



SAMPLE **RESULTS** BALLOT 1 OF 3

OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
HAMPTON FALLS, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 12, 2019

Holly E. Knowles
TOWN CLERK

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

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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.

Article 1: To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
(Majority vote required)

CEMETERY TRUSTEE

For 3 Years Vote for not more than ONE
WENDY HARRINGTON 743 ○
4 ○
(Write-in)

LIBRARY TRUSTEE

For 3 Years Vote for not more than TWO
ARMIDA M. MAGNARELLI 611 ○
BEVERLY P. MUTRIE 595 ○
4 ○
(Write-in)
(Write-in)

SELECTMAN

For 3 Years Vote for not more than ONE
LOU GARGIULO 482 ○
JAMES ZIOLKOWSKI 399 ○
2 ○
(Write-in)

TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS

For 3 Years Vote for not more than ONE
THOMAS C. BAKER 706 ○
5 ○
(Write-in)

PLANNING BOARD

For 3 Years Vote for not more than TWO
SHAWN HANSON 637 ○
TODD SANTORA 583 ○
7 ○
(Write-in)
(Write-in)

ARTICLES

Article 2:

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following amendment to the existing Hampton Falls Zoning Ordinance?

Amend Article III, Section 7.7 – Yard Requirements (Supplementary Regulations for "A District" as follows:

7.7.1 In Agricultural-Residence District ("A District"), each structure shall be setback at least fifty (50) feet from all lot lines or such distance as shall conform to the front lot line of existing buildings on adjacent property. Lots of record under two acres (87,120 square feet) one (1) acre (43,560 square feet) or less are exempt from this requirement and each structure thereon shall be set back at least twenty-five (25) feet from all lot lines.

A full copy of text is available for review at the Town Hall and on the town's website at hamptonfalls.org.
This article cannot be amended at the Deliberative Session.
Recommended by the Planning Board

572
YES ○
NO ○
271

Article 3:

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following amendment to the existing Hampton Falls Zoning Ordinance?

Amend Article III, Section 7.5 – Private Road Subdivision Ordinance in "A District" as follows:

7.5.9 All uses permitted in the "A District" shall be permitted on any lot on a private road, except for family day care home, private schools, churches, golf courses, and residential care facilities, nursing homes, hospice, and accessory housing units.

A full copy of text is available for review at the Town Hall and on the town's website at hamptonfalls.org.
This article cannot be amended at the Deliberative Session.
Recommended by the Planning Board

581
YES ○
NO ○
242

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 4:

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following amendment to the existing Hampton Falls Zoning Ordinance?

Amend Article III, Section 4 – Table of Uses for Hampton Falls Zoning Districts as follows:

8. Mixed Use Development: Change "N" to "P" so that this type of development is allowed in Business District North (BDN).

A full copy of text is available for review at the Town Hall and on the town's website at hamptonfalls.org.
This article cannot be amended at the Deliberative Session.
Recommended by the Planning Board

532
YES ☐
NO ☐

233

Article 5:

Shall the town modify the provisions of RSA 72:39-a, for elderly exemption from property tax in the Town of Hampton Falls, based on assessed value, for qualified taxpayers, to be as follows:

For a person 65 years of age up to 75 years, \$150,000;

For a person 75 years of age up to 80 years, \$170,000;

For a person 80 years of age or older \$190,000.

To qualify, the person must have been a New Hampshire resident for at least 3 consecutive years, own and occupy the real estate individually or jointly, or if the real estate is owned by such person's spouse, they must have been married to each other for at least 5 consecutive years.

In addition, the taxpayer must have a net income of not more than \$45,000 or, if married, a combined net income of less than \$65,000 and own net assets not in excess of \$220,000 excluding the value of the person's residence.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Yes: 3 No: 0
Majority vote required

708
YES ☐
NO ☐

137

Article 6:

Shall the town modify the provisions of RSA 72:37-b, Exemption for the Disabled from property tax in the Town of Hampton Falls, based on assessed value, for qualified taxpayers, to be \$150,000:

To qualify, the person must have been a New Hampshire resident for at least 5 consecutive years, own and occupy the real estate individually or jointly, or if the real estate is owned by such person's spouse, they must have been married to each other for at least 5 consecutive years.

In addition, the taxpayer must have a net income of not more than \$45,000 or, if married, a combined net income of not more than \$65,000, and own net assets not in excess of \$220,000 excluding the value of the person's residence.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Yes: 3 No: 0
Majority vote required

699
YES ☐
NO ☐

136

Article 7:

Shall the Town modify the Veteran's Tax Credit in accordance with RSA 72:28, II from its current tax credit of \$500 per year to \$600.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Yes: 3 No: 0
Majority vote required

765
YES ☐
NO ☐

88

Article 8:

Shall the Town modify the Veteran's Tax Credit for service-connected disability in accordance with RSA 72:28, II from its current tax credit of \$1,400 per year to \$2,800.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Yes: 3 No: 0
Majority vote required

731
YES ☐
NO ☐

115

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TOWN CLERK

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 9:

Are you in favor of combining the offices of the Town Clerk and Tax Collector to create a new office of Town Clerk/Tax Collector with the term of office to be three years? If approved, an article shall be placed on the ballot at the next annual meeting to choose a town clerk/tax collector.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Yes: 3 No: 0

Majority vote required

524
YES ☐
NO ☐
334

Article 10:

"Shall the Town of Hampton Falls 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 \$2,684,978. Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$2,689,195 which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Hampton Falls 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." (This warrant article does not include appropriations in any other warrant article.)

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Yes: 1 No: 2

Majority vote required

461
YES ☐
NO ☐
368

Article 11:

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 to be placed in the Heritage Fund, established in 2010, which will be used to carry out the duties of the Heritage Commission as specified in RSA 674:44-b, which includes but is not limited to conducting an historic resources survey. The balance in this fund is \$6,982.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Yes: 3 No: 0

Majority vote required

557
YES ☐
NO ☐
292

Article 12:

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to be placed in the Tercentenary Celebration Capital Reserve Fund, established in 2011, which will be used toward the cost of writing of the Town history (years of 1900 – 2020). This is the first request of three totaling \$15,000 over three years. The balance in this fund is \$2,340.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Yes: 3 No: 0

Majority vote required

517
YES ☐
NO ☐
334

Article 13:

To see if the town will vote to discontinue the Landfill Closure Capital Reserve Fund. Said funds and accumulated interest to date of withdrawal, are to be transferred to the municipality's general fund. The balance in this fund is \$55,284.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Yes: 3 No: 0

Majority vote required

603
YES ☐
NO ☐
242

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 14:

To see if the town will vote to discontinue the following Capital Reserve Funds. Said funds and accumulated interest to date of withdrawal, are to be transferred to the municipality's general fund. This article is contingent on the passage of Article 15. NO TAX IMPACT

2011	Town Hall Capital Reserve Fund	\$16,862
2012	Fire Department Mezzanine Capital Reserve Fund	\$ 569
2012	Old Library Building Capital Reserve Fund	\$ 7,383
2018	Public Safety Building Capital Reserve Fund	\$10,207

428

YES ☐

NO ☐

396

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Yes: 2 No: 1

Majority vote required

Article 15:

To see if the Town will vote to establish an Expendable Trust Fund under the provisions of RSA 31:19-a for the purpose of repairs, replacements and improvements to Municipal Government Buildings and related infrastructure, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,021 plus accrued interest to put in the fund, with this amount to come from the Town's general unassigned fund balance towards this purpose and to name the Board of Selectmen as agents to expend these funds. This article is contingent on the passage of Article 14. NO TAX IMPACT

424

YES ☐

NO ☐

390

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Yes: 2 No: 1

Majority vote required

Article 16:

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,000 for the purpose of purchasing Police Body Cameras and associated equipment and software.

558

YES ☐

NO ☐

278

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Yes: 3 No: 0

Majority vote required

Article 17:

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of up to \$567,000 for the purpose of purchasing and equipping a new fire truck and authorize the withdrawal of up to \$567,000 from the following funds created for that purpose. NO TAX IMPACT

705

YES ☐

NO ☐

145

Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund	\$252,600
Fire Department Vehicle Fund (Ambulance)	\$287,000
Fire Department Special Detail Fund	\$ 4,250
Hampton Falls Fire Department Association	\$ 23,150

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Yes: 3 No: 0

Majority vote required

Article 18:

To see if the Town will vote to amend the purpose of the existing Highway Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund (2010) established for the purpose of maintaining the Town's roads, to include the purpose of maintenance and improvements to culverts, in conjunction with the Town's road survey report outlining prioritized needs, and, further to name the Board of Selectmen as agents to expend from this fund.

641

YES ☐

NO ☐

194

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Yes: 3 No: 0

2/3rds vote required

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TOWN CLERK

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 19:

To raise and appropriate the sum of \$69,641 to be added to the Highway Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund for the purpose of maintaining the Town's roads, to include the maintenance and improvements to culverts, using \$69,641 Highway Block Grant to offset this amount. *The balance of this fund is \$37,833.* NO TAX IMPACT

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Yes: 3 No: 0
Majority vote required

712
YES ☐
NO ☐
144

Article 20:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000 for a mosquito control program that will include an early detection system for diseases, larviciding and spot adulticiding for 2019. This will be a non-lapsing account per RSA 32:7, VI and will not lapse until the project is completed or by December 31, 2024, whichever is sooner.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Yes: 2 No: 1
Majority vote required

603
YES ☐
NO ☐
256

Article 21:

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 for the organization known as **Great Bay Services**. *(The mission of Great Bay Services is to provide assistance and support to residents with developmental disabilities.)*

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Yes: 3 No: 0
Majority vote required

644
YES ☐
NO ☐
209

Article 22:

To see if the voters will vote to approve:

Services provided by the Town of Hampton Falls Highway Agent in the amount of \$2,500 or greater must go through a process to obtain three (3) or more prices. Three (3) or more prices must be obtained for projects over the amount of \$2,500.

Article by Petition
NOT recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Yes: 2 No: 1
Majority vote required

630
YES ☐
NO ☐
211

Article 23:

To see if the voters will vote to approve the reestablishment of the twice annual White Goods Household Waste Collection Days; beginning in 2019 and twice annually thereafter and take any other action relative thereto. NO TAX IMPACT

NOT recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Yes: 3 No: 0
Majority vote required

751
YES ☐
NO ☐
110

YOU HAVE COMPLETED VOTING THIS BALLOT

SAMPLE BALLOT

RESULTS

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MARCH 12, 2019

Maura Hastings
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

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SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

For 3 Years

Vote for not
more than TWO

GREG MARROW

554 ☒

GREG PARISH

377 ☒

(Write in) ☐

(Write in) ☐

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 \$6,785,532. Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$6,629,108, 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 40:15, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. (Majority vote required.)

503

YES ☒

NO ☐

344

Note: Warrant Article #1 (operating budget) does not include appropriations in any other warrant articles.
Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

Article 02 Seacoast Education 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 Education Association which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the proposed staffing levels:

Year	Estimated Salary Increase	Estimated Health Insurance Decrease	Estimated Salary Driven Benefits Increase	TOTAL Estimated Cost
2019-20	\$87,246	\$0	\$21,909	\$109,156
2020-21	\$84,913	(\$4,333)	\$21,431	\$102,013
2021-22	\$84,105	\$0	\$21,184	\$105,289
2022-23	\$78,772	\$0	\$19,787	\$98,559

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$109,156 for the 2019-20 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.)

534

YES ☒

NO ☐

317

Recommended by the School Board: 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

SAMPLE BALLOT

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 03 Gym Renovations

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum \$50,000 for the purpose of gym renovations including, but not limited to, the removal of the existing floor and cafeteria table alcove, asbestos abatement, installation of new resilient flooring, painting of walls, and installation of new gymnasium wall padding. 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.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

551
YES ☐
NO ☐
304

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, 2019 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2019. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

578
YES ☐
NO ☐
274

Article 05 School Health Insurance Expendable Trust Fund

To see if the School District will vote to create an expendable trust fund under the provisions of 198:26-c III to be known as the School Health Insurance Expendable Fund, for the purpose of maintaining health insurance funds to supplement the funding of health insurance premiums for the benefit of eligible employees or eligible retired employees of the school district. Furthermore, to raise and appropriate up to \$25,000 to be placed in this fund with such amount to be funded from the June 30, 2019 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2019 and to name the School Board as agents to expend from said fund. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

489
YES ☐
NO ☐
358

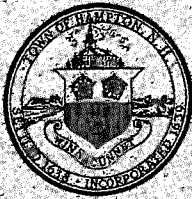
Article 06 Building Maintenance Expendable Trust

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate \$25,000 to be added to the existing Building Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund, with up to \$25,000 to be funded from the June 30, 2019 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2019. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

530
YES ☐
NO ☐
319

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT



SPECIMEN BALLOT WINNACUNNET COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hampton, Hampton Falls, North Hampton, Seabrook
TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 2019

Card No. 1

Shirley Robney
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

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SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER (North Hampton)

For THREE years. Vote for no more than ONE

HENRY MARSH

614
5

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$376,095 for the 2019-20 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.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0

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).

BUDGET COMMITTEE (North Hampton)

For THREE years. Vote for no more than ONE

JONATHAN PINETTE

585
3

531
YES
NO
298

ARTICLE 1

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 \$27,208,859. Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$26,807,906 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: 6-0

518
YES
NO
309

ARTICLE 3

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$244,151 to continue the HVAC replacement project at Winnacunnet High School that is estimated to cost \$1.5 million between now and 2026? 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, 2021, whichever is earlier. (Majority vote required.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0

503
YES
NO
272

ARTICLE 4

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$192,200 to replace the auditorium roof. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7 VI and will not lapse until the project is complete or June 30, 2021, whichever is earlier. (Majority vote required.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0

589
YES
NO
244

ARTICLE 2

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

Year	Estimated Salary Increase	Estimated Health Insurance Decrease	Estimated Salary Driven Benefits Increase	TOTAL Estimated Cost
2019-20	\$299,101	\$0	\$76,994	\$376,095
2020-21	\$319,900	(\$11,737)	\$82,349	\$390,512
2021-22	\$308,860	\$0	\$79,478	\$388,338
2022-23	\$312,524	\$0	\$80,405	\$392,929

TURN BALLOT OVER TO CONTINUE VOTING

ARTICLE 5

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$115,000 for resurfacing the track (\$90,000) and tennis courts (\$25,000). The track was installed in 2010 and it is recommended that it be resurfaced and refined every 8 years to maintain the integrity of the surface. The tennis court was last resurfaced in 2012 and is in need of repair and resurfacing, which is recommended every 7 years. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7 VI and will not lapse until the project is complete or June 30, 2021, whichever is earlier. (Majority vote required.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0

511

YES ☐

NO ☐

312

ARTICLE 6

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate \$75,000 to be added to the existing Health Care Expendable Trust Fund, with up to \$75,000 to be funded from the June 30, 2019 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2019. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0

486

YES ☐

NO ☐

338

ARTICLE 7

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate \$50,000 to be added to the existing Special Education Expendable Trust Fund, with up to \$50,000 to be funded from the June 30, 2019 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2019. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)

Recommended by the School Board: 5-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee: 6-0

543

YES ☐

NO ☐

280