

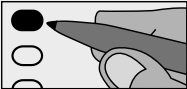


Sample Absentee Ballot
School District Election
March 11, 2025
Londonderry, NH

Instructions

To Vote:

To vote, completely fill in the oval next to your choice.



To Vote for a Write-in:

To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write the person's name on the "Write-in" line and completely fill in the oval next to the line.



FOR SCHOOL BOARD

Vote for not more than 1
three (3) years

KEVIN GRAY ☐

JIM GRIMES ☐

FRANK HARMON ☐

☐

Write-in

FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
MODERATOR

Vote for not more than 1
three (3) years

ELISABETH (LISA) BURNS ☐

TOM CROTEAU ☐

☐

Write-in

FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

Vote for not more than 1
three (3) years

AMY FINAMORE ☐

☐

Write-in

FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT
TREASURER

Vote for not more than 1
three (3) years

JOHN CONLEY ☐

☐

Write-in

Article 2 Special Article - Full Day Kindergarten & District Office Project

Shall the Londonderry School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,050,000 for the design, construction, furnishing and equipping of modular classroom additions and renovations at the South, North, and Matthew Thornton Elementary Schools to create additional classroom space to accommodate a district wide full day kindergarten program, and for improvements to and renovation of the Moose Hill School to serve as the District's central administrative office; and to authorize the issuance of \$9,050,000 of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the Municipal Finance Act, RSA 33:1 et. seq., as amended; to authorize the School Board to apply for, obtain, accept and expend federal, state or other aid, if any, which may be available for said project and to comply with all laws applicable to said project; to authorize the School Board to issue, negotiate, sell and deliver said bonds and notes and determine the rate of interest thereon and the maturity and other terms thereof; to raise and appropriate the additional sum of \$226,250 for the first year's payment thereon; and to authorize the School Board to take any other action necessary or pass any other vote relative thereto? (3/5 ballot vote required)

Fiscal Year	Estimated Costs	Estimated Tax
2025-2026	\$226,250	\$0.04*
2026-2027	\$907,664	\$0.12*
2027-2028	\$886,731	\$0.12*

*Estimated tax impact based on 15-year bond with 3.46% interest rate and 2024 assessment

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the School Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

Yes ☐

No ☐



Article 3 - General Fund - Operating Budget

Shall the voters of the Londonderry School District vote to raise and appropriate as an operating budget for the fiscal year 2025-2026, not including appropriations by special warrant articles, or separate warrant articles, one of the following amounts for the purposes set forth in the budget posted with the warrant?

Vote for only one:

A. **\$89,116,875** (School Board Budget as amended)

(Estimated Tax Impact \$9.47)

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the School Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

OR

B. **\$89,240,249** (Default Budget)

(Estimated Tax Impact \$9.49)

NOTE: Warrant Article 3 (Operating Budget) does not include appropriations proposed under any other article in this warrant.

A

B

Article 4 - Londonderry Education Association [LEA] Bargaining Agreement

Shall the voters of the Londonderry School District vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Londonderry School District and the Londonderry Education Association (LEA), and further to raise and appropriate the sum of **\$1,920,879** for the 2025-2026 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional cost items attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those paid, at current staffing levels, in the prior fiscal year? The agreement calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at current staffing levels over those paid in the prior fiscal year:

Fiscal Year	Estimated Cost	Additional Estimated Tax Impact
FY2025-2026	\$1,920,879	\$0.27
FY2026-2027	\$1,682,340	\$0.24
FY2027-2028	\$1,647,733	\$0.23

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the School Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

Yes

No

Article 5 - Londonderry Association of Allied Health Professionals [LAAHP] Bargaining Agreement

Shall the voters of the Londonderry School District vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Londonderry School District and the Londonderry Association of Allied Health Professionals (LAAHP), and further to raise and appropriate the sum of **\$189,307** for the 2025-2026 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional cost items attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those paid, at current staffing levels, in the prior fiscal year? The agreement calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at current staffing levels over those paid in the prior fiscal year:

Fiscal Year	Estimated Costs	Additional Estimated Tax Impact
FY2025-2026	\$189,307	\$0.03
FY2026-2027	\$178,173	\$0.03
FY2027-2028	\$180,960	\$0.03

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

Yes

No

Article 6 - Authorization for Special Meeting on Cost Items

Shall the Londonderry School District, if Article 4, and/or 5 is defeated, authorize the governing body to call one special meeting at its option to address Article 4 and/or 5 cost items only?

(Estimated Tax Impact \$0.00)

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the School Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

Yes

No

Article 7 - School Lunch Program and Federal Funds Projects

Shall the voters of the Londonderry School District vote to accept and receive federal grants and other such funds to support the school lunch program and federal projects; further to raise and appropriate such funds in a special revenue fund as follows: school lunch program, **\$1,716,000**; and federal projects, **\$1,579,000**; for a total appropriation of **\$3,295,000** such funds to be self-supporting through local, state or federal revenue sources?

(Estimated Tax Impact \$0.00)

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the School Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

Yes

No

Article 8 - Special Article - Buildings and Grounds Capital Reserve Fund

Shall the voters of the Londonderry School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of **\$520,000** to be placed in the District Wide Buildings and Grounds Capital Reserve Fund established in March 2021 School District meeting for the purpose of the maintenance, construction, renovations, improvements and related professional services to all buildings, grounds, fields, substructures, and infrastructure to the overall property of the Londonderry School District? The fund shall provide the funding source for all equipment, structures, professional services, machinery, and materials, necessary to sustain efficiency, safety, of the District’s buildings, grounds, and infrastructure and subsurface that meet the needs of the School District.

(Estimated Tax Impact \$0.07)

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the School Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

Yes

No

Article 9 - Special Article - District Technology Network Infrastructure Capital Reserve Fund

Shall the voters of the Londonderry School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of **\$125,000** to be placed in the School District Technology Network Infrastructure Capital Reserve Fund established in March 2019 School District meeting to provide funds for equipment and services for the school district network infrastructure such as, but not limited to, routers, wiring, switches, access points, wireless network improvements or any other equipment software or service that is necessary for the maintenance, improvement, performance or management of the district’s network?

(Estimated Tax Impact \$0.02)

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the School Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

Yes

No

Article 10 - Special Article - Equipment Capital Reserve Fund

Shall the voters of the Londonderry School District vote to raise and appropriate up to the sum of **\$95,000** to be placed in the School District Equipment Capital Reserve Fund established in 2013 for the purpose of funding the acquisition of minor on-going equipment and tools, such as but not limited to classroom furniture, technology, furniture, building maintenance equipment and tools, used in the School District, with this sum to come from the June 30, 2025 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2025 and no amount to be raised by additional taxation?

(Estimated Tax Impact \$0.00)

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the School Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

Yes

No

Article 11 - Special Article - Vehicle & Machinery Capital Reserve Fund

Shall the voters of the Londonderry School District vote to raise and appropriate up to the sum of **\$50,000** to be placed in the Vehicle and Machinery Capital Reserve Fund established in March 2020 for the purpose of funding the acquisition of vehicles and machinery with this sum to come from the June 30, 2025 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2025 and no amount to be raised by additional taxation?

(Estimated Tax Impact \$0.00)

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the School Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

Yes

No

Article 12 - Citizens Petition Warrant Article

Shall the Town:

Study the adoption of a tax cap for the Londonderry School District in accordance with RSA 32:5-c as amended effective October 1, 2024, and amend the School District Charter as appropriate. RSA 32:5-c states that: In a town that has adopted this paragraph, a tax cap limiting the base amount to be raised by property taxes to last year's base may be adjusted to account for inflation and change in attendance for school districts, according to the following formula: this year's base= (last year's base) x (1 + CPI) x (this year's attendance / last year's attendance). The results of this vote will be advisory only.

(Estimated Tax Impact \$0.00)

	Yes	No	Abstained
Voted by the School Board	5		
Voted by the Budget Committee	7		

Yes

No

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