

SAMPLE BALLOT



BALLOT 1 OF 2

**OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
DANVILLE, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 12, 2024**

Christie Tracy
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.

<p>ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Vote for not more than One</p> <p>One Year Term</p> <p>SHEILA S. JOHANNESEN <input type="radio"/></p> <p>BIANCA CAILLOUETTE <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>CEMETERY TRUSTEE</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Vote for not more than One</p> <p>Three Year Term</p> <p>BRENDA WHITEHOUSE <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>LIBRARY TRUSTEE</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Vote for not more than One</p> <p>Three Year Term</p> <p>JUDY JERVIS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>MODERATOR</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Vote for not more than One</p> <p>Two Year Term</p> <p>CHARLES UNDERHILL <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>PLANNING BOARD</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Vote for not more than Two</p> <p>Three Year Term</p> <p>LEO J. TRAVERSE <input type="radio"/></p> <p>CHRIS SMITH <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>SUPERVISOR OF THE CHECKLIST</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Vote for not more than One</p> <p>Six Year Term</p> <p>MARY Z. REEDY <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUND</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Vote for not more than One</p> <p>Three Year Term</p> <p>STACIE O'CONNOR <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>BOARD OF SELECTMEN</p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Vote for not more than Two</p> <p>Three Year Term</p> <p>SHEILA S. JOHANNESEN <input type="radio"/></p> <p>DAVID KNIGHT <input type="radio"/></p> <p>SHAWN O'NEIL <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">ARTICLES</p> <hr/> <p>Article 2024-03 Flood Plain Development Ordinance</p> <p>To see if the Town of Danville will vote to amend the Danville Zoning Ordinance as necessary to comply with updated requirements of the National Flood Insurance Program. Specifically, this would replace the existing Article V Subsection H, Floodplain Development Ordinance. <i>"The full text of this article is available upon request."</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Recommended by Planning Board 4-0</p> <hr/> <p>Article 2024-04 Citizens Petition – Petition for Amendment to Zoning Ordinance</p> <p>To see if the Town of Danville will vote to amend the Town of Danville Zoning Ordinance to remove the municipality from requiring reviews when doing work in the Historic District. Specifically, to change Article XIII.B.7 to read:</p> <p>"7. It is unlawful for any person to excavate, construct, alter, repair, move or demolish any buildings, structure, site or improvement which lies within an Historic District, area or place, without first obtaining a Certificate of Approval from the Heritage Commission in the manner prescribed in this Article. Exceptions are declared in Section XIII.B.9."</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="radio"/> NO <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">Recommended by Planning Board (6-0-0)</p>	

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 2024-05 Citizens Petition – Petition for Amendment to Zoning Ordinance

To see if the Town of Danville will vote to amend the Town of Danville Zoning Ordinance to exempt Heritage Commission review for work on Emergency Lanes as defined by RSA 231:59-a. Specifically, this will add a new subsection (i) to Article XIII.B.9 as follows:

YES
NO

"i. All work authorized by the Selectmen on Emergency Lanes as established under RSA 231:59-a."

Recommended by Planning Board (6-0-0)

Article 2024-06 Operating Budget

Shall the Town of Danville 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 Four Million, Seven Hundred and Seven Thousand and Four Dollars (\$4,707,004.00). Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be Four Million Six Hundred Twenty Thousand and Forty-Two Dollars (\$4,620,042.00).

YES
NO

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (5-0-0)

Recommended by the Budget Committee (6-0-0)

Estimated Tax Impact Operating Budget \$7.9970 per thousand

Estimated Tax Impact Default Budget \$7.8493 per thousand

Article 2024-07 Highway Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Danville will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00) to be added to the Highway Capital Reserve Fund for the purchase of future highway vehicles and equipment previously established.

YES
NO

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (3-2-0)

Recommended by the Budget Committee (4-2-0)

Estimated Tax Impact \$0.1274 per thousand

Article 2024-08 Fire Dept. Capital Reserve Fund for Future Fire Dept. Vehicle/Equipment

To see if the Town of Danville will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) to be added to the Fire Dept. Capital Reserve Fund for Future Fire Dept. Vehicle Purchases previously established.

YES
NO

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (3-2-0)

Recommended by the Budget Committee (5-1-0)

Estimated Tax Impact \$0.0849 per thousand

Article 2024-09 Fire Department Personnel Protection Equipment Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Danville will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) to be added to the Protection of Personnel Equipment Capital Reserve Fund previously established for the future replacement of Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) to protect firefighters, previously established.

YES
NO

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (4-1-0)

Recommended by the Budget Committee (6-0-0)

Estimated Tax Impact \$0.0255 per thousand

Article 2024-10 Danville Infrastructure and Facility Non-Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Danville will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) to be added to the Danville Infrastructure and Facility Non-Capital Reserve Fund previously established..

YES
NO

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (5-0-0)

Recommended by the Budget Committee (6-0-0)

Estimated Tax Impact \$0.0340 per thousand

Article 2024-11 Invasive Species Control Expendable Trust Fund

To see if the Town of Danville will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to be added to the Invasive Species Control Expendable Trust Fund for the purpose of management and eradicating the milfoil infestation, as well as other invasive species, found in Danville's ponds/bodies of water and to name the Selectmen as agents to expend from this Invasive Species Control Expendable Trust Fund.

YES
NO

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (5-0-0)

Recommended by the Budget Committee (6-0-0)

Estimated Tax Impact \$0.0170 per thousand

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Christine Tracy
TOWN CLERK

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Article 2024-12 Colby Memorial Library Infrastructure and Facility Non-Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) to be placed in the Colby Memorial Library Infrastructure Expendable Trust Fund for engineering, repair, and renovation of facilities and the upgrade of the Colby Memorial Library's infrastructure.

YES
NO

**Not Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (2-3-0)
Recommended by the Budget Committee (6-0-0)**
Estimated Tax Impact \$0.0170 per thousand

Article 2024-13 Capital Reserve Fund for Future Expansion of the Highway Garage

To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) to be added to the Capital Reserve Fund for Future Expansion of the Highway Garage as previously established.

YES
NO

**Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (3-2-0)
Recommended by the Budget Committee (6-0-0)**
Estimated Tax Impact \$.0.0085

Article 2024-14 Municipal Mosquito Control Expendable Trust Fund

To see if the Town of Danville will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to be added to the Municipal Mosquito Control Expendable Trust Fund established for the purpose of management and spraying for mosquito control.

YES
NO

**Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (5-0-0)
Recommended by the Budget Committee (5-0-1)**
Estimated Tax Impact \$0.0017 per thousand

Article 2024-15 Cemetery Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Danville will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to be placed in the existing Cemetery Capital Reserve for future cemetery expansion.

YES
NO

**Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (5-0-0)
Recommended by the Budget Committee (6-0-0)**
Estimated Tax Impact \$0.0017 per thousand

Article 2024-16 Colby Memorial Library Expend Interest

To see if the Town of Danville will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Twenty-One Dollars and Sixty Cents (\$421.60) to purchase books and authorize the use of that amount from the interest income earned from the library's checking account and to authorize the expenditure of those funds by the Library Trustees.

YES
NO

**Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (5-0-0)
Recommended by the Budget Committee (6-0-0)**
No Tax Impact

Article 2024-17 Modification of Elderly Exemption

To see if the Town of Danville will vote to modify the provisions of RSA 72:39-a for elderly exemption from property tax, based on assessed value, for qualified taxpayers, to be the following: for a person 65 years of age up to 74 years, Ninety Six Thousand Dollars (\$96,000.00); for a person 75 years of age up to 79 years, One-Hundred Thirty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$137,500.00); for a person 80 years of age or older, One Hundred Sixty Nine Thousand Dollars (\$169,000.00). To qualify, the person must have been a New Hampshire resident for at least three consecutive years, the person may own the real estate individually or jointly, or if the real estate is owned by such person's spouse, they must have been married for at least five years and the property must be the primary residence. In addition, the taxpayer must have a net income of not more than Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) or, if married, a combined net income of less than Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$80,000.00); and own net assets not in excess of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00) excluding the value of the person's residence." This article shall take effect for 2024 property tax year.

YES
NO

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (5-0-0)

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Article 2024-18 *Hand Count of Presidential Election Ballots*

To see if the Town of Danville shall vote to hand count the ballots for the Presidential Election of the United States by hand in the General Election. The official count of the Presidential Election shall be the hand count.

YES
NO

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (4-1-0)

Article 2024-19 *Change Road Agent from Elected to Appointed*

To see if the Town will vote to change the Road Agent from an Elected to an Appointed position. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the elected road agent position and to require the selectmen to appoint a highway agent pursuant to RSA 231 :62.

YES
NO

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen (4-1-0)

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING THIS BALLOT

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Kathleen Lancaster
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this:

ARTICLES

Article 2 – Operating Budget

Shall the voters of 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 **\$89,120,265**? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be **\$89,585,373**, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Timberlane 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. Note: Warrant Article 2 (the operating budget) does not include appropriations proposed under any other warrant articles. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

YES

NO

Recommended by the School Board 9-0-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee 7-2-0

Article 3 – Three Year Collective Bargaining Agreement (Timberlane Teachers' Association)

Shall the voters of the School District approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Timberlane Teachers' Association and the Timberlane Regional School Board, which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels over the amount paid in the prior fiscal year:

Fiscal Year	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27
Estimated Increase	\$2,427,107	\$1,799,324	\$1,949,771
3-Year Total			\$6,176,202

YES

NO

And further to raise and appropriate the sum of **\$2,427,107** for the 2024-25 fiscal 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 the current staffing levels? (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

Recommended by the School Board 7-0-2

Recommended by the Budget Committee 9-0-0

Article 4 – Authorization for Special Meeting on Cost Items

Shall the voters of the School District, if Article 3 is defeated, authorize the Timberlane Regional School Board to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 3 cost items only? (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

YES

NO

Recommended by the School Board 9-0-0

Article 5 – Capital Reserve Fund by Surplus

Shall the voters of the School District raise and appropriate up to \$250,000 to be placed in the School Building Construction, Reconstruction, Capital Improvement and Land Purchase Capital Reserve Fund established in 1996, with such amount to be transferred from those funds in the June 30, 2024 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1 of this year which were apportioned as Capital Expenses in 2023-2024 in accordance with Article 6 of the Timberlane Regional School District Articles of Agreement? No amount to be raised by additional taxation. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

YES

NO

Recommended by the School Board 9-0-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee 9-0-0

Article 6 – General Acceptance of Reports

Shall the voters of the School District accept reports of agents, auditors, and committees as written in the 2023 Annual Report? (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

YES

NO

Recommended by the School Board 9-0-0

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 7 – Amendment to Administrators Union CBA

To see if the School District will vote to approve the cost items included in the amendment to the previously approved 2023-2026 collective bargaining agreement between the Timberlane Regional School Board and Timberlane Administrators' Union (Teamsters Local Union #633), which calls for the following increases and decreases in salaries and benefits over the amount paid in the prior fiscal year at current staffing levels under the previously approved agreement:

Fiscal Year	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Estimated Increase	\$60,000	(\$30,000)
2-Year Total		\$30,000

YES

NO

No appropriation necessary in this Article because the funding for these increases is part of the operating budget in Article 2. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

Recommended by the School Board 9-0-0

Article 8 – Amendment to CBA for Technology Staff

To see if the School District will vote to approve the cost items included in the amendment to the previously approved 2023-2026 collective bargaining agreement between the Timberlane Regional School Board and Teamsters Local Union #633 (Administrative Assistants/Secretaries and Skilled Maintenance Employees), which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits over the amount paid in the prior fiscal year at current staffing levels under the previously approved agreement:

Fiscal Year	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2025-26</u>
Estimated Increase	\$28,471	\$25,891
2-Year Total		\$54,362

and further to raise and appropriate **\$28,471** for the 2025 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits required by the amendment to the 2023-2026 collective bargaining agreement over the costs that would be paid at current staffing levels under the previously approved agreement.

YES

NO

[Note: This article concerns the costs associated with the amendment to the previously approved 2023-2026 collective bargaining agreement, which was negotiated because the NH Public Employee Labor Relations Board added IT employees to this bargaining unit.] (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

Recommended by the School Board 9-0-0

Recommended by the Budget Committee 9-0-0

Article 9 – Authorization for Special Meeting on Cost Items

Shall the voters of the School District, if Article 8 is defeated, authorize the Timberlane Regional School Board to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 8 cost items only? (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

YES

NO

Recommended by the School Board 9-0-0

Article 10 - Tax Impact Statement by Petition

To see if the Timberlane Regional School District will vote to accept RSA 32:5 which will allow the inclusion of the estimated tax impact per town as part of the warrant article and to be included on the ballot. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED)

YES

NO

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT