

SAMPLE BALLOT



ABSENTEE BALLOT AND OFFICIAL BALLOT MUNICIPAL ELECTION ROLLINSFORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE JUNE 8, 2021

BALLOT 1 OF 2

Daniel B. Cullity
TOWN 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.

SELECT BOARD MEMBER AND OVERSEER OF THE POOR

For Three Years Vote for not
more than One

DENISE KNOWLES **246** ☐

KIM ST. HILAIRE **310** ☐

(Write-in) ☐

TOWN TREASURER

For One Year Vote for not
more than One

PAULA WOOLLEY **494** ☐

(Write-in) ☐

TOWN CLERK

For Three Years Vote for not
more than One

DANIEL CULLITY **485** ☐

KATE NESMAN **5** ☐

(Write-in) ☐

SCATTER **2**

TOWN MODERATOR

For One Year Vote for not
more than One

CHARLES PUTNAM **501** ☐

SCATTER **1** ☐

(Write-in) ☐

BUDGET COMMITTEE

For Three Years Vote for not
more than Three

JESSICA WELCH **389** ☐

JONATHAN ORDWAY **392** ☐

PETER LAMPESIS **407** ☐

SCATTER **5** ☐

(Write-in) ☐

(Write-in) ☐

(Write-in) ☐

TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUNDS

For Three Years Vote for not
more than One

SALME PERRY **417** ☐

SCATTER **6** ☐

(Write-in) ☐

TRUSTEE OF THE LIBRARY TRUST

For Three Years Vote for not
more than One

TAMARA NIEDZOLKOWSKI **436** ☐

SCATTER **7** ☐

(Write-in) ☐

TRUSTEE OF THE CEMETERY TRUST

For Three Years Vote for not
more than One

MARC COUTURE **505** ☐

(Write-in) ☐

ARTICLES

Article 2: Zoning Ordinance Amendment #1

Are you in favor of the amendment to the Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Planning Board to change Sections 8.1.1 and 8.1.2 to be consistent with the change approved in 2008 which altered Table 6.9 eliminating multi-family dwellings in the Suburban Residential 1 (SRI), Suburban Residential 2 (SR2), and the Country Residential (CR) Districts? This proposed amendment will correct the inconsistency in the Zoning Ordinance.
(Recommended by the Planning Board)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ **404**
NO ☐ **113**

Article 3: Zoning Ordinance Amendment #2

Are you in favor of the amendment to the Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Planning Board to amend Section 11.2.9 to make the time limit to act on a variance consistent with the applicable State law (RSA 674:33 I-a(a))? This would allow for two (2) years to exercise a variance where the current Town regulation is only one (1) year. The proposal would further amend section 11.2.9 by deleting the requirement to have the work or change approved by the variance to be substantially completed within two (2) years.
(Recommended by the Planning Board)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ **419**
NO ☐ **88**

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 4: Resolution for Fair Redistricting (by petition)

To see if the Town of Rollinsford will urge the New Hampshire General Court, which is obligated to redraw the maps of political districts within the state following the 2020 census, to ensure fair and effective representation of New Hampshire residents by drawing the new district maps without relying on partisan data favoring particular parties or candidates and that all meetings, hearings and deliberations regarding redistricting shall be open to the public.

The record of the vote approving this article shall be transmitted by written notice from the Rollinsford Select Board to the state legislators representing the Town of Rollinsford and to the Governor of the State of New Hampshire informing them of the instructions from their constituents within thirty (30) days of the vote.
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 406
NO ☐ 105

Article 5: Operating Budget

Shall the Town of Rollinsford 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 \$2,464,122? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$2,441,266, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Rollinsford 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.

(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 345
NO ☐ 177

Article 6: 2019 Police Cruiser Lease Payment

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$12,000 for the final payment for the cruiser lease; further to authorize the withdrawal of \$12,000 from the Capital Improvement Plan Capital Reserve Fund. (No amount to come from taxation)

(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 426
NO ☐ 98

Article 7: 2020 Police Cruiser Lease Payment

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$13,000 for the second-year payment for the cruiser lease; further to authorize the withdrawal of \$13,000 from the Capital Improvement Plan Capital Reserve Fund. (No amount to come from taxation)

(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 410
NO ☐ 112

Article 8: Alarm System for the Fire Department

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 to install an alarm system for the Fire Department; and further to authorize the withdrawal of \$25,000 from the Capital Improvement Reserve Fund established for this purpose. (No amount to come from taxation)

(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 334
NO ☐ 192

Article 9: Security and Phone Systems for Town Hall

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$60,000 to replace the security and phone systems at the Town Hall; and further to authorize the withdrawal of \$60,000 from the Capital Improvement Reserve Fund established for this purpose. (No amount to come from taxation)

(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 290
NO ☐ 237

Article 10: Airpack Filling Station for the Fire Department

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$55,000 to purchase an airpack filling station for the Fire Department; and further to authorize the withdrawal of \$55,000 from the Capital Improvement Reserve Fund established for this purpose. (No amount to come from taxation)

(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 326
NO ☐ 197

Article 11: Articulating Loader for the Highway Department

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 to purchase an articulating loader for the Highway Department; and further to authorize the withdrawal of \$50,000 from the Capital Improvement Reserve Fund established for this purpose. (No amount to come from taxation)

(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 355
NO ☐ 173

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Daniel P. Gullity
TOWN CLERK

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 12: Capital Improvement Plan Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$200,000 to be placed in the Capital Improvement Plan Capital Reserve Fund established for this purpose. (From taxation)
(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 321
NO ☒ 211

Article 13: New Equipment Trust Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$7,000 to be placed in the New Equipment Trust Fund established for this purpose. (From taxation)
(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 351
NO ☒ 183

Article 14: Town Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$18,750 to be added to the Town Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund established for this purpose. (From taxation)
(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 304
NO ☒ 229

Article 15: Culvert Repair/Replacement Reserve Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$10,000 to be added to the Culvert Repair/Replacement Reserve Fund established for this purpose. (From taxation)
(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 399
NO ☒ 186

Article 16: Conservation Land Trust Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 to be added to the Conservation Land Trust Capital Reserve Fund. Twenty-five thousand dollars will be transferred from the Land Use Change Tax Fund to fund this appropriation. (No amount to come from taxation)
(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 419
NO ☒ 122

Article 17: Land Surveys and Related Expenses

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to finance land surveys and related expenses that may be incurred in assisting private landowners who donate Conservation Easement and/or to purchase options to buy critical lands the town may wish to protect for open space or conservation uses; and further to authorize the withdrawal of \$5,000 from the Conservation Land Trust Capital Reserve Fund for this purpose. (No amount to come from taxation)
(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Recommended by the Budget Committee)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 420
NO ☒ 120

Article 18: Authority to sell surplus equipment and vehicles

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Select Board to sell surplus equipment and vehicles owned by the Town.
(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 504
NO ☒ 38

Article 19: Authority to Accept a Proposed Town Road

To see if the Town will vote pursuant to RSA 674:40-a to delegate to the Select Board the authority to accept roads (and any appurtenant easements) and to accept deed conveyance of same for roads formally laid out, surveyed, and approved by Planning Board subdivision and/or site plan approvals? Such authority would be perpetual until rescinded by Town Meeting.
(Recommended by the Select Board)
(Majority vote required)

YES ☒ 388
NO ☒ 143

Article 20: Other Business

To see if the Town would like to conduct any other business brought forth.

YES ☒ 388
NO ☒ 113

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING THIS BALLOT

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ABSENTEE BALLOT AND OFFICIAL BALLOT ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION ROLLINSFORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE JUNE 8, 2021

Tasha Botelho
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- A. Articles 1-4 are on the Election Warrant.
B. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this ☒
C. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.
D. 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: SCHOOL DISTRICT MODERATOR

Vote for not
One (1) Year Term more than ONE (1)
CHARLES PUTNAM **506** ☐
SCATTER **2** ☐
(Write-in)

ARTICLE 3: SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Vote for not
One (1) Year Term more than ONE (1)
JUDITH BARRY **478** ☐
SCATTER **2** ☐
(Write-in)

ARTICLE 4: SCHOOL BOARD

Vote for not
Three (3) Year Term more than TWO (2)
KERRI LYNN CHOATE **286** ☐
JOSHUA DENN **136** ☐
THOMAS KUNZ **185** ☐
BRIAN PELLERIN **151** ☐
SCATTER **4** ☐
(Write-in)
(Write-in)

ARTICLE 2: SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

Vote for not
One (1) Year Term more than ONE (1)
TASHA BOTELHO **469** ☐
SCATTER **2** ☐
(Write-in)

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- E. Articles 5-9 are on the Election Warrant.
F. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this ☒

ARTICLES

ARTICLE 05:

To see if the Rollinsford School District will 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 \$5,855,412 (Five million, Eight Hundred Fifty Five Thousand, Four Hundred Twelve Dollars).

Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$5,864,505 (Five million, Eight Hundred Sixty Four Thousand, Five Hundred and Five Dollars) which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Rollinsford School District or by law: or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with the RSA 40:13, X and XVI to take up the issue of the revised operating budget only.

Budget Committee Recommend and School Board Recommend

YES ☒ **397**
NO ☒ **126**

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE 06:

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

Year 2021-2022	Increase		
	Salary Increase	FICA & Retirement	Total Increase
Teachers	16,117	3,952	20,068
Paraprofessionals	22,639	4,317	26,956
Total	38,756	8,269	47,024

and furthermore, to raise and appropriate the sum of \$47,024 for the upcoming fiscal year such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in Salaries, FICA and Retirement benefits required by the new agreement over those that would be paid at the current staffing levels.

Budget Committee Recommend and School Board Recommend

YES ☒ 346
NO ☒ 178

ARTICLE 07:

To see if Rollinsford School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of up to \$15,000 (Fifteen Thousand Dollars) to be added to the Regular Education Expendable Trust Fund, for regular education tuition previously established. This sum is to come from June 30, 2021 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2021. No amount to be raised from taxation.

Budget Committee Recommend and School Board Recommend

YES ☒ 382
NO ☒ 141

ARTICLE 08:

To see if Rollinsford School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of up to \$75,000 (Seventy Five Thousand Dollars) to be added to the Rollinsford School Building Improvement Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum is to come from June 30, 2021 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2021. No amount to be raised from taxation.

Budget Committee Recommend and School Board Recommend

YES ☒ 372
NO ☒ 152

ARTICLE 09:

To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

YES ☒ 376
NO ☒ 116

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT