

## TOWN OF

## PETERBOROUGH

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Dear Representative:

On May 11, 2021, the town of Peterborough considered a petitioned warrant article, Article 10, called the NH Resolution for Fair Nonpartisan Redistricting. The article was passed 1445 to 230 in a ballot vote. The text of the resolution was as follows:

## NEW HAMPSHIRE RESOLUTION FOR NONPARTISAN FAIR REDISTRICTING

By petition of 25 or more eligible voters of the town of Peterborough to see if the town will vote to urge that the New Hampshire General Court, which is obligated to redraw the maps of political districts within the state following the federal census, will ensure fair and effective representation of New Hampshire voters without gerrymandering.

Additionally, these voters ask the town of Peterborough to urge the NH General Court to carry out the redistricting in a fair and transparent way through public meetings, not to favor a particular political party, to include communities of interest, and to minimize multi-seat districts.

As stipulated in the Article, we submit the results of the vote for your consideration, and the consideration of the New Hampshire legislature.

Thank you for your service to our community and state.

PETERBOROUGH SELECT BOARD:

Tyler Ward, Chair

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