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TO: Steven Contente, Town Administrator
FROM: Diane M. Williamson, Director
RE: **Petition for installation of sculptures on the Light Poles at the Town Common**

Diane W.

In review of the above petition, I have the following comments:

1. There are concerns about the structural integrity of the existing light poles and we would need assurance that they will not be damaged as a result of the installation.
2. The mounting system design should be certified by a Licensed RI Engineer.
3. The proposed poems and short stories would be provided by the artist; however they could be interpreted to be by the Town. A note should be added to the poems and stories that they do not express the views of the Town.
4. Any approval of the installation would be subject to the approval of the Historic District Commission.

NOT IN SUPPORT
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STEVEN CONTENTE
Town Administrator