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OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
SWANTON, VERMONT
MARCH 5, 2024

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- Use BLACK Pen to fill in the oval. DO NOT USE PENCIL.
- To vote for a person whose name is printed on the ballot, fill in the oval to the right of the name of that person.
- To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the person's name in the blank space provided and fill in the oval to the right of the write-in line. Please use block letters and stay within the box provided for write-ins.
- Do not vote for more candidates than the "VOTE for NOT MORE THAN #" for an office.
- If you make a mistake, tear, or deface the ballot, return it to an election official and obtain another ballot. DO NOT ERASE.

FOR MODERATOR Vote for not more than ONE FOR 1 YEAR	FOR LISTER Vote for not more than ONE FOR 3 YEARS	FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE Vote for not more than ONE FOR 5 YEARS
BRIAN K. SAVAGE /353 <input type="radio"/>	DAVID HORTON /306 <input type="radio"/>	RICHARD "RICH" KELLY /334 <input type="radio"/>
(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>	(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>	(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>
FOR SELECTPERSON Vote for not more than ONE FOR 3 YEARS	FOR LISTER Vote for not more than ONE FOR 1 YEAR UNEXPIRED	FOR CEMETERY COMMISSIONER Vote for not more than ONE FOR 5 YEARS
EARL FOURNIER /312 <input type="radio"/>	KEVIN NICHOLS /276 <input type="radio"/>	CODY HEMENWAY /351 <input type="radio"/>
(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>	(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>	(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>
FOR SELECTPERSON Vote for not more than ONE FOR 2 YEARS	FOR AUDITOR Vote for not more than ONE FOR 3 YEARS	FOR CEMETERY COMMISSIONER Vote for not more than ONE FOR 4 YEAR UNEXPIRED
NICOLE DRAPER 769 <input type="radio"/>	JOYCE BOMBARDIER /319 <input type="radio"/>	JOHN KACZKOWSKI /274 <input type="radio"/>
ALLEN LETOURNEAU 674 <input type="radio"/>	(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>	(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>
(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>	FOR TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC MONEY Vote for not more than ONE FOR 3 YEARS	FOR COLLECTOR OF DELINQUENT TAXES Vote for not more than ONE FOR 1 YEAR
FOR SELECTPERSON Vote for not more than ONE FOR 1 YEAR UNEXPIRED	NICHOLAS BROUSSEAU 745 <input type="radio"/>	BETTY L. CHENEY /363 <input type="radio"/>
JOEL A. CLARK 870 <input type="radio"/>	STEPHANIE GAGNE 609 <input type="radio"/>	(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>
AMY L. RAYMOND 481 <input type="radio"/>	(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>	(Write-in) <input type="radio"/>
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ARTICLES

Article 2: Shall the Town appropriate \$1,285,363.02 for the operation and maintenance of the Town Highway Department?

563 YES)
287 NO -

Article 3: Shall the Town appropriate \$296,216.00 for fire protection?

589 YES)
262 NO -

Article 4: Shall the Town appropriate \$475,057.00 to provide police protection to the residents of the Town of Swanton?

431 YES -
419 NO

Article 5: Shall the Town appropriate \$814,927.61 for the Town General expenses?

792 YES -
536 NO -

Article 6: Shall the Town appropriate \$ 212,502.88 towards the maintenance & employee benefits of the Swanton Public Library?

740 YES
600 NO -

Article 7: Shall the Town appropriate \$ 70,900.00 towards the operating budget of the Swanton Public Library?

798 YES -
536 NO -

Article 8: Shall the Town collect its real and personal property taxes to defray the expenses of the Town for the fiscal year commencing January 1, 2024, and annually thereafter, by its actual receipt of payment (postmarks will not be accepted) at the Town Offices by 5 p.m. on October 15th, or if the 15th shall fall on a weekend or holiday, the following business day by 5 p.m., with an eight percent (8%) penalty and one percent (1%) interest per month (or portion thereof) due thereon for the first three months, and one and one half (1.5%) per month (or portion thereof) thereafter, to be charged for late payment of any installment?

875 YES
458 NO -

Article 9: Shall the Town appropriate \$229,761.00 to provide rescue services to the residents of the Town of Swanton?

982 YES -
358 NO

Article 10: Shall the Town appropriate \$149,562.97 towards the operating and maintenance budget of the Recreation Department?

827 YES -
513 NO

Article 11: Shall the Town establish a Capital Reserve Fund in the amount of \$25,000.00 annually for the future construction and maintenance of Town owned assets?

813 YES -
531 NO -

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