

# **Westwood Finance and Warrant Commission**

**2015 Annual Town Meeting  
Final Public Hearing**

**March 23, 2015**

**7:30 P.M.**

**Main Library Community Meeting Room**





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Finance and Warrant Commission

Marianne LeBlanc Cummings, Chairman  
Craig Foscaldo, Vice Chairman

Paul Bierden	George Hertz
David Blessing	Peter Kane
Julianne Bride	Thomas Looney
Cynthia Buckley	Peter Neville
Barbara Delisle	Michael O'Hara
James Ferraro	Robert Uek
	Margery Eramo Young

Sheila Nee, Administrator

Dear Residents,

The Finance and Warrant Commission conducted a public hearing on March 2, 2015 regarding Annual Town Meeting warrant articles. The next and final public hearing will be held on:

**March 23, 2015**  
**7:30 P.M.**  
**Main Library**

**If business is not finalized on March 23, the hearing will continue to  
March 24 at 7:30 P.M.**

In addition to the following articles, discussion will continue, if necessary, on any of the other articles presented at the March 2 public hearing (please refer to the Town web site at [www.townhall.westwood.ma.us](http://www.townhall.westwood.ma.us) for complete list). Finance and Warrant Commission recommendation voting will occur at the conclusion of the March 23 hearing on articles not previously voted.

1. Easement for Algonquin Gas – Elm Street

This article would authorize the Board of Selectmen to provide an easement on a section of Elm Street for the purpose of installing a new Algonquin gas line which connects to Texas Eastern Transmission and Maritimes & Northeast.

2. Supplemental Appropriations FY15

Intended to transfer funds from budget accounts projected to have a surplus into accounts that are projected to be in deficit by the end of the fiscal year.



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3. Supplemental Appropriations FY15  
Intended to cover any projected deficits with funds from available accounts in the current fiscal year.
  4. Unpaid Prior Year's Bills  
Reserved to consider payment of any unpaid bills remaining from a closed out fiscal year.
  5. FY16 Town Salary and Expense Budgets  
The official approval of the Annual Operating Budget for the upcoming fiscal year.
  6. Appropriation – Municipal Capital Improvements  
Intended to appropriate funds for the Town's municipal capital investments for the next fiscal year.
  7. Appropriation – School Capital Improvements  
Intended to appropriate funds for the Town's school capital investments for the next fiscal year.
  8. Appropriation – Sewer Capital Improvements  
Intended to appropriate funds for the Town's sewer capital investments for the next fiscal year. The items in this article are funded from Sewer User fees.
  9. Appropriation – Other Capital Improvements  
Intended to appropriate funds for the Town's other capital improvements not captured in the above articles for the next fiscal year.
  10. Appropriation – Stabilization Fund FY16  
Intended to appropriate funds into the Town's Stabilization Account.
  11. Appropriation – OPEB Liability Trust Fund FY16  
Intended to appropriate funds to the OPEB Liability account.



## **Annual Town Meeting – May 4, 2015**

Questions? Comments? Contact us:

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