Community Preservation Committee
Minutes
April 3, 2003
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Present: Carole Wolfe, Steve Swanger, Kirsten Roopenian, Dick Bell, Sigrid Pickering, Sheila Stewart, Mark Kablack, Paul Griffin

Town Meeting Articles

There was discussion regarding potential amendments to the articles at Town Meeting. Several scenarios were discussed. Per the CPA, articles can either be voted as is, voted at a lesser amount, or disapproved. Projects cannot be voted at a higher amount without a recommendation of the CPC, which will be difficult to do during the course of the meeting.

There was discussion on the impacts of reducing the bond period, or eliminating the bond altogether, for the Dickson and the SHA projects. This would require an increase in the appropriation, which requires a vote of the CPC. If this comes up in discussion on the floor of Town Meeting, the CPC should be ready to act. They agreed to meet officially each night before Town Meeting to discuss issues that may arise during discussion of the CPA articles.

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.