



Article 01 Election of Town Officers

To choose One (1) Selectman for Three (3) years; One (1) Trustee of Trust Funds for Three (3) years; One (1) Library Trustee for Three (3) years; One (1) Cemetery Trustee for Three (3) years; One (1) Emmons Smith Fund Committee member for Three (3) years; Two (2) Budget Committee members for One (1) year; Three (3) Budget Committee members for Three (3) years; Three (3) Colonel Town Spending Committee members for Three (3) years.

Article 02 Operating Budget

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Million One Hundred Forty-Six Thousand Six Hundred Thirty-Four Dollars (\$7,146,634.00) which represents the operating budget. Said sum does not include any other Warrant Articles.

Article 03 Appropriate to Capital Reserve Funds

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$115,000.00) to be added to the following Capital Reserve Fund accounts previously established for the purpose and in the amounts indicated:

Highway	\$55,000
Fire Department	\$40,000
Police	\$ 5,000
Library	\$ 5,000
Cemetery	\$10,000
Total	\$115,000

(Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee)

Article 04 Reimburse Industrial Development Fund

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Thousand Four Hundred Forty-Eight Dollars (\$30,448.00) to be added to the Industrial Development Capital Reserve Fund previously established with said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee)

Article 05 Money received from fundraising & donations

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00) to be added to the Colonel Town Capital Reserve Fund previously established with said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance. The amount represents monies from donations to Colonel Town Recreation. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee)

Article 06 Establish Dispatch Service Capital Reserve Fund

To see if the town will vote to establish a Dispatch Services Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for future costs of dispatch service for the town's emergency services (Police, Fire and Ambulance) and to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) to be placed in this fund with said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance. Further, to name the Board of Selectmen as agents to expend from said fund. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee)



Article 07 Severance Package & accrued vacation

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventy-Six Thousand Dollars (\$76,000.00) for the purpose of paying out a severance package and accrued vacation time with said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance.

Article 08 Masonry work on Town Hall

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) for the purpose of completing the masonry work on the handicap ramp at the town hall with said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance.

Article 09 Purchase New Pickup w/Plow & Body

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$115,000.00) for the purpose of purchasing a new 1 1/2 ton pickup truck with plow and body for the Highway Department with said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance.

Article 10 Lease/Purchase Sidewalk Plow - 2nd payment

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Sixty-Nine Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Nine Dollars (\$69,129.00) for the second payment on the three year lease/purchase agreement entered into in 2020 for a sidewalk plow for the Highway Department with said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance. This lease agreement contains an escape clause.

Article 11 Purchase New Police Cruiser

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty-Two Thousand Three Hundred Ninety-Nine Dollars (\$52,399.00) for the purpose of purchasing a new police cruiser with said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance.

Article 12 Purchase Air Cylinders & Hose

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) for the purpose of purchasing 20 air cylinders and fire hose for the Fire Department with said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance.

Article 13 Purchase Cardiac Monitors - 2nd payment

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$35,000.00) for the second payment on the three year lease/purchase agreement entered into in 2020 for 3 cardiac monitors for the Fire Department with said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance. This lease agreement contains an escape clause.

Article 14 Purchase Water Meter Radio Transmitters

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Sixteen Thousand Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$116,350.00) for the purpose of purchasing 895 water meter radio transmitters for the Water Department with said funds to come from the Water Enterprise Fund unassigned fund balance.



Article 15 Upgrade SCADA system

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Thirteen Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$113,890.00) for the purpose of upgrading the SCADA system with said funds to come from the Water Enterprise Fund unassigned fund balance. The SCADA system allows almost all functions of the water treatment plant and water distribution system to be alarmed, monitored and adjusted remotely.

Article 16 Purchase Chemical Feed Pumps

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-Four Dollars (\$12,734.00) for the purpose of purchasing two chemical feed pumps at the water treatment facility with said funds to come from the Water Enterprise Fund unassigned fund balance.

Article 17 Rehabilitate 20 sewer manholes

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars (\$110,000.00) for the purpose of rehabilitating 20 sewer manholes with said funds to come from the Sewer Enterprise Fund unassigned fund balance.

Article 18 Purchase new Sewer Jetter

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ninety-Four Thousand Five Hundred Seventy-Five Dollars (\$94,575.00) for the purpose of purchasing a new sewer line jetter machine with said funds coming from the Sewer Enterprise Fund unassigned fund balance.

Article 19 Purchase a new sewer grinder

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-Four Thousand Six Hundred Thirty-Three Dollars (\$24,633.00) for the purpose of purchasing a new sewer grinder for the main pump station with said funds to come from the Sewer Enterprise Fund unassigned fund balance.

Article 20 Water tank at the Intake

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) for the purpose of adding a water storage tank at the water plant intake to help with pressure and volume to those water users fed directly from the intake with Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00) to come from the unassigned fund balance and the remaining Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$750,000.00) to come from grant funding. This special warrant article will be a non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7, VI and will not lapse until the water storage tank is completed or by March 9, 2026, whichever is sooner. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee)

Article 21 Northern Human Services/White Mountain Mental Health

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-One Dollars (\$5,921.00) for the support of Northern Human Services/White Mountain Mental Health.

Article 22 Northern Gateway Chamber of Commerce

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) for the support of the Northern Gateway Regional Chamber of Commerce.



Article 23 Caleb Caregivers

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) for the support of the Caleb Caregivers who serves the needs of senior citizens in the community.

Article 24 Tri County Community Action Program

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-Five Dollars (\$8,775.00) for the support of the Tri-County Community Action programs to include Fuel & Electrical Assistance, Weatherization, Transportation, Homeless Intervention and Prevention, Guardianship, RSVP, and Workforce programs.

Article 25 Center for New Beginnings

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to help support the Center for New Beginnings in Littleton, which provides counseling and mental health services to individuals throughout the North Country.

Article 26 North Country Home Health & Hospice

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seventeen Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-One Dollars (\$17,991.00) for the support of North Country Home Health & Hospice Agency.

Article 27 Mt Washington Regional Airport

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two Dollars (\$3,882.00) for the Town's share of the operating budget for the Mt Washington Regional Airport for the current fiscal year.

Article 28 Soup Kitchen

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the support of the Lancaster Soup Kitchen.

Article 29 Food Pantry

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the support of the Lancaster Food Pantry.

Article 30 Backpack Program

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Thirty-Four Dollars (\$2,034.00) to assist with the cost of the North Country Weekend Backpack program .

Article 31 NH North Country Veterans Inc.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for the support of the New Hampshire North Country Veterans Inc.

Article 32 Androscoggin Valley Home Care

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) for the purpose of supporting the clients of Androscoggin Valley Home Care who live in Lancaster. (Submitted by petition) (Recommended by the Selectmen and Budget Committee)



TOWN OF LANCASTER
New Hampshire

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WARRANT**

Article 33 Implement video recording and streaming

To see if the town will take such measures as needed to implement video recording and streaming of all public meetings in the Town of Lancaster subject to NH Right-to-Know laws. Said recordings shall be made available within five business days on the town website. (Submitted by petition)

Article 34 Transact Other Business

To transact other business that may legally come before this meeting.