

## **Proposed Warrant Article for 2025 Town Meeting**

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate \$165,000, or any other amount, to be expended with the approval of the Select Board, to pay for employment of independent counsel for the purpose of discovering the existence of any criminal, civil or unethical activity responsible for creation, purchase, delay or denial of the illegal dump on the Town of Southborough's Breakneck Hill Conservation property. Said hired counsel will publish a report by Jan 1, 2026 with the findings of their investigation with recommendations for prosecution of criminal activity, potential recovery of the all or part of \$4,400,000 remediation cost paid for by the tax payers of Southborough and/or dismissal of individuals failing to uphold their oath of office.