

WARRANT FOR

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
AUGUST 22, 2006
THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

County of Dukes County, ss
To either of the Constables of the Town of Aquinnah,

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Aquinnah who are qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet in the **Aquinnah Old Town Hall in said Town, on the twenty-second day of August 2006, at 7:00 PM**, then and there to act upon the articles of this warrant.

ARTICLE ONE
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to take from the Stabilization Fund the sum of \$3,000.00 (Three thousand dollars) to purchase a 30 foot replacement flagpole at the Aquinnah Circle or take any other action relative thereto.

Two-thirds vote passage required.

The Finance Committee does not recommend passage of this article.

ARTICLE TWO
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to take from the Stabilization Fund the sum of \$13,500.00 (Thirteen thousand five hundred dollars) to pay for an FY'06 general financial audit or take any other action relative thereto. **Two-thirds vote passage required.**

The Finance Committee recommends passage of this article.

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ARTICLE THREE
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the Town of Aquinnah Personnel Bylaw under the provisions of General Law Chapter 41, Section 108C, or take any other action relative thereto. Copies of the proposed bylaw are available at the office of the Board of Selectmen for review.

ARTICLE FOUR
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to request the Board of Selectmen to take the necessary steps to accept the East Side of Old South Road as a town owned road or take any other action relative thereto.

The Finance Committee does not recommend passage of this article.

ARTICLE FIVE
Planning Board

To see if the Town will vote to amend the first sentence of Chapter XXIII of the Town of Aquinnah Bylaws by substituting the phrase ‘five members’ for the phrase ‘six members’ or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE SIX
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to change the job title of the Town’s Administrator to the Board of Selectmen to Town Coordinator, as recommended by the Department of Revenue, Division of Local Services, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE SEVEN
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to transfer from ACPC line item wages to expenses the amount of \$13,500.00 (Thirteen thousand five hundred dollars) to fund the Town’s apportioned share of personnel costs of the Summer Turtle Project Program administered by the Wampanoag Tribe of Gay Head (Aquinnah) or take any other action relative thereto.

The Finance Committee recommends passage of this article.

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ARTICLE EIGHT
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to accept and adopt the Intergovernmental Agreement on Cooperative Land Use and Planning between the Wampanoag Indian Tribe and the Town of Aquinnah negotiated between the Town and Tribe in public sessions or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE NINE
Fire Department

To see if the Town will vote to take from the Stabilization Fund the sum of \$1,175.00 (One thousand one hundred seventy-five dollars) to purchase a new 5 Horse Power Air Compressor to be housed in the fire station or take any other action relative thereto. **Two-thirds vote passage required.**

The Finance Committee takes no position regarding passage of this article.

ARTICLE TEN
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to take from the Stabilization Fund the sum of \$4,290.00 (Four thousand two hundred ninety dollars) to purchase a new network server for Town Hall financial offices, which includes warranty and all application setups or take any other action relative thereto. **Two-thirds vote passage required.**

The Finance Committee recommends passage of this article.

ARTICLE ELEVEN
Community Preservation Committee

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate monies, from previously reserved Community Preservation revenues, for all necessary and proper expenses required for the undertaking of Community Preservation projects, to be allotted in the following amounts as recommended by the Community Preservation Committee:

\$10,000.00 (Ten thousand dollars) from the Community Preservation FY '07 "Budgeted Reserve" for expenses required for the restoration of the Edwin Vanderhoop Homestead, or take any other action relative thereto.

The Finance Committee recommends passage of this article.

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ARTICLE TWELVE
Community Preservation Committee

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate monies, from previously reserved Community Preservation revenues, for all necessary and proper expenses required for the undertaking of Community Preservation projects, to be allotted in the following amounts as recommended by the Community Preservation Committee:

\$10,000.00 (Ten thousand dollars) from the Community Preservation FY '07 "Budgeted Reserve" for expenses required for the payment of mortgage principal and/or

interest on the EdwinVanderhoop Homestead or take any other action relative thereto.
The Finance Committee recommends passage of this article.

ARTICLE THIRTEEN
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to rescind Chapter XXI, Municipal Lien Fees from the Town of Aquinnah Bylaws or take any other action relative thereto.
(Chapter XXI, Municipal Lien Fees: The Tax Collector shall keep the fee for the issuance of a certificate of Municipal Lien pursuant to Chapter 60, Section 23 of the Massachusetts General Laws, for his personal services.)

The Finance Committee recommends passage of this article.

ARTICLE FOURTEEN
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to pay a bill from the previous fiscal year in an amount not to exceed \$267.00 (Two hundred sixty-seven dollars) from Selectmen's Expenses for expense reimbursement to the elected Martha's Vineyard Commission representative from Aquinnah or take any other action relative thereto. **Nine-tenths vote passage required.**

The Finance Committee recommends passage of this article.

ARTICLE FIFTEEN
Board of Selectmen

To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the Stabilization Fund the sum of \$1,900.00 (One thousand nine hundred dollars) to pay for the installation of a new indirect-fired water heater system at police headquarters, or take any other action relative thereto. **Two-thirds vote passage required.**

The Finance Committee recommends passage of this article.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies at the Schoolhouse and Town Hall in said Town, at least fourteen days prior to time of said meeting. Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting. Given under our hands this eighth

day of August in the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Six.

Michael Hebert, Chairman

Camille Rose, Vice Chairman

James Newman

Aquinnah Board of Selectmen

Marvin Joslow
Aquinnah Constable
Date _____

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