

**Results of Annual Town Meeting  
June 11 & 12, 2019  
Machias Town Office & Machias High School Gymnasium**

Town Clerk, Sandra Clifton, called the meeting to order on June 11, 2019 at the Machias Town Office at 8:00 A.M. The Greeting and Officer's Return of Warrant were read.

ARTICLE 1: Nominations were accepted for the moderator and Jane Foss was elected and sworn in. Betsy Fitzgerald was later sworn in as Deputy Moderator.

ARTICLE 2: Votes were cast by secret ballot (results are attached).

The meeting resumed at 7:00 P.M. at the Machias Memorial High School Gymnasium, Town Clerk, Sandra Clifton, began with the flag salute. The meeting was then turned over to Deputy Moderator, Betsy Fitzgerald.

ARTICLE 3: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 4: On a motion by Grady Dwelley, seconded by Joshua Rolfe, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 5: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Lyman Holmes, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 6: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 7: On a motion by Grady Dwelley, seconded by Joshua Rolfe, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 8: On a motion by Grady Dwelley, seconded by Richard Larson, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 9: On a motion by Grady Dwelley, seconded by Joshua Rolfe, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 10: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 11: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 12: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Richard Larson, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 13: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 14: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 15: On a motion by Grady Dwelley, seconded by Joshua Rolfe, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

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ARTICLE 19: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 20: On a motion by Richard Rolfe, seconded by Joshua Rolfe, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 21: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 22: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 23: On a motion by Richard Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 24: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 25: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 26: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 27: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 28: On a motion by Richard Larson, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 29: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 30: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 31: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 32: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written. Richard Larson spoke regarding the Transfer Station being an Enterprise Account and it should be supported and paid for by the users. Mr. Larson also stated that we cannot keep running a deficit at the Transfer Station.

ARTICLE 33: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 34: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 35: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written. Town Manager, Christina Therrien stated that this amount is \$40,000 more than last year because the school budget increased this year and Selectpeople and the Budget Committee were trying to stabilize the mil rate by appropriating from the fund balance.

ARTICLE 35: (Error in town report on Article #) On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 36: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 37: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

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ARTICLE 44: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 45: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 46: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 47: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written. Town Manager, Christina Therrien stated that over \$200,000 had been discovered sitting in an Economic Development Reserve Account; it was received from the sale of the mill. This article asks the citizens to authorize the expenditure of \$13,000 from that account for the purpose of the completion of an updated Comprehensive Plan.

ARTICLE 48: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

ARTICLE 49: On a motion by Joshua Rolfe, seconded by Grady Dwelley, the Town voted to accept the article as written.

Town Manager, Christina Therrien said a special thank you to all budget committee members. Two of the members, Ann-Marie Evans and Dallas Ward were present at the Town Meeting.

Joshua Rolfe made a motion to adjourn at 7:35 P.M.

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TOWN CLERK, MACHIAS, MAINE  
DATE 6/13/19