



**ABSENTEE
OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION
CANDIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 12, 2013**

Cheryl A. Bond
CHERYL BOND
SCHOOL DISTRICT 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">SCHOOL DISTRICT MODERATOR</p> <p align="center">1 year term Vote for not more than One</p> <p>H. CLARK THYNG <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER</p> <p align="center">1 year term Vote for not more than One</p> <p>THOMAS DIMAGGIO <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER</p> <p align="center">3 year term Vote for not more than One</p> <p>KIM ROYER <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>
<p align="center">SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK</p> <p align="center">1 year term Vote for not more than One</p> <p>CHERYL BOND <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>		

ARTICLES

Article 1

Are you in favor of the adoption of Article 1 as follows:

YES

NO

- (1) Shall the 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:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Estimated Increase</u>
2013-2014	\$53,137
2014-2015	\$65,146
2015-2016	\$50,513

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty-three thousand one hundred thirty-seven dollars (\$53,137) for the 2013-2014 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) (Recommended by the Budget Committee)

Article 2

Are you in favor of the adoption of Article 2 as follows:

YES

NO

- (2) Shall the District vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Candia School Board and the Candia Educational Support Professionals, which calls for the following increase in salaries and benefits at current staffing levels over the amount paid in the prior fiscal year:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Estimated Increase</u>
2012-2013	\$0
2013-2014	\$5,772

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of five thousand seven hundred seventy-two dollars (\$5,772) for the 2013-2014 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) (Recommended by the Budget Committee)

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article 3

Are you in favor of the adoption of Article 3 as follows :

YES

NO

- (3) Shall the District 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 purpose set forth therein, totaling eight million, forty-two thousand, fifty-five dollars (\$8,042,055)? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be seven million, eight hundred ninety-three thousand, seven hundred fifty-three dollars (\$7,893,753) 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. (This article does not include appropriations in any other warrant articles. (Recommended by the School Board) (Recommended by the Budget Committee)

Article 4

Are you in favor of the adoption of Article 4 as follows:

YES

NO

- (4) Shall the District vote to raise and appropriate a sum up to twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500) to be added to the Technology Expendable Trust Fund established in March 2007 and to authorize use/transfer in that amount from the June 30, 2013 fund balance (surplus)? (Recommended by the School Board) (Recommended by the Budget Committee)

Article 5

Are you in favor of the adoption of Article 5 as follows:

YES

NO

- (5) Shall the District vote to raise and appropriate up to the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) to be added to the Candia School Facility Needs Capital Reserve Fund established in March 2006 and to authorize use/transfer in that amount from the June 30, 2013 undesignated fund balance (surplus)? (Recommended by the School Board) (Recommended by the Budget Committee)

Article 6

Are you in favor of the adoption of Article 6 as follows:

YES

NO

- (6) Shall the District vote to authorize, indefinitely until rescinded, the retention of year-end unassigned general funds in an amount not to exceed, in any fiscal year, 2.5 percent of the current fiscal year's net assessment, for the purpose of having funds on hand to use as a revenue source for emergency expenditures and over-expenditures under RSA 32:11, or to be used as a revenue source to reduce the tax rate, all in accordance with RSA 198:4-b, II? (Recommended by the School Board) (Not Recommended by the Budget Committee)

Article 7

Are you in favor of the adoption of Article 7 as amended:

YES

NO

- (7) "Are you in favor of limiting Kindergarten at the Moore School to a half day session?" This article is non-binding and advisory only. (submitted by petition)

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING