

We the undersigned ask the town to vote to amend By-laws Article III, section 5 to read as follows:

"The Board of Health shall consist of five (5) members, each to be elected to a three-year term. Two members of said Board shall be elected on each of two consecutive years and one on the third year by ballot at each annual town election. The Board shall have powers and duties as set forth in Chapter 111 of the general laws and other applicable laws. The Board of Health shall appoint the Public Health Nurse, the Health Agent, the Transfer Station Attendant, and the Clerk to the Board of Health. The Board of Health shall maintain the Refuse Garden and the Transfer Station."

Article 25 Defeated By Show Of Hands

Yes - 24 No - 25

ARTICLE 26: To see if the Town will vote to act on the following citizens' petition:

CITIZENS' PETITION to the Rowe Board of Selectmen

To see if the town will vote to adopt the following **RESOLUTION**:

WHEREAS, the United States Constitution and the Bill of Rights are intended to protect the rights of individual human beings ("real people"); and WHEREAS, corporations are not mentioned in the Constitution and The People have never granted constitutional rights to corporations; WHEREAS, the United States Supreme Court in Citizens United v. Federal Election Commission presents a serious threat to self-government by allowing unlimited corporate spending to influence elections; WHEREAS, Article V of the United States Constitution empowers and obligates the people of the United States of America to use the constitutional amendment process to correct egregiously wrong decisions of the United States Supreme Court that go to the heart of our democracy; NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the voters of Rowe, Massachusetts hereby instruct the senators representing the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the member of the United States House of Representatives representing this congressional district to propose, and our state legislators to ratify, an amendment to the United States Constitution to provide that corporations are not entitled to the constitutional rights of real people and that money is not speech for purposes of campaign-related expenditures and contributions.

**Article 26 Passed By Show Of Hands -
Not Unanimous**