

BRENTWOOD

OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL ELECTION
EXETER REGION COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT
MARCH 13, 2012

Susan E.H. Pendroth
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.

THESE POSITIONS ARE ELECTED BY THE VOTERS OF ALL SIX TOWNS OF THE
EXETER REGION COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

FOR EXETER MEMBER
ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL BOARD

For Term Ending 2015 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

TOWNLEY CHISHOLM 212

MARGARET BISHOP 212

(Write-in)

FOR COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL DISTRICT
MODERATOR

For Term Ending 2013 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

CHARLES F. TUCKER 434

(Write-in)

FOR EXETER MEMBER
ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL DISTRICT
BUDGET COMMITTEE

For Term Ending 2015 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

CARL ROBERTSON 408

(Write-in)

FOR NEWFIELDS MEMBER
ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL BOARD

For Term Ending 2015 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

ALICIA K. HESLOP 389

(Write-in)

FOR EAST KINGSTON
MEMBER ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL DISTRICT
BUDGET COMMITTEE

For Term Ending 2015 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

DAVID PENDELL 391

(Write-in)

FOR STRATHAM MEMBER
ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL DISTRICT
BUDGET COMMITTEE

For Term Ending 2015 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

SUSAN CANADA 397

(Write-in)

FOR STRATHAM MEMBER
ON COOPERATIVE
SCHOOL BOARD

For Term Ending 2015 Election
VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE

HELEN M. JOYCE 395

(Write-in)

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

ARTICLES

1. Shall the 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 of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$49,945,945? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be \$49,365,552, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the 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. (The School Board and Budget Advisory Committee both recommend \$49,945,945 as set forth on said budget.)

YES 274
NO 239

2. Shall the District approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Exeter Region Cooperative School Board and the Exeter Area Administrators' Association covering the two-year period from September 1, 2012 to August 31, 2014 which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels:

Year	Estimated Increase
2012-13	\$ 27,863
2013-14	\$ 30,592

YES 259
NO 255

and further raise and appropriate the sum of \$27,863, for the 2012-13 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 paid in the prior fiscal year? Pursuant to RSA 273-A:12, if approved, the terms of this collective bargaining agreement, including the pay plan, but excluding cost of living increases, will continue in force and effect until a new agreement is executed. (The School Board and the Budget Advisory Committee both recommend this appropriation.)

3. Shall the District approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Exeter Region Cooperative School Board and the Exeter Cooperative Paraprofessional Association covering the three-year period from September 1, 2012 to August 31, 2015 which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels:

Year	Estimated Increase
2012-13	\$ 44,962
2013-14	\$ 69,641
2014-15	\$ 70,863

238
YES
NO 279

and further raise and appropriate the sum of \$44,962 for the 2012-13 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 paid in the prior fiscal year? Pursuant to RSA 273-A:12, if approved, the terms of this collective bargaining agreement, including the pay plan, but excluding cost of living increases, will continue in force and effect until a new agreement is executed. (The School Board and the Budget Advisory Committee both recommend this appropriation.)

4. Shall the District approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Exeter Region Cooperative School Board and the Exeter Education Association covering the two-year period from September 1, 2012 to August 31, 2014 which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels:

Year	Estimated Increase
2012-13	\$ 357,836
2013-14	\$ 601,800

218
YES
NO 299

and further raise and appropriate the sum of \$357,836 for the 2012-13 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 paid in the prior fiscal year? Pursuant to RSA 273-A:12, if approved, the terms of this collective bargaining agreement, including the pay plan, but excluding cost of living increases, will continue in force and effect until a new agreement is executed. (The School Board and the Budget Advisory Committee both recommend this appropriation.)

5. Shall the District raise and appropriate to the expendable trust fund known as the "Maintenance Fund" (established by the 2001 District meeting under RSA 198:20-c for the purpose of funding long term and/or unexpected maintenance/repair projects of school buildings and grounds) the sum of the amount of the June 30, 2012 undesignated fund balance (surplus) up to \$150,000? (The School Board and Budget Advisory Committee both recommend this appropriation.)

276
YES
NO 190

6. Shall the District approve the transfer of duties for the Trustee of Trust Funds for the Cooperative School District from the East Kingston Trustees to the Exeter Trustees?

275
YES
NO 191

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING