SENATE . . . . . No. 3302

Senate, November 16, 2026 - Text of the Senate amendment (Senator Moore) to the House Bill relative to the charter of the town of Westborough (House, No. 4751).

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)

SECTION 1. Section 2-8 of the charter of the town of Westborough, which is on file in the office of the archivist of the commonwealth, as provided in section 12 of chapter 43B of the General Laws, is hereby amended by striking out the figure "30", each time it appears, and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, the following figure:- 45.

SECTION 2. Said section 2-8 of said charter is hereby further amended by striking out the fourth sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:- The select board shall place on the warrant for annual town meeting any article requested in writing by: (i) a vote of any publicly elected town board; (ii) a publicly elected town officer that is not a member of a town board; or (iii) not less than 50 registered voters of the town.

SECTION 3. Said section 2-8 of said charter is hereby further amended by striking out the eighth sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:- Warrants and articles for a special town meeting shall follow the procedures under the General Laws.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage.