# ABSENTEE OFFICIAL BALLOT MONADNOCK REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL ELECTION MARCH 14, 2017 SWANZEY

SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

MODERATOR	SCHOOL BOARD	BUDGET COMMITTEE	
Vote for not One Year Term more than ONE	Vote for not Three Year Term more than TWO	Vote for not Three Year Term more than TWO	
BILL HUTWELKER	MICHAEL BLAIR	BRIAN BOHANNON	
	ELIZABETH TATRO	WAYNE LECHLIDER	
(Write-in)			
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	SCHOOL BOARD	BUDGET COMMITTEE	
	Vote for not	Vote for not	
THE STREET	One Year Term more than ONE  ROBERT COLBURT	Two Year Term more than TWO  WAYNE LACOSTE	
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	ARTICLES		
ARTICLE ONE: Shall the Monadnock Regional School District raise and appropriate in the operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles, which will be voted on separately, totaling \$32,746,272 (\$970,000 is required for federal grants and nutrition grants that are funded by separate State and Federal revenues)? Should this article be defeated, the default budget will be \$32,746,272 which is the same as last year with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Monadnock Regional School District by law; or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with Revised Statutes Annotated (RSA) 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. The School Board supports this article. The Budget Committee does not support this article. (Majority vote required)			
ARTICLE TWO: To see if the Monadnock Regional School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,399,999 for renovations, including asbestos abatement and other health and safety upgrades at the Mount Caesar Elementary School. This is a Special Warrant Article in accordance with RSA 32:3 VI. This will be a non-lapsing warrant article per RSA 32:7 and will not lapse until the maintenance projects are complete or June 30, 2020 whichever is earlier. The School Board supports this article. (Majority vote required).			
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# ABSENTEE OFFICIAL BALLOT MONADNOCK REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL ELECTION MARCH 14, 2017 FITZWILLIAM

ACCOUNTING SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

MODERATOR  Vote for not more than ONE  BILL HUTWELKER  (Write-in)	Vote for not	JDGET COMMITTEE  Vote for not more than ONE  (Write-in)
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# ABSENTEE OFFICIAL BALLOT MONADNOCK REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL ELECTION MARCH 14, 2017 GILSUM

ACLOUTING SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

MODERATOR	BUDGET COMMITTEE	
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special meeting, in accordance with F	Revised Statutes Annotated (RSA) 40:13, X and XVI, to take up	YES 🔾
Committee does not support this artic	get only. The School Board supports this article. The Budget	NO 🔾
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upgrades at the Mount Caesar Eleme	entary School. This is a Special Warrant Article in accordance	YES 🔾
	apsing warrant article per RSA 32:7 and will not lapse until the June 30, 2020 whichever is earlier. The School Board supports	NO 🔾
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ARTICLE THREE: To see if the Mona	dnock Regional School District will vote to raise and appropriate	
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■ Imaintenance projects are complete or June 30, 2020 whichever is earlier. The School Board supports		
	upports this article. (Majority vote required)	NO 🔾
ARTICLE FOUR: Shall the Monado	ock Regional School District raise and appropriate the sum of	YES 🔾
Article #8 of the 2012-2013 Warra	fore and After School Expendable Trust Fund created under int? The School Board supports this article. The Budget	NO O
Committee supports this article. (Maj	ority vote required)	
ARTICLE FIVE: To see if the Monadi	nock Regional School District will vote to raise and appropriate	
the sum of \$50,000 to be added to	the Special Education Expendable Trust Fund previously	YES 🔾
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# ABSENTEE OFFICIAL BALLOT MONADNOCK REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL ELECTION MARCH 14, 2017 RICHMOND

ACCOUNTING SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

MODERATOR Vote for not more than ONE  BILL HUTWELKER  (Write-in)	Vote for not	BUDGET COMMITTEE  Vote for not more than ONE  (Write-in)
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# ABSENTEE OFFICIAL BALLOT MONADNOCK REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL ELECTION MARCH 14, 2017 ROXBURY

ACCOUNTING
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.

**BUDGET COMMITTEE** 

**MODERATOR** 

Vote for not One Year Term More than ONE One Year Term More than ONE		
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ARTICLES		
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# ABSENTEE OFFICIAL BALLOT MONADNOCK REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL ELECTION MARCH 14, 2017 TROY

ACCOUNTING SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

MODERATOR Vote for not more than ONE BILL HUTWELKER  (Write-in)	SCHOOL BOARD  Vote for not more than ONE  LISA STEADMAN  (Write-in)	BUDGET COMMITTEE  Vote for not Three Year Term more than ONE  (Write-in)	
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	ARTICLES		
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V	OTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLO	Г	

#### **ARTICLES CONTINUED**

**ARTICLE SIX:** To see if the Monadnock Regional School District will vote to approve the cost items included in the three-year Collective Bargaining Agreement reached between the Monadnock Regional School Board and the Monadnock District Education Association (MDEA) for the following increases in wages and benefits at the current staffing levels.

The estimated increase in the costs for wages and benefits under the collective bargaining agreement are as follows:

ķ	Year	Estimated Increase;		
	2017-18	\$223,301 \$-80,000 \$ 3,000 \$ 25,000 \$151,447 \$ 6,500 \$ 8,150 \$ 10,000 \$ 6,380 \$ 600 \$ 660,084 \$420,462	Salaries (2.64% increase) Removal of the Sixth Class Stipend Increase in stipend for teaching two grades Retiree Insurance for two years each up to 5 retirees Insurance (Guaranteed Maximum Rate increase of 11.3%) Stipend for overnight trips Additional costs for professional development Increase for tuition reimbursement Increase for Unused leave days paid out at \$20.00 per day Increase in stipend for class coverage/substitute Wage-driven benefits (Social Security, NHRS, etc.) Salaries and Benefits	
	2018-19	\$206,005 \$150,723 \$ 25,000 \$51,707 \$433,435	Salaries (2.38% increase) Insurance (Calculated using a 7% increase) Retiree Insurance for two years each up to 5 retirees Wage-driven benefits (Social Security, NHRS, etc.) Salaries and Benefits	
	2019-20	\$ 239,188 \$158,764 <u>\$ 60,036</u> \$457,988	Salaries (2.7% increase) Insurance (Calculated using a 7% increase) Wage-driven benefits (Social Security, NHRS, etc.) Salaries and Benefits	
	appropriation at current staffing levels paid in the 2016-17 year. The School Board supports this			YES   NO
<b>ARTICLE SEVEN:</b> Shall the Monadnock Regional School District receive and approve the reports of the agents, auditors, committees and officers chosen as printed and distributed in the Annual Report? (Majority vote required).			YES   NO	
	ARTICLE EIGHT: To listen to opinions of a purely advisory nature with regards to the conduct of school affairs for the ensuing year. (Majority vote required).			
	ARTICLE NINE: Whereas the current School Board Policy BCA item #10 reads: "when the Board			



has made a final decision, members of the Board should take no private action that will compromise the Board or administration; and refrain from private actions which undermine or compromise official Board action." Will the voters of Monadnock Regional School District (MRSD) vote to have the MRSD

school board delete BCA item #10 – to provide freedom of speech as provided by the Bill of Rights – Amendment One, in our United States Constitution? (Majority Vote required). **By Petition**.

**VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT** 

YES  $\bigcirc$ 

NO  $\bigcirc$