

# Arlington Town Meeting – Substitute Motion

ARTICLE NO. 78

Dated 4/16/2021

I, Beth Melofchik, do hereby submit the following SUBSTITUTE Motion:

"Whereas the climate emergency is here, Arlington recognizes that the tree canopy is essential to mitigate: greenhouse gases, storm water, rising temperatures and heat islands all of which impact public health.

Therefore protecting mature trees while simultaneously planting anew is critical to community public health and well being. "

**VOTED:**

Signed:

*Beth Melofchik*  
Precinct 9

Date Voted: \_\_\_\_\_

Action Taken: \_\_\_\_\_