

total # of voters 538

OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
NEW HAVEN, VERMONT
MARCH 3, 2015

BALLOT 1 OF 2

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.

<p>FOR BEEMAN SCHOOL DIRECTOR</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>3 year term PHYLLIS L. SMITH <input type="radio"/> <i>442</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE</p> <p>Vote for not more than TWO</p> <p>2 year term MICHAELA GRANSTROM <input type="radio"/> <i>463</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>KATHERINE SELBY <input type="radio"/> <i>405</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR SELECTBOARD</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>3 year term CHARLES ROY <input type="radio"/> <i>222</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>JIM WALSH <input type="radio"/> <i>283</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR TOWN AGENT</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>1 year term <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>
<p>FOR BEEMAN SCHOOL DIRECTOR</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>3 year term BRAD BULL <input type="radio"/> <i>431</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR LISTER</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>3 year term <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>MT. ABE SCHOOL DIRECTOR</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>2 year term AMANDA BOLDUC <input type="radio"/> <i>437</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR TOWN AGENT</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>1 year term <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>
<p>FOR DELINQUENT TAX COLLECTOR</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>1 year term SYLVIA SUE FORD <input type="radio"/> <i>462</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR MODERATOR</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>1 year term PAM MARSH <input type="radio"/> <i>459</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>MT. ABE SCHOOL DIRECTOR</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>3 year term <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC FUNDS</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>1 year term TOWN TREASURER <input type="radio"/> <i>334</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>
<p>FOR TOWN GRAND JUROR</p> <p>Vote for not more than TWO</p> <p>1 year term EARL BESSETTE <input type="radio"/> <i>488</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>FOR SELECTBOARD</p> <p>Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>2 year term STEVE DUPOISE <input type="radio"/> <i>278</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>SUSAN SMILEY <input type="radio"/> <i>243</i> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p>	<p>ARTICLES</p>	

ARTICLE 6. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to adopt the proposed Road Fund Budget of \$1,065,210.00, less anticipated revenues of \$317,626.00, less 2014 surplus of \$112,116.60, leaving a portion thereof in the amount of \$635,467.40, to be raised by taxes, for the purpose of maintaining town roads for the year 2015? By Australian Ballot.

YES *373* NO *96*

ARTICLE 7. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to adopt the proposed General Fund Budget in the amount of \$625,311.00, less anticipated revenues of \$180,014.00, less 2014 surplus of \$151,648.01, leaving a portion thereof in the amount of \$293,648.99, to be raised by taxes. This amount to be increased by any additional monies voted affirmatively by Australian Ballot on March 3, 2015. The tax rate to be determined by the Selectboard. By Australian Ballot.

YES *363* NO *104*

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE 8. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to expend up to \$40,000.00 from the Road Equipment Fund for the purchase of a used loader? By Australian Ballot.

YES 371
NO 145

ARTICLE 9. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven establish compensation of \$20.00 per meeting per member present for the Development Review Board and Planning Commission members for a potential budget increase of \$8,268.00? By Australian Ballot.

YES 217
NO 288

ARTICLE 10. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$5,000.00 for the Riverside Cemetery Fund for a new fence? By Australian Ballot.

YES 387
NO 126

ARTICLE 11. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to expend up to \$40,000.00 to replace the flooring on the first level of the town hall from the reserve facilities fund? By Australian Ballot.

YES 318
NO 198

ARTICLE 12. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate up to \$25,000.00 to oppose solar arrays that do not conform to the Town Plan? By Australian Ballot.

YES 276
NO 243

ARTICLE 13. We the undersigned voters of the Town of New Haven, Pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 4442(d), hereby petition the Selectboard of the Town of New Haven to call a special meeting/town wide vote to consider whether the amendment that affects only and more specifically the remaining portion of parcel #0787 on map 12, the southwest corner of Belden Falls Road and Route 7, not currently designated as Highway Commercial, should be changed from its designation as "Rural Agricultural District (RA-5 and RA-10)" pursuant to section 1002 and 1003 (NHZB) to "Highway commercial District (HC)" pursuant to section 1005 (NHZB). By Australian Ballot.

YES 271
NO 245

ARTICLE 14. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$1,700.00 for the Addison County Community Action Group (ACCAG), d.b.a. HOPE? By Australian Ballot.

YES
NO

ARTICLE 15. Shall the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$500.00 for ADDISON COUNTY COURT DIVERSION AND COMMUNITY JUSTICE PROJECTS, INC. to help provide restorative justice projects for offenders who have potential to learn from their mistakes and avoid incarceration and a criminal record, said sum to come from Town Funds? By Australian Ballot.

YES
NO

ARTICLE 16. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$1,753.25 for the Addison County Home Health and Hospice, Inc.? By Australian Ballot.

YES
NO

ARTICLE 17. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$1,800.00 for the Addison County Parent/Child Center? By Australian Ballot.

YES
NO

ARTICLE 18. Shall the Town of New Haven appropriate \$750.00 for Addison County Readers, Inc. to be taken from Town Funds for the purpose of improving literacy skills for children under 5 years of age? By Australian Ballot.

YES
NO

ARTICLE 19. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$500.00 for the Addison County Riverwatch Collaborative. These funds will help support the Collaborative's continued water quality work: sampling sites on the Otter Creek and the New Haven River within the Town of New Haven, analyzing the data, and reporting water quality information to the public? By Australian Ballot.

YES
NO

ARTICLE 20. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$4,694.00 for Addison County Transit Resources to be taken from Town Funds for the purpose of maintaining and improving public transportation services for elders, persons with disabilities and the general public? By Australian Ballot.

YES
NO

ARTICLE 21. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$500.00 for the Bristol Family Center? By Australian Ballot.

YES
NO

ARTICLE 22. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$2,500.00 to Bristol Recreation Department? By Australian Ballot.

YES
NO

GO TO NEXT BALLOT AND CONTINUE VOTING

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE 23. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$700.00 for the Champlain Valley Agency on Aging? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 24. Shall the voters of Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$1,750.00 for the Counseling Service of Addison County? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 25. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven appropriate \$700.00 for the Elderly Services Inc.? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 26. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$400.00 for the Hospice Volunteer Services? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 27. Shall the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$750.00 to the Addison County Humane Society, Inc., d.b.a. Homeward Bound Animal Welfare Center? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 28. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$1,075.00 for the John W. Graham Emergency Shelter Services, Inc.? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 29. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$500.00 for the Open Door Clinic? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 30. Shall the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate the sum of \$950.00 to the Otter Creek Child Center, Inc. located in Middlebury, Vermont, to support the center's need-based Tuition Assistance Program and its mission to provide quality, affordable early care and education to the Addison County community? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 31. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$390.00 for the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 32. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$525.00 for Vermont Adult Learning? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 33. Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$215.00 for the Vermont Center for Independent Living? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

ARTICLE 34. Shall the Town of New Haven appropriate the sum of \$1,250.00 to WomanSafe, Inc. to support their mission to: work toward the elimination of physical, sexual and emotional violence against woman and their children through direct service, education and social change? By Australian Ballot. **YES** **NO**

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING