



Measure #: 2026-009

TOWN COUNCIL MEASURE SUBMITTAL

Date: 8/25/2025

Submitted By: Town Manager

Telephone #: 508-699-0100

MEASURE DESCRIPTION:

To request that the Town Council accept the funds received from PFAS products litigation into the Receipts Reserved for Appropriation fund, with the understanding that these funds may be transferred by vote of the Town Council and used solely for the purposes specified in the settlement agreement.

Signed: Michael Borg

Digitally signed by Michael Borg
DN: c=US, ou=Town Manager, cn=Michael Borg, email=Michael.Borg@nattleboro.com
Reason: I am the author of this document
Location:
Date: 2025.08.21 09:05:27 -0400
Foxit PDF Editor Version: 12.0.0

PURPOSE AND JUSTIFICATION:

To request that the Town Council appropriate funds received from PFAS products liability litigation to the Water Enterprise Fund for the purposes of water supply inspection, monitoring, remediation, and/or new source development, or act anything thereon.

The Town of North Attleborough joined with other public water suppliers across the country in litigation addressing contamination of drinking water by PFAS. As a result of one settlement, the Town has received \$505,181.44, with additional payments expected over the next three years. These funds will directly support the ongoing treatment upgrades necessary to address PFAS in the Town's drinking water supply.

Appropriating these funds directly to the Water Enterprise Fund through the Receipts Reserved for Appropriation ensures they are available for their intended purpose by the Department of Public Works, while also preventing the funds from flowing into the General Fund and free cash in the following fiscal year. This approach provides both fiscal clarity and operational efficiency in addressing PFAS impacts on the Town's water system.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

ATTACHMENTS:

REFER TO SUB-COMMITTEE: Finance Subcommittee

Measure #: 2026-009

TOWN COUNCIL MEASURE SUBMITTAL

Date: 8/25/2025

Submitted By: Town Manager

Telephone #: 508-699-0100

PURPOSE AND JUSTIFICATION CONTINUED: