TOWN OF CHESTER NOTICE OF TOWN MEETING

7:00 PM October 12, 2022

Chester Meeting House

4 Liberty Street Chester, CT 06412

The electors of the TOWN OF CHESTER, CT and all other citizens qualified to vote in town meetings of the TOWN OF CHESTER are hereby notified and warned that a Town Meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 12, 2022, at 7pm at the Chester Meeting House, to consider and act upon the following:

1. To authorize the following Capital transfer, as recommended by the Board of Finance:

From 20-00-01-0000-007 Board of Selectmen - Assigned \$100,000

To 20-00-30-0000-030 Public Works – Highway Equipment \$100,000

- 2. To consent and approve an appropriation in an amount not to exceed \$50,000 to be allocated from the American Rescue Plan Act Funds (ARPA) to authorize the Town to use these funds towards tree removal in different locations throughout town, as recommended by the Board of Finance.
- 3. To consent and approve an appropriation in an amount not to exceed \$136,894 to be allocated from the American Rescue Plan Act Funds (ARPA) to authorize the purchase and installation of radio equipment for the Chester Hose Company, as recommended by the Board of Finance.
- 4. To consent and approve an appropriation in an amount not to exceed \$2,000 to be allocated from the American Rescue Plan Act Funds (ARPA) to authorize The Estuary (formally known as Estuary Council of Seniors) to expand their social worker's hours to cover the next 2 years, as recommended by the Board of Finance.
- 5. To consent and approve an appropriation in an amount not to exceed \$25,000 to be allocated from the American Rescue Plan Act Funds (ARPA) to authorize the Chester Land Trust to use those funds on maintaining the Carini Preserve specifically to identify and remove Japanese Knotweed, as recommended by the Board of Finance.
- 6. To approve the amended proposal for ARPA Social Services Fund that replaces the original proposal that was approved by Town vote on May 24, 2022.
- 7. To appoint Richard Strauss as a full member of the Region 4 Board of Education to fill a vacancy until the November 2023 election.

Charlene O. Janecek First Selectwoman Edmund Meehan Selectman

Thomas Englert Selectman