

2012 SPECIAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT  
Saturday, April 7, 2012

To any of the constables of the Town of Plymouth, Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth, you are directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of Plymouth, qualified to consider and vote on articles at a Special Town Meeting, to meet at Plymouth North High School on the seventh of April, 2012, at 8:00 AM, to act on the following articles to wit:

ARTICLE 1: Withdrawn

ARTICLE 2A: To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money to be added to funds already appropriated under Article 7 of the 2011 Annual Town Meeting for the purpose of supplementing departmental expenses, or otherwise amend said vote, or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

ARTICLE 2B: Withdrawn

ARTICLE 3: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer a sum of money to pay certain unpaid bills of a prior fiscal year, or take any other action relative thereto.

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ARTICLE 4: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds or borrow a sum of money for the construction and/or repair and/or purchase and/or lease of buildings and/or replacement of departmental buildings, and/or equipment and/or capital facilities for various departments of the Town and/or for feasibility and other types of studies as follows:

or take any other action relative thereto

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ARTICLE 5: To see if the Town will vote to amend the Classification and Compensation Plans and the Personnel By-Law and Collective Bargaining Agreements contained therein, or take any other action relative thereto.

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ARTICLE 6: Withdrawn

ARTICLE 7: To see if the Town will vote to amend the vote taken by the Town under Article 11 of the October 2011 Fall Town Meeting by rescinding a portion of the borrowing authorization for the purchase of a fee simple interest in the land containing .629 acres, more or less, and the buildings thereon located at 463 Ryder Way, in the Town of Plymouth located on Plymouth Long Beach shown on Assessors' Map 37A , as Lot 350; and further to appropriate from the Sale of Real Estate account or otherwise fund a sum of money for the remaining balance of said acquisition, or take any other action relative thereto.

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ARTICLE 8: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate or transfer funds from Free Cash to the Other Post Employment Benefit fund established by vote of the Town under Article 29 of the April 2, 2011 Annual Town Meeting, or take any other action relative thereto.

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ARTICLE 9: To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of G.L. c.32, §12(2), Option (d), paragraph 10, as inserted by Section 29 of Chapter 176 of the Acts of 2011, as it pertains to the so-called "Increase of Allowance to Survivors of Deceased Members", which acceptance would allow an increase from \$250 to \$500.00 per month to be paid to survivors of deceased members of the state teachers' and state employees' retirement system, which paragraph and increase was also accepted by the Plymouth Retirement Board, or to take any other action relative thereto.

RETIREMENT BOARD

ARTICLE 10: To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of G.L. c.32, §90D ½, as inserted by Section 48 of Chapter 176 of the Acts of 2011, as it pertains to the so-called "Increase of retirement allowance for retirees with 25 years, to an amount to not exceed \$15,000.00 per year", which section and increase was also accepted by the Plymouth Retirement Board, or to take an action relative thereto.

RETIREMENT BOARD

ARTICLE 11: To see if the Town will vote to increase fees for Municipal Lien Certificates as provided for under MGL, Chapter 40, § 22F, or take any other action relative thereto.

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ARTICLE 12: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to petition the General Court for special legislation to amend the Town Charter as recommended by the Charter Review Committee in its report entitled, "Town of Plymouth Proposed Charter Amendments Final Draft," dated February 9, 2012, on file with the Town Clerk; provided, however, that the General Court may make clerical or editorial changes of form only to the bill, unless the Board of Selectmen approve amendments to the bill before enactment by the General Court, and authorizing the Board of Selectmen to approve amendments which shall be within the scope of the general public objectives of the petition, or take any other action relative thereto.

CHARTER COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 13: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by purchase, gift, eminent domain or otherwise for general municipal purposes the following described property on such terms and conditions as the Board of Selectmen deem appropriate and to accept the deed to the Town of Plymouth of a fee simple interest in the land containing 2.5 acres more or less located at 00 Long Pond (commonly described as the corner property by the Police Station), in the Town of Plymouth shown on Assessors' Map 83 , as Lots 2F and 2-2A and to enter into all agreements and execute any and all instruments as may be necessary on behalf of the Town to effect said acquisition; and as funding therefor to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to borrow \$1,000,000.00, more or less, and to issue notes and bonds therefor under Chapter 44 of the General Laws or any other enabling authority, or to take any other action relative thereto.

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ARTICLE 14: Withdrawn

ARTICLE 15: Withdrawn

ARTICLE 16: To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 205-23(J) of the Zoning Bylaw to allow one major recreational equipment item, as defined in that section, to be parked in front of a building line provided the Planning Board finds that said major recreational equipment is adequately screened from public view with landscaping, fencing or other materials acceptable to the Planning Board, or take any other action relative thereto.

Department of Planning & Development

And you are hereby required to serve this warrant in the manner prescribed by vote of the Town by posting notice thereof fourteen days at least before such meeting in the Town Office Building and make return thereof with your doings thereon at the time and place above mentioned.

Given under our hands this the \_\_\_\_ day of March 2012.

Approved as to Legal  
Form

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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Town Counsel

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William P. Hallisey, Jr.  
Chairman

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John T. Mahoney, Jr.  
Vice Chairman

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Belinda A. Brewster

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Sergio O. Harnais

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Mathew J. Muratore

Plymouth, ss.

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, I have this day notified and warned the Inhabitants of Plymouth qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet in Plymouth North High School on Saturday, the Seventh Day of April, 2012, at 8:00AM to conduct the Special Business Meeting of the Town of Plymouth, by posting copies of this Warrant in the Town Office Building seven days at least before such meeting.

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Signature  
Town Clerk

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Date & Time  
Posted

