

**TOWN OF SOUTHAMPTON**  
**Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

**Special Town Meeting Warrant**  
**Fiscal Year 2010**

HAMPSHIRE SS:

To the Constables of the Town of Southampton in the County of Hampshire.

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote on Town affairs, to meet at William E. Norris School, located at 34 Pomeroy Meadow Road, in said Southampton on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day in August next, at seven in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles:

**ARTICLE 1:** To see if the Town will vote to accept M.G.L. c. 64L, § 2(a) to impose a local meals excise; or take any other action relative thereto.

**ARTICLE 2:** To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Free Cash to reduce the FY10 tax rate; or take any other action relative thereto.

**ARTICLE 3:** To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Free Cash into the Town's Restricted Stabilization Fund; or take any other action relative thereto.

**ARTICLE 4:** To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Free Cash into the Town's All Purpose Stabilization Fund; or take any other action relative thereto.

**ARTICLE 5:** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Park Commission and/or the Board of Selectmen to file, on behalf of the Town of Southampton, any and all applications for grants and/or reimbursements from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts deemed necessary under the PARC Act (Chapter 933 Acts of 1977, as amended) and/or others in any way connected to the purpose of constructing a public park and playground to be known as Labrie Field on Strong Road in Southampton consisting of 19.384 acres, more or less, as shown on a plan entitled "Plan of Land in Southampton made by Heritage Surveys dated 08/04/2008; or take any other action relative thereto.


**ARTICLE 6:** To see if the Town will vote to charge for each written demand issued the collector a fee of \$15.00 to be added and collected as part of the tax, as authorized by Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 60, Section 15, effective as of September 1, 2009; or take any other action relative thereto.

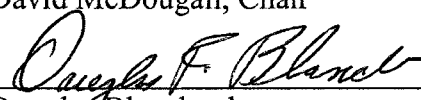
And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at six usual places in said town, fourteen days at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

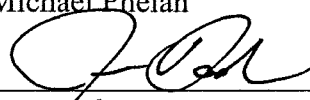
Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the town clerk, at the time and place of meeting, as aforesaid.

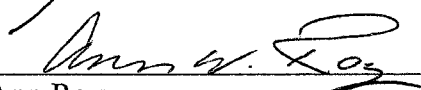
Given under our hands this sixth day in August in the year of our Lord two thousand and nine.

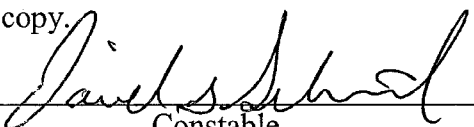
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Michael Phelan  
  
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Ann Roy

A true copy.  
Attest:   
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Constable