

Arlington Town Meeting — Substitute Motion

ARTICLE NO. 23

Dated: April 28, 2026

We, Jennifer Cutraro and Robin Bergman, do hereby submit the following Substitute Motion under Article 23:

Voted: to amend Title V, Section 2 (a) of Article 16— Tree Protection and Preservation of the Town Bylaws, by adding the text in bold underline to the definition of Protected Tree:

“Protected Tree” - Any existing healthy tree on private land with a DBH of six (6) inches or greater, located in the setback area, **and any tree with a DBH of ten (10) inches or greater located anywhere else on the lot**, which does not pose an immediate hazard to persons or property or is not under imminent threat of disease or insect infestation.

Comment: this change standardizes the text added to match the language of the original bylaw.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Jennifer Cutraro

Jennifer Cutraro, Precinct 11

/s/ Robin Bergman

Robin Bergman, Precinct 12

Date Voted: _____

Action Taken: _____