

Town of Reading 16 Lowell Street Reading MA 01867

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READING TOWN MEETING INSTRUCTIONAL MOTION FORM

Please print legibly and print exactly as you would like to present the Instructional Motion. This will become part of the permanent record of this Town Meeting and must be submitted to the Town Clerk and Moderator before Town Meeting.

Instructional Motion Number:		_{Date:} April	19, 2024
Instruction to:	Charter and Bylaw Committee;	Select Board,	Town Moderator
	Board, Committee or Department		
_{I,} Linda Snow Dockser		of Precinct	do hereby move that;

the leadership of our town and town meeting consider creating a policy that requires Accommodation for Religious and Cultural Practices so that Town Meeting and other important, required, or community meetings and events will not be scheduled on the major holidays of Reading Residents. Our schools have this type of policy and past Town Leadership have been very respectfully trying to avoid religious and cultural conflicts for many years. Please consider formalizing this policy so that future leaders will be educated and aware, and will plan their meetings and events in such a way that respects and includes all residents of Reading.

Thank you,

Linda Snow Dockser 110 Beaver Road Reading, MA01867

781-910-0165

Signature: _____

Town Clerk:

Seconded: _____

Vote: