

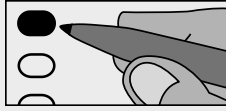


Sample Ballot
Carroll Town Election
March 11, 2025
 Carroll, NH

Instructions

To Vote:

To vote, completely fill in the oval next to your choice.



To Vote for a Write-in:

To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write the person's name on the "Write-in" line and completely fill in the oval next to the line.



Selectman

Vote for not more than 1
3 Year Term

Aaron B Foti

Brian Paul Mycko

Write-in

Treasurer

Vote for not more than 1
1 Year Term

Annette L Marquis

Write-in

Library Trustee

Vote for not more than 1
3 Year Term

Nancy Mitiguy

Write-in

Trustee of Trust Funds

Vote for not more than 1
3 Year Term

Lisa F Gemmer

Write-in

Cemetery Trustee

Vote for not more than 1
3 Year Term

Vernon Amirault

Write-in

Planning Board

Vote for up to 2
2 will be elected
3 Year Term

Alessandro Foti

Ryan Pepper

Write-in

Write-in

Zoning Board of Adjustment

Vote for not more than 1
3 Year Term

Andrew Smith

Write-in



Article 02 To raise and appropriate operating budget

Shall the Town of Carroll raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$3,073,638?

Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$3,011,745, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Carroll or by law; or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only.

Yes

No

Article 03 To purchase and install a Solar PV array on the Town Public Safety Building

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifty-One Thousand, Seven Hundred Sixty-Six Dollars (\$151,766) for the purpose of purchasing a solar PV array (solar panels) for the roof of the Public Safety Building that will be installed by a licensed contractor.

The funds will be taken from the following sources:

1. Up to \$143,766 from the Town's New Land and Building Capital Reserve Fund.
2. Up to \$8,000 from the Town's Energy Efficiency Capital Reserve Fund.

Additional funds are expected to be received from the following resources and will be used to defray the cost of the project and replenish funds used from the New Land and Building Capital Reserve Fund:

1. A grant awarded to Carroll from the United States Department of Energy, Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant, Municipal Solar Grant Program in an amount not to exceed \$86,236.
2. An IRA Elective Pay investment tax credit in an amount not to exceed \$45,530.
3. \$10,000 NH Department of Energy Commercial and Industrial Solar Incentive.

The solar array is expected to offset 100% of electricity usage of the Public Safety Building. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7, VI and will not lapse until the Solar PV array project is completed or by December 2028, whichever is sooner. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. No money to be raised from new taxation. (Majority vote required).

Yes

No



Article 04 To Upgrade the Town Water System

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eighty-Six Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-Six Dollars (\$86,836) for the purpose of upgrading the Town Water System including incorporating a SCADA System using iFix for graphics and control, upgrading the pump house, equipment repairs, VPN installation for communication with Cherry Mountain tank, the well house, and in-town tank and authorize the withdrawal of Eighty-Six Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-Six Dollars (\$86,836) from the Water Department Capital Reserve Fund. This special article is a special warrant article per RSA 32:3 VI (d) and RSA 32:7 V. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. (Majority vote required). No money to be raised from taxation.

Yes

No

Article 05 To modify the slope of the Town Hall

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000) to remove the steepness of the grade that constitutes a danger for people mowing in front of the Carroll Town Hall. Cutting away the severity of the slopes to maintain safety by removing soil from the front and moving it to the opposite side of School Street in order to modify both of the slopes. This special article is a special warrant article per RSA 32:3 VI (d) and RSA 32:7 V. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax Impact: \$0.09 (Majority vote required).

Yes

No

Article 06 To place money in the Road Improvements CRF

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) to be added to the Road Improvement Capital Reserve Fund previously established. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.08

Yes

No



Article 07 To Place Money in the Water Department CRF

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) to be added to the Water Department Capital Reserve Fund previously established. This sum to come from the Water Unassigned Fund Balance. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. No money to be raised from new taxation.

Yes

No

Article 08 To put money in the New Land & Building CRF

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) to be added to the New Land & Building Capital Reserve Fund previously established. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.05

Yes

No

Article 09 To put money in the Police Cruiser CRF

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) to be added to the Police Cruiser Capital Reserve Fund previously established. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.05

Yes

No

Article 10 To place money in the Municipal Truck CRF

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) to be added to the Municipal Truck Capital Reserve Fund previously established. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.05

Yes

No



Article 11 To place money in the Highway Equipment CRF

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) to be added to the Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund previously established. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.05

Yes

No

Article 12 To offset ambulance medical transfers

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000) for the purpose of off-setting expenses related to ambulance operations, specifically hospital to hospital medical transfers of the sick and injured, with said funds to come from the Fire Department and Ambulance Equipment, Apparatus and Personnel Special Revenue Fund. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. No money to be raised by new taxation.

Yes

No

Article 13 To purchase new lawn tractor

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) for the purpose of purchasing a Lawn Tractor. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax Impact: \$0.02

Yes

No

Article 14 To put money in the Landfill Closure CRF

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) to be added to the Landfill Closure Capital Reserve Fund previously established. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.02

Yes

No



Article 15 To put money in the Energy Efficiency CRF

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) to be added to the Energy Efficiency Capital Reserve Fund previously established. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax Impact: \$0.02

Yes

No

Article 16 To place money in the Computer Technology CRF

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000) to be added to the Computer Technology Capital Reserve Fund previously established. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.01

Yes

No

Article 17 To modify the Totally Disabled Veterans' Tax Credit Amount

Shall the town modify the Totally Disabled Veterans' Tax Credit in accordance with RSA 72:35 from its current tax credit of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000) per year to Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000). (Majority vote required). The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0.

Yes

No

Article 18 To contribute to North Country Home Health & Hospice Agency, Inc.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Sixty-Five Dollars (\$2,065) for the purpose of being the Town's contribution to the North Country Home Health & Hospice Agency Inc., to help offset the support of the home health care, supportive care, medical hospice and community health programs and services of North Country Home Health & Hospice Agency, Inc., and Hospice of the Littleton Area for the residents of our community. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.01

Yes

No



Article 19 To contribute to Tri County Community Action

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Fifty Dollars (\$2,050) for the purpose of being the Town's contribution for Tri County Community Action Program in support of their services for residents in our community. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.01

Yes

No

Article 20 To contribute to Ammonoosuc Community Health

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$1,250) for the purpose of being the Town's contribution to help offset the cost of preventative and primary health care services of Ammonoosuc Community Health Services, Inc. provided to the residents of our community. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax Impact \$0.01

Yes

No

Article 21 To Donate to Second Chance Animal Rescue

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) for the Second Chance Animal Rescue. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.01.

Yes

No

Article 22 To contribute to the Weathervane Theatre

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) for the purpose of providing support to the Weathervane Theatre for performances, summer theatre camp, workshops and educational programs. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact: \$0.01

Yes

No



Article 23 To contribute to CASA

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) for the purpose of being the Town's contribution to Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of NH for recruiting, training and supervising volunteers who advocate in NH's courts for the best interests of abused and neglected children. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.01

Yes

No

Article 24 To contribute to The Center for New Beginnings

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) for the purpose of being the Town's contribution to The Center for New Beginnings in Littleton, which provides counseling and mental health services to individuals throughout the North Country. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.01

Yes

No

Article 25 To contribute to American Red Cross

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty-Six Dollars (\$356) for the purpose of being the Town's contribution to the American Red Cross of New England, which provides relief and support to individuals throughout the region. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax Impact: \$0.01

Yes

No

Article 26 To donate to Pathways Pregnancy Care Center

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) for the purpose of being the Town's contribution to Pathways Pregnancy Care Center in Littleton which provides educational services to individuals throughout the North Country. The Board of Selectmen recommends this appropriation 3-0. Tax impact \$0.01.

Yes

No



Article 27 Registration of Short-Term Rentals

To see if the town will vote to accept a Safety Contact Information signup and attestation for all Short-Term Rentals of 30 days or less. The purpose of this is to provide the Carroll Police and Fire Departments with accurate contact information to be used in the event of a safety concern or nuisance, and to inform property owners of applicable safety standards, ordinances and best practices.

The registration will be at no cost, valid until cessation of rental activity or sale of the property, and subject to updates in the event of a change in contact information.

Yes

No

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