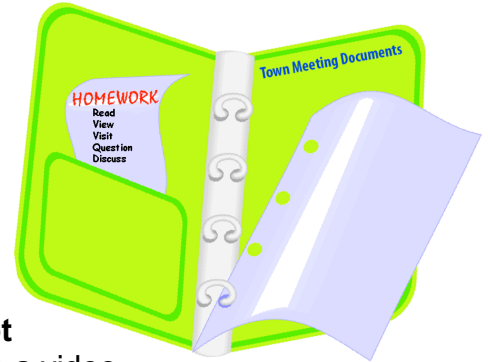


# Preparing for 2018 Annual Town Meeting

There are a variety of ways in which Town Meeting members and the public can learn about the articles for **2018 Annual Town Meeting, which begins on Monday, Apr. 30, 2017.**

**Attend the Warrant Review** – The Warrant Review will be held on **Tuesday, April, 10, 2018 at 7:00 pm** in the **Town Room** at Town Hall. It will be recorded by Amherst Media and rebroadcast several times on Channel 17 as well as being available to view on your computer “On Demand”. Visit [www.AmherstMedia.org](http://www.AmherstMedia.org) for more information.

**Mailing from Town Hall** – A packet of materials will be mailed to all Town Meeting members. Be sure to read these materials before Town Meeting. You may want to bring these documents to Town Meeting in a binder.



**Bus Tour** – TMCC will host a Bus Tour for Town Meeting members to view sites related to current TM articles. The Bus Tour will be held from 1:45 to 4 pm on **Sunday, April 15, 2018. Please meet in the Middle School parking lot by 1:45** to board the bus so we can leave promptly. We'll make a video of the tour that will be available on [www.AmherstMedia.org](http://www.AmherstMedia.org) and Ch. 17.

**Warrant Discussions** – This is a good way to learn more about Town Meeting. At a Warrant Discussion, Town Meeting members and the public gather to learn about and discuss the articles to be decided at Town Meeting. You may attend any of the Warrant Discussions regardless of where you live in town. The Warrant Discussions will be held at the following times and places:



- **Mon., April 23 at 7:00 pm**, UMass Police Station, East Pleasant Street
- **Tues., April 24 at 7:00 pm**, Crocker Farm School Library, 280 West St.
- **Thurs., April 26 at 7:00 pm**, Middle School Professional Development Center
- **Sat., April 28 at 2:00 pm**, Amherst Police Station Community Room, Main St.

**April - Select Board, Finance Committee, Planning Board, and other committees review articles.** Attending or viewing these meetings is a great way to learn the details of the articles.

**Visit the Town Meeting Webpage** – Documents to be given to Town Meeting members will be posted on this page as soon as they become available.

**2018 Annual Town Meeting begins on Monday, April 30, 2018** at 7:00 pm in the Middle School Auditorium. Additional sessions, if needed, are reserved for **May 2, 3, 7, 9, 10, 14, 16, 17, 21, 23, 24, June 4, 7, 11, 2018.** **Note:** The Select Board again opted to schedule Town Meeting on **Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays** unless otherwise voted at Town Meeting.

Email your questions and suggestions to [TownMeeting@amherstma.gov](mailto:TownMeeting@amherstma.gov) .