

**AMENDMENTS TO THE BARRINGTON HOME RULE CHARTER
NOVEMBER 6, 2018
LOCAL BALLOT QUESTIONS**

Question #3: **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS:**
(Amends Section 8-1-2 Powers and Duties)
Approved by the Town Council July 30, 2018.

Ballot Question: Shall the Department of Public Works include the maintenance, repair and operation of all public buildings and properties including those of the school department.

- Approve
- Reject

Charter Language: §8-1-2 Powers and Duties
The department of public works shall be responsible for the functions and services of the Town relating to streets, highways, sidewalks, bridges, town yard, water courses, street lighting, waste disposal, sanitary sewerage and sewerage systems, storm drainage, collection and disposal of garbage and other refuse; for the maintenance and repair and operation of all public buildings and properties, ~~excepting~~ and including those of the school department, belonging to or used by the Town; and for such other functions as may be delegated to the department by the Town Manager.

Explanation: This proposal would include the maintenance, repair and operation of all public buildings and properties including those of the school department.