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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to certify that at the Annual Town Meeting, held Monday, May 1st, 2023, with a quorum being present, the following article was adopted by a majority:

9:58pm

TOWN BYLAW AMENDMENT: CREATION OF COMMUNITY GARDEN AND WETLANDS PROTECTION REVOLVING FUNDS

ARTICLE NO. 13: To see if the Town will vote to amend Article III of the Town bylaws to add the following new revolving funds to Chapter 21-8, consistent with MGL Ch 44 Sec 53E½, with such expenditure limits to be applicable from fiscal year to fiscal year, until such time as they may later be amended by Town Meeting, as follows:

Fund	Revenue Source	Authority to Spend	Use of Fund	Fiscal Year Spending Limit
Community Garden	Fees received for community garden programs and related services and operations	Council on Aging & Town Manager	Expenses shall be related to expenses related to operating and managing the community garden and not used for any other purposes	\$50,000
Wetlands Protection	Fees related to local administration and enforcement of the Wetlands Protections Act	Conservation Commission, with Select Board approval	Expenses shall be related to engaging consultant and technical assistance to review proposed projects, administrative or clerical expenses,	\$50,000

			salaries and/or fringe benefits of regular employees to the extent attributable to wetland protection act activities and not used for any other purposes	
Total				\$100,000

or to take any other action relative thereto.

(Select Board)

(Majority Vote Required)

MOTION presented by Select Board Member Cynthia Bingham: I move to approve Article 13 as printed in the warrant, except to strike the reference to creation of a Wetlands Protection Revolving Fund, and further to transfer the sum of \$6,436.00 from the Community Garden checking account to the Community Garden Revolving Fund.

ACTION: Adopted by a majority vote. Voter Cards.

A True Copy Attest,

Colette M. Williams
MMC/CMMC
Town Clerk
Brewster, MA