

1. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District raise and appropriate as a gross 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 \$42,411,821? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$41,992,419 which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Contoocook Valley 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 gross operating budget only.

YES  NO

2. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District 1.) raise and appropriate the sum of up to \$50,000 to be added to the Contoocook Valley School District Building Capital Reserve Fund, as previously established pursuant to the provisions of RSA 35:1-c, and 2.) authorize the transfer of such amount from the year-end undesignated fund balance available on July 1, 2008? (This amount represents up to \$50,000 from the June 30, 2008 general fund surplus.) (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article and RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES  NO

3. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District 1.) raise and appropriate the sum of up to \$50,000 to be added to the Special Education Trust Fund, as previously established pursuant to the provisions of RSA 198:20-c, and 2.) authorize the transfer of such amount from the undesignated fund balance available on July 1, 2008? (This amount represents up to \$50,000 from the June 30, 2008 general fund surplus.) (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article and RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES  NO

4. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District appoint the salaries of the School Board and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District as follows: School Board Chair, \$1500; each member, \$1000; Treasurer, \$2,000; Moderator, \$100?

YES  NO

5. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District vote to amend the Articles of Agreement among the School District towns of Antrim, Bennington, Dublin, Frankestown, Greenfield, Hancock, Peterborough, Sharon, and Temple as follows:

Article 8a. to amend the sentence from "Fifty percent (50%) on the average daily membership of the pupils in public schools residing in each pre-existing district of the Cooperative School District during the second preceding fiscal year as determined by the State Department of Revenue Administration" to read:

"Fifty percent (50%) on the enrollment of pupils in public schools residing in each pre-existing district of the Cooperative School District on October 1<sup>st</sup> of the current fiscal year as determined by the Cooperative District?" (Submitted by petition. 2/3 Vote Required)

YES  NO

6. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District vote to amend the Articles of Agreement among the School District towns of Antrim, Bennington, Dublin, Frankestown, Greenfield, Hancock, Peterborough, Sharon, and Temple as follows:

Article 5 to amend the sentence "Elementary schools shall be maintained in Antrim, Bennington, Dublin, Frankestown, Greenfield, Hancock, Peterborough and Temple" to read:

The ConVal School Board will determine the location and number of elementaries needed to adequately and efficiently serve the district? (Submitted by Petition. 2/3 Vote Required)

YES  NO

7. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District approve the Fact Finder's Report and Recommendations dated January 7, 2008, relative to negotiations between the Contoocook Valley School Board and the Contoocook Valley Education Association which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits:

YEAR	ESTIMATED INCREASE
2008-2009	\$785,539
2009-2010	\$1,209,360
2010-2011	\$1,474,333

and further raise and appropriate the sum of \$785,539 for the 2008-2009 fiscal year, such sum representing additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those of the appropriation at current staffing levels paid in the 2007-2008 fiscal year?

YES  NO

8. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District, if Article 7 is defeated, authorize the Contoocook Valley School Board to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 7 cost items only?

YES  NO

9. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District accept the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, and Officers chosen?

YES  NO