



OFFICIAL BALLOT  
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CONTOOCCOOK VALLEY  
ANTRIM, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MARCH 10, 2015

*M. L. ...*  
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

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

**ARTICLES**

1. Shall the Contoocook Valley 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 for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$44,746,514? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$44,547,714, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Contoocook Valley 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. YES **393**  
NO **216**
2. Shall the Contoocook Valley Regional School District approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the ConVal School Board and the ConVal Education Association which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing level:  
Fiscal Year      Estimated Increase  
2015-2016      \$426,596  
and further to raise and appropriate \$426,596 for the current fiscal 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 current staffing levels? (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.) YES **405**  
NO **206**
3. Shall the Contoocook Valley Regional School District, if Article 2 is defeated, authorize the governing body to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 2 cost items only? (This meeting will not be held during the summer.) (Majority vote required) YES **413**  
NO **176**
4. Shall the Contoocook Valley Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 to be added to the Contoocook Valley Regional School District Building Capital Reserve Fund previously established? This sum to come from the June 30, 2015 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2015. No amount to be raised from taxation. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article and RECOMMENDS adoption of this article). YES **433**  
NO **171**
5. Shall the Contoocook Valley Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 to be added to the Special Education Trust Fund as previously established? This sum to come from the June 30, 2015 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2015. No amount to be raised from taxation. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article and RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.) YES **460**  
NO **146**
6. Shall the Contoocook Valley Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 to be added to the Athletics/Co-Curricular Fund as previously established under the provisions of RSA 198:20-c? This sum to come from the June 30, 2015 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2015. No amount to be raised from taxation. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article and RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.) YES **409**  
NO **194**

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