

GOFFSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT
Official Election Results – March 12, 2024

ARTICLE 2
OPERATING BUDGET

Shall the Goffstown 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 Fifty-Five Million, Seven Hundred Nine Thousand, Nine Hundred Ten Dollars (\$55,709,910)?

Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be Fifty-Five Million, Four Hundred One Thousand, Nine Hundred Twenty Three Dollars (\$55,401,923), which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Goffstown School District 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. *(Majority vote required.)*

The School Board Voted 8-0-0 to Recommend
The Budget Committee Voted 11-2-0 to Recommend

YES	1488
NO	1523

Failed

ARTICLE 3
FACILITIES CAPITAL RESERVE FUND DEPOSIT

Shall the Goffstown School District vote to raise and appropriate up to Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) for deposit into the existing Facilities Capital Reserve Fund (established in 2019)? This sum to come from the June 30, 2024 unassigned fund balance (surplus) available for transfer on July 1, 2024. No new amount to be raised from taxation. *(Majority vote required.)*

The School Board Voted 7-1-0 to Recommend
The Budget Committee Voted 8-5-0 to Recommend

YES	1673
NO	1462

Passed

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ARTICLE 4
PETITION ARTICLE - EQUIPMENT PURCHASE

Shall the School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirteen Thousand Dollars (\$13,000) for the purpose of purchasing supplemental door locks or door barricade devices to be installed in Goffstown Schools to improve safety and security in the event of an active shooter event. This special article is a special warrant article per RSA 32:3 VI (d) and RSA 32:7 V. *(Majority vote required.)*

The School Board Voted 9-0-0 to Recommend
The Budget Committee Voted 10-3-0 to Recommend

YES	2135	Passed
NO	1017	

ARTICLE 5
PETITION ARTICLE - TAX CAP ON OPERATING BUDGET

Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 32:5 (b)(c), and implement a tax cap whereby the governing body and budget committee shall not submit a recommended budget that increases the amount to be raised by local taxes, based on the prior fiscal year's actual amount of local taxes raised, by more than 30%? *(3/5 Majority vote required.)*

The School Board Voted 9-0-0 to Not Recommend

YES	1277	Failed
NO	1844	