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TOWN OF BRIGHTON TO PURCHASE OVER 44 ACRES OF OPEN SPACE

Brighton Town Supervisor William W. Moehle announced today that the Town will purchase approximately 44 acres of land located near the corner of Winton and Westfall Roads, adjacent to Buckland Park, from Faith Church, formerly Faith Temple Church.

“This is an exciting day for the Brighton community. Preserving this land is so important for our children and for our children’s children. I am grateful that Faith Church and Pastor Steve Edlin have worked with us to ensure that our vision of preserving this land for future generations will now become a reality. Brighton is largely built out, so the opportunity to acquire such a large parcel in the heart of town is cause for celebration,” said Town Supervisor Moehle

The purchase price of the land is \$1,845,000, or \$41,629 per acre. The Town plans to borrow the money to buy the land, in order to take advantage of the continuing low interest rates on tax exempt municipal financing. We anticipate that the additional cost for a taxpayer owning a home valued at \$200,000 will be under \$7.00 per year.

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