TOWN MEETING COORDINATING COMMITTEE
NOMINATIONS AND CANDIDATE STATEMENTS

Names were randomly drawn following the May 8, 2012 deadline for filing nominations and candidate statements.

Candidates will appear in the following order on the ballot to be presented to Town Meeting Members on Monday, May 14, 2012. Voting will take place in the rear of the auditorium between 7:00 and 9:00 p.m.

Nonny Burack

Town Meeting is a species of tribal council whose individual members have neither power nor prestige. Unlike a tribal council, TM is infinitely heterogeneous which – to say the least – does not contribute to easy consensus. TMCC's charge: to provide the best possible atmosphere and conditions to TM to function optimally.

Mary Streeter

I would appreciate your vote to continue working diligently to improve transparency and communication for TM members and the public. I really enjoy getting to know you and planning events that are informative. I am especially committed to increasing information on the Town website to encourage informed decision-making.

Melissa Perot

A resident of Amherst for 2 years I was from the start interested in being involved in a Town Meeting form of local government. This is my second year as a TMM and have found the TMCC a useful support along with the LWV to which I also belong.

Margaret Roberts

Serving on TMCC has been very rewarding, seeing we can make a difference by helping prepare Town Meeting members to participate in sessions and looking for ways to improve the functioning of Town Meeting. Currently, we are working on several projects, including improving listening and communication access in the auditorium.