

MARCH 5, 2019

TOWN MEETING

ARTICLE 1 IS BY AUSTRALIAN BALLOT

ARTICLE 1: TO ELECT THE FOLLOWING TOWN OFFICERS:

MODERATOR FOR ONE YEAR - PATRICK HAYES

ONE SELECTPERSON FOR TWO YEARS – TERRY WRIGHT

ONE SELECTPERSON FOR THREE YEARS – PIERRE LETOURNEAU

ONE LIBRARY TRUSTEE FOR 5 YEARS - BLANK

THREE MEMBERS OF THE FOREST COMMITTEE FOR ONE YEAR

SARAH DOWNES

BEN MADDOX

DENNIS WILLIAMS

COLLECTOR OF DELINQUENT TAXES FOR ONE YEAR – FRANCES JACKSON

ONE TOWN AGENT – BLANK

TOWN GRAND JUROR – BLANK

TWO LISTERS – GUY BREault AND BOB GEARTY

ARTICLE 2 TO SEE IF THE VOTERS WILL APPROPRIATE THE FOLLOWING

- A. \$1000 AMERICAN LEGION
- B. \$1000 ENOSBURGH TOWN BAND
- C. \$1000 ENOSBURGH CONSERVAITON COMMISSION
- D. \$2500 ENOSBURGH FOOD SHELF
- E. \$1000 ENOSBURGH HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MOTION BY EDITH HAWKSWORTH TO ACCEPT AS A GROUP AS WRITTEN, SECOND BY MICHAEL MANAHAN, NO DISCUSSION, ALL IN FAVOR, SO MOVED.

ARTICLE 3 TO SEE IF THE VOTERS WILL APPROVE THE FOLLOWING

- A. \$1000 FRANKLIN GRAND ISLE RESTORATIVE JUSTICE
- B. \$5840 FRANKLIN COUNTY HOME HEALTH
- C. \$1000 NORTHWEST UNIT FOR SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS
- D. \$1000 FRANKLIN COUNTY INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION
- E. \$ 500 MISSISQUOI RIVER BASIN
- F. \$2238 GREEN MOUNTAIN TRANSIT
- G. \$100 VT RURAL FIRE PROTECTION
- H. \$500 AGE WELL
- I. \$GREEN UP VERMONT

MOTION TO ACCEPT AS A GROUP BY MATT MINER, SECOND BY CINDY WEED, DISCUSSION ENSUED. ARTHUR STEVEN BOAL SPOKE AGAINST THE AMOUNT GIVEN TO HOME HEALTH, DAN CUNNINGHAM WHO DID A LARGE AMOUNT OF RESEARCH ON ALL APPROPRIATION REQUESTS SPOKE ABOUT THE AMOUNT AND ALSO HOW MUCH OTHER TOWNS DONATE AND THAT THIS IS THE ONLY ONE THAT RUNS A DEFICIT AND THE FUNDS ARE MUCH NEEDED TO OFFSET THIS. AT THIS TIME LARRY GERVAIS, CHAIR OF THE SELECTBOARD EXPLAINED BRIEFLY THE ROLE DAN CUNNINGHAM PLAYED IN OUR NEW PROCESS AND HOW MUCH RESEARCH AND TIME HE PUT INTO THIS ONE PART OF THE BUDGET AND HE THANKED HIM FOR ALL HIS EFFORTS. JOANNE CARR, EDITH HAWKSWORTH, BARBARA HAYES ALL SPOKE IN FAVOR OF HOW IMPORTANT HOME HEALTH IS TO OUR COMMUNITY. ALL IN FAVOR EXCEPT MR. BOAL, SO MOVED.

ARTICLE 4: WILL THE VOTERS APPROVE AN AMOUNT ON THE GRAND LIST FOR THE 2019 BUDGET? MOTION BY CINDY WEED AND SECOND BY EDITH HAWKSWORTH, DISCUSSION WITH AN AMMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLE, AMMENDMENT BY SHAWNA LOVELETTE AS PRESIDENT OF THE EBA SPOKE AND ASKED TO AMMEND THE SALARIES LINE OF THE BUDGET WITH AN INCREASE OF \$20,000.00, SANDY FERLAND SECONDED THE MOTION, DISCUSSION ENSUED. PAPER BALLOT WAS CALLED TO AMMEND THE BUDGET BY A VOTE OF 51 YES TO 37 NO. AMMENDMENT PASSED.

ARTICLE 5: NON-BINDING BUSINESS – SHARON ZECCHINLLI WANTED TO DISCUSS THE CARBON TAX THAT THE LAW MAKERS IN MONTPELIER ARE DISCUSSING, COULD BE AS MUCH AS .89 PER GALLON.

REPRESENTATIVE FOR MONTGOMERY/ENOSBURGH FELISHA LEFFLER SPOKE VERY BRIEFLY.

RECESSED FOR 15 MINUTES FOR THE VILLAGE PEOPLE TO DISPERSE.

HIGHWAY DISTRICT

ARTICLE 1: AUSTRALAIN BALLOT FOR A NEW TRUCK 64 YES AND 11 NO.

ARTICLE 2: WILL THE LEGAL VOTERS VOTE AN AMOUNT TO COVER 2019 BUDGET? MOTION BY KURTIS ROGERS, SECOND BY TOM KAFKA, FELISHA LEFFLER SAID TO JOEY AND HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT GREAT JOB AND THANK YOU! NO MORE DISCUSSION – ALL IN FAVOR – SO MOVED.

ARTICLE 3: ANY NON-BINDING BUSINESS, NONE, MEETING ADJOURNED. WITH A MOTION BY KRISTY LEFFLER AND SECOND BY STEVEN BOAL, ALL IN FAVOR, SO MOVED.