



**Malden, Massachusetts**

**Date: January 15, 2026**

**Paper 434 Series of 2025**

**Below is a true attest copy of same:**

Order: That during the City of Malden Special Municipal Election to be held on February 10, 2026, that the following debt exclusion ballot question be included:

Shall the City of Malden be allowed to temporarily assess an additional \$36,000,000 in real estate and personal property taxes through a debt/expenditure exclusion, for the specific purpose of paying for the construction of the Northeast Metropolitan Regional Vocational Technical School, for which the monies will be used for the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2052?

A yes vote would support a temporary increase in real estate and personal property taxes beginning with fiscal year 2027 (07/01/2026 to 06/30/2027) until fiscal year 2052 (07/01/2051 to 06/30/2052).

A no vote would make no change to the current tax structure.

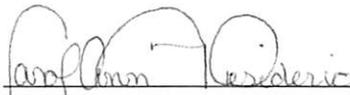
Sponsored by Ryan O'Malley, Karen Colón Hayes, and Stephen Winslow

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**Failed, by the City Council, by two (2) yea and nine (9) nay votes, the City Council consisting of eleven members at their January 13, 2026 meeting.**

**Approved, January 15, 2026 by His Honor, Mayor Gary J. Christenson**

**Attest:**

  
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**City Clerk Carol Ann T. Desiderio**

  
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**Council President Amanda Linehan**