

2/3rd's Vote Required

Board of Selectmen Does Not Recommend: 4-1-0

Finance Committee Does Not Recommend: 7-1-0

Charter Enforcement Commission Does not Recommend: 5-0-0

Conservation Commission Reserves Recommendation: 5-0-0

Rob Tosner moved that the Town vote to approve Article 31 as printed in the warrant.

Mark Phillips moved to indefinitely postpone Article 31.

Motion to Indefinitely Postpone Passed.

Article 32. Rescind Real Estate Transfer Fee. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the .5% Real Estate Transfer Fee vote under Article 19 of the Special Town Meeting on November 8, 2010, or to take any other action thereto.

[Requested by Rob Tosner and others]

Board of Selectmen Does Not Recommend: 4-1-0

Finance Committee Recommends: 5-0-0

Rob Tosner moved that the Town vote to approve Article 32 as printed in the warrant.

Motion Does Not Pass.

Article 33. Rescind the Supreme Court Decision. We, the voters of the Provincetown Town Meeting, affirm our belief that the First Amendment to the United States Constitution was designed to protect the free speech rights of people, not corporations.

We believe that the United States Supreme Court's ruling in Citizens United v. FEC, which allows corporations and unions unlimited funds to influence elections, threatens democracy by allowing corporations to cause the election of candidates who will serve corporations, not the public.

The people of the United States through their legislators have previously amended the Constitution to regulate elections and federal officeholding nine times.

To see if the Town will vote the following Resolution:

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT WE, THE VOTERS OF THE PROVINCETOWN TOWN MEETING, CALL UPON THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PASS AND SEND TO THE STATES FOR RATIFICATION A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO RESTORE THE FIRST AMENDMENT AND FAIR ELECTIONS TO THE PEOPLE, AND FURTHER, WE CALL UPON