



## **SANBORN REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT 2020 SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT**

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE SANBORN REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT IN THE TOWNS OF KINGSTON AND NEWTON, QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN DISTRICT AFFAIRS:

### **FIRST SESSION OF ANNUAL MEETING (Deliberative)**

You are hereby notified to meet at the Sanborn Regional High School Auditorium at 17 Danville Road in Kingston, New Hampshire on **Wednesday, the fifth day of February 2020** at 7:00 p.m.

This session shall consist of explanation, discussion, and debate of each of the following warrant articles, except for Article 1. Warrant articles may be amended subject to the following limitations: (a) warrant articles whose wording is prescribed by law shall not be amended, (b) warrant articles that are amended shall be placed on the official ballot for a final vote on the main motion, as amended and (c) no warrant article shall be amended to eliminate the subject matter of the article.

### **SECOND SESSION OF ANNUAL MEETING (Voting)**

Voting on these articles will be conducted by official ballot to be held in conjunction with town meeting voting in each town on **Tuesday, the tenth day of March, 2020**.

#### **KINGSTON VOTERS**

Voting will be conducted at the Swasey Gymnasium (Seminary Campus). The polls will open at 8:00 a.m. and will remain open until 8:00 p.m.

#### **NEWTON VOTERS**

Voting will be conducted at the Newton Town Hall. The polls will open at 8:00 a.m. and will remain open until 8:00 p.m.

<b>ARTICLE 1. To elect the following school district officers:</b>
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**School Board:**

One member from Kingston for three years

One member from Newton for three years

One member at large from Kingston/Newton for three years



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### **Moderator:**

One elected for one year

### **Budget Committee:**

One member from Newton for three years  
One member from Kingston for three years  
One member from Kingston for one year

### **ARTICLE 2. General Acceptance of Reports**

Shall the reports of school district agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen be accepted and placed on file?

### **ARTICLE 3. Operating Budget**

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District 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 at the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling thirty-six million, four hundred and sixteen thousand, three hundred and seventy-two Dollars (\$36,416,372)? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be thirty-six million, six hundred and sixty-three thousand, four hundred and twenty-five Dollars (\$36,663,425), the same as last year with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Sanborn Regional School District 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 warrant article does not include appropriations in any other warrant article.)

***Recommended by the Budget Committee In Favor: 6 Opposed: 1***

***Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0***

#### ***Operating Budget Estimated Tax Impact***

***Kingston: \$ 0.62 /\$1,000 Newton: \$ 0.61 /\$1,000***

#### ***Default Budget Estimated Tax Impact***

***Kingston: \$0.78 /\$1,000 Newton: \$0.82 /\$1,000***



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**ARTICLE 4. Administrators Collective Bargaining Agreement**

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement for administrators reached between the School Board and the Teamsters Local 633 which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at current staffing levels over the amount paid in the prior fiscal year:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Estimated Increases</u>
2020-2021	\$14,355.59

and further, to raise and appropriate the sum of Fourteen Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-Five Dollars and Fifty-Nine Cents (\$14,355.59) for the 2020-21 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits required by the new agreement over those of the appropriation at the current staffing levels?

***Recommended by the Budget Committee In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0***

***Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board In Favor: 5 Opposed: 2***

***Estimated Tax Impact Kingston: \$0.01 /\$1,000 Newton: \$0.01 /\$1,000***

**ARTICLE 5. Special Meeting – Administrators Collective Bargaining Agreement**

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District if Article 4 is defeated, authorize the governing body to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 4 cost items only?

***Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board In Favor: 5 Opposed: 2***

**ARTICLE 6. Sale of Seminary Property**

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District sell a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon which include the Seminary, old High School, gym, two outbuildings and parking areas located at 178 Main Street in Kingston and designated as Tax Map R34, Lot 17 for \$200,000 payable over a term of years, and authorize the School Board to enter into long-term lease agreements with the buyer for the gym and two outbuildings for One Dollar each rental year and on the other terms and conditions determined by the School Board,



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and further authorize the School Board to take any and all necessary action to carry out this vote including the acquisition and/or conveyance of any necessary easements?

***Recommended by the Budget Committee      In Favor: 6 Opposed: 1***

***Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board   In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0***

### **ARTICLE 7. Lease of Sanborn Regional Middle School**

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District authorize the School Board to enter into a long-term lease for the Sanborn Regional Middle School located at 31A West Main Street, Newton, New Hampshire, and designated as Parcel ID 06-07-04 and Parcel ID 06-06-05, and further authorize the School Board to negotiate the terms and conditions of the lease and take any other action necessary to carry out this vote?

***Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board   In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0***

### **ARTICLE 8. Before/After School And Summer Activities Revolving Fund**

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District establish a Before/After School and Summer Activities Revolving Fund in accordance with RSA 194:3-c to be funded by receipts from before/after school and summer activities, for the purpose of supporting those programs with amounts to be withdrawn from the revolving fund and disbursed monthly as needed?

***Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board   In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0***

***Estimated Tax Impact   Kingston: \$0.00 /\$1,000      Newton: \$0.00 /\$1,000***

### **ARTICLE 9. Capital Reserve Fund-Unanticipated Educational Expenses**

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District vote to raise and appropriate seventy-five thousand Dollars (\$75,000) to be placed in the Capital Reserve Fund-Unanticipated Educational Expenses established at the 2019 Annual Meeting. This sum to come from June 30 fund balance available for transfer on July 1 instead of returning the money to the community. No amount to be raised from taxation.



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***Recommended by the Budget Committee      In Favor: 6 Opposed: 1***

***Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board      In Favor: 7 Opposed: 0***

***Estimated Tax Impact      Kingston: \$0.00 /\$1,000      Newton: \$0.00 /\$1,000***

**ARTICLE 10. Capital Reserve Fund-Capital Improvement and Maintenance**

Shall the Sanborn Regional School District vote to raise and appropriate a sum up to fifty thousand Dollars (\$50,000) to be added to the Capital Improvement and Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from June 30 fund balance available for transfer on July 1 instead of returning the money to the community. No amount to be raised from taxation.

***Recommended by the Budget Committee      In Favor: 5 Opposed: 3***

***Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board      In Favor: 3 Opposed: 3***

***Estimated Tax Impact      Kingston: \$0.00 /\$1,000      Newton: \$0.00 /\$1,000***

**ARTICLE 11. Partial Funding for Sanborn Ice Hockey Team**

Submitted by petition: If Article 3 (Operating Budget) is approved by the voters, this article shall be deemed null and void. On behalf of the partially self-funded Sanborn Ice Hockey Team and registered voters of Kingston and Newton shall the Sanborn Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of Eleven Thousand Sixty Eight Dollars (\$11,068) to partially fund the High School hockey team. These funds shall be used to cover all non-Ice Time expenses to include: away game transportation; coaching stipends; game official fees; uniforms and athletic dues/fees. If this article is approved by the voters, all non-Ice Time expenses will be included in subsequent operating budgets when an ice hockey team is in existence. (The Sanborn Ice Hockey team is playing its eighth season with the last five years as a varsity program. The costs associated with each of the eight seasons have been covered by the fundraising efforts of the Sanborn Ice Hockey Boosters Club. This article provides partial funding for varsity ice hockey with an additional \$14,500 of funding to come from the Sanborn Ice Hockey Boosters Club to cover Ice-Time expenses.)



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***Recommended by the Budget Committee    In Favor: 6    Opposed: 1***

***Recommended by the Sanborn Regional School Board    In Favor: 7    Opposed: 0***

***Estimated Tax Impact    Kingston: \$0.00/\$1,000    Newton: \$0.00/\$1,000***

Given under our hands at said Kingston this \_\_\_\_ day of January 2020.

SANBORN REGIONAL  
SCHOOL BOARD

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A true copy of warrant – attest:

SANBORN REGIONAL  
SCHOOL BOARD

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