



**ABSENTEE  
OFFICIAL BALLOT  
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION  
CANDIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MARCH 8, 2016**

BALLOT 1 OF 2

*Christine Dupont*  
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.

<p align="center"><b>SELECTMAN</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 3 year term more than Two</p> <p>RUSSELL DANN <u>623</u></p> <p>MARK LALIBERTE <u>720</u></p> <p>CARLETON ROBIE <u>604</u></p> <p>CRAIG SANDLER <u>93</u></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 1 year term more than One</p> <p>CARLETON ROBIE <u>989</u></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center"><b>PLANNING BOARD</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 3 year term more than Two</p> <p>ALBERT HALL III <u>987</u></p> <p>Ken Kustra <u>110</u></p> <p>Rudy Cartier <u>40</u></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>BUDGET COMMITTEE</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 3 year term more than Two</p> <p>ROBERT STOUT <u>751</u></p> <p>SUSAN GILL <u>784</u></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p align="center"><b>TAX COLLECTOR</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 3 year term more than One</p> <p>CANDICE STAMATELOS <u>1,084</u></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>BUDGET COMMITTEE</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 1 year term more than One</p> <p>DANA BUCKLEY <u>443</u></p> <p>JODI HEDSTROM <u>460</u></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>SUPERVISOR OF THE CHECKLIST</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 6 year term more than One</p> <p>CANDICE STAMATELOS <u>1,035</u></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p align="center"><b>TREASURER</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 3 year term more than One</p> <p>KATHLEEN PHILBRICK <u>1,083</u></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>BUDGET COMMITTEE</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 3 year term more than Two</p> <p>THOMAS DIMAGGIO <u>841</u></p> <p>MICHAEL POULIOT <u>778</u></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>CEMETERY TRUSTEE</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 3 year term more than Two</p>
<p align="center"><b>TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS</b></p> <p align="center">Vote for not 3 year term more than One</p> <p>CAROL COPPOLA <u>1,042</u></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>		

**ARTICLES**

**ARTICLE 2.**  
**Are you in favor of Article 2 as follows:**

To see if the Town will vote to 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 **\$2,542,012** Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be **\$2,386,690**, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Candia 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. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES 823  
NO 294

**TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING**

ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE 3.

Are you in favor of Article 3 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Eight Hundred and Seven Dollars (**\$6,807**) in support of the **Rockingham County Community Action**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 6 to 2)

YES **846**  
NO **309**

ARTICLE 4.

Are you in favor of Article 4 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (**\$4,000**) in continuation of its support of the **Visiting Nurse Association of Manchester and Southern New Hampshire**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 6 to 2)

YES **976**  
NO **193**

ARTICLE 5.

Are you in favor of Article 5 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (**\$3,250**) in continuation of its support of the **American Red Cross**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 6 to 2)

YES **902**  
NO **255**

ARTICLE 6.

Are you in favor of Article 6 as follows:

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-Four Dollars (**\$1,854**) in continuation of its support of the **Lamprey Health Care**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 6 to 2)

YES **808**  
NO **350**

ARTICLE 7.

Are you in favor of Article 7 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (**\$1,250**) in continuation of its support of the **Child Advocacy Center**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES **982**  
NO **186**

ARTICLE 8.

Are you in favor of Article 8 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (**\$1,000**) in continuation of its support of **Big Brother/Big Sister**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 6 to 2)

YES **886**  
NO **276**

ARTICLE 9.

Are you in favor of Article 9 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (**\$1,000**) in continuation of its support of the **Child and Family Services**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 6 to 2)

YES **934**  
NO **227**

ARTICLE 10.

Are you in favor of Article 10 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Nine Hundred and Twenty Six Dollars (**\$926**) in continuation of its support of the **Rockingham County Nutrition and Meals on Wheels Program**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 6 to 2)

YES **1,012**  
NO **150**

ARTICLE 11.

Are you in favor of Article 11 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars (**\$700**) in continuation of its support of the **Aids Response Seacoast**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 6 to 2)

YES **726**  
NO **424**

ARTICLE 12.

Are you in favor of Article 12 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (**\$500**) in continuation of its support of the **CASA** (Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children). (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 6 to 2)

YES **967**  
NO **198**

GO TO NEXT BALLOT AND CONTINUE VOTING



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BALLOT 2 OF 2

*Christine Dupare*  
TOWN CLERK

**ARTICLES CONTINUED**

**ARTICLE 13.**

**Are you in favor of Article 13 as follows:**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars (\$225) in continuation of its support of the **Retired and Senior Volunteer Program**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 6 to 2)

YES **981**  
NO **198**

**ARTICLE 14.**

**Are you in favor of Article 14 as follows:**

To see if the Town will vote to create an expendable trust fund under the provisions of RSA 31:19-a, to be known as the **Smyth Memorial Building Fund** for the purpose of the preservation and restoration of the Smyth Memorial Building commonly known as the Old Library and to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500) to be placed in this fund and appoint the Selectmen as agents to expend from the fund. (Recommended by the Board church of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 5 to 3)

YES **759**  
NO **416**

**ARTICLE 15.**

**Are you in favor of Article 15 as follows:**

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) to be placed in the existing **Town Office Building Maintenance Trust Fund**. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES **954**  
NO **212**

**ARTICLE 16.**

**Are you in favor of Article 16 as follows:**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) to be placed in the existing **Revaluation Capital Reserve** fund for the Future Revaluation of the municipality. Said funds to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES **810**  
NO **335**

**ARTICLE 17.**

**Are you in favor of Article 17 as follows:**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000) for the operation and maintenance of the **Fitts Museum**. Said funds to be expended under the direction of the Trustees of the Fitts Museum. (By request of the Trustees of the Fitts Museum) (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES **895**  
NO **279**

**ARTICLE 18.**

**Are you in favor of Article 18 as follows:**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) for excess **winter road maintenance**, these funds will not be used unless the operating winter maintenance funds are exhausted. This will be non-transferable appropriation. Said funds to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES **1,004**  
NO **179**

**ARTICLE 19.**

**Are you in favor of Article 19 as follows:**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00) for the **second phase of Chester Turnpike reconstruction**. Said funds to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen. (Submitted by the Road Agent) (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES **887**  
NO **290**

**ARTICLE 20.**

**Are you in favor of Article 20 as follows:**

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000.00) to **rebuild Diamond Hill Road**. Said funds to be expended under the direction of the Board of the Selectmen. (Submitted by the Road Agent) (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES **783**  
NO **379**

**TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING**

ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE 21.

Are you in favor of Article 21 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Seven Thousand Dollars (\$37,000) for the implementation of a **mosquito control program** designed to reduce the risk of exposure to mosquito-borne diseases such as EEE and West Nile Virus. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 4 to 1) (Not recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 4 to 4)

YES 735  
NO 441

ARTICLE 22.

Are you in favor of Article 22 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500) to be used for **localized mosquito spraying**. Adulticiding is a supplement to the larvicide program to reduce the risk of exposure to the mosquito-borne diseases if **EEE or the West Nile Virus is detected** within the Town of Candia. **If Article 21 is approved Article 22 will be obsolete.** (Recommended by the Board of Selectman by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES 943  
NO 232

ARTICLE 23.

Are you in favor of Article 23 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) to be deposited in the **Fire Apparatus Capital Reserve Fund**, established under RSA 35:1 at the March 1991 Town Meeting, for the future purchase of the fire apparatus and equipment with the Selectmen appointed as agents. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES 1,008  
NO 176

ARTICLE 24.

Are you in favor of Article 24 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Twenty Five Thousand One Hundred Fifty Seven dollars (\$125,157.00) for the operating expenses of the **Smyth Public Library**. Funds are to be expended under the direction of the Smyth Public Library Association. (Submitted by the Smyth Public Library Trustees) (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 5 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES 945  
NO 236

ARTICLE 25.

Are you in favor of Article 25 as follows:

To see if the Town will vote to create a **General Cemetery Maintenance Trust Fund** under RSA 31:19-a, with the principal of the fund being restricted, and the income from the principal being expendable. (Article by request of the Cemetery Trustees)

YES 858  
NO 291

ARTICLE 26.

Are you in favor of Article 26 as follows:

To see if the town will vote to eliminate the position of elected cemetery superintendent and allow the cemetery trustees to appoint a **sexton or custodian** in accordance with the authority vested in the trustees under RSA 289:7,II.

YES 779  
NO 345

ARTICLE 27.

Are you in favor of Article 27 as follows:

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$17,500.00 to the **Candia Youth Athletic Association** for the specific expenses of providing youth recreation programs to the children of Candia. Said expenses to be expended under the direction of the Candia Youth Athletic Association Board of Directors in accordance with the approved budgets. Submitted by petition. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen by a vote of 4 to 0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee by a vote of 8 to 0)

YES 903  
NO 287

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING



**ABSENTEE  
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ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION  
CANDIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MARCH 8, 2016**

*Jennifer Maurice*  
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

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**SCHOOL DISTRICT  
MODERATOR**

1 year term Vote for not  
more than One

H. CLARK THYNG 1,084



(Write-in)

**SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK**

1 year term Vote for not  
more than One

JENNIFER MAURICE 1,065



(Write-in)

**SCHOOL DISTRICT  
TREASURER**

1 year term Vote for not  
more than One

MARTHA EKROTH 1,054



(Write-in)

**SCHOOL BOARD**

3 year term Vote for not  
more than One

KIM ROYER 1,025



(Write-in)

**ARTICLES**

Warrant Article # 2

**Are you in favor of Article 2 as follows:**

Shall the Candia School District vote to approve the costs items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Candia School Board and the Candia Education Association, which calls for the following increase in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels over the amount paid in the prior fiscal year:

YES 730  
NO 431

<u>Year</u>	<u>Estimated Increase</u>
2016-2017	\$72,901

and further to raise and appropriate \$72,901 for the 2016 – 2017 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? (Recommended by the School Board 5-0) (Not Recommended by the Budget Committee 4-4)

**TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING**

ARTICLES CONTINUED

Warrant Article #3

Are you in favor of Article 3 as follows:

Shall the Candia 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 of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$8,137,089? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$8,113,187, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Candia 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. (Recommended by the School Board 5-0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee 8-0)

YES 882  
NO 293

Warrant Article #4

Are you in favor of Article 4 as follows:

Shall the Candia School District vote to approve a tuition agreement between the Candia School District and Pinkerton Academy, as negotiated by the School Board, which provides for an initial term beginning on July 1, 2018 and ending on June 30, 2038; and to authorize the School Board to take such other and further acts necessary to give effect to this resolution, including the adoption of minor amendments to the agreement, from time-to-time during its term, without further action by the School District Meeting? (This agreement received State Board of Education approval on November 18, 2015.) (Recommended by the School Board 5-0)

YES 1,091  
NO 113

Warrant Article #5

Are you in favor of Article 5 as follows:

Shall the Candia School District raise and appropriate up to \$27,000 to be added to the Special Education Expendable Trust Fund previously established in March 2003? This sum to come from June 30, 2016 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2016. No amount to be raised from taxation. (Recommended by the School Board 5-0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee 8-0)

YES 987  
NO 260

Warrant Article #6

Are you in favor of Article 6 as follows:

Are you in favor of changing the terms of the School District Clerk, Moderator, and Treasurer from one year to three years, beginning with the terms of the School District Clerk, Moderator and Treasurer to be elected at next year's regular School District Meeting? (Recommended by the School Board 5-0)

YES 930  
NO 254

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING

Total Votes Cast: 1,228

A True Copy of Record Attest:  
Christine Dupree  
Candia Town Clerk