

**ABSENTEE
OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION
HAMPTON FALLS, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 10, 2020**

Margaret Hastings
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

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.
- C. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate's name on the line provided and completely fill in the OVAL.

<p>SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Vote for not For 3 Years _____ more than ONE</p> <p>GEORGE W. BLAISDELL <input type="radio"/></p> <p>JASON FARIAS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>SCHOOL DISTRICT MODERATOR</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Vote for not For 3 Years _____ more than ONE</p> <p>JP PONTBRIAND <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Vote for not For 3 Years _____ more than ONE</p> <p>KAREN AYERS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>
		<p>SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Vote for not For 3 Years _____ more than ONE</p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>

ARTICLES

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 \$6,946,625. Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$6,819,683, 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.

The School Board recommends this article. Vote: 5-0

Article 02 Seacoast Educational Support Personnel Association

To see if the School District will vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Hampton Falls School Board and the Seacoast Educational Support Personnel Association which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the proposed staffing levels:

Year	Estimated Salary Increase (Including Salary Driven Benefits)	Estimated Health Insurance Increase	TOTAL Estimated Cost
2020-21	\$8,653	\$ 0	\$ 8,653
2021-22	\$7,656	\$ 7,627	\$15,283
2022-23	\$4,543	\$ 8,389	\$12,932
2023-24	\$3,938	\$11,440	\$15,378

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,653 for the 2020-21 school 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 proposed staffing levels in accordance with the current collective bargaining agreement. (Majority vote required.)

YES
NO

The School Board recommends this article. Vote: 5-0

Note: In order for this article to be adopted, it must be approved by the voters of the school districts of Hampton Falls, North Hampton, Seabrook, South Hampton and the voters of the Winnacunnet Cooperative School District (which includes Hampton voters).

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 03 Paving Project

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum \$98,994 for the purpose of repaving parking areas, sidewalks, and walkways at Lincoln Akerman School. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7, VI and will not lapse until the project is completed or by June 30, 2022, whichever is sooner. (Majority vote required.)

YES
NO

The School Board recommends this article. Vote: 5-0.

Article 04 Special Education Expendable Trust

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate \$25,000 to be added to the existing Special Education Expendable Trust Fund, with up to \$25,000 to be funded from the June 30, 2020 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2020. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)

YES
NO

The School Board recommends this article. Vote: 5-0

Article 05 Building Maintenance Expendable Trust

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate \$50,000 to be added to the existing Building Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund, with up to \$50,000 to be funded from the June 30, 2020 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2020. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)

YES
NO

The School Board recommends this article. Vote: 5-0

Article 06 School Health Insurance Expendable Trust Fund

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate \$25,000 to be added to the existing School Health Insurance Expendable Trust Fund, with up to \$25,000 to be funded from the June 30, 2020 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2020. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)

YES
NO

The School Board recommends this article. Vote: 5-0

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