

Precinct 1

Incumbents

Lois Angelo

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* Community Activities

--current town meeting member, Precinct 1

--28 years as a Lexington resident

--parent of 3 children graduated from the Lexington school system

--currently employed as emergency room nurse case manager/addiction specialist

* Question for Town Meeting candidates:

Yes, will actively support the Sustainable Residential Incentives Warrant Article, a dynamic community measure to help protect the environment.

Larry Freeman

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Valerie Overton (she/her)

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Community Activities:

LexPride (Co-Chair)

LexSeeHer (Steering Committee member)

MLK Day of Service Committee (Member)

Together We Rise (Co-Chair)

Lexington Citizens Reimagining Public Safety (Member)

Town Meeting (Member, Precinct Chair, Executive Committee DEI Subcommittee)
Cambridge LGBTQ+ Commission Advisory Board (Member)
Lexington Community Coalition (Steering Committee member, Newsletter)
Many other activities over the years (e.g., Lexington Mental Health Task Force, Lexington Diversity Task Force, LexSaysEnough, Human Rights Committee subgroups, disability rights groups, etc.)

Yes, I would support a Sustainable Residential Incentives Warrant Article in concept. As with all articles that come before Town Meeting, I would conduct more research and listen to arguments from all perspectives before making my final decision. I offer this caveat because I believe Town Meeting members have an obligation to consider all perspectives—and the possibility of unintended economic, social justice, or sustainability consequences—before voting.

I would support a Sustainable Residential Incentives Warrant Article because I believe that environment, climate, and sustainability issues are at a critical point—and in Lexington we must work from as many angles as possible to reduce our contribution to the problem and mitigate impacts. Given that Lexington is a desirable place to live, and many buyers seem to want large houses, this seems like a sensible approach to addressing the impacts of large houses without undue burden to homeowners. To the same end, I also support incentives for reduced emissions and waste from other sectors, such as transportation, restaurants, other business, and landscaping.

Katherine Reynolds