

# SAMPLE BALLOT



OFFICIAL BALLOT  
SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION  
ABINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
MAY 16, 2026

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TOWN CLERK

## INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this: ●

## BALLOT QUESTIONS

**QUESTION 1.** Shall the Town of Abington be allowed to assess an additional \$275,514 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purpose of funding the operating budget of the Fire Department for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026?

YES

NO

**QUESTION 2.** Shall the Town of Abington be allowed to assess an additional \$875,486 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purposes of funding the operating budget of the Police Department for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026?

YES

NO

**QUESTION 3.** Shall the Town of Abington be allowed to assess an additional \$1,622,114 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purposes of funding the operating budget of the School Department for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026?

YES

NO

**QUESTION 4.** Shall the Town of Abington be allowed to assess an additional \$261,094 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purposes of funding the operating budget of the Department of Public Works for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026?

YES

NO

**QUESTION 5.** Shall the Town of Abington be allowed to assess an additional \$6,468 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purposes of funding the operating budget of the Council on Aging for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026?

YES

NO

**QUESTION 6.** Shall the Town of Abington be allowed to assess an additional \$13,964 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purposes of funding the operating budget of the Library for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026?

YES

NO

**QUESTION 7.** Shall the Town of Abington be allowed to assess an additional \$358,380 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purposes of funding the various departments at the Town Hall, to include the Town Manager, Town Clerk, Assessors, Building Commissioner, Treasurer, Health, Information Technology, Veterans and Planning for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026?

YES

NO