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Artificial Turf Study Committee

Meeting Date: December 5, 2023

Meeting Time: 5PM-6PM

Location: Zoom

Objectives:

- 1) To establish the organization of the committee through the election of committee chair, committee clerk, and other officers as committee members see fit.
- 2) To identify the specific content areas outlined in the project scope that the committee will review and report on as part of the study.
- 3) To establish the structure/methods/practices/format the committee will utilize for the purpose of conducting research and reporting on the committee's findings and recommendations.
- 4) To create a project timeline for the committee to complete its work and report/present findings and recommendations to the Select Board and Town Meeting.
- 5) To establish a regular meeting schedule for the Committee.

Agenda

- I. Welcome/Introduction
- II. Review of Article 12: Establishment of "Artificial Turf Study Committee"
- III. Organization of Committee
 - i. Election of Committee Chair(s)
 - ii. Election of Committee Clerk
 - iii. Election of other officers
- IV. Discussion: project scope
 - a. Health, safety and environmental impacts
 - b. Potential mitigation measures
 - c. Comparison of artificial turf to natural turf fields
- V. Discussion: structure of report of findings and recommendations
 - a. Conducting research
 - b. Reporting format
- VI. Discussion: project timeline
- VII. Discussion: meeting schedule
- VIII. Discussion: public input/comment
- IX. Discussion: next steps
- X. Adjourn