

# SAMPLE BALLOT

BALLOT 1 OF 2

**OFFICIAL BALLOT  
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION  
KINGSTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MARCH 8, 2022**

*Nammyh Bahis*  
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.

**SELECTMAN**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR THREE YEARS MORE THAN TWO

RICHARD G. WILSON 545  
DANIEL DOYLE 279  
CHARLES A. HART 520  
MICHAEL C. MATAYABAS 154

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

**MODERATOR**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR TWO YEARS MORE THAN ONE

ELLEN L. FAULCONER 739

(Write-in)

**TREASURER**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR THREE YEARS MORE THAN ONE

JAYNE E. RAMEY 723

(Write-in)

**TRUSTEE OF THE  
TRUST FUND**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR THREE YEARS MORE THAN TWO

JOHN PRAMBERG 678

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

**TRUSTEE OF THE  
TRUST FUND**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR ONE YEAR MORE THAN ONE

SHAW TILTON 674

(Write-in)

**SUPERVISOR OF  
THE CHECKLIST**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR SIX YEARS MORE THAN ONE

CHARLOTTE F. BOUTIN 402  
CLAUDINE DIAS 317

(Write-in)

**LIBRARY TRUSTEE**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR THREE YEARS MORE THAN THREE

MELISSA S. MACDONALD 586  
JOHN PRAMBERG 532  
KIM M. BOYD 602

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

**BUDGET COMMITTEE  
MEMBER**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR THREE YEARS MORE THAN FOUR

CLAUDINE DIAS 588  
JOHN PRAMBERG 521

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

**BUDGET COMMITTEE  
MEMBER**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR ONE YEAR MORE THAN ONE

RICHARD "RICK" RUSSMAN 778

(Write-in)

**PLANNING BOARD  
MEMBER**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR THREE YEARS MORE THAN TWO

PETER G. BAKIE 621  
CHRIS BASHAW 583

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

**ZONING BOARD  
OF ADJUSTMENT**

VOTE FOR NOT  
FOR THREE YEARS MORE THAN TWO

JACQUELYNN LEONE 268  
RICHARD "RICK" RUSSMAN 585  
MEGHAN KELLEY 575

(Write-in)

(Write-in)

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

939 voters

which includes 47 absentee ballots

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## ARTICLES

**ARTICLE 2:** Are you in favor of the following amendment, as proposed by the Planning Board, to amend the Ordinances, Rules and Regulations of the Town of Kingston, Article 110.6 (B) 1, to replace existing language:

YES 654

This proposed zoning amendment changes the definition of a structure so that there will be only one definition for structures throughout the entire zoning ordinance thereby removing conflicting sections.

NO 195

### RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 3:** Are you in favor of the following amendment, as proposed by the Planning Board, to amend Article 303, Sign Permit Ordinance, to make the following addition: **This zoning Section 303.3 (B) 4, Grand Opening Sign Package Permit:**

YES 730

This proposed zoning amendment adds new standards for signage associated with the establishment of new businesses. Temporary additional signs and banners will allow new businesses to announce their presence through a 30-day grand opening sign permit.

NO 136

### RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 4:** Are you in favor of allowing the following amendments allowing Food Trucks as a permitted use:

Add language to Article Preamble II: DEFINITIONS, to define both food trucks and mobile food units as well as adding language to Articles 107, Industrial Zone, 108, Commercial Zone I, 109, Commercial Zone II and 110, Commercial Zone III, making Food Trucks permitted uses in each of the aforementioned zones.

YES 727

NO 192

### RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 5:** Are you in favor of the following amendment, as proposed by the Planning Board, to amend Article 206, Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) Ordinance:

Add Language to Article 206.4 (D) that clarifies that an accessory dwelling located in a detached structure must look like an accessory use like a garage or barn and shall not look like a second residential structure. The proposed amendment also adds language to Article 206.4 (M) requiring all applications for accessory dwelling units provide a graphic representation of what the ADU will look like upon project completion.

YES 504

NO 342

### RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 6:** Are you in favor of the following amendment, as proposed by the Planning Board, to amend Article 204 by adding the following language to "Natural Screening":

Add language to Article 204.2 (C) 1 (c) to allow certain engineering features to be placed in the perimeter buffer area as long as these features retain the required natural appearance of the buffer area.

YES 591

NO 236

### RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 7:** Are you in favor of the following amendment, as proposed by the Planning Board, to amend Article 206, Accessory Dwelling Unit ordinance in the following way:

Add language to Article 206.4, E, to require that the method to determine the allowed size of an ADU utilizes the existing structure's Gross Living Area as defined on Kingston Town tax cards. Further, the ADU cannot exceed 1/3 of the Gross Living Area.

YES 508

NO 306

### RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING BOARD

**ARTICLE 8:** Are you in favor of the following amendment, as proposed by the Planning Board, to amend Article 201, Aquifer Protection Ordinance by changing the definition found for structures to read as follows:

Article 201.2 DEFINITIONS, N. Structure: Refer to Article Preamble II Definitions, B (21), Structure.

YES 622

This proposed zoning amendment changes the definition of a structure so that there will be only one definition for structures throughout the entire zoning ordinance thereby removing conflicting sections.

NO 212

### RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING BOARD

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*Sammy h. Bahio*  
TOWN CLERK

**ARTICLES CONTINUED**

**ARTICLE 9:** Are you in favor of the following amendment, as proposed by the Planning Board, to amend Article 108 - Commercial Zone C-1 Conditional Use Permits to read as follows:

Add language to Article 108.7, C. 4 Number of Dwelling Units, that sets a limit of 24 units per multi-family structure; that adds language to Article 108.7, C. 5 Density, that establishes the density of a multi-family development shall not be greater than four (4) bedrooms per contiguous upland acre located in Kingston; and finally adds language at Article 108.7, C. 6 Workforce Housing, to require that not more than 50% of the dwelling units in a multi-family structure shall be workforce housing as defined by RSA 674:58, II and IV.

YES *583*  
NO *337*

**RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING BOARD**

**ARTICLE 10:** On a petition of 25 registered voters, to see if the Town will amend Zoning Articles 103.1 and 104.1 as follows:

103.1 In the following sentence in the Single Family Residential District, remove lot 10:

"To eliminate lots with two or more zoning designations, the following lots are entirely zoned Single Family Residential: Tax Map R-19: 1, 2, 4, 5, 40"

104.1 Rural Residential District.... Add Tax Map R-19 Lot 10 to the following sentence and associated lists of properties:

"To eliminate confusion, the following lots that were split between zones are now entirely zoned Rural Residential:

Tax Map U-8: 12; Tax Map U-10: 35; Tax Map R-9: 104, 1-5, 1-8, 80; Tax Map R13: 6; Tax Map R-22: 8, 39; Tax Map R-26: 1-2; Tax Map R-30: 40B, 40C, 40D; Tax Map R-32: 1-10, 2, 8; Tax Map R-33: 21,30; Tax Map R-19: 10

YES *602*  
NO *274*

**APPROVED BY THE PLANNING BOARD**

**ARTICLE 11:** On petition of 45 registered voters, to see if the Town will vote to remove the Rooster restriction within the Single Family Residences; to add the words AGRICULTURE and FARMING (per the definition B1, B2 and B3 listed under Section ARTICLE PREAMBLE II Definitions) to all residential zones that currently do not have it listed as a purpose, including but not limited to, SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL, and to strike from record under Single Family Residential Section 103.2 "The raising of chickens and the sale of eggs in association with a conforming single family residence are permitted activities but no roosters are allowed in the district".

YES *391*  
NO *505*

**DISAPPROVED BY THE PLANNING BOARD**

**ARTICLE 12:** Shall the Town of Kingston 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 \$7,174,516? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$8,999,716, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Kingston 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.

Estimated tax impact is \$5.41/\$1,000

Estimated tax impact of default budget is \$5.21/\$1,000

YES *531*  
NO *338*

**RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN 5-0  
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE 11-0**

**ARTICLE 13:** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Tax Collector to allow a 1½% deduction from Property Tax when payment is made prior to the due date. It is the responsibility of the taxpayer to take the deduction; deductions not taken by the taxpayer on or before the due date will not be refunded. (Majority vote required)

YES *862*  
NO *44*

**RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN 5-0  
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE 11-0**

**ARTICLE 14:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 for the purpose of acquiring land for future use as a source of drinking water, and to withdraw \$100,000 from the Land Acquisition capital reserve fund. This special article is a special warrant article per RSA 32:3 VI (d) and RSA 32:7 V. The Select Board and the budget committee recommend this appropriation. (No tax impact) (Majority vote required)

YES *605*  
NO *203*

**RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN 5-0  
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE 11-0**

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## ARTICLES CONTINUED

**ARTICLE 15:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 to be added to the Buildings Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund previously established. (Majority vote required)  
Estimated tax impact is \$0.12/\$1,000

YES 527  
NO 334

RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN 5-0  
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE 11-0

**ARTICLE 16:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 to be added to the Highway Department Equipment Capital Reserve Fund previously established. (Majority vote required)  
Estimated tax impact is \$0.12/\$1,000

YES 551  
NO 313

RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN 5-0  
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE 11-0

**ARTICLE 17:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 to be added to the Fire Apparatus Replacement Capital Reserve Fund previously established. (Majority vote required)  
Estimated tax impact is \$0.12/\$1,000

YES 527  
NO 331

RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN 5-0  
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE 11-0

**ARTICLE 18:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$55,000 for the purpose of restoration work on the foundation, sills and roof of the Grace Daly Barn, and to authorize the withdrawal of \$55,000 from the Building Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund for this purpose. This special article is a special warrant article per RSA 32:3 VI (d) and RSA 21:7 V. The Select Board and the budget committee recommend this appropriation. (No tax impact) (Majority vote required)

YES 564  
NO 295

RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN 5-0  
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE 10-1

**ARTICLE 19:** On petition of the Kingston Heritage Commission and 54 registered voters, shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to be placed in the previously established Heritage Fund to support preservation and utilization of the Town's historic properties?  
Estimated tax impact is \$0.0/\$1,000

YES 640  
NO 270

RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN 5-0  
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE 11-0

**ARTICLE 20:** On petition of 43 registered voters, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to be placed in the Land Acquisition Capital Reserve fund for the future purchase of development rights, conservation easements and other land acquisition to conserve the Town's rural character, provide open space for outdoor recreation by the public, and help stabilize the tax base.  
Estimated tax impact is \$0.01/\$1,000

YES 685  
NO 242

RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN 5-0  
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE 11-0

**ARTICLE 21:** On petition of 34 registered voters, shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,333 (approx. \$1 per person) to support the community wellness services of the SoRock Coalition for Healthy Youth. SoRock provides critical resources to youth and families to reduce substance misuse and support mental health through education, programming and the leveraging of local, state and federal resources for the benefit of the towns they serve.  
Estimated tax impact is \$0.01/\$1,000

YES 630  
NO 524

RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN 3-1  
RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE 11-0

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*Phyllis A. Kennedy*  
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

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**FOR SCHOOL BOARD**

Three Year Term ☐ Vote for not more than One

**RICK EDELMAN** ☒

(Write-In) ☐

**FOR MODERATOR**

One Year Term ☐ Vote for not more than One

**ROBERT DEZMELYK** ☒

(Write-In) ☐

**FOR BUDGET COMMITTEE  
FROM KINGSTON**

Three Year Term ☐ Vote for not more than One

**CHARLES PROCTOR** ☒

**KENNETH ANTHONY** ☒

(Write-In) ☐

**FOR BUDGET COMMITTEE  
AT LARGE  
FROM KINGSTON / NEWTON**

Three Year Term ☐ Vote for not more than One

**COURTNEY HEWETT** ☒

**PAM BROWN** ☒

(Write-In) ☐

**ARTICLES**

**ARTICLE 2. General Acceptance of Reports**

Shall the reports of school district agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen be accepted and placed on file?

YES ☒  
NO ☒

**ARTICLE 3. Operating Budget**

Shall the Sanborn 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, or as amended by vote at the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling Thirty-seven Million, One hundred and Seventy-nine Thousand, Four Hundred and Sixty-three Dollars (\$37,179,463)? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be Thirty-seven Million, Two Hundred and Thirty-two Thousand, Six Hundred and Thirty-five Dollars (\$37,232,635), the same as last year with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Sanborn 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. (This warrant article does not include appropriations in any other warrant article.)

YES ☒  
NO ☒

Recommended by the Budget Committee In Favor: 8 Opposed: 0

Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board In Favor: 8 Opposed: 1

Operating Budget Estimated Tax Impact: Kingston: \$1.95/\$1,000 Newton: \$2.11/\$1,000

Default Budget Estimated Tax Impact Kingston: \$1.98/\$1,000 Newton: \$2.15/\$1,000

**TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING**

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## ARTICLES CONTINUED

### ARTICLE 4. Support Staff Collective Bargaining Agreement

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement for support staff reached between the School Board and the Sanborn Regional Education Association which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at current staffing levels over the amount paid in the prior fiscal year:

Year	Estimated Increases
1) 2022-2023	\$ 159,890
2) 2023-2024	\$ 96,809
3) 2024-2025	\$ 94,544

and further, to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Fifty-nine Thousand, Eight Hundred and Ninety Dollars (\$159,890) for the 2022-23 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits required by the new agreement over those of the appropriation at the current staffing levels?

YES 578  
NO 291

Recommended by the Budget Committee In Favor: 2 Opposed: 0

Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0

Estimated Tax Impact Kingston: \$0.10 /\$1,000 Newton: \$0.11 /\$1,000

### ARTICLE 5. Special Meeting – Support Staff Collective Bargaining Agreement

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District If Article 4 is defeated, authorize the governing body to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 4 cost items only?

YES 595  
NO 239

Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0

### ARTICLE 6. Unanticipated Utility Cost Expendable Trust Fund

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District vote to establish an Unanticipated Utility Costs Expendable Trust Fund under RSA 198:20-c for the purpose of funding unanticipated utility costs and to raise and appropriate up to Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000) to be placed in the fund, such sum to come from June 30 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, with no additional amounts to be raised from taxation (i.e., the funds will not lapse to the general fund to offset taxes); and further to name the School Board as agents to expend from this fund.

YES 47  
NO 247

Recommended by the Budget Committee In Favor: 2 Opposed: 0

Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0

Estimated Tax Impact Kingston: \$0.00 /\$1,000 Newton: \$0.00 /\$1,000

### ARTICLE 7. Device Protection Plan Revolving Fund

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District vote to establish a Student Device Revolving Fund in accordance with RSA 194:3-c for the purpose of supporting, maintaining, and replacing student electronic devices. The money received from technology protection plan dues shall be deposited into the fund and shall be allowed to accumulate from year to year, and shall not be considered part of the District's general fund balance. Withdrawal and disbursement of said funds shall be on a monthly basis for the purposes for which the fund was created. (Majority vote required).

YES 607  
NO 246

Recommended by the Budget Committee In Favor: 2 Opposed: 0

Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0

Estimated Tax Impact Kingston: \$0.00 /\$1,000 Newton: \$0.00 /\$1,000

### ARTICLE 8. Capital Reserve Fund-Unanticipated Educational Expenses

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District Vote to raise and appropriate up to Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) to be placed in the Capital Reserve Fund-Unanticipated Educational Expenses established at the 2019 Annual Meeting. This sum to come from June 30 fund balance available for transfer on July 1 instead of returning the money to the community to offset taxes. No amount to be raised from taxation.

YES 564  
NO 298

Recommended by the Budget Committee In Favor: 7 Opposed: 1

Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0

Estimated Tax Impact Kingston: \$0.00 /\$1,000 Newton: \$0.00 /\$1,000

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*Phyllis A. Kennedy*  
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE 9. Capital Reserve Fund-Capital Improvement and Maintenance

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District Vote to raise and appropriate up to Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) to be placed in the Capital Improvement and Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from June 30 fund balance available for transfer on July 1 instead of returning the money to the community to offset taxes. No amount to be raised from taxation.

YES *608*  
NO *270*

Recommended by the Budget Committee In Favor: 8 Opposed: 0

Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0

Estimated Tax Impact Kingston: \$0.00 /\$1,000 Newton: \$0.00 /\$1,000

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Town of Kingston, N.H., 20\_\_\_\_\_

**Town will fill in the remaining names of candidates.**

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