

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Selectman	William R. Hight, Jr.	964 votes
Supervisor of Checklist	Richard "Doc" Hill	1363 votes
Park Commissioner	Todd McKee	1457 votes
Trustee of Trust Funds	Robert E. Paddock	1409 votes
Library Trustees	Patricia H. Eastman	1367 votes
	Martha A. Hill	1308 votes
	Robert J. O'Connor	1364 votes

MEDICAL CENTER/CORPORATE CENTER DISTRICT

Article 2 By petition: Are you in favor of the adoption of the Amendment to the Littleton Zoning Ordinance for the creation of a Medical Center/Corporate Center District? The proposed district shall be bounded by the center line of NH Route 18/135 on the east Interstate 93 on the north to Moore Reservoir, the Williams Road on the southwest corner and 1000 feet south of NH Route 18 up to the center line of NH Route 18/135.

(NOT RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING BOARD).

A Protest Petition has been received. A 2/3 vote is required for passage of this amendment.

ARTICLE 2 WAS DEFEATED 611 YES TO 1050 NO

AMMONOOSUC RIVER CORRIDOR OVERLAY DISTRICT

Article 3 Are you in favor of the adoption of the Amendment to the Littleton Zoning Ordinance for the creation of an Ammonoosuc River Corridor Overlay District? The proposed district includes all land within 100 feet of the ordinary high water mark on the west side of the Ammonoosuc River from Interstate 93 to a point downstream where the Ammonoosuc River and the Route 302 right of way abut. *(RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING BOARD)*

ARTICLE 3 PASSED 1304 YES TO 316 NO

TOWN BUDGET

Article 4 Shall the Town raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles, 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, \$4,532,803.00 (Four Million Five Hundred Thirty Two Thousand Eight Hundred Three Dollars) *(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)*

Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be \$4,302,657.00 (Four Million Three Hundred Two Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Seven Dollars) which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Board of Selectmen or by law, or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:12,X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only.

This article does NOT include amounts, which may be appropriated in any other articles within the warrant.

ARTICLE 4 PASSED 1149 YES TO 473 NO

ROADS RECONSTRUCTION AND REPAVING

Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$293,400.00 (Two Hundred Ninety Three Thousand Four Hundred Dollars) for the purpose of upgrading and improving various Town Roads as follows:

- 1) Reconstructing and re-paving approximately 860 linear feet of Clay Street and sidewalk replacement – estimated cost \$79,000.00 (Seventy Nine Thousand Dollars).
- 2) Reconstructing and re-paving approximately 2100 linear feet of Manns Hill Road – estimated cost \$99,800 (Ninety Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars).
- 3) Resurfacing with hot top approximately 1720 linear feet of Mount Eustis Road – estimated cost \$14,300 (Fourteen Thousand Three Hundred Dollars).
- 4) Resurfacing with hot top approximately 1040 linear feet of Jackson Street and sidewalk replacement– estimated cost \$41,400.00 (Forty One Thousand Four Hundred Dollars).
- 5) Resurfacing with chip seal approximately 6400 linear feet of North Skinny Ridge Road – estimated cost \$20,300 (Twenty Thousand Three Hundred Dollars).
- 6) Resurfacing with chip seal approximately 12,150 linear feet of Foster Hill Road – estimated cost \$38,600 (Thirty Eight Thousand Six Hundred Dollars).

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 5 PASSED 1342 YES TO 273 NO

PURCHASE OF REPLACEMENT TRUCKS FOR THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$83,055.00 (Eighty Three Thousand Fifty Five Dollars) to purchase new Highway Department vehicles as follows:

- 1) ¾ ton truck with plow as a replacement for 1992 ½ ton pickup in service in the Littleton Highway Department
- 2) 1 1/2 ton truck with plow and sander as a replacement for a 1994 GMC 1 ton truck in service in the Littleton Highway Department.

And to authorize the Selectmen to trade or sell the vehicles to be replaced for the highest possible value in order to reduce the amount to come from general taxation. *The balance less the trade values is to come from general taxation.*

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 6 PASSED 1188 YES TO 421 NO

HIGHWAY EQUIPMENT CAPITAL RESERVE FUND

Article 7 To see if the Town will vote to establish a Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of purchasing a grader and/or loader for the Highway Department and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$41,000.00 (Forty One Thousand Dollars) to be placed in this fund. The legislative body (Town Meeting) will serve as agents to authorize expenditures from the Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 7 PASSED 1123 YES TO 464 NO

TRANSFER STATION BALER AND BUILDING ADDITION

Article 8 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$82,000.00 (Eighty Two Thousand Dollars) to purchase a new baler for the transfer station and construct a new 36' x 24' addition to house the baler, said funds to come from the Transfer Station unexpended fund balance as of December 31, 1999.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 8 PASSED 1215 YES TO 372 NO

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ALTERNATIVES

Article 9 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000.00 (Fifty Thousand Dollars) to pay for added transportation and disposal cost for disposal of Littleton's solid waste in the event that the North Country Environmental Services Landfill in Bethlehem, NH is closed before the end of 2000. Any unexpended funds as of December 31, 2000 are to be encumbered for allocation to the Landfill Closure Trust Fund at the next annual town meeting as required by the State's Department of Environmental Services. And further, to create a trust fund to be known as The Landfill Closure Trust Fund and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 (Fifty Thousand Dollars) for deposit in that Fund; the source of this second amount is funds unexpended and encumbered at the end of 1999 as a result of the voters' approval of a similar article (Article 8) at the 1999 town meeting.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 9 PASSED 1211 YES TO 383 NO

TRANSFER STATION ADDITIONAL STORAGE BUILDING

Article 10 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of up to \$100,000 (One Hundred Thousand Dollars) for the purpose of constructing an additional storage building at the transfer station for regional recycling, said amount to be totally offset by a grant from the US Rural Development Agency.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 10 PASSED 1204 YES TO 392 NO

TOWN BUILDING STUDY

Article 11 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 (Ten Thousand Dollars) for the purpose of developing a plan and report of possible uses and associated costs for the Town Building/Opera House to be presented prior to the 2001 Town Meeting.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 11 PASSED 815 YES TO 805 NO

OPERA HOUSE/TOWN BUILDING FACILITIES CAPITAL RESERVE FUND

Article 12 To see if the Town will vote to establish an Opera House/Town Building Facilities Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of making necessary improvements to the Opera House/Town Building and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000.00 (Twenty Thousand Dollars) to be placed in this fund and to see if the Town will vote to appoint the Board of Selectmen as agents to expend from the Opera House/Town Building Facilities Capital Reserve Fund.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 12 PASSED 1072 YES TO 536 NO

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INITIATIVE

Article 13 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 (Ten Thousand Dollars) for the purpose of advancing the telecommunications development initiative to include but not be limited to research and consultation regarding the possible construction, financing and management of a high speed, broadband telecommunications system. A report on the results of this initiative will be presented to the community prior to the 2001 annual Town Meeting.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 13 PASSED 960 YES TO 627 NO

LIBRARY CARD CATALOG AUTOMATION

Article 14 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$12,345.00 (Twelve Thousand Three Hundred Forty Five Dollars) for the purpose of completing the automation of the Library's card catalog and circulation system. This amount will cover hardware costs. This is phase two of a two-year plan. Funds for phase one were raised and appropriated in a 1999 warrant article.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 14 PASSED 1266 YES TO 340 NO

RETENTION OF LIBRARY REVENUE

Article 15 Shall we permit the Littleton Public Library to retain all money it receives from its income-generating equipment to be used for general repairs and upgrading and for the purchase of books, supplies and income-generating equipment per RSA 202-A:11-b?

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 15 PASSED 1476 YES TO 136 NO

SOCIAL SECURITY

Article 16 To see if the Town wishes to amend the existing agreement under Section 218 of the Social Security Act by excluding the services performed by election workers for a calendar year in which the remuneration paid for such service is less than \$1,000. The \$1,000 limit on the excludable amount of remuneration paid in a calendar year for the services specified in this modification will be subject to adjustment for calendar years after 1999 to reflect changes in wages in the economy without any further modification of the agreement, with respect to such services performed during such calendar years, in accordance with Section 218(c)(8)(B) of the Social Security Act.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 16 PASSED 1266 YES TO 304 NO

NORTH COUNTRY HOME HEALTH

Article 17 By petition: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$14,515.00 (Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Fifteen Dollars) for the support of the home health care, supportive care, medical hospice and community health programs and services of North Country Home Health Agency, Inc. for the fiscal year 2000 for residents of Littleton, NH.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 17 PASSED 1384 YES TO 235 NO

HOSPICE OF THE LITTLETON AREA

Article 18 By Petition: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,496.00 (Three Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Six Dollars) for the purpose of supporting the social and volunteer services of Hospice of the Littleton Area, a nonprofit organization which offers supportive care to terminally ill patients and their families in the Town of Littleton and surrounding communities.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 18 PASSED 1423 YES TO 180 NO

SENIORS' MEALS

Article 19 By petition: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,925.00 (Ten Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty Five Dollars) for support of home delivered meals, senior dining room services, transportation, and other services provided by the Littleton Area Senior Center during the fiscal year 2000.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 19 PASSED 1491 YES TO 118 NO

SENIOR CENTER

Article 20 By petition: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$11,500 (Eleven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars) for support of outreach and care management services in the fiscal year 2000 provided through the Littleton Area Senior Center to support the health and independence of older residents of the Town of Littleton.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 20 PASSED 1431 YES TO 179 NO

TRI-COUNTY C.A.P.

Article 21 By petition: To see if the Town of Littleton, NH will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 (Five Thousand Dollars) for Tri-County Community Contract for Fiscal Year 2000.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 21 PASSED 1135 YES TO 429 NO

LITTLETON REGIONAL HOSPITAL

Article 22 By petition: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 (Fifteen Thousand Dollars) to Littleton Regional Hospital for the purpose of helping defray the costs associated with providing free medical services to the citizens of the Town of Littleton.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 22 PASSED 963 YES TO 630 NO

AMERICAN RED CROSS

Article 23 By petition: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,320.00 (Two Thousand Three Hundred Twenty Dollars) for the purpose of funding the American Red Cross, Greater White Mountain Chapter.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 23 PASSED 1234 YES TO 359 NO

WHITE MOUNTAIN MENTAL HEALTH & DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Article 24 By Petition: To see if the Town of Littleton will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,506 (Nine Thousand Five Hundred Six Dollars) as the Town's contribution to White Mountain Mental Health and Developmental Services, a non-profit mental health and developmental service center.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 24 PASSED 1141 YES TO 449 NO

NORTH COUNTRY YMCA, INC.

Article 25 By Petition: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500 (Five Hundred Dollars) for the purpose of the North Country YMCA's multitude of intergenerational programs offered throughout the year to the families and citizens of the Town of Littleton.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 25 PASSED 1204 YES TO 386 NO

MOUNT WASHINGTON REGIONAL AIRPORT

Article 26 By Petition: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into an Inter-Municipal Agreement for the purpose of operating the Mount Washington Regional Airport in Whitefield; and further, to raise and appropriate \$.50 per capita or the sum of \$3,006.00 (Three Thousand Six Dollars) to pay Littleton's share of the Operating Budget for the Mount Washington Regional Airport; and to direct the Board of Selectmen to include, hereafter, an appropriation for the airport in its annual budget.

(RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 26 PASSED 876 YES TO 709 NO

SEWER CONNECTION FEES

Article 27 By petition: To see if the Town will vote to direct the Board of Selectmen, pursuant to their power described in RSA 149-I:24, to lower sewer connection fees on new connections to \$250.00 which will be a one time fee.

(NOT RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN)

ARTICLE 27 PASSED 794 YES TO 780 NO

A TRUE COPY, ATTEST:

Judith F White
Littleton, NH Town Clerk