

TOWN OF WOODSTOCK
EXPLANATORY TEXT – March 9, 2023 REFERENDUM VOTE
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Prepared in accordance with the Provisions of Section 9-369b of the Connecticut General Statutes

Items 2, 3 & 4 to be presented and discussed at the Special Town Meeting of the Town of Woodstock held Tuesday, February 28, 2023, shall be submitted under the ballot heading below to vote by persons qualified to vote in town meetings of the Town of Woodstock on March 9, 2023 between the hours of 12 noon and 8:00 pm at the Rear Entrance of the Woodstock Town Hall, 415 Route 169, Woodstock CT 06281

Electors and persons qualified to vote in town meeting who are not electors shall be eligible to vote in the referendum in accordance with Section 7-6 of the Connecticut General Statutes, which will be held at the Woodstock Town Hall, 415 Route 169 in Woodstock. Absentee Ballots will be available from the Town Clerk's Office. Absentee Ballots must be applied for in person at the Office of the Town Clerk in accordance with Section 9-369c of CGS.

The text of the questions to be voted upon are:

- 1. "Shall the Town of Woodstock repeal the ordinance known as Prop 46, adopted at Adjourned Special Town Meeting on December 8, 1979?"**

If this Question is approved, the Ordinance known as Prop 46 will no longer be in effect.

If this Question fails, the Ordinance known as Prop 46 will stay in effect.

- 2. "Shall the Town of Woodstock, in the event Question 1 fails to pass, amend the Ordinance known as Prop 46, adopted at Adjourned Special Town Meeting on December 8, 1979, by waiving the ordinance for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023?"**

This Question only applies if Question 1 fails.

If Question 1 above fails and this Question passes, then the Ordinance known as Prop 46 will be suspended, or not be in effect for the coming fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023. On July 1, 2024, Prop 46 will once again be in effect.

If both Question 1 and this Question fail, Prop 46 will remain in effect.

- 3. "Shall the Town of Woodstock approve the expenditure in the amount of \$215,441.00 as has been recommended by the Board of Finance from the Capital and Non-Recurring Fund for the Woodstock Academy Capital Project Assessment?"**

If this Question is approved, the Town will make the payment to Woodstock Academy as recommended by the Board of Finance.

If this Question fails, the Town will not make the payment to Woodstock Academy as recommended by the Board of Finance.
