



**ABSENTEE BALLOT AND OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
NORTH HAMPTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 9, 2021**

BALLOT 1 OF 2

Janice Belcher
TOWN CLERK/TAX COLLECTOR

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this:
- B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.
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SELECT BOARD MEMBER
Three year term Vote for not more than one

BILL KIBBY

JONATHAN PINETTE

(Write-in)

BUDGET COMMITTEE MEMBERS
Three year term Vote for not more than two

ANDREW M. RAUCCI

RICK STANTON

SEAN DIONNE

(Write-in)

WATER COMMISSIONERS
Three year term Vote for not more than two

TIMOTHY HARNED

KATHLEEN KILGORE

HENRY FULLER

(Write-in)

TOWN TREASURER
One year term Vote for not more than one

ANGELA T. BLATUS

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

ZONING BOARD MEMBER
Three year term Vote for not more than one

(Write-in)

LIBRARY TRUSTEE
Three year term Vote for not more than one

SUSAN LEONARDI

(Write-in)

TRUSTEE OF THE CEMETERIES
Three year term Vote for not more than one

MARGARET A. BROWN

(Write-in)

TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUNDS
Three year term Vote for not more than one

MARY LAMBERT

(Write-in)

PLANNING BOARD MEMBERS
Three year term Vote for not more than two

VALERIE GAMACHE

PHIL WILSON

(Write-in)

ARTICLES

Article Two: Amendment to Zoning Ordinance

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 1 to the Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Planning Board as follows:

To amend Section 203.1 Yard and Lot Requirements and Section 301 Accessory Structures. The intent of the proposed amendment is to:

- a. Clarify that relief from size and setback requirements for accessory structures is granted through the issuance of a Conditional Use Permit from the Planning Board, not a variance from the Zoning Board of Adjustment; and
- b. Add required front setback distance for accessory structures.

YES
NO

Majority Ballot Vote Required.
Recommended by the Planning Board: 5-0

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article Three: Amendment to Zoning Ordinance

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 2 to the Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Planning Board as follows:

To amend Section 503 Aquifer Protection District Ordinance. The intent of the proposed amendment is to:

- a. Expand the Aquifer Protection District boundaries to include aquifer areas defined by US Geological Survey (USGS) Water Resources Investigations Report for Lower Merrimack and Coastal River Basins, Southeastern New Hampshire and Public Water Supply Wellhead Protection areas;
- b. Provide definitions for public water system and wellhead protection area and include these areas within the Aquifer Protection District; thereby providing increased protection against contamination for these areas;
- c. Allow the Planning Board to determine the need for a hydrogeologic study on a case-by-case basis, as opposed to the current provision requiring a hydrogeologic study for all development proposals within the Aquifer Protection District; and
- d. Require a Conditional Use Permit for an activity that does not comply with the provisions of the aquifer ordinance.

YES
NO

Majority Ballot Vote Required.
Recommended by the Planning Board: 6-0

Article Four: Amendment to Zoning Ordinance

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 3 to the Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Planning Board as follows:

To amend Section 104 Definitions and Section 202.4 Industrial-Business/Residential District. The intent of the proposed amendment is to add a definition for self-storage facility and require that self-storage facility use only be allowed in the Industrial-Business/Residential District with the issuance of a special exception.

YES
NO

Majority Ballot Vote Required.
Recommended by the Planning Board: 7-0

Article Five: FY 2022 Operating Budget

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate through taxation as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, Seven Million Six Hundred Ninety-Four Thousand Three Hundred Thirteen Dollars (\$7,694,313)? Should this Article be defeated, the default budget shall be Seven Million Seven Hundred Seventy-four Thousand One Hundred Fifty-eight Dollars (\$7,774,158), which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town or by law, or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only.

YES
NO

Majority Ballot Vote Required.
Recommended by the Select Board: 3-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-2

Article Six: Proposed Fire Department Collective Bargaining Agreement

To see if the Town will vote to approve the cost items included in a three-year collective bargaining agreement reached between the Select Board and the International Fire Fighters Association Local 3211 which calls for the following increases in salaries, fringe and other cost items at the current staffing level:

| Fiscal Year | Total of Cost Items | Estimated Increase |
|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| 2022 | \$1,456,727 | \$24,243 |
| 2023 | \$1,515,627 | \$3,103 |
| 2024 | \$1,607,419 | \$4,380 |

YES
NO

And further, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate through taxation the sum of Twenty-four Thousand Two Hundred Forty-three Dollars (\$24,243) for Fiscal Year 2022? Said sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries, fringe and other cost items required in year one of the new agreement over those that would be paid at current staffing levels under the existing agreement.

Majority Ballot Vote required.
Recommended by the Select Board: 3-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0

GO TO NEXT BALLOT AND CONTINUE VOTING



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Jan B. Bickel
TOWN CLERK/TAX COLLECTOR

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article Seven: Lease Purchase of DPW Medium Duty Truck

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Select Board to enter into a five-year lease/purchase agreement in the amount of Ninety Thousand Dollars (\$90,000) for the purpose of leasing and equipping a medium duty truck for the Department of Public Works; and to raise and appropriate through taxation the sum of Eighteen Thousand Dollars (\$18,000) for the first year's payment on said lease. This lease agreement contains a fiscal funding (escape) clause. This item has been identified in the approved Capital Improvements Plan.

YES
NO

Majority Ballot Vote required.
Recommended by the Select Board: 3-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 4-3

Article Eight: Purchase of an Automated Fingerprint Scanner

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate through taxation the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) for the purchase of an automated fingerprint scanner. The Police Department has an antiquated fingerprinting system and the automated scanner will eliminate the labor-intensive work, prevent mix-ups and allow touchless printing. This item has been identified in the approved Capital Improvements Plan.

YES
NO

Majority Ballot Vote required.
Recommended by the Select Board: 3-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 7-0

Article Nine: Road Resurfacing

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$240,000) for the purpose of resurfacing and reconstructing approximately 3 miles of road, by withdrawing Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) from the previously established Municipal Transportation Improvement Capital Reserve Fund created for this purpose, and raising through taxation Two Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars (\$210,000)? This item has been identified in the approved Capital Improvements Plan.

YES
NO

Majority Ballot Vote required.
Recommended by the Select Board: 3-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 7-0

Article Ten: Paving at Recycling Center

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate through taxation the sum of Thirty-three Thousand Dollars (\$33,000) for the purpose of reconstructing and paving the driveway and material storage areas at the recycling center? This item has been identified in the approved Capital Improvements Plan.

YES
NO

Majority Ballot Vote required.
Recommended by the Select Board: 3-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 7-0

Article Eleven: Contribution to the Earned Time Settlement Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate through taxation the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) for deposit into the Earned Time Settlement Capital Reserve Fund? The purpose of this fund is to buy out employees earned time during anytime of the life of their career and limit the Town's unfunded accrued leave liability. The total estimated liability for unfunded accrued leave is \$319,510 of which \$87,368 is anticipated to be payable prior to July 1, 2022. The balance in the Fund, as of December 31, 2020, is \$92,044.

YES
NO

Majority Ballot Vote required.
Recommended by the Select Board: 3-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 7-0

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article Twelve: Contribution to the Coakley Landfill Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate through taxation the sum of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000) for deposit into the Coakley Landfill Capital Reserve Fund? The purpose of this fund is to account for any expenses incurred by the Town under the Superfund Cleanup Program. The balance in the Fund, as of December 31, 2020, is \$154,479.

YES

Majority Ballot Vote required.
Recommended by the Select Board: 3-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 7-0

NO

Article Thirteen: Establish Town Land Environmental Remediation Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of environmental remediation to Town owned land and costs related thereto, and to raise and appropriate through taxation the sum of Thirty-four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$34,500) for deposit into the Fund, and to name the Select Board as agents to expend from the Fund?

YES

Majority Ballot Vote required.
Recommended by the Select Board: 3-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 7-0

NO

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING THIS BALLOT



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SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

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SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

Three year term Vote for not more than two

DANIELLE STRATER

BRYAN BELANGER

MARGARET CLIFFORD

ANNA SPAULDING

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

SCHOOL MODERATOR

Three year term Vote for not more than one

BOBBI BURNS

(Write-in)

SCHOOL CLERK

Three year term Vote for not more than one

SUSAN BUCHANAN

(Write-in)

SCHOOL TREASURER

Three year term Vote for not more than one

VIRGINIA "GINA" McLAUGHLIN

(Write-in)

ARTICLE

Article 01 Operating Budget

Shall the School District raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$9,297,161? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$9,330,745 which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the School District or by law; or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. (Majority vote required.)

YES

NO

Note: Warrant Article #1 (operating budget) does not include appropriations in any other warrant articles.

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0; Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-3



SPECIMEN BALLOT WINNACUNNET COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hampton, Hampton Falls, North Hampton, Seabrook
TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 2021

Card No. 1

Shirley Osborne
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

INSTRUCTIONS FOR VOTERS

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| <p style="text-align: center;">SCHOOL BOARD (Hampton)</p> <p>For <u>THREE</u> years Vote for no more than <u>ONE</u></p> <p>NICOLE CICO <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><small>(Write-in)</small></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">ARTICLE 1</p> <p>Operating Budget</p> <p>Shall the School District raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$28,770,668? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$28,979,335 which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the School District or by law, or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. (Majority vote required.)</p> <p><i>Note: Warrant Article #1 (operating budget) does not include appropriations in any other warrant articles.</i></p> <p>Recommended by the School Board: 5-0 Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input type="radio"/></p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">SCHOOL BOARD (Seabrook)</p> <p>For <u>TWO</u> years Vote for no more than <u>ONE</u></p> <p>PATRICIA M. O'KEEFE <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><small>(Write-in)</small></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">ARTICLE 2</p> <p>HVAC Upgrades</p> <p>To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 to continue the HVAC replacement project at Winnacunnet High School? This appropriation will be used to upgrade the HVAC systems at the Technology Education Building. This project is part of the facility plan adopted by the school board. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7 VI and will not lapse until the project is complete or June 30, 2024, whichever is earlier. (Majority vote required.)</p> <p>Recommended by the School Board: 5-0 Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input type="radio"/></p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">SCHOOL BOARD (At Large)</p> <p>For <u>THREE</u> years Vote for no more than <u>ONE</u></p> <p>LESLIE R. LAFOND <input type="radio"/></p> <p>JAMES G. SUNUNU <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><small>(Write-in)</small></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">ARTICLE 2</p> <p>HVAC Upgrades</p> <p>To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 to continue the HVAC replacement project at Winnacunnet High School? This appropriation will be used to upgrade the HVAC systems at the Technology Education Building. This project is part of the facility plan adopted by the school board. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7 VI and will not lapse until the project is complete or June 30, 2024, whichever is earlier. (Majority vote required.)</p> <p>Recommended by the School Board: 5-0 Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input type="radio"/></p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">BUDGET COMMITTEE (Hampton)</p> <p>For <u>THREE</u> years Vote for no more than <u>ONE</u></p> <p>JENNIFER TURINO <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><small>(Write-in)</small></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">ARTICLE 2</p> <p>HVAC Upgrades</p> <p>To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 to continue the HVAC replacement project at Winnacunnet High School? This appropriation will be used to upgrade the HVAC systems at the Technology Education Building. This project is part of the facility plan adopted by the school board. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7 VI and will not lapse until the project is complete or June 30, 2024, whichever is earlier. (Majority vote required.)</p> <p>Recommended by the School Board: 5-0 Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input type="radio"/></p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">BUDGET COMMITTEE (At Large)</p> <p>For <u>THREE</u> years Vote for no more than <u>ONE</u></p> <p>MOLLY J. MCCOY <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><small>(Write-in)</small></p> | <p style="text-align: center;">ARTICLE 2</p> <p>HVAC Upgrades</p> <p>To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 to continue the HVAC replacement project at Winnacunnet High School? This appropriation will be used to upgrade the HVAC systems at the Technology Education Building. This project is part of the facility plan adopted by the school board. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7 VI and will not lapse until the project is complete or June 30, 2024, whichever is earlier. (Majority vote required.)</p> <p>Recommended by the School Board: 5-0 Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input type="radio"/></p> |

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
Instructions for
TOWN ELECTION



HOW TO MARK YOUR BALLOT:

To Vote: Completely fill in the oval to the right of your choice. For each office, vote for not more than the number of candidates stated in the sentence: "Vote for not more than ____." If you vote for more than the stated number of candidates, your vote for that office will not be counted.

To Vote by Write-In: To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write in the name of the person in the "write-in" space. Completely fill in the oval to the right of your choice.

To Vote on a question on the ballot: Completely fill in the oval opposite either YES or NO indicating your choice on that question.

PROCEDURE AFTER MARKING YOUR BALLOT:

After marking the ballot, the voter or the person assisting a blind voter shall enclose and seal the same in the small inner affidavit envelope. The voter shall execute the affidavit. If you are voting absentee because of COVID-19 concerns, execute the affidavit "Absence Because of Religious Observance or Physical Disability. Even if you do not consider yourself a person with disability in other circumstances, this term applies for registering to vote and voting in 2021. Make sure you read the affidavit before signing. A person assisting a blind voter or a voter with a disability in executing the affidavit shall sign a statement on the affidavit envelope acknowledging the assistance and shall enclose and seal the small inner envelope with the affidavit in the larger outer envelope. On the larger outer envelope, write your full name, address and voting place in the upper left hand corner.

Affix postage and mail the larger outer envelope to the clerk in North Hampton **OR** the voter may personally deliver it or have it delivered by the voter's "delivery agent." A delivery agent may be:

- a) The voter's spouse, parent, sibling, child, grandchild, father-in-law, mother-in-law, daughter-in-law, son-in-law, stepparent, stepchild; or
- b) If the voter is a resident of a nursing home as defined in RSA 151-A:1, IV, the nursing home administrator, licensed pursuant to RSA 151-A:2, or a nursing home staff member designated in writing by the administrator to deliver ballots; or
- c) If the voter is a resident of a residential care facility licensed pursuant to RSA 151:2, I(e) and described in RSA 151:9, VII(a)(1) and (2), the residential care facility administrator, or a residential care facility staff member designated in writing by the administrator to deliver ballots; or
- d) *A person assisting a blind voter or a voter with a disability who has signed a statement on the affidavit envelope acknowledging the assistance. *A person assisting blind/disabled voters may not deliver more than 4 absentee ballots in any election.

If delivered to the polls on election day by a "delivery agent" he or she will be required to complete a form provided there by the clerk and to present government issued photo identification or have his or her identity verified by the clerk. RSA 657:17.

Absentee ballots delivered through the mail or by the voter's delivery agent shall be received by the town, city or ward clerk no later than 5:00 PM on the day of the election.

In accordance with RSA 659:34, the penalty for knowingly or purposely providing false information when registering to vote or voting is a class A misdemeanor with a maximum sentence of imprisonment not to exceed one year and a fine not to exceed \$2,000. Fraudulently registering to vote or voting is subject to a civil penalty not to exceed \$5,000.

Visit the web site: <https://app.sos.nh.gov> to track your ballot. You may verify receipt of your application, the date when your absentee ballot was mailed to you, the date the clerk receives your completed absentee ballot, and after the election learn if your absentee ballot was rejected/not counted and why. Contact your clerk if you have questions regarding the information on the track your ballot site.

NOTE: Your ballot must be received by the town or city clerk, ***no later than 5:00 p.m. on election day in order to be submitted for counting.***