

October 24, 2016

CHARTER SCHOOLS FORUM - BALLOT QUESTION 2: Come Learn about this important ballot question on Friday, October 28, 2016, 9:00 -10:30 am, at the Wellesley Town Hall, Juliani Room, 525 Washington Street, Wellesley

The forum will feature a brief summary on Question 2 and information from our guests on both sides of the question (pro and con) and questions from the community. Please join us!

Featured guests speakers for this discussion are:

Lisa Guisbond, Executive Director of Citizens for Public Schools, a Boston-based public education advocacy organization that is part of the Save our Public Schools MA coalition. She is an educational author with publications in Education Week, The Boston Globe, The Boston Herald, The Washington Post, The Atlanta Constitution, USA Today and The New York Times.

Alice Peisch, MA State Representative, 14th Norfolk District. She has been the House Chair of the Joint Committee on Education since 2011. She was honored with the 2012 Walt Turner Award from the National Association of Educational Service Agencies, the 2012 MA Association of School Committees' Legislator of the Year Award, and the 2015 Distinguished Service Award by the MA Association of School Superintendents.

Please plan to attend with friends and neighbors -- all are welcome.



HHU (Hardy-Hunnewell-Upham) Survey

The HHU Master Plan Committee (MPC) wants your opinion!

In order to make a fully-informed recommendation to the Town regarding these three elementary schools in Wellesley, the committee needs to hear from all residents, taxpayers, and our community. The Committee

is representing **you**, so it is important for **you** to let them know how **you** feel and what **you** want for the Town of Wellesley. The HHU MPC would like your feedback on the issues we under consideration as they weigh various options for school improvements.

You can access the survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HHUsurvey>. Surveys must be completed by November 1, 2016.

Reminder: Please pay your dues for 2016-2017 as soon as possible. Thank you if you have already sent in your dues.

You may pay your dues (and make a donation to the League) on line using PayPal at <http://www.lvwellesley.org/join.html>. Dues and donations are NOT tax deductible. You may also mail your dues payment to Treasurer, Jenny Zannetos, if you prefer to renew your membership by check. Individual membership is \$50/year and household membership (2 persons) is \$75/year.

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