

SCHOOL ELECTION
UNOFFICIAL GOFFSTOWN RESULTS
MARCH 13, 2012

ARTICLE 2

“Passage of this article shall override the 10 percent limitation imposed on this appropriation due to the non-recommendation of the budget committee.” “Shall the Goffstown School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,770,056.00 (gross budget) for the purpose of construction, renovation and equipment at the Maple Avenue Elementary School and at the Bartlett Elementary School and for costs incidental and related to the foregoing purposes; and to authorize the issuance of not more than \$15,060,599.00 of bonds or notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA 33) and to authorize the school district officials to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon; furthermore, to authorize the withdrawal of \$344,970.00 from the Bartlett Capital Reserve Fund created for this purpose? Furthermore, shall the Goffstown School District raise and appropriate the balance of \$364,487.00 for the purposes of addressing the first year debt service obligation to be raised by taxation?” This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #4 the Operating Budget. (3/5th majority vote required).

The School Board voted 8-0-0 To Recommend
The Budget Committee voted 7-6-1 To Not Recommend

YES	877	Failed
NO	1547	

ARTICLE 3

“Passage of this article shall override the 10 percent limitation imposed on this appropriation due to the non-recommendation of the budget committee.” Shall the Goffstown School District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,865,576.00 (gross budget) for the purpose of developing an athletic complex at Goffstown High School to include a complete track and field, artificial turf surface, lights and field seating and for the purpose of renovating and expanding the Goffstown High School Dr. Craig Hieber Auditorium and for costs incidental and related to the foregoing purposes; and to authorize the issuance of not more than \$2,809,580.00 of bonds or notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA 33) and to authorize the school district officials to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon? Furthermore, shall the Goffstown School District raise and appropriate the balance of \$55,996.00 for the purposes of addressing the first year debt service obligation to be raised by taxation?” This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #4 the Operating Budget. (3/5th majority vote required).

The School Board voted 5-1-2 To Recommend
The Budget Committee voted 10-2-2 To Not Recommend

YES	703	Failed
NO	1736	

ARTICLE 4

“Shall the Goffstown School District 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 THIRTY SIX MILLION FOUR HUNDRED SEVENTY SEVEN THOUSAND THREE DOLLARS (\$36,477,003.00)? Should this Article be defeated, the Default Budget shall be THIRTY SIX MILLION ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY TWO THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED SIXTY FOUR DOLLARS (\$36,182,164.00), which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Goffstown School District 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.” This warrant article (the Operating Budget Article) does not include appropriations in ANY other warrant articles. (Majority vote required).

*The School Board voted 5-3-0 To Recommend
The Budget Committee voted 9-5-0 To Recommend*

YES	1172	Failed
NO	1233	

ARTICLE 5

“Shall the Goffstown School District accept the provision of RSA 195-A (as amended) providing for the amendment to the agreement for the AREA schools located in Goffstown to serve grades 7-12 from the school districts of Dunbarton and New Boston in accordance with the provisions of the plan on file with the district clerk?” (Majority vote required).

The School Board voted 8-0-0 To Recommend

YES	1903	Passed
NO	488	