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Form CPF M101 BQ: STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION BALLOT QUESTION COMMITTEE MUNICIPAL FORM

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 55, of the organization of a ballot question committee as follows:

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1. Name (See note 1):	<u>Hardwick Villages for Responsible Growth</u>		
2. Committee mailing address:	<u>PO Box 36</u>		
City/State/Zip:	<u>Hardwick</u>	MA	<u>01037</u>
E-mail Address:	<u>ndawson855@gmail.com</u>	Phone #:	<u>802-380-2063</u>
3. Purpose / specific issues and interests (See note 2):	<u>Please see attachment A enclosed</u>		
4. Topic of question & question no., if known:	<u>Please see attachment A enclosed</u>		
5. This committee is formed to (check one):	<input type="checkbox"/> support or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> oppose the question.		

6. OFFICERS:

Chairman: <u>Cara Wilczynski</u> Residential Address: <u>385 Barre Road</u> City / State / Zip: <u>Hardwick</u> MA <u>01037</u> Phone #: <u>413-636-7231</u>	Treasurer*: <u>W. Neil Dawson</u> Residential Address: <u>110 Barre Road</u> City / State / Zip: <u>Hardwick</u> MA <u>01037</u> Phone #: <u>802-380-2063</u> E-mail: <u>ndawson855@gmail.com</u> <small>*A public employee may not serve as treasurer of any political committee (see reverse).</small>
Other Officer/Title: <u>Mikaela Raymond Vice-Chairman</u> Residential Address: <u>500 Upper Church St</u> City / State / Zip: <u>Gilbertville</u> MA <u>01031</u> Phone #: <u>847-707-6700</u>	Other Officer/Title: _____ Residential Address: _____ City / State / Zip: _____ Phone #: _____

(Complete and attach a Form CPF M A 101, if necessary, with other officers and finance committee, if any.)

The chairman and treasurer of a political committee should be aware that provisions of M.G.L. c. 55 specify that each treasurer of a political committee shall keep and preserve detailed accounts, vouchers and receipts for a period of six years from the date of the relevant election. Chapter 55 also specifies that no expenditures shall be made for, or on behalf of, a political committee without the authorization of the chairman or treasurer, or their designated agents; and, that all funds of a political committee shall be kept separate from any personal funds of any officers, members or associates of such committee.

I hereby accept the office of Chairman of the above-named committee.

SIGNED UNDER THE PENALTIES OF PERJURY:

Cara Wilczynski
Chairman's signature

Date: 11/23/2022

I hereby accept the office of Treasurer of the above-named committee. I affirm that I am not a public employee as defined by M.G.L. c. 55, s. 13. I understand that: 1) I am subject to certain duties and liabilities under M.G.L. c. 55, including the timely filing of campaign finance reports and keeping detailed accounts and records of all campaign finance activity for a period of six years from the date of the relevant election; and 2) if after my acceptance of this office I become an appointed public employee, I must resign this position and notify OCPF of my resignation.

SIGNED UNDER THE PENALTIES OF PERJURY:

W. Neil Dawson
Treasurer's signature

Date: 11/23/2022

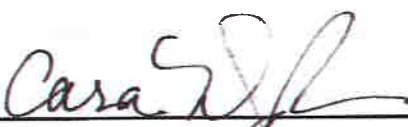
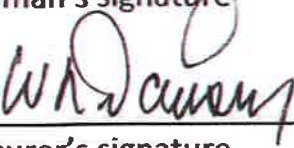
Attachment A to Form CPF M101BQ submitted by Hardwick Villages for
Responsible Growth signed and dated November 23 2022

#3 Purposes / specific issues and interests:

To cause and support responsible economic growth in the villages and town of Hardwick that continue preservation of the environment , sustainable development of natural resources, preservation of historic features, and the overall health and well being of town residents; including opposing commercial development that changes the rural nature of the town, for example, commercial enterprises like horse racing and sports betting as currently proposed at Great Meadowbrook Farm located at 228 Barre Road in Hardwick.

#4 Topic of question & question no., if known:

Pursuant to MGL Chapter 128A Section 13A; Board of Selectmen approved location for horse racing on 11/09/2022; petition opposing Board of Selectmen decision filed and certified by Town Clerk on 11/14/2022; Board of Selectmen reaffirmed their approval decision on 11/21/2022; matter will be submitted to the voters on 01/07/2023.

	<u>11/23/22</u>
Chairman's signature	Date
	<u>11/23/22</u>
Treasurer's signature	Date

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