## Resolution

Whereas Arlington's Town Meeting is a vital institution that plays a special role in Arlington's culture of civic engagement, and

Whereas this institution has been challenged to play that role fully during the COVID-19 pandemic, particularly in the years 2020, 2021, and 2022, owing to the need to operate remotely,

Therefore be it resolved that the 2023 Annual Town Meeting acknowledges with gratitude those whose resourceful thinking, planning, and effort preserved Town Meeting during this difficult period.

In particular, Town Meeting thanks the two Town Moderators, John Leone and Greg Christiana, and the Town employees and others who staffed and supported the online systems that sustained Town Meeting while meeting remotely.

Submitted by Adam Auster, Precinct 20