



Wakefield Democratic Town Committee's recommended votes on the

2026 BALLOT QUESTIONS

WAKEFIELD DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE Ballot-Measure Recommendations

Q1	EXPAND PUBLIC RECORDS REQUIREMENTS FOR THE LEG. AND GOV'S OFFICE	Should lawmakers in the State House and Senate and the Governor's Office follow largely the same public-records rules as other state government offices?	
Q2	PERMIT COLLECTIVE BARGAINING FOR PCS EMPLOYEES	Should the Commonwealth's 750 public defenders, social workers, investigators, administrative assistants, and IT staff be able to unionize?	
Q3	ADOPT TOP-TWO PRIMARY ELECTIONS	Should Massachusetts adopt a single, non-partisan primary in which the top two candidates, regardless of party, would proceed to the general election?	
Q4	PERMIT SAME-DAY VOTER REGISTRATION	Should residents be able to register and vote during early voting or on Election Day (subject to verification of their identity and eligibility)?	
Q5	CHANGE STATE TAX REVENUE LIMIT	Should the Commonwealth change the limit on how much revenue the state may collect in a given year?	
Q6	ESTABLISH NATURE-FOR-ALL FUND	Should the Commonwealth create a fund for state money entitled the Nature for All Fund to be used to finance nature-conservation efforts.	
Q7	SET MIN. LIMIT ON REQUIRED LOT SIZE FOR SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES	Should the Commonwealth set statewide lot-size minimums for single-family homes?	
Q8	RE-CRIMINALIZE MARIJUANA SALES AND POSSESSION	Should the Commonwealth dismantle commercial sales, end home growing, eliminate state excise taxes, and shift Massachusetts to a possession-only, re-criminalization model?	
Q9	UPHOLD 2024 FIREARM LAW	Should Massachusetts' 2024 Act Modernizing Firearms Laws—which limited ghost guns, expanded red-flag laws, and revised the state's ban on assault weapons—be upheld?	