

**WARNING
TOWN OF LYNDON
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
ANNUAL TOWN HIGHWAY DISTRICT MEETING**

- ◆ Australian Ballot: Article 23, School District Budget, and the NEK Waste Management Budget. Polls will be open Tuesday, March 6, 2012, at the Lyndon Town School Auditorium, Lyndon, Vermont, between the hours of 10:00 AM and 7:00 PM.
- ◆ The legal voters of the Town of Lyndon and the Town Highway District are hereby warned to meet at the Lyndon Town School Gymnasium in said Town on Tuesday, March 6, 2012, at 9:00 AM for the following purposes:

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

ARTICLE:

1. Shall the voters of the Town of Lyndon authorize the Selectboard to borrow money for the operation of the Wastewater Department not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) in anticipation of revenues and to execute and deliver the note or notes therefore?
2. Shall the voters of the Town of Lyndon authorize the Selectboard to set charges by residential unit to defray the cost of sanitation service for the period January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012, and to set the date of collection of same?
3. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$5,400 to assist the Area Agency on Aging for Northeastern Vermont in providing services to senior citizens in the ensuing year?
4. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$9,500 to the Caledonia Home Health Care and Hospice to be used in providing health care services?
5. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$1,000 to Catamount Arts?

6. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$3,000 to the Darling Inn Senior Meal Site, Inc. to provide services to residents of the Town?
7. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$5,981 for the support of the Fairbanks Museum and Planetarium to provide free unlimited general admission to the Museum to the residents of the Town?
8. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$2,000 to the Lyndon Area Chamber of Commerce to maintain the operation of the information booth on Broad Street?
9. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$1,500 to the Lyndon Area Senior Action Center, Inc.?
10. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$1,000 to Lyndon Outing Club?
11. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$1,000 to Lyndon Youth Baseball/Softball?
12. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$2,750 to Northeast Kingdom Youth Services to support their work with youth and families in our community?
13. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$2,288 to the Northeastern Vermont Development Association for planning, development, promoting and publicizing the resources of Caledonia, Essex and Orleans counties with other towns in the three counties?
14. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$1,700 to the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)?
15. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$6,441 to Rural Community Transportation for services provided to residents living in the Town of Lyndon?
16. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$4,800 to Umbrella, Inc. to serve victims of domestic and sexual violence and their children, and to ensure families have access to affordable, high quality child care?

17. Shall the Town of Lyndon appropriate \$7,500 to the Village Improvement Society (VIS) to use towards operating the Powers Park Summer Program?
18. Shall the voters of the Town of Lyndon vote to adopt the proposed General Fund budget for the ensuing year? (NOTE: Total General Fund budget is subject to increase by amounts approved on previous special appropriations.)
19. Shall the voters of the Town of Lyndon authorize the transfer of the \$60,217.54 in Special Revenue savings for the Waste Water Plant Upgrade to be used to help fund a capital fund for general fund equipment?
20. Shall the voters of the Town of Lyndon vote that taxpayers pay real property taxes to the Treasurer on or before 4:30 PM on Friday, November 2, 2012, with delinquent taxes having interest charges of one percent per month for the first three months, whereafter interest rates will be one and one-half percent per month, and an eight percent late penalty charged against them from the due date of November 2, 2012, at 4:30 PM?
21. Shall the voters of the Town of Lyndon vote to authorize its selectboard for a period of one (1) year to enter into contracts with new industrial and commercial owners, lessees, bailees, or operators of industrial and commercial real property, including additions to existing real property, for the purpose of fixing and maintaining the valuation of such real property in the Grand List or for the purpose of fixing and maintaining the rate applicable to such real property or for the purpose of fixing the amount in money which shall be paid as an annual tax upon such real property pursuant to the provisions of 24 V.S.A. 2741?
22. Shall the voters of the Town of Lyndon vote to authorize its selectboard for the period of one (1) year to enter into contracts with agricultural owners, lessees, bailees, or operators of agricultural real property or with existing or new owners, lessees, bailees, or operators who construct or acquire new agricultural real property, including additions to existing real property, for the purpose of fixing and maintaining the valuation of such real property in the Grand List or for the purpose of fixing and maintaining the rate applicable to such real property or for the purpose of fixing the amount of money which shall be paid as an annual tax upon such real property pursuant to the provision of 24 V.S.A. 2741?

ARTICLE 23, SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET, AND THE NEK WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT BUDGET TO BE VOTED ON BY AUSTRALIAN BALLOT on Tuesday, March 6, 2012, at Lyndon Town School, Lyndon, VT, between the hours of 10:00 AM and 7:00 PM.

23. To elect the following Town and Town School District officers as required by law: Town Moderator, School District Moderator, Town Clerk for three (3) years, Town Treasurer for three (3) years, Selectperson for three (3) years, Collector of Delinquent Taxes for three (3) years, Lister for three (3) years, Town Agent, Town Grand Jurors (2), First Constable, Second Constable, Cobleigh Public Library Trustee for five (5) years, Sanborn School Fund Trustee for three (3) years, School Director for three (3) years, School Director for two (2) years, School Director for remaining two (2) of a three (3) year term, School District Treasurer for three (3) years.
24. Do the voters of the Town of Lyndon desire to transact any other proper business?

**ANNUAL TOWN HIGHWAY DISTRICT MEETING
(TO FOLLOW 2012 LYNDON TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING)**

25. Shall the voters of the Town Highway District vote to adopt the proposed budget for the highway expenses for the ensuing year?
26. Shall the voters of the Town Highway District vote that taxpayers pay their Town Highway taxes to the Treasurer on or before 4:30 PM on Friday, November 2, 2012, with delinquent taxes having interest charges of one percent per month for the first three months, whereafter interest rates will be one and one-half percent per month, and an eight percent late penalty charged against them from the due date of November 2, 2012, at 4:30 PM?
27. Do the voters of the Town Highway District desire to transact any other proper business?

Signed and warned on this 30th day of January, 2012, by the Selectboard of the Town of Lyndon.

Martha Feltus

David Dill

Kermit Fisher

ATTEST:

Lisa J. Barrett, Town Clerk