

PART 1

OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
CASTLETON, VERMONT
MARCH 3, 2015

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<p style="text-align: center;">TOWN AGENT</p> <p>For One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>	<p style="text-align: center;">TOWN LISTER</p> <p>For Two Years of Unexpired Three Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>HARRY "VINCE" DIAMOND <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>	<p style="text-align: center;">CASTLETON-HUBBARDTON UNION SCHOOL DIRECTOR</p> <p>For Three Year Term (Vote for not more than TWO)</p> <p>APRIL MORSE <input type="radio"/></p> <p>TIM SMITH <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>
<p style="text-align: center;">TOWN CLERK</p> <p>For Three Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>NEDRA A. BOUTWELL <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>	<p style="text-align: center;">TREASURER</p> <p>For Three Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>NANCY L. TRUDO <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>	<p style="text-align: center;">CASTLETON-HUBBARDTON UNION SCHOOL DIRECTOR</p> <p>For One Year of unexpired Three Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>
<p style="text-align: center;">FIRST CONSTABLE</p> <p>For Two Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>SILAS R. LOOMIS <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>	<p style="text-align: center;">TOWN MODERATOR</p> <p>For One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>JOHN D. BURKE <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>	<p style="text-align: center;">FAIR HAVEN UNION HIGH SCHOOL DIRECTOR</p> <p>For Three Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>JEFF BRESLEN <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>
<p style="text-align: center;">GRAND JUROR</p> <p>For One Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>	<p style="text-align: center;">TOWN SELECTMAN</p> <p>For Three Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>JOSEPH F. BRUNO <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>	<p style="text-align: center;">FAIR HAVEN UNION HIGH SCHOOL DIRECTOR</p> <p>For Two Years of unexpired Three Year Term (Vote for not more than TWO)</p> <p>FRANCIS "PETER" DECAROLIS <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>
<p style="text-align: center;">LIBRARY TRUSTEE</p> <p>For Five Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>THOMAS KEARNS <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>	<p style="text-align: center;">TOWN SELECTMAN</p> <p>For One Year Term (Vote for not more than TWO)</p> <p>ZACK S. HOLZWORTH <input type="radio"/></p> <p>JIM LEAMY <input type="radio"/></p> <p>ROBERT "BOB" SPAULDING <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>	
<p style="text-align: center;">TOWN LISTER</p> <p>For Three Year Term (Vote for not more than ONE)</p> <p>LOIS WITT <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(WRITE-IN) <input type="radio"/></p> <hr/>		

**TURN BALLOT OVER
AND VOTE BOTH SIDES**

TOWN ARTICLES	
<p>Article 9. Shall the Town end the practice of voting the town line-item budget and to warn the budget for the 2016 annual meeting in 6 articles that represent services of operation? (Public Safety, Public Work, General Government, Library, Recreation and Cemetery)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 17. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$18,800 for Tax Listing? (Less anticipated revenue of \$2,500)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Article 10. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$25,608 for Legislating?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 18. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$39,998 for Tax Collecting? (Less anticipated revenue of \$348,500)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Article 11. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,215 for Ordinances & Proceedings?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 19. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$67,460 for Document Recording/Issue? (Less anticipated revenue of \$36,600)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Article 12. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$144,431 for Managing Municipalities? (Less anticipated revenue of \$14,982)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 20. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$20,000 for Legal Services?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Article 13. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$7,488 for Conducting Elections?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 21. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$38,258 for Municipal Planning & Zoning? (Less anticipated revenue of \$19,200)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Article 14. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$46,574 for Collection, Custody & Disbursement of Funds? (Less anticipated revenue of \$700)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 22. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$69,575 for General Government Buildings?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Article 15. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$80,158 for Accounting?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 23. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$16,200 for General Government Equipment?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Article 16. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$18,000 for Auditing?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 24. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$448,722 for Police Department? (Less anticipated revenue of \$25,000)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
	<p>Article 25. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$36,218 for Emergency Medical Services? (Includes Regional Ambulance Service, Inc. & RAS/Castleton First Responders)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
	<p>Article 26. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$241,618 for Fire Department?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
	<p>Article 27. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$850 for Emergency Management?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
	<p>Article 28. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,016,311 for Highway Department? (Less anticipated revenue of \$141,100)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
	<p>Article 29. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$3,500 for Town Lands?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
	<p>Article 30. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$2,000 for Historical Cemeteries?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
	<p>Article 31. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$25,000 for Hillside Cemetery?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>

**GO TO NEXT BALLOT
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<p>Article 32. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,706 for Health Regulating & Inspecting? (Less anticipated revenue of \$300)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 37. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,200 for Memorial Day Decorations?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 42. Shall the Town deem necessary and appropriate \$25,000 for the support of Castleton Community Seniors, Inc., determining that the program serves residents of the Town with the operation of the Castleton Community Center (The Old Homestead)? (Not included in the budget)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Article 33. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,059 for Animal Control?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 38. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$111,500 for Library Administration?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 43. Shall the Town deem necessary and appropriate \$3,500 for the support of ARC – Rutland Area, determining that the program serves residents of the Town with advocacy, resources and community for citizens with developmental disabilities and their families? (Not included in the budget)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Article 34. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$29,446 for Constables? (Less anticipated revenue of \$3,000)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 39. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$750 for Prevention/Control of Forest Fires?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 44. Shall the Town deem necessary and appropriate \$3,600 for administrative support of Castleton Cares, Inc., determining that the program serves residents of the Town with emergency assistance to local people in need? (Not included in the budget)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>Article 35. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$293,437 for Transfer Station? (Less anticipated revenue of \$293,437)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 40. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$6,109 for Tree Warden?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>TURN BALLOT OVER AND VOTE BOTH SIDES</p>
<p>Article 36. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$89,126 for Recreation? (Less anticipated revenue of \$49,700)</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>Article 41. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$33,000 for Rutland County Tax?</p> <p>_____ YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ NO <input type="radio"/></p>	

<p>Article 45. Shall the Town deem necessary and appropriate \$900 for the support of RSVP and the Volunteer Center, determining that the program serves residents of the Town with volunteering opportunities and community services? (Not included in the budget)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">NO <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Article 48. Shall the Town deem necessary and appropriate \$2,000 for the support of Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging, determining that the program serves residents of the Town with elder services? (Not included in the budget)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">NO <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Article 51. Shall the Town appropriate the sum of \$12,000 for the purchase & installation of a video surveillance/security system for the Fire Station & proposed Police building? (Not included in the budget)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">NO <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Article 46. Shall the Town deem necessary and appropriate \$6,720 for the support of Rutland Area Visiting Nurses & Hospice (\$550 to support Rutland Area Hospice & \$6,170 to support RAVNAH Home and Community Health Services)? (Not included in the budget)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">NO <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Article 49. Shall the Town deem necessary and appropriate \$1,000 for the support of Vermont Association for the Blind & Visually Impaired, determining that the program serves residents of the Town with services to enable the blind and visually impaired to achieve and maintain independence? (Not included in the budget)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">NO <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Article 52. Shall the Town appropriate the funds transferred to the Town treasury by the Castleton Town School District, following its dissolution, as approved by the Vermont General Assembly and the 2014 town school district meeting, the funds to be used for the reduction of the municipal tax rate in the coming fiscal year or over a period of years, at the sole discretion of the Select Board?</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">NO <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Article 47. Shall the Town deem necessary and appropriate \$4,088 for the support of Rutland Mental Health Services, determining that the program serves residents of the Town with counseling, substance abuse and emergency services? (Not included in the budget)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">NO <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Article 50. Shall the Town appropriate \$300,420 for the purpose of constructing an addition to the Castleton Volunteer Fire Station for the Castleton Police Department? (Not included in the budget)</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">NO <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Article 53. Shall the Town appropriate an amount not to exceed \$100,000, from available funds, to purchase the LaFond's Auto Body, Inc. (dba Moore's Auto) lot on Rte. 30 N?</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">YES <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">NO <input type="checkbox"/></p>

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