

Petitioned Warrant Articles relevant to the Master Plan Update

2017

Petitioned Article failed to initiate actions to help draw more younger families to Rye.

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<p>Are you in favor of the adoption of Article 33, as follows:</p> <p>ARTICLE 33. (By Petition) Shall the Selectmen authorize the creation a Younger Family Housing Committee ("Committee") that will explore whether the declining school population – which is expected to decline by 54% from 2011 to 2026 – can be reversed to maintain the vitality of our school district? This Committee should look to support Rye's dedication to school excellence that complements our heritage as a quaint, coastal community. This Committee should consist of no fewer than 4 and no more than 12 members consisting of a mix of one realtor, one member of the Conservation Committee or other land preserving organization, one RES parent, one RJH parent, Selectman, and one member of each of the following committees: School Board, Planning Committee and Budget Committee, each appointed by its Committee chair, and 4 citizens at large members. The Committee should self-elect a chairperson. The Committee should commence its first meeting by April 14, 2017 and should submit a report identifying suggestions to increase school population and next steps for implementation to The Town Selectman and Long Range Planning Sub-committee by October 16, 2017. Upon submitting the report this Committee shall cease.</p> <p>Those interested should submit a brief resume to the Selectman no later than March 22, 2017 for Selectman's selection by March 31, 2017.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">This article is not recommended by the Selectmen (2-0)</p>	<p>659 YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input checked="" type="radio"/> 905</p>

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WARRANT ARTICLES CONTINUED	
<p>ARTICLE 27. (By Petition) Prior to funding the completion of the design of the potential multi-million dollar expansion of Town Hall, shall the Board of Selectmen address the space needs of the town employees, boards and commissions by comprehensive pro and cons analysis of all possible options? This could include publicly or privately owned property or renovation of existing facilities, for example</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">o Town Hallo Public Safety Building (7,000 square feet build-out on second floor)o Rye Recreation facilitieso Rye Recycling Center facilitieso Former Police Station <p>In addition to possible locations, the Board of Selectmen must consider the number of employees and the number of square feet per employee of similar facilities in other U.S. towns, and the reasons, if any, why the needs of Rye may be different.</p>	<p>1070 *YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input type="radio"/> 268</p>