

THE POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

To the inhabitants of the Town of Barnstead in the County of Belknap in said state, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Barnstead Town Hall in said Barnstead on Tuesday, the Tenth (10th) day of March, next at 7:00 a.m. of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town officers for the year ensuing.

		Elected	Votes
1 Selectman	1 year term	G.Preston	372
1 Selectman	3 year term	P. Grillo	298
1 Treasurer	3 year term	M. Terry	411
1 Trustee of Trust Funds	3 year term	S. Merrill	403
1 Library Trustee	3 year term	S. Kallgren	402
1 Budget Committee	1 year term	B.White(writein)	85
2 Budget Committee	3 year term	B. Grey	288
		C. Kowalski	289
1 Overseer of Public Welfare	1 year term	E. Swinford	376
1 Planning Board	2 year term	C. Goodrich	372
2 Planning Board	3 year term	N. Carr	353
		A. Jennings	311

2. To vote by official ballot on amendments to the Barnstead Zoning Ordinance, as proposed by the Barnstead Planning Board, as follows:

1. Are you in favor of the adoption of question #1, amending the Zoning Ordinance, Town of Barnstead, NH, as proposed by the Planning Board, as follows:

To revise Article 7 of the Zoning Ordinance – Shoreland Protection Ordinance – to delete the Article as written and replace it with

and subject to RSA: 483B The Comprehensive Shoreland
Protection Act”. **PASSED 287 YES 160 NO**

3. Are you in favor of the adoption of question #3, amending the Zoning Ordinance, Town of Barnstead, NH, as proposed by the Planning Board, as follows:

To amend to Article 4, section 4-2.07 of the Zoning Ordinance “to allow as a matter of right an open deck up to 8 feet wide for all shoreline lots”. **PASSED 327 YES 119 NO**

4. Are you in favor of the adoption of question #4, amending the Zoning Ordinance, Town of Barnstead, NH, as proposed by the Planning Board, as follows:

To revise Article 12, section 12-16 of the Zoning Ordinance – Growth Management Regulation, to change the Sunset date from April 1, 2009 to April 1, 2014.
PASSED 284 YES 160 NO

The second session for the purpose of discussing and voting upon the remaining articles of the Town Warrant shall be held on Saturday, March 14th, 2009, at 9:00 a.m. at the Barnstead Elementary School.

3. To hear the Agents, Auditors, Committees or Officers chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto. **VOICE VOTE PASSED**
4. To see if the Town will vote to organize the Town of Barnstead Fire Department in accordance with RSA 154:1, I(b), which provides that the Board of Selectmen shall appoint a Fire Chief and further provides that firefighters shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen, upon the recommendation of the Fire Chief. In accordance with RSA 154:1, IV, this change, if approved, shall not take effect until one year following approval of this Article. **VOICE VOTE PASSED**

Management Expendable Trust Fund. This is a special warrant article per RSA 32:3. (Recommended by Selectmen) (Not Recommended by Budget Committee).

AMENDED FIGURE 80,000

HAND VOTE YES 96

NO 68

PASSED

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) to be placed in the Bridge Construction Capital Reserve Fund. This is a special warrant article per RSA 32:3. (Recommended by Selectmen) (Recommended by Budget Committee).

VOICE VOTE PASSED

8. To see if the Town will vote to establish an Emergency Fuel and Heating Oil Expendable Trust Fund under the provisions of RSA 31:19-a for the purpose of meeting the cost of unanticipated gasoline, diesel and heating oil expenses; and to raise and appropriate Thirty Nine Thousand Dollars (\$39,000) to be placed in this fund; and furthermore to appoint the Selectmen as agents to expend this fund. This is a special warrant article per RSA 32:3. (Recommended by Selectmen) (Not Recommended by Budget Committee).

AMENDED FIGURE 25,000

VOICE VOTE PASSED

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000) for an energy upgrade in the Town Buildings as proposed by Atlantic Energy through Public Service of New Hampshire for lighting and fixtures. This is a special warrant article per RSA 32:3. (Recommended by Selectmen) (Recommended by Budget Committee).

VOICE VOTE PASSED

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) for Milfoil treatment of Suncook River and for the divers in Barnstead waters. This will be a non-lapsing

the Selectmen as agents to expend. This is a special warrant article per RSA 32:2. (Recommended by Selectmen) (Not Recommended by Budget Committee).

HAND VOTE YES 117

NO 53

PASSED

12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to convey the property at tax Map 046 Lot 028, to Melanie Horohov, to be merged with Melanie Horohov's property at Map 046 Lot 027. Melanie Horohov has paid all taxes, interest, costs and expenses owed to the Town in maintaining the property. This property was acquired by tax deed in November, 2003. (Recommended by Selectmen).

VOICE VOTE PASSED

13. To see if the Town of Barnstead will vote to accept Beaver Ridge Road to Beaver Pond Road to Hazel Clark Road in Barnstead, NH as a Class 5 Roadway. (Submitted by Petition).

VOICE VOTE FAILED

14. We, the undersigned registered voters of Barnstead, hereby request that the Town of Barnstead oversee the care of Forest Road in regards to plowing, sanding and maintenance. (Submitted by Petition).

VOICE VOTE FAILED

15. To see if the Town will vote to change the Road Agent's position from an elected position to an appointed position. (Recommended by Selectmen).

VOICE VOTE FAILED

16. To see if the Town will vote to change the Welfare Officer's position from an elected position to an appointed position. (Recommended by Selectmen).

VOICE VOTE FAILED

17. To see if the Town will vote to change the Treasurer's position from an elected position to an appointed position. (Recommended by the

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

ADVISED: TO CHANGE ROAD AGENT'S PAY FROM SALARIED TO HOURLY

HAND VOTE	YES	52
	NO	69
FAILED		

FRANK GROW REQUESTED AN INCREASE IN OVERTIME LINE FOR THE POLICE

FAILED

JIM FUGERE, CHAIRMAN OF CONSERVATION REQUESTED ANYONE INTERESTED IN HELPING THE COMMITTEE WITH PROJECTS TO SIGN UP.

Gordon Preston, Chairman

David Kerr, Vice-Chairman

James Barnard

Philip Grillo