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Charter for Ambulance Billing Evaluation Committee

Purpose

The Ambulance Billing Evaluation Committee has been chartered to:

- Evaluate the potential costs and benefits of billing for ambulance services
- Determine if a warrant article should be considered for the 2019 March town meeting that reverses the 1991 warrant article that was approved "to eliminate all charges to users of the Brookline Ambulance Service"

Composition

The Committee will be comprised of the following seven members:

- Selectboard member
- Ambulance Chief
- Town Administrator
- Finance committee member
- Two Brookline Ambulance Service members
- An "at large" resident

Scope

The committee will focus on the following tasks:

- Model the potential annual costs and benefits of billing for ambulance services in 2020 under multiple staffing assumptions
- Discuss and validate assumptions with at least one third-party billing service or other town as needed
- Provide findings and recommendations to the Selectboard by its December 17 meeting

The committee's charter will end at the conclusion of the 2019 town meeting.

Approved by the Selectboard on September 10, 2018.		
Brendan Denehy	Eddie Arnold	Tom Humphreys
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