

Brookline by DESIGN

Dear Friends and Neighbors:

We are writing to thank you for voting Tuesday. Due to your support, Brookline by Design saw an overwhelming victory Town-wide, with 183 of our 205 endorsed candidates winning seats. These 183 Town Meeting members will bring thoughtful, independent representation to the 255 member Town Meeting body.

When we dig into the numbers, the evidence becomes even stronger that voters want to see the Town government working together with well-coordinated comprehensive planning that includes all of us. Your vote let Town leaders know that voters want a Town that grows according to a whole community vision, not haphazardly, according to single-issue efforts, or according to pressure from developers.

A number of individuals have retired from Town Meeting this year, and others were not returned to Town Meeting by the voters. We want to thank each of them for their public service to our community, and for putting themselves out there to voters. We look forward to working with all who earned seats in this election, and with the broader community who wants a well-functioning, coherent Town government that reflects our community values and that cares for our community and its inhabitants, present and future.

We are also happy to report that you have greatly improved the racial diversity of Town Meeting through this election. Representation matters, and while there is more work to be done, this is another piece of good news coming out of yesterday's results.

Brookline by Design is humbled by your collective desire to see Brookline get on the same page and govern effectively. We hear you loud and clear, and all across Town, Boards, Commissions, staff offices, and elected representatives are digesting the significance of the wishes you expressed at the ballot box yesterday.

There is more work to do to realize a common community vision, and it may not be easy. But today, we pause to express our gratitude to you, the voters. You did it.

Warmest regards,

Paul Warren
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The complete set of unofficial Town election results can be found [here](#).

