

**OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
TOWN OF BRANDON, VERMONT
MARCH 3, 2020**

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

To vote, fill in the oval to the right of your choice(s), like this: ●
 Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.
 To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate's name in the blank space provided and fill in the oval.
 If you wrongly mark, tear or deface the ballot, return it and obtain another.

TOWN ARTICLE 1 ELECTION OF OFFICERS

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| <p>FOR TOWN MODERATOR</p> <p>1 YEAR (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE)</p> <p>WILLIAM "BILL" MOORE <input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> | <p>FOR TOWN CLERK</p> <p>3 YEARS (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE)</p> <p>SUSAN GAGE <input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> | <p>FOR TRUSTEE OF THE BRANDON FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY</p> <p>2 YEARS (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE)</p> <p>DAVID ROBERTS <input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> |
| <p>FOR SELECTMAN</p> <p>3 YEARS (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE)</p> <p>BRIAN COOLIDGE <input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> | <p>FOR TOWN TREASURER</p> <p>3 YEARS (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE)</p> <p>SUSAN GAGE <input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> | <p>FOR TOWN AGENT</p> <p>1 YEAR (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> |
| <p>FOR SELECTMAN</p> <p>1 YEAR (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)</p> <p>DOUG BAILEY <input type="radio"/></p> <p>SETH HOPKINS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>ALISON WALTER <input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> | <p>FOR TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC FUNDS</p> <p>3 YEARS (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN ONE)</p> <p>TANNER ROMANO <input type="radio"/></p> <p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-in)</p> | |

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A. TO VOTE completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this: ●

TOWN ARTICLES

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| <p>TOWN ARTICLE 2</p> <p>Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate the sum of Three Million, Two Hundred Sixty-six Thousand, Three Hundred and Three Dollars (\$3,266,303) for the FY 2020-2021 budget year, of which the sum Two Million, Seven Hundred and Eighteen Thousand, Three Hundred and Fifty-three Dollars (\$2,718,353) is to be raised by property taxes?</p> <p>YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>NO <input type="radio"/></p> | <p>TOWN ARTICLE 3</p> <p>Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$100,000 for paving projects to include Park Street Extension, Corona Street and Country Club Road (from Park St to Route 73) and other paving projects as identified by the Highway Foreman, to be raised by property taxes?</p> <p>YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>NO <input type="radio"/></p> | <p>TOWN ARTICLE 4</p> <p>Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$3,500 for ARC-Rutland Area, to support individuals with developmental disabilities and their families, to be raised by property taxes?</p> <p>YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>NO <input type="radio"/></p> |
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VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT

TOWN ARTICLES CONTINUED

TOWN ARTICLE 5
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$1,000 for the Brandon Area Chamber of Commerce, for the improvement and advancement of businesses and community in Brandon, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 10
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$550 for RSVP & The Volunteer Center, for free income tax preparation and volunteer placements, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 14
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$2,400 for Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging, for senior meals, case management assistance and other senior help, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 6
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$28,000 for the Brandon Area Rescue Squad Inc., to support volunteer emergency medical services, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 11
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$10,200 for the VNA & Hospice of the Southwest Region, for home care, hospice and community health services, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 15
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$2,500 for the Brandon Museum at the Stephen A. Douglas Blaisance Community Center, Inc. to protect and maintain the building and historical artifacts, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 7
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$92,000 for the Brandon Free Public Library, to support the programs, resources and community activities of the library, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 12
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$750 for Rutland County Humane Society, for shelter and care to companion animals, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 16
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$1,000 for the Open Door Clinic, Community Health Services of Addison County, which provides access to dental and healthcare, free of charge, to those who are uninsured or underinsured, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 8
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$6,000 for the Brandon Independence Day Celebration Committee, to support activities offered at the Independence Day celebration, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 13
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$6,624 for Rutland Mental Health Services, for counseling, substance abuse treatment services, emergency/crisis services and developmental disability services, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 17
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$3,000 to support the Community Meals and Emergency Shelter Programs of Charter House Coalition, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

TOWN ARTICLE 9
 Shall the voters of the Town of Brandon appropriate \$13,500 for Brandon Senior Citizens Center, Inc, to support free community lunches, and activities and programs at the center, to be raised by property taxes?

YES
 NO

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