# OFFICIAL BALLOT TOWN OF ANTRIM, NEW HAMPSHIRE TOWN ELECTION MARCH 8, 2016

Dune Chauncey 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.

CEMETERY TRUSTEE	PLANNING BOARD	TRUSTEE OF
Vote for not Three Years more than One	Vote for not Three Years more than Two	TRUST FUNDS
ANNE CHISOLM-ENMAN 282	CHRISTOPHER CONDON 395	Vote for not Three Years more than One
Jeanne Cahoon D	See Separate Sheet	STEPHEN ULLMAN 419
(Write-in)	(Write-in)	Bruce Gillespie
SUPERVISOR OF	(Write-in)	Lauren Kirkpatrickein) /
CHECKLIST  Vote for not	SELECTMAN	BUDGET ADVISORY
Six Years more than One	Vote for not Three Years more than One	COMMITTEE
KARA PENNY 436	GORDON WEBBER 1/92	Vote for not Three Years more than One
Bruce Gillespre D	JEANNE CAHOON 63	ERIC TENNEY 426
(Write-in)	ROBERT EDWARDS 281	Maria Isotti D
LIBRARY TRUSTEE  Vote for not		Brue Cillopi
Three Years more than Two	(Write-in)	MODERATOR
MARGARET WARNER 383	WATER & SEWER	Vote for not Two Years more than One
STEPHEN ULLMAN 349	COMMISSIONER	ARTHUR MERRILL 438
Bruce Gillespie (Write-in)	Vote for not Three Years more than One	Bruce Gillespie D
(Write-in)	See Separate Sheet (Write-in)	(Write-in)
	SCHOOL BOARD	
	Vote for not	
	Three Years more than One  RICHARD CAHOON	
	Dave Boule Bruce Gillespie (Write-in)	
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## PLANNING BOARD WRITE-INS

STEVE JONES 1

LORANNE BLOCK	1	LEE CAMPBELL	1
BRIAN BEIHL	1	CHARLIE LEVESQUE	3
BOB HOLMES	12	CHARLES IBACH	1
PAT LOVERING	1	MARTHA PINELLO	2
STEVE SCHACHT	3	BRUCE GILLESPIE	1
JEANNE CAHOON	4	BARRY FROSCH	1
CARTER PROCTOR	1	SCOTT CAISSE	1
KAREN WEISSWANGE	3	ERIC TENNEY	1
PAUL BOULE	1	BOB EDWARDS	2
GORDON WEBBER	3	PETER GAGNE	1
PETER MOORE	1		
WATER & SEWER CO	OMMISSIONER W	RITE-INS	
SAM HARDING	1	CHRIS RAWNSLEY	31
SAM HARDING SCOTT CAISSE	1 5	CHRIS RAWNSLEY TYSON OPLAND	31 1
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SCOTT CAISSE	5	TYSON OPLAND	1
SCOTT CAISSE MATT MILLER	5 2	TYSON OPLAND ERIC TENNEY	1 9
SCOTT CAISSE  MATT MILLER  ALBERT WEISSWANGE	5 2 1	TYSON OPLAND ERIC TENNEY JEFF BARSANTI	1 9 1
SCOTT CAISSE  MATT MILLER  ALBERT WEISSWANGE  ROBERT HOLMES	5 2 1	TYSON OPLAND ERIC TENNEY JEFF BARSANTI GORDON WEBBER	1 9 1 1
SCOTT CAISSE  MATT MILLER  ALBERT WEISSWANGE  ROBERT HOLMES  CHARLES IBACH	5 2 1 1	TYSON OPLAND ERIC TENNEY JEFF BARSANTI GORDON WEBBER KARL ANTHONY	1 9 1 1 5
SCOTT CAISSE  MATT MILLER  ALBERT WEISSWANGE  ROBERT HOLMES  CHARLES IBACH  BRUCE GILLESPIE	5 2 1 1 1	TYSON OPLAND ERIC TENNEY JEFF BARSANTI GORDON WEBBER KARL ANTHONY BEN PRATT	1 9 1 1 5 5
SCOTT CAISSE  MATT MILLER  ALBERT WEISSWANGE  ROBERT HOLMES  CHARLES IBACH  BRUCE GILLESPIE  BARRY FROSCH	5 2 1 1 1 1	TYSON OPLAND ERIC TENNEY JEFF BARSANTI GORDON WEBBER KARL ANTHONY BEN PRATT CHRISTOPHER ROSS	1 9 1 1 5 5 1
SCOTT CAISSE  MATT MILLER  ALBERT WEISSWANGE  ROBERT HOLMES  CHARLES IBACH  BRUCE GILLESPIE  BARRY FROSCH  GARY WOOD	5 2 1 1 1 1 1	TYSON OPLAND ERIC TENNEY JEFF BARSANTI GORDON WEBBER KARL ANTHONY BEN PRATT CHRISTOPHER ROSS BRIAN PIERSON	1 9 1 1 5 5 1

### OFFICIAL BALLOT TOWN OF ANTRIM, NEW HAMPSHIRE ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT BALLOT June Chauncey MARCH 8, 2016



#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

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



#### **ZONING AMENDMENTS**

Article 2: To vote by ballot on the following amendments to the Antrim Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Planning Board:

Amendment #1: Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the planning board for the Town of Antrim zoning ordinance as follows:

To revise Article XIV-B - Personal Wireless Service Facilities by: (1) replacing the YES 373 requirement for ground-mounted PWSFs to receive a special exception from the ZBA with a conditional use permit from the Planning Board; and (2) making other overall formatting and clarifying changes throughout the document?

NO 102

Explanation: The purpose of this amendment is to make the application process more efficient and more effective by investing the Planning Board with the ability to review all aspects of an application and address planning issues early in the process.

Amendment #2: Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the planning board for the Town of Antrim zoning ordinance as follows:

To add a new paragraph X. Lighting Standards to Article XIV – Supplemental Regulations, for the regulation of light pollution?

Explanation: The purpose of this amendment is to provide the Town with the ability to YES 364 ensure that Antrim's rural character - as expressed in part through dark skies, are protected and the Planning Board has the ability during Site Plan Review to approve lighting designs that are in keeping with Antrim's character.

NO /III

Amendment #3: Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the planning board for the Town of Antrim zoning ordinance to amend Article XIV Paragraph H, 3 as follows:

H. Height Regulation Exceptions

3. The height limitations of this Zoning Ordinance shall not apply to flagpoles, church spires, belfries, chimneys or antennas. For the purposes of this Ordinance, this exemption does not apply to Personal Wireless Service Facilities.

YES 359 NO 116

Explanation: The purpose of this amendment is to clarify that the height standards for Personal Wireless Service Facilities are not exempted by this provision, meaning that such Facilities are subject to any height restrictions contained in the Personal Wireless Service Facilities Ordinance.

Amendment #4: Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 4 as proposed by the planning board for the Town of Antrim zoning ordinance to amend the boundaries of the Antrim Zoning Map as follows:

- 1) to change the portions of Parcel #232-35 & 35.1 that are in the Rural District to the Highway Business District;
- 2) to change Parcels #232-31 & 32 from Rural to Highway Business District; and

3) to change Parcels #232-63 & 64 from Residential to Highway Business District.

YES 331 NO 136

**Explanation:** The purpose of this amendment is to increase opportunities for economic development in Antrim at a scale and of a type that is consistent with the character of Antrim as depicted in the Master Plan.

# OFFICIAL BALLOT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CONTOOCOOK VALLEY ANTRIM, NEW HAMPSHIRE

**MARCH 8, 2016** 

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 \$45,228,639? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$44,876,932, 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 282 NO 201

2. To see if the Contoocook Valley Regional School District will vote to 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

2016-2017

\$167,531

2017-2018 \$647,778

YES 284

NO 201

and further to raise and appropriate \$167,531 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.)

- 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? (Majority vote required.)
- 4. Shall the Contoocook Valley Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$150,000 to be added to the Contoocook Valley Regional School District Building Capital Reserve Fund, previously established? This sum to come from the June 30, 2016 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2016. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article and RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)
- 5. Shall the Contoocook Valley Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 to be added to the Equipment Capital Reserve Fund as previously established? This sum to come from the June 30, 2016 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2016. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article and RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

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, 2016 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2016. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article and RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

7. Shall the Contoocook Valley Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 to be added to the Health Insurance Maintenance Fund as previously established pursuant to the provisions of RSA 198:20-c? This sum to come from the June 30, 2016 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2016. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article and RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

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Shall the Contoocook Valley Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 to be added to the Special Education Trust Fund as previously established? This sum to come from the June 30, 2016 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2016. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article and RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES 344 NO/24

Shall the Contoocook Valley School District accept the reports of Agents, Auditors, YES 408 9. Committees, and Officers chosen?

NO 52

Shall the Contoocook Valley Regional 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, \$2,500; Moderator, \$300?

YES 329 NO 176

Shall the Contoocook Valley School District 1) establish an expendable trust fund under the provisions of RSA 198:20-c to be known as the Performing Arts Center Funding Account, for the purpose of depositing privately donated gifts, legacies, and devises including gifts and donations from the Contoocook Valley Visual and Performing Arts Center (VPAC); 2) designate the Trustees of the Trust Funds of the Town of Peterborough YES 348 as custodian of the Trust Funds and; 3) designate the Contoocook Valley Regional School Board as agents to expend these Trust Funds? (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

NO /15

12. In the interest of providing voters with an accurate and detailed assessment of the impact school closures have on communities, we are requesting that an impact study be required for any proposed school closure, consolidation or relocation. It is our opinion that school consolidation, closure or relocation has a substantial impact beyond just our school budget. It is our hope that voters are presented with honest information that assesses the impact such a measure would have on their property values, local businesses, traffic flow, law enforcement and most of all, on our children's futures. For these reasons, we are presenting the following amendment to the Conval School District Articles of Agreement for voter consideration.

To amend paragraph 5 of the Conval School District Articles of Agreement to read as follows:

5. The Contoocook Valley School District (ConVal) shall be responsible for grades one through twelve (1-12) and Kindergartens. Kindergartens were previously authorized by a vote at an annual Cooperative School District meeting. Grades nine through twelve (9-12) shall be educated at the centrally located Senior High School in Peterborough. Grades five through eight (5-8) shall be educated at the Middle Schools in Antrim and Peterborough. Elementary Schools shall be maintained in Antrim, Bennington, Dublin, Francestown, Greenfield, Hancock, Peterborough, and Temple.

Any proposal, either petitioned, initiated by the school board, or administration considering school closures, consolidation and or relocation must be accompanied by a current, comprehensive and independent impact study that includes evaluating potential changes in property valuation, local business, traffic flow, traffic enforcement, student transportation, student participation in sports, extracurricular activities, class sizes, and community outreach. The impact study shall evaluate each township within the Contoocook Valley Regional School District separately and the final report will be made public at a minimum of three months prior to a public vote on the proposed closure. consolidation or relocation. The definition of "current" in terms of the independent impact study, shall mean a period of three years prior to a public vote. No school closure, consolidation, and or relocation will become effective unless two-thirds of the voters of the District voting shall vote in favor of adopting the measure. (SUBMITTED BY PETITION.) (The ConVal School Board DOES NOT RECOMMEND this article for adoption.) (2/3's Vote Required)

YES 25/ NO 210

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING