



TOWN OF ORLEANS

The following is a certified copy of the Article from the "DOINGS" thereof from the Annual Town Meeting of May 8, 2023

ARTICLE 58. AMEND HOME RULE CHARTER: RESPONSIBILITY FOR APPOINTMENT

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following proposed Order of Amendment to the Orleans Home Rule Charter:

Bold underline = new language ~~strikethrough~~ = language removed

4-4-1: Subject to the approval of the Select Board, the Town Manager shall appoint and, on the basis of merit and fitness alone, and except as otherwise is provided by general law, Charter, or personnel Bylaws, may suspend or remove: a Town Clerk, ~~who need not be a Town resident~~; a Town Collector-Treasurer **Treasurer/Town Collector**; a full-time professional Assessor who shall not be a member of the Board of Assessors; **a Director of Planning and Community Development; a Conservation Agent who shall not be a member of the Conservation Commission**; and a Director of Public Works and Natural Resources. The Town Manager may also appoint other positions, subject to the availability of funds.

Or to take any other action relative thereto. (Select Board)

(2/3 Vote Required)

MOTION:

I move that this article be accepted and adopted as printed in the warrant.

ACTION: Voice voted, article passes unanimously

A True Copy, Attest

Kelly L. Darling
Town Clerk