

## ANNUAL FAIRFAX TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING 2020

The inhabitants of the Town of Fairfax who are legal voters in the Annual Town School District Meeting are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Elementary Gymnasium of Bellows Free Academy, 75 Hunt Street, Fairfax on Saturday, February 29, 2020 immediately following the Town Meeting for the purpose of voting upon or transacting such business not involving voting by Australian Ballot and for a presentation and public hearing of the proposed school budget.

**Article 1 through Article 4** shall be voted upon by use of the official Australian ballot. The polls will be open on Tuesday, March 3, 2020 at 7:00am to 7:00pm at the Middle School/Old Gymnasium of Bellows Free Academy, Fairfax.

ARTICLE 1: Shall the legal voters of said school district elect the following officers?

BY AUSTRALIAN BALLOT

- School Moderator for one-year term
- School Director for three-year term
- School Director for two-year term
- School Trustee for five-year term

ARTICLE 2: Shall the voters of said school district approve the school board to expend **\$13,760,921** which is the amount the school board has determined to be necessary for the ensuing fiscal year? It is estimated that this proposed budget, if approved, will result in education spending of **\$14,032.09 per equalized pupil**. This projected spending per equalized pupil is **7.25% higher** than spending for the current year.

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ARTICLE 3: Shall the voters of said school district approve the school board to expend up to **\$200,000** for scheduled roof replacements? It is estimated that this expenditure, if approved, will result in education spending of **\$231.66** per equalized pupil. This spending per equalized pupil is not higher than spending for the current fiscal year. It is also estimated that if this proposed expenditure and the proposed budget (Article 2) are both approved, education spending per equalized pupil will increase by **\$1,179.88, or 9.02%** over such spending for the current fiscal year.

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ARTICLE 4: Shall the voters of said school district authorize the School Directors to borrow money for school expenses in anticipation of revenue for the ensuing year?

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ARTICLE 5: Shall the reports of the School Directors concerning the previous year be accepted?

ARTICLE 6: Shall any other legal business come before said meeting?

ARTICLE 7: Shall the meeting be adjourned?

The legal voters of the Fairfax Town School District are further notified that voter qualification, registration, and absentee voting relative to said meeting shall be as provided in Chapters 43, 51 and 55 of Title 17, Vermont Statutes Annotated.

Dated at Fairfax, County of Franklin, State of Vermont, this 13th day of January, 2020.

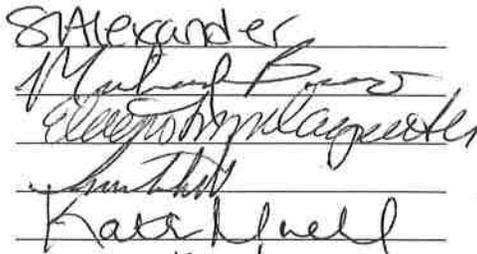
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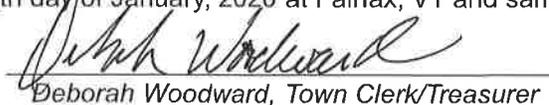
Scott Mitchell

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ATTEST:

  
Deborah Woodward, Town Clerk/Treasurer