# Town of Groton, MA Electronic Voting (EV) Study Committee (EVSC)

# Minutes of the Public Hearing of August 4, 2022

## Opening

Location: The Groton Center Community Room.

Present: Michael Manugian, Carolyn Perkins

Absent : Robert Anctil, Michael Bouchard, Jack Petropoulos

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm by Ms. Perkins. Ms. Perkins gave the majority of the presentation and Mr. Manugian filled in for Mr. Petropoulos, who was unable to attend. The Public Hearing was recorded by Charter Communications. Note that this meeting was not a public meeting since a quorum of Committee members was not present. There were four attendees from the public: Ms. Judy Anderson, Ms. Michelle Collette, Mr. Michael McCoy, and Mr. Matthew Pisani.

## Public Comment

All questions asked during the presentation were answered.

After the presentation Mr. McCoy and Ms. Collette spoke. They both felt that they preferred to know how other Town Meeting attendees voted. They were not in favor of voting anonymity. Mr. McCoy also asked if individual votes could be captured during the meeting so that they could be viewed by individuals after the meeting was over to ensure that the votes were captured correctly.

## Closing

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Manugian, Clerk