

TOWN OF EAST MONTPELIER
March 5, 2019
Town & School Meeting Results

School Meeting

ARTICLE 1: To hear and act upon the report of the Town School Directors.

ARTICLE 2: To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

ARTICLE 3: To elect a Moderator for the year ensuing. (To be voted by Australian Ballot)
No candidate

ARTICLE 4: To elect the following School Directors. (To be voted by Australian Ballot)

One (1) School Director	Two (2) Year Term
Elected: Darci Coleman-Graves [335 votes]	
One (1) School Director	Three (3) Year Term
Elected: Stephen Looke [322 votes]	
One (1) U-32 Director	Three (3) Year Term
Elected: Kari Bradley [337 votes]	

Town Meeting

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

Town Moderator, 1-year term
Elected: Michael Duane [350 votes]

Selectboard Member, 3-year term
Elected: Carl Etnier [313 votes]

Selectboard Member, 2-year term
Elected: Kimberly A Swasey [342 votes]

Lister, 3-year term
Elected: Chris Racanelli [329 votes]

Auditor, 3-year term
Elected: Deborah Fillion [327 votes]

First Constable, 1-year term
Elected: Sandy F. Conti [356 votes]

Second Constable, 1-year term
No candidate

Cemetery Commissioner, 5-year term

No candidate

Planning Commissioner, 3-year term

Elected: Julie Potter [316 votes]

Planning Commissioner, 3-year term

Elected: Zachary Sullivan [309 votes]

Planning Commissioner, 3-year term

Elected: Kim Watson [328 votes]

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

ARTICLE 3: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$1,749,764** as proposed by the Selectboard, for laying out and repairing highways and for other necessary Town expenses for fiscal year 2020 (July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020). (To be voted by Australian Ballot)

Result: Passed [340 yes; 46 no]

ARTICLE 4: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$42,022** for Kellogg-Hubbard Library for the support of the Kellogg-Hubbard Library. (To be voted by Australian Ballot)

Result: Passed [286 yes; 97 no]

ARTICLE 5: Shall the Town authorize all property taxes for the fiscal year 2020 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, 2019 and the second installment will be due on or before 5:00 PM Friday, May 15, 2020.

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 6: Shall the Town, as authorized by 18 V.S.A. §5381, place the care and management of public burial grounds back under the charge of the Selectboard and eliminate the East Montpelier Cemetery Commission.

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 7 Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$17,250** for the East Montpelier Cemetery Commission for the support and maintenance of Town cemeteries during fiscal year 2020. If the Town approves Article 6 to eliminate the Cemetery Commission, this appropriation, if approved, will be shifted to the Town's general fund for the same purpose, but now under the control of the Selectboard.

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 8: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$5,000** for the Land Conservation Fund.

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 9: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$4,000** for the Four Corners Schoolhouse Association for operating expenses during fiscal year 2020.

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 10: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$6,000** for the East Montpelier Signpost to provide for the production and mailing of six issues of the East Montpelier Signpost for each East Montpelier resident household and non-resident property owner during fiscal year 2020.

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 11: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$4,000** for East Montpelier Trails, Inc. for the enhancement, development, and maintenance of the trail network in East Montpelier during fiscal year 2020.

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 12: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$8,000** for the Montpelier Senior Activity Center for operating expenses during fiscal year 2020.

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 13: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$6,000** for Central Vermont Home Health & Hospice for operating expenses during fiscal year 2020.

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 14: Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$8,333** as its fiscal year 2020 share of the annual ongoing cost of providing the Green Mountain Transit Agency 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.

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 15: 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 2020.

1) American Red Cross	\$ 250
2) Big Heavy World	\$ 250
3) Capstone Community Action	\$ 500
4) Central Vermont Adult Basic Education	\$ 750
5) Central Vermont Council on Aging	\$ 1,875
6) Central Vermont Habitat for Humanity	\$ 250
7) Central Vermont Memorial Civic Center	\$ 1,000
8) Circle	\$ 675
9) Community Harvest of Central VT	\$ 250
10) Downstreet Housing & Community Development	\$ 150
11) East Montpelier Community Connections	\$ 2,500

12)Family Center of Washington County	\$ 500
13)Friends of the Winooski River	\$ 200
14)Girls/Boyz First Mentoring	\$ 300
15)Good Beginnings of Central VT	\$ 300
16)Good Samaritan Haven	\$ 750
17)Green Mountain Transit	\$ 1,366
18)Green Up Vermont	\$ 150
19)Home Share Now	\$ 800
20)North Branch Nature Center	\$ 750
21)Onion River Food Shelf	\$ 1,000
22)OUR House of Central VT	\$ 250
23)People's Health and Wellness Clinic	\$ 1,250
24)Prevent Child Abuse Vermont	\$ 300
25)Project Independence	\$ 125
26)Sexual Assault Crisis Team	\$ 250
27)Twin Valley Senior Center	\$ 4,000
28)T. W. Wood Gallery	\$ 500
29)Vermont Association for the Blind & Visually Impaired	\$ 150
30)Vermont CARES	\$ 150
31)Vermont Center for Independent Living	\$ 250
32)Vermont Family Network	\$ 100
33)Washington County Diversion Program	\$ 600
34)Washington County Mental Health Services	\$ 800
35)Washington County Youth Service Bureau	\$ 400

TOTAL **\$23,691**

Result: Passed by voice vote

ARTICLE 16: To transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.