

OFFICIAL BALLOT – KEARSARGE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION, March 11, 2025

Question 1 To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the Municipal Budget Committee’s recommended amount **\$55,387,481** for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for the school district officials and agents, and for the payment for the statutory obligations of the District. The School Board recommends **\$55,387,481**. This article does not include appropriations voted in other warrant articles. This warrant article asks the voters to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, the salaries of School District Officials and Agents, and for the statutory obligations of said District, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the State sources, together with other income, the School Board to certify to the Selectmen of each of the Towns of Bradford, New London, Newbury, Springfield, Sutton, Warner, and Wilmot, the amount to be raised by taxation by said towns. (School Board Recommends 6-0) (Municipal Budget Committee Recommends 6-1)

Vote {X} for only one: A or B

- A. \$55,387,481 for the proposed Operating Budget recommended by the School Board A
- B. \$55,387,481 for the proposed Operating Budget recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee..B

Question 2 To see if the School District will vote to approve the cost item included in the Collective Bargaining Agreement reached between the Kearsarge Regional School Board and the Kearsarge Regional Educators Association which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits:

<i>Year</i>	<i>Estimated Increase</i>
2025-2026	\$857,617
2026-2027	\$879,608
2027-2028	\$861,580

And further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 857,617 for the 2025-2026 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits required by the new agreement over those that would be paid at current staffing levels. (School Board Recommends 6-0) (Municipal Budget Committee Recommends 7-0)

SAMPLE

YES NO

Question 3 To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate up to \$100,000 to be placed in the School Buildings Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund for the purpose of repair, unanticipated utility costs, and maintaining the school buildings and equipment, with such amount to be funded from unassigned fund balance (surplus funds) remaining on hand as of June 30, 2025. (School Board Recommends 6-0) (Municipal Budget Committee Recommends 6-1)

YES NO

Question 4 To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate up to \$100,000 to be placed in the Capital Reserve Roof Fund for the purpose of replacement or major repairs to roofs in the district with such amounts to be funded from unassigned fund balance (surplus funds) remaining on hand as of June 30, 2025. (School Board Recommends 6-0) (Municipal Budget Committee Recommends 6-1)

YES NO

For Moderator for 1 Year:
(Vote for One)

Derek D. Lick

(WRITE IN)