

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION WARRANT

The Annual Town Election of April 25, 2020 is hereby postponed pursuant to Chapter 45 of the Acts of 2020
"An Act granting authority to postpone 2020 municipal elections in the commonwealth and increase voting options in response to the declaration of emergency to respond to COVID-19,"

Plymouth, SS.

To the Constables of the Town of Bridgewater:

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Town of Bridgewater, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in the Annual Town Election to vote at: Precincts 1,2,3,4,5,6 & 7

Bridgewater Mitchell Middle School 166 Mount Prospect Street, Bridgewater, MA 02324

THE 27th DAY OF JUNE, 2020 from 10:00 A.M. to 4:00 PM for the following purposes:

To cast their votes in the Annual Town Election for the candidates for the following Offices:

COUNCILOR DISTRICT THREE	for Three Years
COUNCILOR DISTRICT FIVE	for Three Years
COUNCILOR DISTRICT SIX	for Three Years
BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REGIONAL DISTRICT SCHOOL O	COMMITTEE(Bridgewater) for Three Years
BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REGIONAL DISTRICT SCHOOL O	COMMITTEE(Raynham) for Three Years
TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY	for Three Years
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Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your	doings thereon at the time and place of said voting.
Given under our hands, the Bridgewater Town Council the	
Posting: Academy Building, Senio	or Center & Bridgewater Public Library
	ww.bridgewaterma.org of service of warrant.)
Sali Langer Martin	
Jolie Sprague Martin Constable	



Bridgewater Town Council

In Town Council Tuesday, April 21, 2020

Council Petition: P-2020-011



2020 APR 23 A 10: 96

Date Introduced:

April 7, 2020

Second Reading:

April 21, 2020

Amendments Adopted:

April 21, 2020

Date Adopted:

April 21, 2020

Date Effective:

April 21, 2020

Relative to: Petition P-2020-011

2020 Annual Town Election Warrant - Date Change

WHEREAS: On March 23, 2020 the Governor signed Senate Bill No. 2608 "An Act Granting Authority to Postpone 2020 Municipal Elections in the Commonwealth and Increase Voting Options In Response to the Declaration of Emergency To Respond to COVID-19" into law;

WHEREAS: Under said law the Town Council for the Town of Bridgewater may vote on any day prior to the date of its scheduled municipal election to postpone the municipal election to a date certain on or before June 30, 2020;

WHEREAS: If the Town Council votes to postpone the municipal election a copy of Chapter 45 of the Acts of 2020 along with said vote shall be placed on the official municipal website not later than 20 days before the date to which the rescheduled election has been postponed; and;

WHEREAS: The Town of Bridgewater's Town Clerk in concert with the Town Manager and the Town of Raynham, has recommended postponing the Annual Election to June 27, 2020;

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED: That the Town Council of the Town of Bridgewater, Massachusetts, assembled votes to change the Annual Town Election date to June 27, 2020 as recommended; and accepts, as a matter of record, the attached updated 2020 Annual Town Election Warrant as provided by the Town Clerk.

<u>Explanation</u>: It is required that the Town Council approves the date change and accepts the attached Warrant as a matter of record.

In accordance with the applicable provisions of the Town of Bridgewater Home Rule Charter and Town Council Rules and Procedures, the Town Council assembled voted, at their meeting on Tuesday, April 21, 2020 to approve the aforementioned Petition by a voice vote (9-0).

A TRUE COPY ATTEST:

Ann M. Holmberg Town Council Clerk