

SAMPLE BALLOT



OFFICIAL BALLOT ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION NEWFIELDS, NEW HAMPSHIRE MARCH 10, 2009

Luce E. McKinnon
TOWN CLERK

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice (s) like this: ●
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<p style="text-align: center;">SELECTMAN</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Vote for not 3 years more than One</p> <p>WES MOORE 186</p> <p>EUGENE PERREAULT 37</p> <p>RAYMOND E. TRUEMAN 184</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-in) ○</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">LIBRARY TRUSTEE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Vote for not 3 years more than One</p> <p>DAVID FAHERTY 126</p> <p>LOREN HUNT 208</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-in) ○</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUNDS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Vote for not 3 years more than One</p> <p>Tom Rogers 12 ○</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-in)</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">CEMETERY TRUSTEE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Vote for not 3 years more than One</p> <p>ANN ELLIOTT 354 ○</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-in)</p>
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ARTICLES

Article 1. Shall the Town of Newfields 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 One Million, Five Hundred Twenty One Thousand, Nine Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars (\$1,521,985.00)? Should this be defeated, the default operating budget shall be One Million, Five Hundred Twenty Thousand, One Hundred, Forty-Six Dollars (\$1,520,146.00) which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Newfields or by law or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 49:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only.	YES 294 NO 138
Article 2a. Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate Thirty Two Thousand Dollars (\$32,000.00) for the purposes of mosquito control by targeting mosquito larvae (known as larviciding) and Arbovirus Surveillance (known as trapping and testing of mosquitoes)?	YES 325 NO 115
Article 2b. Should article 9a pass, shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate an additional (\$22,000.00) for the purpose of mosquito control by town wide adulticiding (truck spraying)?	YES 254 NO 183
Article 3. Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.) to be placed in the previously established fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund for the purchase of a new fire truck? (The Selectmen recommend passage of this article.)	YES 208 NO 223
Article 4. Upon Citizen's Petition properly received, of at least twenty-five (25) registered voters. Shall the town enter into negotiations with and be given authority to grant a lease for the Old Post Office at fair market value, to Main Street Art (a local non profit organization), for a term of five (5) years based on the cost to improve, renovate, and bring the existing facilities up to current building, fire, and accessibility codes. The lessee, Main Street Art, will provide all funding for the improvements, maintenance, and will pay for all utilities within this term in exchange for the lease abatement.	YES 378 NO 73
Article 5. Upon Citizen's Petition properly received, of at least 25 registered voters. To allow Nancy Kingston, currently owner of the Newfields General Store, a special exception to operate her real estate office, an existing business of 9 years, Nancy Kingston Realty, LLC above the Newfields General Store. A special exception is being requested with no zoning changes.	YES 305 NO 141

ZONING QUESTIONS

Question 1. Are you in favor of the adoption of the amendment to Zoning Ordinance Article IV at Section 4.17 Age-Restricted Elderly Housing Overlay District as proposed by the Newfields Planning Board and printed on pages 44-47 in the 2008 Town Report? <i>The purpose of this Ordinance Amendment is to permit age-restricted elderly housing in a defined area of Town as a specific use with increased unit densities and specific amenities for residents.</i>	YES 303 NO 126
Question 2. Are you in favor of the adoption of the amendment to the Conservation Subdivision Ordinance Article XI as proposed by the Newfields Planning Board and printed on pages 48-49 in the 2008 Town Report? <i>The purpose of this Ordinance Amendment is to refine the language of the existing ordinance related to establishing the baseline density for such developments and to clarify the requirements for on-site recreation facilities.</i>	YES 296 NO 115
Question 3. Are you in favor of the adoption of Article XV: Renewable Energy Systems and Distributed Generation Resources as proposed by the Newfields Planning Board and printed on pages 50-56 in the 2008 Town Report? <i>The purpose of this Ordinance is to permit and regulate residential scale wind energy systems and larger commercial scale renewable energy systems and cogeneration facilities and to establish the requirements for siting such facilities in the Town of Newfields.</i>	YES 316 NO 109

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ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION
NEWFIELDS, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 10, 2009

Sue E. McKinnon
 SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

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SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER 3 years Vote for not more than One	SCHOOL MODERATOR 2 years Vote for not more than One	SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK 1 year Vote for not more than One
JAMES M. MCILROY 210	WILLIAM DAVIS 382	Tracy Ward 4
TRACY BIRMINGHAM WARD 183	(Write-in) ○	(Write-in)
(Write-in) ○		

ARTICLES

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 \$2,173,936? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be \$2,170,982 which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the 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.

The School Board recommends \$2,173,936 as set forth on said budget.

The Budget Advisory Committee recommends \$2,173,936 as set forth in said budget.

YES **313**
 NO **132**

Article 2. Shall the School District vote to approve the cost item included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Newfields School Board and the Newfields Staff Paraprofessionals Association which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels:

Year	Estimated Increase
2009-2010	\$ 8,850
2010-2011	\$ 5,012
2011-2012	\$ 5,151

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,850 for the 2009-2010 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those of the appropriation at current staffing levels paid in the prior fiscal year?

The School Board recommends the approval of this warrant article and this appropriation.

YES **245**
 NO **198**

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 3. Shall the 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?

The School Board recommends the approval of this warrant article.

YES **276**
 NO **165**

Article 4. Shall the School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be added to the School Building Maintenance Fund established at the 1992 School District meeting for the purpose of repairing and maintaining school buildings?

The School Board recommends this appropriation.

YES **303**
 NO **141**

**ABSENTEE
OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL ELECTION
EXETER REGION COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT
MARCH 10, 2009**

Susan E.H. Bendroth
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

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**THESE POSITIONS ARE ELECTED BY THE VOTERS OF ALL SIX TOWNS OF THE
EXETER REGION COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT**

<p>FOR EXETER MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE SCHOOL BOARD</p> <p>For Term Ending 2012 Election VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE</p> <p>ROY E. MORRISETTE 184 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>TOWNLEY W. CHISHOLM 210 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT MODERATOR</p> <p>For Term Ending 2010 Election VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE</p> <p>CHARLES F. TUCKER 337 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR EXETER MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET COMMITTEE</p> <p>For Term Ending 2012 Election VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE</p> <p>CARL G. ROBERTSON 301 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>FOR NEWFIELDS MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE SCHOOL BOARD</p> <p>For Term Ending 2012 Election VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE</p> <p>MICHAEL D. GRANT 384 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR EAST KINGSTON MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET COMMITTEE</p> <p>For Term Ending 2012 Election VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE</p> <p>DAVID PENDELL JR. 286 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR STRATHAM MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET COMMITTEE</p> <p>For Term Ending 2012 Election VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE</p> <p>SUSAN D. CANADA 283 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>FOR STRATHAM MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE SCHOOL BOARD</p> <p>For Term Ending 2012 Election VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE</p> <p>PATRICIA T. LOVEJOY 284 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>		

ARTICLES

1. Shall the 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 \$47,790,000? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be \$48,725,945, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the 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. (The School Board and Budget Advisory Committee both recommend \$47,790,000 as set forth on said budget.)

YES 294
NO 90

2. Shall the District approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Exeter Region Cooperative School Board and the Exeter Cooperative Paraprofessional Association covering the three year period from September 1, 2009 to August 31, 2012 which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits totaling:

Year	Estimated Increase
2009-10	\$ 70,270
2010-11	\$ 66,081
2011-12	\$ 62,834

YES 214
NO 220

and further raise and appropriate the sum of \$70,270 for the 2009-10 school year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those of the appropriation at current staffing levels paid in the prior fiscal year? (The School Board recommends this appropriation.)

3. Shall the District, if Article 2 is defeated, authorize the School Board to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 2 cost items only? (The School Board recommends adoption of this article.)

YES 260
NO 169

4. Shall the District raise and appropriate to the expendable trust fund known as the "Special Education Trust Fund" (established by the 2002 District meeting under RSA 198:20-c for the purpose of funding unanticipated special education expenses) the sum of the amount of the June 30, 2009 undesignated fund balance (surplus), up to \$50,000? (The School Board and the Budget Advisory Committee both recommend this appropriation.)

YES 244
NO 185