

Total Voters 2202  
31% TURNOUT

ABSENTEE  
OFFICIAL BALLOT  
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION  
BARRINGTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MARCH 12, 2019

BALLOT 1 OF 2

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TOWN CLERK

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

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SELECT BOARD

FOR THREE YEARS VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO

DANIEL E. AYER 1598 ☐

ANDREW KNAPP 1521 ☐

☐

(Write-in) ☐

(Write-in) ☐

TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS

FOR THREE YEARS VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

STEPHANIE J. DIMKE 1810 ☐

☐

(Write-in) ☐

CEMETERY TRUSTEE

FOR THREE YEARS VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

BRIAN LENZI 1899 ☐

☐

(Write-in)

LIBRARY TRUSTEE

FOR THREE YEARS VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO

ROBERT DREW 1669 ☐

LEIGH ELLIOTT 1648 ☐

☐

(Write-in) ☐

(Write-in) ☐

ARTICLES

Article 02: Zoning

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board to revise the Table of Uses Article 19, to allow for Conservation Subdivisions in the Regional Commercial Zoning District, provided they comply with Article 6 of this Ordinance entitled Conservation Subdivisions, and no residential structures are permitted within (500) feet of the centerline of Route 125 and Route 4 for properties located in the RC District. By a vote of (5) in favor and (0) opposed the Planning Board unanimously recommended this article.

1502  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
592

Article 03: Library Bond

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,424,876 (four million four hundred twenty-four thousand eight hundred seventy-six dollars) for the purpose of construction of a new library including, but not limited to building construction, site work, architectural fees, engineering, permitting, inspection, furniture, commissioning and other expenses to occupy the building. \$3,992,641 (three million nine hundred ninety-two thousand six hundred forty-one dollars) of such sum to be raised through the issuance of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the Municipal Finance Act, RSA 33:1 et seq., as amended and \$432,235 (four hundred thirty two thousand two hundred thirty five dollars) from the Barrington Library Foundation; to authorize the Select Board to apply for, obtain and accept federal, state or other aid, if any, which may be available for said project and to comply with all laws applicable to said project; to authorize the Select Board to issue, negotiate, sell and deliver said bonds and notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon and the maturity and other terms thereof; and to authorize the Select Board to take any other action or to pass any other vote relative thereto. [3/5th (60%) Majority Required]. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee. \*Note: There is no impact on the amount to be raised by 2019 property taxes by the passage of this article but there is a commitment to make payments in future years that will increase property taxes in those years approximately 35 cents/1000 or \$105/year on a \$300,000 property.

1170  
YES ☐  
NO ☒  
1022  
53.38%

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING



## ARTICLES CONTINUED

### Article 04: Town Hall Bond To Replace Rented Space

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$875,000 (eight hundred seventy-five thousand dollars) for the purpose of construction of a town hall to replace leased spaces including but not limited to building construction, site work, architectural fees, engineering, permitting, inspection, furniture, commissioning and other expenses to occupy the building. \$875,000 (eight hundred seventy-five thousand dollars) of such sum to be raised through the issuance of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the Municipal Finance Act, RSA 33:1 et seq., as amended; to authorize the Select Board to apply for, obtain and accept federal, state or other aid, if any, which may be available for said project and to comply with all laws applicable to said project; to authorize the Select Board to issue, negotiate, sell and deliver said bonds and notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon and the maturity and other terms thereof; and to authorize the Select Board to take any other action or to pass any other vote relative thereto. [3/5th (60%) Majority Required]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (3-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: There is no impact on the amount to be raised by 2019 or future property taxes by the passage of this article given the savings in rent and taxes for the rented buildings being replaced.

1402  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
767  
64.6%

### Article 05: Town Hall Capital Reserve (separate from bond)

To see if the town will vote to establish a Town Hall Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of construction of a town hall to replace leased spaces including but not limited to building construction, site work, architectural fees, engineering, permitting, inspection, furniture, commissioning and other expenses to occupy the building and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,025,000 to be placed in this fund; this sum to come from fund balance and no amount to be raised from taxation. Further, to name the Select Board as agents to expend from said fund. [Majority Vote Required] **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (3-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: Total cost of the new Town Hall is \$1,900,000. This Capital Reserve is part of that total as is the prior bond article (#4). No funds will be expended to start construction until the total sum needed is appropriated by the Town. **This article has no additional impact on 2019 property tax rates.**

1355  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
792

### Article 06: Operating Budget

Shall the Town of Barrington 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 \$7,124,100 (Seven Million, One Hundred Twenty-Four Thousand, One Hundred dollars)? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$6,817,149 (Six Million, Eight Hundred Seventeen Thousand One Hundred Forty-Nine), which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Barrington 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]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This operating budget warrant article does not include appropriations contained in any other warrant article. **This article has no additional impact on 2019 property tax rates because of revenue increases.**

1369  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
750

### Article 07: Highway Equipment Capital Reserve

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$75,000 to be added to the Highway Heavy Equipment Capital Reserve previously established; this sum to come from fund balance and no amount to be raised from taxation. [Majority Vote Required]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #6, the operating budget article. **This article has no additional impact on 2019 property tax rates.**

1669  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
455

### Article 08: Library Technology Capital Reserve

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to be added to the Library Technology Fund Capital Reserve previously established; this sum to come from fund balance and no amount to be raised from taxation. [Majority Vote Required]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article # 6, the operating budget article. **This article has no additional impact on 2019 property tax rates.**

1664  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
548

### Article 09: Building Preservation/Rehabilitation Capital Reserve (Police Station)

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 to be added to the Town Buildings Preservation and Rehabilitation Fund Capital Reserve previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. No amount to be raised from taxation. [Majority Vote Required] **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article # 6, the operating budget article. **This article has no additional impact on 2019 property taxes.**

1576  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
563

GO TO NEXT BALLOT AND CONTINUE VOTING



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BALLOT 2 OF 2

  
TOWN CLERK

**ARTICLES CONTINUED**

**Article 10: Emergency Communication Capital Reserve**

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 to be added to the Communications Upgrade for Emergency Services Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from fund balance and no amount to be raised from taxation. [Majority Vote Required]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article # 6, the operating budget article. **This article has no additional impact on 2019 property taxes.**

1668  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
445

**Article 11: Cemetery Capital Reserve**

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 to be added to the Cemetery Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from fund balance and no amount to be raised from taxation. [Majority Vote Required]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article # 6, the operating budget article. **This article has no additional impact on 2019 property taxes.**

1643  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
461

**Article 12: Bridge & Culvert Capital Reserve**

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$75,000 to be added to the Bridge Capital Reserve fund previously established. Such funds may be expended for the purposes of the fund and may be used to apply for 80% state funding from the New Hampshire Bridge Aid Program for some of this work. [Majority Vote Required]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (3-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article # 6, the operating budget article. **This article is projected to add 7.4 cents/1000 to the tax rate or \$22 to the tax bill on a \$300,000 property.**

1427  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
678

**Article 13: Fire Truck Capital Reserve**

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 to be added to the Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund previously established. [Majority Vote Required]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (3-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article # 6, the operating budget article. **This article is projected to add 4.9 cents/1000 to the tax rate or \$14.70 to the tax bill on a \$300,000 property.**

1447  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
669

**Article 14: Fire Rescue Equipment Capital Reserve**

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be added to the Fire and Rescue Equipment Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from fund balance and no amount to be raised from taxation. [Majority Vote Required]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article # 6, the operating budget article. **This article has no additional impact on 2019 property taxes.**

1786  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
336

**Article 15: Paving And Related Road Work**

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 for road paving and reconstruction. This sum to come from fund balance and no amount to be raised from taxation. This is a special warrant article and will not lapse until December 31, 2020. [Majority Vote Required]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article # 6, the operating budget article. **This article has no additional impact on 2019 property taxes.**

1773  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
349

**Article 16: Tricentennial Expendable Trust**

To see if the town will vote to establish a Tricentennial Expendable Trust under the provisions of RSA 31:19-a for funding celebrations during the Town's Tricentennial in 2022 including expenditures in prior years preparing for the celebration and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to be placed in this fund. This sum to come from fund balance and no amount to be raised from taxation. Further, to name the Select Board as agents to expend from said fund. [Majority Vote Required]. **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article # 6, the operating budget article. **This article has no additional impact on 2019 property taxes.**

1404  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
686

**TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING**

## ARTICLES CONTINUED

### Article 17: Petition for Bicycle Route Capital Reserve

Shall the Town establish a Bicycle Route Capital Reserve Fund per RSA 35:1 for the development of scenic and safe bike routes and to raise and appropriate \$30,000 to be put in the fund and further to name the Select Board as agents to expend from the fund? [Majority vote required]. **By a vote of zero (0) in favor and four (4) opposed with one absent the Select Board voted unanimously against recommending this article. Not recommended unanimously (3-0) by the Advisory Budget Committee.** \*Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #6, the operating budget article. **This article is projected to add 3 cents/1000 to the tax rate or \$9 to the tax bill on a \$300,000 property. (BY PETITION)**

YES ☐

NO ☒

### Article 18: Allow Keno in Barrington

To see if the Town will vote to allow the operation of Keno games within the town. [Majority Vote Required] **Recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board.**

YES ☐

NO ☒

### Article 19: Petition for Signs for Bicycle route

Shall the Town establish an advisory committee to the Select Board for the purpose of studying and creating bicycle routes in Barrington and for the purpose of creating signage and maintenance plans for such routes. [Majority Vote Required] **By a vote of four (4) in favor and zero (0) opposed with one absent the Select Board voted unanimously to recommend this article. (BY PETITION)**

YES ☒

NO ☐

### Article 20: Petition to Reclassify Marsh Road to Class A Trail

To see if the Town will vote to reclassify the Class VI portion of Marsh Road to a Class A trail pursuant to RSA 231-A:2 beginning approximately 900 feet east of its intersection with Route 9 & 202 at the intersection of the two lots owned by J Kip Howland and Shawn Paquette (tax map 243 Lots 1 and 2) on the north side of Marsh Rd, and extending east to the intersection of land owned by SELT (map 247 lot 6) and Theodore Loder (map 247 lot 5) on the south side of Marsh Rd and on the north side of Marsh Road at the intersection of the SELT parcel (map 247 lot 24) & land owned by Clifford Zetterstrom (map 247 lot 27). The Class A Trail established by this article shall be gated at both ends to prevent motor vehicle access by the public, but snowmobiles, emergency maintenance, logging vehicles, etc. shall be permitted. [Majority vote required]. **Not recommended unanimously (4-0) by the Select Board. (BY PETITION)**

YES ☐

NO ☒

### Article 21: To Discontinue No Longer Used Capital Reserves

To see if the town will vote to discontinue the following Capital Reserve Funds:

1. the Recycling Building Renovation and Upgrade Capital Reserve;
2. the Vital Record Preservation Capital Reserve.

Said funds and accumulated interest to date of withdrawal, are to be transferred to the municipality's general fund. Both funds have a zero balance. [Majority vote required] **By a vote of four (4) in favor and zero (0) opposed with one absent the Select Board voted unanimously to recommend this article.**

YES ☒

NO ☐

**YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING THIS BALLOT**



**ABSENTEE  
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SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

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**SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK**

For One Year Vote for not  
more than ONE

ANNMARIE CUMMINGS 1891 ☐

☐

(Write-in)

**SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER**

For One Year Vote for not  
more than ONE

CINDY TAYLOR 1898 ☐

☐

(Write-in)

**SCHOOL DISTRICT MODERATOR**

For One Year Vote for not  
more than ONE

RONALD ST. JEAN 1891 ☐

☐

(Write-in)

**SCHOOL BOARD**

For Three Years Vote for not  
more than TWO

KEN GRANT 768 ☐

CARRIE NEILL 1431 ☒

MOIRA TAYLOR 1317 ☒

☐

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

**ARTICLES**

**Article S-02 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 \$24,293,404? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$24,122,353, 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)

Recommended by the School board (5-0) and the Advisory Budget Committee (6-0)

1458

YES ☒

NO ☐

598

**VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT**



## ARTICLES CONTINUED

### Article S-03 The Teacher 3-year Collective Bargaining Agreement

To see if the school district will vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Barrington School District and the Barrington Education Association, Inc., which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing level, over those paid in the prior fiscal year:

Fiscal Year	Estimated Increase
2019/2020	\$285,282
2020/2021	\$265,295
2021/2022	\$260,967

and further to raise and appropriate \$285,282 for the current fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits required by the new agreement, over those that would be paid at current staffing levels.  
(Majority vote required)

Recommended by the School Board 5-0 and the Advisory Budget Committee 6-0

1514  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
632

### Article S-04 Shall the School District, if Article S-3 is defeated

Shall the school district, if WARRANT ARTICLE #S-3 is defeated, authorize the governing body to call one special meeting, at its option, to address WARRANT ARTICLE #S-3 cost items only? (Majority vote)

Recommended by the School Board 5-0 and the Advisory Budget Committee 6-0

1527  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
586

### Article S-05 To add money from fund balance to Facilities Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150,000 to be added to the School Facilities Capital Reserve Fund previously established on March 13, 2012. This sum to come from June 30 fund balance available for transfer on July 1. No amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required)

Recommended by the School Board (5-0) and the Advisory Budget Committee (6-0)

1617  
YES ☒  
NO ☐  
510

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT