

April 4, 2023

I hereby certify that at an adjourned session of the 2023 Annual Town Meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Abington held on April 3rd, 2023, a meeting duly called and conducted under Chapter 152 of the By-Laws of the Town of Abington, a quorum present, it was voted:

Article 22 – Amendment to Zoning Bylaw §175-63 to allow for "green roofs" to help achieve stormwater management goals:

Voted to amend Zoning Bylaw §175-63 entitled "Surface water drainage" by adding the following language shown in bold:

§175-63 Surface water drainage.

All surface water drained from roofs, parking lots, streets, and other site features shall be disposed of in a safe and efficient manner and shall not create problems of water runoff or erosion on the site in question or on other sites. Insofar as possible, natural drainage courses, swales properly stabilized with plant materials or paving when necessary, and drainage impounding areas shall be utilized to dispose of water on the site through natural percolation. Green roofs may be used on commercial, industrial, and similar construction for treatment of rooftop runoff, should appropriate site conditions and construction techniques allow for feasible implementation.

PASSES WITH 2/3 VOTE

A true record.

Attest:

Leanne M. Adams

Town Clerk