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Joan Wordell Hudson Town Clerk 75 Main Street Hudson, MA 01749

> RE: Hudson Annual Town Meeting of May 7, 2012 - Case # 6365 Warrant Article # 21 (Zoning)

Dear Ms. Wordell:

Article 21 - We approve the amendments to the Town by-laws adopted under this Article on the warrant for the Hudson Annual Town Meeting that convened on May 7, 2012. Article 21 amended section 5.9.2 of the Wireless Communication Facilities by-law to change the assessors map and lot number designation for the Murphy Water Tank.

Note: Pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 32, neither general nor zoning by-laws take effect unless the town has first satisfied the posting/publishing requirements of that statute. Once this statutory duty is fulfilled, (1) general by-laws and amendments take effect on the date that these posting and publishing requirements are satisfied unless a later effective date is prescribed in the by-law, and (2) zoning by-laws and amendments are deemed to have taken effect from the date they were voted by the Town Meeting, unless a later effective date is prescribed in the by-law.

If the Attorney General has disapproved and deleted one or more portions of any by-law or by-law amendment submitted for approval, only those <u>portions approved</u> are to be posted and published pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 32. We ask that you forward to us a copy of the final text of the by-law or by-law amendments reflecting any such deletion. It will be sufficient to send us a copy of the text posted and published by the Town Clerk pursuant to this statute.

Very truly yours,

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