

WARRANT ARTICLE 25

Revised Main Motion: “Move that the Town of Natick acting through the elected representatives of the Town in the General Court, file a home rule petition with the General Court to obtain special act legislation to establish certain amendments for the present Town of Natick Home Rule Charter in substantially the form presented below, provided that the General Court may make clerical or editorial changes of form only to the proposed legislation, with the approval of the Town Moderator or, in the unavailability of the Town Moderator, the Town Clerk before enactment by the General Court, which changes shall be within the scope of the general public objectives of this petition, as follows:

AN ACT TO AMEND THE TOWN OF NATICK HOME RULE CHARTER

Section 1. After enactment of this Act, the Town of Natick shall place a ballot question on the ballot at the next regular municipal or state election, or earlier special election, if so called, which ballot question shall read:

“Shall the Town of Natick adopt the Charter amendments voted by Natick Town Meeting under Article 25 at the 2023 Fall Annual Town Meeting , and as enacted by the General Court in a Special Act, the text of which amendments are on file with the Office of the Town Clerk of Natick.” Yes _____ No _____

If the number of “Yes” votes exceed the number of “No” votes at such election, these amendments shall take immediate effect, otherwise these amendments shall not take effect.

Section 2: Amendments applicable to all sections of the Charter

Section 3. Charter Article 2 amendments:

Section 4: Charter Article 3 amendments:

Section 5: Charter Article 4 amendments:

Section 6: Charter Article 5 amendments:

Section 7: Charter Article 6 amendments:

Section 8: Charter Article 7 amendments:

Section 9: Transition Provisions”

[End of Main Motion]