

TALLIES

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TOWN CLERK

**OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
GRANTHAM, NEW HAMPSHIRE
MARCH 8, 2016**

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>FOR SELECTMAN 3 YEARS Vote for not more than One</p> <p>CONSTANCE A. JONES <u>177</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS 3 YEARS Vote for not more than One</p> <p>ROBERT E. FOGG <u>179</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR TRUSTEE OF DUNBAR FREE LIBRARY 3 YEARS Vote for not more than One</p> <p>SARA LANG <u>14</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>FOR SELECTMAN 2 YEARS Vote for not more than One</p> <p>SHERIDAN BROWN <u>174</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR CEMETERY TRUSTEE 3 YEARS Vote for not more than One</p> <p>CHRIS PAQUETTE <u>4</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR SUPERVISOR OF THE CHECKLIST 6 YEARS Vote for not more than One</p> <p>SANDRA NOORDSY <u>185</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>FOR PLANNING BOARD 3 YEARS Vote for not more than One</p> <p>MARY E. HUTCHINS <u>172</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR TRUSTEE OF DUNBAR FREE LIBRARY 3 YEARS Vote for not more than One</p> <p>BEVERLY MARSHALL <u>169</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>FOR MODERATOR 2 YEARS Vote for not more than One</p> <p>SUSANNA SCHWEIZER <u>175</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>FOR TOWN CLERK/ TAX COLLECTOR 3 YEARS Vote for not more than One</p> <p>KENNETH STORY <u>180</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>		

TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING

ARTICLES

ARTICLE 2 – Zoning Change

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows: Amending Article X-B. Forest Lands Conservation Districts to add the Town-owned parcel known as Brookside Park to the list of areas designated for conservation.

170
YES
NO
12

Rationale: Brookside Park was designated for conservation on the date the Town's Zoning Ordinance was adopted, but was unintentionally omitted. The omission, to be corrected by the proposed amendment, was realized when the Town recently acquired abutting acreage to expand the Brookside Park conservation area.

Recommended by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 3 – Zoning Change

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows: Amending Article XII. General Provisions, Section C, to include as a prohibited "Obnoxious Use" the storage of junk (e.g., materials such as construction and demolition debris and household waste).

143
YES
NO
37

Rationale: The goal of the "Obnoxious Use" provision of the Town's Zoning Ordinance is to protect the comfort, peace, enjoyment, aesthetics, health, and/or safety of the surrounding neighborhood and community. The amendment seeks to strengthen the ordinance's effectiveness as a safeguard against neighborhood blight and reduction in neighborhood property values that may result from storage of junk materials.

Recommended by the Planning Board

ARTICLE 4 – Zoning Change

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows: Amending Article XVIII Definitions to create a separate definition of "Junk" that includes items already listed within the definition of "Junkyard" and adds "construction and demolition materials; household waste; and all other discarded or second hand material" within the proposed new definition of "Junk."

144
YES
NO
36

Rationale: The present list of items that constitute junk within the current definition of "Junkyard" in the Town zoning ordinance lacks clarity regarding items other than automobiles and their parts whose storage may also have a detrimental impact upon the comfort, peace, enjoyment, aesthetics, health, and/or safety of the surrounding neighborhood. The new definition of "junk" will improve the clarity and enforceability of the ordinance by adding additional examples of junk items.

Recommended by the Planning Board

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING