

SAMPLE BALLOT



**OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION
FOR THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 8, 2022**

Kathleen Pelissier
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 align="center">SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER</p> <p align="center">Three Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>JOHN T. CHILDS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>KELSEY MENELAUS-CHAREST <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>		<p align="center">SCHOOL DISTRICT MODERATOR</p> <p align="center">One Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>JUDY A. SILVA <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>
<p align="center">SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK</p> <p align="center">One Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>KATHLEEN PELISSIER <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>		<p align="center">SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER</p> <p align="center">One Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>TIMOTHY SYLVERNALE <input type="radio"/></p> <p>CRYSTAL VENEGAS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>
<p align="center">SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER</p> <p align="center">One Year Term Vote for not more than one</p> <p>BARBARA BILODEAU <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>		

ARTICLES

1. Shall the Allenstown School District vote to raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant article 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 **Twelve Million, One Hundred Ten Thousand, Nine Hundred Forty-Nine Dollars (\$12,110,949)**? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be **Twelve Million, Fifty-Eight Thousand, Four Hundred Thirty-Five Dollars (\$12,058,435)** which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Allenstown 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.
- YES
NO

*School Board Recommends Approval
Budget Committee Recommends Approval*

[Note: Warrant Article #1 (operating budget article) does not include separate Warrant Articles]

2. Shall the Allenstown School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of **Eighty-Three Thousand Dollars (\$83,000)** in addition to the sum appropriated for personnel in the operating budget for the addition of a new teaching position at Allenstown Elementary School?
- YES
NO

*School Board Recommends Approval
Budget Committee Recommends Approval*

3. Shall the Allenstown School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of **Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000)** to be added to the **Special Education General Expendable Trust Fund** previously established, with such amount to be funded from the June 30, 2022 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2022. **(NO AMOUNT WILL BE RAISED FROM FY 2022/23 TAXATION)**
- YES
NO

*School Board Recommends Approval
Budget Committee Recommends Approval*

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

4. Shall the Allenstown School District vote to authorize, indefinitely until rescinded, the retention of year-end unassigned general funds in an amount not to exceed, in any fiscal year, 5 percent of the current fiscal year's net assessment, in accordance with RSA 198:4-b, II? Such fund balance retained can only be used to reduce the tax rate or for emergency expenditures and over-expenditures under RSA 32:11 which are approved by the Department of Education.

YES

NO

School Board Recommends Approval

5. Shall the School District authorize the School Board to accept on behalf of the District, without further action by the voters, gifts, legacies and devises of real or personal property which may become available to the District during the fiscal year?

YES

NO

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