

**WARRANT FOR
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
April 10, 2018**

County of Dukes County, ss:

To either of the Constables in the Town of Edgartown in the
County of Dukes County, GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to meet in the Old Whaling Church (Methodist Church) on Main Street in said Edgartown on Tuesday, the tenth day of April, Two Thousand Eighteen at seven o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the Articles in this Warrant:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to approve the establishment by the Martha's Vineyard Regional High School District of a Stabilization Fund to be known as the "MVRHS Capital Stabilization Fund" to provide a fund for expenditures for capital improvements within the Martha's Vineyard Regional High School District and for such other lawful purposes as provided by Massachusetts General Laws, c.71, §16G½ as it may be amended from time to time, or take any other action relative thereto.

Submitted by the School Committee
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$10,500.00 to provide video and audio communication with remote locking/unlocking capability to the school's front entrance doors. This will provide increased security to the school during school hours.

Submitted by the School Committee
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$35,000.00 to construct soundproofing around the new air conditioning unit behind the Town Hall.

Submitted by the Board of Selectmen
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$17,881.00 for workers compensation insurance account.

Submitted by the Board of Selectmen
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$30,000.00 to be placed in the Legal Account.

Submitted by the Board of Selectmen
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to add the following to the Seasonal Wage Scale:

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| Grade 9 | \$35.00 | \$36.46 | \$37.98 | \$39.57 | \$41.23 | \$42.96 |
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ARTICLE 7. To see if the town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law section 26.0, Seasonal Wage as follows:

Add the position of Airfield Manager/Katama Airport to Grade 9
Add the position of Airfield Assistant/Katama Airport to Grade 8

Submitted by the Personnel Board

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$8000.00 to cover the Airfield Manager and Airfield Assistant for the period beginning May 1, 2018-June 30, 2018.

Submitted by the Personnel Board
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$4,000.00 to purchase office equipment and supplies for the Katama Airfield Manager's office at Katama Airfield.

Submitted by the Katama Airfield Commissioners
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$2,000.00 to purchase a fire proof cabinet for the Personnel Board office.

Submitted by the Personnel Board
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$76,000.00 to repair the elevator at the Edgartown Police Station.

Submitted by the Acting Chief
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$12,000.00 to replace the fire alarm panel at the Edgartown Police Station.

Submitted by the Acting Chief
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$12,000.00 to cover an unforeseen increase in the accident insurance policy.

Submitted by the Fire Chief

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$80,000.00 to cover salary expenses from an on the job injury and personnel changes.

Submitted by the Fire Chief
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Free Cash the sum of \$2,405.00 to replace the heater in the Animal Control office located on the Highway Department property.

Submitted by the Animal Control Officer
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from water surplus the sum of \$18,796.24 to reimburse the account created to meet recommendations made by the Edward J. Collins, Jr. Center For Public Management in the Compensation and Classification Study, to cover the Water Department increases.

Submitted by the Town Accountant
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will appropriate from the sale of cemetery lots fund (#104000-3001), for the expenditure in Fiscal Year 2019, the sum of \$80,000.00 to be used to continue the expansion of the New Westside Cemetery.

Submitted by the Cemetery Commissioners
RECOMMENDED BY THE FINANCIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by publishing an attested copy thereof in one newspaper having general circulation in said Edgartown, fourteen days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting or by posting it in six or more conspicuous places in Town at least fourteen days before the time of said meeting.

HEREOF FAIL NOT, and make due return of the Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 20th day of February in the year of our Lord Two Thousand Eighteen.

Arthur Smadbeck, Chairman

Michael J. Donaroma

Margaret E. Serpa
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
Town of Edgartown