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Subject: Tomorrow evening

Dear Colleagues:

A number of you have asked that I inform all of what to expect at Town Meeting tomorrow evening. Over the course of the meeting, we will take the 39 articles in STM1 (the main Fall meeting) in the order in which they appear in the warrant. At around 7:30 tomorrow evening we will adjourn STM1 and convene STM2 in order to deal with the three articles on the warrant for the latter meeting, covering budget adjustments, BHS funding and the Newbury acquisition. We may be able to complete the business of STM2 in a reasonably short time, since I am informed that the principal sponsor of the competing motion for budget adjustments has agreed with the Advisory Committee on a resolution in place of her original motion, which also disposes of the legal issue relating to that motion about which I corresponded with you this afternoon. That being the case, there will be no opposition to the three articles on the STM2 warrant and we might get as far as STM1 article 8, or even 9-11, tomorrow evening. Beyond that I hazard no guesses, since the balance of the STM1 warrant is replete with complex and controversial articles that will elicit considerable debate.

Regards, Sandy Gadsby

Moderator