Arlington Town Meeting — Substitute Motion

Dated: 4/22/2019

Article 40   **Vote/Robbins Library Parking Costs**

To see if the Town will vote to change the cost of parking in the spaces behind and in front of the Robbins Library; or take any action related thereto.

I,   **Andrew Fischer**   do hereby submit the following SUBSTITUTE Motion:

VOTED:

1 WHEREAS, the Town of Arlington wishes to encourage the use of its public libraries, and,

2. WHEREAS, the Town of Arlington values equal access to its public libraries for all citizens, with full regard for the economic diversity of the Town, and

3. WHEREAS, the American Library Association Bill of Rights urges that libraries operate in ways that "minimize distinctions among users based on their economic status or financial condition," and

4. WHEREAS, the most convenient Parking at Robbins Memorial Library is priced at $1 per hour,

5. NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Arlington Town Meeting encourages the Town to change the current parking fee system so that the most convenient parking is equally available to all, and,

6. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Town Meeting encourages the Town to accomplish this goal by eliminating the parking charge, or by reducing the parking charge to .25 per hour.

Signed:

Precinct:

Date Voted: _____ Action Taken: _____