

SAMPLE BALLOT

**ABSENTEE BALLOT AND OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION
NOTTINGHAM, NEW HAMPSHIRE
JUNE 8, 2021**

Michael A. Balth
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.

SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER	SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK	SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
Vote for not For Three Years more than Two	Vote for not For Three Years more than One	Vote for not For Two Years more than One
KARYL MARTIN <input type="radio"/>	MICHAEL COLTIN <input type="radio"/>	SUSAN BASCOM <input type="radio"/>
MEGAN SEBASCO <input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	HEIDI MAGUIRE <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	(Write-in)	<input type="radio"/>
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ARTICLES

Article #1

Passage of this article shall override the 10 percent limitation imposed on this appropriation due to the non-recommendation of the budget committee. Shall the School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Million One Hundred Sixty-Five Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$6,165,490) (gross budget) for the final design, construction and original equipping of additions and renovations to the Nottingham School, and authorize the issuance of not more than Six Million One Hundred Sixty-Five Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$6,165,490) of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA 33); to further authorize the School Board to issue, negotiate, sell, and deliver such bonds or notes and determine the rate of interest thereon, and the maturity and other terms thereof; to further authorize the School Board to apply for, obtain, accept and expend any federal, state, or other aid, if any, which may be available for said project, to use such funds to reduce the amount of bonds or notes issued for the project and to comply with all laws applicable to said project; and to authorize the School Board to take any and all action necessary in connection therewith or to pass any other vote relative thereto; and further raise and appropriate the additional sum of One Hundred Fifty-Four Thousand One Hundred Thirty-Seven Dollars (\$154,137) for the first year's payment on the Bond? (3/5 majority required).

YES
NO

*The School Board recommends 5-0.
The Budget does not recommend 6-5.
The estimated tax impact for the first year if this article passes is \$0.19 per \$1,000, which is interest only.
The estimated tax impact for the second year if this article passes is \$0.58 per \$1,000 at current assessment based on a twenty (20) year bond. This amount is expected to decline over the term of the bond.*

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

Article #2

Shall the Nottingham School District raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling Fourteen Million, Eight Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand, Eighteen Dollars (\$14,877,018)? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be Fifteen Million, One Hundred Eleven Thousand, Thirty-Five Dollars (\$15,111,035), which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Nottingham School Board or by law; or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only.

YES
NO

The operating budget warrant does not include appropriations contained in any other warrant articles.

The School Board does not recommend 3-2.

The Budget Committee recommends 8-1 with 2 abstaining.

The estimated tax impact if this article passes is \$14.56 per \$1,000.

The tax impact if this article does not pass is \$14.85 per \$1,000.

Article #3

Shall the School District accept the provisions of RSA 194-C providing for the withdrawal from a school administrative unit involving the districts of Nottingham and Northwood in accordance with the provisions of the proposed plan? (3/5 majority required)

YES
NO

The School Board recommends 5-0.

There is no additional tax impact.

Article #4

Shall the Nottingham School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) to be added to the Text Book Capital Reserve Fund established in 2016? This sum to come from the June 30, 2021 unassigned fund balance available to transfer on July 1, 2021. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. Current balance on 12/31/20, is \$20,742.58.

YES
NO

The School Board recommends 5-0.

The Budget Committee recommends 10-1

There is no additional tax impact.

Article #5

Shall the Nottingham School District vote to raise and appropriate up to the sum of Thirty-Five Thousand (\$35,000) to be added to the Building Repair Capital Reserve Fund established in 2006? This sum to come from June 30, 2021 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2021. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. Current balance on 12/31/20 is \$172,148.85.

YES
NO

The School Board recommends 5-0.

The Budget Committee recommends 10-1.

There is no additional tax impact.

Article #6

Shall the Nottingham School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of up to Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) to be added to the Grounds Improvement Capital Reserve Fund established in 2015? This sum to come from June 30, 2021 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2021. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. Current balance on 12/31/20 is \$73,124.86.

YES
NO

The School Board recommends 5-0.

The Budget Committee recommends 10-1.

There is no additional tax impact.

Article #7

Shall the Nottingham School District vote to raise and appropriate up to the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) to be added to the Special Education Capital Reserve Fund established in 2006? This sum to come from the June 30, 2021 unassigned fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2021. No additional amount to be raised from taxation. Current balance on 12/31/20 is \$136,962.55.

YES
NO

The School Board recommends 5-0.

The Budget Committee recommends 10-1

There is no additional tax impact.

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