

Winnacunnet Cooperative School District Hampton, New Hampshire Warrant 2026

To the inhabitants of the Winnacunnet Cooperative School District in the County of Rockingham in the State of New Hampshire qualified to vote in school district affairs are hereby notified and warned that the two sessions of the Annual School District Meeting will be held as follows:

First Session of Annual Meeting (Deliberative Session):

Date: Thursday, February 5, 2026

Time: 7:00 P.M.

Location: Winnacunnet High School Auditorium

Details: To explain, discuss, debate and possibly amend the following warrant articles

SNOW DATE (Deliberative Session):

Date: Friday, February 6, 2026

Time: 7:00 P.M.

Location: Winnacunnet High School Auditorium

Second Session of Annual Meeting (Official Ballot Voting):

Date: Tuesday, March 10, 2026

Location: HAMPTON – Winnacunnet High School Dining Hall

Time: 7:00 A.M. – 8:00 P.M.

Location: HAMPTON FALLS – Lincoln Akerman School Cafeteria

Time: 8:00 A.M. – 8:00 P.M.

Location: NORTH HAMPTON - North Hampton School Gymnasium

Time: 8:00 A.M. – 7:00 P.M.

Location: SEABROOK – Seabrook Recreation Center

Time: 7:00 A.M. – 7:00 P.M.

Article 01 Operating Budget

The average cost-per-pupil for the preceding year as calculated in accordance with RSA 189:75, 1(a) is \$28,650.51. Winnacunnet ELA (English Language Arts) Proficiency: 64% (state proficiency: 55%); Winnacunnet Math Proficiency: 33% (state proficiency: 42%); Winnacunnet Science Proficiency: 41% (state proficiency: 38%). 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 \$32,803,073 Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$32,469,395 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.)

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: 4-0

| | Yes | | No

Article 02 Library Furniture and Redesign

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$192,698 for the purchase of new furniture and the redesign of the Hawley Library at Winnacunnet High School? This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7 VI and will not lapse until the project is complete or June 30, 2029, whichever is earlier. (Majority vote required.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee: 4-0

| | Yes | | No

Article 03 HVAC Upgrades

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$497,581 for HVAC and controls upgrades at Winnacunnet High School? 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, 2029, whichever is earlier. (Majority vote required.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee: 4-0

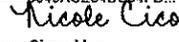
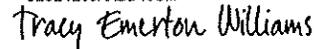
| | Yes | | No

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I certify and attest that on _____ I posted a true and attested copy of the within Warrant at the places of meetings, and like copies at Hampton Town Office, Hampton Falls Town Office, North Hampton Town Office and Seabrook Town Office being public places in said District.		
Printed Name	Position	DocuSigned by: Signature
Nancy D. Tuttle	Finance Manager	 <small>BA2BA5EBF0EF408...</small>

CERTIFICATION

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined the information contained in this form and to the best of my belief it is true, correct and complete.

Given under our hands, _____ Governing Body Certifications		
Name	Position	Signature
Leslie Lafond	School Board Chair	 <small>DocuSigned by: B549ACE94BC54FD...</small>
Nicole Cico	School Board Member	 <small>Signed by: 5E8E4E33AABD49C...</small>
Tracy Emerton Williams	School Board Member	 <small>2C11AB043B1D41E...</small>
Patricia O'Keefe	School Board Member	
Desiree Potter	School Board Member	