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# Town Meeting Request \$400,000

For purchasing services and materials related to making improvements to parking and hardscapes

Collaborative effort between the Department of Public Works, Planning, and the Town Manager's Office

#### **Parking Lot Reconstruction Project**

- Includes reclamation, drainage, striping, catch basins
- Last paved in 1986

#### Hardscape Improvements

- Remove and reset 2,250 linear feet of granite curbing
- Reset landscaping
- Improve pedestrian connections
- Improve circulation

# **EXISTING CONDITIONS**









## RECONSTRUCTION RENDERING

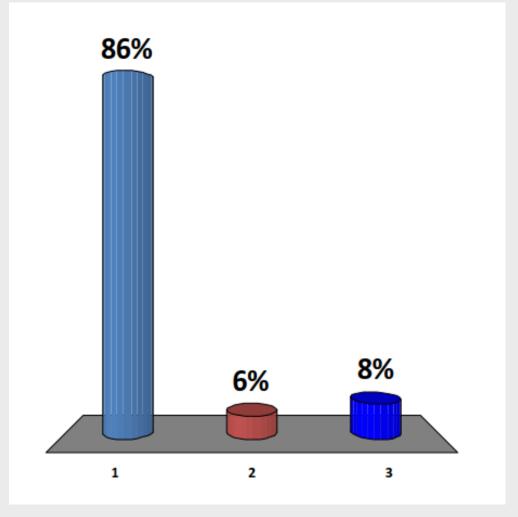




### PUBLIC MEETING LIVE VOTE



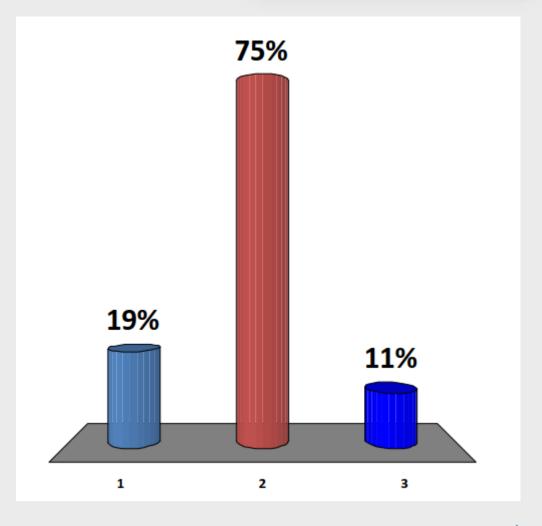
 86% of public meeting participants recognized that there was a design solution that addresses both parking and pedestrian amenities



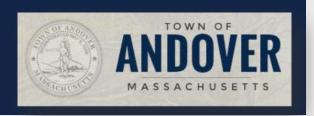
#### PUBLIC MEETING LIVE VOTE



• 75% of public meeting participants voted for the design that included parking and hardscape improvements as opposed to alternative designs, which included closing of streets, and removal of total # of spaces



### PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT PROCESS







- Public Information Sessions on parking improvements and downtown amenities
  - December 12, 2018
  - February 28, 2019
  - April 4, 2019
- Survey with over 1,100 respondents

#### **SURVEY RESULTS**



- 87% of respondents identify issues in the parking areas behind Old Town Hall
  - Issues include dangerous intersections, too many curb cuts, narrow sidewalks, insufficient lighting, unhealthy or dead trees
- 88% of respondents would like to see more activities/programs behind Town Hall as a result of improved striping and circulation
  - Activities and programs include short term events, outdoor seating areas, multipurpose pavilions, green space

# PARKING IMPROVEMENT ESTIMATES LOTS 1 & 2



Item		Cost
Reclaimed Pavement Surface		\$33,832
Pavement		\$230,051
Line Striping		\$2,059
Catch Basin, installed		\$16,200
12" Drain Pipe, installed		\$7,996
Remove & Reset Granite Curbing		\$56,250
Contingency		\$51,959
	Total	\$398,347

#### WHAT THIS ARTICLE ALLOWS AND DOES NOT



#### Article 41 Provides Funding for:

- Increased Public Parking Supply
- Reconstruction of Parking Lots1 & 2
- Improved Traffic Management
- Drainage Improvements
- · Reset Curbing and Landscaping
- Provides Green Spaces
- Improve Pedestrian Access between lots and sidewalks
- ADA Compliance

#### **Article 41 Will Not:**

- Close Park or Barnard Street
- Modify any Local Roads
- Provide for Public Amenities beyond Green Spaces
- Does not Reduce Public Parking Supply