

OFFICIAL BALLOT
TOWN OF EAST MONTPELIER
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 2021

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- Use BLACK PEN or PENCIL to fill in the oval.
- To vote for a person whose name is printed on the ballot, fill in the oval ☐ to the right of the name of that person.
- To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write or stick his or her name in the blank space provided and fill in the oval ☐ to the right of the write-in line.
- Do not vote for more candidates than the "VOTE for NOT MORE THAN #" for an office.
- If you make a mistake, tear, or deface the ballot, return it to an election official and obtain another ballot. DO NOT ERASE.

ARTICLE 1. To elect all necessary officers for the ensuing year.	PLANNING COMMISSIONER (3-YEAR TERM) Vote for not more than THREE	ARTICLE 4. Shall the Town raise the sum of \$42,022 for Kellogg-Hubbard Library for the support of the Kellogg-Hubbard Library.
MODERATOR (1-YEAR TERM) Vote for not more than ONE	RICHARD H. HALL <input type="radio"/>	YES <input type="radio"/>
MICHAEL DUANE <input type="radio"/>	MARK LANE <input type="radio"/>	NO <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	<input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	
SELECT BOARD (3-YEAR TERM) Vote for not more than ONE	<input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	ARTICLE 5. Shall the Town raise the sum of \$4,500 for the Four Corners Schoolhouse Association for operating expenses during fiscal year 2022.
SETH B. GARDNER <input type="radio"/>	ARTICLE 2. Shall the Town raise the sum of \$1,927,032 as proposed by the Selectboard, for laying out and repairing highways and for other necessary Town expenses for fiscal year 2022 (July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022).	YES <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> (Write-in)		NO <input type="radio"/>
SELECT BOARD (2-YEAR TERM) Vote for not more than ONE	ARTICLE 3. Shall the Town authorize all property taxes for the fiscal year 2022 to be paid to the Town Treasurer, without discount in two installments and received by the Treasurer at the East Montpelier Municipal Building as follows: The first installment will be due and postmarked on or before Monday, November 15, 2021 and the second installment will be due and postmarked on or before Monday, May 16, 2022.	ARTICLE 6. Shall the Town raise the sum of \$9,700 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 2022.
AMY WILLIS <input type="radio"/>	YES <input type="radio"/>	YES <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	NO <input type="radio"/>	NO <input type="radio"/>
SELECT BOARD (2 OF 3-YEAR TERM) Vote for not more than ONE		
JUDITH DILLON <input type="radio"/>		ARTICLE 7. 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 2022.
GENE TROIA <input type="radio"/>		YES <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> (Write-in)		NO <input type="radio"/>
LISTER (3-YEAR TERM) Vote for not more than ONE		
ROSS HAZEL <input type="radio"/>	YES <input type="radio"/>	YES <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> (Write-in)	NO <input type="radio"/>	NO <input type="radio"/>
AUDITOR (3-YEAR TERM) Vote for not more than ONE		ARTICLE 8. Shall the Town raise the sum of \$9,000 for the Montpelier Senior Activity Center for operating expenses during fiscal year 2022.
ED DEEGAN <input type="radio"/>		YES <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> (Write-in)		NO <input type="radio"/>
FIRST CONSTABLE (1-YEAR TERM) Vote for not more than ONE		
JONATHAN A. BOUCHER <input type="radio"/>		
<input type="radio"/> (Write-in)		
		TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

ARTICLE 9.
Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$6,000** for Central Vermont Home Health & Hospice for operating expenses during fiscal year 2022.

YES ☐

NO ☐

ARTICLE 10.
Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$7,833.06** for the support of Rural Community Transportation, Inc. (RCT) to provide services to residents of the Town of East Montpelier, including \$6,833.06 as its RCT portion of the fiscal year 2022 share of the annual ongoing cost of providing the commuter bus service along Route 2 with service into East Montpelier and \$1,000 as its fiscal year 2022 share of the annual ongoing cost of providing the commuter bus service along Routes 14 & 15 with service into East 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.

YES ☐

NO ☐

ARTICLE 11.
Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$1,499.94** as its Green Mountain Transit portion of the fiscal year 2022 share of the annual ongoing cost of providing the commuter bus service along Route 2 with service into East 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.

YES ☐

NO ☐

ARTICLE 12.
Shall the Town raise the sum of **\$5,000** for Twin Valley Seniors, Inc. for operating expenses during fiscal year 2022.

YES ☐

NO ☐

ARTICLE 13.
Shall the Town raise the amounts listed below as recommended by the Town's Funding Request Study Committee for the following organizations for fiscal year 2022.

- American Red Cross \$ 250
- Big Heavy World.....250
- Capstone Community Action500
- Central Vermont
 - Adult Basic Education750
- Central Vermont Council
 - on Aging 1,875
- Central Vermont Disaster
 - Animal Response Team200
- Central Vermont Habitat for
 - Humanity350
- Central Vermont
 - Memorial Civic Center 1,000
- Circle675
- Community Harvest of
 - Central VT250
- Downstreet Housing &
 - Community Development.....150
- East Montpelier
 - Community Connections 2,500
- Family Center of
 - Washington County500
- Friends of the Winooski River200
- Girls/Boyz First Mentoring300
- Good Beginnings of Central VT ..300
- Good Samaritan Haven.....900
- Green Mountain Transit..... 1,366
- Green Up Vermont150
- HomeShare Vermont.....800
- Mosaic Vermont250
- North Branch Nature Center750
- Onion River Food Shelf..... 1,200
- OUR House of Central VT.....250
- People's Health and
 - Wellness Clinic 1,750
- Prevent Child Abuse Vermont300
- T. W. Wood Gallery.....500
- Vermont Association for the
 - Blind & Visually Impaired150
- Vermont CARES150
- Vermont Center for
 - Independent Living300
- Vermont Family Network200
- Washington County
 - Diversion Program600
- Washington County
 - Mental Health Services800
- Washington County
 - Youth Service Bureau.....400
- Winooski Natural Resources
 - Conservation District600
- Total \$21,466**

YES ☐

NO ☐

**YOU HAVE NOW
COMPLETED VOTING**