

June 17, 2024

Letter to the Editor:

On Tuesday, June 18, 2024, at 1:00 PM, the Truro Select Board will hold a work session to discuss its Fiscal Year 2025 Select Board Goals and Objectives. These Goals and Objectives should guide the Select Board in making all its decisions throughout the next fiscal year.

Residents of Truro, many of whom are on a fixed income, have been grappling with budget increases over the last six years. This has made it increasingly difficult for our community to maintain a stable population base.

We implore the Select Board to adopt a more reasonable budget objective to better accommodate our community's needs. Please email each Selectperson, available here: <https://www.truro-ma.gov/select-board>, and stress the importance of making the budget a top priority in their FY2025 Goals and Objectives.

Propose no more Proposition 2½ overrides for the next four years (except for the DPW facility), keep budget growth in line with inflation, and install systems and controls and appoint committee members necessary to achieve these goals.

- Clinton Kershaw