

## Arlington Special Town Meeting — Motion to Amend

ARTICLE NO. 3

Dated: Nov. 15, 2020

I, Adam Badik, do hereby submit the following Motion to Amend  
Article 3:

### VOTED:

Whereas this amendment clearly exempts a significant number of buildings from the  
uplighting prohibition, adding more light pollution rather than making our skies darker,

That Title V, Article 14, Section 3D of the Town Bylaws be and hereby is amended as  
follows:

3(D). Up-lighting, the direct light illumination distributed above a 90 degree horizontal  
plane through the lowest direct light emitting part of the luminaire, is prohibited, except  
before 9:30PM or with specific permission from the Select Board for ten or fewer  
consecutive days, for signage governed by and permitted under the Arlington Zoning  
Bylaw, illumination of the United States Flag, the Flag of the Commonwealth of  
Massachusetts, or other flags on Town and/or school property, Town, School, public  
building façades, buildings used for religious purposes, buildings used for commercial  
purposes, or a public monument. For any up-lighting, the luminaire shall be equipped  
with shields so that the lamp is not visible from a street, or a lot that is in Residential or  
Conservation use.

Signed:

s / Adam Badik/

Precinct 5 ,

Date Voted: \_\_\_\_\_

Action Taken: \_\_\_\_\_