

**TOWN OF TEMPLETON  
WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING  
MARCH 6, 2013**

**WORCESTER, ss.**

To either of the Constables of the Town of Templeton in said County.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the precincts of the Town of Templeton, County of Worcester, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet in the Narragansett Regional Middle School, 460 Baldwinville Road, Baldwinville, in said Templeton on Wednesday, March 6, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. then and there to act on the following articles:

**Article 1** To see if the Town will vote to rescind a section of an appropriation line item voted pursuant to Article 31 of the Annual Town meeting of May 15, 2012, wherein the Town voted to... “transfer the sum of One Hundred Sixty-Three Thousand, One Hundred Thirty-One Dollars (**\$163,131.00**) from the 2008 MEMA Reimbursement Account” in order to fund a portion of town charges, or to take any other action relative thereto.

**Recommended by DOR and Town Accountant, and submitted by the Board of Selectmen**

On a motion duly made and seconded the town voted that a section of the appropriation line item voted pursuant to Article 31 of the Annual Town meeting of May 15, 2012, wherein the Town voted to... “transfer the sum of One Hundred Sixty-Three Thousand, One Hundred Thirty-One Dollars (**\$163,131.00**) from the 2008 MEMA Reimbursement Account” be hereby rescinded.

**Passed/March 6<sup>th</sup> @ 7:12**

**Article 2** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate, transfer from available funds, or borrow pursuant to any applicable statute a sum of One Hundred Sixty-Three Thousand, One Hundred Thirty-One Dollars (**\$163,131.00**) for current year FY2013 Town operations, or to take any other action relative thereto.

**Recommended by DOR and Town Accountant, and submitted by the Board of Selectmen**

On a motion duly made and seconded the town voted to appropriate One Hundred Twenty Six Thousand, Five Hundred Sixty-Seven Dollars (**\$126,567.00**) by transfer from the Town’s Stabilization to fund Fiscal Year 2013 town operating budgets and charges as appropriated at the May 2012 Annual Town Meeting, the total amount of which Fiscal Year 2013 town operating budgets and charges is to remain unchanged as then voted in May 2012 at Four Million Six Hundred and Twenty Seven Thousand Four Hundred Forty Seven Dollars (**\$4,627,447.00**).

**Passed by 2/3 vote/March 6<sup>th</sup> @ 7:17**

**Article 3** To see if the Town will vote to rescind the appropriation voted pursuant to article 2 of the Special Town Meeting of November 15, 2012, said article allowing the Sewer Commission to expend from the Sewer Enterprise Fund the sum of **\$135,000** to pay the costs of additional sludge characterization in the wastewater treatment lagoon, or to take any other action relative thereto.  
**Recommended by DOR and Town Accountant, and submitted by the Board of Sewer Commissioners**

On a motion duly made and seconded the town voted the appropriation voted that pursuant to Article 2 of the Special Town Meeting of November 15, 2012 wherein the Town voted ...”that **\$135,000** be hereby transferred from the Sewer Enterprise Reserve account to the sewer commission general expense line item to pay for the costs of additional sludge characterization, the corrective action alternatives analysis, and the project evaluation form for the State revolving fund loan application necessary for the abandonment of the wastewater treatment lagoon.” be hereby rescinded, no part of such appropriation having been spent.  
**Passed/March 6<sup>th</sup> @ 7:23**

**Article 4** To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the Highway Department Expense Account to the Highway Department Unknown Overtime Account the sum of one thousand dollars (**\$1,000.00**) in order to meet expenses caused by hurricane.  
**Submitted by the Highway Department Supervisor**

On a motion duly made and seconded the town voted that the sum of One Thousand Dollars (**\$1,000.00**) be hereby transferred from the Fiscal Year 2013 Highway Department Expense Account as appropriated at the May 2012 Annual Town Meeting pursuant to Article 31, to the fiscal Year 2013 Highway Department Unknown Overtime Account, to meet overtime labor expenses caused by Tropical Storm Sandy.”  
**Passed/March 6<sup>th</sup> @ 7:25**

**Article 5** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by purchase or gift the fee title or lesser interests in all or any portions of certain land containing approximately 13 acres, owned by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, located off Route 202, King Philips Trail in Templeton, known as Crow's Hill, identified as Town Assessor identification no. 2-7-40 and described in the deed recorded at the Worcester County Registry of Deeds in Book 1600, Page 313 for school purposes; to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell, convey or otherwise dispose of the fee title or lesser interests, including permanent agricultural preservation restrictions, conservation restrictions and other land use restrictions and easements, in all or any portions of any of the Town-owned land not exceeding 12 acres and described below, upon terms and conditions as they deem to be in the best interest of the Town, or to take any other action related thereto.



causing notice of the same to be published once in the Gardner News, a newspaper of general circulation in the Town published in Worcester County in the City of Gardner.

Given under our hands this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year AD 2013.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

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Christopher Stewart, Chairman

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Jeffrey Bennett, Vice Chairman

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Virginia Wilder, Clerk

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Julie Farrell, Member

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Patrick Mullins, Member

A True Copy: ATTEST

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John White  
Constable of Templeton

**OFFICER'S RETURN**

WORCESTER, SS

February 20, 2013

This is to certify that I have served the within warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each precinct; namely, at the Post Office in Templeton, the Post Office in East Templeton, the Post Office in Baldwinville, and at Cote's Market in Otter River, and at the Town Office Buildings at 4 Elm Street in Baldwinville and at 690 Patriots Road in Templeton and by delivering a copy to each of the Precinct Clerks fourteen (14) days at least before the time of holding said meeting and by causing notice of the same to be published once in the Gardner

News, a newspaper of general circulation in the Town, published in Worcester County in the City of Gardner.

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John White  
Constable of Templeton

A True Copy, ATTEST:

Carol A. Harris  
Town Clerk of Templeton

Meeting Attendance 3-7-2013  
Voters Total 358