

November 4, 2015

Kevin F. Greeley, Chair Board of Selectmen Town of Arlington 869 Mass. Ave. Arlington, MA 02476

Dear Mr. Greeley:

By letter dated July 16, 2015, the Minuteman Regional School Committee requested that your Board include in the warrant for your town's next annual or special Town Meeting an article calling for the acceptance of an amendment setting forth the terms by which the Town of Wayland may withdraw from the Minuteman Regional School District. At that time, I advised you that the proposed amendment, and Wayland's withdrawal from the District, would only take effect if the town meetings of all sixteen of the District's member towns, as well as the Commissioner of Education, approved the amendment.

This letter is to let you know that the Town of Lexington was the first member town to consider the proposed amendment, and at its Town Meeting on Monday, November 2, 2015, voted to reject the proposed amendment by a vote of 129-25. Lexington's vote does not change the Regional School Committee's request made to your Board under Section IX of the Regional Agreement, as detailed in my July 16, 2015 letter, but we wanted to make you aware of the result of Lexington's vote.

Please feel free to contact Superintendent Edward Bouquillon if you or your Board have any questions or would like any further information regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

David Horton, Secretary

Minuteman School Committee

David Horton

cc: Adam Chapdelaine, Town Administrator