

# SAMPLE BALLOT for WARRANT ARTICLES

For the Legal Voters of the  
PEMI-BAKER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
March 10, 2015

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Susan M. Daigneault, Pemi-Baker Regional School District Clerk

To vote mark an X in the square next to Yes or No

**ARTICLE 1:** Article 1: To see if the School District will vote to authorize the School Board to negotiate and execute such tuition contracts as the Board may determine advisable for students inside or outside the Pemi-Baker Regional School District. The School Board **recommends** this article. (Majority vote required.)

Yes  No   
166 46

**ARTICLE 2:** To see if the School District will vote to establish a contingency fund in accordance with Revised Statutes Annotated 198:4-b, such contingency fund to meet the cost of unanticipated expenses that may arise during the year and, further, to see if the District will raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for such contingency fund. The School Board **recommends** this article. (Majority vote required.)

Yes  No   
157 53

**ARTICLE 3:** To see if the School District will vote to authorize and empower the School Board to borrow up to one hundred four thousand dollars (\$104,000) representing a portion of the State of New Hampshire's share of special education costs for the 2015-2016 school year, pursuant to RSA 198:20-d upon such terms and conditions as the School Board determines in the best interests of the District; said sum together with the costs of borrowing to be repaid by the State of New Hampshire pursuant to RSA 198:20-d; or to take any action in relation thereto. The School Board **recommends** this article. (Majority vote required.)

Yes  No   
144 66

**ARTICLE 4:** To see if the School District will vote to approve the cost items included in a collective bargaining agreement reached between the School Board and the Plymouth Regional Education Association, which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits:

Year	Estimated Increase
2015-2016	\$107,298
2016-2017	\$ 83,126

And further to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred seven thousand two hundred ninety-eight dollars (\$107,298) for the 2015-2016 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those of the appropriation at current staffing levels in accordance with the most recent collective bargaining agreement. The School Board **recommends** this article. (Majority vote required.)

Yes  No   
126 86

**ARTICLE 5:** To see if the School District will vote to approve the cost items included in a collective bargaining agreement reached between the School Board and the Plymouth Regional Educational Support Staff, which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits:

Year	Estimated Increase
2015-2016	\$43,324
2016-2017	\$49,202
2017-2018	\$50,849

And further to raise and appropriate the sum of forty-three thousand three hundred twenty-four dollars (\$43,324) for the 2015-2016 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those of the appropriation at current staffing levels in accordance with the most recent collective bargaining agreement. The School Board **recommends** this article. (Majority vote required.)

Yes  No   
131 79

**ARTICLE 6:** To see if the Pemi-Baker School District will vote to ask the School Board to convert the Ice Hockey Team, which has been a high school club since 2012, to a full varsity sport for the 2015-2016 school year. There is no request to raise and appropriate funds attached to this warrant article. (Submitted by petition)

Yes  No   
158 55

**ARTICLE 7:** To see if the Pemi-Baker Regional School District will vote to 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 (deliberative session) for the purposes set forth therein totaling thirteen million three hundred two thousand four hundred fifty-one dollars (\$13,302,451).

Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be thirteen million thirty-eight thousand six hundred ninety-five dollars (\$13,038,695), which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Pemi-Baker Regional School District; or by law or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X or XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. The sum excludes the sums in Warrant Articles 2,3,4 and 5. The Board **recommends** this article. (Majority vote required.)

Yes  No   
134 77

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