

SAMPLE BALLOT



Kathleen Pelissier
TOWN CLERK

BALLOT 1 OF 3

**OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
FOR THE TOWN OF ALLENTOWN, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 10, 2020**

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>TOWN TREASURER One Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>CAROL ANDERSEN <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>TRUSTEE OF CEMETERIES FUND Three Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>ROGER LAFLAMME <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS Three Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>ROGER LAFLAMME <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>
<p>SELECTMAN Three Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>SCOTT W. McDONALD <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>ROBIN RICHARDS <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>BUDGET COMMITTEE Three Year Term Vote for not more than four</p> <p>DEBRA CARNEY <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>BOBBIE LAFLAMME <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>MATTHEW PITARO <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>SUPERVISOR OF THE CHECKLIST Six Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>DAWNA BAXTER <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>
<p>SEWER COMMISSIONER Three Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>KAREN ASSELIN <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>ALAN TURCOTTE <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>TOWN CLERK / TAX COLLECTOR Three Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>KATHLEEN PELISSIER <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>LIBRARY TRUSTEE Three Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>
<p>ROAD AGENT Two Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>DANIEL BLAIS <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>CHAD PELISSIER <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>MODERATOR Two Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>JUDY SILVA <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	

WARRANT ARTICLES

ARTICLE 2

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Allenstown Planning Board for the Town of Allenstown Zoning Ordinance as follows:

To enact certain administrative revisions to the Ordinance including:

To ensure that the title page, including the Town Seal, document title, revision date, and the name and address of the town is included before the table of contents.

To ensure the table of contents accurately reflects the sections and page numbers correctly.

To change the "Dates of Revision" heading to "Revision History."

YES

To ensure that each major Article starts at the top of a new page.

NO

To list page numbers in the footer at the bottom of the page and to list page numbers as a specific page of a set number of pages; for example, "page 12 of 125."

Recommended by the Planning Board

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WARRANT ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE 3

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Allenstown Planning Board for the Town of Allenstown Zoning Ordinance as follows:

YES

Clarify that Article III, Section 302.c is referring to "Home Occupations" in Section 1102, not "Uses Not Permitted."

NO

Recommended by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 4

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the Allenstown Planning Board for the Town of Allenstown Zoning Ordinance as follows:

YES

Amend Article 111, Section 311 by including the proper citation as section 1102, Home Occupations.

NO

Recommended by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 5

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 4 as proposed by the Allenstown Planning Board for the Town of Allenstown Zoning Ordinance as follows:

YES

Amend Article VI, Section 601 by listing Carports complying with setbacks as a permitted use as item "j."

NO

Recommended by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 6

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 5 as proposed by the Allenstown Planning Board for the Town of Allenstown Zoning Ordinance as follows:

YES

Amend Article VII, Section 701 by listing Carports complying with setbacks as a permitted use as item "l."

NO

Recommended by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 7

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 6 as proposed by the Allenstown Planning Board for the Town of Allenstown Zoning Ordinance as follows:

YES

Amend Article X, Section 1001.t by adding "Nursing Home/Assisted Living" as a permitted use.

NO

Recommended by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 8

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 7 as proposed by the Allenstown Planning Board for the Town of Allenstown Zoning Ordinance as follows:

YES

Amend Article XI, Section 1123.c.1 by changing the term "accessory dwelling unit" to just "dwelling unit."

NO

Recommended by the Planning Board

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TOWN CLERK

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ARTICLE 9

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 8 as proposed by the Allenstown Planning Board for the Town of Allenstown Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article XVII, Section 1702.b.5 by clarifying that Supplemental Regulation Section 1125, not Article VI, Section 602.m controls the clustering of pre-site built homes on a permanent foundation.

YES

NO

Recommended by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 10 Town Operating Budget

Shall the Town of Allenstown 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 \$4,085,970. Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$4,061,783 which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Allenstown 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

Tax Impact of Proposed Budget= \$9.38

Tax Impact of Default Budget= \$9.30

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 11 Sewer Operating Budget

Shall the Town of Allenstown raise and appropriate as an operating budget for the Allenstown Sewer Commission, 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 \$2,299,192. Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$2,258,241, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Allenstown 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

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 11 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 12 Fire Safety Equipment Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allenstown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be added to the Fire Safety Equipment Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority vote required)

YES

NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 12 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 13 Library Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allenstown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,469 to be added to the Library Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority Vote Required)

YES

NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 13 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

Recommended by the Budget Committee

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ARTICLE 14 Public Safety Facilities Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allentown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 to be added to the Public Safety Facilities Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority vote required) YES
NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 14 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 15 Streetlight Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allentown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,500 to be added to the Streetlight Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority vote required) YES
NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 15 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 16 Landfill Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allentown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$17,525 to be added to the Landfill Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority vote required) YES
NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 16 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 17 Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allentown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000 to be added to the Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority vote required) YES
NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 17 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 18 Town Building/Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allentown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 to be added to the Town Building/Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority vote required) YES
NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 18 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 19 Economic Development Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allentown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 to be added to the Economic Development Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority vote required) YES
NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 19 = \$0.00

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Recommended by the Budget Committee

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ARTICLE 20 Assessing Valuation Update Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allentown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$16,800 to be added to the Assessing Valuation Update Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. It is anticipated that a revaluation will take place in 2022. (Majority vote required)

YES
 NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 20 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 21 Establish and Fund Road Repair and Paving Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allentown will authorize the establishment of a Road Repair and Paving Capital Reserve Fund to be used for road repairs and paving. Furthermore, to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 to be placed in the Fund and to appoint the selectmen as agents to expend from the fund. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority vote required)

YES
 NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 21 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 22 Parks and Recreation Projects Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allentown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$30,000 to be added to the Parks and Recreation Projects Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority vote required)

YES
 NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 22 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 23 Highway Facilities Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the Town of Allentown will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 to be added to the Highway Facilities Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from unassigned fund balance. (Majority vote required)

YES
 NO

TAX IMPACT OF WARRANT ARTICLE 23 = \$0.00

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen
Recommended by the Budget Committee

ARTICLE 24 Petition Article for five member Board

Are you in favor of increasing the Board of Selectmen to five members?

YES
 NO

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING THIS BALLOT

