## SAMPLE BALLOT

### OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
EAST KINGSTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 12, 2019

### INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS
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### SELECTMAN
- Vote for not more than One
- ROBERT NIGRELLO [331] (Write-in)

### TOWN CLERK/TAX COLLECTOR
- Vote for not more than One
- BARBARA A. CLARK [367] (Write-in)

### TRUSTEE OF THE CEMETERY
- Vote for not more than One
- BARBARA A. CLARK [360] (Write-in)

### TREASURER
- Vote for not more than One
- BARRIE K. SMITH [335] (Write-in)

### TRUSTEE OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY
- Vote for not more than One
- LAURA BRANTING [327] (Write-in)

### TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUND
- Vote for not more than One
- RONALD F. MORALES [296] (Write-in)

### WARRANT ARTICLES

3. Shall the Town of East Kingston 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 as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling $2,926,287. Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be $2,914,464 which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of East Kingston 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. This operating budget article doesn't contain appropriations contained in any other warrant articles.

MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of forty-three thousand five hundred dollars ($43,500) to conduct a revaluation and authorize the withdrawal of forty-three thousand five hundred dollars ($43,500) from the Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund created for that purpose. No amount to be raised by taxation.

MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED (The Board of Selectmen recommend approval of this article: 3-0 Board vote)

YES ☑️ 248
NO ☐ 142

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of eleven thousand dollars ($11,000) to be added to the existing Library Building Major Repair/Replacement Capital Reserve Fund established at 2010 Town Meeting for the purpose of funding long-term repairs and replacements for the library building.

MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED (The Board of Selectmen recommend approval of this article: 3-0 Board vote)

YES ☑️ 271
NO ☐ 115

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) to be added to the existing Fire Apparatus Capital Reserve Fund established at the 1999 Town Meeting for the purpose of acquiring fire apparatus.

MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED (The Board of Selectmen recommend approval of this article: 3-0 Board vote)

YES ☑️ 261
NO ☐ 130

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) to be added to the existing Fire Department/Emergency Operations Center Land &/or Building Capital Reserve Fund established at the 2012 Town Meeting for the purpose of the acquisition of land and/or building or construction of building for a Fire Station/Emergency Operations Center.

MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED (The Board of Selectmen recommend approval of this article: 3-0 Board vote)

YES ☑️ 256
NO ☐ 133

### VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT
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### WARRANT ARTICLES CONTINUED

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<td>8.</td>
<td>To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) to be added to the existing cost of maintaining the Water Reservoir Capital Reserve Fund established at the 2018 Town Meeting for the purpose of maintaining or replacing existing dams or hydrants. MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED (The Board of Selectmen recommend approval of this article: 3-0 Board vote).</td>
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<td>9.</td>
<td>To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) to be added to the existing Police Department Building Long Term Maintenance Costs Capital Reserve Fund established at the 2016 Town Meeting for the purpose of funding long term maintenance costs for the Police Department Building. MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED (The Board of Selectmen recommend approval of this article: 3-0 Board vote).</td>
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<td>10.</td>
<td>To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) to be added to the existing Police Department Long Term Equipment Replacement Capital Reserve Fund established at the 2016 Town Meeting for the purpose of funding long term equipment replacement costs for the Police Department. MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED (The Board of Selectmen recommend approval of this article: 3-0 Board vote).</td>
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<td>11.</td>
<td>To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Salary Review Committee and approve the following recommendations:</td>
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- Supervisor of the Checklist: $125 per election, $125 per purge of the Checklist (1) (2)
- Moderator: $225 per election (1)
- Election Officers: $10.50 per hour (1) (2)
- Bookkeeper of the Trust Funds: $800 per year, Actual Expenses (3)
- Treasurer: $1,700 per year, Actual Expenses (3)
- First Selectman: $5,000 per year, Actual Expenses (3)
- Second and Third Selectmen: $4,000 per year, Actual Expenses (3)
- Town Clerk/Tax Collector: $48,000 per year, Actual Expenses (3)

1. Election pay includes any associated meetings until adjournment thereof.
2. Supervisor of the Checklist and Elected Officials shall be paid the greater of $10.50 per hour or the applicable minimum wage for hours worked outside of election meeting hours including for registration and checklist verification but excluding required purge of the checklist.
3. Election officers include actual expenses incurred with mileage reimbursed at the current IRS allowed rate at the time of the requested reimbursement.
4. Salary is based on the Town Clerk/Tax Collector working a minimum of 35 hours per week. There shall be a minimum of 30 public office hours, including a minimum of five days per week and including one evening session of two hours. The Town Clerk/Tax Collector will determine which night to have the evening session. This salary recommendation applies only to the current office holder and is based on experience and years of service.

The following provisions shall also apply:
- All Salaries are retroactive to January 1, 2019.
- The Town shall retain all fees collected by any elected official.
- A Salary Review Committee shall be appointed by the Moderator in 2021 to make recommendations to the 2022 Annual Meeting of the Town. MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED.

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<td>12.</td>
<td>To see if the Town will vote to allow the operation of KENO within the Town pursuant to the provisions of NH RSA 284:43 through 51. MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED (The Board of Selectmen recommend approval of this article: 3-0 Board vote).</td>
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<td>13.</td>
<td>On the petition of Kevin C. Frye and 50 other registered voters in East Kingston, NH, &quot;We the undersigned registered voters of East Kingston hereby petition the Board of Selectmen to include as a warrant article at the 2019 Annual Town Meeting the following: &quot;Shall the Town vote to establish an Emerald Ash Borer (EAB) Expendable Trust Fund in accordance with NH RSA 31:19-a for the purpose of monitoring and treating ash trees infected or threatened by the EAB, and to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) to be placed in the fund. The East Kingston Conservation Commission, as the agent, shall be responsible for overseeing and directing the Emerald Ash Borer inventory, the monitoring and treating the infected or threatened ash trees, and the expending from such funds. MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED (The Board of Selectmen recommend approval of this article: 3-0 Board vote).</td>
<td>YES ✓</td>
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ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION
EAST KINGSTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 12, 2019

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## SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

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<td>JENNIFER RANZ</td>
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(Write-in)

## SCHOOL DISTRICT MODERATOR

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(Write-in)

## SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

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(Write-in)

## SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

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(Write-in)

### WARRANT ARTICLES

1. **Operating Budget**

Shall the East Kingston 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 $3,066,203? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be $2,983,581, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the 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.

The School Board recommends Approval.  (Majority vote required)

2. **EFT Special Education**

To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,000 to be added to the Special Education Expendable Trust Fund previously established.  This sum to come from the June 30, 2019 operating budget fund balance available for transfer on July 1.  No amount to be raised from taxation.

The School Board Recommends Approval.  (Majority vote required)
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ANNUAL ELECTION
EXETER REGION COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT
MARCH 12, 2019

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS
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THESE POSITIONS ARE ELECTED BY THE VOTERS OF ALL SIX TOWNS
OF THE EXETER REGION COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

FOR BRENTWOOD
MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL BOARD
For Term Ending 2022 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE
MELISSA LITCHFIELD 267

FOR EXETER
COORDINATE
SCHOOL DISTRICT
MODERATOR
For Term Ending 2020 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE
KATHERINE MILLER 347

FOR EXETER
MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL DISTRICT
BUDGET COMMITTEE
For Term Ending 2022 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

FOR NEWFIELDS
MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL DISTRICT
BUDGET COMMITTEE
For Term Ending 2022 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

FOR STRATHAM
MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL DISTRICT
BUDGET COMMITTEE
For Term Ending 2022 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

FOR KENSINGTON
MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL BOARD
For Term Ending 2022 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE
ROBERT L. HALL 273

ARTICLES

Article 01: 20 Year Bond for CMS Addition and Renovation

Shall the District raise and appropriate the sum of $17,800,000 for the purpose of renovations and additions to
the Cooperative Middle School in order to accommodate for changes in programs and expanding needs of the
school; $17,800,000 of such sum to be raised through the issuance of bonds or notes under and in compliance
with the Municipal Finance Act, RSA 33:1 et seq., as amended; to authorize the School Board to apply for,
obtain and accept federal, state or other aid, if any, which may be available for said project and to comply with
all laws applicable to said project; to authorize the School Board to issue, negotiate, sell and deliver said bonds
and notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon and the maturity and other terms thereof; and to authorize
the School Board to take any other action or to pass any other vote relative thereto; and further, raise and
appropriate an additional $425,222 to meet the necessary financial obligations associated with the project's
debt service for the 2019-2020 fiscal year.

The School Board and the Budget Advisory Committee both recommend the adoption of this article. (3/5 ballot
vote required for passage)

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT
### Articles Continued

#### Article 02: ERCSD Operating Budget

Shall the 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 $60,342,073? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be $59,852,502 which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the 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. The School Board and Budget Advisory Committee both recommend $60,342,073 as set forth on said budget. (Majority vote required)

- **YES**: 182
- **NO**: 181

#### Article 03: CRF for Synthetic Turf Replacement

To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of up to $50,000 to be added to the Synthetic Turf Replacement Capital Reserve Fund previously established under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for replacement of the synthetic turf field located at Exeter High School. This sum to come from the June 30 undesignated fund balance available for transfer on July 1. No amount to be raised from taxation. The School Board and the Budget Advisory Committee both recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required)

- **YES**: 160
- **NO**: 201

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**VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT**
ARTICLE 2 CONTINUED

I. Signs for Visible Home Occupations: Signs for Home Occupations may be erected and maintained only when in compliance with Article VII General Provisions and the following provisions. (Amended 3/91; Amended 3/13)

1. No sign shall be internally illuminated, or have flashing or moving parts.
2. No sign may have more than two sides.
3. No sign shall be allowed for invisible businesses.

J. Procedure: Application shall be made to the Selectmen’s office, including public hearing fees paid in accordance with the Town of East Kingston Subdivision Regulations. Abutters will be notified and the applicant will be scheduled for a public hearing with the Planning Board. After the public hearing, the Planning Board will make a recommendation to the Selectmen as to whether the Home Occupation Permit should be granted. The application will then be forwarded to the Selectmen who will issue their final decision. (Adopted 3/96)

K. Application: The Home Occupation Permit Application and Home Occupation Permit Worksheet must be filled out in full detail to be accepted for processing. The Planning Board shall hold a public hearing and make a recommendation on the application to the Board of Selectmen. If the property is part of a Homeowners Association or Condominium Association, the applicant shall provide a letter from the Homeowners Association that the Home Occupation is allowed. If a tenant of a rental property, the applicant shall provide a letter from the property owner that the Home Occupation is allowed. (Amended 3/01)

L. Enforcement: This section shall be administered and enforced by the Board of Selectmen. Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be fined $100 for each offense.

Each day that a violation is continued shall constitute a separate offense. No action may be brought about under this provision unless the alleged offender has been given at least a 7-day notice from the Selectmen by certified mail, return receipt requested, that a violation exists.

In addition, such Home Occupations shall not be relieved from compliance with other state and local regulations.

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