

Seabrook School District  
Seabrook, New Hampshire

Warrant  
2019

To the inhabitants of the School District of Town of Seabrook in the County of Rockingham in the State of New Hampshire qualified to vote in school district affairs are hereby notified and warned that the two sessions of the Annual School District Meeting will be held as follows:

**First Session of Annual Meeting (Deliberative Session):**

Date: Monday, February 4, 2019

Time: 7:00PM

Location: Seabrook Middle School Gymnasium

Details: To explain, discuss, debate and possibly amend the following warrant articles.

**SNOW DATE (Deliberative Session):**

Date: Thursday, February 7, 2019

Time: 7:00PM

Location: Seabrook Middle School Gymnasium

**Second Session of Annual Meeting (Official Ballot Voting)**

Date: Tuesday, March 12, 2019

Time: 7:00AM – 7:00PM

Location: Seabrook Recreation Center

Details:

**Article 01 Operating Budget**

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 \$14,419,458? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$14,243,653, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the 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. (Majority vote required.)

Note: Warrant Article #1 (operating budget) does not include appropriations in any other warrant articles.

(Should this article be approved, it is estimated it will constitute \$5.281 per thousand of the tax rate.)

Yes

No

**Article 02 Seacoast Education Association**

To see if the School District will vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Seabrook School Board and the Seacoast Education Association which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the proposed staffing levels:

Year	Estimated Salary Increase	Estimated Health Insurance Decrease	Estimated Salary Driven Benefits Increase	TOTAL Estimated Cost
2019-20	\$220,272	\$0	\$56,896	\$277,168
2020-21	\$218,359	(\$8,560)	\$56,402	\$266,202
2021-22	\$221,590	\$0	\$57,237	\$278,827
2022-23	\$222,230	\$0	\$57,402	\$279,632

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$277,168 for the 2019-20 school 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 proposed staffing levels in accordance with the current collective bargaining agreement. (Majority vote required.)

The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation

*Note: In order for this article to be adopted, it must be approved by the voters of the school districts of Hampton Falls, North Hampton, Seabrook, South Hampton and the voters of the Winnacunnet Cooperative School District (which includes Hampton voters).*

(Should this article be approved, it is estimated it will constitute \$0.1028 per thousand of the tax rate.)

Yes       No

**Article 03 Locker Replacement**

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$80,000 to replace approximately 370 student lockers at the Seabrook Middle School. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7, VI and will not lapse until the project is complete or June 30, 2021, whichever is earlier. The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

(Should this article be approved, it is estimated it will constitute \$0.0297 per thousand of the tax rate.)

Yes       No

**Article 04 Roof Replacement**

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$113,050 to replace the roof on the Seabrook Elementary School? This is the first phase of a two phase project estimated to cost \$230,750. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7, VI and will not lapse until the project is complete or June 30, 2021, whichever is earlier. The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

(Should this article be approved, it is estimated it will constitute \$0.0419 per thousand of the tax rate.)

Yes       No

**Article 05 Special Education Expendable Trust**

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate \$75,000 to be added to the existing Special Education Expendable Trust Fund, with up to \$75,000 to be funded from the June 30, 2019 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2019. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

Yes       No

**Article 06 School Health Insurance Expendable Trust Fund**

To see if the School District will vote to create an expendable trust fund under the provisions of 198:20-c III to be known as the School Health Insurance Expendable Trust Fund, for the purpose of maintaining health insurance funds to supplement the funding of health insurance premiums for the benefit of eligible employees or eligible retired employees of the school district? Furthermore, to raise and appropriate up to \$25,000 to be placed in this fund with such amount to be funded from the June 30, 2019 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2019 and to name the School Board as agents to expend from said fund. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

Yes  No

**Article 07 Building Maintenance Expendable Trust**

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate up to \$50,000 to be added to the existing Building Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund, with such amount to be funded from the June 30, 2019 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2019. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)

Yes  No

**Article 08 Petition Article - Child Benefit Services**

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$21,958 to provide child benefit services, in accordance with RSA 189:49, for students who are residents of the Seabrook School District and attend Sacred Heart School located in Hampton, New Hampshire. CITIZEN'S PETITION by 25 or more registered voters of the Town of Seabrook. The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)  
(Should this article be approved, it is estimated it will constitute \$0.0081 per thousand of the tax rate.)

Yes  No

**Article 09 Other**

To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

**SESSION II: (BALLOTING) MEET AT THE SEABROOK RECREATION CENTER, SEABROOK, NEW HAMPSHIRE ON TUESDAY, THE TWELFTH OF MARCH, 2019 AT 7:00 A.M. IN THE MORNING, TO ELECT BY OFFICIAL BALLOT, OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND TO VOTE, BY OFFICIAL BALLOT, ON WARRANT ARTICLES FROM THE FIRST SESSION.**

1. Voting for school district officers consists of choosing:  
One School Board Members for the ensuing three years.
2. Voting for warrant articles 1 through 8 as more fully set forth under Session I above and as any of said articles may have been amended as a result of the first session.





Polls will not close before 7:00PM.

I certify and attest that on \_\_\_\_\_ I posted a true and attested copy of the within Warrant at the place of meeting, and like copies at Seabrook Town Office being a public place in said District.

Printed Name	Position	Signature
Nancy D. Tuttle	Finance Manager	

**CERTIFICATION**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined the information contained in this form and to the best of my belief it is true, correct and complete.

Given under our hands, _____ Governing Body Certifications		
Name	Position	Signature
Michael Chase	School Board Chair	
Jessica Brown	School Board Member	
Forrest Carter, Jr	School Board Member	
Michael Rabideau	School Board Member	
Keith Sanborn	School Board Member	