

## ARTICLE 36

To see if the Town will vote (1) to endorse A Petition to the U.S. Congress to Adopt a Uniform National Gun Safety Law acknowledging (a) that the number of privately owned firearms and thenumber of fatalities and injuries in the United States is far greater than any other industrialized country in the world, and (b) that a uniform national gun safety law would eliminate state by state differences that permit the spread of lethal weapons through illegal sales and trafficking, and (c) that the U.S. Congress needs to fund gun safety research as a public health epidemic, and (d) that core provisions of recently enacted gun safety laws in New York and Connecticut were found constitutional by Federal Appeals Court that therefore form a constitutional model for new uniformnational legislation; and (2) to ask our Board of Selectmen to transmit copies of this Warrant Article and Resolution to our Federal elected officials including the President of the United States Barack Obama and Vice President Joseph Biden, Massachusetts Senators Elizabeth Warren and Edward Markey, and Congresswoman Katharine Clarke; or take any other action relative thereto.

Citizens Petition