

South Hampton School District South Hampton, New Hampshire Warrant 2022

To the inhabitants of the School District of the Town of South Hampton in the County of Rockingham in the state of New Hampshire qualified to vote in school district affairs are hereby notified and warned that the two sessions of the Annual School District Meeting will be held as follows:

First Session of Annual Meeting (Deliberative Session):

Date: Wednesday, February 9, 2022

Time: 7:00PM

Location: Eleanor M. Batchelder Gymnasium

Details: To explain, discuss, debate and possibly amend the following warrant articles

SNOW DATE (Deliberative Session):

Date: Thursday, February 10, 2022

Time: 7:00PM

Location: Eleanor M. Batchelder Gymnasium

Second Session of Annual Meeting (Official Ballot Voting)

Date: Tuesday, March 8, 2022

Time: 11:00AM – 8:00PM

Location: South Hampton Town Hall

Details:

Article 01 Operating Budget

Shall 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 \$2,876,360? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$2,894,878, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the 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. (Majority vote required.)

Note: Warrant Article #1 (operating budget) does not include appropriations in any other warrant articles.

The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

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Yes

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No

Article 02 Homeland Security Upgrades

To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 for homeland security upgrades to the Barnard School and Gymnasium. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7, VI and will not lapse until the projects are completed or June 30, 2025, whichever is earlier. (Majority vote required)

The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

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Yes

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No

Article 03 Roof Expendable Trust

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000 to be added to the existing Roof Expendable Trust Fund for the purpose of repairing or replacing roofs on the South Hampton School District buildings? (Majority vote required.)
The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

☐ Yes ☐ No

Article 04 Building Maintenance Expendable Trust

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate \$35,000 to be added to the existing Building Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund, with up to \$35,000 to be funded from the June 30, 2022 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2022? No additional amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)
The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

☐ Yes ☐ No

Article 05 Special Education Expendable Trust

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate \$15,000 to be added to the existing Special Education Expendable Trust Fund, with up to \$15,000 to be funded from the June 30, 2022 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2022? No additional amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)
The School Board and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

☐ Yes ☐ No

Article 06 Fund Balance Retention

To see if the School District will vote to authorize, indefinitely until rescinded, to retain 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. (Majority vote required)

☐ Yes ☐ No


Article 07 Other

To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting

SESSION II: (BALLOTING) MEET AT THE TOWN HALL, SOUTH HAMPTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE ON TUESDAY, THE EIGHTH OF MARCH, 2022 AT 11:00 A.M. IN THE MORNING, TO ELECT BY OFFICIAL BALLOT OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT AND TO VOTE BY OFFICIAL BALLOT ON WARRANT ARTICLES FROM THE FIRST SESSION.

1. Voting for school district officers consists of choosing:
One School Board Member for the ensuing three years.
2. Voting for warrant articles 1 through 6 as more fully set forth under Session I above and as any of said articles may have been amended as a result of the first session.



Polls will not close before 8:00PM.

I certify and attest that on <u>1/27/22</u> I posted a true and attested copy of the within Warrant at the place of meeting, and like copies at the Barnard School, being public places in said district.		
Printed Name	Position	Signature
Nancy D. Tuttle	Finance Manager	

CERTIFICATION

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined the information contained in this form and to the best of my belief it is true, correct and complete.

Governing Body Certifications

Name	Position	Signature
Jim Kime	School Board Chair	
Rebecca Burdick	School Board Member	
Sharon Gordon	School Board Member	