## Sample Ballot

### Official Ballot
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
ATKINSON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 12, 2019

**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.

### Selectmen
- **Vote for not more than Two**
  - **William M. Baldwin**
  - **William G. Friel**
  - **(Write-in)**

### Cemetery Trustee
- **Vote for not more than One**
  - **Michael J. Berube**
  - **(Write-in)**

### Municipal Budget Committee
- **Vote for not more than Two**
  - **Raymond J. Fournier**
  - **William J. Smith**
  - **(Write-in)**

### Conflict of Interest
- **Vote for not more than One**
  - **Leon B. Artus**
  - **(Write-in)**

### Trustee of the Trust Fund
- **Vote for not more than One**
  - **(Write-in)**

### Road Agent
- **Vote for not more than One**
  - **Edward A. Stewart**
  - **(Write-in)**

### Library Trustees
- **Vote for not more than Two**
  - **Suzanne "Lara" Cross**
  - **Linda S. Jette**
  - **(Write-in)**

### ARTICLES

**Article #2019-2 Amend Article #2017 MS-4 Illicit Discharge, Detection and Elimination**

1700.1 PURPOSE AND INTENT
The purpose of the Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination (IDDE) ordinance is to provide for the health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of Atkinson through the regulation of non-storm water discharges to the storm drainage system to the maximum extent practicable as required by federal and state law. The IDDE ordinance establishes methods for controlling the introduction of pollutants into the municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4) in order to comply with requirements of the EPA National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) and MS4 permit process. The objectives of this ordinance are for:

1. Regulate the contribution of pollutants to the MS4 by storm water discharges by any user.
2. Prohibit illicit connections and discharges to the MS4.
3. Establish legal authority to carry out all inspection, surveillance, monitoring, and enforcement procedures necessary to ensure compliance with this ordinance.

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ARTICLE #2019-2 CONTINUED

1700.2 DEFINITIONS
For the purposes of this ordinance, the following terms shall mean:

Authorized Enforcement Agency, Employees or designees of the Board of Delegates designated to enforce this ordinance.

Best Management Practices (BMPs). Schedules of activities, prohibitions of practices, general good housekeeping practices, pollution prevention and educational practices, maintenance procedures, and other management practices to prevent or reduce the discharge of pollutants directly or indirectly to storm water, receiving waters, or storm water conveyance systems. BMPs also include treatment practices, operating procedures, and practices to control site runoff, spillage or leaks, sludge or water disposal, or drainage from raw materials storage.

Illegal Discharge. Any direct or indirect non-storm water discharge to the storm drain system, except as exempted in Section II of this ordinance.

Illegal Connection. An illegal connection is defined as either of the following:
- Any drain or conveyance, whether on the surface or subsurface that allows an illegal discharge to enter the storm drain system including but not limited to any conveyances that allow any non-storm water discharge including sewage, process wastewater, and wash water to enter the storm drain system and any connections to the storm drain system from indoor drains and sinks, regardless of whether said drain connection had been previously allowed, permitted, or approved by an authorized enforcement agency or.
- Any drain or conveyance connected from a commercial or industrial land use to the storm drain system that has not been documented in plans, maps, or equivalent records and approved by an authorized enforcement agency.

Industrial Activity. Activities subject to NPDES Industrial Storm Water Permits as defined in 40 CFR, Section 122.26(b)(14).

Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4). The system of conveyances (including sidewalks, roads with drainage systems, municipal streets, catch basins, curbs, gutters, ditches, man-made channels, or storm drains) owned and operated by the Town of Abilene and designed or used for collecting or conveying storm water, and that is not used for collecting or conveying sewage.

National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Storm Water Discharge Permit. means a permit issued by EPA or by a State under authority delegated pursuant to 33 USC § 1342(b) that authorizes the discharge of pollutants to waters of the United States, whether the permit is applicable to an individual, group, or general area-wide basis.

Non-Storm Water Discharge. Any discharge to the storm drain system that is not composed entirely of storm water.

Pollutant. Anything which causes or contributes to pollution. Pollutants may include, but are not limited to: paint, varnishes, and solvents; oil and other automotive fluids; non-hazardous liquid and solid wastes and yard wastes; refuse, garbage, litter, or other discarded or abandoned objects, ordnances, and accumulations, so that same may cause or contribute to pollution, flammable, explosive and flammable, and toxicants; hazardous substances and wastes; sewage, fecal coliform and pathogenic dissolved and particulate matter; animal wastes; and residues that result from constructing a building or structure; and noxious or offensive matter of any kind.

Storm Drainage System. Publicly-owned facilities by which storm water is collected and/or conveyed, including but not limited to any roads with drainage systems, municipal streets, gutters, curbs, inlets, pipes storm drains, pumping facilities, retention and detention basins, natural and man-made or altered drainage channels, reservoirs, and other drainage structures.

Storm Water. Any surface flow, runoff, and drainage consisting entirely of water from any form of natural precipitation and resulting from such precipitation.

Storm Water Management Plan. A document which describes the Best Management Practices and activities to be implemented by a person or business to identify sources of pollution or contamination at a site and the actions to eliminate or reduce pollutant discharges to Storm Water, Storm Water Conveyance Systems, and/or Receiving Water in the Maximum Extent Practicable.

Wastewaters. Any water or other liquid, other than uncontaminated storm water, discharged from a facility.

1700.3. APPLICABILITY
This ordinance shall apply to all water, pollutants or other substances entering the storm drain system generated on any developed and undeveloped lands unless explicitly exempted by the Board of Delegates.

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1700.4 COMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER REGULATIONS
The requirements of this ordinance are in addition to the requirements of any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law, and where any provision of this ordinance imposes restrictions different from those imposed by any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law, whichever provision is more restrictive or imposes higher protective standards for human health or the environment shall control.

1700.5 DISCHARGE PROHIBITIONS

1700.5.1 Prohibition of Illegal Discharges.
No person shall throw, drain, or otherwise discharge oil, cause, or allow others under its control to throw, drain, or otherwise discharge into the MS4 any pollutants or waters containing any pollutants, other than storm water.

The commencement, conduct or continuance of any illegal discharge into the storm drain system is prohibited except as otherwise provided and if it is determined that the activity is causing an adverse impact:

1. The following discharges are exempt from discharge prohibitions established by this ordinance: water from flushing, landscape irrigation, elevated stream flows, rising ground waters, uncontaminated perched ground water, discharges from public water sources, foundation drains, air conditioning condensation, irrigation water, springs, water from crawl space pumps, flood drains, lawn watering, individual residential car washing, flows from riparian habitats and wetlands, dechlorinated swimming pool discharges, and street wash water.

2. Discharges or flow from firefighting, and other discharges specified in writing by the Board of Selectmen as being necessary to protect public health and safety.

3. Discharges associated with dye testing; however this activity requires a verbal notification to the Board of Selectmen prior to the time of the test.

4. The prohibition shall not apply to any non-storm water discharge permitted under an NPDES permit, water, or waste discharge order issued to the discharger and administered under the authority of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

1700.5.2 Prohibition of Illicit Connections.
1. The construction, use, maintenance or continued existence of illicit connections to the storm drain system is prohibited.

2. The prohibition in #1 expressly includes, without limitation, illicit connections made in the past, regardless of whether the connection was permissible under law or practices applicable or prevailing at the time of connection.

3. A person is considered to be in violation of this ordinance if the person connects a line conveying sewage to the MS4 system or allows such a connection to continue.

4. Improper connections in violation of this ordinance must be disconnected and redirected, if necessary, to an approved onsite wastewater management system or the sanitary sewer system upon approval of the Board of Selectmen.

5. Any drain or conveyance that has not been documented in plans, maps or equivalent, and which may be connected to the storm sewer system, shall be located by the owner or occupant of that property upon receipt of written notice of violation from the Board of Selectmen requiring that such locating be completed. Such notice will specify a reasonable time period within which the location of the drain or conveyance shall be determined, that the drain or conveyance be identified as storm sewer, sanitary sewer or other, and that the outlet location or point of connection to the storm sewer system or other stormwater discharge point be identified. Results of these investigations are to be documented and provided to the Board of Selectmen.

1700.6 SURFACE WATER PROTECTION

Every person owning property through which surface waters or a watercourse passes, or such person's lessee, shall keep and maintain that part of the surface water or watercourse within the property free of trash, debris, excessive vegetation, and other obstructions that would pollute, contaminate, or significantly retard the flow of water through the watercourse. In addition, the owner or lessee shall maintain existing privately owned structures within or adjacent to a watercourse, so that such structures will not become a hazard to the use, function, or physical integrity of the watercourse.

1700.7 REQUIREMENT TO PREVENT, CONTROL, AND REDUCE STORM WATER POLLUTANTS BY THE USE OF BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

The Board of Selectmen will adopt requirements identifying Best Management Practices for any facility which may cause or contribute to pollution or contamination of storm water, the storm drain system, or waters of the United States.

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1700.8 NOTIFICATION OF SPILLS
Notwithstanding other requirements of law, as soon as any person responsible for a facility or operation, or
responsible for emergency response for a facility or operation has information of any known or suspected release
of materials which are resulting or may result in illegal discharges or pollutants discharging into storm water,
storm drain system, or waters of the United States, such person shall take all necessary steps to ensure the
discovery, containment, and cleanup of such release. Failure to provide notification of a release as provided
above is a violation of this ordinance.

1700.9 VIOLATIONS, ENFORCEMENT, AND PENALTIES

1700.9.1 Violations.
It shall be unlawful for any person to violate any provision or fail to comply with any of the requirements of this
ordinance. Any person who has violated or continues to violate the provisions of this ordinance, may be subject
to the enforcement actions outlined in this section or may be restrained by injunction or otherwise abated in a
manner provided by law.

In the event the violation constitutes an immediate danger to public health or public safety, the Board of
Selectmen is authorized to enter upon the subject private property, without giving prior notice, to take any and
all measures necessary to abate the violation and/or restore the property. The Board of Selectmen is authorized
to seek costs of the abatement as outlined in Section 17.

1700.9.2 Warning Notice.
When the Board of Selectmen finds that any person has violated, or continues to violate, any provision of this
ordinance, or any order issued hereunder, the Board of Selectmen may serve upon that person a written
Warning Notice, specifying the particular violation believed to have occurred and requesting the discharge to
immediately investigate the matter and, if a resolution whereby any offending discharge will cease, investigation
and/or resolution of the matter in response to the Warning Notice in no way relieves the alleged violator of liability
for any violations occurring prior to or after receipt of the Warning Notice.

1700.9.3 Suspension of MS4 Access due to the Detection of Illicit Discharge
Any person discharging to the MS4 in violation of this ordinance may have their MS4 access terminated if such
termination would abate or reduce an illicit discharge. The Board of Selectmen will notify a violator of the proposed
termination of its MS4 access. The violator may petition the Board of Selectmen for a reconsideration and
hearing.

A person commits an offense if the person reconnects MS4 access to premises terminated pursuant to this
Section, without the prior approval of the Board of Selectmen.

YES ☐
NO ☐

Recommends the Planning Board: 5-Yes, 0-No, 3-Abstain

The Town of Atkinson: IDES Administrative Program Implementation Process is available in the Board of
Selectmen’s Office at Town Hall, 21 Academy Ave., Atkinson, NH 03811.

Article #2019-3 Operating Budget
Shall the Town of Atkinson vote to raise and appropriate as an Operating Budget, not including
appropriations by Special Warrant Article and other appropriations voted separately, the amounts set
forth in the Operating Budget established by the Warrant, or as amended by vote of the First Session, for the purposes
set forth therein, totaling Five Million One Hundred Twelve Thousand Four Hundred Nineteen Dollars
($5,112,419)? Should this article be defeated, the Default Budget shall be Four Million Nine Hundred Eighty
Dollars ($4,980,893), which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Atkinson 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 ☐

Recommends the Planning Board: 5-Yes, 0-No, 3-Abstain 2

Article #2019-4 Police Vehicles
Shall the Town enter into a three-year lease/purchase agreement in the amount of Ninety-five Thousand
Five Hundred Ninety-eight Dollars ($95,598) to lease and equip two new Police vehicles, at the conclusion
of which the Town of Atkinson will own these vehicles; and to raise and appropriate the sum of
Thirty-one Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty-six Dollars ($31,866) for the first year’s payment, Ten
Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000) to come from the Police Outside Detail Revolving Fund and Twenty-one
Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty-six Dollars ($21,866) to be raised by taxes, and to allow two Police
vehicles to be disposed of by trade, sale or bid? This is subject to annual funding and is in addition to
Article #2019-3, the Operating Budget.

YES ☐
NO ☐

Recommends the Planning Board: 5-Yes, 0-No, Abstain 2

Article #2019-5 Cardiac Monitor
Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty-five Thousand Dollars ($35,000), to
purchase a Cardiac Monitor to replace the existing cardiac monitor in the Atkinson Fire Department’s
Firefighters’ Association, and Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000) to be raised by taxes? This is a
non-lapping article per RSA 32:7, VI, and will not lapse until the purchase is complete, or until December 31, 2023.
This in addition to Article #2019-3, the Operating Budget.

YES ☐
NO ☐

Recommends the Planning Board: 5-Yes, 0-No, 3-Abstain 3

Recommends the budget Committee: 5-Yes, 1-No, Abstain 3

GO TO NEXT BALLOT AND CONTINUE VOTING
ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article #2019-6 Fire Department Capital Reserve
Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars ($120,000) to be added to the Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund, as modified March 14, 2019 (Article #2019-3-B) for the purpose of acquiring fire equipment and vehicles, as outlined by the Board of Finance’s Capital Improvement Plan? This is in addition to Article #2019-3, the Operating Budget.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen: 5-Yes, 0-No, 0-Abstain
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 5-Yes, 0-No, Abstain-0

Article #2019-7 Fire Station Repairs
Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate Twelve Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-six Dollars ($12,676) for the purpose of supplementing the repairs to the Atkinson Fire Station appropriated in 2018 (Article #2018-9)? This is a non-lapsing article per RSA 32:7, VI, and will not lapse until the project is complete, or until December 31, 2023. This is in addition to Article #2019-3, the Operating Budget.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen: 5-Yes, 0-No, 0-Abstain
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 5-Yes, 0-No, Abstain-0

Article #2019-8 Island Pond Road Reconstruction and Culvert
Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate Four Hundred Twenty-two Thousand Five Hundred Seventy-five Dollars ($422,575) for a base roadway reconstruction of Island Pond Road from Brooksview Terrace to the Hampstead Town Line, and to replace Culvert Crossing #1? This is a non-lapsing article per RSA 32:7, VI, and will not lapse until December 31, 2023. This is in addition to Article #2019-3, the Operating Budget.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen: 5-Yes, 0-No, 0-Abstain
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 5-Yes, 0-No, Abstain-0

Article #2019-9 Ceiling-Array Microphones
Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate Nine Thousand Dollars ($9,000) to purchase and install two Shure Ceiling-Array Microphones and associated equipment required for the installation and operation in Town Hall for Atkinson Community Television? Such funds to come from the Cable Capital Reserve Fund, established in 1983 for this purpose. As of December 31, 2018, there were Two Hundred Nineteen Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty and 03/100 Dollars ($219,980.03) in the Cable Capital Reserve Fund. This is a non-lapsing article per RSA 32:7, VI, and will not lapse until this purchase and installation is complete, or until December 31, 2023. This is in addition to Article #2019-3, the Operating Budget.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen: 4-Yes, 1-No, 0-Abstain
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 5-Yes, 0-No, Abstain-0

Article #2019-10 Closed-Captioning for ACTV-20
Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate Seventy Thousand Dollars ($70,000) to purchase and install an automated Closed-Captioning generator and encoder and associated equipment needed for installation and operation in Town Hall for Atkinson Community Television? Such funds to come from the Cable Capital Reserve Fund, established in 1983 for this purpose. This is a non-lapsing article per RSA 32:7, VI, and will not lapse until this purchase and installation is complete, or until December 31, 2023. This is in addition to Article #2019-3, the Operating Budget.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen: 5-Yes, 0-No, 0-Abstain
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 5-Yes, 0-No, Abstain-0

Article #2019-11 Town Hall Generator
Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate Thirty-five Thousand Dollars ($35,000) to purchase and install a generator capable of running the computer servers and telephone system for the Town Hall, such funds to come from the Unassigned Fund Balance? This is to replace a 2013 article of the same amount, which has lapsed. This is a non-lapsing article per RSA 32:7, VI, and will not lapse until the project is complete, or until December 31, 2023. This is in addition to Article #2019-3, the Operating Budget.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen: 5-Yes, 0-No, 0-Abstain
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 5-Yes, 0-No, Abstain-0

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING
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## ARTICLES CONTINUED

### Article 6 – Authorization for Special Meeting on Cost Items

Shall the voters of the Timberlane Regional School District, if Article 6 is defeated, authorize the Timberlane Regional School Board to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 6 cost items only?  

- **YES**
- **NO**

Recommends by the School Board 9-0-0

### Article 7 – Charges for Professional Banking or Brokerage Assistance for Reserve Funds and Trust Funds (non-contingent)

Shall the voters of the Timberlane Regional School District vote, pursuant to RSA 35:9-a, III (which became effective July 28, 2014), to authorize the Trustees of the Trust Funds, without further action of the school district meeting, to charge any expenses incurred for professional banking or brokerage assistance for trust funds and reserve funds in their custody as authorized in RSA Chapter 35 and RSA 198:22-c, II, against the funds involved, such authority to remain in effect until rescinded by a vote of the school district meeting, which said vote to rescind such authority shall not occur within 5 years of the adoption of this article?  

- **YES**
- **NO**

Recommends by the School Board 9-0-0

### Article 8 – Change Trustees of Trust Funds (non-contingent)

Shall the voters of the Timberlane Regional School District vote, pursuant to RSA 198:22-c, II (trust funds) and RSA 35:2 (reserve funds), to elect the trustees of trust funds of the town of Pelham, NH, to take custody of all school district established trust funds and reserve funds on July 1, 2019, and to administer such funds on behalf of the school district under the provisions of RSA 31:22?  This article is not contingent upon the passage of Article 7 (regarding charges for professional banking and brokerage assistance). (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

Recommends by the School Board 9-0-0

### Article 9 – General Acceptance of Reports

Shall the voters of the Timberlane Regional School District accept reports of agenda, audit, and committees as written in the 2018 Annual Report? (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

Recommends by the School Board 9-0-0

### Article 10 – SAU 85 Withdrawal Study by Petition of Stefanie DuBois et al

Shall the Timberlane Regional School District pursuant to RSA 194-C, I, create a Planning Committee to study the advisability of the withdrawal of the Timberlane Regional School District from SAU 85 in accordance with RSA 194-C, 2? Yes, for its organization, operation and control, and the advisability of constructing, maintaining and operating a School Administrative Unit to serve the needs of the Timberlane Regional School District. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

Recommends by the School Board 9-0-0

### Article 11 – Transportation Costs by Petition of Peter Beale et al

Shall the district encourage the Timberlane Regional School District School Board to fund transportation costs to meet the needs of the school district? (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

Recommends by the School Board 9-0-0

### Article 12 – High School Athletic Track by Petition of Rob Collins et al

Shall the voters of the Timberlane Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of $247,526 for the repair and replacement of the Timberlane Regional High School track, and to authorize the District to withdraw up to the sum of $247,526 from the existing School Building Construction, Repayment, Capital Improvements and Land Purchase Capital Reserve Fund; No amount to be raised by taxation. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

Recommends by the School Board 9-0-0

### Article 13 – Amend Articles of Agreement to Weighted Voting by Petition of Jack Bale et al

Shall the Timberlane Regional School Board study whether to use weighted voting in its business proceedings? This article is advisory only and nonbinding. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

Not recommended by the School Board 5-4-0

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ANNUAL TIMBERLANE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION
ATKINSON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 12, 2019

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS
A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this: ☐

ARTICLES

Article 2 – Operating Budget
Shall the voters of the Timberlane Regional 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 $71,681,334? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be $70,946,104 which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Timberlane Regional 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, Note: Warrant Article 2 (the operating budget) does not include appropriations proposed under any other warrant articles. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)
Recommended by the School Board 8-1
Recommended by the Budget Committee 10-0

Article 3 – Capital Reserve Fund
Shall the voters of the Timberlane Regional School District raise and appropriate up to $240,000 to be placed in the School Building Construction, Reconstruction, Capital Improvements and Land Purchase Capital Reserve Fund established in 1999, with such amount to be transferred from those funds to the June 30, 2019 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1 of this year which were appropriated as Capital Expenses in 2018-2019 in accordance with Article 6 of the Timberlane Regional School District Warrant Articles of Agreement? No amount to be raised by taxation. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)
Recommended by the School Board 10-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee 10-0

Article 4 – Performing Arts Center Door Wall Replacement
Shall the voters of the Timberlane Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of $531,000 to repair the outside wall of the Timberlane Performing Arts Center and to authorize the District to withdraw the sum of $531,000 from the existing School Building Construction, Reconstruction, Capital Improvements and Land Purchase Capital Reserve Fund? No amount to be raised by additional taxation. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)
Recommended by the School Board 9-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee 10-0

Article 5 – Three Year Collective Bargaining Agreement (Timberlane Teachers Association)
Shall the voters of the Timberlane Regional School District approve the contract terms included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Timberlane Teachers Association and the Timberlane Regional School Board, which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels over the amount paid in the prior fiscal year:

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And further to raise and appropriate the sum of $863,343 for the 2019-20 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increases in salaries and benefits required by the new agreement over those that would be paid at the current staffing levels? (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)
Recommended by the School Board 9-0
Recommended by the Budget Committee 10-0

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## SAMPLE BALLOT

### ARTICLES CONTINUED

**Article #2019-12 Mosquito Control Expandable Trust Fund**
Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate Forty-six Thousand Dollar ($46,000) for the purpose of insect control, such funds to go to the Mosquito Control Expandable Trust Fund, established March 14, 2006 (Article #2006-11) for that purpose? At the December 31, 2018, there were Three Thousand Six Hundred Thirty-four and 1/200 Dollars ($3,634.14) in the Mosquito Control Expandable Trust Fund. This in addition to Article #2019-3, the Operating Budget.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen: 5-Yes, 0-No, 0-Abstain
Recommended by the Budget Committee: 4-yes, 2-No, Abstain-0

**Article #2019-13 Waive Motor Vehicle Fees for POWs**
Shall the Town vote, as authorized by RSA 251:107-e, to adopt an ordinance waiving the fee to be charged for a permit to register one motor vehicle owned by any person who was captured and incarcerated for 30 days or more while serving in a qualified war or armed conflict as defined in RSA 7:328, V, and who was honorably discharged, provided the person has provided the Town Clerk with satisfactory proof of these circumstances? Effective January 1, 2018 a customer who qualifies for a Purple Heart will be issued one registration without any plate fee or registration fee. Also, effective January 1, 2019, a customer qualifies for a Disabled Veteran plate or a Prisoner of War plate (who may also be issued an additional plate for a motorcycle).

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen: 5-Yes, 0-No, 0-Abstain

**Article #2019-14 Rescind Revolving Fund**
Shall the Town vote to rescind the Senior/Recreation Trips Revolving Fund established in 2007 (Article #2007-17) with said funds plus any accumulated interest to date to be placed in the Town's General Fund?

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen: 5-Yes, 0-No, 0-Abstain

**Article #2019-15 Land Use Change Tax**
Shall the Town vote to reduce the Land Use Change Tax (LUCS) percentage under RSA 79-A:25, that is deposited into the Conservation Fund from 100% to 50%, the remaining 1% to go to the General Fund?

**Article #2019-16 Keno (By Petition)**
To see if the town will vote to allow the operation of Keno within the Town pursuant to the provisions of NH RSA 264:41 through 61.

**Article #2019-17 Acceptance of Reports**
Shall the Town accept the reports of agents, auditors and committees as written in the 2018 Annual Report?

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING THIS BALLOT