

**City of Northampton**  
**MASSACHUSETTS**

*In City Council, January 18, 2018*

*Upon the recommendation of the Community Preservation Committee*

**18.005 Order to Appropriate**

**Community Preservation Act Funds for Restoration of Jail Farm Parcel to Agricultural Use**

***Ordered, that***

WHEREAS, the Northampton Office of Planning and Sustainability submitted an application for Community Preservation Act funding for restoration of the three-acre former Jail Farm parcel in the Meadows;

WHEREAS, the parcel is being provided to the City at no cost as a state surplus property, and a small investment of CPA funds will restore the long-vacant farmland to working agriculture;

WHEREAS, the parcel will be permanently protected through an agricultural preservation restriction;

WHEREAS, on September 27, 2017, the Northampton Community Preservation Committee, voted unanimously to recommend that \$3,000 in Community Preservation Act funds be used to support this project.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED,**

That \$3,000 be appropriated from Community Preservation Act funding to the Jail Farm Restoration project. And, that the grantee meets the conditions approved by the Community Preservation Committee, the Mayor, and City Council.

Specifically, \$3,000 is allocated from the CPA Open Space Reserve (account # 2344930-359930)