

## **TOWN OF HARVARD**

## SELECT BOARD STATEMENT OF COMMUNITY VALUES

Adopted by the Board of Selectmen on August 20, 2002

- Provide for public safety with well-trained police, fire, ambulance, and public works personnel who are supplied with proper equipment
- Excellence in education in a nurturing climate
- Maintain the rural character by the preservation of farmland and open space
- Protection of the environment
- Provide for financial stability via long-term financial planning, up-todate assessment and collection of revenue
- Care for the elder and special needs populations
- Preserve the history of Harvard
- Advance the professionalism of the Town's staff, boards, and committees
- Promote a climate of acceptance and tolerance within the community