

WARNING  
TOWN OF BAKERSFIELD  
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING  
RESULTS  
MARCH 2, 2021

The legal voters of the Town of Bakersfield, Vermont are hereby warned and notified to meet at the Town House in the said Town of Bakersfield on Tuesday, March 2nd, 2021 at 10:00 am in the forenoon until 7 pm at which time the polls close, to transact the following business by Australian ballot:

1. To elect a Moderator for the ensuing year.  
**Euan Bear** 172 votes So Voted
  
2. To vote by Australian Ballot for the following officers and questions.
  - a. Select Board member 3-year term.  
**Terri Gates** 136 votes Paul Talley 89 votes Nathan Tuttle 30 votes So Voted
  - b. Select Board member 2-year term.  
**Brenda Churchill** 117 votes Scott Flieger 76 votes Paul Talley 45 Nathan Tuttle 13 votes So Voted
  - c. Town Clerk 3-year term.  
Heather Goss Tanner 63 votes **Katherine Westcom** 206 votes So Voted
  - d. Treasurer 3-year term.  
**Audrey Haselton** 120 votes Susan Wooten 103 votes So Voted
  - e. Lister 3-year term  
**Susan Sonski** 224 votes So Voted
  - f. Lister 2-years of a 3-year term  
**Maura Horne** 223 votes So Voted
  - g. Auditor 3-year term.  
**Select Board will appoint**
  - h. Planning Commission 3-year term.  
**Ken Carter** 237 votes So Voted
  - i. Planning Commission 2-year term.  
**Heather Jewett** 221 votes So Voted
  
3. To elect the remaining Town Officers as required by law:
  - a. First Constable. **Select Board will appoint**
  - b. Second Constable. **Select Board will appoint**
  - c. Collector of Delinquent Taxes  
Heather Goss Tanner 67 votes **Katherine Westcom** 201 votes So Voted
  - d. Grand Juror.  
**Larry Krygier** 182 votes Jessica Villeneuve 78 votes So Voted
  - e. Town Agent. **Select Board will appoint**
  - f. Cemetery Commissioner-5-year term. **Select Board will appoint**
  - g. Library Trustee-3-year term.  
**Nicky Cribb** 188 votes Kerry Flieger 162 votes Jessica Villeneuve 94 votes So Voted  
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  - h. Trustee of Public Funds-3-year term.  
**Lance Lawyer** 217 votes So Voted
  - i. Hospital Committee- 2-year term. **Select Board will appoint**
  - j. Brigham Academy Committee Person-3-year term.  
**Sarah Jo Willey Marcotte** 247 votes So Voted
  
4. Shall the Bakersfield voters authorize the Select Board to appoint a Town Clerk, as provided in 17 V.S.A & 2651E, after the current term expires in 2024?  
Yes 62 **No 206** Article Failed

5. Shall the Town vote to have its Property Taxes due on October 4th, 2021?  
**Yes 262** No 5 So Voted
6. Shall the Town authorize the Select Board to set a tax rate to cover expenses as voted?  
**Yes 227** No 39
7. Shall the Town authorize the Select Board to borrow money in anticipation of taxes?  
**Yes 212** No 54 So Voted
8. Shall the Town appropriate \$300,000 for ROAD WORD?  
**Yes 213** No 51 So Voted
9. Shall the Town appropriate \$10,000 for a Paving/Grant Fund (Matching funds for Grants)?  
**Yes 242** No 24 So Voted
10. Shall the Town appropriate \$10,000 for a BRIDGE REPAIR FUND?  
**Yes 237** No 20 So Voted
11. Shall the Town appropriate \$265,000 to defray the GENERAL EXPENSES of the Town?  
**Yes 208** No 55 So Voted
12. Shall the Town appropriate \$55834.84 for the annual payment for the trucks?  
**Yes 245** No 23 So Voted
13. Shall the Town appropriate \$15,000 to the EQUIPMENT FUND?  
**Yes 237** No 31 So Voted
14. Shall the Town appropriate \$19,000 for EQUIPMENT REPAIRS?  
**Yes 236** No 31 So Voted
15. Shall the Town authorize the Select Board to receive and expend for town purposes any additional gifts, grants or other revenue in excess of those calculated in the proposed budget?  
**Yes 227** No 38 So Voted
16. Shall the Town appropriate \$16,080 for DISPATCHING FEE'S?  
**Yes 222** No 41 So Voted
17. Shall the Town authorize the surplus funds from H.F. Brigham Library, due to COVID-19 restrictions, amounting to 15,593.12, to be returned to Town General Fund for use in 2021?  
**Yes 223** No 44 So Voted
18. Shall the Town appropriate \$35,000 for the H.F. Brigham Library for 2022?  
**Yes 196** No 68 So Voted
19. Shall the Town of Bakersfield grant authority to the Trustees of the H.F. Brigham Public Free Library to spend monies raised by grants or contributions?  
**Yes 250** No 10 So Voted
20. Shall the Town appropriate \$10,000 for the Maple Grove Cemetery?  
**Yes 241** No 25 So Voted
21. Shall the Town appropriate \$10,000 for the Bakersfield Historical Society?  
**Yes 199** No 66 So Voted

22. Shall the Town appropriate the following sums of money:

- a. \$2,776 for the Franklin County Home Health?  
**Yes 244** No 21 So Voted
- b. \$1,332 for Northwest Vermont Solid Waste District?  
**Yes 244** No 22 So Voted
- c. \$200 for the Franklin County Industrial Development Corp?  
**Yes 204** No 59 So Voted
- d. \$1,507 for the Northwest Regional Planning Commission?  
**Yes 204** No 59 So Voted
- e. \$600 for the Missisquoi River Basin Association?  
**Yes 186** No 77 So Voted
- f. \$500 for the American Red Cross?  
**Yes 227** No 37 So Voted
- g. \$100 for Green Up Vermont?  
**Yes 240** No 26 So Voted
- h. \$2,000 for the Fairfield Community Center?  
**Yes 198** No 68 So Voted
- i. \$100 for VT Rural Fire Protection Task Force?  
**Yes 244** No 21 So Voted
- j. \$95 for Vermont Center for Independent Living?  
**Yes 229** No 37 So Voted
- k. \$600 for Northwestern Counseling?  
**Yes 204** No 61 So Voted

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Katherine Westcom, Bakersfield Town Clerk