**ARTICLE 4: FISCAL YEAR 2017 ANNUAL OPERATING BUDGET**

 **MOTION 1: GENERAL GOVERNMENT Mover: Gary Green**

**MOTION 1a:** I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,874,183 for General Government as represented by lines 1000 through 1182 in the Budget distributed at the Second Adjourned Session of this Town Meeting; each line item to be considered as a separate appropriation for the purposes voted.

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION 1b:** I move that, in addition to the amount appropriated under Lines 1000 through 1182 for General Government, the Town vote to raise and appropriate an additional $27,366 to be added to Line Item 1101 “Information Technology Wages”, contingent upon a Proposition 2½ override under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59, Section 21C, Clause (g).

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION 2: LAND USE DEPARTMENTS Mover: David Manugian**

**MOTION:** I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $425,575 for Land Use Departments as represented by lines 1200 through 1281 in the Budget distributed at the Second Adjourned Session of this Town Meeting; each line item to be considered as a separate appropriation for the purposes voted.

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION 3: PROTECTION PERSONS & PROPERTY Mover: Robert Hargraves**

**MOTION:** I move that the Town vote to appropriate from Emergency Medical Services Receipts Reserved the sum of $225,000 to Fire & Emergency Medical Services and to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,444,831 for a total of $3,669,831 for Protection of Persons and Property as represented by lines 1300 through 1372 in the Budget distributed at the Second Adjourned Session of this Town Meeting; each line item to be considered as a separate appropriation for the purposes voted.

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION 4: SCHOOLS Mover: Bud Robertson**

**a.) Nashoba Valley Regional Technical High School**

**MOTION:** I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $570,080 for the Nashoba Valley Regional Technical High School as represented by line 1400 in the Budget distributed at the Second Adjourned Session of this Town Meeting.

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**b.) Groton Dunstable Regional School District**

**MOTION b1:** I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $19,542,667 for the Groton Dunstable Regional School District as represented by Lines 1410 through 1413 in the Budget distributed at the Second Adjourned Session of this Town Meeting.

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION b2:** I move that, in addition to the amount appropriated under Line 1410 through 1413 for the Groton Dunstable Regional School District, the Town vote to raise and appropriate an additional $691,317 to be added to Line Item 1410 “Groton Dunstable Regional School District Operating Expenses”, contingent upon a Proposition 2½ override under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59, Section 21C, Clause (g).

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION 5: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS Mover: David Manugian**

**MOTION 5a:** I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,100,913 for the Department of Public Works as represented by lines 1500 through 1561 in the Budget distributed at the Second Adjourned Session of this Town Meeting; each line item to be considered as a separate appropriation for the purposes voted.

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION 5b:** I move that, in addition to the amount appropriated under Lines 1500 through 1561 for the Department of Public Works, the Town vote to raise and appropriate an additional $41,760 to be added to Line Item 1540 “Municipal Building and Property Maintenance Wages”, contingent upon a Proposition 2½ override under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59, Section 21C, Clause (g).

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION 6: LIBRARY AND CITIZEN’S SERVICES Mover: Bud Robertson**

**MOTION 6a:** I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,557,264 for Library and Citizen’s Services as represented by lines 1600 through 1703 in the Budget distributed at the Second Adjourned Session of this Town Meeting; each line item to be considered as a separate appropriation for the purposes voted.

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION 6b:** I move that, in addition to the amount appropriated under Lines 1600 through 1703 for Library and Citizen’s Services, the Town vote to raise and appropriate an additional $26,570 to be added to Line Item 1681 “Water Safety Expenses and Minor Capital”, contingent upon a Proposition 2½ override under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59, Section 21C, Clause (g).

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION 8: EMPLOYEE BENEFITS Mover: Gary Green**

**MOTION 8a:** I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,592,512 for Employee Benefits as represented by lines 3000 through 3012 in the Budget distributed at the Second Adjourned Session of this Town Meeting; each line item to be considered as a separate appropriation for the purposes voted.

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

**MOTION 8b:** I move that, in addition to the amount appropriated under Lines 3000 through 3012 for Employee Benefits, the Town vote to raise and appropriate an additional $25,000 to be added to Line Item 3010 “Employee Benefits Health Insurance/Employee Expenses”, contingent upon a Proposition 2½ override under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59, Section 21C, Clause (g).

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

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**ARTICLE 5: APPROPRIATE FUNDING FOR OPEB TRUST Mover: John Petropoulos**

**MOTION:** I move that the Town vote to transfer the sum of $200,000 from Line Item 3010 “Health Insurance/Employee Expenses” of the Fiscal Year 2017 Town Operating Budget adopted under Article 4 of the 2016 Spring Town Meeting, to be expended by the Town Manager, to be added to the Other Post-Employment Benefits Liability Trust Fund as authorized by Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 32B, Section 20.

**Quantum of Town Meeting Vote: Majority**

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