

Town of Southwick, Massachusetts

454 College Highway, Southwick, MA 01077

Finance Committee's Pro's & Con's of STM November 18, 2013

Finance Committee Pros and Cons
Special Town Meeting
November 18, 2013

Article 1

PRO: This provides an annual pay increase for FF/EMT, Library Director and the Assistant Library Director.

CON: If not approved, it will not allow for a pay increase that was approved at Town Meeting.

Article 2

PRO: This will replenish the line items that were used to offset costs for unforeseen water breaks.

CON: Replenishing the line items would come from the General Fund.

Article 3

PRO: The \$160,000.00 will pay for the additional cost of the new water tank.

CON: Essentially, there is none.

Article 4

PRO: The \$150,000.00 will pay for the additional costs of the new sewer interceptor main.

CON: It would delay the project.

Article 8

PRO: The \$100,000.00 from the Community Preservation General Unreserved Fund would be used to rehabilitate the STGRHS running track.

CON: The project will not be finished.