

SAMPLE BALLOT

OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL SEABROOK SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION
SEABROOK, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 12, 2019

Christina Brown
SCHOOL DISTRICT 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.

SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

	VOTE FOR	NOT
THREE YEAR TERM		MORE THAN ONE
JESSICA BROWN	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
CURTIS WALTON	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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(Write-in)

ARTICLES

Article 1: 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.)

YES
NO

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.)

Article 2: 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

YES
NO

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.

The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation
(Majority vote required.)

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.)

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 3: 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.)

YES

NO

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

Article 4: 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.)

YES

NO

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

Article 5: 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 6: 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 7: 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 8: 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.)

YES

NO

(Should this article be approved, it is estimated it will constitute \$0.0081 per thousand of the tax rate.)

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