

ARTICLE 13

TECHNICAL CORRECTION-GENERAL BYLAW (FOSSIL FUEL)

To see if the Town will vote to make technical corrections to the Town's Fossil Fuel Bylaw, adopted pursuant to Article 29 of the 2021 Spring Town Meeting, to be consistent with Chapter 179 of the Acts of 2022 authorizing a demonstration program for municipal regulation of fossil fuels in new construction; or act in any other manner in relation thereto.

(Inserted by the Select Board at the request of the Sustainable Lexington Committee)

DESCRIPTION: The state's Climate Bill passed this summer includes authorization to implement a pilot project that authorizes ten communities to regulate fossil fuels in buildings if they have passed a Home Rule Petition (which Town Meeting passed in 2021). Technical changes are needed to the bylaw adopted in 2021 to conform it to the state's requirements for participation in this program.