

CHARTER CHANGES INDEX THROUGH 2020
 Notes in red text indicate reason brought forward - gml 11/17/21

| # | Date | Charter Section | Mtg | Article | Vote | Election | # | Date | Vote | Notes |
|----|------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|---------|-----------------------------|----------|-------------|-----------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 | 1/22/1990 | 4- 1-3, 4-11-1 | Special Town Meeting | #2 | vvcu | ATE | Question 1 | 5/15/1990 | passed, yes=973, no=330 | Town Executive Appointment |
| 2 | 5/8/1990 | 4-4-2 (e) | Annual Town Meeting | #25 | indefinitely postponed | | | | | TE Responsibility for appts incl BoH |
| 3 | 5/8/1990 | 6-2-1, 4-4-1 | Annual Town Meeting | #26 | carried, yes=250, no=0 | ATE | Question 1 | 5/21/1991 | passed, yes=902, no=489 | Board of Assessors |
| 4 | 5/8/1990 | 2-4-2, 2-4-3, 2-4-4, 2-6-1, 2-6-2 | Annual Town Meeting | #27 | vvcu as amended | ATE | Question 2 | 5/21/1991 | passed, yes=955, no=427 | warrants |
| 5 | 5/8/1990 | 3-8-4 | Annual Town Meeting | #28 | vvc by 2/3 majority | ATE | Question 3 | 5/21/1991 | passed, yes=1012, no=404 | Board of Selectmen |
| 6 | 5/8/1995 | 3-1-3 | Annual Town Meeting | #30 | passed, yes=297, no=3 | ATE | Question 1 | 5/21/1996 | passed, yes=1474, no=250 | Board of Selectmen |
| 7 | 5/8/1995 | 3-4-1 | Annual Town Meeting | #31 | amended, vvcu | ATE | Question 2 | 5/21/1996 | passed, yes=1306, no=382 | Board of Selectmen |
| 8 | 5/8/1995 | 3-5 | Annual Town Meeting | #32 | indefinitely postponed | | | | | Bd can enter into contracts less than 1 yr; no \$ |
| 9 | 5/8/1995 | 8-8-1, 8-8-2 | Annual Town Meeting | #33 | vvcu | ATE | Question 3 | 5/21/1996 | passed, yes=1444, no=183 | Annual Audit |
| 10 | 5/8/1995 | 8-2-5 | Annual Town Meeting | #34 | vvcu | ATE | Question 4 | 5/21/1996 | passed, yes=1382, no=167 | Budget Policy |
| 11 | 11/13/1995 | 6-3-1, 6-4-1, 6-6-1 | Special Town Meeting | #14 | passed, yes=332, no=4 | ATE | Question 5 | 5/21/1996 | passed, yes=1313, no=334 | Appointed Town Boards |
| 12 | 11/13/1995 | 6-11-8 | Special Town Meeting | #15 | vvcu | ATE | Question 6 | 5/21/1996 | passed, yes=1379, no=204 | Appointed Town Boards |
| 13 | 11/13/1995 | 2-5-2 | Special Town Meeting | #16 | vvcu | ATE | Question 7 | 5/21/1996 | passed, yes=1193, no=231 | Town Meeting |
| 14 | 11/13/1995 | 2-3-1, 2-3-2 | Special Town Meeting | #17 | vvcu | ATE | Question 8 | 5/21/1996 | passed, yes=1220, no=214 | Town Meeting |
| 15 | 11/13/1995 | 6-8-1 | Special Town Meeting | #18 | vvcu | ATE | Question 9 | 5/21/1996 | passed, yes=1227, no=336 | Appointed Town Boards |
| 16 | 5/13/1996 | various | Annual Town Meeting | #13 | passed, yes=368, no=13 | ATE | Question 1 | 5/20/1997 | passed, yes=645, no=27 | gender references |
| 17 | 5/13/1996 | various | Annual Town Meeting | #14 | passed, yes=271, no=110 | ATE | Question 2 | 5/20/1997 | passed, yes=634, no=42 | Town Exec. Title change |
| 18 | 5/13/1996 | 3-6-1, 6-11-3 | Annual Town Meeting | #15 | vvcu | ATE | Question 3 | 5/20/1997 | passed, yes=953, no=485 | Boards, Commissions & Committees |
| 19 | 5/13/1996 | 2-5-1 | Annual Town Meeting | #16 | indefinitely postpone | | | | | Remove Omnibus article |
| 20 | 5/13/1996 | 8-5-4 | Annual Town Meeting | #17 | indefinitely postpone | | | | | Shorten transmittal time from PB to SB to FC |
| 21 | 5/13/1996 | 8-7-1 | Annual Town Meeting | #18 | failed, yes=91, no=266 | | | | | Language re Cap Plan & Budget |
| 22 | 5/13/1996 | 10-12-2 | Annual Town Meeting | #19 | vvcu | ATE | Question 4 | 5/20/1997 | passed, yes=645, no=27 | Revision of Bylaws |
| 23 | 5/13/1996 | 10-13-2 | Annual Town Meeting | #20 | vvcu | ATE | Question 5 | 5/20/1997 | passed, yes=634, no=42 | Charter Amendment |
| 24 | 5/12/1997 | various | Annual Town Meeting | #40 | passed, yes=356, no=6 | ATE | Question 1 | 5/19/1998 | passed, yes=953, no=485 | Search Committee |
| 25 | 5/12/1997 | various | Annual Town Meeting | #47 | indefinitely postpone | | | | | To require mm bodies to respond to citizens' requests! |
| 26 | 5/11/1998 | 3-5-3 | Annual Town Meeting | #38 | vvcu | ATE | Question 2 | 5/18/1999 | passed, yes=1375, no=478 | Intermunicipal Agreements |
| 27 | 5/11/1998 | 4-6-2 | Annual Town Meeting | #39 | vvcu | ATE | Question 3 | 5/18/1999 | passed, yes=1329, no=465 | Admin Reorganization |
| 28 | 5/11/1998 | 4-3-2 | Annual Town Meeting | #40 | vvcu | | | | | Budget, NOT ALL AG APPROVED |
| 29 | 5/11/1998 | 3-9-2, 6-7-1, 9-2-2 | Annual Town Meeting | #41 | vvcu | ATE | Question 4 | 5/18/1999 | passed, yes=1317, no=571 | Powers of Appointment |
| 30 | 5/11/1998 | 8-5-3, 8-7-2 | Annual Town Meeting | #42 | passed, yes=175, no=60 | ATE | Question 5 | 5/18/1999 | passed, yes=1353, no=444 | Capital Improvement Plan |
| 31 | 5/11/1998 | 2-1-3 | Annual Town Meeting | #65 | failed | ATE | | | | Reduce 5% Quorum to 2% |
| 32 | 5/8/2000 | 2-1-4, 2-5-2, 2-7-1..., 2-8-1 | Annual Town Meeting | #47 | vvcu | ATE | Question 1 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=1052, no=227 | Town Meeting Process |
| 33 | 5/8/2000 | 5-1-1, 5-1-2, 5-2-1, 5-4-1 | Annual Town Meeting | #48 | vv carries by necessary 2/3 | ATE | Question 2 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=999, no=263 | Elected Boards and Officers |
| 34 | 5/8/2000 | various | Annual Town Meeting | #49 | vvcu | ATE | Question 3 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=978, no=277 | Boards and Liaisons |
| 35 | 5/8/2000 | various | Annual Town Meeting | #50 | vv carries by necessary 2/3 | ATE | Question 4 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=1067, no=202 | Board of Water Commissioners |
| 36 | 5/8/2000 | various | Annual Town Meeting | #51 | vv carries by necessary 2/3 | ATE | Question 5 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=999, no=236 | Appointed Multi-member Bodies |
| 37 | 5/8/2000 | various | Annual Town Meeting | #52 | vv carries by necessary 2/3 | ATE | Question 6 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=1003, no=215 | Transitional Provisions |
| 38 | 10/30/2000 | 3-5-3 | Special Town Meeting | #12 | indefinitely postpone | | | | | more than \$10,000 or 2 yrs to TM |
| 39 | 10/30/2000 | 3-1-4 | Special Town Meeting | #13 | failed, yes=199, no=102 | | | | | Pay SB \$5,000 per annum |
| 40 | 10/30/2000 | various | Special Town Meeting | #14 | vvcu | ATE | Question 7 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=1102, no=143 | Town Meeting procedures |
| 41 | 10/30/2000 | 8-2-5, 8-3-1, 8-3-2, 8-3-3, 8-3-4 | Special Town Meeting | #15 | vv carries by necessary 2/3 | ATE | Question 8 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=1074, no=160 | Financial Procedures |
| 42 | 10/30/2000 | 9-2-1 through 9-4-1 | Special Town Meeting | #16 | passed, yes=194, no=50 | ATE | Question 9 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=981, no=245 | Town Plan |
| 43 | 10/30/2000 | 4-3-2(g) | Special Town Meeting | #17 | vvcu | ATE | Question 10 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=979, no=265 | Town Administrator |
| 44 | 10/30/2000 | 4-1-3, 4-2-1, 4-2-2 | Special Town Meeting | #18 | vvcu | ATE | Question 11 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=926, no=302 | Town Administrator |
| 45 | 10/30/2000 | 4-3-2(d) | Special Town Meeting | #19 | vvcu | ATE | Question 12 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=793, no=446 | Town Administrator |
| 46 | 10/30/2000 | 4-5-1, 4-5-2 | Special Town Meeting | #20 | vvcu | ATE | Question 13 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=965, no=235 | Personnel Administration |
| 47 | 10/30/2000 | 4-11-1, 4-11-2 | Special Town Meeting | #21 | vvcu | ATE | Question 14 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=1061, no=179 | Acting Town Administrator |
| 48 | 10/30/2000 | 7-8-9 | Special Town Meeting | #22 | vv carries by necessary 2/3 | ATE | Question 15 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=865, no=380 | Recall Elections |
| 49 | 10/30/2000 | 4-3-2, 5-7-2, 6-4-2, 9-1-4 | Special Town Meeting | #23 | vvcu | ATE | Question 16 | 5/15/2001 | passed, yes=672, no=555 | Regulatory Committees Joint Meeting |

