

**ABSENTEE  
OFFICIAL BALLOT  
ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION  
GOFFSTOWN, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MARCH 11, 2025**

*Jo Ann Duffey*  
TOWN 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**

Three Years	Vote for not more than Three
<b>SHANE ROZAMUS</b>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>BRIAN TEMPLETON</b>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>RETA CHAFFEE</b>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>LAURA FLEMING</b>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>DREW GOULET</b>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>LINDSAY LOMBO</b>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>DONNA PINARD</b>	<input type="radio"/>
_____	<input type="radio"/>
_____ (Write-in)	<input type="radio"/>
_____ (Write-in)	<input type="radio"/>
_____ (Write-in)	<input type="radio"/>

**SCHOOL BOARD**

One Year	Vote for not more than One
<b>VANESSA HAYES</b>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>KATY ANNE MYERS</b>	<input type="radio"/>
_____	<input type="radio"/>
_____ (Write-in)	<input type="radio"/>

**ARTICLES**

**Article 02 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-SEVEN MILLION ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-TWO THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY-FOUR DOLLARS (\$57,152,484)? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be FIFTY SIX MILLION EIGHT HUNDRED NINETY SEVEN THOUSAND TWO DOLLARS (\$56,897,002), 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).

**YES**   
**NO**

The School Board Voted 9-0-0 to Recommend  
The Budget Committee Voted 14-1-0 to Recommend

**Article 03 Facilities Capital Reserve Fund Deposit**

Shall the Goffstown School District vote to raise and appropriate up to THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$300,000) for deposit into the existing Facilities Capital Reserve Fund (established in 2019) with this sum to come from the June 30, 2025 unassigned fund balance (surplus) available for transfer on July 1, 2025? No new amount to be raised from taxation. (Majority vote required.)

**YES**   
**NO**

The School Board Voted 8-1-0 to Recommend  
The Budget Committee Voted 14-1-0 to Recommend

**Article 04 Petition Warrant Article to Publish School District Check Registers**

Shall the school district direct the Superintendent to make available access to the check register on the district website. Similar information has been available to Bedford residents for many years. Bedford residents can monitor monthly expenses paid out of the school district bank account Residents can currently access some information on the website, but it is a cumbersome task. By providing this information on the District website, school officials can direct people to the website for this information, making the process more expedient and easily accessible for citizens. Why should you support this? 1) Increased transparency and accountability.

**YES**   
**NO**

The School Board does not recommend this article 9-0-0