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**PUBLIC NOTICE AS PER MGL CHAPTER 40, SECTION 32
OF BERNARDSTON TOWN GENERAL BYLAWS APPROVED AT
THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING OF MAY 11, 2017**

**THE ARTICLES LISTED BELOW WERE APPROVED BY THE ATTORNEY
GENERAL'S OFFICE ON AUGUST 15, 2017**

**AND CERTIFIED COPIES POSTED
BY THE TOWN CLERK ON AUGUST 16, 2017**

These bylaws takes effect immediately as of the posting of this notice, **AUGUST 16, 2017** and this notice shall remain so posted for 30 Days.

Article 23: *The Town voted to amend the general by-laws of the Town of Bernardston by adding a new section to establish and authorize revolving funds for use by certain town departments, boards, committees, agencies or officers under Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, § 53E½. [For details, please see Minutes of the Annual Town Meeting on the Town Website or find them for examination at the Town Clerk's Office.]*

Article 24: *The Town voted to amend Section A) of the Delinquent Taxes Bylaw to read as follows: The Tax Collector shall annually and may periodically, furnish to each board, commission or division, hereinafter referred to as the licensing authority, that issues licenses or permits including renewals and transfers, a list of any person, corporation, or business enterprise, hereinafter referred to as the party, that neglected or refuses to pay any local taxes, fees, assessments, betterments or other municipal charges, and that such party has not filed in good faith a pending application for abatement of such tax, or a pending petition before the appellate tax board.*

Posted as per MGL Chapter 40, Section 32 in 5 (five) public places:

Bernardston Town Hall, 38 Church Street; Bernardston Post Office, 9 Center Street;
Country Corner Store, 44 Church Street; Bernardston Senior Center, 20 Church Street;
and www.townofbernardston.org;

A True Copy. Attest: Town Clerk

Paul W. Luther