

**ARTICLE 62.** To see if the Town of Wellesley will adopt the following resolution  
to help stop the genocide in the Darfur region of Sudan:

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that copies of this resolution be distributed to the President, members of the Massachusetts Congressional delegation, other members of Congress in positions of leadership of the House and Senate committees with jurisdiction over foreign policy and commerce, the Governor of Massachusetts and members of Wellesley's delegation to the state legislature, and other leaders of the state legislature as deemed appropriate; and that this resolution be posted on the official Town of Wellesley website.

**(Citizen Petition)**

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Approved:

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Date

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Moderator's Signature

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Sponsor's Signature