

TOWN ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE 06
 Shall the Town vote to hereafter collect its general, highway and special service taxes by its treasurer?

1201 YES
 169 NO

ARTICLE 07
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$5,500 for the **Northeast Kingdom Youth Services** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

870 YES
 520 NO

ARTICLE 08
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$12,000 for the **Good Living Senior Center** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

1018 YES
 371 NO

ARTICLE 09
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$115,000 for the **St. Johnsbury Athenaeum** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

837 YES
 552 NO

ARTICLE 10
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$770 for the **St. Johnsbury Town Band** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

958 YES
 422 NO

ARTICLE 11
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$18,382.50? For **Caledonia Home Health Care and Hospice** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

1034 YES
 362 NO

ARTICLE 12
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$76,030 for the **Caledonia - Essex Area Ambulance Service, Inc.** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

884 YES
 515 NO

ARTICLE 13
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$63,000 for the **Fairbanks Museum and Planetarium** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

907 YES
 487 NO

ARTICLE 14
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$14,400 for the **St. Johnsbury Kiwanis Pool** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

1051 YES
 358 NO

ARTICLE 15
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$7,200 for the **Area Agency on Aging** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

1065 YES
 331 NO

ARTICLE 16
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$6,750 for the **St. Johnsbury Nutrition Center, Inc. Meals-On-Wheels** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

1130 YES
 273 NO

ARTICLE 17
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$810 for the **Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

986 YES
 406 NO

ARTICLE 18
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$675 for the **Vermont Assoc. for the Blind and Visually Impaired (VABVI)** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

1029 YES
 366 NO

ARTICLE 19
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$13,050 for the **Rural Community Transportation ("RCT")** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

888 YES
 509 NO

ARTICLE 20
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$1,800 for the **Northern Vermont Chapter of the American Red Cross** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

980 YES
 414 NO

ARTICLE 21
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$4,000 for **CATAMOUNT ARTS** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

694 YES
 707 NO

ARTICLE 22
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$9,500 for **UMBRELLA, INC.** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

723 YES
 668 NO

ARTICLE 23
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$7,983 for the **Northeast Kingdom Human Services** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

765 YES
 611 NO

ARTICLE 24
 Shall the Town voters authorize the expenditure of \$2,000 for the **Kingdom Animal Shelter** to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?

958 YES
 444 NO

ARTICLE 25
 Shall the Town vote, pursuant to 32 VSA, Section 3832(7), to exempt from taxation real property of **St. Johnsbury Baseball, Inc.** used primarily for recreational purposes?

1011 YES
 382 NO

**YOU HAVE NOW
 COMPLETED VOTING**

SAMPLE

OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN AND TOWN SCHOOL
DISTRICT MEETING
TOWN OF ST. JOHNSBURY, VERMONT
MARCH 4, 2014

SAMPLE

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>OFFICIAL ANNUAL TOWN SCHOOL MEETING BALLOT</p> <p>FOR MODERATOR</p> <p>One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>SUSAN CHERRY 520 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>DAVID REYNOLDS 813 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>9 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>OFFICIAL ANNUAL TOWN MEETING BALLOT</p> <p>FOR MODERATOR</p> <p>One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>SUSAN CHERRY 479 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>DAVID REYNOLDS 830 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>6 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR TOWN GRAND JUROR</p> <p>One Year Term (Vote for not more than TWO)</p> <p>ELIJAH D. EMERSON 806 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>GARY REIS 1087 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>10 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p> <p>(Write-in)</p>
<p>FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER</p> <p>One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>JO-ANN SHERRER REED 1280 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>6 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR TOWN CLERK</p> <p>One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>STACY JEWELL 794 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>AMY SOUTH 540 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>4 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR TOWN AGENT</p> <p>One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>EDWARD R. ZUCCARO 1280 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>8 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>
<p>FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR</p> <p>Three Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>FORREST "TONY" GREENWOOD 1187 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>36 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR TOWN TREASURER</p> <p>One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>STACY JEWELL 746 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>AMY SOUTH 578 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>4 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC MONEY</p> <p>Three Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>CONRAD DOYON 1270 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>3 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>
<p>FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR</p> <p>Two Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>ROBERT MACH 1142 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>20 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR SELECTPERSON</p> <p>Three Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>JEFF MOORE 1131 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>118 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR AGENT TO CONVEY REAL ESTATE</p> <p>One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>LAWRENCE R. DONNA 1200 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>2 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>
<p>ARTICLE 01</p> <p>Shall the voters of the Town of St. Johnsbury School District authorize a budget of \$15,974,210 for the school year ending June 30, 2015 including an appropriation of a sum of money for the support of schools with provisions for current expenses, capital improvements, a deficit if any, and for other lawful purposes?</p> <p>547 YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>834 NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR SELECTPERSON</p> <p>One Year Term (Vote for not more than TWO)</p> <p>EDWARD GALLAGHER JR. 399 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>TOM MOORE 723 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>JAMIE MURPHY 907 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>214 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>ARTICLE 03</p> <p>Shall the voters of the Town of St. Johnsbury authorize a General Fund Budget of \$2,956,279 of which, an amount not to exceed, \$1,794,744 to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?</p> <p>711 YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>708 NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>ARTICLE 02</p> <p>Shall the Town School District Vote to hereafter collect its town school district taxes by the town treasurer?</p> <p>1121 YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>241 NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR FIRST CONSTABLE</p> <p>One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>GILBERT H. ROBERTS 1251 <input type="radio"/></p> <p>5 <input type="radio"/> (Write-in)</p>	<p>ARTICLE 04</p> <p>Shall the voters of the Town of St. Johnsbury authorize a Highway Fund Budget of \$2,603,215 of which, an amount not to exceed, \$1,844,935 is to be raised by local property taxes for 2014?</p> <p>840 YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>581 NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>TURN BALLOT OVER AND VOTE BOTH SIDES</p>		

OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
ST. JOHNSBURY, VERMONT
MARCH 4, 2014

SAMPLE

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

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

ARTICLES

ARTICLE 26 1080
Shall the Town Vote to have its 2016 fiscal year begin January 1, 2015 and end on June 30, 2016, YES
and to have each fiscal year thereafter begin on July 1 and end on June 30? NO 309

ARTICLE 27 945
Shall the Town vote, subject to the passage of Article 26, to collect taxes on real and personal YES
property for fiscal year 2016 in three (3) installments payable in September 2015, January 2016, and NO
May 2016, and thereafter to collect such taxes in two (2) installments payable in October and March 451
of each such fiscal year?

ARTICLE 28 962
Shall the Town vote subject to the passage of Article 26, to collect interest at the rate of one percent YES
(1%) per month or fraction thereof, from the due date of each installment of taxes on real and personal NO
property? 436

ARTICLE 29 793
Shall the Town vote subject to the passage of Article 26, to collect a onetime penalty at the rate of eight YES
percent (8%) of fraction thereof, from the day after the last installment of taxes on real and personal NO
property is due? 597

ARTICLE 30
Shall the Town vote to amend its charter, 24 V.S.A. Appendix, Chapter 151, to add a new section 21 to
be entitled "Recall", and to read as follows (new matter set forth in italics):

§21 Recall

Any town officer, as defined by 17 V.S.A. § 2646, may be recalled by the following process:

- a. A petition shall be filed with the Town Clerk signed by not less than twenty-five (25) percent of the number of registered voters at the time the petition is submitted.
- b. The petition shall request a meeting of the voters of the Town for the purpose of recalling a town officer and shall set forth the name of the person to be recalled, the reason for the recall, and shall identify the office he or she holds.
- c. The Selectboard shall, within fifteen (15) days of receipt of such petition, warn a meeting to act upon the petition.
- d. The meeting shall be held not less than thirty (30) nor more than forty (40) days from the date of the warning.
- e. The meeting shall be warned as provided by the general laws of the State of Vermont.
- f. At least four (4) days, but not more than fifteen (15) days, prior to the meeting, an informational meeting shall be held at which time both the town officer who is the subject of the recall petition and the proponents of the recall shall have the opportunity to discuss the petition to recall. The informational meeting shall be warned in conjunction with the warning for the meeting.
- g. When a two-thirds (2/3) majority of the voters present and voting on the question at such meeting vote in favor of the recall, the town officer subject to the petition shall be recalled and the office he or she held shall be deemed vacant.
- h. A recall petition shall not be brought against the same officer more than once within any 12 month period.

998
If in favor of the proposed charter amendment,
completely fill in the oval to the right to make your choice. 318

318
If opposed of the proposed charter amendment,
completely fill in the oval to the right to make your choice.

OFFICIAL BALLOT
OFFICIAL ANNUAL TOWN AND TOWN
SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING
MARCH 4, 2014

SAMPLE

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

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ARTICLE

OFFICIAL ANNUAL BALLOT
SPECIAL SERVICE DISTRICT

ARTICLE 05

Shall the voters residing within former Village of St. Johnsbury, as it was bounded December 31, 1965, authorize a Special Service Fund budget to pay current expenses and indebtedness incurred in continuing functions in that area which are not common to the Town of St. Johnsbury in an amount of \$1,295,602 of which, an amount not to exceed \$1,010,942 is to be assessed by the Selectboard on the Grand List of said former village for 2014?

462 YES
277 NO