Whereas, the Cape Cod National Seashore Advisory Commission representing the towns of Orleans, Chatham, Eastham, Wellfleet, Truro and Provincetown, in Barnstable County, and appointed by the Secretary of the Interior of the United States has repeatedly expressed grave concerns about the degraded Pilgrim Nuclear Power Plant and has written numerous letters requesting a closure of the power plant.

Whereas, the Cape Cod National Seashore Advisory Commission has written a recent letter to Governor Baker asking that he communicate with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission in order to close Pilgrim now to protect the citizens of Cape Cod.

NOW, THEREFORE,
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Barnstable County Assembly of Delegates Resolves: to call upon Governor Charles Baker, by delivering a copy of this resolution and a letter authorized by the Barnstable County Assembly of Delegates and signed by the Assembly Speaker, via mail and email, to ask that in his role as chief safety officer of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts he communicate with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission that it is imperative that the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Plant closes now to protect the citizens of Cape Cod.

A copy of this resolution and letter to Governor Baker shall also be delivered to the Massachusetts Lt. Governor, both State Senators and all State Representatives for Barnstable County, as well as both US Senators and the US Representative representing Barnstable County.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the Barnstable County Assembly of Delegates, by a roll call vote of 78.40% voting “yes”, 9.15% voting “no”, and 12.45% “absent” at the regular meeting held on November 2, 2016.

Attested by:

Janice O’Connell, Clerk
Assembly of Delegates