$81,688	\$0	
Utilities	\$0	\$3,800		\$0 \$0	\$4,709	\$0	
Employee Sick and Vacatio		\$8,000		\$0 \$0	\$10,665	\$0 \$0	
Maintenance of Equipment	\$0 \$0	φο,υυυ	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	φ10,005	\$0 \$0	
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Building Technology Principal/School Leadership		\$0 \$113.324	\$6,000	\$0	\$0 \$116.483		
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Classroom Instruction	\$0	\$2,008,158	\$19,000	\$0	\$1,937,758	\$0	\$89,4
Teachers & Specialists	\$0	\$218,269	\$2,700	\$0	\$198,651	\$0	\$22,3
Substitutes	\$0	\$22,000	\$3,000	\$0	\$27,765	\$0	-\$2,7
Instructional Aides	\$0	\$237,536	\$2,000	\$27,000	\$199,493	\$0	\$13,0
Librarians	\$0	\$60,915	\$20,050	\$0	\$78,947	\$0	\$2,0
Professional Development L	\$0	\$92,955	\$0	\$0	\$92,955	\$0	
Professional Development	\$0	\$10,200	\$0	\$0	\$9,714	\$115	\$3
Textbooks	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Other Instructional Materials	\$0	\$8,100	\$0	\$0	\$7,393	\$0	\$7
Instructional Equipment	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
General Supplies	\$2,647	\$79,350	\$0	\$0	\$89,860	\$0	-\$7,8
Instructional Technology	\$554	\$17,850	\$0	\$0	\$15,749	\$0	\$2,6
Other Instructional Hardware	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Testing & Assessment	\$0	\$1,600	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,6
Psychological	\$0	\$89,750	\$0	\$0	\$89,749	\$0	
Health Services	\$0	\$74,984	\$0	\$0	\$75,017	\$0	-9
Utilities	\$0	\$3,800	\$0	\$0	\$6,291	\$0	-\$2,4
Maintenance of Equipment	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Ψ2,
Huckleberry Hill School	\$3,232	\$3,038,791	\$52,750	\$31,000	\$2,945,825	\$115	\$117,8
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ddle School							
Principal's Office	\$0	\$334,238	\$210	\$16,500	\$322,036	\$0	-\$4,
Classroom Instruction	\$0	\$3,812,520	\$47,000	\$0	\$3,770,578	\$0	\$88,
Teachers & Specialists	\$0	\$172,459	\$0	\$19,000	\$120,369	\$0	\$33,
Substitutes	\$0	\$59,505	\$430	\$0	\$50,650	\$0	\$9,
Instructional Aides	\$0	\$322,982	\$11,000	\$0	\$308,636	\$0	\$25,
Librarians & Media Center	\$0	\$78,947	\$0	\$17,500	\$58,348	\$0	Ψ <u>2</u> 3,
Professional Development L	\$0	\$180,014	\$0	\$17,300	\$180,014	\$0 \$0	ψυ,
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Professional Development	\$0	\$12,400	\$0	\$0	\$7,378	\$0	\$5,
Textbooks	\$972	\$34,300	\$0	\$0	\$38,632	\$0	-\$3,
Other Instructional Materials	\$0	\$5,550	\$0	\$0	\$5,689	\$432	-\$
General Supplies	\$709	\$77,295	\$0	\$800	\$68,655	\$0	\$8,
Instructional Technology	\$2,394	\$14,500	\$0	\$0	\$13,712	\$0	\$3,
Other Instructional Hardware	\$0	\$3,300	\$0	\$0	\$2,510	\$0	\$7
Guidance & Counseling	\$0	\$34,156	\$0	\$0	\$34,820	\$0	-\$6
Testing & Assessment	\$0	\$700	\$0	\$0	\$115	\$0	\$
Psychological	\$0	\$167,804	\$0	\$20,500	\$128,288	\$0	\$19,0
Health Services	\$0	\$83,286	\$0	\$0	\$83,248	\$0	
Student Activities	\$0	\$5,830	\$0	\$0	\$4,170	\$0	\$1,6
Utilities	\$0	\$7,000	\$0	\$0	\$7,592	\$0	-\$
Employee Sick and Vacatio	\$0	\$8,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$8,0
Maintenance of Equipment	\$0	\$3,500	\$0	\$0	\$3,190	\$3,170	-\$2,8
Middle School	\$4,075	\$5,418,286	\$58,640	\$74,300	\$5,208,630	\$3,602	-52, \$194,
Wildle College	ψ1,070	ψο, 110,200	φοσ,στο	ψ11,000	ψ0,200,000	ψ0,002	Ψ101,
gh School							
Principal's Office	\$0	\$382,228	\$0	\$0	\$380,762		\$1,
Building Technology	\$0	\$500	\$0	\$0	\$65	\$0	\$
Classroom Instruction	\$0	\$4,592,529	\$90.000	\$81,838	\$4.569.180	\$0	\$31,
Teachers & Specialists	\$0	\$21,000	\$0	\$3,000	\$8,821	\$0	\$9,
Substitutes	\$0	\$36,005	\$0	\$0,000	\$39,981	\$0	-\$3,
Instructional Aides	\$0 \$0	\$147,634	\$0 \$0	\$20,000	\$143,882	\$0 \$0	-აა, -\$16,
Librarians & Media Center	\$0 \$0	\$87,262	\$0	\$0	\$87,000	\$0 \$0	\$
Professional Development S	\$0	\$12,730	\$0	\$0	\$18,023	\$0	-\$5,
Professional Development	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Textbooks	\$0	\$41,147	\$0	\$0	\$33,560	\$1,859	\$5,
Other Instructional Materials	\$502	\$8,550	\$0	\$0	\$6,983	\$0	\$2,
General Supplies	\$0	\$57,893	\$1,394	\$0	\$55,528	\$0	\$3,
Instructional Technology	\$0	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,207	\$0	-\$
Other Instructional Hardware	\$0	\$9,619	\$0	\$0	\$1,508	\$236	\$7,
Guidance & Counseling	\$0	\$351,230	\$60,915	\$0	\$402,515	\$0	\$9,
Testing & Assessment	\$0	\$6,500	\$0	\$0	\$6,912	\$0	-\$
Psychological	\$0	\$88,183	\$0	\$0	\$88,182	\$0	·
Attendance	\$0	\$38,018	\$0	\$0	\$37,726	\$0	\$
	\$0	\$87,638	\$0	\$0	\$88,394	\$0	-\$
	\$0	\$673,013	\$6,000	\$0	\$708,277	\$0	-\$29,
Health Services				\$0 \$0		\$0 \$0	-\$29, -\$5,
Health Services Athletics			\$0		\$19,379 \$8,672	\$0 \$0	-ან, -\$1,
Health Services Athletics Student Activities	\$0	\$13,657 \$7,500	ΦO	ውር			-ა 1.
Health Services Athletics Student Activities Utilities	\$0 \$0	\$7,500	\$0	\$0			
Health Services Athletics Student Activities Utilities Employee Sick and Vacatio	\$0 \$0 \$0	\$7,500 \$8,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$8,
Health Services Athletics Student Activities Utilities Employee Sick and Vacatio Maintenance of Equipment	\$0 \$0 \$0 \$0	\$7,500 \$8,000 \$3,000	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$7,599	\$0 \$0	\$8, -\$4,
Health Services Athletics Student Activities Utilities	\$0 \$0 \$0	\$7,500 \$8,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$8, -\$4, \$12,

		Appropriation		Transfers O		Encumbrances	
	Carryforward		Transfers In		Expenditures		Returned Surplu
Public Works							
Municipal Buildings							
Other Salaries	\$0	\$229,964		\$0	\$225,124	\$0	. ,
Expenses	\$49,591	\$326,000		\$0	\$317,052	\$41,199	
Municipal Buildings	\$49,591	\$555,964	\$0	\$0	\$542,176	\$41,199	\$22,180
School Buildings							
Other Salaries	\$0	\$984,963		\$0	\$886,194	\$2	
Expenses	\$129,528	\$964,490	\$148,000	\$0	\$1,119,426	\$106,487	\$16,105
Energy Supply	\$0	\$699,000		\$20,000	\$630,398		
School Buildings	\$129,528	\$2,648,453	\$148,000	\$20,000	\$2,636,019	\$106,489	\$163,473
Public Works Admin							
Director Salary	\$0	\$105,463	\$5,000	\$0	\$110,060	\$0	\$403
Other Salaries	\$0	\$373,087	\$6,500	\$0	\$368,752	\$0	\$10,835
Expenses	\$3,278	\$9,500	\$0	\$0	\$6,414	\$2,423	\$3,941
Motor fuel/oil	\$3,517	\$195,000		\$64,780	\$90,060	\$13,703	\$29,974
Public Works Admin	\$0	\$683,050	\$11,500	\$64,780	\$575,286	\$16,126	\$45,153
Highway							
Other Salaries	\$0	\$883,012	\$0	\$0	\$823,231	\$0	\$59,781
Expenses	\$14,640	\$893,720	\$0	\$0	\$826,921	\$32,068	\$49,371
Highway	\$14,640	\$1,776,732	\$0	\$0	\$1,650,152	\$32,068	\$109,152
Snow & Ice							
Expenses	\$0	\$120,000	\$0	\$0	\$237,413	\$0	-\$117,413
Snow & Ice	\$0	\$120,000	\$0	\$0	\$237,413	\$0	
Street Lights							
Expenses	\$6,178	\$180,000	\$0	\$30,000	\$137,487	\$17,820	\$871
Street Lights	\$6,178	\$180,000		\$30,000	\$137,487	\$17,820	
Sidewalks							
Expenses	\$469	\$25,000	\$0	\$0	\$16,005	\$0	\$9,463
Sidewalks	\$469	\$25,000		\$0	\$16,005	\$0	
Dubbish Demousl							
Rubbish Removal	¢74.000	£704 000	¢o.	¢25 000	¢705 647	¢2E 200	£404
Expenses Rubbish Removal	\$74,298 \$74,298	\$791,800 \$791,800		\$35,000 \$35,000	\$795,617 \$795,617	\$35,300 \$35,300	
Public Works	\$274,235	\$6,755,999	\$159,500	\$149,780	\$6,574,148	\$249,002	\$223,599
Human Services							
Board of Health	•	****	***	•	<b>^</b>	•	
Other Salaries	\$0	\$84,072		\$0			
Expenses Board of Health	\$163 \$163	\$32,604 \$116,676		\$0 \$0			
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Council on Aging							
Other Salaries	\$0	\$266,037		\$0		\$0	
Expenses	\$0	\$26,949		\$0			
Council on Aging	\$0	\$292,986	\$2,000	\$0	\$283,285	\$0	\$11,701
Veterans Agents							
Director Salary	\$0	\$10,404		\$0			
Veterans Benefits	\$0	\$12,500		\$0			
Expenses	\$0	\$900		\$0			
Veterans Agents	\$0	\$23,804	\$10,500	\$0	\$33,093	\$0	\$1,211
Human Services	\$163	\$433,466	\$13,500	\$0	\$423,126	\$83	\$23,921

		Appropriation		Transfers Ou	ıt	Encumbrances	
	Carryforward		Transfers In		Expenditures		Returned Surplu
Culture & Recreation							
Veterans Agent							
Memorial Day	\$0	\$4,000	\$0	\$0	\$3,405	\$0	\$595
Veterans Agent	\$0	\$4,000	\$0	\$0	\$3,405	\$0	\$595
Library							
Director Salary	\$0	\$77,414	\$21,048	\$0	\$98,462	\$0	
Other Salaries	\$0	\$491,616	\$0	\$6,439	\$470,351	\$0	\$14,826
Expenses	\$239	\$194,620	\$6,810	\$0	\$201,014	\$501	\$153
Library	\$239	\$763,650	\$27,858	\$6,439	\$769,827	\$501	\$14,980
Recreation							
Other Salaries	\$0	\$44,880	\$1,000	\$0	\$45,880	\$0	\$0
Expenses	\$0	\$3,872	\$0	\$0	\$3,091	\$0	\$781
Recreation	\$0	\$48,752	\$1,000	\$0	\$48,971	\$0	\$781
Historical Commission							
Expenses	\$0	\$8,280	\$0	\$0	\$4,560	\$90	\$3,630
Historical Commission	\$0	\$8,280	\$0	\$0	\$4,560	\$90	\$3,630
Cultural & Recreation	\$239	\$824,682	\$28,858	\$6,439	\$826,763	\$591	\$19,986
Debt & Interest							
Treasurer							
Long-term Principal	\$0	\$353,000	\$150.000	\$0	\$503,000	\$0	\$0
Debt-Exclusion Principal	\$0	\$2,009,000		\$0	\$2,009,000	\$0 \$0	
Long-term Interest	\$0	\$186,857		\$0	\$186,430	\$0	
Debt-Exclusion Interest	\$0	\$713,688		\$0	\$713,688	\$0	
Short-term Interest	\$0	\$10,000		\$0	\$18,478	\$0	
Treasurer	\$0	\$3,272,545		\$0	\$3,430,596	\$0	
Tax Collector							
Short-term Interest	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Tax Collector	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$0 \$0	
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Debt & Interest	\$0	\$3,272,545	\$158,605	\$0	\$3,430,596	\$0	\$554
Employee Benefits							
Selectmen							
Other Employee Benefits	\$0	\$4,047	. ,	\$0	\$4,836	\$0	
Selectmen	\$0	\$4,047	\$2,500	\$0	\$4,836	\$0	\$1,711
Treasurer							
Retirement Contribution	\$0	\$2,329,802		\$21,472	\$2,308,330	\$0	
Workers' Compensation	\$0	\$214,451	\$0	\$49,500	\$155,266	\$0	,
Unemployment Compensat		\$41,600		\$0	\$47,133	\$0	
Insurance Benefits	\$0	\$2,721,319		\$100,000	\$2,604,788	\$0	,
FICA Treasurer	\$0 \$23,181	\$367,603 \$5,674,775		\$0 \$170,972	\$403,925 \$5,519,442	\$0 \$0	
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Employee Benefits	\$23,181	\$5,678,822	\$63,972	\$170,972	\$5,524,278	\$0	\$70,725
Grand Total	\$351,105	\$48,431,890	\$1,212,923	\$902,777	\$48,062,368	\$321,369	\$716,199

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Balance Sheet June 30, 2016	<u>-</u>	
ASSETS CASH:		
GENERAL CASH	\$13,634,983	
TRUSTS IN CUSTODY OF TREASURER	\$3,986,617	
PETTY CASH	\$900	\$17,622,50
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ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:	#506.074	
REAL ESTATE TAXES PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES	\$596,274 \$7,065	
MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES	\$202,350	
DUE FROM OTHER Governments	\$60,823	
SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS	\$167,293	
TAX LEINS AND FORECLOSURES	\$376,794	
TAXES IN LITIGATION	\$9,935	
RESERVE FOR ABATEMENTS AND EXEMPTIONS	(\$1,290,741)	
OTHER RECEIVABLES	\$110,377	
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES	\$737,673	\$977,8
PREPAID EXPENSES		
AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR BOND PAYMENT		\$23,531,0
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>L</u>	\$42,131,3
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE		
WARRANTS PAYABLE		\$1,095,1
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PAYROLL WITHHOLDINGS		\$630,2
ACCRUED LIABILITIES		\$254,5
ACCRUED LIABILITIES		\$254,5
ACCRUED LIABILITIES NOTES PAYABLE		\$254,5 \$2,227,9
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE		\$254,5 \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0
PAYROLL WITHHOLDINGS  ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS		\$254,5 \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:	\$276.704	\$2,227,9° \$2,227,9° \$23,531,0°
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION	\$376,794	\$2,227,9° \$2,227,9° \$23,531,0°
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY	\$376,794 (\$687,402) \$9,935	\$2,527,9° \$2,227,9° \$23,531,00
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION	\$376,794 (\$687,402) \$9,935 \$202,350	\$2,227,9° \$2,227,9° \$23,531,0°
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES IN LITIGATION	\$9,935	\$254,5 \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY  TAXES IN LITIGATION  MOTOR VEHICLE  SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS  OTHER RECEIVABLES	\$9,935 \$202,350 \$167,293 \$110,377	\$254,5 \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0 \$59,2
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY  TAXES IN LITIGATION  MOTOR VEHICLE  SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS	\$9,935 \$202,350 \$167,293	\$254,5 \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0 \$59,2
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES IN LITIGATION  MOTOR VEHICLE  SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS OTHER RECEIVABLES  EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES	\$9,935 \$202,350 \$167,293 \$110,377	\$254,5 \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0 \$59,2
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES IN LITIGATION  MOTOR VEHICLE  SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS OTHER RECEIVABLES  EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES	\$9,935 \$202,350 \$167,293 \$110,377	\$254,5 \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0 \$59,2
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES IN LITIGATION  MOTOR VEHICLE  SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS OTHER RECEIVABLES  EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES  FUND BALANCE:	\$9,935 \$202,350 \$167,293 \$110,377 \$737,673	\$254,5: \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0 \$59,2
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES IN LITIGATION  MOTOR VEHICLE  SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS OTHER RECEIVABLES  EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES  FUND BALANCE:  RESERVE FOR ENCUMBRANCES  RESERVE FOR EXPENDITURES  RESERVE FOR EXPENDITURES  RESERVE FOR PETTY CASH	\$9,935 \$202,350 \$167,293 \$110,377 \$737,673 \$325,025 \$1,401,215 \$900	\$254,5: \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0 \$59,2
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY  TAXES IN LITIGATION  MOTOR VEHICLE  SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS  OTHER RECEIVABLES  EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES  FUND BALANCE:  RESERVE FOR ENCUMBRANCES  RESERVE FOR EXPENDITURES  RESERVE FOR APPROPRIATION DEFICITS	\$9,935 \$202,350 \$167,293 \$110,377 \$737,673 \$325,025 \$1,401,215	\$254,5: \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0 \$59,2
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES IN LITIGATION  MOTOR VEHICLE  SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS  OTHER RECEIVABLES  EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES  FUND BALANCE:  RESERVE FOR ENCUMBRANCES  RESERVE FOR EXPENDITURES  RESERVE FOR EXPENDITURES  RESERVE FOR APPROPRIATION DEFICITS  DESIGNATED:	\$9,935 \$202,350 \$167,293 \$110,377 \$737,673 \$325,025 \$1,401,215 \$900 (\$117,497)	\$254,5: \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0 \$59,2
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES IN LITIGATION  MOTOR VEHICLE  SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS  OTHER RECEIVABLES  EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES  FUND BALANCE:  RESERVE FOR ENCUMBRANCES  RESERVE FOR EXPENDITURES  RESERVE FOR APPROPRIATION DEFICITS  DESIGNATED:  CAPITAL ARTICLES	\$9,935 \$202,350 \$167,293 \$110,377 \$737,673 \$325,025 \$1,401,215 \$900 (\$117,497)	\$254,5: \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0 \$59,2
ACCRUED LIABILITIES  NOTES PAYABLE  BONDS PAYABLE  AGENCY ACCOUNTS  DEFERRED REVENUE:  TAX TITLE AND POSSESSION  REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES IN LITIGATION  MOTOR VEHICLE  SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS  OTHER RECEIVABLES  EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES  FUND BALANCE:  RESERVE FOR ENCUMBRANCES  RESERVE FOR EXPENDITURES  RESERVE FOR APPROPRIATION DEFICITS  DESIGNATED:  CAPITAL ARTICLES  SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$9,935 \$202,350 \$167,293 \$110,377 \$737,673 \$325,025 \$1,401,215 \$900 (\$117,497) \$709,575 \$4,796,354	\$254,5: \$2,227,9 \$23,531,0 \$59,2
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Town of Lynnfield Ca	•						
	Carry Forward				Expended	Continuing	Balance
0-1		Appropriation	In	Out		Appropriation	Available
Selectmen							
Prior Year Bills	\$0	\$222	\$0	\$0	\$222	\$0	\$
Bicycle transportation plan	\$4	\$0	\$0	\$4	\$0	\$0	
Saugus river watershed	\$6,250	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$6,250	
Tricentennial Celebration	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$7,812	\$2,188	
Field Progect Enginnerong	\$0	\$250,000	\$0	\$0	\$250,000	\$0	
Medical Bills	\$2,702	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,702	
Preliminary Field Design	\$5,154	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,484	\$2,670	:
Selectmen	\$14,110	\$260,222	\$0	\$4	\$260,518	\$13,810	
Dperations Support							
Copier Town Hall	\$0	\$6,125	\$0	\$0	\$5,548	\$577	
Operations Support	\$0	\$6,125	\$0	\$0	\$5,548	\$577	
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nformation Technology							
Desktop Virtualization	\$17,034	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$17,034	\$0	
Information Technology	\$17,034	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$17,034	\$0	,
Police							
Cruisers 2012	\$15,285	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$15,285	\$0	
Police Computer Mounts	\$0	\$7,100	\$0	\$0	\$7,100	\$0	
Cruisers with Lights 14	\$0	\$36,750	\$0	\$0	\$31,016	\$5.734	
Taser Units	\$0	\$2,450	\$0	\$0	\$1,992	\$458	
SWAT Rife	\$0	\$3,000	\$0	\$0	\$3,000	\$0	
Patrol Rifles	\$0	\$3,000	\$0	\$0	\$3,000	\$0	
Patrol Bycycle	\$0	\$2,820	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,820	
Laser Speed Detector	\$0	\$4,000	\$0	\$0	\$3,500	\$500	
Police	\$15,285	\$59,120	\$0	\$0	\$64,893	\$9,512	,
<b>-</b>							
Fire	Φ0	£10,000	<b>*</b> 0	<b>60</b>	¢0.055	¢1 14E	
Fire Equipment	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$8,855	\$1,145	
Portable/Mobile Radio	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$4,975	\$5,025	
Protective Gear	\$0	\$4,000	\$0	\$0	\$4,000	\$0	
Hoses & Nozzles	\$0	\$5,000	\$0	\$0	\$5,000	\$0	
Portable/Mobile Radios	\$7,618	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,258	\$3,360	
Hose Replacement	\$124	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$124	\$0	
Firefighter Gear	\$4,871	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,871	\$0	
	\$12,612	\$29,000	\$0	\$0	\$32,082	\$9,530	
Schools System -Wide							
High School Expension	\$0	\$45,000	\$0	\$0	\$42,048	\$2,952	;
Computer Acessories 11	\$250,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$250,000	\$0	
Schools System-Wide	\$250,000	\$45,000	\$0	\$0	\$292,048	\$2,952	,
lunicipal Buildings							
Replace Concrete Pad	\$25,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$675	\$24,325	
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Senior Center Carpet  Municipal Buildings	\$0 \$25,000		\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$247 \$922		:
Warnerpar Barraings	Ψ20,000	ψ15,564	ΨΟ	ΨΟ	ΨΟΖΖ	ψ40,002	
School Buildings							
High School Boiler	\$35,000		\$0	\$0	\$27,938	\$7,062	
High School Floor Tile	\$5,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,662	\$1,338	
Summer Street Interior Doors	\$6,781	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,994		
HH Kitchen Ceiling	\$851	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$851	\$0	
MS Library Wall	\$5,000	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$5,000	
High School Interior Doors	\$19,823	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$17,335		
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Eng. Study-Energy Mgmt. sys	\$8,675	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$8,675	
-	\$8,675 \$0 \$58,836	\$15,000	\$0 \$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$5,924 \$56,884	\$9,076	

	Carry Forward				Expended		Balance
		Appropriation	In	Out		Appropriation	Available
Highway							
DPW Garage Repairs	\$0	\$110,000	\$0	\$0	\$68,340	\$41,660	\$0
Pillings pond Improvements	\$0	\$12,500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$12,500	\$0
Small Equipment	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$0
Truck Replacements	\$0	\$110,000	\$0	\$0	\$109,953	\$47	\$0
Vehicle Replacements	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$86,013		\$0
Sidewalk Construction	\$2,213		\$0	\$0	\$2,188		\$0
Truck Replacements	\$767		\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0
Pillings Pond Maint.	\$12,500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$4,087	\$8,414	\$0
Storm Water Compliance	\$6,016	\$0	\$0	\$59	\$5,957	\$0	\$0
Cemetery & Parks	\$21,496	\$332,645	\$0	\$59	\$286,537	\$67,545	\$0
Library							
Library Furniture	\$0	\$13,512	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$13,512	\$0
Feasability Study	\$6,398		\$0	\$0	\$0		\$0
Library	\$6,398	\$13,512	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$19,910	\$0
Recreation							
Consession Stand	\$10,266	\$0	\$0	\$10,266	\$0	\$0	\$0
Consession Stand	\$10,266		\$0	\$10,266	\$0	\$0	\$0
General Fund	\$512,168	\$779,928	\$0	\$10,329	\$1,078,172	\$203,595	\$0
Selectmen							
Fields Project & Building	\$0	\$6,967,308	\$0	\$0	\$943,360		\$0
Selectmen	\$0	\$6,967,308	\$0	\$0	\$943,360	\$6,023,948	\$0
Police							
2 Chevy Tahoe Vehicles	\$30,327	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$30,327		\$0
Police	\$30,327	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$30,327	\$0	\$0
Fire							
South Station Improvements	\$55,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$40,753	\$14,247	\$0
Fire	\$55,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$40,753	\$14,247	\$0
School							
High School Exp. Proj.	\$254,935	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$254,935	\$0	\$0
Schools	\$254,935	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$254,935	\$0	\$0
Municipal Buildings							
Sr. Center Floor Tile	\$453	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$453	\$0	\$0
Sr. Center Waterproofing	\$18,000	\$0	\$0		\$0		\$0
Municipal Buildings	\$18,453	\$0	\$0		\$453		\$0
School Buildings							
Genie Lift	\$150	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$150	\$0	\$0
School Buildings	\$150		\$0		\$150		\$0
Public Works Admin							
Storm Water Compliance	\$8,440	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$8,025	\$415	\$0
Public Works Admin	\$8,440		\$0		\$8,025		\$0
Highway							
Drain Improvements	\$17,169	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$17,169	\$0	\$0
Pillings Pond Improvements	\$7,608	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$7,608	\$0	\$0
Trick Replacements	\$3,774	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,569	\$2,204	\$0
Cemetery/Parks Equip.	\$1,145	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,145		\$0
Highway	\$29,697		\$0		\$27,492		

С	arry Forward		Transfers	Transfers	Expended	Continuing	Balance
		Appropriation	In	Out		Appropriation	Available
Board of Health							
Septic Loan Program Fy 10	\$33,932	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$33,932	\$0
Septic System Loan Program	\$0	\$1,000,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,000,000	\$0
Septic System Loan Program	\$33,932	\$1,000,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,033,932	\$0
Senior Center							
Van	\$0	\$69,916	\$0	\$0	\$67,840	\$2,076	\$0
Library	\$0	\$69,916	\$0	\$0	\$67,840	\$2,076	\$0
Golf Course							
Golf Course Capital	\$6,761	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$6,761	\$0
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Capital Projects Fund	\$437,695	\$8,037,224	\$0	\$0	\$1,373,336	\$7,101,582	\$0
Grand Total	\$949,862	\$8,817,152	\$0	\$10,329	\$2,451,508	\$7,305,177	\$0

# **Expendable and Non-Expendable Trusts**

	Carry	Receipts	Transfers	Transfers	Expended	Balance
	Forward		In	Out		
Expendable Trusts Funds						
Perpetual Care	-\$4,740	\$11,205	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$6,465
Library Trust Funds	\$5,016	\$1,961	\$0	\$0	\$1,239	\$5,738
Legion Memorial	\$3,927	\$39	\$0	\$990	\$0	\$2,976
M.A. Maney Scholarship Fund	\$28,326	\$364	\$0	\$0	\$2,000	\$26,690
L.I.F.E.	\$35	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$35
Lynnfield Tricentennial	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Peabody Memorial	\$25,246	\$469	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$25,715
Kuestenmacher Scholarship	-\$400	\$1,366	\$0	\$0	\$857	\$108
Conservation Land	\$137,702	\$18,625	\$0	\$0	\$2,134	\$154,194
Stabilization Fund	\$1,136,601	\$18,449	\$180,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,335,050
Capital Facilities Maintenance Fund	\$733,307	\$12,792	\$180,000	\$0	\$0	\$1,421,540
OPEB Liability Trust	\$200,373	\$1,513	\$200,000	\$0	\$0	\$393,165
Recreation Capital Trust	\$0	\$61,450	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$201,513
Expendable Trust Funds	\$2,265,393	\$128,233	\$560,000	\$990	\$6,230	\$3,573,189
Non Expendable Trust Funds						
Perpetual Care	\$834,575	\$16,400	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$850,975
Library Trust Funds	\$22,400	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$22,400
Peabody Memorial	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$10,000
Kuestenmacher Scholarship	\$155,152	\$683	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$155,835
Non Expendable Trust Funds	\$1,022,127	\$17,083	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,039,210
Grand Total	\$3,287,520	\$145,316	\$560,000	\$990	\$6,230	\$4,612,399

XES				
Person	nal Property		\$571,599	
Real F	Estate (net of refunds)		\$40,089,579	
Tax L			\$125,282	
	TOTAL PROPERTY TAXES			\$40,786,460
CAL RE				
MOT	OR VEHICLE EXCISE (net of refunds)		\$2,990,617	
PENA	LTIES AND INTEREST			
	Property Taxes	\$41,999		
	Motor Vehicle	\$20,447		
	Leins	\$31,620	004.066	
<del></del>	TOTAL PENALTIES		\$94,066	
PAYN	MENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES		\$537,717	
FEES	†		\$10,800	
RENT	ALS			
1	South Hall/Post office	\$48,039		
- +	South Hall Lower level	\$16,200		
	Parking lot	\$6,500		
- +	Total Rentals		\$70,739	
DEPA	RTMENTAL REVENUE			
DLI 7	Selectmen	\$2,373		
	Assessors	\$368		
	Treasurer	\$68,242		
	Tax Collector	\$22,056		
	Town clerk	\$11,072		
	Conservation	\$101		
_!	Planning Board	\$3,730		
	Board of Appeals	\$3,000	+ .	
- +	Police Fire	\$48,111 \$29,686		
	School	\$81,671		
	Public Works	\$22,071		
+	Cemetery	\$39,185		
1	Board of Health	\$12,235		
	Historical Commission	\$0		
	Zoning	\$1,693		
	TOTAL DEPARTMENTAL REVENUES		\$345,593	
LICE	NSES AND PERMITS			
	Selectmen	\$105,695		
-	Town Clerk	\$13,625		
	Police	\$3,150		
	Fire	\$8,290		
	Zoning Enforcement  Board of Health	\$297,461 \$43,991		
-	TOTAL LICENSES & PERMITS	φ43,991	\$472,212	
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FINE	S AND FORFEITS	0500		
	Town Clerk Police	\$500 \$84,768		
	Library	\$7,023		
t	TOTAL FINES & FORFEITS	φ1,023	\$92,291	
Misc	ELL ANEOLIS DEVENTUES		\$0.272	
	ELLANEOUS REVENUES		\$9,273	
INVE	STMENT INCOME		\$18,189	
	TOTAL LOCAL RECEIPTS			\$4,641,498

INTEGOVERNMENTAL RECEIPTS		
STATE "CHERRY SHEET" RECEIPTS		
Exemption Reimbursements	\$71,367	
State Owned Land	\$40,241	
Unrestricted General Gov Aid	\$958,754	
Chapter 70 School Aid	\$4,089,401	
Veterans Benefits	\$8,038	
TOTAL "CHERRY SHEET" RECEIPTS		\$5,167,801
EXPENDITURE REIBURSEMENTS		
Minicipal Medicaid	\$47,677	
Other State Reimbirsement	\$404	
FEMA Reimbursement	\$0	
TOTAL GOVERNMENT REIMBURSEMENT		\$48,081
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STATE OTHER RECEIPTS		
Local Meals Tax	\$503,980	
Total OTHER RECEIPTS		\$503,980
TOTAL INTERGOVERNMENTAL RECEIPT	S	
SPECIAL REVENUES		
FEDERAL GRANTS		
Teacher Quality	\$26,147	
Title I Reading	\$39,890	
Sped Program Improvement	\$23,813	
94-142 Inclusion Education	\$539,775	
Early Childhood	\$16,401	
School Lunch	\$116,737	
Secondary Transistion System Improvement	\$2,125	
Early Childhood Program Improvement	\$2,000	
Community Emergency Response Team	\$504	
Emergemcy Management Performance Grant	\$9,175	
Bullet Proof Vest Partnership	\$431 -	
Greater Lynn Senior Services	\$3,503	
LSTA "On the Same Page" Grant	ψ3,303	
TOTAL FEDERAL GRANTS		\$780,501
STATE GRANTS		
Arts Lottery	\$4,620	
Election/Pollicg Grant	\$1,093	
E911 Grant	\$25,661	
Bullet Proof Vest-State	\$408	
S.A.F.E. Grant	\$6,953	
Metco	\$257,293	
State Special Ed Reimbusement	\$466,007	
Academic Support Services	\$0	
Enhanced Health services	\$2,970	
Chapter 90 Highway	\$466,479	
Winter Rapid Recovery Road Program	\$61,545	
Sustainable Materials Grant	\$1,000	
Elderly Programs	\$25,137	
Library State Aid	\$15,920	
Library Planning and Design Grant	\$10,020	
TOTAL STATE GRANTS		\$1,345,106

REVOLVING FUNDS			
Cable/Peg Access	\$228,475		
Conservation NOI Fees	\$3,908	j	
Conservation Design Review Fees	\$43,173		
Planning Bd Design Review Fees	\$22,100		
Highway Design Review	\$39,500		
Meadowwalk Consultants	\$23,487		
Law Enforcement Trust	\$0	+	
Insurance Reimb Under \$20,000	\$16,694		
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Athletics	\$26,237		
Activity Fee	\$195,514	+	
Kindergarten Fee	\$257,711		
Community Schools	\$889,557	. – – – – – †	
Book Damage	\$383	+	
After School Homework Prog.	\$4,275		
High School Jazz Band	\$7,335		
School Lunch	\$714,003		
Non Resident Tuition	\$54,000		
Special Ed Parent Adv. Council	\$7,206		
High School Vocal Arts	\$3,165		
Athletic Field Maintenance Revolving			
Technology Replacement Fund	\$19,998		
Recreation	\$322,521		
Board of Health-Flu Clinic	\$27,070		
Council on Aging Programs	\$40,443		
Library Lost Books	\$1,294		
Concerts on the Square at Market St.	\$4,000		
COPSYNC 911 Gift	\$13,500		
TOTAL REVOLVING FUNDS	415,600	\$2,965,548	
RECEIPTS RESERVED FOR APPROPRIATION			
Sale of Real Estate	\$681,466		
Cemetary Lots	\$16,600		
Septic Betterment receipts	\$35,561		
Insurance Reimb > \$20,000			
TOTAL RECEIPTS RESERVED		\$733,628	
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GIFTS Special Education Gift	\$1.506		
	\$1,506		
Wilson Memorial Scholarship	\$23		
Summer St. School Gifts	\$33,979		
Huckleberry School Gifts	\$11,297		
Middle School Gifts	\$2,955		
High School Gifts	\$6,410		
School Arts	\$22,007		
Nurse Substitutes	\$725		
Technology Gifts	\$50		
Italian Program Gift	\$240		
Friends of METCO	\$595		
Library Gifts	\$150		
Tricentennial Celebration Gifts	\$1,500		
Council On Aging Gifts	\$0	<u> </u>	
TOTAL GIFTS		\$81,437	\$5,906,2
TOTAL SPECIAL REVENUES		i	`_ `_ `/ _

CAPITAL PROJECT REVENUES			
Transfers In (Sale of RE)	\$150,000		
MSBA reimbursement	\$0		
Transfers In (bond premium)	\$0		
		\$150,000	\$150,000
EMS ENTERPRISE			
Charges for Services	\$692,957		
Interest	\$34		
TOTAL EMS ENTERPRISE		\$692,991	
GOLF ENTERPRISE	i L _		
Charges for Services	\$740,537		
Interest	\$461		
Transfers In	\$220,000		
TOTAL GOLF ENTERPRISE	<u></u>	\$960,998	\$1,653,989
USTS			
TRUST FUND INVESTMENT INCOME			
Library	\$1,961		
Legion Memorial	\$39		
L.I.F.E.			
Lynnfield Tricentennial	\$0		
Peabody Memorial	\$469		
Stabilization Fund	\$18,449		
Capital Facilities Maintenance Fund	\$12,792		
OPEB Trust	\$1,513		
Conservation Land	\$625		
Kuestenmacher Scholarship	\$2,048		
M.A. Maney Scholarship	\$364		
Cemetary Perpetual Care	\$11,205		
Recrteation Fields Trust	\$596		
TOTAL TRUST FUND INCOME		\$50,062	
TRUST FUND PRINCIPAL			
Conservation Land Fund	\$18,000		
Stabilization Fund	\$180,000		
Capital Facilities Maintenance Fund	\$180,000		
Cemetary Perpetual Care	\$16,400		
OPEB Trust	\$200,000		
Recrteation Fields Trust	\$60,854		
TOTAL TRUST FUND PRINCIPAL		\$655,254	
TOTAL TRUST FUND RECEIPTS			\$705,31
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	Carry	Receipts or	Transfers	Transfers	Expended	Encumbered	Balance
	Forward	Grant	In	Out			
		Amount					
ederal Grants		•					
Bulletproof Vest Federal	\$0	\$839	\$0	\$0	\$839	\$0	\$
Asst, to Firefighters Equip. FEMA	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$
Secondary Transistional Improvement	\$0	\$8,500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$8,50
Title I Reading	\$0	\$64,970	\$0	\$621	\$61,052	\$0	\$3,29
Teacher Quality	\$0		\$241	\$0	. ,		\$
Sped Program Improvement	\$3,175		\$0	\$0		-	\$2,62
94-142 Inclusion Education	\$8,470		\$0	\$0	\$464,261	\$0	\$
Early Childhood	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$16,401		
Early Childhood Program Inprovement	\$0		\$0	\$2,000	\$2,000		
Community Emer. Response Team	\$596		\$0	\$0	\$596		
Emergency Mgmt. Performance Gran	\$3,220		\$0	\$0	\$3,220		\$
LSTA "On the Same Page" Grant	\$0 \$20,770		\$0	\$0	¢2 E61	\$0	¢20.70
Council on Aging GLSS grant  Current Year Federal Grants	\$28,778			\$0 \$2.631	\$3,561	\$0 \$0	\$28,72 \$43,14
Current Year Federal Grants	\$44,239	\$597,748	<b>⊅24</b> 1	\$2,621	\$596,466	\$0	<b>Φ43</b> , 14
State Grants							
Extended Polling Hours	\$6,370	\$1,093	\$0	\$0	\$2,948	\$0	\$4,51
Bulletproof Vest Partnership State	\$0	\$839	\$0	\$0	\$839	\$0	\$
E911Support & Incentive Grant	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$
Emergency Medical Dispatch	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	9
S.A.F.E. Grant	\$0	\$10,153		\$0	\$3,200	\$0	\$6,95
Academic Support	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$0		
Special Ed Reimbursement Fund	\$0			\$0			\$67,21
Racial Imbalance (Metco)	\$0			\$0	\$236,270		9
Enhancing Health Services Grant	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$4,090		9
Sustainable Materials Grant	\$0			\$0	\$1,000		
Chapter 90	\$0	\$572,160	\$422,108	\$0	\$498,199	\$0	\$496,06
Libaray Planning and Design Grant	\$0	\$49,953	\$20	\$0	\$45,757	\$0	\$4,21
Medical Waste Disposal Mini Grant	\$0	\$320	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$32
MEMA reimbursement	\$0	\$109,066	\$0	\$0	\$109,066	\$0	9
Elderly Programs	\$0	\$25,137	\$0	\$0			
Library State Aid	\$76,431		\$0	\$0			\$25,96
Current Year State Grants	\$82,801	\$1,390,371	\$434,611	\$0	\$1,302,530	\$0	\$605,25
Revolving Funds							
Cable PEG Access	\$395,157	\$228,475	\$0	\$0	\$75,110	\$0	\$548,52
Design Review Planning	\$25,299	\$22,100	\$0	\$0	\$18,310	\$0	\$29,08
Design Review Conservation	\$34,757	\$43,173	\$0	\$0	\$38,419		\$39,5
Design Review Board of Appeals	\$18,098	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$6,461	\$0	\$11,63
Market Street Consultants DSR	\$6,666		\$0	\$0	\$24,978	\$0	\$5,17
L.I.F.E. Consultant Fire	\$0			\$0			
Highway Design Review	\$31,270		\$0	\$0	\$2,555		\$68,2
Police Ins Reimb Under 20K	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$0		
Fire Ins Reimb Under 20K	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$0		
DPW Ins Reimb Under 20K	\$8,430		\$0	\$0	\$8,430	-	044.4
Law Enforcement Trust	\$11,110		\$0	\$0	\$0		\$11,11
Athletic Fund	\$67,427		\$0	\$0	\$64,090		\$29,19
Activity Fee Full Day Kindergarten Fee	\$38,885			\$180,000	\$8,501		\$42,69 \$314,73
Book Damage Ch. 88 HS	\$335,558 \$9,270		\$0 \$0	\$278,500 \$0	\$0 \$546		\$8,72
Book Damage Ch. 88 MS	\$1,233			\$0	\$283		\$1,13
Book Damage Ch. 88 Summer	\$955		\$0	\$0	\$0		\$1,14
Book Damage Ch. 88 Huckleberry	\$70		\$0	\$0	\$0		\$1,1
Middle School Afterschool Homework	\$1,413		\$0	\$0	\$3,475		\$2,2
Adult Education	\$0		\$0	\$6,093	\$7,915		<del>,-</del>
Art Works	\$0		\$0	\$25,162			
Extended Day	\$0			\$220,253	\$225,319		\$
Intramurals	\$0			\$6,809			\$
S.O.F.A.	\$0			\$63,410			

	Carry Forward	Receipts or Grant	In	Out		Encumbered	Balance
		Amount					
Support	\$0	\$363,359	\$321,727	\$92,000	\$147,840	\$0	\$445,2
Lunch Program System Wide	\$107,276	\$830,741	\$0	\$0	\$837,409	\$0	\$100,6
High School Jazz Band	\$58	\$7,393	\$0	\$0	\$7,393		\$ .00,0
High School Vocal Arts	\$2,002	\$3,165	\$0	\$0	\$3,828	\$0	\$1,3
School Build Ins Reimb Under 20k	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	. ,-
Non Resident Tuition	\$134,183	\$54,000	\$0	\$0	\$74,022	\$0	\$114,1
Technology Replacement Fund	\$5,355	\$7,969	\$0	\$0	\$10,783		\$2,5
WPAT Setic Sytem Loan Admin	\$500	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$10,5
Board of Health Revolving	\$6,699	\$27,070	\$0	\$0	\$13,106	\$0	\$20,6
Recreation Revolving	\$108,252	\$322,521	\$0	\$0	\$302,395	\$0	\$128,3
C.O.A. Activity Revolving	\$110,170	\$40,443	\$0	\$0	\$23,909	\$0	\$126,7
Athletic Fields Maint. Revolving	\$0	\$19,998	\$0	\$0	\$8,792	\$0	\$11,2
Library Revolving	\$757	\$1,294	\$0	\$0	\$1,521	\$0	\$5
Arts Revolving	\$2,881	\$4,620	\$0	\$0	\$4,407	\$0	\$3,0
Revolving Funds	\$1,463,731	\$3,419,364	\$321,727	\$872,227	\$2,254,391	\$0	\$2,078,2
eceipts Reserved for Appropi	riation						
Sale of Real Estate	\$2,199,288	\$681,466	\$0	\$400,000	\$0	\$0	\$2,480,7
nsurance Proceeds >20K	\$146,621	\$0	\$0	\$146,621	\$0		,,
Wetland Protection	\$59,388	\$3,908	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$63,
Fingerprint Background Checks	\$210	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$
Sale of Cemetary Lots	\$58,990	\$16,600	\$0	\$20,000	\$0		\$55,
Betterments-WPAT Septic Loans	\$315,442	\$35,561	\$0	\$42,626	\$0	\$0	\$308,
Receipts Reserved for Approp.	\$2,779,939	\$737,535	\$0	\$609,247	\$0	\$0	\$2,908,
ft Accounts							
talian Program Gift	\$4,005	\$240	\$0	\$0	\$4.245	\$0	
Technology Gifts	\$50	\$50	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$100	\$0	
Nurse Substitutes	\$2,517	\$725	\$0	\$0	\$3,242	\$0	
Friends of METCO	\$483	\$595	\$0	\$0	\$684	\$0	\$:
Special Education Gift	\$21,725	\$2,616	\$0	\$0	\$6,444		\$17,
Summer St. Gift	\$6,333	\$33,979	\$0	\$0	\$32,534	\$0	\$7,
Hucklebery Hill Gift	\$11,643	\$11,297	\$0	\$0	\$9,147	\$0	\$13,
Middle School Misc. Gifts	\$6,037	\$2,955	\$0	\$0	\$3,873	\$0	\$5,
Wilson Memorial Scholarship	\$4,743	\$23	\$0	\$0	\$1,000	\$0	\$3,
High School Gifts	\$1,001	\$6,410	\$0	\$0	\$7,173	\$0	\$
Jnified Arts	\$4,728	\$22,007	\$0	\$0	\$20,086	\$0	\$6,
Special Ed Parent Advisory Council	\$2,146	\$7,206	\$0	\$0	\$7,500	\$0	\$1,
High School Vocal Arts	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Ψ.,
Partridge Island Improvements	\$2,464	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,464	\$0	
K-9 Private Grant	\$7.296	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,901	\$0	\$3,
Newhall Park Gift	\$0	\$485	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$
Engineering Study-Drainage	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$10.
Parks & Recreation Gifts	\$555	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$
Pillings Pond Improvement Gift	\$3,910	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,
Senior Center Gifts	\$4,982	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$255		\$4,
Model T Preservation Gift	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$10,
_ibrary Gifts	\$5,142	\$150	\$0	\$0	\$4,964	\$0	\$
_ocal History & Genealogy Gift	\$9,771	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$9,
Public Libraries Fund	\$6,986	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,530	\$0	\$5,
ibrary Expansion Gift	\$100,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$100,
Historical Book Proceeds	\$874	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$
COPSYNC911 Gift	\$0	\$13,500	\$0	\$0	\$9,940	\$0	\$3,
Cocerts on the Sq. at Market St.	\$2,200	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,200		
Fricentermial Gift Account	\$6,336	\$1,500	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$7,
J. Rubbico Recreation Gift	\$825	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$
Fire Rescue Equipment Gift	\$178	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$
Early Literacy Gift	\$716	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$716		
Gifts	\$227,646	\$113,738	\$0	\$0	\$121,998	\$0	\$219,

## COUNCIL ON AGING

The sun burst through on this warm June morning as car after car...beautiful antique cars....drove into our parking, lining up side by side in anticipation of our  $10^{th}$  Annual Classic Car Show. Organizers Bill Pappas and Alan Dresios were waiting for these proud car owners and directing them to their parking space. In the end, we had over 60 incredible cars in mint condition on display. The Fire Department even displayed its classic fire truck too! Our van drivers used our vans to run a shuttle to and from Our Lady's Church parking lot for all of our visitors. They shuttled over 500 people to our center for this special annual event. Inside, a DJ was playing doo wop music and people were dancing and enjoying a \$2.00 hot dog lunch. The Friends of the Lynnfield Senior Center were running a Scratch Card Raffle and a Cookie Bake Sale. In honor of our  $10^{th}$  Anniversary, we sold bottles of coke and boxes of Cracker Jacks for 10 cents each. This was a wonderful community event that was enjoyed by all ages.

Another highlight this year was our new "Death By Chocolate Party." Our participants enjoyed an afternoon of all the chocolate they could eat along with chocolate themed games that included chocolate prizes. Admission to this sweet event was none other than a full sized chocolate bar! Once in, visitors enjoyed a beautiful chocolate fountain complete with strawberries, marshmallows and pretzels along with a hot fudge sundae bar and a dessert table that included chocolate mousse cake, cannoli, eclairs, cookies, and double chocolate bread pudding!

In December we held a special Christmas Breakfast with our very own Tap Dancers as entertainment. Over 25 senior tappers dressed up, shuffled and stomped into our big room in beautiful lines to classic Christmas songs. All of us were so proud of this dedicated group who worked so hard to entertain us with their special show.

Seniors continued to be supported by services that are essential to their well-being, including blood pressure checks, flu shot clinics, Medicare support from an on-site SHINE counselor, free tax preparation, daily hot meals prepared by our on-site chef and vital transportation for those unable to drive. Our vans transported seniors to medical appointments, grocery shopping, trips to the pharmacy, library, to the senior center for programs and meals along with weekly day trips.

Trip coordinator Sue Lagorio planned over 100 trips this year, with more than 1,600 seniors traveling with us. Our seniors traveled all over Boston, Maine, the Cape, and New Hampshire visiting scenic landmarks, museums, enjoying delicious restaurants and attending the Boston Symphony.

Assistant Director Debby Triffletti developed an email data base whereby seniors and their families can now receive our newsletter on-line along with notices of changes in our schedule or newly added programs and trips. Over 1100 seniors have signed up for this new service. This generation is definitely not afraid to surf the web!

Respectfully submitted, Linda Naccara Director Lynnfield Senior Center

## **BOARD OF APPEALS**

The Board of Appeals acts under the Zoning By-laws for requests of variances, special permits or site plan approvals. The Board currently meets in the Selectman's Room of Town Hall on the first Tuesday of each month to act on all cases submitted at least four weeks prior to the hearing.

The Board acted on twenty cases and application fee revenue from these Petitions totaled \$1,950.00. The cases were disposed of as follows:

Sixteen cases were granted

Three cases were withdrawn without prejudice

The Board voted to uphold the Building Inspector's decision on one case

Respectfully submitted, BOARD OF APPEALS Thomas Aylward, chairman John Fallon, member Patrick Rondeau, member Brian Shaffer, alternate

## **BOARD OF ASSESSORS**

The Board of Assessors is charged with the valuation of all real and personal property within the town of Lynnfield as well as being responsible for reviewing values upon the request of individual taxpayers or their representative and defending values at the Appellate Tax Board. The Board is also charged with the administration of exemptions and deferrals.

The department valued all of the real and personal property in the town for the Fiscal Year 2017 Recertification and will prepare the Fiscal Year 2018 assessments based on an interim basis. Back in Fiscal Year 2013 the Board began performing a cyclical review of all real estate within the town a task that is on schedule and will be completed by Fiscal Year 2022. This year the department is in the process of updating the GIS and real property valuation software.

For the 13<sup>th</sup> year the Board of Selectmen voted for a split tax rate for Fiscal Year 2016. The residential tax rate was \$14.50 while the commercial rate was \$17.68. The splitting of the tax rate effectively shifts a portion of the tax levy from residential onto commercial properties.

#### APPLICATION PROCESS FOR RECEIVING STATUTORY EXEMPTIONS:

The Town of Lynnfield, through the Board of Assessors, offers several types of exemptions. An exemption is the forgiveness of a portion of one's taxes because physical infirmity or age and an inability to pay taxes or because of military service to the country. Below is a listing of the elderly exemptions. More details on exemptions are available at the Assessor's Office or online.

When an exemption is based on a maximum income, the Lynnfield Board of Assessors is required to verify all sources of income when processing an application for any real estate exemption.

The following lists the documentation needed for the various sources of income and age.

- 1. Supplemental Security Income (SSI) statement
- 2. Pension statement
- 3. Interest from stocks, bond, savings, CDs, etc.
- 4. Tax returns from previous year
- 5. Bank books-savings/checking accounts (as of Dec. 31)
- 6. Rent receipts from rental income
- 7. Birth certificate

Additionally, if a taxpayer's property has been placed in a trust, they must submit a copy of the trust and list of beneficiaries with their application.

Real Estate Exemptions/deferrals available from the Assessors for the Elderly

#### 1. CLAUSE 17E Exemption Amount = \$267.00

#### Eligibility Requirements:

- 1. Widow or minor occupied premises on July 1
- 2. Be at least 70 years of age, and own and occupy premises for the preceding five years
- 3. Total net worth cannot exceed \$60980.00 (Excluding value of principal residence)

#### **2.** CLAUSE 41D Exemption Amount = \$750.00

#### Eligibility Requirements:

- 1. Be at least 65 years old before the beginning of the fiscal year (July 1)
- 2. Own and occupy a principal residence in Massachusetts for ten years. In the year of the application, property must be owned and occupied on July 1 and be the place of domicile for the previous five years.

3. Net Worth: Single person \$48,783.00 Married \$64,310.00

(Excluding principal residence)

4. Total Income: Single person \$25,197.00 Married \$37,794.00

5. Social Security Deductions:

Worker \$4,523.00 Spouse \$2,262.00 Total \$6,785.00

#### 3. CLAUSE 41A (Elderly Tax Deferrals)

What is a Tax Deferral?

A tax deferral permits the postponement of property tax payments. As opposed to an exemption, deferred taxes must eventually be repaid to the Town of Lynnfield with interest.

Under Clause 41A, one enters into an agreement with the Town to defer payment of all or part of the taxes plus 4% simple (non-compounding) interest. The total amounts deferred cannot exceed 50% of the property assessed value.

#### Who is Eligible?

Applicants must be 65 years or older by July 1<sup>st</sup> of the year in which the application is made; must solely own the property on which the taxes are being deferred, or be a joint owner with a spouse, or own property jointly with another person.

#### What are the Requirements?

- 1. Applicants must have owned and occupied any real estate property in Massachusetts for 5 years.
- 2. Resided in Massachusetts for the preceding 10 years.
- 3. Income cannot exceed \$40,000 in calendar year preceding the year of application.

#### How to apply for a Tax Deferral

Contact the Board of Assessors for an application. Clause 41A can also be used in conjunction with an exemption for which an individual qualifies.

Applications under 41A must be filed with the Board of Assessors within three months of the mailing of the first actual tax bill.

## SUMMARY OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXES FOR FY 2016

## A. TOWN of LYNNFIELD

1.	Total Amount to be Raised Total Estimated Receipts and Revenue From Other Sources	\$53,175,152.22 \$12,269,112,87)
	Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation	\$40,906,039.35
2.	Residential Property Valuation	\$2,360,823,073
	Commercial/Industrial Property Valuation	\$345,266,138
	Personal Property Valuation	\$32,228,477
	Total Assessed Value, R.E. & Personal Prop	\$2,738,317,688
3.	Fiscal 2016 Residential Tax Rate:	\$14.50
	Fiscal 2016 Commercial/Industrial/Personal Tax Rate:	\$17.68
4.	Residential Property Tax	\$34,231,934.56
	Commercial/Industrial Property Tax	\$6,104,305.32
	Personal Property Tax	\$ 569,799.47
	Total Taxes Levied on Property	\$40,906,039.35
B.	LYNNFIELD WATER DISTRICT	
1.	Total Amount to be Raised	\$2,061,339.06
	Total Estimated Receipts & Revenue from other Sources	( <u>\$1,326,145.00</u> )
	Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation	\$735,194.06
2.	Real Property Valuation	\$1,063,753,200
	Personal Property Valuation	<u>\$11,492,152</u>
	Total Assessed Value, Real Estate & Personal Property	\$1,075,245,352
3.	Fiscal 2016 Tax rate: Residential \$0.62 Con	nmercial \$0.82
4.	Real Estate Property Tax	\$725,770.50
	Personal Property Tax	\$9,423.56
	Total Taxes Levied on Property	\$735,194.06
C	. LYNNFIELD CENTER WATER DISTRICT	
	1. Total Amount to be raised:	\$1,763,760.95
	Total Estimated Receipts & Revenue from other Sour	
	Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation	\$1,065,095.95
	2. Real Property Valuation	\$1,600,248,755
	Danaganal Duamentry Voluction	\$11.762.249

Total Assessed Value, Real Estate & Personal Property

\$11,762,248

\$1,613,781,736

Personal Property Valuation

#### 3. Fiscal 2016 Tax Rate:

\$0.66

 4. Real Estate Property Tax
 \$1,056,164.18

 Personal Property Tax
 \$8931.77

 Total Taxes Levied on Property
 \$1,065,095.95

#### **D. MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE**

#### 1. MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE COMMITMENTS

Levy of 2016	\$3,106,831.27
Dealer Plates in 2016	\$6,700.00
TOTAL:	\$3,113,531.27

#### 2. MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE ABATEMENTS

TOTAL:	\$214,759.01
Levy of 2013 in 2016	\$1,294.59
Levy of 2014 in 2016	\$562.50
Levy of 2015 in 2016	\$23,222.92
Levy of 2016	\$189,679.00

Please call the Assessors' Office at 781-334-9450, if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted, BOARD OF ASSESSORS Donald P. Garrity, Chairman Bonnie Celi Richard J. O'Neil, Jr.

### CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Conservation Commission has seven volunteer members appointed by the Board of Selectmen for three year terms. The Commission holds public meetings on the third Tuesday of each month, or more frequently if needed. The Commission is staffed by a full-time Conservation Administrator, part-time Conservation Assistant and a Minutes Clerk. Responsibilities include the issuance of permits, ongoing inspection of permitted sites and wetland reviews, providing information and assistance to residents and others about Lynnfield's natural resources and managing Open Space lands.

The Commission's role is to administer and enforce the Wetland Protection Act (M.G.L. C.131 S. 40) and the Town of Lynnfield's Environmental Bylaw and Regulations. These state and local regulations help protect valuable natural resources including Lynnfield's rivers, lakes, marshes, ponds, lands subject to flooding, vegetated freshwater wetlands, riverfront areas, vernal pools and habitats. The Lynnfield Environmental Bylaw protects additional land from development in Lynnfield. The Bylaw's Regulations mandate a 25 foot no disturb zone and 50 foot no build zone measured from the edge of wetlands. Variances may be requested and granted if the Commission finds that literal compliance with the regulations would cause substantial hardship to the applicant.

Any construction project, such as the construction of a house, addition, deck, patio, driveway, septic system installation/ repair, or the alteration of land, such as grading, filling, tree removal, etc. within 100 feet of any wetland resource area or within 200 feet of a perennial river in Lynnfield requires a review and a wetlands permit from the Conservation Commission. Site visits to the proposed project are an integral part of this review with each wetlands application requiring at least one site visit, sometimes more. Since we are a regulatory board, the members work diligently and fairly to issue wetland permits. Commission members contribute a great deal of their time to study and review each project.

Wetlands permits were issued for the following projects in 2016: new home construction at 3 Hilltop, 17 Grayland, 85 Canterbury, and 200 Essex; additions and/or pools at 323 Main, 322 Pillings Pond, 434 Summer, 751 Lowell, Violet Circle, 6 Cranberry, 12 Jordan and 16 Gray; landscaping/wall projects at Sagamore Springs Golf, 5 Hidden Valley and 26 Locksley and septic repairs throughout town. Various other projects requiring ongoing monitoring and oversight by the LCC and Administrator include Grandview Estates, Windsor Estates, Pagos Way and MarketStreet berm. Certificate of Compliances are issued when projects are completed and site visits conducted to assure compliance are MarketStreet, LIFE's Colonial Village, 2 & 38 Broadway, 2 Ryan, 3 Bridal, 5 Timberhill, 6 Timberhill, 7 Tapley, 9 Tapley, 8 Westway, 10 Lookout, 16 Jordan, 26 Hutchins, 344 Essex and 915 Summer. Some of the Enforcement Orders for wetlands violations were issued during 2016 include Boston Clear Water at 165 Lowell, 10 Ryan Road, 205 Edgemere Road, 365 Essex and 25 Fernway.

Various Conservation Subcommittees comprised of Lynnfield volunteers provide the Town with a variety of sponsored events, forums and informational nights. These subcommittees include: Open Space, Pesticide Awareness, Pillings Pond Management, and the Tree Committee. Personal thanks to Patty Fabbri for Chairing the Pesticide Awareness Group whose charge is to limit the use of pesticides on fields and lawns,

while promoting the use of native vegetation. Another Lawncare Seminar was held in the spring of 2016 through Ms. Fabbri's efforts.

The Selectmen and Commission are actively working on the Pillings Pond Management Plan with our goal to improve the pond's water quality by addressing the algae problems that have persisted in the pond. This can be achieved by significantly reducing the nutrient loading and restoring native vegetation. Three current members of the Commission will be working next year to create a short and long term list of goals.

Personal thanks for Jane Bandini for Chairing the Tree Committee and giving tirelessly of her time in raising public awareness of the value of trees within our community, assisting former Tree Warden Andrew Lafferty and current Tree Warden John Tomasz in again obtaining Tree City USA status for Lynnfield; hosting and creating the Lynnfield Arbor Day Celebration in the Spring and making recommendations for tree plantings for Townscape. They have also been extremely helpful in protecting Lynnfield's Public Shade Trees. Again this year the Tree Talk Newsletter, an educational brochure with valuable tree information, was mailed to residents' homes with spring tax bills. The Tree Committee was instrumental in getting Town Meeting approval for the adoption of a Lynnfield Scenic Roads Bylaw in 2015 and designation of the following streets in 2016: Chestnut, Essex, Lowell, Main and Summer Streets. Since the 2010 Open Space and Recreation Plan expires in 2017, a goal of the Administrator prior to her retirement is to get the revised Open Space Plan submitted to the state. Work has begun on designating members of this Committee.

Also, during this year an agreement was reached with Brian Kelly of Kelly Automotive to purchase a 9103 square foot upland portion of Conservation land behind 325 Broadway. The proceeds have been placed in the Conservation Land Fund for the purchase of future land and/or maintenance of other conservation properties. More importantly the sale provides a permanent easement to Bow Ridge Conservation Area and bicycle parking for those residents and hikers and non-motorized trail bikers.

The Commission also oversees open space planning, land management and is the designated Lynnfield board overseeing Lynnfield's Stormwater Bylaw along with the Department of Public Works. The 2010 Open Space and Recreation Plan will be expiring in 2017 and the Commission is actively seeking new member for that Committee. Ongoing repairs and improvements were made to the Partridge Island Boardwalk. Due to the fire at the observation tower, plans are underway for the filing of a wetlands permit to construct a new tower and perhaps a birding platform on the island. The plan is to make improvements to the entranceway to Partridge Island Trail to include pruning/removal of some trees, installing fencing, new signage, kiosk, new stairs with railing and working on the path. With the assistance of Lynnfield Rotary, we are hoping to finish this project by early summer of 2017.

In March of 2016, Conservation Assistant Debby Dunphy resigned after working for the LCC for four years. I would like to thank Debby for her invaluable assistance, technical and organizational skills and dedication. We welcomed Kristin Kent, a Wetland Scientist as our new part-time Conservation Assistant. Kristin has numerous years working for a private consulting firm in the environmental field. Our Conservation Administrator is planning on retiring in Fiscal Year 2018 and we are hoping that Kristin can transition into the Administrator's position. We also welcomed Marlene Clapp as our Minutes Clerk and new member Chris Martone, a new resident to Lynnfield, but very familiar with many of

Lynnfield's natural resources and Open Space areas through his years of avid bird watching. Also in 2016 the Conservation Administrator was on Channel Five's Chronicle at "Skull Rock" in Bow Ridge for a segment entitled "Weird Things in the Woods."

We are truly proud of our dedicated volunteers who enjoy the interaction with town residents to protect our precious environment, observe wildlife in its natural habitat, and preserve our open space areas. We are always looking for volunteers, whether it is for the Commission openings, serving on one of our subcommittees, or simply volunteering for a clean up day or assisting with other projects. We appreciate the community's ongoing support to protect Lynnfield's natural resources. Stop by the Commission's office on the lower level for various informational brochures.

Lynnfield's Town website continues to be a great source of information for all Lynnfield residents (<a href="www.town.lynnfield.ma.us">www.town.lynnfield.ma.us</a>). Anyone interested in volunteering should contact our Administrator Betty Adelson, at <a href="mailto:badelson@town.lynnfield.ma.us">badelson@town.lynnfield.ma.us</a> or call the office at (781) 334-9495.

Respectfully submitted,
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Robert Milano, Chairman
Paul Martindale, Vice Chairman
Don Gentile
Melanie Lovell
Chris Martone
Angelo Salamone
Janice Solomon
Betty Adelson, Conservation Administrator
Kristin Kent, Conservation Assistant

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT

2016 was a busy year for the Lynnfield Fire Department. During 2016 we had a number of accomplishments:

- A new Staffing model was implemented in 2016. Firefighters are now in the stations ready to respond 12 hours a day 7 days a week. This is the most significant change to the fire department staffing in decades.
- Developed specifications and ordered a new class "A" pumper to replace a 1985 Mack pumper, we expect delivery in April 2017
- Hosted a three-day Child Passenger Safety Training class
- In cooperation with the Police Department we completed an upgrade of our Route 1 radio repeater sight
- Evaluated our ambulance billing and ultimately changed our billing contractor
- Evaluated and updated our ambulance billing methods and rates
- Upgraded our fire incident reporting software
- In cooperation with the School Department we put on a mock motor vehicle crash for students to promote post prom safety
- Conducted eligibility testing for new career firefighters
- Awarded Emergency Management and Preparation Grant and SAFE Grant



Firefighter Harry Coukos and Lieutenant Theodore Cohen were presented with the Lynnfield Rotary Club's *Robert MacKendrick Firefighter and Fire Officer of the Year Award*. This award recognizes the firefighter and fire officer who has gone above and beyond the call of duty in serving the residents of Lynnfield.

The Rotary Club also sponsored our first annual <u>First Responders Day.</u> This event gave the community an opportunity to meet and recognize our first responders. The Rotary raised over \$3,000 to be placed in the Fire Department Rescue Fund.

We said to good luck to members who retired, Firefighter Harry Coukos retired from the Lynnfield Fire Department after 25 years of service. Harry was one of our most senior members; his experience and is leadership will be missed.



In 2016 after more than 15 years of service Captain Captain Michael Feinberg moved on to take a position as the Fire Chief for the Town of Nahant. We thank Michael for His service and wish him well in Nahant.

Firefighter Richard Ripley (left) was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant and charged with managing the Department's Fire Prevention Bureau.

The past year has again been a busy year for the Lynnfield Fire Department. n 2016 we responded to 146 fires resulting in \$1,226,354 in direct property loss. Below is a breakdown of fire department responses in 2016

Fires	146	2016 Responses	1866
Overheating	3	2015 Responses	1887
Emergency Medical	1102	2014 Responses	1667
Motor Vehicle Crash	127		
Rescue Extrication	8		
<b>Hazardous Condition</b>	68	Simultaneous Calls	
Service Calls	132	2016 337	
Good Intent	72	2015 257	
False Alarms	202	2014 216	
Sever Weather	4		
Special incident type	2		
Total Responses	1866		

We have already reaped the benefits of our Explorer Program. Explorer David Feinberg was promoted to Call Firefighter/EMT. The Explorer Program introduces young men and women, ages 14-18, to the fire and emergency medical fields. The program has struggled to attract new members so if you know of anyone age 14-18 who might be interested in Firefighting or Emergency Medical Services please send them our way.

Although not as glamorous as the operations side of the fire department, the fire prevention function of the fire department is one of the most important. The Fire Prevention Bureau was very busy this year, conducting inspections, issuing permits, conducting educational programs, determining the cause of fires, and reviewing construction plans to keep our community safe. Although the majority of construction is complete at Market Street, the project continues to keep inspectors busy reviewing plans for new occupancies, conducting acceptance tests and ensuring the fire protection systems are maintained in working order.

One of our more successful initiatives related to community risk reduction is our child safety seat inspection program. Statistically 4 out of 5 child safety seats are installed improperly; a properly installed car seat can literally mean the difference between life and death of a child in a motor vehicle crash. Last year we inspected more than 300 child safety seats.

The Fire Department was again very active in the SAFE program. SAFE is a public education program that reaches out to our high risk groups. SAFE focuses on not just fire safety but also on other aspects of reducing risk to our high risk groups. The very young and our senior populations are the most vulnerable to the dangers of fire.

Ongoing fire department training has been the focus this year. Firefighter Matthew Nichols completed paramedic training while a number of firefighters enrolled in paramedic training. Firefighters attended numerous training programs at the Massachusetts Fire Academy.

With the trend of ever increasing demand 2016 has been a very taxing year for our firefighters. As a combination career/call fire department our members respond to calls all hours of the day and night and then many are expected to perform at their full time job. As the Fire Chief I would like to thank the members of the Lynnfield Fire Department for their continued dedication to the fire department and the community.

Respectfully submitted, Mark W. Tetreault Fire Chief

## **BOARD OF HEALTH**

The Board of Health is charged with the responsibility of protecting the health of the public by adopting health regulations pursuant to Massachusetts General Law.

The following summarizes the activities carried out by the Board of Health in 2016.

The Board of Health (BOH) Office handles many topics under the umbrella of public health. Environmental and public health topics under our purview include Title V septic systems, well permitting, food establishments, tobacco sales, semi-public swimming pools, tanning salons, recreational camps, animal inspections, housing and nuisance complaints, communicable disease investigations and immunization clinics. We also are a mosquito control liaison; and we review environmental-related issues. Lynnfield is also part of the Emergency Preparedness Region 3B Greater Lawrence Coalition and the Medical Reserve Corps Greater River Valley MRC, comprised of medical and non-medical volunteers. Region 3B is also aligned with the newer formed Health & Medical Coordination Coalition (HMCC).

Our staff consists of: One full-time Director; One part-time Admin/Generalist; One Public Health Nurse one day per week; On-call Sanitarian (approximately 8-10 hours per week); Sanitarians by assignment as-needed

Below is our 2016 report of activities along with the associated permitting and inspection summary and milestone achievements. We conclude with Public Health Nurse Report.

#### 2016 Site Fees and Annual Permit Fees Collected by Category

Site specific Title V projects involving fees include disposal system construction permits (DSCP) and soil deep hole observation & percolation testing. Site specific well drilling also requires permitting. Annual permits for operations/activities are listed by category.

	2016	2015	2014
Disposal System Construction Permit	\$22,390	\$23,675	\$26,855
Deep Hole/Percolation Testing	\$11,330	\$11,530	\$15,395
Well Drilling/Installation Total	\$1,100	\$200	\$400
Animal	\$750	\$510	\$525
Food Establishment	\$10,330	\$10,525	\$9,485
Tobacco	\$2,000	\$1,800	\$1,835
Tanning	\$225	\$225	\$225
Semi-Public Swimming Pool	\$650	\$650	\$650
Septic Installer License	\$3,470	\$3,170	\$3,840
Septic Hauler	\$1,700	1,435	\$1,400
Recreational Camp	\$50	\$50	\$100

**\$53,995** Total Combined Categories Collected in 2016 (2015 = **\$53,770**)

# Summary of Activity: Title V Disposal Systems 310 CMR 15:000:

The State Environmental Code, Title V: Standard requirements for the siting, construction, inspection, upgrade and expansion of the on-site sewage treatment and disposal systems and for the transport and disposal of septage.

Title V inspection reports, applications for percolation testing and applications for installations through disposal system construction permits (DSCP) are summarized below.

Title V inspections, by state-licensed inspectors, are required for most real estate transactions. During 2016 approximately 124 Title V inspection reports were submitted to the BOH (compared to 123 in 2015; 142 in 2014 and 138 in 2013 and 125 in 2012). Public records requests are often centered on Title V reports. The BOH has a request in-take form and collects copy charges according to Town policy of .20 cents per page standard, \$2.50 for half-size blueprints and \$5 full size prints.

DSCP Applic	ations R	eceived				
Month	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
January	1	6	5	4	6	1
February	1	1	2	2	3	0
March	6	0	5	3	10	4
April	3	8	7	7	3	4
May	8	9	10	8	12	6
June	11	11	9	7	12	4
July	10	13	9	7	10	9
August	10	6	14	8	8	9
September	9	10	5	7	8	12
October	6	4	8	11	9	16
November	4	3	7	6	11	5
December	2	6	10	6	4	4
<b>Totals:</b>	<u>71</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>76</u>	<u>96</u>	<u>74</u>
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Perc Test App	olication	s Recei	ved			
Month	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
January	0	2	2	5	2	0
February	5	0	3	2	5	1
March	1	3	8	3	5	2
April	6	6	17	6	4	7
May	6	10	7	8	12	7
June	5	7	7	2	6	5
July	8	6	4	7	11	6
August	6	10	5	7	8	6
September	4	3	4	10	7	10
October	4	2	5	6	5	6
November	9	10	8	4	4	4
December	2	4	9	1	3	2
Totals:	<u>56</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>79                                    </u>	<u>61</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>56</u>

# **Animal Inspector**

Animal Inspector Nomination expires annually in April. The Chairman of the Board of Health, Dr. Richard A. Peinert, is the nominating authority. Kristin Esposito McRae and Janice Burke are currently certified by the state for animal inspections (Animal Control Officers (ACOs) are not

funded for animal quarantine orders, thus associated bite/wound cases are handled by the Board of Health). The Animal Inspector has two state roles. One is to issue quarantines in all animal bite cases, both domestic and wild animals, as well as humans. This is to ensure that rabies, a deadly disease caused by a virus, is not found in our domestic animals or passed to people. Each animal quarantined requires a second visit to release the animal when the appropriate time has passed. The second role is to make an annual barn animal survey. This is a requirement from MA Dept. of Agriculture; if an animal-related disease were to come through, the State could quickly contact the owners for danger or instructions. Animal visits are initiated from complaints, quarantine initiations/releases, and "Barn" inspections.

Animal Inspections 2016= 57 2015= 50 2014 = 48 2013=72 Animal Permits 2016=17 2015= 12 2014 = 13 2013=11

# Food Establishment and Tobacco Sales Inspections: 136 Inspections Food Establishments in 2016 (2015 = 161, 2014 = 149, 2013 = 150, and 2012 = 67)

Increase in the number of Food Establishments to approximately 70 (compared to 40 in 2012). Market Street continued to have new food establishments. BOH tasks with Food Establishments include pre-opening plan approvals, annual permitting, routine and follow-up inspections, tracking inspections and schedules, providing food safety information, and keeping current on MA DPH regulations, announcements and FDA guidelines. Inspection of tobacco displays, signs, etc. are included during routine food establishment inspections. Discussion is underway at MA DPH on Food Code revisions.

# **Tanning Salon 2016**

One Tanning Salon Permit, no change from 2015, 2014 and recent prior years.

#### Semi-Public Swimming Pool Permits for 2016

There are two Seasonal Outdoor Pools, 1 Annual Indoor Pool, 2 Annual Whirlpool/Spas, same as recent past years. Each pool is inspected at least once annually.

# Recreational Camp per for 105 CMR 430.000 Inspections

There was one recreational camp permit issued in 2016 and inspected prior to operation, same as 2015. In 2014 there were 2 permits and 3 inspections. Prepared required report for MA DPH.

#### **Housing Inspections per 105 CMR 410.000**

Housing Inspections are conducted by complaint or request. No fee is charged for housing inspections. Housing cases can be time consuming. Fourteen (14) housing inspections were conducted in 2015 which was an increase from recent past years (compared to 2015 = 9, 2014 = 9, 2013=2 and 2012 = 3). The associated "Orders to Correct" were written and sent certified mail. Log kept for tracking complaints received.

## **Emergency Preparedness Regional Public Health Coalition**

#### Region 3B Greater Lawrence and Health and Medical Coordination Coalition

Members of the Greater Lawrence Public Health Coalition are the communities of Andover, Lawrence, Lynnfield, Methuen, North Andover, Wilmington, North Reading, and Reading. Additional efforts were spent in the newer formed Health and Medical Coordinating Coalitions (HMCC) and under a new sponsor International Institute of Greater Lawrence, Inc. (IIGL). Coalition Member Responsibilities (Lynnfield) include:

A. To provide sponsor or coalition staff with all required reporting within designated timetables. B. To meet grant deliverables. C. To participate regularly in all Coalition activities, including meetings.

HMCC required additional time for meeting attendance for formation, foundation, and planning efforts, aligned with Region 3B.

Lynnfield has an Emergency Dispensing Site (EDS) plan in the event of a public health emergency. The EDS is a pre-designated site in the event that prophylaxis, medicine distribution or vaccination needs to be distributed or carried out in the event of a public health emergency. Deliverables this grant year included in part:

Initiated Site Activation call down drill of the EDS and completed spreadsheet of results.

#### **Medical Reserve Corps**

Greater River Valley Medical Reserve Corps is a coalition of medical and non-medical volunteers who are trained and ready to respond to an emergency when called to assist local health and safety officials. The Director attends coalition quarterly meetings to strengthen preparedness goals.

#### **Administrative, Other Activities and Milestones:**

Annual Permit Renewal: Mailing, processing by categories using GeoTMS software;

Deposits: Permit applications, copy charges, etc.

Electronic Databases: Tracking inspections and schedule of permitted Food/Tobacco establishments - format useful for MA DPH reporting requirement;

Track Title V Inspection Sites - using readily available software (Excel);

Track Title V pumping records for sites that are still using cesspools;

Complaint In-Take Form and Tracking Log for Housing, Nuisance, Food & Other;

Animal Inspection and Quarantine tracking;

Request Forms, etc. for public access conveniently located in hallway with drop-box Review Application Form for Building Dept applications that require BOH sign-off;

<u>Building Department Applications</u>: 111 Applications reviewed by BOH in 2016 (compared to 97 = 2015). The BOH does not charge a fee to review Building Department permit applications and plans that require BOH sign-off. In 2015 began tracking the number of associated applications reviewed which totaled 97. There was an increase in 2016.

<u>Sub-Division Applications:</u> The BOH does not charge a fee to review sub-division plans and provide comments to the Planning Board. In 2016, sub-division related activities included reviewing plans for Venuti Way, and Violet Circle information. Perc testing for Janet Way was conducted; septic installation inspections were performed at Parsons Ave.

## **Drought Conditions and Irrigation Well Applications:**

MA Executive Office of Energy & Environmental Affairs issued a press release Dec 9, 2016 regarding drought conditions in the Commonwealth. At BOH office we received an increase in irrigation well permits in 2016 = 11, compared to 2 in 2015.

Sharps Disposal: Household medical waste/sharps collection: BOH with assistance from DPW organized sharps disposal collection in October 2016. Funds were not specifically allocated in BOH or DPW budget, but in order to keep the Town in compliance, the collection was held and bill paid from the BOH budget.

<u>Tobacco</u>: Tobacco sales to minors-compliance checks are conducted by the Health Communities Tobacco Control Program. The FDA also conducts compliance-checks. One retailer had a second offense, paid fine and was subject to 3-day permit suspension set by the BOH at a public hearing.

<u>Budget Summit</u>: Participated in the annual budget summit meeting on December 7, 2016. Presented the many topics under the umbrella of public health. Discussed the need for a modest increase in Professional Services for sanitarian/inspector related duties and the need for capturing sharps disposal collection in one of the Town Department's budget. Anticipate regulatory revisions to the Food Code by the MA Department of Public Health.

# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE Mission Statement

The role of the Lynnfield Public Health Nurse focuses on wellness education, health promotion and disease prevention and makes a difference in the life of the community and its residents. Activities this year carried out by Sandra K. Wilson, RN, included the following:

- 1.) Continued with attendance at monthly meetings of Public Health Nurses of North Eastern Massachusetts at Tewksbury Hospital to keep up to date on changes and protocol mandated by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health
- 2.) Continued with policies and procedures relating to vaccines
- 3.) Online re-enrollment and approval from the Massachusetts Department of Public Health as a provider of vaccine for children
- 4.) Follow-up on communicable disease cases which included:

	2016	2015
Giardiasis	1	1
Group A Streptococcus	0	2
Viral Meningitis (aseptic)	0	2
Brucellosis	0	1
Campylobacteriosis	3	1
Hepatitis B	0	4
Hepatitis C	3	11
Lyme Disease	26	31
Invasive Bacterial Infection	0	1
Legionellosis	0	2
Cryptosporidiosis	1	2
Influenza	11	32
Measles	0	1
Pertussis	0	1
Varicella	1	3
Enterovirus	1	0

5.) Annual Seasonal Flu Clinic was conducted at the Senior Center on 10-7-16.

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health no longer provides influenza vaccine for adults 19 years of age and older starting with 2015 and going forward. The Board of Health Office vaccine-holding refrigerator went out of the proper holding range (dipped below 2.0 degrees Celsius) after the October 7, 2016 flu clinic which prompted the Health Director to consult with the MA Department of Public Health which deemed the remaining vaccine unsuitable. Therefore future clinics were not held at Town Hall.

6.) Attendance at the 21st Annual Massachusetts Immunization Action Partnership Skills Building Conference in Marlborough, Massachusetts in October 2016.

- 7.) Usage and periodic updating of the Massachusetts Virtual Epidemiologic Network (MAVEN), a web based disease surveillance and case management system that enables MDPH and local health to capture and transfer appropriate public health, laboratory, and clinical data efficiently and securely over the internet which was mandated by the State Office of Health and Human Services on June 14, 2012.
- 8.) Preparation for usage of the MIIS. MIIS is a statewide computerized system that collects and stores basic immunization information for people who live in Massachusetts. It is a secure and confidential system that is required by Massachusetts law. It is a system that is available for people of all ages to make sure that everyone is up-to-date with their shots and that records are available when needed such as when emergency medical help is needed.

Respectfully submitted, Kristin Esposito McRae, RS, Director of BOH Office BOARD OF HEALTH Richard Peinert, MD, Chairman Gail Link McCausland, DMD, Member Rocco A. Iocco, DMD, Member

# HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Under Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8D, the Historical Commission is responsible for "the preservation, protection and development of the historical or archeological assets of such city or town."

Duties of the commission include conducting researches for places of historic or archeological value, cooperating with the state archeologist in conducting such researches or other surveys, coordinating the activities of unofficial bodies organized for similar purposes. The commission may advertise, prepare, print and distribute books, maps, charts, plans and pamphlets which it deems necessary for its work. For the purpose of protecting and preserving such places, it may make such recommendations as it deems necessary to the selectmen and, subject to the approval of the selectmen, to the Massachusetts Historical Commission, that any such place be certified as an historical or archeological landmark. It shall report to the state archeologist the existence of any archeological, paleontological or historical site or object.

The commission may hold hearings, may enter into contracts with individuals, organizations and institutions for services furthering the objectives of the commission's program; may enter into contracts with local or regional associations for cooperative endeavors furthering the commission's program; may accept gifts, contributions and bequests of funds from individuals, foundations and from federal, state or other governmental bodies for the purpose of furthering the commission's program; may make and sign any agreements and may do and perform any and all acts which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes of this section. The commission may acquire in the name of the city or town by gift, purchase, grant, bequest, devise, lease or otherwise the fee or lesser interest in real or personal property of significant historical value and may manage the same.

Respectfully submitted, LYNNFIELD HISTORICAL COMMISSION Steven Todisco, Chairman Faith Honer Coakley Stephen Richard Shelley Lynch

# LIBRARY

2016 was a transformative year at the Lynnfield Public Library with new staff members joining the library and several aspects of library services being enhanced, all with an emphasis on being a 21<sup>st</sup> Century Public Library. Much of the year was spent focusing on submitting a Construction Grant application to the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners (MBLC) for a new library building.

During the year, the library continued to be a well-utilized community resource with over 300 patrons using the facility each day. To accommodate the demand for services, collections, and programming, the library made several adjustments and enrichments during the year, including;

#### Collections:

- Addition of a Grab n' Go Collection, an eclectic mix of fiction and non-fiction titles about current events and books made into movies--no holds can be placed on these items.
- Addition of an Adult Graphic Novels collection.
- Addition of Electronic Resources including Weiss Ratings (Financial Ratings and consumer guides), ArtistWorks (Streaming Music & Art lessons) and Comics Plus (electronic Comic Books and Graphic Novels).
- Usage of our in-library genealogy database AncestryLibrary Edition increased 13% from 2015 to 2016. Our patrons performed 10,652 searches for genealogical information on AncestryLibrary Edition!
- Increase in the use of our e-magazine collection from 269 checkouts in 2015 to 500 checkouts in 2016.
- Video games were added to the Children's and Young Adult departments.
- Numerous new sections were created, including themed picture books and manga, and various collections were moved in the Children's Department to better serve patrons needs and to make better sense of the space.
- A Collection Analysis was completed, providing a roadmap for collection management.
- Reference books were consolidated to open up fifteen shelves for expansion of the Large Print collection.
- Over 24% of the adult non-fiction books purchased for the library were in direct response to patron requests.
- 110,815 physical items were checked out/renewed.
- 5.823 e-books were borrowed.

#### Programs:

• During 2016, the library offered 372 youth programs ranging from storytimes to large-scale events. Youth program attendance was 7,676, an 85% increase from 2015.

# **Types of Programs:**

# **Family Events**

- Boo Bash
  - The first annual Boo Bash was a spooky success! We had face painting, a Halloween craft, a photo booth, a "Brain Bar" (decorate a brain cupcake) with "Brain Brew" (pink lemonade), spooky music, and a costume contest! 48 kids and 56 adults were in attendance.
- o Harry Potter Party
  - The first annual Harry Potter Party was a huge success! This party saw 72 kids and 49 adults attend. Every child that completed each of

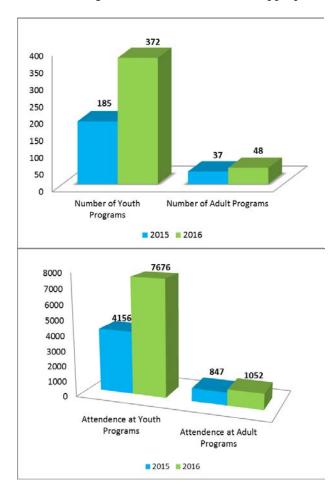
program activities had their name cast into the Goblet of Fire for their chance at Harry Potter-themed prizes. With the success of this program, the library will offer it again next December.

# **Storytimes**

O Weekly storytimes on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings. Friday storytimes are a new addition at the request of our patrons. Our average storytime attendance is 32 patrons per session.

#### Afterschool

- O Every school-day afternoon for the middle-schoolers and high-schoolers we offered additional tables for studying/socializing, various crafts to enjoy, and video games to play. Our average afterschool attendance is 23 kids.
- Attendance at Adult Programs was 1052 in 2016, a 24% increase from 2015. In 2016, with financial support from the Friends of the Lynnfield Library, the library offered 48 adult programs featuring guest lecturers on topics from home roasting coffee to men of song and workshops on wide ranging topics such as food and floral centerpiece arrangements, Tai Chi, and wool applique.



### Community Partnerships:

 Several programs were held in partnership with community groups, including the Lynnfield Mom's Group, Lynnfield Flower Workshop, Village Home & Garden Club and Lynnfield Art Guild

- The library was present in the community through participation in community festivals, public schools events, teaching classes at the High School, and presentations to community organizations.
- Artwork created by Lynnfield High School students was displayed at the library during February and March.
- Essex Society of Genealogist continues to provide volunteer genealogy research support throughout the year.
- The Friends of the Lynnfield Library held fundraisers and continued to provide support to the library.
- Over 300 food items were collected during our annual Food for Fines program. Donations were given to Haven From Hunger in Peabody, MA.
- Ten teen volunteers devoted over 110 hours of community service to the library in 2016.

#### Library building:

- Community forums were held, gathering input on the plans for the new library building.
- The building received a fresh look with paint, new youth furniture, and reorganization of the children's room.
- Throughout the year information about and related to the Building Project was added to the Library's website under the Building Project section to keep the Lynnfield community up-to-date with forum announcements, warrant articles, timelines, and news.
- At the April Town Meeting, the community approved the preliminary schematic designs for the new building and approved the submitting of a construction grant application to MBLC.
- At the October Town Meeting, the community voted to approve a portion of Reedy Meadow as the site for the new library, transferring custody of the land to library trustees for a new building.

#### Technology:

• New technology was introduced, including: Chromebooks, tablets for kids, early literacy station, digital displays, charging cables, and video gaming equipment.

#### Services:

- We continued our Homebound Delivery Service to bring library resources to patrons living in Lynnfield who are unable to visit the library in person.
- Starting in March, the Library began accepting credit card payments online for fines, lost items and other charges.
- During National Library Card Sign-Up Month in September, we offered free replacement cards and encouraged new patrons to sign up for library cards. In total, we replaced 51 library cards and registered 48 new patrons throughout the month. During 2016, the library had 405 library card registrations. 72% of Lynnfield Residents hold a library card.
- Social media presence increased in 2016 with 575 Facebook followers and 1,030 patrons subscribing to the monthly email newsletter and calendar.
- A total of 821 passes to local museums and attractions were borrowed through the library Museum Pass Program (sponsored by the Friends of the Lynnfield Library), an increase of 8% from 2015. Each of our four most popular museums, Museum of Fine Arts, Museum of Science, New England Aquarium and Peabody Essex Museum, saw over 100 uses. Patrons saved an average estimate of \$23,842.00 (and possibly as much as \$37,807.00) on admission to the 13 participating museums and attractions.
- The Reference Department answered 11,003 patron questions: an increase of 13% from 2015. The majority of our transactions occurred in the library with one-on-one interactions with our patrons; we also answered a substantial number of questions via

phone and e-mail.

• We added 4,373 items to our Adult Collections, 55 gift items to our Adult Collections, 1,527 items to our Youth Collections and 61 gift items to our Youth Collections

#### Personnel:

- Library Director Nancy Ryan retired and Holly Mercer started at the library as the new Director.
- New staff members joined the library with the hiring of a new Head of Youth Services, the promotion of a staff member to Head of Circulation, and hiring of a new Circulation Assistant.
- Two staff continuing education days were held and regular Department Head meetings occurred.
- During the year, the Winter Storm Policy was updated and the Emergency Procedures Plan was completed.

#### **Board of Library Trustees**

Robert D. Calamari, Jr., Chair Faith Honer-Coakley, Vice-Chair Russell Boekenkroeger Rich Mazzola Janine Saldanha

### **Library Staff**

#### Administration:

Holly Mercer, Library Director Samantha Cabral, Assistant Director and Head of Public Services Patricia Nutile, Administrative Assistant and Secretary, Board of Trustees

#### Youth Services:

Jonathan Nichols, Head of Youth Services Pam Griswold, Children's Assistant

#### Reference Services:

Patricia Kelly, Head of Reference Services Irene Gorevitz, Reference Staff Librarian Marilyn Graves, Reference Staff Librarian Kathe Landergan, Reference Staff Librarian

#### Technical Services

Laurel Toole, Head of Technical Services Pauline Silva, Technical Services Librarian

#### Circulation Services

Katherine Decker, Head of Circulation Services Megan Doyle, Circulation Assistant Jane Doherty, Circulation Technician Allison Gallagher, Circulation Technician Dawn Mayerson, Circulation Technician Margaret O'Keefe, Circulation Technician Beverly Lenehan, Circulation Technician

# Circulation Technician Substitutes

Mary Kraft Nathalie Lilley Christine Rutigliano

# Library Pages

Barbara Camann Vicky Fitzgerald Josephine Hilty Nathalie Lilley Abby Zarakovich

# **Library Building Project Committee**

Russell Boekenkroeger, Chair and member of the Board of Trustees Board of Selectmen – liaison – Christopher Barrett Board of Appeals – liaison - Brian Shaffer Planning Board – liaison - Heather Sievers Finance Committee – Christopher Mattia Holly Mercer – ex-officio Members-At-Large - Steven Todisco, Ted Caswell, Nick Connors

Respectfully submitted, Holly Mercer, Library Director

<sup>\*</sup> The list is based on year end data.

# PLANNING BOARD

The Planning Board consists of five elected members serving overlapping terms. The Board acts on behalf of the townspeople as steward of the Zoning Bylaws and Subdivision Control Laws and oversees the Master Plan.

<u>Subdivision Control Law M.G.L. Ch. 41, §81K-81GG regulates the construction of ways which</u> are not public ways. Among other things, the purpose of subdivision is to protect the safety, convenience, and welfare of the inhabitants of the cities and towns by regulating the layout and construction of ways which provide access to the lots within the subdivision. From time to time the Planning Board amends "Rules and Regulations of the Planning Board Governing the Subdivision of Land in Lynnfield, Massachusetts".

Zoning Bylaw "The Zoning Act" M.G.L. Ch. 40A was enacted in 1975 to facilitate, encourage and foster the adoption and modernization of zoning ordinances and by-laws by municipal governments; and to establish standardized procedures for the administration and promulgation of municipal zoning laws. From time to time the Planning Board submits Zoning Bylaw amendments for inclusion in a town warrant for adoption at Town Meeting. The effective date of is the date of town meeting adoption. The Attorney General's Office receives the adopted article(s) for review and approval.

Master Plan MGL 41 §81D A planning board established in any city or town under section eighty-one A shall make a master plan of such city or town or such part or parts thereof as said board may deem advisable and from time to time may extend or perfect such plan. The plan shall be a statement, through text, maps, illustrations or other forms of communication that is designed to provide a basis for decision making regarding the long-term physical development of the municipality. The comprehensive plan shall be internally consistent in its policies, forecasts and standards, and shall include the following elements: (1) Goals and policies statement, (2) Land use plan, (3) Housing, (4) Economic development, (5) Natural and cultural resources, (6) Open space and recreation (7) Services and facilities, (8) Circulation and (9) Implementation program element.

The Definitive Subdivision Plan entitled "Violet Circle" creating 2 lots was approved. At the request of the owner the board approved the rescission of "Georgie's Way" a two lot subdivision, reverting to one lot, 16 Essex Street. Three Approval Not Required plans were approved: A plan creating six residential lots, one fronting on Broadway (Rte.1) and five fronting on Green Street; a plan crating two new lots at 55 & 57 Locust street; plans submitted by the town for 165 and 183 Summer creating a lot for the library and 385 Broadway for purchase by Brian Kelly of Kelly Automotive Group who provides, across the property, a permanent easement and parking spots for trail bikers and hikers to access the Bow Ridge Conservation Area.

The Board held a public hearing on eight zoning amendments on the April Town warrant, recommending all for adoption at town meeting. The October Town Warrant included two warrant articles. The Board held a public hearing and voted to recommend adoption to Town Meeting. The Attorney General approved the April and October articles.

In addition, the Board reviewed and made recommendations on Board of Appeals cases requesting special permits/findings.

The Master Plan Subcommittee, formed early in the year, comprised of three board members, Heather Sievers (Chair), Alan Dresios and Michael Sheehan and Board of Selectmen liaison Richard Dalton. Over the year the subcommittee met monthly and compiled information from town boards and committees on their current and future expectations.

During the past year the Board met several times with National Development to discuss the progress of Market Street which included screening, safe pedestrian crossing and consultant review and payment. The Board received numerous consultant Design Standards compliance reports on façade, signs and lighting of individual retail, office and restaurant businesses. The Board amended the Design Standards for Market Street to include roll down shades under the sign section.

Over the year the Board discussed the Scenic Road Application, intersection fence and shrub regulations and future projects.

Respectfully submitted, PLANNING BOARD John W. Faria, Co-Chairman Alan K. Dresios, Co-Chairman Heather T. Sievers, Vice Chairman Charles B. Wills, Clerk Michael Sheehan

# POLICE DEPARTMENT

The Lynnfield Police Department has continued its plan to modernize the department. Two new cruisers were purchased to replace vehicles that exceeded the mileage ceilings. A new interview room was designed and completed. This allows our detectives to tape record interviews for criminal prosecutions. A five-year plan to replace aging copper wire with fiber optic cable began in 2016. This will provide greater capabilities to our networks while limiting atmospheric interference prevalent in older communication technology. The Lynnfield Police Department with the assistance of Lynnfield resident Daniel Macintyre created The Emergency Responders Information Network (ERIN). This program gives us the opportunity to tailor our response protocols to any individual based on special needs or circumstances. The Lynnfield Police Department wishes to thank Mr. Macintyre for his assistance on this critical matter.

The year 2016 saw some encouraging crime statistics. Overall, reported crimes were down 10%.

Crimes against property	-6%
Theft from a motor vehicle	-20%
Larcenies	-30%
Counterfeiting/forgery	-60%
Malicious destruction of property	-1%
Robbery	-400%
Burglary/breaking and entering	-36%
Total crimes against property	-24%
Operating under the influence	-46%
Liquor law violation	-25%
Crimes against persons	-31%
Simple assault	-31%
Aggravated assault	-43%

# Total crimes against persons

2015	58 crimes
2016	40 crimes

Chief Breen wishes to thank the members of the Lynnfield Police Department, community groups, business owners, and residents of Lynnfield for their efforts to reduce crime and increase public safety.

Respectfully submitted, David Breen Chief of Police

# 2016 Roster

**Chief of Police** 

David J. Breen

Captain

Karl Johnson

**Sergeants** 

Sean Donovan David Mayerson Louis Trapasso Nicholas Secatore

Al Scotina

**Patrol Officers** 

Sean Kilroy Stephen Conley Mark Bettencourt James Caponigro Steven O'Connell Scott Fitzemeyer Anthony Hnath Michael Topping Bryan Materazzo Raymond Barnes Jared Provost Patrick Curran

Jonathan Duzz

Canine

Ace

**Dispatchers** 

Maura O'Brien Diane Williams Michael DiCorato Kimberly Smith Jonathan Santos Charlotte Peterson

**Crossing Guards** 

Carol Kilroy Phyllis Rao

**Matrons** 

Carol Kilroy

**Chief's Administrative Assistant** 

Paul Donovan

# **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

To the honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of the Town of Lynnfield, I hereby submit the following annual report of the Department of Public Works for the period covering January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016.

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of the Lynnfield Department of Public Works is to maintain all roadways, drainage infrastructure, parks, cemeteries, schools, municipal facilities, fleet, and street lights in a cost effective and environmentally sensitive manner for the short and long-term benefit of the residents and the environment.

#### INTRODUCTION

The Lynnfield Department of Public Works employs 44 full time staff, 16-20 seasonal employees in the summer and has an annual operating budget of \$7.51 million dollars for FY2017. The FY17 DPW Capital Budget, approved by Town Meeting, included \$1,506,409 for Town equipment and infrastructure improvements.

The Department divides its multiple responsibilities for the management, maintenance and operations of the Town's infrastructure among five Divisions: Administration, Facilities Maintenance, School Building Maintenance, Highway, and Cemeteries/Parks & Trees.

#### **REPORTS BY DIVISION:**

#### **HIGHWAY:**

The Highway Division of the DPW provides for the maintenance of all town roads, sidewalks, public path ways, municipal and school parking lots, fencing and guard rails. In addition to the normal surface repair of roads and sidewalks, the Highway Division is responsible for the clearing of snow, sand, litter and other unwanted debris from public ways and facilities. The Division also maintains our brooks and streams by keeping them clear of debris to flooding. The Highway Division maintains the Pillings Pond Dam spillway area and control boards, which regulates the elevation of the pond when needed.

The Highway Division has more than 77 miles (250+ lanes miles) of roads and 91.3 miles of sidewalks that it must maintain.

Calendar year 2016 continued to be a very busy year for paving. The Town received \$423,192 (FY17) from the state as our apportionment of Chapter 90 funding in June. To supplement Chapter 90 funds, \$500,000 from the DPW Operating budget was added to the street resurfacing program.

The following is the list of street work accomplished in 2016:

- Perry Ave (Main Street to Ford Ave.) Raised castings, repaired apron & topped.
- Ford Ave. Raised castings, repaired aprons, topped and sidewalk repairs.
- Windsor Road Raised castings, repaired aprons, topped and sidewalk repairs.
- Candlewood Road (Perkins Lane to Hart Road) Reclaimed, bindered, installed bit. curb, granite curbing on corners, loamed-seed & handicap ramps.
- Driftwood Lane (Wildwood Drive to Birch Road) Drain repairs, reclaimed, bindered,

topped, aprons, installed bit. curb, granite curbing on corners, loamed-seed & handicap ramps.

- Grey Lane (Chatham Road to #25 Grey Lane) Drain repairs, reclaimed, bindered, installed bit. curb, granite curbing on corners, loamed-seed & handicap ramps.
- Hidden Valley Road (Salem Street to End) Drain repairs, reclaimed, bindered, installed bit. curb, granite curbing on corners, loamed-seed & handicap ramps.
- Lowell Street (Goldenrod Lane to North Hill Drive) Drain repairs, milled, bindered, installed bit. curb, granite curbing on corners, loamed-seed & handicap ramps.
- Maiden Lane (Hart Road to End) Drain repairs, reclaimed, bindered, installed bit. curb, granite curbing on corners, loamed-seed & handicap ramps.
- Perkins Lane (Chestnut Street to End) Drain repairs, reclaimed, bindered, installed bit. curb, granite curbing on corners, loamed-seed & handicap ramps.

Handicapped ramps were also installed at: Main Street at the Middle School, Summer Street at Knoll Road, Main Street at Summer Street and Main Street at South Common Street.

#### **CEMETERIES:**



During the past year there were 31 interments at Forest Hill Cemetery and 6 at Willow Cemetery. During this same period there were a total of 49 new graves sold at Forest Hill and no graves sold at Willow Cemetery.

Forest Hill Cemetery consists of approximately 10 acres and Willow Cemetery is 5.5 acres. The Department is responsible for maintaining headstones, cutting grass, caring for shrubs, trees, and plantings in an effort to keep our cemeteries looking beautiful.

### SNOW & ICE:

Public Works is responsible for clearing over (250) lane miles of roadway and (20) miles of the Town's 91 total miles of sidewalks along with four school parking lots and five municipal building parking lots which includes Post Office Square. In addition, the DPW is responsible for snow removal from roofs of all its schools and municipal buildings if the conditions warrant it and clearing all avenues in both cemeteries.

In addition to these storms the Department was called upon to go out several nights and early mornings to treat the roadway to insure they would be safe for the public and school students when the commuter hour arrived. Total expenses to control snow and ice operations ran above the Town's annual appropriation of \$120,000. The total cost for snow and ice for FY2016 was \$186,454.

# PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS:

The DPW is responsible for maintaining over 60+ acres of public open space, comprising of six playgrounds and/or tot lots; four parks; the grounds around municipal buildings, school buildings; 4 basketball courts, 11 tennis courts, 1 outdoor running track, 2 football fields, 12 baseball/softball diamonds, 5 multi-use playing fields used for soccer, field hockey, and lacrosse. This maintenance includes irrigation wells and systems for most of these fields.

The Lynnfield High School artificial turf fields which included a football field, two soccer fields, a softball field and baseball field were fully operational this year starting around April through to the last week in November. This complex which also includes the Amenities Building and Press Box was fully operational. The concession area was run by the Lynnfield Athletics Association. The Department of Public Works is responsible for maintaining these new fields and the associated facilities. The Town established a fund during the 2015 Fall Town Meeting, to set aside fees collected to be used for maintenance of the fields once a Maintenance Agreement was put in place with the Recreation Commission.

Construction on Newhall Park and Glen Meadow Park started late in the fall of 2015. This project was under the direction of the Fields Committee Chairman Arthur Bourque with assistance of the DPW and was completed during the summer of 2016. The work for Newhall Park includes new infield mix, dugouts, fencing, reconfiguration of the parking lot, resurfacing and improvement of one tennis court and some drainage improvements. The removal of one tennis court was required to allow for additional parking. The work for Glen Meadow Park started late in the fall of 2015. The work for Glen Meadow Park included new infield mix, new turf on entire baseball field, new dugouts, fencing around entire field and new bleachers.

#### **FORESTRY/TREES:**

Public shade trees continue to be a challenge within the DPW. Many of the Towns shade trees are in need of significant pruning work and in many cases require removal. In addition, the DPW evaluates numerous trees and locations to determine whether trees were public or private and whether they were considered hazardous. Public Works continued to work on improving the urban forest with assistance from outside arborists.

The DPW has continued its road clearing program on several streets where we remove brush and tree overgrowth that has encroached into the right of way with a roadside cutter.

# **SOLID WASTE / RECYCLING:**

The Public Works department is responsible for managing residential solid waste collection and disposal services for approximately 4350 residential households along with the recycling and recovery program that includes the annual collection of residential household hazardous waste.

During fiscal year 2016 the town collected and disposed of the following amounts from curbside collection:

- 4384 tons of solid waste (trash)
- 502 tons of co-mingled plastics/glass
- 613 tons of mixed paper
- 162 TV monitors
- 79 appliances
- 19 lawnmowers/grills
- 24 AC units and dehumidifiers
- 19 other large items

The Town's waste disposal is currently handled by Covanta in Haverhill. The tipping fee increases every year and was increased to \$74.00 per ton on July 1, 2016 (FY17). This results in a cost of over \$311,147 this fiscal year to dispose of the Towns unrecyclable trash.

Public Works held its annual Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day in November at no additional cost to Lynnfield Residents. This event again was very successful in which 215 residents took part in. People were able to dispose of chemicals, oil base paints, TV's, propane tanks, pesticides and many other hazardous materials at this event. The cost to sponsor this once-a year-event is around \$8,000.

The Town Recycle Yard sold 746 permits for yard waste disposal during 2016 as residents are able to dispose of yard waste including leaves and brush.

### **SCHOOLS:**

One of the missions of the DPW is to provide the Town of Lynnfield with a high degree of quality service in custodial services, maintenance, and improvements to our schools. We are committed to protect the town's investment in the renovations of all our school facilities. With the school building projects completed now for more than 12 years the DPW has the responsibility to maintain these facilities to an acceptable condition. The DPW has been working on inventorying all the key custodial equipment for replacement in the future. Some of the equipment is over 30 years old. Moving forward a replacement plan will be defined to help improve the equipment and efficiency of the custodial staff.

#### **MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS:**



One of the many functions of the Public Works Department is to maintain our municipal buildings and facilities. The Department maintains which includes daily cleaning seven active town buildings and two inactive town buildings along with the parking lots and grounds that surround these buildings.

### **GENERAL NOTES:**

Along with the various projects undertaken by the Department of Public Works this year, the following miscellaneous activities occurred:

- Continue to work with organizations, committees and residents by supporting community events including: Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony, Concerts on the Commons, numerous sponsored road races, parades and individual block parties held throughout the year.
- Continued to act as the lead community for the Tri-Town Consortium of which Lynnfield is a part of. The Tri-Town Consortium consists of a three representative towns which contracts for road construction services annually. We renewed the contracts for over 20 items, such as street sweeping, bituminous paving, catch basin cleaning etc. This will save each of the Towns of Lynnfield, Middleton and North Reading a considerable amount of money as we use these similar services.
- Conducted two Medical Waste Collection Days during the year in conjunction with the Board of Health.

#### <u>DEATHS</u>

The Department would like to acknowledge the untimely death of Richard Peabody, a dedicated employee, in February 2016.

### FROM THE DIRECTOR

I feel fortunate to have been hired as DPW Director for Lynnfield in November 2016. Commencing work at the start of snow season is always a challenge but I was impressed by the dedication and commitment of the employees in snow removal and salting especially in meeting the expectations and demands of the residents which are continually increasing.

Maintenance of the High School Field Complex and other fields is a priority and plans are in place which utilizes in-house and contractor services and should improve the quality of field maintenance along with extending the useful life of the fields and facilities. Multiple groups were able to schedule and use the facility and the DPW was responsible for general cleanup and grooming of these fields in addition to the other fields in town. DPW crews maintained fields, parks, and town and school grounds throughout the summer, along with summer help. We also started to focus on tree maintenance and removal of hazard trees throughout the Town. This will continue to be a priority in the DPW as our crew improves their skills and equipment to better serve the town.

Moving forward the DPW has implemented plans to improve work scheduling, tracking activities completed along with man-hours required for each assignment. The DPW is always looking into ways to better improve efficiency and services using technology in all aspects of our work. Some of the areas of focus are work order systems for fleet maintenance and other service requests. We are also looking at improving our monitoring of building systems to better understand the Town energy usage and ensure we are responsibly managing our utilities. The DPW is working on updating older equipment to help us improve our efficiency and dependability. There are numerous areas we will be looking at to improve our services and create a more professional Department of Public Works.

None of these projects or accomplishments could have been done without the hard work of all the staff and crews in the DPW. Their dedication, late nights, and behind the scenes work enables the Town to continue to function regardless of the time or weather and their efforts are sincerely appreciated.

Respectfully submitted, John Tomasz, P.E. Director of Public Works

# RECREATION COMMISSION

## **Board Members as of January 1, 2016**

Matt Monkiewicz - Chairperson
Bob Relihan – Vice Chair/Fields Chair
Frank Morelli – Treasurer
Terri Farrell – Secretary
Rich Sjoberg – Program Chair
Rod Boone – Member
Frank Delisi – Member (resigned September)
Michael Cuddy Member (since October)
Julie Mallett – Co-Director
Joe Maney – Co-Director

The enclosed report is an outline for the Lynnfield Recreation Commission (LRC). The information includes an overview of all programs and events sponsored by the LRC in the year 2016.

# **Annual Tree Lighting & Gingerbread House Contest:**

The annual Tree Lighting was held on Saturday December 3 on the Lynnfield Commons. The tree lighting is combined with an annual Ginger Bread House decorating contest. The LRC works with the Girls Scouts to provide this outstanding community event. The majority of the work is done by the LRC but efforts of volunteering are demonstrated by the Girl Scouts of Lynnfield. This year's event was another great success as Lynnfield Recreation updated their Santa display into a mall scene. With Kevin Julian's help a new modern scene was created with a new chair, decorations, lighting, custom sleigh, etc. This year we also added a new update switch. The Recreation paid the Priestleys to take pictures of the kids with Santa courtesy of Lynnfield Rec. The support of the Centre Congregational Church and the efforts of many volunteers help to make this day possible. The dedication and support of the Police and Fire Departments are greatly appreciated. It was a pleasure working with Chief Breen and Chief Tetreault. Also, the LRC is grateful for the selectmen's time and would like to acknowledge Chris Barrett for his service as Master of Ceremonies. Lastly, the Lynnfield High School Music Department also plays an important role in the day as singers who perform and lead the group in a community sing-a-long.

#### **Father/Daughter Dance:**

The annual Father/Daughter dance is sponsored by the LRC for girls in grades 1-6. The event was held at the Four Points Sheraton. The couples enjoy an evening of dining, dancing and a professional portrait is taken as a keepsake. The overall count for 2016 was around 480 in attendance.

## **Recreation Station Early Drop Off:**

This is a program that we added a few years ago in response the community need. Parents could sign up their kids to be dropped off an hour early at 8:00 a.m. so they can make it to work in time.

### **Recreation Station:**

This program is the most successful event for the LRC. The Recreation Station Program was held at the Middle School this year. The program runs from 9:00 a.m.—noon on weedays. The program started the week after school gets out. It ran for approximately six weeks. This is a highly sought after program as it has a tremendous value for the quality. With over 20 years of

experience running this program, Louise Ferullo oversees all aspects of the day to day operations, as well as program ideas and implementation. The program hires several paid councilors, volunteers, Director and Co-Director. This is a self-funded program with arts and crafts, music, fun Fridays and a decided philosophy to play as in days gone by where children can play freely with friends in a secure and safe environment. Over 350 children are enrolled in this program.

#### **Recreation Station Jr:**

This program is for children entering Kindergarten. A safe environment is provided for the children to develop social skills and meet new friends. This program took place at the School offices this year. The program runs on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9-12 starting the week after July 4 and runs for approximately 5 weeks. There were 51 children enrolled for 2016 and the program Directors were teachers, Traci Ross and Kristen Lorentzen. We had a wait list for this program this year.

#### **Summer Excursions:**

We ran trips on Tuesdays Wednesday & Thursdays for children in grades 4 and up. Some of the places we went were Patriots Place, Fenway Park, Sky Zone, Kings, the movies, Sunapee NH and the Beach. They were very well received.

#### Flag Football:

This is a program through North Shore Flag Football. The program is designed to provide a well-organized, entertaining and educational sports program for youth athletes. It is for kids from ages 5-14. They are provided with the flags as well as official NFL Jerseys. They play on Saturdays at the High School for approximately seven weeks ending with a "super bowl." It was very well received with over 150 boys and girls signed up.

#### **Concerts on the Common – Games:**

We provided children's during the Concerts on The Common again this year. It was very successful and we are looking forward to working with Rotary again this year.

#### **Lynnfield Middle School Early Release Trips:**

This has been running for a few years now. The first Wednesday of the month we would take a group of middle school kids to different places. The children are released from school at 11. The bus would pick them up at the middle school and also drop them off at the middle school at 2pm. Some of the places we went were DIS, Chunkys and Sky Zone. This is a very popular program with wait lists.

#### Easter Egg Hunt at MarketStreet

We teamed up with MarketStreet to conduct an Easter Egg hunt on the Green. The weather was perfect which attracted and overwhelming number of participants.

#### **Mother Son Bowling**

We teamed up with Kings and had another very successful Mother Son Bowling event. On two consecutive Sundays boys in grades 1-6 can enjoy a morning of bowling with their Mom while enjoying food and drinks.

#### Learn to Skate at MarketStreet

We ran two learn to skate programs for children ages 3 and up. They took place on Sunday mornings and Monday afternoons. It was a great success.

# **Golf Program at Reedy Meadow**

We run a golf program that takes place right after recreation station ends. The children that signed up would stay at LMS for lunch then would be walked over to Reedy Meadow for their lessons. The parents and children loved this program.

#### **Concerts on the Square at MarketStreet**

Teaming up with MarketStreet we put on concerts on Thursdays from 6:00 p.m. -8:00 p.m. through the months of June, July and August. It was a lot of fun and a great family event. We put on 12 concerts.

#### **Boys & Girls LAX Skills**

This was a program we ran at the HS during the summer. It was a great way for children to try the sport or work on improving their skills. It was very well received.

## **Trips**

This year we were excited to be able to run some trips. We ran a trip to SkyVenture, Kimball Farms, New England Sports Park, CoCo Keys, 5 Wits and more!

### Kiddie Kat Jam & Summer Flag Football

We offered these 2 programs using Thundercat Sports this summer. They ran at the high school and we received great feedback. We will be offering these again this upcoming summer.

#### Karate at Cervizzis Studio

We team up with Cervizzis Studio to offer children in grades 1-4 a Karate program. The kids really enjoy it and we plan on continuing our partnership.

#### **Soccer Tots**

This year we offered a soccer program for children ages 3 and up. This was created in response to a community request. It was well received with 17 children signed up. We will offer it again next spring.

### **Elementary & Middle School Track**

Sports Zone ran this program in the Fall & Spring. They use the middle school track one day a week. This is a very popular program.

#### Elementary & Middle School Ski Club

We run this program for children in grades 3-8. For six weeks we take the kids to Bradford to ski or snow board and/or take lessons. This is an extremely popular program and usually fills up very quickly.

The Lynnfield Recreation is very excited to of had another very successful year. We are working hard to build up the department according to the wants and needs of the community. We have so many more programs in the works and are looking forward to growing even more in 2017!

Respectfully submitted, Julie Mallett Director of Recreation

# SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

#### **Preschool**

Respectfully submitted by Kara Mauro, Director of Special Services

Lynnfield Preschool has successfully established a professional learning community at the Summer Street School. The Preschool currently operates with four integrated classroom sessions, with students grouped by age. Our three year old students participate in morning sessions, with our four year old students participating in the afternoon. Extended day options are available on an individual basis, with needs identified in individualized education programs. Our students benefit from access to additional resources to meet all student needs, including an Occupational Therapist, Physical Therapist, Speech and Language Pathologists and Music Therapists. Curriculum directors and administration continue to consult with all teachers/therapists at the preschool level as they work collaboratively to support the implementation of mastery learning objectives as outlined in the *Massachusetts Curriculum Framework*. The Lynnfield Preschool maintains a working relationship with local Early Intervention Programs and private preschools to ensure that all students have access to appropriate screening and services as determined necessary by early childhood providers. Through our registration process, our teams work to create balanced classes with a focus on age, gender, peer models and opportunities for specially designed instruction.

# **Summer Street School**

Respectfully submitted by Gregory Hurray, Interim Principal

Summer Street School is comprised of 474 students in grades PreK-4 with over 70 committed and dedicated faculty and staff. We have 22 classrooms K-4 with 2 integrated preschool classrooms. All four of our kindergarten classrooms are full day programs. We welcomed several new faculty members to our roster this year: Ms. Kerin Bakst, Preschool Teacher; Ms. Emily Babon, Speech and Language Therapist; Ms. Marisa Cappadona, Special Educator; Ms. Laetitia Cardone, Kindergarten Teacher; Ms. Tracy Caron, Preschool Teacher; Ms. Beth Gasinowski, Physical Education Specialist; Ms. Heather Fogarty, Speech and Language Therapist; Ms. Kristin Hager, First Grade Teacher and Ms. Kathleen Stevens, Second Grade Teacher.

The elementary schools have outlined three goals in our 2016-2017 School Improvement Plan. The first goal is to begin implementation of the *Understanding By Design (UbD)* model to support continuous development and instructional excellence. Professional learning committees have been meeting to develop a consistent Preschool-Grade 12 Understanding By Design model to enhance teaching and learning. Vertical articulation will allow educators to provide an optimal learning experience for all students, while engaging in professional development focused on high expectations and continuous improvement for professional practice. This intentional process will provide immediate data for all educators to best meet the needs of all students to enhance teaching practices and improve student achievement. Our second goal is to improve and enhance vocabulary instruction. Following the work completed through the 2015-2016 School Improvement Plans, teachers in Preschool-Grade 12 will implement a continuum of instruction for teaching vocabulary. Best practices for vocabulary instruction and assessment will be discussed, modeled and implemented across all disciplines. Lastly is a goal designed specifically for Summer Street School, namely to expand and improve inclusive practices and collaboration within the general education classroom to provide greater access to all learners. This has been a major focus all year long. The entire staff participated in professional development workshops on inclusive practices throughout the fall. Four teams of teachers – one each in grades 1, 2, 3, and 4 agreed to participate in a co-teaching pilot program that had a general education teacher and a special education teacher forming a close partnership and collaborating extensively around all aspects of curriculum, instruction, and assessment. As part of a program review by two outside consultants, these teams received extensive feedback and coaching. Administrators discussed – and will summarize for the staff – the full report prepared by the consultants on ways to continue to develop and expand inclusive practices at Summer Street School. As part of our effort, we have restructured our grade-level assessment meetings to include focused discussion of differentiated instruction and other strategies that will allow us to better meet the needs of all learners.

This past summer, teacher representatives, curriculum directors and administrators met for three days to discuss ways to improve professional development for teachers in the Lynnfield Public Schools. The result was a new process by which teachers would be provided time to collaborate with colleagues and create products or action items that would directly and immediately impact student learning. These opportunities would be known as "Collaborative Learning Experiences." The process begins with teachers viewing a list of proposed topics generated by their colleagues. Teachers then join a group they're interested in and the work begins. Teams are provided faculty meeting time to work with their CLE group to plan and create their final product. The parameters of the CLE are that their topic and eventual product need to align with both the Lynnfield Public Schools' District Strategy and their respective School Improvement Plan, and the final product must be designed to impact student learning. CLE teams are provided with three hours for formalized collaboration to complete their product. The fourth hour is for teachers to share their CLE product in small groups with colleagues from other CLE groups. Final products are shared with all teachers digitally. The final products describe the rationale for their CLE and how it can be implemented to improve their practice and enhance student learning.

Our Specialists continue to work collaboratively with classroom teachers to provide opportunities for students to make connections across all domains. Classroom teachers are co-planning a variety of units with the Specialists to ensure that learning in the classroom is reinforced through the Arts, Music, and Physical Education so that we are providing a well-rounded educational experience.

When we close our doors in June, we will have no retirees. We will welcome back all of our faculty and staff.

## **Huckleberry Hill School**

# Respectfully submitted by Brian Bemiss, Principal

The Huckleberry Hill School has a population of 422 students in grades K-4. Our school has over 60 faculty and staff members committed to providing our students with the very best instruction and supervision. We have 21 regular education classrooms K-4, one classroom providing specific programming needs for multi-age students, one classroom that services students with special needs grades K-4 and the student support program which provides individual and small group instruction and support for students in grades K-4. This is our first year of tuition free, full day, Kindergarten.

Huckleberry Hill is happy to welcome three new staff members this year. Ms. Chambers is a first grade teacher. She has worked at HHS for the past two years as a long term substitute and a literacy tutor. Ms. Chambers received her Bachelor's in Elementary Education from Boston College Medicine from North Adams State and is certified in Physical Education, and her Master's in Education from Lesley University. Ms. Nicole Hyde-Bradford was hired as a special

education teacher to lead our Student Support Program. Ms. Hyde-Bradford holds a Bachelor's degree from Hofstra University and a Masters in Special Education from Gordon College. Our third new hire splits her time between the Summer Street School and HHS. Beth Gasinowski is the newest member to our Physical Education staff. She earned a Bachelor's in Biology and Sports

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Our specialist programs, Music, Library/Media, Art and Physical Education, continue to be an integral and vital aspect of our school culture. Students look forward to, and identify their day with which specialist they will have. The specialists work collaboratively with the classroom teachers to discuss student progress and seek to incorporate concepts studied in the classroom with units of study in their respective area.

#### Middle School

## Respectfully submitted by Stephen Ralston, Principal

The faculty and students of the Lynnfield Middle School grow and learn in a building that entered its twelve year of existence. The building reflects the students who attend via classroom projects, accomplishments, and images.

Enrollment is large and there are currently 702 students for grades 5-8. The beginning of the 2016-2017 school year has seen the addition of several newly hired staff and an entire class of 173 fifth grade students new to the middle school. Grade 5 is configured into four teams of two teachers. Our team academic model continues into grades 6, 7 and 8 with each grade having two teams of four subject teachers. This provides for greater subject specialization as well as a gradual progression from elementary to high school. The entire LMS schedule provides for longer class periods (54 minutes) throughout the day. Students in all grade levels have a variety of courses beyond the academic core (English, Math, Science, Social Studies/Humanities). Wellness (Physical Education and Health), Art, Music, Media Center, and STEM (science-technology-engineering-math) course offerings span all grade levels. Further, students in grades 6-8 opt for Spanish or French and have opportunities in performance groups such as band, chorus, and electronic music.

Teachers continue to deliver the curriculum via a wide variety of strategies and practices. Differentiation of instruction is a key element within the heterogeneous composition of the middle school classroom. Initiatives such as literacy strategies and curriculum mapping have spanned all grade levels and disciplines at LMS.

Students continue to prepare for the MCAS testing in the spring. At that time, all students in grades 5-8 will be assessed in English/Language Arts and Mathematics. Science, Technology and Engineering exams will be administered to 5<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students. The volume of testing, though a challenge to administer, provides the school with a tremendous amount of data that can be utilized to guide curriculum and decision making regarding instruction. The Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education has implemented computer based testing for ELA and Math that will be in place for Spring, 2017.

Technology in the classroom has continued to increase in quality and frequency. The media center computer lab is frequently used by students within the media classes as well as subject-specific courses. We have utilized Chromebooks extensively across all grade levels as well as the Google suite of documents, email, and collaboration/sharing.

In conclusion, 2016 has seen much change towards improvement in the middle school.

#### **High School**

#### Respectfully submitted by Robert Cleary, Principal

We opened our doors in September 2016 with 630 students and 86 faculty members and support staff. We welcomed two new faculty members to our roster this year, one being our new Assistant Principal Brian Bates.

We are very excited to continue our Makerspace program that is running out of the Media Center. A Makerspace is a place where students can gather to create, invent, tinker, explore and discover using a variety of tools and materials. Some of these tools include a deconstruction station, a video production station, a 3D printer and an electronics station.

Our focus this year for school improvement includes the expansion of our Senior Internship program to give students an opportunity to investigate a career or explore an interest while finishing their high school experience. We are also working to incorporate vocabulary skills across all disciplines as we extend the work that our English department has recently done in their curriculum review. As part of a district wide goal we will begin implementation of the Understanding By Design (UbD) model to support continuous development and instructional excellence.

Once again, Lynnfield High School students experienced tremendous success on the high-stakes tests of MCAS, SAT, and AP. Many of our students were awarded the distinction of being named Advanced Placement Scholars, with twenty-five AP Scholars, ten AP Scholars with Honor, and twenty-three AP Scholars with Distinction. In addition, the high school continued to exceed the Adequate Yearly Progress required by the No Child Left Behind Act.

Our students have experienced outstanding success on the athletic fields, winning multiple league and sectional championships. Our music students have also received local and regional recognition for excellence. The fall production of "Oklahoma" was an outstanding success. This spring, Ensemble has advanced through the first round in the statewide Dramafest with "Emilie: La Marquise Du Châtelet Defends Her Life Tonight." In March our combined Band and Choral arts members will travel to Disneyworld in Florida.

# **TOWN CLERK**

The Town Clerk's Office continues to work hard to provide quality services and accurate information to residents. We continue to receive valuable support from the Town Administration and residents, which is greatly appreciated.

We start each year off with the annual census and dog registration which keeps us busy for the first couple of months into the New Year. For 2016, we had four elections, including early voting for the first time in MA, and two town meetings. Needless to say, the office was extremely busy for 2016.

Ongoing efforts to continue to improve the outreach for the office includes keeping the Town Clerk's web page updated as well as posting important information to the Lynnfield Town Clerk's face book page and to the local access channel. On a regular basis throughout the year, a welcome letter is sent to all new home buyers which aides in getting them to register to vote and to register any dogs they may have. With this process, I also reach out to those who have sold their homes in order to keep the voter's list updated. Reminder notices are also sent throughout the year if dog registrations and rabies certifications have expired. Just one of many ways to connect with residents as well as keeping everyone's records up to date.

Administrative changes continue to be made to the voting process which should ease the wait time for checking in and voting. Additional election wardens and officers were added to ensure proper staffing to cover all elections. At the April Annual Town Meeting, the approval of the Capital Budget provided for new voting equipment. Several training sessions were held over the summer which allowed us to be up and running for the September Primary, as well as the November Presidential Election.

I continue to attend MA Clerk's conferences each year – allowing me to keep updated on the changes within the Clerk's office, as well as any State laws and regulations we are required to follow. These classes will also help me to obtain my re-certification as a Certified MA Municipal Clerk in 2018. I'm also involved with the North Shore Town and City Clerks Association as Treasurer, and I participate in the User Group of the State's Voter Registration Information System.

2016 was a busy year for State Elections. As with every State Election, we were also busy with 2016 and 2018 State Election Nomination and Petition papers. New this year to every town and city in MA was Early Voting. For Lynnfield, this consisted of 70 hours during normal business hours. Over 2,700 Lynnfield residents took advantage of this new initiative. Although the early voting put an extra burden on the elections staff, positive feedback was received from those who voted early.

Presidential Primary, March 1, 2016 Annual Town Meeting, April 25, 2016 Fall Town Meeting, October 17, 2016 Early Voting, October 24 – October 28, 2016 Annual Town Election, April 11 2016 State Primary, September 8, 2016 State Election, November 8, 2016

I would like to thank Diane Hammerbeck, Lynnfield's Assistant Town Clerk. Her assistance is greatly appreciated. 2016 marked 25 years of service for Diane. She began many years ago in

what used to be called the Public Service Office, then several years in the Building Inspector's Office. Currently, and for the last 10 years, Diane has worked in the Town Clerk's office.

Many thanks to the entire election staff for availability and professional help during the busy election and town meeting(s) preparation. They are to be commended for their careful, pleasant and efficient manner and "being there" when needed, in assisting with not only the town elections/meetings, but state elections as well.

I would also like to recognize Tony Fratoni of the Lynnfield DPW as he plays a significant part in the election and town meeting process. Tony, along with the help from a few custodians from the School District is key in the set-up and dismantling of each event.

A special thank you to the Police detail who provide the manpower as required by State Law to keep law and order at the voting polling locations.

The Town Clerk's Office is responsible for all elections – state and local, the certification of town meeting and election votes, conducts voter registration sessions, updates the voter list, certifies petitions and nomination papers, records birth, marriage and death records, records marriage intentions, prepares monthly reports to Vital Statistics in Boston and genealogical research when requested. The Town Clerk also conducts the annual town census, prepares the annual street listing; certifies the residency of veterans' who qualify for state bonuses, receives board and committee meeting postings, administers and records oaths of office to town officials; administers the State's Conflict of Interest and State Ethics annually, maintains campaign finance reports annually; submits zoning by-law and general by-law changes to the Attorney General after each town meeting, when appropriate, and coordinates the Jury List to the Secretary of State. As required by MA General Law, the Town Clerk serves as the Clerk on the Board of Registrars.

POPULATION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2016: 12,837

# REGISTERED VOTERS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2016: 9,336

Democrat – 1,789 Republican – 1,764 United Independent – 60 Unenrolled – 5,685

### **Political Designations**

American Independent – 1

Libertarian – 20

Natural Law Party – 1

MA Independent Party – 1

Socialist - 1

Conservative - 1

Green-Rainbow - 3

Green Party USA - 2

Interdependent 3<sup>rd</sup> Party - 8

## 2016 Licenses/Certificates Issued:

Births - 112 Marriages - 43 Deaths - 113
Dog Licenses - 970 Business Certificates - 70 Raffle Permits - 5
Flammable Storage Permits - 10 Notary Oaths - 22

Respectfully submitted, Trudy L. Reid Town Clerk

#### COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS WILLIAM FRANCIS GALVIN SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH

#### WARRANT FOR PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Lynnfield

#### GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to vote at

#### PRECINCTS 1, 2, 3, 4

#### LYNNFIELD HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM 275 ESSEX STREET

on TUESDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF MARCH, 2016, from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. for the following purpose:

To cast their votes in the Presidential Primary for the candidates of political parties for the following offices:

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE STATE COMMITTEE MAN STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN TOWN COMMITTEE

FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH THIRD ESSEX SENATORIAL DISTRICT THIRD ESSEX SENATORIAL DISTRICT TOWN OF LYNNFIELD

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said voting.

under our hands this 25th day of Januar

SELECTMEN CE LYNNFIELD

Pursuant to the Warrant. I have this day notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield as herein directed by posting eight attested copies of the Warrant in said Lynntield, Center Post Office, Colonial Village Market, Library: Pump n' Pantry. Senior Center. South Post Office, Lynnfield Water District, and Town Hall seven days at least before the time and calling of said election.

2-17-16, 2016.

Warrant must be posted by February 23, 2016 (at least seven days prior to the Morca 1, 2016. Presidential Preference Primary).

# 2016 Presidential Primary

	Prec 1		Prec 2		Prec 3		Prec 4		TOTAL
TOTALS	509		498		434		462		1903
State Committee Woman	-DEM								
Blanks	494		461		420		449		1824
Write-Ins	15		37		14		13		79
TOTALS	509		498		434		462		1903
Town Committee-DEM	Group	Ind	Group	Ind	Group	Ind	Group	Ind	
Blanks	324		300		267		277		1168
GROUP	183		195		167		185		730
	507		495		434		462		1898
Philip Buchek	183	222	195	214	167	193	185	205	1564
Kerry Haughney	183	202	195	228	167	200	185	214	1574
Joseph Haughney	183	196	195	212	167	194	185	204	1536
Joseph Markey	183	235	195	226	167	196	185	217	1604
James Fox	183	197	195	214	167	183	185	192	1516
Nancy Fox	183	202	195	223	167	190	185	205	1550
Anne Patriquin	183	244	195	234	167	202	185	231	1641
Wallace McKenzie	183	200	195	241	167	191	185	204	1566
Sue McDonough	183	207	195	223	167	184	185	202	1546
Martha Dwyer	183	225	195	228	167	194	185	213	1590
Sararuth Richman	183	196	195	222	167	181	185	195	1524
Pam Buchek	183	213	195	214	167	190	185	208	1555
Peter Perlmutter	183	199	195	226	167	185	185	197	1537
Malka Travaglini	183	205	195	224	167	192	185	208	1559
Robert Casoli	183	199	195	225	167	192	185	202	1548
Phyllis Trippe	183	200	195	213	167	184	185	200	1527
Mark McDonough	183	205	195	218	167	193	185	203	1549
Write-Ins		9		23		3		4	39
FIVE OR MORE VOTES -	FIVE OR MORE VOTES - Karen Ruecker = 28								

	Prec 1		Prec 2		Prec 3		Prec 4		TOTAL
Presidential Preference-	REP								
Blanks	1		2		2		2		7
Jim Gilmore	1		0		1		0		2
Donald Trump	319		310		336		419		1384
Ted Cruz	58		54		35		45		192
George Pataki	0		1		0		0		1
Ben Carson	10		14		6		4		34
Mike Huckalbee	0		0		0		0		0
Rand Paul	0		0		1		1		2
Carly Fiorino	0		1		0		1		2
Rick Santorum	0		1		0		1		2
Chris Christie	3		2		1		3		9
Marco Rubio	89		99		90		113		391
Jeb Bush	1		5		3		9		18
John Kasich	115		82		77		135		409
No Preference	2		2		2		2		8
Write-Ins	2		0		0		2		4
TOTALS	601		573		554		737		2465
State Committee Man-RE	P								
Blanks	275		229		234		303		1041
Steven Zykofsky	323		344		320		430		1417
Write-Ins	3		0		0		4		7
TOTALS	601		573		554		737		2465
State Committee Woman	-REP								
Blanks	259		225		232		286		1002
Amy Carnevale	338		344		319		446		1447
Write-Ins	4		4		3		5		16
TOTALS	601		573		554		737		2465
Town Committee-REP	Group	Ind	Group	Ind	Group	Ind	Group	Ind	
Blanks	440		400		407		515		1762
GROUP	160		173		147		221		701
	600		573		554		736		2463
Robert MacKendrick	160	224	173	218	147	193	221	285	1621
Donald Pescione	160	177	173	207	147	175	221	252	1512
Kendall Inglese	160	205	173	210	147	182	221	277	1575
Douglas Soderberg	160	195	173	200	147	182	221	267	1545
Francis Soderberg	160	189	173	199	147	177	221	264	1530
Reid Lavoie	160	192	173	182	147	165	221	244	1484
Michael Pescione	160	177	173	198	147	172	221	243	1491
Richard Mazzola	160	189	173	235	147	178	221	252	1555
Harry Leblanc	160	173	173	192	147	154	221	240	1460
Alicia Leblanc	160	174	173	190	147	157	221	232	1454
Brian Murphy	160	181	173	191	147	167	221	234	1474
Jennifer Welter	160	200	173	202	147	177	221	278	1558
Beth Hooper	160	172	173			155		233	1455
Anthony Baldini	160					176			1516
David Basile	160								1496
James Chisholm	160	172	173						1476
Teresa Chisholm	160								1495
Philip Crawford	160								1624
Jodene Sanford	160								1495
Kevin O'Connor	160	173	173		147				1468
William Round	160								1453
Josephine Farnsworth	160	183	173	184	147	155	221	238	1461
Alan Dresios	160	188	173	194	147	181	221	255	1519
Victor Antolini	160		173			167	221	242	1497
William Round	160					154	221	246	1453
Robert Whalen	160		173			164	221	272	1521
Paula Parziale	160		173			190	221	256	1550
John Kimball Jr	160	263	173	221	147	220	221	348	1753
Luke Kimball	160	252	173	212	147	211	221	332	1708
Evelyn Round	160		173						1483
Margaret Markham	160	170	173	186	147	154	221	243	1454
					4.47	450	004	227	1448
Joseph Kochocki	160	183	173		147				
Joseph Kochocki Elizabeth Kent Write-Ins	160 160								1501

	Prec 1	Pre	ec 2	P	rec 3		Prec 4	TOTAL
Presidential Preference			-	1			l .	
Blanks	0		1		0		0	1
Sedinam Curry	1		0		0		0	1
Jill Stein	2		0		0		0	2
William Kreml	0		0		0		0	0
Kent Mesplay	0		0		0		0	0
Darryl cherney	0		0		0		0	0
No Preference	0		0		0		0	0
Write-Ins	0		0		2		0	2
TOTALS	3	•	0		2	•	0	6
State Committee Man-G	RN							
Blanks	2		0		3		0	5
Write-Ins	1		0		0		0	1
TOTALS	3		0		3		0	6
State Committee Womar	n-GRN							
Blanks	3		0		2		0	5
Write-Ins	0		0		1		0	1
TOTALS	3		0		3		0	6
Town Committe-GRN								
Blanks	30		0		0		0	30
Write-Ins	0		0		3		0	3
TOTALS	30	•	0		2	•	0	32
Presidential Preference	-UNI							
Blanks	0		0		0		0	0
No Preference	0		0		0		0	0
Write-Ins	1		1		1		0	3
TOTALS	1		1		1	7	0	3
State Committee Man-U	NI							
Blanks	1		1		1		0	3
Write-Ins	0		0		0		0	0
TOTALS	1		1		1		0	3
State Committee Woman	n-UNI							
Blanks	1		1		1		0	3
Write-Ins	0		0		0		0	0
TOTALS	1		1		1		0	3
Town Committe-UNI								
Blanks	10		10		10		0	30
Write-Ins	0		0		0		0	0
TOTALS	10	0	10	0	10	0	0	30

#### LYNNFIELD TOWN WARRANT

# THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - APRIL 11, 2016 ANNUAL TOWN MEETING - APRIL 25, 2016

Essex, ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Lynnfield in the County of Essex, GREETINGS:

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 in their respective polling places in said Lynnfield, on Monday, April 11, 2016 at 7:00 a.m., then and there to bring in their votes on one ballot for the choice of all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year, chosen in this manner, viz.: one Board of Selectmen member for three years; one Town Moderator for one year; one Board of Assessors member for three years; two Board of Library Trustee member for three years; two School Committee members for three years; one Planning Board member for five years; one Planning Board member for one year to fill an unexpired term; and one Housing Authority member for two years to fill an unexpired term.

The Polls in each precinct will open at 7:00 a.m., and will be closed at 8:00 p.m., on said April 11, 2016. The polling places for voters in Precincts 1, 2, 3 and 4 will be at Lynnfield High School, Essex Street, all in said Lynnfield.

And you are further directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to meet in the Middle School Auditorium, Cafeteria, and the Gymnasium, if necessary, on Monday, April 25, 2016 at 7:30 p.m., then and there to act on the following articles:

# ARTICLE 1. To act on reports of town officers and special committees as published. Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 2.** To choose all Town officers not required to be chosen by ballot: viz.; three field drivers, one pound keeper and three wood measurers.

# Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 3.** To see if the Town will vote to FIX THE COMPENSATION of each of the Elective Officers of the Town as required by General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 108, as amended.

# Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 4.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, sums of money to supplement certain accounts in the current 2016 Fiscal Year where balances are below projected expenditures for various reasons; or what action it will take thereon.

# Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 5.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Emergency Medical Services Retained Earnings to pay expenses and contractual services required to operate the emergency medical service in the Town of Lynnfield in the current 2016 Fiscal Year; or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 6.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate by transfer from available funds, sums of money to pay overdue bills of a prior fiscal year, or what action it will take thereon.

# Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 7.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate by transfer from available funds, or otherwise, a sum of money for the necessary Town charges and expenses; or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate by transfer from available funds or by borrowing, or from any or all such sources, sums of money for the purchase of various equipment and items in the nature of capital expenditure and to give authority to credit the value of the various old equipment to be turned in toward the purchase price of said items, said sums of money to be expended under the direction of various Town boards, committees, or officers; or what action it will take thereon.

# Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 9.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or appropriate by transfer from available funds a sum of money for the town's Stabilization Fund, or what action the Town will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 10.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or appropriate by transfer from available funds a sum of money for the town's Capital Facilities Fund, or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 11.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to be deposited into the Other Post Employment Benefits Liability Trust Fund; or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spent by the Council on Aging, limited to a certain amount, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses and contractual services required to operate Senior Center Activities and field trips; said fund to be credited with all fees and charges received during Fiscal Year 2017 from persons taking part in said activities and field trips; or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spent by the Board of Health, limited to a certain amount, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses and contractual services required to operate the Flu Clinic; said fund to be credited with all fees and charges received, and with recovery through third party billing received, during Fiscal Year 2017 from or in connection with persons taking part in said activities; or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF HEALTH

**ARTICLE 14.** To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spent by the Board of Library Trustees, limited to a certain amount, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses related to book replacement and new book acquisitions, said fund to be credited with all fines collected for the loss of library books received during Fiscal Year 2017 from persons paying such fines; or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spent by the Recreation Commission, limited to a certain amount, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay part time salaries, expenses and contractual services required to

operate Recreation Activities, field administration and field trips; said fund to be credited with all fees and charges received during Fiscal Year 2017 from persons taking part in said activities and field trips; or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund, pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spent by the Department of Public Works, limited to a certain amount, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses related to maintenance and upkeep of athletics fields for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2016; said fund to be credited with all field maintenance fees and charges received during FY 2017 for field use, or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund, pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spent by the Department of Public Works, limited to a certain amount, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses related to the scheduling, maintenance and upkeep of the Al Merritt Cultural Center for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2016; said fund to be credited with all fees and charges received during FY 2017 for the use of the said facility, or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 18.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from Emergency Medical Service Enterprise receipts to pay expenses and contractual services required to operate the emergency medical service in the Town of Lynnfield, said Enterprise Fund to be credited with all fees and charges received during Fiscal Year 2017 from persons using said service; or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from Golf Enterprise receipts and/or Golf Enterprise Retained Earnings to pay expenses and contractual services required to operate the Reedy Meadow Golf Course and King Rail Golf Course, said Enterprise Fund to be credited with all fees and charges received during Fiscal Year 2017 from persons using the golf courses; or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 20.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Library Trustees to apply for, accept and expend without further appropriation any state funds which may be available to defray all or part of the cost of the design, construction and equipping of a new library building, and to approve the schematic design for such a project that are shown on a set of plans entitled "Preliminary site plan and schematic layout for new Lynnfield Public Library," dated March 25, 2016, which are on file with the Town Clerk, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

#### Submitted by the BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 15A and any other applicable authority, to transfer to the Board of Selectmen for the purpose of sale or lease the real property known and numbered as 567 Main Street, Lynnfield, Massachusetts, including the structures and fixtures thereon erected, being the same property conveyed to the Town by deed dated October 2, 2014 and recorded with the Essex South District Registry of Deeds at Book 33587, Page 278 from Denault M. Donovan, Charles S. Donovan and Alice Kiernan, Trustees of the Centre Farm Nominee Realty Trust II, under declaration of trust dated December 28, 2007 and recorded with said Deeds at Book 27459, Page 234, consisting of seven (7) acres, more or less; and pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 3; c. 30B, § 16, and any other applicable authority, to authorize the Selectmen to sell, lease, transfer and convey the said real property subject to an Historic Preservation Restriction under G.L. c. 184, §§ 31-33, pertaining to the said property and the exterior of the structures and fixtures thereon, such sale or lease otherwise to be on such terms and subject to such conditions as the Selectmen may deem prudent; or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 22.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from free cash a sum of money to pay certain outstanding medical bills, and to empower the Town Administrator to pay any and all other bills associated with the August 12, 2010 line of duty injury suffered by Firefighter Keith Gauvreau, or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 23.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate by transfer from available funds or by borrowing, or from any or all such sources, a sum of money for the design, construction, furnishing and equipping of a clubhouse at the King Rail Reserve Golf Course, or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 24.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the construction of municipal outdoor recreational facilities, including the development of land and the construction and reconstruction of facilities at Glen Meadow Park and to determine whether to raise this appropriation by borrowing or otherwise, or to take any action related thereto.

#### Submitted by PETITION

**ARTICLE 25.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by adding, at the end of § 4.2.1 "Uses Authorized by Board of Appeals" within the Limited Business District, the following:

"4. Business or professional office, or bank, wherein more than five (5) persons are regularly employed."

or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 26.** To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 7.4.a entitled "Additional Requirements for PWSF" of the Zoning Bylaws by:

- a. deleting therefrom the following:", in addition to the requirements of 7.4 'Site Plan Approval'"; and
- b. renumbering the said section from "7.4.a." to "7.4.1"; entitled "Additional Requirements for PWSF"

or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 27.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by revising Section 8.7, entitled "Siting of Radio Telecommunications Facilities," such that whenever any section, subsection or sub-subsection number includes "8.7" the same is changed to "8.8",

or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 28.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by deleting embedded section numbers and replacing them with section titles in various places, as follows:

- in Section 4.8, by deleting "8. Any uses allowed in Section 9.4 Wireless Communication District" and replacing it with "8. Any uses allowed in the section entitled 'Siting of Radio Telecommunications Facilities";
- b. in Section 8.4.8, by deleting "15";
- in Section 8.5.3.4, by deleting "Section 6, Sign Regulations," and replacing it with "Sign Regulations";
- in Section 9.5.6, by deleting Section 9.5.6.15 and Section 9.5.6.16 and replacing them with the following:
  - "15. Adult uses as enumerated under the "Adult Uses" Section of the Zoning Bylaws.
  - "16. Medical Marijuana uses as enumerated under the "Medical Marijuana" Section of the Zoning Bylaws.";

and

 in Section 13.6, by deleting "Section II Chapter 6 of the Bylaws of the Town of Lynnfield (as amended)" and replacing it with "these Zoning Bylaws";

or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by PLANNING BOARD

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws definitions, as follows:

- a. in Section 2, deleting the line reading "2.16, Standards Applicable to All Definitions"; renumbering subsections 2.16.1, 2.16.2, 2.16.3 and 2.16.4 as 2.1, 2.2, 2.3 and 2.4, respectively; deleting all subsection numbers associated with particular definitions; adding a new subsection 2.5 entitled "Individual Meanings" which shall list all those particular definitions in alphabetical order.
- deleting subsection 7.7.2 and moving the text thereof to subsection 2.5,
   placing it in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein;
- c. moving the text of all definitions in subsection 8.5.2 to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein, excepting only the definition of "Substantial or Significant Portion," which shall remain in subsection 8.5.2;
- moving the text of all definitions in subsection 8.6.2 to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein, excepting only the definition of "Assisted Living" and "An Assisted Living Residence" which shall remain in subsection 8.6.2;
- e. moving the text of all definitions in subsection 8.7.3 to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein and eliminating the sub-subsection numbers thereof, excepting only the definition of "Special Permit," which shall remain in subsection 8.7.3 but without any sub-subsection number; and
- f. moving the text of all definitions in subsection 9.3.3 to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein and eliminating the sub-subsection numbers thereof, excepting only the definition of "Acre," which shall remain in subsection 9.3.3 but without any sub-subsection number;

or what action it will take thereon.

Submitted by PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 30.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by deleting Section 7.7 entitled "Temporary Moratorium Medical Treatment Centers",

or what action it will take thereon.

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### Submitted by PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 31.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by adding the following definitions to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein:

- a. "Movement or Moving As applied to signs, any visual elements that either change or alter in appearance whatsoever.";
- b. "A.T.M. or ATM Annual Town Meeting as called for in the Town Charter, in the spring."; and
- "S.T.M. or STM Special Town Meeting as called for or permitted in the Town Charter, including but not limited to the regular town meeting scheduled for the fall.";

or what action it will take thereon.

#### Submitted by PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 32**. To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to Article IV, Section 217-39.B of the General Bylaws of the Town, to designate the following ways as "Scenic Roads":

Chestnut Street Essex Street Lowell Street Main Street Summer Street;

or what action it will take thereon.

Submitted by CONSERVATION COMMISSION

And you are further directed to serve this warrant, by posting up attested copies thereof, in at least six public places in said Town of Lynnfield, seven 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, or before hand as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 21st day of March in the year of our Lord two thousand and sixteen.

Jr., Selectman

Christopher J. Barrett, Selectman

A true copy ATTEST: /Constable

# 2016 Town Election

	0101	OWILI		/11	
PRECINCTS	1	2	3	4	TOTAL
SELECTMEN					
BLANKS	5	9	5	10	29
DALTON	261				934
WALSH	195	<b>153</b> 178	<b>192</b> 153	<b>328</b> 181	707
WRITE-INS					
	0	0	0	0	1.670
TOTAL	461	340	350	519	1,670
BOARD OF ASSESSOR					
BLANKS	124	97	100	145	466
O'NEIL	337	243	250	374	1,204
WRITE-INS	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	461	340	350	519	1,670
LIBRARY TRUSTEE					
BLANKS	577	405	462	657	2,101
HONER-COAKLEY	324	230	229	360	1,143
WRITE-INS					0
Richard Mazzola	15	44	10	20	89
J. Patrick Walsh	7	0	0	0	7
TOTAL	923	679	701	1,037	3,340
HOLISING AUTHORITY					
HOUSING AUTHORITY BLANKS	160	123	122	188	593
BRODER		217			
	301		228	331	1,077
WRITE-INS	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	461	340	350	519	1,670
MODERTOR					
BLANKS	148	113	107	158	526
BOURQUE	313	227	243	361	1,144
WRITE-INS	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	461	340	350	519	1,670
1017.12	101	310	330	313	1,070
PLANNING BOARD (5 YR)					
BLANKS	167	150	135	194	646
SHEEHAN	294	190	215	325	1,024
WRITE-INS	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	461	340	350	519	1,670
PLANNING BOARD (1 YR)					
BLANKS	307	224	224	349	1,104
WRITE-INS					
DRESIOS	71	57	54	70	252
PAGOS	51	15	30	35	131
SYLVIA	32	44	42	65	183
TOTAL	461	340	350	519	1,670
SCHOOL COMMUTTEE					
SCHOOL COMMITTEE	400	200	202	440	4.000
BLANKS	403	283	293	413	1,392
PRESSER	260	190	194	307	951
SJOBERG	259	206	213	319	997
WRITE-INS	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	922	679	700	1,039	3,340
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Total Number Registered v Percentage Turnout = 18.5		3-22-2016	(last day vo	ter registrat	ion) = 9,024



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

The Annual Town Meeting was called to order by Moderator Arthur Bourque at 7:32 PM, indicating the quorum of 175 registered voters had been met. The Moderator began by introducing the Board of Selectmen, the Town Administrator, the Finance Committee, Town Counsel and the Town Clerk. The Moderator read the list of non-residents which included the town's department heads and local reporters.

The Lynnfield Pioneers sang the National Anthem, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance of those in attendance. The Moderator thanked former Selectmen Tom Terranova for his three years of service to the board, as well as Susie Cleary from the School Committee and Nancy Ryan as the Library Director for their many years of service. He welcomed Richard Dalton as the newest Selectmen, Michael Sheehan as Planning Board, and Richard Sjoberg as School Committee.

The use of voter cards was explained, as well as the rules for speaking to an article with questions or comments. Mr. Bourque acknowledged the warrant return and waived the reading of the warrant.

A total of 410 registered voters checked in for the town meeting.

The Moderator introduced Board of Selectmen Chair Phil Crawford to begin with the first preliminary motion.

**MOTION** made by Chairman Phil Crawford that if necessary, the Annual Town Meeting be adjourned to Thursday, April 28, 2016 at 7:30 PM in the Middle School Auditorium, Gymnasium and Cafeteria, if need be, should the business of the meetings not be completed.

#### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

<b>ACTION:</b> Motion 2 <sup>nd</sup> by Selectmen Barrett.	Moderator declared motion passed unanimously by
a voice vote.	

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

#### CONSENT AGENDA MOTION

**MOTION** made by Selectmen Barrett for the Town to vote for Articles 1, 2, 3, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18 and 19 be taken out of order and that they be "Passed by Consent" in accordance with the Motions shown on the Consent Agenda distributed this evening. Motion was 2<sup>nd</sup>.

#### 4/5 VOTE REQUIRED: SINGLE EXCEPTION WILL REMOVE ARTICLE FROM CONSENT AGENDA

**ACTION:** Resident James Fox questioned Article 16. The Moderator instructed Article 16 to be pulled out of the consent calendar so Mr. Fox could state his comments at the appropriate time. The Moderator called for the vote. After a voice vote, the Moderator declared the Consent Agenda passed unanimously.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

#### **CONSENT AGENDA ACTIONS:**

**ARTICLE 1** was to act on reports of town officers and special committees as published. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**ARTICLE 2** was to choose all Town officers not required to be chosen by ballot: three field drivers, one pound keeper and three wood measurers. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**ARTICLE 3** was to see if the Town will vote to FIX THE COMPENSATION of each of the Elective Officers of the Town as required by General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 108, , as amended: Board of Selectmen – Chairman \$850 and Member \$700; Board of Assessors – Chairman \$4.10 and Member \$3.550.

**ARTICLE 12** was to see if the Town will vote to re-authorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spent by the Council on Aging, and to authorize said Council on Aging to expend no more than \$50,000, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses and contractual services required to operate Senior Center activities and field trips; said fund to be credited with all fees and charges received during Fiscal Year 2017 from persons taking part in said activities and field trips.

**ARTICLE 13** was to see if the Town will vote to re-authorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 53-1/2, to be spent by the Board of Health, and to authorize said Board of Health to expend no more than \$15,000, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses and contractual services required to operate the Flu Clinic; said fund to be credited with recovery through third party billing received, during Fiscal Year 2017 from or in connection with persons taking part in said activities.



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

#### CONSENT AGENDA ACTIONS (Cont'd)

**ARTICLE 14** was to see if the Town will vote to reauthorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 53-1/2, to be spent by the Board of Library Trustees limited to \$10,000.00 without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses related to book replacement and new book acquisitions, said fund to be credited with all fines collected for the loss of library books received during Fiscal Year 2017 from persons paying such fines.

**ARTICLE 15** was to see if the Town will vote to reauthorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 53-1/2, to be spent by the Recreation Committee limited \$225,000.00 without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay part time salaries, expenses and contractual services required to operate Recreation Activities, field administration and field trips; said fund to be credited with all fees and charges received during Fiscal Year 2017 from persons taking part in said activities and field trips.

**ARTICLE 18** was to see if the Town will vote to appropriate during Fiscal Year 2017, the sum of \$667,040.00 from the Emergency Medical Service Enterprise receipts to defray the cost of providing emergency medical services in the Town of Lynnfield.

**ARTICLE 19** to see if the Town will vote to appropriate during Fiscal Year 2017, the sum of \$836,000.00 in Golf Course Enterprise receipts to pay expenses and contractual services required to fund golf course operations; said fund to be credited with all fees and charges received during Fiscal Year 2017 from persons using golf assets.



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 4:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, sums of money to supplement certain accounts in the current 2016 Fiscal Year where balances are below projected expenditures for various reasons; or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** made by Selectmen Dalton to see if the Town will vote to appropriate \$150,000 from free cash and transfer from existing Fiscal Year 2016 appropriation accounts the sums listed in the handout entitled "ARTICLE 4-2016 ANNUAL TOWN MEETING" to the accounts listed in said handout in order to balance the FY16 budget. The motion was  $2^{nd}$  by Selectman Crawford.

### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

<b>ACTION:</b> No discussion.	By a voice vote,	the Moderator	declared Article	4 passed
unanimously.				

ATTEST:	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	
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# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 5:** To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Emergency Medical Services Retained Earnings to pay expenses and contractual services required to operate the emergency medical service in the Town of Lynnfield in the current 2016 Fiscal Year, or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** made by Chairman Crawford was to indefinitely postpone Article 5. Motion was 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

**ACTION:** A resident called for a point of order to confirm an indefinite postponement. No other discussion. The Moderator called for a voice vote. The motion to indefinitely postpone passed unanimously.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	-



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 6:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate by transfer from available funds, sums of money to pay overdue bills of a prior fiscal year, or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** made by Selectmen Barrett was to indefinitely postpone Article 5 due to the fact there were no unpaid bills. Motion was  $2^{nd}$  by Selectman Dalton.

### **4/5 VOTE REQUIRED**

**ACTION:** No discussion. The Moderator called for a voice vote. The motion to indefinitely postpone passed unanimously.

ATTEST:	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 7:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, appropriate by transfer from available funds, or otherwise, a sum of money for the necessary Town charges and expenses; or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** was made by Selectmen Dalton to move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate and transfer from available funds the sum of \$50,405,205.00 for the necessary Town charges and expenses as presented by the Board of Selectmen and as shown in the Finance Committee Report beginning on page 7 thereof. The motion was  $2^{nd}$  by Selectmen Crawford.

The Moderator indicated he would read through the budget a section at a time. Any resident wishing to place a hold should do so during the discussed section.

### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

**ACTION:** The Moderator read through line items 1-103 without comments / questions from the voters. Resident James Fox asked to speak on line item 104 – Education. He questioned the cost for full day kindergarten, quoting studies he had found on the subject. Tom Geary and Superintendent Jane Trembly both spoke in favor of the program. Resident Pat Campbell also spoke out against an extra \$50,000 being added to the budget for an administration person.

After no further discussion, the Moderator called for a vote on Article 7. By a voice vote, the Moderator declared Article 7 passed in the majority, with a few objections.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 8:** to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, appropriate by transfer from available funds or by borrowing, or from any or all such sources, sums of money for the purchase of various equipment and items in the nature of capital expenditure and to give authority to credit the value of the various old equipment to be turned in toward the purchase price of said items, said sums of money to be expended under the direction of various Town boards, committees, or officers; or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** was made by Selectmen Crawford for the Town to vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,528,908.00 for the purchase of various equipment and items in the nature of capital expenditure s as shown in the Finance committee Report on page 21 thereof, and to give authority to credit the value of the various old equipment to be turned in toward the purchase price of said new items, said sums of money to be expended under the direction of the several board and committees of the Town; that that to raise this appropriation (a) the sum of \$439,908 be raised and appropriated from tax levy; (b) the sum of \$1,240,000 to be appropriated from free cash; and (c) the Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, be authorized to borrow the sum of \$849,000 under and pursuant to G.L. Chapter 44, section 7 or any other enabling authority, and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefore. Motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Selectmen Barrett

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

#### **MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED**

<b>ACTION:</b> The Moderator called for a vote on Article 8.	By a voice vote, the Moderator
declared Article 8 passed unanimously.	
ATTEST:	

Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 9:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or appropriate by transfer from available funds a sum of money for the town's Stabilization Fund, or what action the Town will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** was made by Selectmen Barrett to vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200,000 to the Stabilization Fund. The motion was  $2^{nd}$  by Selectmen Crawford.

### 2/3 VOTE REQUIED

<b>ACTION:</b>	No discussion.	The Moderator	declared	Article 9	passed in a	a unanimously	y
voice vote.							

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 10:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or appropriate by transfer from available funds a sum of money for the town's Capital Facilities Fund, or what action the Town will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** was made by Selectmen Dalton to move that the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$200,000.00 to the Capital Facilities Maintenance Fund. The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Selectmen Barrett.

### **MAJORITY VOTE REQUIED**

<b>ACTION:</b>	No discussion.	The Moderator	declared	Article	10 passed in	a unanimously
voice vote.						

ATTEST:	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	_



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 11:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to be deposited into the Other Post Employment Benefits Liability Trust Fund, or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** was made by Selectmen Crawford to indefinitely postpone Article 11 because \$200,000 has been appropriated as part of the operating budget. The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Selectmen Barrett.

### **MAJORITY VOTE REQUIED**

<b>ACTION:</b>	No discussion.	The Moderator	declared.	Article	10 pass	ed in a	unanimo	ously
voice vote.								

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 16:** To see if the Town will vote to reauthorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund, pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spend by the Department of Public Works, limited to a certain amount, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses related to maintenance and upkeep of athletics fields for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2016; said fund to be credited with all field maintenance fees and charges received during FY 2017 for field use, or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** was made by Selectman Dalton to vote that the Town reauthorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund, pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spent by the Department of Public works, with the approval of the Town Administrator, limited to \$50,000.00 without further appropriation during FY 2017, to pay expenses related to maintenance and upkeep of athletics fields; said fund to be credited with all field maintenance fees and charges received during FY 2017 for field use. Motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Selectmen Crawford.

#### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION:** A resident voiced his concerns about the possible toxins in the materials used in the fields. Another resident wanted to confirm the motion was in regards to funding, not the materials used in the fields. A third resident questioned if the revolving fund exceeded the \$50,000, was the money to be kept in the fund or deposited into the general account. It was confirmed any additional monies would be kept in the revolving account. A motion to move the question was made, and  $2^{nd}$ . The Moderator called for a voice vote on the motion to move the question, which passed unanimously.

The Moderator called for a vote on the motion and declared Article 16 passed unanimously by a voice vote.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 17:** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund, pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spent by the Department of Public Works, limited to a certain amount, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses related to the scheduling, maintenance and upkeep of the Al Merritt Cultural Center for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2016; said fund to be credited with all fees and charges received during FY 2017 for the use of the said facility, or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** was made by Selectmen Crawford to move that the Town vote to authorize the establishment of a Revolving Fund, pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2, to be spent by the Department of Public Works, limited to \$10,000.00, without further appropriation during Fiscal Year 2017, to pay expenses related to the scheduling, maintenance and upkeep of the Al Merritt Cultural Center for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2016; said fund to be credited with all fees and charges received during FY 2017 for the use of the said facility.

#### **MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED**

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION:** Resident questioned as to whom currently does the scheduling and how would the proposed monies go to support that function. The Town Administrator responded by saying currently Eric Hamlin does the scheduling but it was expected someone may have to be hired in the future to keep up with the demand.

Hearing no further discussion, the Moderator called for a vote. By a voice vote, the Moderator declared Article 17 passed in the majority with one objection.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 20:** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Library Trustees to apply for, accept and expend without further appropriation any state funds which may be available to defray all or part of the cost of the design, construction and equipping of a new library building, and to approve the schematic design for such a project that are shown on the set of plans entitled "Preliminary site plan and schematic layout for new Lynnfield Public Library," dated March 25, 2016, which are on file with the Town Clerk, or to take any other action in relation thereto. Submitted by the Board of Library Trustees

**MOTION** was made by Library Trustee Chairman Robert Calimari to move that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Library Trustees to apply for, accept and expend without further appropriation any state funds which may be available to defray all or part of the cost of the design, construction and equipping of a new library building, and to approve the schematic design for such a project that are shown on a set of plans entitled "Preliminary site plan and schematic layout for new Lynnfield Public Library," dated March 25, 2016, which are on file with the Town Clerk, or to take any other action in relation thereto. The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Library Trustee member Faith Honer-Coakley

**ACTION:** Mr. Calimari made a motion to waive the 10 minute limit on speaking, which was 2<sup>nd</sup> by board member Faith Honer-Coakley. The Moderator asked for any discussion on this motion, none was heard. The Moderator asked for a voice vote on the motion, which was passed by a majority, with few objections.

During the 20 minutes presentation, Library Trustee member Russell Boekenkroeger, Director Holly Mercer, and Clifford Gayley, architect for the design took turns presenting the new design of the library, and answering questions and comments from the voters. Once the Moderator felt all had been heard, he called for a voice vote on Article 20. The Moderator declared the motion passed in the majority, with a few objections.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 21:** To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 15A and any other applicable authority, to transfer to the Board of Selectmen for the purpose of sale or lease the real property known and numbered as 567 Main Street, Lynnfield, Massachusetts, including the structures and fixtures thereon erected, being the same property conveyed to the Town by deed dated October 2, 2014 and recorded with the Essex South District Registry of Deeds at Book 33587, Page 278 from Denault M. Donovan, Charles S. Donovan and Alice Kiernam, Turstees of the Centre Farm Nominee Realty Trust II, under declaration of trust dated December 28, 2007 and recorded with said Deeds at Book 27459, Page 234 consisting of seven (7) acres, more or less; and pursuant to G.L. c.40 section 3; c 30B, section 16, and any other applicable authority, to authorize the Selectmen to sell, lease, transfer and convey the said real property subject to an Historic Preservation Restriction under G.L. c 184, section 31-33, pertaining to the said property and the exterior of the structures and fixtures thereon, such sale or lease otherwise to be on such terms and subject to such conditions as the Selectmen may deem prudent; or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

MOTION: Selectmen Crawford moved that, pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 15A and any other applicable authority, the Town vote to transfer to the Board of Selectmen for the purpose of sale the real property known and numbered as 567 Main Street, Lynnfield, Massachusetts, including the structures and fixtures thereon erected, being the same property conveyed to the Town by deed dated October 2, 2014 and recorded with the Essex South District Registry of Deeds at Book 33587, Page 278 from Denault M. Donovan, Charles S. Donovan and Alice Kiernan, Trustees of the Centre Farm Nominee Realty Trust II, under declaration of trust dated December 28, 2007 and recorded with said Deeds at Book 27459, Page 234, consisting of seven (7) acres; and pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 3; c. 30B, § 16, and any other applicable authority, to authorize the Selectmen to sell, transfer and convey the said real property subject to an Historic Preservation Restriction under G.L. c. 184, §§ 31-33, pertaining to the said property and the exterior of

the structures and fixtures thereon, such sale otherwise to be on such terms and subject to such conditions as the Selectmen may deem prudent. Selectmen Barrett 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion

#### **2/3 VOTE REQUIRED**

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation Historic Commission gave a favorable recommendation Capital Facilities Advisor Committee gave a favorable recommendation Planning Board gave a favorable recommendation

ACTION: Several questions / comments from the voters. Resident Patricia Campbell made a motion to amend the motion which would allow the Board of Selectmen to accept bids, etc but town meeting would have the final vote of a sale. Amended motion was 2<sup>nd</sup>. Selectmen Crawford discussed the current restrictions on the property including the Historic Preservation Restrictions. One resident commented the trust should be left with the board of selectmen. A resident interested in the property spoke to assure if they won the bid, they would keep to the restrictions. Several other residents commented they were not in favor of the amended motion. A motion was made to move the question and 2<sup>nd</sup>. The vote to move the question was taken and the Moderator declared the ayes carried with a few in opposition of the motion to move the question. The Moderator then called for a vote on the amendment. There were several ayes in favor of the motion, but the Moderator declared the opposition to the motion carried and the amendment did not pass.

The Moderator hearing no further discussion on Article 21 proceeded to vote the original motion. The Moderator declared Article 21 passed unanimously.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 22:** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from free cash a sum of money to pay certain outstanding medical bills, and to empower the Town Administrator to pay any and all other bills associated with the August 12, 2010 line of duty injury suffered by Firefighter Keith Gauvreau, or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION:** Selectmen Barrett moved that the Town vote to appropriate from free cash the sum of \$20,000.00 to pay certain outstanding medical bills, and to empower the Town Administrator to pay any and all other bills associated with the August 12, 2010 line of duty injury suffered by Firefighter Keith Gauvreau.

### **4/5 VOTE REQUIRED**

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION:** No discussion. The Moderator called for a voice vote and declared Article 22 passed unanimously.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 23:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate by transfer from available funds or by borrowing, or from any or all such sources, a sum of money for the design, construction, furnishing and equipping of a clubhouse at the King Rail Reserve Golf Course, or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** was made by Selectmen Dalton for the Town to vote to indefinitely postpone Article 22, due a need to revisit the plan due to higher costs than expected. Selectmen Crawford 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

### 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED / MAJORITY IF INDEFINITE POSTPONEMENT

**ACTION:** There was no discussion. The Moderator called for a voice vote which was unanimously passed to indefinitely postpone Article 23.

ATTEST:		
MITESI.	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 24:** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the construction of municipal outdoor recreational facilities, including the development of land and the construction and reconstruction of facilities at Glen Meadow Park and to determine whether to raise this appropriation by borrowing or otherwise, or to take any action related thereto. Submitted by Citizens Petition

**MOTION** was made by resident Kelly Pavao to move that the Town vote to appropriate from free cash the sum of \$200,000.00 for the construction of municipal outdoor recreational facilities, including the development of land and the construction and reconstruction of facilities at Glen Meadow Park. The motion was  $2^{\text{nd}}$ .

### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION:** Several comments / questions from the resident. A motion was made to move the question and the motion was  $2^{nd}$ . The moderator declared the vote to move the question passed unanimously.

The Moderator called for the vote on the motion. He declared Article 24 passed by a voice vote in the majority, with a few objections.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 25:** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by adding, at the end of § 4.2.1 "Uses Authorized by Board of Appeals" within the Limited Business District, the following:

"4. Business or professional office, or bank, wherein more than five (5) persons are regularly employed."

or to take any other action in relation thereto. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** was made by Planning Board Member Michael Sheehan to move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by adding, at the end of § 4.2.1 "Uses Authorized by Board of Appeals" within the Limited Business District, the following:

"4. Business or professional office, or bank, wherein more than five (5) persons are regularly employed.." The motion was  $2^{nd}$ .

#### **2/3 VOTE REQUIRED**

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION:** Town Council was asked to address a question from a voter on how this would impact Market Street. Mr. Mullen advised there would be no impact since the businesses at Market Street fell under different regulations. The Moderator called for a vote. After hearing a voice vote, the Moderator declared Article 25 passed unanimously.

<b>ATTEST:</b>		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 26:** To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 7.4.a entitled "Additional Requirements for PWSF" of the Zoning Bylaws by:

- a. deleting therefrom the following:", in addition to the requirements of 7.4 'Site Plan Approval'"; and
- b. renumbering the said section from "7.4.a." to "7.4.1"; entitled "Additional Requirements for PWSF"

or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Planning Board

**MOTION** was made by Planning Board member Alan Dresios to move that the Town vote to amend Section 7.4.a entitled "Additional Requirements for PWSF" of the Zoning Bylaws by:

- a. deleting therefrom the following:", in addition to the requirements of 7.4 'Site Plan Approval'"; and
- b. renumbering the said section from "7.4.a." to "7.4.1"; entitled "Additional Requirements for PWSF". The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup>.

#### **2/3 VOTE REQUIRED**

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION:** After a quick question and explanation of what PWSF stands for, the Moderator called for the vote. Upon hearing the voice vote, the Moderator declared Article 26 passed unanimously.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 27:** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by revising Section 8.7, entitled "Siting of Radio Telecommunications Facilities," such that whenever any section, subsection or sub-subsection number includes "8.7" the same is changed to "8.8", or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Planning Board

**MOTION** was made by Planning Board member Alan Dresios to move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by revising Section 8.7, entitled "Siting of Radio Telecommunications Facilities," such that whenever any section, subsection or subsubsection number includes "8.7" the same is changed to "8.8". The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup>.

#### 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED

**ACTION:** Hearing no discussion, the Moderator called for a vote, and hearing no objections, the Moderator declared Article 27 passed unanimously.

ATTEST:	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 28**: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by deleting embedded section numbers and replacing them with section titles in various places, as follows:

- a. in Section 4.8, by deleting "8. Any uses allowed in Section 9.4 Wireless Communication District" and replacing it with "8. Any uses allowed in the section entitled 'Siting of Radio Telecommunications Facilities'";
- b. in Section 8.4.8, by deleting "15";
- c. in Section 8.5.3.4, by deleting "Section 6, Sign Regulations," and replacing it with "Sign Regulations";
- d. in Section 9.5.6, by deleting Section 9.5.6.15 and Section 9.5.6.16 and replacing them with the following:
  - "15. Adult uses as enumerated under the "Adult Uses" Section of the Zoning Bylaws.
  - "16. Medical Marijuana uses as enumerated under the "Medical Marijuana" Section of the Zoning Bylaws.";

and

e. in Section 13.6, by deleting "Section II Chapter 6 of the Bylaws of the Town of Lynnfield (as amended)" and replacing it with "these Zoning Bylaws"; or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Planning Board



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

#### **ARTICLE 28 (Cont'd):**

**MOTION** was made by Planning Board member Alan Dresios to move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by deleting embedded section numbers and replacing them with section titles in various places, as shown on page 26 of the Finance Committee Report. The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### **2/3 VOTE REQUIRED**

**ACTION:** Hearing no discussion, the Moderator called for a vote, and hearing no objections, the Moderator declared Article 28 passed unanimously by a voice vote.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 29:** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws definitions, as follows:

- a. in Section 2, deleting the line reading "2.16, Standards Applicable to All Definitions"; renumbering subsections 2.16.1, 2.16.2, 2.16.3 and 2.16.4 as 2.1, 2.2, 2.3 and 2.4, respectively; deleting all subsection numbers associated with particular definitions; adding a new subsection 2.5 entitled "Individual Meanings" which shall list all those particular definitions in alphabetical order.
- b. deleting subsection 7.7.2 and moving the text thereof to subsection 2.5, placing it in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein;
- c. moving the text of all definitions in subsection 8.5.2 to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein, excepting only the definition of "Substantial or Significant Portion," which shall remain in subsection 8.5.2;
- d. moving the text of all definitions in subsection 8.6.2 to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein, excepting only the definition of "Assisted Living" and "An Assisted Living Residence" which shall remain in subsection 8.6.2;
- e. moving the text of all definitions in subsection 8.7.3 to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein and eliminating the sub-subsection numbers thereof, excepting only the definition of "Special Permit," which shall remain in subsection 8.7.3 but without any sub-subsection number; and
- f. moving the text of all definitions in subsection 9.3.3 to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein and eliminating the sub-subsection numbers thereof, excepting only the definition of "Acre," which shall remain in subsection 9.3.3 but without

any sub-subsection number; or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Planning Board

**MOTION** was made by Planning Board member Alan Dresios to move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws definitions, as shown on page 27 of the Finance Committee Report. The motion was  $2^{nd}$ .

### **2/3 VOTE REQUIRED**

	Hearing no the Modera			vote, and he	aring no
ATTEST:					

Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk



# RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 30:** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by deleting Section 7.7 entitled "Temporary Moratorium Medical Treatment Centers", or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Planning Board

**MOTION** was made by Planning Board member Alan Dresios to move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by deleting Section 7.7 entitled "Temporary Moratorium Medical Treatment Centers." The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup>.

#### **2/3 VOTE REQUIRED**

ACTION:	Hearing no discussion	, the Moderator	called for a v	oice vote,	and hearing no
objections,	the Moderator declared	l Article 30 pass	ed unanimou	sly.	

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 31:** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by adding the following definitions to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein:

- a. "Movement or Moving As applied to signs, any visual elements that either change or alter in appearance whatsoever.";
- b. "A.T.M. or ATM Annual Town Meeting as called for in the Town Charter, in the spring."; and
- c. "S.T.M. or STM Special Town Meeting as called for or permitted in the Town Charter, including but not limited to the regular town meeting scheduled for the fall.";

or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Planning Board

**MOTION** was made by Planning Board member Alan Dresios to move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by adding the following definitions to subsection 2.5, placing them in alphabetical order with all other definitions located therein:

- a. "Movement or Moving As applied to signs, any visual elements that either change or alter in appearance whatsoever.";
- b. "A.T.M. or ATM Annual Town Meeting as called for in the Town Charter, in the spring."; and
- c. "S.T.M. or STM Special Town Meeting as called for or permitted in the Town Charter, including but not limited to the regular town meeting scheduled for the fall.". The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup>.



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

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ARTICLE 31 (Cont'd):
2/3 VOTE REQUIRED
<b>ACTION:</b> Hearing no discussion, the Moderator called for a voice vote, and hearing no objections, the Moderator declared Article 31 passed unanimously.
ATTEST:  Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk
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## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 32**: To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to Article IV, Section 217-39.B of the General Bylaws of the Town, to designate the following ways as "Scenic Roads":

Chestnut Street Essex Street Lowell Street Main Street Summer Street;

or what action it will take thereon. Submitted by the Conservation Committee

**MOTION** was made by Tree Committee member Bill Thompson to move that the Town vote, pursuant to Article IV, Section 217-39.B of the General Bylaws of the Town, to designate the following ways as "Scenic Roads": Chestnut Street, Essex Street, Lowell Street, Main Street, Summer Street. The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup>.

#### **MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED**

Board of Selectman gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation, but not unanimously

**ACTION:** After some discussion from the voters regarding concerns on possible restrictions and costs that could be incurred, Planning Board member John Faria gave an explanation of how the new bylaw would actually work. Hearing no further discussion, the Moderator called for the vote. After a voice vote, the Moderator declared Article 32 passed by the majority, with a few objections.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid. Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

#### **CLOSING MOTION**

**MOTION** was made by Chairman Crawford to move that the meeting be adjourned sine die. By a unanimously voice vote, the Moderator declared the motion passed at 9:55 pm.

## MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	

## APPROPRIATIONS VOTED TO BE RAISED BY TAX LEVY AT ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

ARTICLE 7	From Tax Levy for Operating Budget	\$50,351,574.00
ARTICLE 8	From Tax Levy -Capital Budget	\$439,908.00
ARTICLE 9	From Tax Levy – Stabilization Fund	\$200,000.00
ARTICLE 10	From Tax Levy – Capital Facilities	\$200,000.00
TOTAL TAX	LEVY \$51,191,482.00	
	APPROPRIATIONS VOTED TO BE RAISED BY TO AT THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING	RANSFER
ARTICLE 7	To transfer from sale of lots and graves account To be applied to Line Item 73, Highway Expenses	\$20,000.00
	To transfer from "Reserve for Appropriations" To be applied to Line Item 112, Septic Loan Programs	\$32,641.00
	To transfer from the American Legion fund to be Applied to Line Item 103, Memorial Day Observances	\$990.00
ARTICLE 8	To transfer from Free Cash - Capital	\$1,240,000.00
ARTICLE 22	To transfer from Free Cash – Medical Bills	\$20,000.00
	TOTAL TRANSFERS	\$1,313,631.00
	APPROPRIATIONS VOTED TO OPERATE ENTI- FUNDS AT THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETIN	
ARTICLE 18	To appropriate from the Emergency Medical Service Enterprise Receipts under Chapter 44, Section 53F ½ to defray costs to provide emergency medical services in Lynnfield.	\$667,040.00
ARTICLE 19	To appropriate from the Golf Enterprise receipts under Chapter 44, Section 53F ½ to operate the Reedy Meadow Golf Course and King Rail Reserve Golf courses.	\$836,000.00
	TOTAL ENTERPRISE:	\$1,503,040.00
ATTEST:	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	

## APPROPRIATIONS VOTED TO RAISE REVOLVING FUNDS AT ANNUAL TOWN MEETING APRIL 25, 2016

ATTEST:	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	-
	TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS:	\$55,217,153.00
	TOTAL FOR BORROWING:	\$849,000.00
ARTICLE 8	To authorize the Treasurer to borrow for FY2017 designated items in Capital Plan	\$849.000.00
	APPROPRIATIONS VOTED TO BOY AT ANNUAL TOWN MEETING APRIL 25, 2016	
	TOTAL REVOLVING FUNDS:	\$360,000.00
ARTICLE 17	To authorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53E ½ to be spent by the Department of Public Works to pay expenses related to the scheduling, maintenance and upkeep of the Al Merritt Cultural Center.	\$10,000.00
ARTICLE 16	To reauthorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53E ½ to be spent by the Department Of Public Works to pay expenses related to Maintenance and upkeep of athletics fields	\$50,000.00
ARTICLE 15	To reauthorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53E ½ to be spent by the Recreation Commission, to pay expenses and contractual services required to operate Recreation activities and field trips.	\$225,000.00
ARTICLE 14	To reauthorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2 to be spent by the Board of Library Trustees for replacement of lost books	\$10,000.00
ARTICLE 13	To reauthorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2 to be spent by the Board of Health for flu clinic expenses.	\$15,000.00
ARTICLE 12	To reauthorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2 to be spent by the Council on Aging for activities and field trips.	\$50,000.00

## APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2016 TO JUNE 30, 2017 VOTED AT TOWN MEETING APRIL 25, 2016

**ARTICLE 7** To raise and appropriate by transfer from available funds by tax levy for Town charges and expenses. \$50,405,205.00

**ARTICLE 8** To raise and appropriate by transfer from available funds, by tax levy or by borrowing for capital expenditures. \$2,528,908.00

**ARTICLE 9** To appropriate by transfer from available funds, by tax levy to the Stabilization Fund \$200,000.00

**ARTICLE 10** To appropriate by transfer from available funds, by tax levy to the Capital Facilities Fund \$200,000.00

**ARTICLE 12** To reauthorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2 to be spent by the Council on Aging for Activities and field trips \$50,000.00

**ARTICLE 13** To reauthorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2 to be spent by the Board of Health for flu clinic expenses

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**ARTICLE 14** To reauthorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53 E-1/2 to be spent by the Board of Library Trustees for replacement of lost books \$10,000.00

**ARTICLE 15** To reauthorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53E ½ to be spent by the Recreation Commission to pay expenses and contractual services required to operate Recreation activities and field trips.

\$225,000.00

**ARTICLE 16** To reauthorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53E ½ to be spent by the Department of Public Works to pay expenses related to maintenance and upkeep of athletics fields \$50,000.00

# APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2016 TO JUNE 30, 2017 VOTED AT TOWN MEETING APRIL 25, 2016 (Cont'd)

**ARTICLE 17** To authorize a Revolving Fund under Chapter 44, Section 53E ½ to be spent by the Department of Public Works to pay expenses related to the scheduling, maintenance and upkeep of the Al Merritt Cultural Center.

\$10,000.00

\$55,217,153.00

**ARTICLE 18** To appropriate from the Emergency Medical Service Enterprise receipts under Chapter 44, Section 53 F-1/2 to defray the cost to provide emergency medical services in Lynnfield. \$667,040.00

**ARTICLE 19** To appropriate from the Golf Enterprise receipts under Chapter 44, Sec. 53F 1/2 to operate the Reedy Meadow Golf Course and King Rail Reserve Golf courses. \$836,000.00

**ARTICLE 22** To appropriate from free cash to pay certain outstanding medical bills for firefighter Keith Gavreau, injured on duty August 12, 2010 \$20,000.00

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	

TOTAL:



#### TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE 55 Summer Street, Lynnfield, Mass. 01940 781-334-9400

## APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2015 TO JUNE 30, 2016 TOWN MEETING APRIL 25, 2016

**ARTICLE 4:** To raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds and reduce certain departmental appropriations, and to supplement certain accounts in the current 2016 Fiscal year where balances are below projected expenditures. (See attached detail.)

Transfer from existing appropriations \$292,388.00

Transfer from Free Cash \$150,000.00

**ARTICLE 24:** To appropriate from free cash for the construction of municipal outdoor recreational facilities, including the development of land and the construction and reconstruction of facilities at Glen Meadow Park

\$200,000.00

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS

\$642,388.00

	ARTICLE 4 2016 ANNUAL TOWN MEETING	
Transfer To:	201071111071271011110	
0112254-530000	Selectman's Other Professional Services	20,000
0113151-511200	Finance Committee Clerical Salaries	675
0115153-578000	Town Counsel Expenses	500
0116151-511200	Town Clerk Clerical Salaries	900
0121052-511001	Dispatcher's Salaries	9,000
0121053-513000	Officer's Overtime	81,000
0121054-513000	Officer's Training Overtime	6,000
01392531-533000	Contract Buses System Wide	148,000
0154353-515000	Veteran's Benefits	10,500
0161051-511000	Library Director Salaries	5,398
0161053-530000	Library Expenses-Other Professional Services	6,810
0171052-591000	Principal Paydown (2012 capital plan)	150,000
0175251-592504	Short Term Interest	1,105
0191955-517012	Other Employee Benefits	2,500
		442,388.00
Transfer From:		
0113551-511000	Town Accountant's Salary	20,000
0116155-578000	Election Other Expense	900
0139252-52102	School Buildings Energy Supply	20,000
0142153-548002	Motor Fuel	64,780
0142451-521005	Reading Electricity	30,000
0143351-578031	Rubbish Disposal	35,000
0161052-511000	Librarian Other Salaries	12,208
0191052-517002	Health Insurance	100,000
0191254-517006	Worker's Comp Insurance	9,500
0100-104000	Certified Free Cash- General Fund	150,000
		442,388.00

ATTEST:

Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk

## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS WILLIAM FRANCIS GALVIN SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH

#### WARRANT FOR 2016 STATE PRIMARY

SS.

To the Constables of the Town of LYNNFIELD

#### GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to vote at:

#### Precincts 1, 2, 3, & 4

#### Lynnfield High School, 275 Essex Street

On THURSDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2016, from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. for the following purpose:

To cast their votes in the State Primaries for the candidates of political parties for the following offices:

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS COUNCILLOR SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT SHERIFF

SIXTH ESSEX DISTRICT SIXTH ESSEX DISTRICT THIRD ESSEX DISTRICT  $20^{TH}$  MIDDLESEX DISTRICT ESSEX COUNTY

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said voting.

Given under our hands this

day of July, 2016

SELECTMEN OF LYNNFIELD

Pursuant to the Warrant, I have this day notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield as herein directed by posting eight attested copies of the Warrant in said Lynnfield, (Center Post Office, Village Market, Library, Pump n' Pantry, Senior Center, South Post Office, Lynnfield Water District and Town Hall) seven days at least before the time and calling of said election.

Constable

(month and day)

Warrant must be posted by September 1, 2016 (at least seven days prior to the September 8, 2016 State Primary).

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TOTALS	104	120	129	103	402
COUNCILLOR					
Terrence W. Kennedy	83	104	114	89	390
Stephen Borelli	4	7	3	9	23
Richard J. DiMeo	2	4	2	1	9
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SENATOR IN GENERAL					
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William Castro	1	0	2	0	3
Kevin F. Coppinger	36	51	40	29	156
Michael J. Mark	26	35	42	41	144
Edward J. O'Reilly	31	28	32	29	120
Jerry P. Robito	1	0	3	2	6
Paul L.D. Russell, Jr	2	4	4	1	
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REPRESENTATIVE IN	GENERAL C	OURT			
Bradley H. Jones, Jr.	47	44	41	59	191
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TOTALS	56	45	50	73	224
SHERIFF					
Kenneth H. Berg	5	1	6	4	16
Jeffrey J. Gallo	4	5	2	6	17
James P. Jajuga, Jr.	11	8	14	18	51
Craig G. Lane	5	2	1	3	11
Anne M. Manning-Martin	26	25	20	33	104
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#### LYNNFIELD TOWN WARRANT THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS TOWN MEETING – OCTOBER 17, 2016

Essex, ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Lynnfield in the County of Essex, GREETINGS:

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 in the Middle School Auditorium, and in the Cafeteria and Gymnasium, if necessary, on Monday, October 17, 2017 at 7:30 p.m. then and there to act on the following articles:

**ARTICLE 1.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate by transfer from available funds, sums of money to pay overdue bills of a prior fiscal year; or to take any other action in connection therewith.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 2.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, sums of money to supplement certain accounts in the current 2017 Fiscal Year for various purposes; or to take any other action in connection therewith.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 3.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate by transfer from available funds or by borrowing, or from any or all such sources, a sum of money for required improvements to school grounds and athletic facilities, or to take any other action in connection therewith.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 4.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate by transfer from receipts reserved for appropriation a sum of money to be expended under the discretion of various town boards, committees, or officers; or to take any other action in connection therewith.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 15A and all other applicable legal authority, to transfer from the Board of Selectmen to the Board of Library Trustees the care, custody, management and control of the land on Summer Street shown on that certain plan of land entitled "Plan of Land 175 Summer Street Lynnfield, MA" and dated July 8, 2016, consisting of 149,146 square feet, more or less, according to such plan, the Board of Selectmen having determined that such land is no longer needed for golf course purposes, provided that the Board of Library Trustees shall hold and use such land for the purpose of constructing and operating a new library building, or to take any other action in connection therewith.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

**ARTICLE 6.** To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by adding the underlined text below to Section 4.1:

"In a Single Residence A, B, C and D District, the following uses are permitted:

"1. Residential use of a one family detached house, with not more than one such house located on any lot, provided that no such property shall be leased or rented for a period of thirty (30) days or less unless specifically authorized by the Board of Appeals under Section 4.1.1.3, below."

and by replacing Section 4.1.1.3, which currently authorizes a special permit for the following use:

"3. Tourist home, boarding or lodging house (but not including overnight cabins, motels or hotels),"

with the following new, underlined text:

"3. Intentionally Omitted."

and by adding the underlined text below to Section 5.1.5:

"In Single Residence A, B, C and D District, the following uses are hereby specifically declared to be customary 'accessory uses' within the meaning of this bylaw:

"5. The regular renting of rooms or the furnishing of table board in a dwelling by prearrangement to not more than five (5) persons, provided that no such renting shall be for a period of thirty (30) days or less."

or to take any other action in connection therewith.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 7.** To see if the Town will vote to amend § 13.6 of the Zoning Bylaws, entitled "Fines," by repealing the text thereof and replacing it with the following:

"Any violation of these Zoning Bylaws shall be punishable by a fine of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300), and in the sole discretion of the Building Inspector may be made the subject of non-criminal disposition pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 21D. Each day such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense. Such fines shall be recovered as provided by law and shall enure to the Town of Lynnfield."

or to take any other action in connection therewith.

Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 8.** To see if the Town will vote to petition the Legislature to enact legislation to require the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (the "MBTA") to:

grant a perpetual, non-transferable license to the Town for the purpose of cleaning, enlarging, expanding, removing, replacing, renovating, removing debris and blockages from, and otherwise maintaining and rendering useful, at the sole expense of the Town, the culverts located beneath the railroad bed owned by the MBTA and located in that part of the Town known as "Reedy Meadow," provided that the Town furnish the MBTA with an environmental insurance policy of the kind described in G.L. c. 23A, § 3I(a), such license to be granted at no cost to the Town and without any requirement that the Town furnish any other form of insurance, or any defense, indemnification or hold-harmless agreement with respect to any claims, injuries, costs, damages or other relief arising out of or related to the pre-existing release or threat of release of oil or hazardous materials, as those terms are defined in G.L. c. 21E, at or from the said railroad bed;

provided, that the Legislature may reasonably vary the form or substance of the requested legislation within the scope of the general public objectives of this petition; or to take any other action in connection therewith.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 9.** To see if the town will revise the dog licensing fees as currently listed in Section 115-7 of the Town's general bylaws by deleting the following:

"D. Any owner or keeper of a dog who shall fail to comply with the provisions of this section by March in any year shall be subject to a penalty of \$10 per dog.";

or to take any other action in connection therewith.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 10.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate by transfer from available funds or by borrowing, or from any or all such sources, a sum of money for engineering services related to the Town-wide recreational fields program, or to take any other action in connection therewith.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

**ARTICLE 11.** To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of G. L. c. 90, § 17C, which would allow the Board of Selectmen, in the interests of public safety and without further authority, to establish a speed limit of 25 miles per hour on any roadway inside a thickly settled or business district in the city or town on any way that is not a state highway; or to take any other action in connection therewith.

#### Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of G. L. c. 90, § 18B, which would allow the Board of Selectmen, in the interests of public safety and without further authority, to establish designated safety zones on, at or near any way in the city or town which is not a state highway, and with the approval of the department if the same is a state highway. Such safety zones shall be posted as having a speed limit of 20 miles per hour; or to take any other action in connection therewith.

Submitted by BOARD OF SELECTMEN

And you are further directed to serve this warrant, by posting up attested copies thereof, in at least six public places in said Town of Lynnfield, 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, or before hand as aforesaid.

Philip B. Crawford, Chairman

Christopher J. Barrett, Selectman

Richard P. Dalton., Selectman

A true copy ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Constable 9/29/1/

#### Date:

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have this day notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield as herein directed by posting eight attested copies of the Warrant in said Lynnfield 14 days before the time and calling of said meeting.

Paul Minsky Constable

Posted at: Center Post Office Center Market Library Pump 'n Pantry Senior Center Lynnfield Water District South Post Office Town Hall



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

The Annual Fall Town Meeting was called to order by Moderator Arthur Bourque at 7:36 PM, indicating the quorum of 175 registered voters had been met. The Moderator began by introducing the Board of Selectmen, the Town Administrator, the Finance Committee, Town Counsel and the Town Clerk. The Moderator read the list of non residents / non voters which included the town's department heads.

The use of voter cards was explained, as well as the rules for speaking to an Article with questions or comments. Mr. Bourque acknowledged the warrant return and waived the reading of the warrant.

The Moderator introduced Board of Selectmen Chair Phil Crawford to begin with the first preliminary motion.

#### PRELIMINARY MOTION

**MOTION** was made by Chairman Phil Crawford that if necessary, the Annual Town Meeting be adjourned to Thursday, October 20, 2016, at 7:30 PM in the Middle School Auditorium, Gymnasium and Cafeteria, if need be, should the business of the meetings not be completed.

#### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

**ACTION:** Motion  $2^{nd}$  by Selectman Barrett. No discussion. Moderator declared motion passed unanimously by a voice vote.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 1** -To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate by transfer from available funds, sums of money to pay overdue bills of a prior fiscal year; or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION:** Selectman Barrett moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$1,871.11 to pay the overdue bills from a prior Fiscal Year as listed on the handout entitled "ARTICLES 1 AND 2 – OCTOBER 17, 2016 TOWN MEETING."

#### 9/10 VOTE REQUIRED

**ACTION -** Motion 2<sup>nd</sup> by Selectman Crawford. No discussion. Moderator declared Article 1 passed unanimously by a voice vote.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 2**-To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, sums of money to supplement certain accounts in the current 2017 Fiscal Year various purposes; or what other action in connection therewith. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** - Selectman Dalton moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$112,098.00, and transfer \$297,795.00 from existing Fiscal Year 2017 appropriation accounts the sums listed in the handout entitled "ARTICLES 1 AND 2 – OCTOBER 17, 2016 TOWN MEETING" to the accounts listed in said handout in order to balance the FY 17 budget.

#### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

Board of Selectman gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

 ${\bf ACTION}$  - Motion  $2^{\rm nd}$  by Selectman Crawford Hearing no discussion, the Moderator declared Article 2 passed unanimously by a voice vote.

ATTEST:	Trudy L. Reid. Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 3 -** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate by transfer from available funds or by borrowing, or from any other or all such sources, a sum of money for required improvements to school grounds and athletic facilities, or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** - Selectman Crawford moved that the town vote to raise and appropriate \$40,000.00 for required improvements to school grounds and athletic facilities.

#### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

**ACTION -** Motion 2<sup>nd</sup> by Selectman Barrett Selectmen Crawford explained there were several items on the list to include wells and pump stations and the bleachers at the middle school. Hearing no discussion, the Moderator declared Article 3 passed unanimously by a voice vote.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 4** – To see if the Town will vote to appropriate by transfer from receipts reserved for appropriation a sum of money to be expended under the discretion of various town boards, committees, or officers; or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** - Selectman Barrett moved that the town vote to appropriate by transfer the sum of \$49,409.00 from receipts reserved for appropriation (insurance recoveries) to make repairs to the Department of Public Works Garage and repair or replace Department of Public Work equipment.

#### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee did not vote on motion as written, and there was no requirement for the Finance Committee to make a recommendation.

 ${\bf ACTION}$  - Motion  $2^{\rm nd}$  by Selectman Crawford Hearing no discussion, the Moderator declared Article 4 passed unanimously by a voice vote.

ATTEST:		
ATTEST.	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 5** – To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 15A and all other applicable legal authority, to transfer from the Board of Selectmen to the Board of Library Trustees the care, custody, management and control of the land on Summer Street shown on that certain plan of land entitled "Plan of Land 175 Summer Street Lynnfield, MA" and dated July 8, 2016, consisting of 149,146 square feet, more or less, according to such plan, the Board of Selectmen having determined that such land is no longer needed for golf course purposes, provided that the Board of Library Trustees shall hold and use such land for the purpose of constructing and operating a new library building, or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by Board of Library Trustees

**MOTION:** Selectman Dalton moved that the Town vote, pursuant to General Laws Chapter 40, Section 15A and all other applicable legal authority, to transfer from the Board of Selectmen to the Board of Library Trustees the care, custody, management and control of the land on Summer Street shown on that certain plan of land entitled "Plan of Land 175 Summer Street Lynnfield, MA" and dated July 8, 2016, consisting of 149,146 square feet, more or less, according to such plan, the Board of Selectmen having determined that such land is no longer needed for golf course purposes, provided that the Board of Library Trustees shall hold and use such land for the purpose of constructing and operating a new library building.

#### 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED

**ACTION:** Selectman Dalton explained this motion would allow a transfer of land – not money – to the Library Board of Trustees, as part of their grant application. Several residents questioned as to what would happen to the land if the new library was not built. The maintenance responsibility of the land was questioned as well, and it was explained by the BOS the current maintenance of the land by the golf course would stay in place. Harry Lecours made a motion for the article to be indefinitely postponed, and the motion was  $2^{nd}$ . The motion to move the question on the amendment was made, and  $2^{nd}$ . The Moderator called for a vote, and declared Article 5 to indefinitely postpone failed unanimously.



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

#### **ARTICLE 5 (Cont'd)**

After further discussion on the land and how and when it would be transferred back to the Town should the new library not be built, Selectman Crawford made a motion to amend Article 5 to state at the end of the motion "and provided that such care, custody, management and control shall revert to the Board of Selectmen if Town Meeting shall fail to approve the construction of a new library on such land within five (5) years from the date hereof". This motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Selectman Dalton. The Moderator called for a vote on the amended motion as read by Selectman Crawford, which the Moderator declared passed with several in opposition.

The Moderator called for a vote on the amended motion which he declared passed by a 2/3 majority; 161 in favor and 13 against.

ATTEST:	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 6** – To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws by adding the underlined text below to Section 4.1:

"In a Single Residence A, B, C and D District, the following uses are permitted:

"1. Residential use of a one family detached house, with not more than one such house located on any lot, provided that no such property shall be leased or rented for a period of thirty (30) days or less unless specifically authorized by the Board of Appeals under Section 4.1.1.3, below."

and by replacing Section 4.1.1.3, which currently authorizes a special permit for the following use:

"3. Tourist home, boarding or lodging house (but not including overnight cabins, motels or hotels),"

with the following new, underlined text:

"3. Intentionally Omitted."

and by adding the underlined text below to Section 5.1.5:

"In Single Residence A, B, C and D District, the following uses are hereby specifically declared to be customary 'accessory uses' within the meaning of this bylaw:

. . .

"5. The regular renting of rooms or the furnishing of table board in a dwelling by prearrangement to not more than five (5) persons, provided that no such renting shall be for a period of thirty (30) days or less."

or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by Board of Selectmen



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

ARTICLE 6 (Cont'd)

### **2/3 VOTE REQUIRED**

**MOTION:** Selectman Crawford moved that the Town vote to amend the zoning bylaws as indicated in Article 6 of the town meeting warrant except the words "unless specifically authorized by the Board of Appeals under Section 4.1.1.3, below" which shall be deleted. The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Selectman Barrett.

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION** – Some discussion was against the change of the zoning laws. A few residents spoke in favor, especially the nearby neighbors who expressed concern about loud parties, etc. The Town Administrator stated this bylaw was just a clarification of the bylaw. Town Counsel spoke that this amendment will eliminate ligation since the bylaw will be specific. A resident called to move the question, which was  $2^{nd}$ . The Moderator took a vote to move the question which passed by a majority with a few in objection.

The Moderator called to vote on the motion. The counters were asked to assist with a hand count. The Moderator declared Article 6 passed by a 2/3 majority, 152 in favor, 11 against.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016

## **Lynnfield Middle School**

Upon the passing of Article 6, the quorum was challenged by a resident.

The Moderator asked for the floor tellers to come forward, and gave them their instructions on counting those in attendance. Upon a report from the floor tellers, it was determine Town Meeting had lost the quorum needed. The Moderator adjourned the meeting at 9:09 pm, and reminded those in attendance the meeting would reconvene on Thursday, October 20, 2016 at the Lynnfield Middle School.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016

## **Lynnfield Middle School**

On Thursday, October 20, 2016, the second session of the Annual Fall Meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 8:16 PM, after waiting for the quorum to be met. The Moderator thanked those in attendance for their patience while they waited for other voters to be checked in.

The Moderator read the list of non-residents / non-voters which included the town's department heads, with no objections. The Moderator reminded those in attendance the service of the warrant was confirmed on the first night of Town Meeting, Monday, October 17, 2016.

ATTEST:	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 7** – To see if the Town will vote to amend § 13.6 of the Zoning Bylaws, entitled "Fines," by repealing the text thereof and replacing it with the following:

"Any violation of these Zoning Bylaws shall be punishable by a fine of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300), and in the sole discretion of the Building Inspector may be made the subject of non-criminal disposition pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 21D. Each day such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense. Such fines shall be recovered as provided by law and shall enure to the Town of Lynnfield."

or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by Board of Selectmen

**MOTION:** Selectman Barrett moved that the Town vote to vote to amend § 13.6 of the Zoning Bylaws, entitled "Fines," by repealing the text thereof and replacing it with the following:

"Any violation of these Zoning Bylaws shall be punishable by a fine of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300), and in the sole discretion of the Building Inspector may be made the subject of non-criminal disposition pursuant to General Laws Chapter 40, Section 21D. Each day such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense. Such fines shall be recovered as provided by law and shall enure to the Town of Lynnfield." The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Selectman Crawford.

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation Planning Board gave a favorable recommendation

#### 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED

**ACTION** – Planning Board member John Faria made a amended motion to delete from the motion "the sole discretion of the Building Inspector may be made subject of non-criminal disposition pursuant to General Laws Chapter 40, Section 21D". After hearing no discussion, the Moderator called for a vote on the amendment. The Moderator declared the amendment passed in favor, with several objections. The Moderator called for the vote on the motion. The Moderator declared the motion passed unanimously.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 8** – To see if the Town will vote to petition the Legislature to enact legislation to require the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (the "MBTA") to:

grant a perpetual, non-transferable license to the Town for the purpose of cleaning, enlarging, expanding, removing, replacing, renovating, removing debris and blockages from, and otherwise maintaining and rendering useful, at the sole expense of the Town, the culverts located beneath the railroad bed owned by the MBTA and located in that part of the Town known as "Reedy Meadow," provided that the Town furnish the MBTA with an environmental insurance policy of the kind described in G.L. c. 23A, § 3I(a), such license to be granted at no cost to the Town and without any requirement that the Town furnish any other form of insurance, or any defense, indemnification or hold-harmless agreement with respect to any claims, injuries, costs, damages or other relief arising out of or related to the pre-existing release or threat of release of oil or hazardous materials, as those terms are defined in G.L. c. 21E, at or from the said railroad bed;

provided, that the Legislature may reasonably vary the form or substance of the requested legislation within the scope of the general public objectives of this petition; or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** – Selectman Dalton moved to see if the Town will vote to petition the Legislature to enact legislation to require the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (the "MBTA") to:



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

#### **ARTICLE 8 (Cont'd)**

enact legislation to require the MBTA to grant a perpetual, non-transferable license to the Town for the purpose of cleaning, enlarging, expanding, removing, replacing, renovating, removing debris and blockages from, and otherwise maintaining and rendering useful, at the sole expense of the Town, the culverts located beneath the railroad bed owned by the MBTA and located in that part of the Town known as "Reedy Meadow," provided that the Town furnish the MBTA with an environmental insurance policy of the kind described in G.L. c. 23A, § 3I(a), such license to be granted at no cost to the Town and without any requirement that the Town furnish any other form of insurance, or any defense, indemnification or hold-harmless agreement with respect to any claims, injuries, costs, damages or other relief arising out of or related to the pre-existing release or threat of release of oil or hazardous materials, as those terms are defined in G.L. c. 21E, at or from the said railroad bed;

provided, that the Legislature may reasonably vary the form or substance of the requested legislation within the scope of the general public objectives of this petition; or to take any other action in connection therewith. Motion was  $2^{nd}$  by Selectman Barrett.

#### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION** – Selectman Crawford gave a quick explanation this will allow the Town to look at the flooding issues at Perry Avenue. One resident spoke in favor of the petition and thanked the Board of Selectmen for putting forth the Article. Upon hearing no further discussion, the Moderator called for a voice vote, and declared the motion passed unanimously.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid. Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 9** – To see if the town will revise the dog licensing fees as currently listed in Section 115-7 of the Town's general bylaws by deleting the following: "D. Any owner or keeper of a dog who shall fail to comply with the provisions of this section by March in any year shall be subject to a penalty of \$10 per dog"; or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION** – Chairman Crawford moved that the town vote to revise the dog licensing fees as currently listed in Section 115-7 of the Town's general bylaws by deleting the following: "D. Any owner or keeper of a dog who shall fail to comply with the provisions of this section by March in any year shall be subject to a penalty of \$10 per dog."

#### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION** - The motion was  $2^{nd}$  by Selectman Barrett. Town Administrator Jim Boudreau gave an explanation this article was requested by the Town Clerk. The late fee is the same as the registration fee which seems out of proportion. No discussion. The Moderator called for a vote, which he declared passed by a majority with a few objections.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid. Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

At the start of this Article, Moderator Bourque excused himself as Moderator since he felt there would be a conflict of interest due to the fact he is Chair of the Fields Committee. The Selectmen made a motion to elect David Basile as Temporary Moderator. Hearing no objections, the motion passed. The Town Clerk administered the oath. The Temporary Moderator proceeded with the reading of Article 10.

**ARTICLE 10 -** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or appropriate by transfer from available funds or by borrowing, or from any or all such sources, a sum of money for engineering services related to the Town-wide recreational fields program, or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION:** Selectman Barrett moved that the Town vote to transfer from free cash the sum of \$150,000.00 to be used for engineering services related to the Town-wide recreational fields program. The motion was  $2^{nd}$  by Selectman Crawford.

#### **MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED**

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION** – Arthur Bourque, Chair of the Fields Committee, spoke on behalf of the motion. He told those in attendance after the engineering study was complete, any suggestions would be brought back to Town Meeting. A resident spoke about a survey that was conducted about 8 years ago and on the wish list was a dog park. He suggested a dog park to be put on a future list. After hearing no further discussion, the temporary moderator called for a vote. The temporary moderator declared the motion passed unanimously

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid. Town Clerk	



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

The Temporary Moderator stepped down and Moderator Bourque continued with the reading of Article 11.

**ARTICLE 11** – To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of G. L. c. 90, § 17C, which would allow the Board of Selectmen, in the interests of public safety and without further authority, to establish a speed limit of 25 miles per hour on any roadway inside a thickly settled or business district in the city or town on any way that is not a state highway; or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION:** Selectman Dalton moved that the Town vote to accept the provisions of General Laws Chapter 90, Section 17C, which would allow the Board of Selectmen, in the interests of public safety and without further authority, to establish a speed limit of 25 miles per hour on any roadway inside a thickly settled or business district in the city or town on any way that is not a state highway.

#### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION:** Selectman Crawford  $2^{nd}$  the motion. Selectman Dalton explained this comes from the modernization act that gives municipalities a way to make certain changes within their district without going to the State level. Selectman Dalton indicated at the moment there are no streets that this would take immediate effect. Resident Joe Maney made a motion to amend the motion to eliminate the words "city or" from the motion. A  $2^{nd}$  was made for this amended motion. Hearing no discussion, the Moderator declared the amended motion passed unanimously. The Moderator called for a vote on the motion as amended, which he declared passed by a majority, with few objections.

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	

## Town of Lynnfield



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

**ARTICLE 12** - To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of G. L. c. 90, § 18B, which would allow the Board of Selectmen, in the interests of public safety and without further authority, to establish designated safety zones on, at or near any way in the city or town which is not a state highway, and with the approval of the department if the same is a state highway. Such safety zones shall be posted as having a speed limit of 20 miles per hour; or to take any other action in connection therewith. Submitted by the Board of Selectmen

**MOTION:** Chairman Crawford made a motion to move that the Town vote to accept the provisions of General Laws Chapter. 90, Section 18B, which would allow the Board of Selectmen, in the interests of public safety and without further authority, to establish designated safety zones on, at or near any way in the town which is not a state highway, and with the approval of the department if the same is a state highway. Such safety zones shall be posted as having a speed limit of 20 miles per hour. The motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Selectman Barrett.

#### MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

Board of Selectmen gave a favorable recommendation Finance Committee gave a favorable recommendation

**ACTION** – In hearing no discussion, the Moderator called for a vote. The Moderator declared the motion passed in the majority with a few objections.

<b>ATTEST:</b>		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	

## Town of Lynnfield



## RECORD OF ACTION AND CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2016 Lynnfield Middle School

<b>CLOSING MOTION</b> – Selectman Barrett mad	le a motion for the town meeting to be
adjourned sine die, which was 2 <sup>nd</sup> by the Modera	tor. The meeting was adjourned at 8:55
PM.	

ATTEST:		
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk	

## **Town of Lynnfield**



#### TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE

55 Summer Street, Lynnfield, Mass. 01940 781-334-9400

# APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2016 TO JUNE 30, 2017 TOWN MEETING OCTOBER 17, 2016

ARTICLE 1:	To raise and appropriate prior year's bills	\$	1,871.11
ARTICLE 2:	To raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds and to supplement certain accounts in the current 2017 Fiscal Year for various purposes (see attached)		
	Transfers from Other Funds	\$2	97,795.00
	Raise and appropriate	\$1	12,098.00
ARTICLE 3:	To raise and appropriate funds for required improvements To school grounds and athletic facilities	\$ 4	40,000.00
ARTICLE 4:	To appropriate by transfer from receipts reserved for appropriation (insurance recoveries) to make repairs to the Department of Public Works Garage and repair or replace Department of Public Works equipment	\$ 4	49,409.00
ARTICLE 10	2:To transfer from free cash for engineering services related to the Town-wide recreational fields program	\$1:	50,000.00
	TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	<u>\$6:</u>	51,173.11
ATTEST:			
	Trudy L. Reid, Town Clerk		

## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS WILLIAM FRANCIS GALVIN SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH

#### WARRANT FOR THE STATE ELECTION

SS.

To the Constables of the Town of Lynnfield

#### **GREETINGS:**

In the name of the Commonwealth, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said city or town who are qualified to vote in the State Election to vote at

#### Precincts 1, 2, 3, & 4

#### Lynnfield High School, 275 Essex Street

on TUESDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2016, from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. for the following purpose:

To cast their votes in the State Election for the candidates for the following offices and questions:

ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT	FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS	SIXTH ESSEX DISTRICT
COUNCILLOR	SIXTH ESSEX DISTRICT
SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT	THIRD ESSEX DISTRICT
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT	20 <sup>TH</sup> MIDDLESEX DISTRICT
SHERIFF	ESSEX COUNTY

#### QUESTION 1: LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives on or before May 3, 2016?

#### SUMMARY

This proposed law would allow the state Gaming Commission to issue one additional category 2 license, which would permit operation of a gaming establishment with no table games and not more than 1,250 slot machines. The proposed law would authorize the Commission to request applications for the additional license to be granted to a gaming establishment located on property that is (i) at least four acres in size; (ii) adjacent to and within 1,500 feet of a race track, including the track's additional facilities, such as the track, grounds, paddocks, barns, auditorium, amphitheatre, and bleachers; (iii) where a horse racing meeting may physically be held; (iv) where a horse racing meeting shall have been hosted; and (v) not separated from the race track by a highway or railway.

A YES VOTE would permit the state Gaming Commission to license one additional slot-machine gaming establishment at a location that meets certain conditions specified in the law.

A NO VOTE would make no change in current laws regarding gaming.

#### **OUESTION 2: LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION**

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives on or before May 3, 2016?

#### SUMMARY (Question 2)

This proposed law would allow the state Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to approve up to 12 new charter schools or enrollment expansions in existing charter schools each year. Approvals under this law could expand statewide charter school enrollment by up to 1% of the total statewide public school enrollment each year. New charters and enrollment expansions approved under this law would be exempt from existing limits on the number of charter schools, the number of students enrolled in them, and the amount of local school districts' spending allocated to them.

If the Board received more than 12 applications in a single year from qualified applicants, then the proposed law would require it to give priority to proposed charter schools or enrollment expansions in districts where student performance on statewide assessments is in the bottom 25% of all districts in the previous two years and where demonstrated parent demand for additional public school options is greatest.

New charter schools and enrollment expansions approved under this proposed law would be subject to the same approval standards as other charter schools, and to recruitment, retention, and multilingual outreach requirements that currently apply to some charter schools. Schools authorized under this law would be subject to annual performance reviews according to standards established by the Board.

The proposed law would take effect on January 1, 2017.

A YES VOTE would allow for up to 12 approvals each year of either new charter schools or expanded enrollments in existing charter schools, but not to exceed 1% of the statewide public school enrollment.

A NO VOTE would make no change in current laws relative to charter schools.

#### QUESTION 3: LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives on or before May 3, 2016?

#### SUMMARY

This proposed law would prohibit any farm owner or operator from knowingly confining any breeding pig, calf raised for veal, or egg-laying hen in a way that prevents the animal from lying down, standing up, fully extending its limbs, or turning around freely. The proposed law would also prohibit any business owner or operator in Massachusetts from selling whole eggs intended for human consumption or any uncooked cut of veal or pork if the business owner or operator knows or should know that the hen, breeding pig, or veal calf that produced these products was confined in a manner prohibited by the proposed law. The proposed law would exempt sales of food products that combine veal or pork with other products, including soups, sandwiches, pizzas, hotdogs, or similar processed or prepared food items.

The proposed law's confinement prohibitions would not apply during transportation; state and county fair exhibitions; 4-H programs; slaughter in compliance with applicable laws and regulations; medical research; veterinary exams, testing, treatment and operation if performed under the direct supervision of a licensed veterinarian; five days prior to a pregnant pig's expected date of giving birth; any day that pig is nursing piglets; and for temporary periods for animal husbandry purposes not to exceed six hours in any twenty-four hour period.

The proposed law would create a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for each violation and would give the Attorney General the exclusive authority to enforce the law, and to issue regulations to implement it. As a defense to enforcement proceedings, the proposed law would allow a business owner or operator to rely in good faith upon a written certification or guarantee of compliance by a supplier.

The proposed law would be in addition to any other animal welfare laws and would not prohibit stricter local laws.

The proposed law would take effect on January 1, 2022. The proposed law states that if any of its parts were declared invalid, the other parts would stay in effect.

A YES VOTE would prohibit any confinement of pigs, calves, and hens that prevents them from lying down, standing up, fully extending their limbs, or turning around freely.

A NO VOTE would make no change in current laws relative to the keeping of farm animals.

#### QUESTION 4: LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives on or before May 3, 2016?

#### SUMMARY

The proposed law would permit the possession, use, distribution, and cultivation of marijuana in limited amounts by persons age 21 and older and would remove criminal penalties for such activities. It would provide for the regulation of commerce in marijuana, marijuana accessories, and marijuana products and for the taxation of proceeds from sales of these items.

The proposed law would authorize persons at least 21 years old to possess up to one ounce of marijuana outside of their residences; possess up to ten ounces of marijuana inside their residences; grow up to six marijuana plants in their residences; give one ounce or less of marijuana to a person at least 21 years old without payment; possess, produce or transfer hemp; or make or transfer items related to marijuana use, storage, cultivation, or processing.

The measure would create a Cannabis Control Commission of three members appointed by the state Treasurer which would generally administer the law governing marijuana use and distribution, promulgate regulations, and be responsible for the licensing of marijuana commercial establishments. The proposed law would also create a Cannabis Advisory Board of fifteen members appointed by the Governor. The Cannabis Control Commission would adopt regulations governing licensing qualifications; security; record keeping; health and safety standards; packaging and labeling; testing; advertising and displays; required inspections; and such other matters as the Commission considers appropriate. The records of the Commission would be public records.

The proposed law would authorize cities and towns to adopt reasonable restrictions on the time, place, and manner of operating marijuana businesses and to limit the number of marijuana establishments in their communities. A city or town could hold a local vote to determine whether to permit the selling of marijuana and marijuana products for consumption on the premises at commercial establishments.

The proceeds of retail sales of marijuana and marijuana products would be subject to the state sales tax and an additional excise tax of 3.75%. A city or town could impose a separate tax of up to 2%. Revenue received from the additional state excise tax or from license application fees and civil penalties for violations of this law would be deposited in a Marijuana Regulation Fund and would be used subject to appropriation for administration of the proposed law.

Marijuana-related activities authorized under this proposed law could not be a basis for adverse orders in child welfare cases absent clear and convincing evidence that such activities had created an unreasonable danger to the safety of a minor child.

The proposed law would not affect existing law regarding medical marijuana treatment centers or the operation of motor vehicles while under the influence. It would permit property owners to prohibit the use, sale, or production of marijuana on their premises (with an exception that landlords cannot prohibit consumption by tenants of marijuana by means other than by smoking); and would permit employers to prohibit the consumption of marijuana by employees in the workplace. State and local governments could continue to restrict uses in public buildings or at or near schools. Supplying marijuana to persons under age 21 would be unlawful.

The proposed law would take effect on December 15, 2016.

A YES VOTE would allow persons 21 and older to possess, use, and transfer marijuana and products containing marijuana concentrate (including edible products) and to cultivate marijuana, all in limited amounts, and would provide for the regulation and taxation of commercial sale of marijuana and marijuana products.

A NO VOTE would make no change in current laws relative to marijuana.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said voting. Given under our hands this 17th day of October, 2016.

Selectmen of Lynnfield

Pursuant to this Warrant, I have this day notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Lynnfield as herein directed by posting eight attested copies of the Warrant in said Lynnfied: Center Post Office, Village Market, Lynnfield Public Library, Pump n' Pantry, Senior Center, South Post Office, Lynnfield Water District and Town Hall, seven days at least before the time and calling of said election.

instable (month and day)

Warrant must be posted by November 1, 2016, (at least seven days prior to the November 8, 2016 State Election).

## State Election – November 16, 2016

	PCT 1	PCT 2	PCT 3	PCT 4	TOTAL
PRESIDENT / VICE PRESIDENT				-	
Clinton / Kaine	829	888	721	800	3238
Johnson / Weld	82	64	61	90	297
Stein / Baraka	19	21	18	14	72
Trump / Pence	915	932	903	1079	3829
McMullen / Johnson	3	0	0	5	8
Blanks	61	69	53	66	249
All Others (Write - In)	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	1909	1974	1756	2054	7693
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRES	SS				
Seth Moulton	1298	1362	1204	1337	5201
Blanks	602	612	552	717	2483
All Others (Write in) Richard Tisai	9	0	0	0	9
TOTALS	1909	1974	1756	2054	7693
COUNCILLOR					
Terrence W. Kennedy	1274	1338	1205	1320	5137
Blanks	635	636	551	734	2556
All Others (Write in)	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	1909	1974	1756	2054	7693
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SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT					
Thomas M. McGee	1203	1298	1106	1249	4856
Blanks	706	676	650	805	2837
All Others (Write in)	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	1909	1974	1756	2054	7693
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL	COURT				
Bradley H. Jones, Jr.	1387	1426	1248	1544	5605
Blanks	522	548	508	510	2088
All Others (Write in)	0	0	0	0	2000
TOTALS	1909	1974	1756	2054	7693
SHERIFF					
Kevin Coppinger	683	773	697	660	2813
Anne M. Manning-Martin	841	786	649	959	3235
Mark E. Archer	94	114	97	101	406
Kevin J. Leach	73	68	72	81	294
Blanks	218	233	241	253	945
All Others (Write in)	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	1909	1974	1756	2054	7693

## TREASURER/TAX COLLECTOR

The Board of Selectmen appoints the Treasurer/Tax Collector.

The Treasurer receives; take charge of, and accounts for all monies belonging to the Town. Custodian of the stabilization funds, pensions, funds and trust funds, maintains breakdown of all receipts, disbursements and cash balances.

Responsibility to make provision for adequate funds to cover current obligations including safekeeping of all funds and issuing of all long term and short term debt. In addition, invests funds to ensure maximum yield on investments while maintaining adequate availability of cash.

Fund and account for all amounts due for salaries and wages.

Receives, accounts and disburses all payroll and personnel deductions amounts for taxes, retirement, insurance and annuities.

Maintains all payroll and personnel records and acts as liaison between employees, retirement board and insurance vendors.

Manages all functions dealing with GIC Health Insurance, Dental Insurance and Life Insurance with the help of my efficient staff Rose Kenney.

Acts as custodian and administrator of the unemployment compensation program.

Assures compliance with the provisions of local personnel bylaws and union contracts.

Manage funds of the municipality so that all obligations such as payroll, bills, bonds, notes and all other remittances can be paid in a timely manner.

Familiarity with the provisions of various sections of Chapter 60 of the General Laws regarding tax title and tax foreclosures.

Prepare various reports, including a reconciliation of treasurers' cash, monthly report of all receipts and balances, reports of payroll deductions (federal, state, retirement funds, group insurance, credit union dues), annual report, including a statement of debt, trust funds, report to the Bureau of Accounts for reconciliation of treasurers' cash and annual report of cash management achievements.

Supervises preparation of the payroll for all town and school employees, working closely with the School business office to ensure all aspects of the payroll are completed accurately.

The payroll department processed 1,014 W2's for 2016.

The tax collection of all money concerning taxes as committed by the Board of Assessors, these include real estate, personal property and excise taxes.

Preparation of certificates of municipal liens. These are legal documents that are filled at The Registry of Deeds when a house is sold or refinanced.

Safeguarding the Town's interest for unpaid real estate taxes by tax taking in a timely manner. A tax taking places a lien against the taxpayer's property so that it may no be sold or transferred until the tax obligation is met.

Reconciliation of moneys collected with the Town Accountant.

Coordination of the Senior Volunteers Program.

The Volunteer Program allows the usage of our senior citizens' talents in the everyday goings-on at the Town Hall. This program was initiated to help our seniors defray the cost of ongoing increases in taxes with the approval of Town Meeting, allows this amount to be abated and thus the number of people who can be chosen to work and receive credit against their taxes may increase. With the abatement procedure the time spent working during the calendar year must be completed before the actual tax bill for the fiscal year has been issued and the abatement will be applied to the third and fourth quarter tax bills evenly. The Senior Volunteer Coordinator is part of the Tax Collector's duties.

The Senior Volunteer Program has been a great success. Congratulation Seniors and keep up the great work.

I would like to thank my staff Maureen Lanpher, Nancy Casey and Rose Kenney for the excellent work they perform each and every day with such professionalism. Together we look forward to serving the Town of Lynnfield in the upcoming year.

Respectfully submitted, Christine O'Sullivan Treasurer/Tax Collector

## VETERANS SERVICES

Every city and town in the Commonwealth has a Veterans' Services Officer (VSO), who is there to find veterans, advise them of their rights and benefits, and then to assist veterans as they apply for and receive state and federal benefits.

The Lynnfield Office of Veterans Services processes and provides state and federal level benefits to Lynnfield veterans. Under Massachusetts General Laws M.G.L. Ch. 115, benefits include financial and medical assistance for indigent veterans and their dependents. Other state benefits include tuition waivers at state colleges and universities, as well as motor vehicle benefits, property tax exemptions, and veterans' bonuses. This office currently has five veterans receiving Ch. 115 benefits. The office also coordinates and advises on federal disability benefit applications. Some of the other services this office has provided include Post 9/11 GI Bill, VA Aid & Attendance, as well as VA home loans, grave markers, and burial stipends.

The Veterans Services Officer coordinates the Memorial Day and Veterans Day celebrations. Recently, attendance has increased significantly at both events. Additionally, Veterans Services coordinates the placing of flags at the graves of Lynnfield Veterans for Memorial Day and throughout the year as needed.

The VSO also serves on a nine-member committee, recently formed to ensure that all eligible Lynnfield veterans are properly acknowledged on the town's current and future War Memorials. That process will include the preparation of an updated list of both past and current Lynnfield veterans. As of last year, there were approximately 650 veterans registered to vote and living in Lynnfield. Efforts will be made to reach out to all resident veterans via newspaper articles, social media, the town's website, and presentations at the local senior center.

Respectfully submitted, Bruce E. Siegel Veterans Service Officer

## **ZONING AND ENFORCEMENT**

## **BUILDING INSPECTOR**

2016 ANNUAL REPORT BUILDING DEPARTMENT							
<u>MONTH</u>	<b>PERMITS</b>	ES	TIMATED COST	PER	MIT FEES		
JANUARY	20	\$	1,345,142.00	\$	10,262.00		
FEBRUARY	20	\$	773,113.00	\$	3,363.00		
MARCH	36	\$	2,875,817.00	\$	24,763.00		
APRIL	34	\$	1,463,495.00	\$	14,699.00		
MAY	45	\$	1,303,081.00	\$	13,043.00		
JUNE	49	\$	4,699,835.00	\$	29,425.00		
JULY	17	\$	1,019,750.00	\$	11,451.00		
AUGUST	46	\$	3,451,137.00	\$	21,732.00		
SEPTEMBER	30	\$	2,343,879.00	\$	22,781.00		
OCTOBER	32	\$	1,193,991.00	\$	9,311.00		
NOVEMBER	42	\$	1,861,446.00	\$	18,728.00		
DECEMBER	9	\$	1,324,555.00	\$	9,009.00		
JANUARY - DECEMBER							
SHEET METAL PERMITS	35	\$	734,261.00	\$	2,116.00		
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TOTALS	415	\$	24,389,502.00	\$	190,683.00		

Respectfully submitted, John Roberto Building Inspector

## **INSPECTOR OF WIRES**

The Office of the Inspector of Wires issued a total of 434 Permits during 2016 with revenue of \$43,981.00 collected in fees.

Respectfully submitted, Dave Sardella, Electrical Inspector

### PLUMBING AND GAS INSPECTOR

In the year 2016, the Lynnfield Plumbing and Gas Department received \$22,240.00 in Plumbing fees and \$14,125.00 in Gas fees with a total of \$41,305.00 in revenue for the Town of Lynnfield. 226 Plumbing permits were issued, and 197 Gas permits were issued, for total combined permits for Gas/Plumbing permits of 423.

Respectfully submitted, Paul Donohue, Plumbing and Gas Inspector

Winnie Barrasso - Administrative Assistant to Building Department and Board of Appeals