

**Town Meeting Warning**  
**262<sup>nd</sup> Annual Town Meeting of New Haven, Vermont**

The legal voters of the Town of New Haven are hereby warned and notified to meet at the Town Hall in New Haven, Vermont on **Monday, March 4, 2024, at 6:30 PM** to act on Articles 1 through 3; and on **Tuesday, March 5, 2024, from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM** to vote by Australian Ballot on Articles 4 through 11.

**A DISCUSSION PERIOD FOR THE AUSTRALIAN BALLOT ARTICLES WILL BEGIN IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING TOWN MEETING.**

**ARTICLE 1.** Shall the Town of New Haven vote to pay real estate taxes to the Town Treasurer on October 1, 2024; delinquent taxes to be subject to interest charges of one percent per month, and an eight percent penalty charged against them from October 2, 2024?

**ARTICLE 2.** Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven accept the Auditors' Report for the year 2023?

**ARTICLE 3.** To transact, vote and act upon any further non-binding business, which may legally come before this meeting.

**ARTICLE 4.** To elect the following Town Officers by Australian Ballot:

Auditor	3 years
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Delinquent Tax Collector	1 year
Library Trustee	3 years
Lister	3 years
Moderator	1 year
Mt. Abe Unified School District Director	2 year
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Selectboard	2 years
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Trustee of Public Funds	1 year

**ARTICLE 5.** Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to adopt the proposed Road Fund Budget of \$1,176,162.69 less anticipated revenues of \$97,000 less 2023 surplus of \$169,653.94, leaving a portion thereof in the amount of \$909,508.75 to be raised by taxes, for the purpose of maintaining town roads for the year 2024?  
By Australian Ballot.

**ARTICLE 6.** Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to adopt the proposed General Fund Budget in the amount of \$1,414,246.48 (General Fund expenses, \$814,246.48 plus school payment due \$600,000.00) less anticipated revenues of \$178,215.00, less 2023 surplus of \$736,395.55, leaving a portion thereof in the amount of \$499,635.93, to be raised by taxes? This amount to be increased by any additional monies voted affirmatively by Australian Ballot on March 5, 2024. The tax rate is to be determined by the Selectboard. By Australian Ballot.

**ARTICLE 7:** Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to expend up to \$20,000.00 from the Reserve Facilities Fund to do repairs to the geothermal system in the Town Offices and Library? By Australian Ballot.

**ARTICLE 8.** Shall the voters of the Town of New Haven vote to extend the office of Delinquent Tax Collector from a 1-year term to a 3-year term beginning in 2025? By Australian Ballot.

**ARTICLE 9.** Shall the Town of New Haven vote to appropriate \$1,200.00 for the Have a Heart Food Shelf? By Australian Ballot.

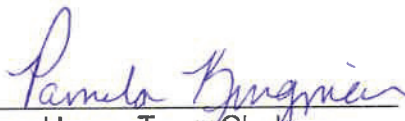
**ARTICLE 10.** Shall the Town appropriate \$1,200.00 to the Open-Door Clinic, Community Health Services of Addison County which provides access to high quality dental and healthcare, free of charge, to those who are uninsured or under-insured in accordance with 24 V.S.A. §2691? By Australian Ballot.

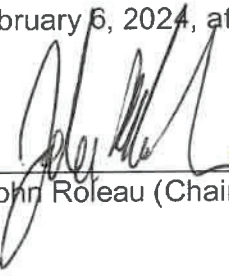
**ARTICLE 11.** Shall the Town of New Haven appropriate \$1,000.00 to the Turning Point Center of Addison County for the purpose of supporting its mission to assist persons, their families, and their friends in recovery from substance use disorder and addictive behaviors? By Australian Ballot.

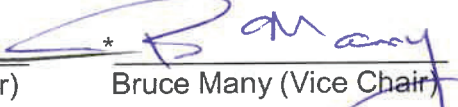
Dated at New Haven, Vermont, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of February 2024.

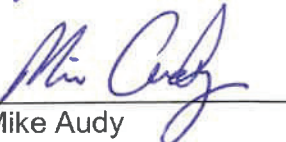
Received for Record:

February 6, 2024, at 7:00 pm Attest:

  
New Haven Town Clerk

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John Roleau (Chair)

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Bruce Many (Vice Chair)

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Mike Audy

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Kathy Barrett

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Marie Jewett

\*\*\*\*Original signatures on file at the New Haven Town Clerk's Office\*\*\*\*