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# SAMPLE BALLOT



OFFICIAL BALLOT  
TOWN MEETING BALLOT  
THORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MARCH 13, 2018

*Brook Rose*

TOWN CLERK

### INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this: ●
- B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.
- C. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate's name on the line provided and completely fill in the OVAL.

<b>SELECT BOARD MEMBER</b> <small>Three Year Term</small> <b>MARIANNE PEABODY</b> 118 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>JOHN F. GAITES</b> 94 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>TODD KENT</b> 51 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Edward Downing - 1</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Joseph Monti - 1</i> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUNDS</b> <small>Three Year Term</small> <i>See Below</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <small>Vote for not more than ONE</small> <small>(Write-in)</small>	<b>MODERATOR</b> <small>Two Year Term</small> <b>ROBERT J. MACLEOD</b> 149 <input type="checkbox"/> <small>Vote for not more than ONE</small> <small>(Write-in)</small>
<b>CEMETERY TRUSTEE</b> <small>Three Year Term</small> <b>PHYLLIS B. HOLBROOK</b> 145 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Wendy Johnston - 1</i> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>PLANNING BOARD MEMBER</b> <small>Three Year Term</small> <b>STEVEN BABIN</b> 126 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>FRANK A. FREEMAN</b> 114 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Juñe Piehn - 1</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <small>Vote for not more than TWO</small> <small>(Write-in)</small>	<b>TOWN TREASURER</b> <small>Three Year Term</small> <b>SUSAN DUMONT</b> 146 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Judy Levasseur - 1</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <small>Vote for not more than ONE</small> <small>(Write-in)</small>
<b>LIBRARY TRUSTEE</b> <small>Three Year Term</small> <b>ANITA C. ROSS</b> 85 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>BROOK WHITE</b> 58 <input type="checkbox"/> <small>Vote for not more than ONE</small> <small>(Write-in)</small>	<b>OVERSEER OF PUBLIC WELFARE</b> <small>One Year Term</small> <b>MARIANNE PEABODY</b> 141 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Write ins</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <small>Trustees of Trust Fund</small> <i>Brian Regan - 1</i> <i>John Gaites - 2</i> <i>Brad Benton SE - 1</i> <i>Anita Ross - 3</i> <i>Jessica Bartlett - 1</i> <i>Ralph Bradley - 3</i> <i>Debbie Duffy - 1</i> <i>Rebecca Farnsworth - 1</i> <i>Wendy Johnston - 1</i>	<small>Overseer of Public Welfare</small> <i>Edward Downing - 1</i> <i>Rebecca Farnsworth - 1</i> <i>Jay Stevens - 1</i>

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THORNTON SCHOOL DISTRICT  
THORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MARCH 13, 2018

*Sydney Campbell*  
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

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### SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

Three Year Term      Vote for not more than ONE

MARK J. FISCHLER      136      ○

GEORGE BENDON      1      ○

(Write-in)

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**OFFICIAL BALLOT**  
**PEMI-BAKER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**THORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
**MARCH 13, 2018**

Lynn M. Davis  
Pemi-Baker Regional School District Clerk

### INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

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- B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.
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#### SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER FROM ASHLAND

(3-Year Term) Vote for not more than one  
 CATHERINE HAHN 120 ○  
 (Write-in) ○

#### SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER FROM CAMPTON

(3-Year Term) Vote for not more than one  
 LISA ASH 127 ○  
 (Write-in) ○

#### SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER FROM HOLDERNESS

(3-Year Term) Vote for not more than one  
 PHILLIP MCCORMACK 123 ○  
 (Write-in) ○

#### SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER FROM PLYMOUTH

(3-Year Term) Vote for not more than one  
 BARBARA NOYES 121 ○  
 (Write-in) ○

#### SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER FROM THORNTON

(3-Year Term) Vote for not more than one  
 KATHRYN (KATE) SHAW 140 ○  
 ANDREW DOWNS 1 ○  
 EILEEN DWYER 1 ○

#### MODERATOR

(2-Year Term) Vote for not more than one  
 QUENTIN BLAINE 135 ○  
 (Write-in) ○

### WARRANT ARTICLES

#### Article 1: Negotiate and Execute Tuition Contracts

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 ○ 127  
 NO ○ 12

#### Article 2: Authorize Special Education Borrowing

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 2018-2019 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 04  
 NO 018

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT

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### WARRANT ARTICLES CONTINUED

**Article 3: School Board Contingency Fund**

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 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  132  
NO  17

**Article 4: Support Staff Agreement**

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 Support Staff Association, which calls for the following decrease in salaries and benefits:

Year	Estimated Decrease
2018-2019	\$(6,283)
2019-2020	\$(7,694)
2020-2021	\$(3,809)

Upon passage of this article, the Operating Budget in Article 7 shall be reduced by the sum of six thousand two hundred eighty-three dollars (\$6,283), said sum representing the reduced costs attributable to the decrease 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  133  
NO  14

**Article 5: Purchase of Real Property**

To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) for the purpose of purchasing the 11 Acre property in the Town of Plymouth abutting the current school property, known as the Fletcher Property, Tax Map 103 Lot 016. The School Board **recommends** this article. (Majority vote required.)

YES  116  
NO  32

**Article 6: Advisory Article - Property Sale**

To see if the School District would direct the School Board to sell the property located at Highland Street, Plymouth (Tax Map 108, Lot 097) at price and terms to be negotiated by the School Board in the best interests of the District. This Article is advisory only.

YES  23  
NO  16

**Article 7: Operating Budget**

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 for the purposes set forth therein, totaling fourteen million, five hundred forty-two thousand five hundred nineteen dollars (\$14,542,519).

Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be fourteen million four hundred ninety thousand twenty-four dollars (\$14,490,024), which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Pemi-Baker Regional School Board, or by law or the governing body may hold one special meeting. In accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. This sum excludes the sums in Warrant Articles 2, 3, 4 and 5. The School Board **recommends** this article. (Majority vote required.)

YES  116  
NO  32

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