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| Department: |  | Submitted by: |  |
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| Item/Project Cost: |  | Date Prepared: |  |
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| Item/Project Title: |  |

Proposed Article Wording:

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| To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds, borrow, or otherwise provide the sum of $XX,XXX or any other amount for the purpose of funding the XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX, or pass any vote or votes in relation thereto. |

Description: (*Provide a full description of the item or service to be purchased. This will be used for background information. Use attachments as needed.)*

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 ***Enter response***

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| **Have you received an estimate as a basis for cost? (yes/no)** |  |
| * *If yes, please attach estimate*
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| **Are grant or other funds available to offset cost? (yes/no)** |  |
| Please specify grant program/source of funds  |  |
| Value of the offset  | $ |
| Probability of availability  | % |

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| **Will this be a lease or a recurring expense? (yes/no)** | n/a |
| If yes, over how many years:  |  |
| If yes, will payment vary (yes/no; attach payment plan):  |  |

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| **Will this item or project replace old equipment? (yes/no)** | n/a |
| If replacement, estimate surplus value:  | $ |

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| **Is this expected to require other investments? (yes/no)** |  |
| Increased(+) /decreased(-) operational cost (if no, “0”) | $ + / - |
| Increased(+) /decreased(-) equipment or material cost (if no, “0)  | $ |

**Why is it essential that the Town makes this purchase in the coming fiscal year?**

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**Relative Priority**

Overall priority of this item or project to the Town

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| Critical  | High  | Moderate | Low |
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If you are submitting more than one project, how does this rate relative to the others

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| First | Second | Third | Fourth or Lower |
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Comments on relative priority:

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Final recommendation of Finance Committee: O Support O Not Support

Comments on Recommendation:

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Final recommendation of Board of Selectmen: O Support O Not Support

Comments on Recommendation:

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