

Petition of Legal Voters of the Village of North Bennington to the Chair and Vice chair of the Board of Trustees

We, the undersigned legal voters of the Village of North Bennington hereby petition the Chair and vice Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Village of North Bennington to add the following article to the warning for the annual meeting of the Village of North Bennington on March 17, 2026.

1. Shall the voters of the Village of North Bennington advise the Chair and vice chair of the Board of Trustees to adopt the following pledge?

WE AFFIRM our commitment to freedom, justice, and equality for the Palestinian people and all people; and

WE OPPOSE all forms of racism, bigotry, discrimination, and oppression; and

WE DECLARE ourselves an apartheid-free community, and to that end,

WE PLEDGE to join others in working to end all support to Israel's apartheid regime, settler colonialism, and military occupation.

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