

**TOWN OF EAST MONTPELIER**  
**ARTICLES OF WARNING FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**  
**March 5, 2013**

The legal voters of the Town of East Montpelier, Vermont are hereby warned to meet at the East Montpelier Elementary School in said Town, on **Tuesday**, the **fifth (5th)** day of **March, 2013** at **9:30 AM** to transact the following business and to vote by Australian Ballot from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM on those Articles so noted:

ARTICLE 1: To elect all necessary officers for the ensuing year. (To be voted by Australian Ballot)

Town Moderator, 1-year term  
School District Moderator, 1-year term  
Selectboard Member, 3-year term  
Selectboard Member, 2-year term  
Lister, 3-year term  
Auditor, 3-year term  
Collector of Delinquent Taxes, 3-year term  
Trustee of Public Funds, 3-year term  
Town Law Agent, 1-year term  
Town Grand Juror, 1-year term  
First Constable, 1-year term  
Second Constable, 1-year term  
Cemetery Commissioner, 5-year term  
Planning Commissioner, 3-year term  
Planning Commissioner, 3-year term  
Planning Commissioner, 3-year term  
EM Elementary School Director, 3-year term  
EM Elementary School Director, 2-year term  
U-32 School Director, 3-year term

ARTICLE 2: To hear the reports of several Town Officers and to act thereon.

ARTICLE 3: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$1,507,365** as proposed by the Selectboard, for laying out and repairing highways and for other necessary Town expenses for fiscal year 2014 (July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014). (To be voted by Australian Ballot)

ARTICLE 4: Shall the Town raise **\$50,000** for the Capital Reserve Fund. (To be voted by Australian Ballot)

ARTICLE 5: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$36,775** for Kellogg-Hubbard Library for the support of the Kellogg-Hubbard Library. (To be voted by Australian Ballot)

ARTICLE 6: Shall the Town authorize all property taxes for the fiscal year 2014 to be paid to the Treasurer, without discount in two installments and received by the Town Treasurer at the East Montpelier Municipal Building as follows: The first installment will be due on or before 5:00 PM Friday, November 15, 2013 and the second installment will be due on or before 5:00 PM Thursday, May 15, 2014.

ARTICLE 7: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$4,400** for the Four Corners Schoolhouse Association for operating expenses during fiscal year 2014.

ARTICLE 8: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$8,500** for the East Montpelier Cemetery Commission for the support and maintenance of Town cemeteries during fiscal year 2014.

ARTICLE 9: Shall the Town follow the Farm Contract Study Committee's recommendation to stop offering local farmers' contracts.

ARTICLE 10: Shall the Town raise the amounts listed below as recommended by the Town's Funding Request Study Committee, or what other amounts, for the following organizations for fiscal year 2014.

a) American Red Cross	\$ 250
b) Central Vermont Community Action Council	\$ 500
c) Central Vermont Community Land Trust	\$ 150
d) Central Vermont Council on Aging	\$ 1,600
e) Central Vermont Home Health & Hospice	\$ 4,200
f) Central Vermont Memorial Civic Center	\$ 1,000
g) Circle (formerly Battered Women's Services & Shelter)	\$ 675
h) Community Connections	\$ 2,500
i) Family Center of Washington County	\$ 500
j) Friends of the Winooski River	\$ 200
k) Green Mountain Transit	\$ 1,366
l) Green Up Vermont	\$ 150
m) Onion River Food Shelf	\$ 1,000
n) People's Health and Wellness Clinic	\$ 950
o) Prevent Child Abuse Vermont	\$ 300
p) Project Independence	\$ 250
q) Retired & Senior Volunteer Program	\$ 275
r) Sexual Assault Crisis Team	\$ 200
s) Twin Valley Senior Center	\$ 750
t) Vermont Association for the Blind & Visually Impaired	\$ 100
u) Vermont CARES	\$ 150
v) Vermont Center for Independent Living	\$ 245
w) Washington County Diversion Program	\$ 350
x) Washington County Youth Service Bureau	\$ 400

**TOTAL** **\$18,061**

ARTICLE 11: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$2,800** for the Montpelier Senior Activity Center for operating expenses during fiscal year 2014.

ARTICLE 12: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$8,333** as its share of the annual ongoing cost of providing commuter bus service along Route 2 with service into Montpelier. This appropriation funds a portion of the total cost of the service, which will also be supported by appropriations from other towns, State and Federal funds, and rider fares.

ARTICLE 13: Shall the Town Voters authorize an expenditure in the amount of \$750 to help support the services provided by the Friends of the North Branch Nature Center in Montpelier? (Petitioned Article)

ARTICLE 14: To transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

EAST MONTPELIER TOWN / SCHOOL FORUM  
SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 2013  
9:30 AM at the East Montpelier Elementary School

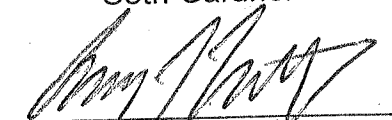
The Citizens of East Montpelier are invited to attend a Public Hearing and Informational Meeting concerning Australian Ballot Articles and other Warned Articles for the **March 5, 2013 Town and School Meeting**. Candidates for Town and School Offices will be introduced. The Town will be first on the Agenda at the Forum, as well as at Town Meeting, followed by the School.

Dated at East Montpelier, Vermont, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2013.

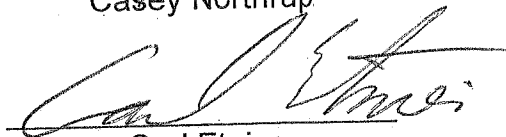
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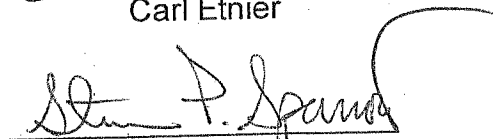
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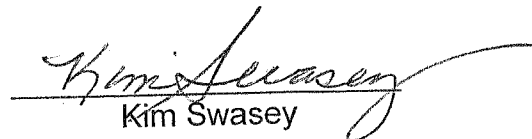
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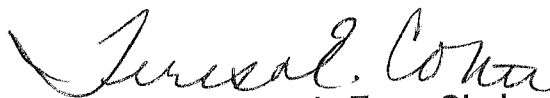


Steve Sparrow



Kim Swasey

East Montpelier Town Clerk's Office, 29 day of January A.D. 2013 at 9:15 AM received the foregoing East Montpelier Annual Town Meeting Warning for posting as required by law.



Attest: Teresa E. Conti Town Clerk