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ELECTION DAY IS JUNE 9, 2020, 12 noon – 8PM

Avoid the Crowds on Election Day: Vote by Mail-in Ballot

Questions about Voting? See: <https://www.brooklinema.gov/DocumentCenter/View/21793/Bkline-2020-Voting-FAQ>

TOWNWIDE

SELECT BOARD

Heather Hamilton
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A Note on PAX's Endorsement for SELECT BOARD

HEATHER HAMILTON has not only long been a proven Brookline progressive, e.g., former Chair of Town Meeting's (great) Green Caucus, but also had much experience as a hard-working TMM, then Select Board Member, e.g., a leader of 2015's Yes for Brookline override, active in No on 2 (to keep MA's charter schools cap), leading & putting many hours into the scooter experiment (and, yes, identifying several issues needing solutions, we hope next year), etc. Especially given the imminent fiscal nightmare facing Brookline & all municipalities (& states), her continuity & experience seem important.

For the remaining seat, PAX (i.e., the Board, collectively) sees two decent candidates with differing strengths. ERIC HYETT shows an impressive resume with clearly progressive values/priorities, emphasizing things like working for sorely-needed housing affordability, equity, and working collaboratively, with numerous private & nonprofit sector activities, and he has Brookline roots and history; but he has almost no governmental experience or known voting record, especially here in Brookline. John VANSCOYOC's commitment, knowledge, and experience in Brookline's government are his strongest suit; and while he's not a similarly clear-cut "progressive," he's been fine on many votes (e.g., climate change articles, equity and affordable housing – like the recent transfer tax vote, and against 2018's attempt to narrow zoning options for marijuana dispensaries). Each of the two had some fervent PAX Board advocates; but neither reached the 60% threshold for endorsement. We hope/urge that whichever does not win should be very involved in our government, especially with many tough challenges imminent! In our government, especially with many tough challenges imminent!