

HOLLIS/BROOKLINE COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
WARRANT  
The State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the Hollis/Brookline Cooperative School District in the Towns of Hollis and Brookline in the County of Hillsborough, State of New Hampshire qualified to vote in District Affairs.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED TO MEET AT THE HOLLIS BROOKLINE HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM IN SAID DISTRICT ON THE **FIFTEENTH DAY OF MARCH, 2022** AT SIX THIRTY IN THE EVENING TO ACT UPON THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS.

**Article 1.** To see if the School District will vote to authorize the School Board to enter into a 15-year lease purchase agreement for **\$2,886,491** to finance the acquisition and installation of energy efficient heating and cooling equipment at Hollis Brookline High School to replace aging equipment, bring comfort to staff and students and to improve energy efficiency; and to raise and appropriate the sum of **\$235,471** for payments due under the lease purchase agreement during the 2022-2023 fiscal year. This lease purchase agreement will contain an escape (non-appropriation) clause. (Majority vote required.) **The school board recommends the appropriation 6-0-0. The budget committee recommends this appropriation 8-0-0.**

**Article 2.** To see if the school district will vote to approve the cost items for the second year of a three-year collective bargaining agreement reached between the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School Board and the Hollis Education Support Staff Association for the 2021-22, 2022-23 and 2023-24 school years, which calls for the following increases in support staff salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels:

Fiscal Year	Estimated Increase
2022-23	\$88,523

and further to raise and appropriate a sum of **\$88,523** for the second fiscal year (2022-23 school year), such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in support staff salaries and benefits required by the new agreement over those that would be paid at current staffing levels. **The school board recommends this appropriation (6-0-0). The budget committee recommends this appropriation (7-0-1).**

**Article 3.** To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of **\$25,278,502** for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for the school district officials and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district. This appropriation does not include appropriations voted in other warrant articles. **The school board recommends this appropriation (6-0-0). The budget committee recommends this appropriation (8-0-0).**

**Article 4.** Shall the District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of **\$1,070,947** as the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District's portion of the SAU budget of **\$2,107,176** for the forthcoming fiscal year? This year's adjusted budget of **\$2,018,210** with **\$1,025,645** assigned to the school budget of this school district will be adopted if the article does not receive a majority vote of all the school district voters voting in this school administrative unit. **The school board recommends this appropriation (6-0-0). The budget committee recommends this appropriation (8-0-0).**

**Article 5.** To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate up to the sum of **\$200,000** to be added to the previously established School Building and Facilities Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund. The sum to come from the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District's June 30, 2022 unassigned fund balance, available on July 1, 2022. **The school board recommends this appropriation (5-0-1). The budget committee recommends this appropriation (8-0-0).**

**Article 6.** To see if the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District will vote to raise and appropriate up to the sum of **\$25,000** to come from the June 30, 2022 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2022 to be added to the previously established Special Education Expendable Trust Fund. No amount to be raised from taxation. **The school board recommends this appropriation (6-0-0). The budget committee recommends this appropriation (8-0-0).**

**Article 7. Petitioned Warrant Article.** Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 40:13 (known as SB 2) to allow official ballot voting on all issues before the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District on the second Tuesday of March? **The school board recommends this article (0-6-0).**

**Article 8. Petitioned Warrant Article.** Shall the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District rescind authorization under RSA 198:4-b II so that the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District returns 100% of year-end unassigned general funds to the taxpayers? **The school board recommends this article (0-6-0). The budget committee recommends this appropriation (0-8-0).**

**Article 9. Petitioned Warrant Article.** Shall the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District direct the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School Board to adopt and implement a policy to ensure that each textbook or other assigned book used in the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District as well as a copy of all professional training materials provided to teachers, administrators, and staff of the district paid with school district funds be made available to the public at the Hollis Social Library and at the Brookline Public Library in hardcopy or electronic form, organized by grade or teacher? **The school board recommends this article (0-6-0).**

**Article 10. Petitioned Warrant Article.** Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 32:5 V-b, requiring that the annual budget and all special warrant articles having a tax impact, as determined by the school board, shall contain a notation stating the estimated tax impact of the article? The determination of the estimated tax impact shall be subject to approval by the governing body. **The school board recommends this article (0-6-0). The budget committee recommends this article (0-8-0).**

**Article 11.** To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.