

**WARNING**  
**2024 ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**

The legal voters of the Town of Richford, Vermont are hereby warned and notified to meet at the Richford Town Hall in said Town March 4th, 2024 at 6:00 PM to transact the following business,

All Articles pertaining to the election of officers and monetary issues relating to expenditures will be voted on by Australian Ballot at the Richford Town Hall on March 5th, 2024, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon and 7:00 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the polls will close.

ARTICLE 1. To hear and act upon the reports of the officers of the Town for the past year.

ARTICLE 2. To elect the following officers:

- a. A Moderator for the ensuing year
- b. Town Clerk for the term of three (3) years
- c. Town Treasurer/Delinquent Tax Collector for a term of three (3) years
- d. One Selectmen for the term of two (2) years
- e. One Selectmen for the term of three (3) years
- f. One Lister for the term of (3) years
- g. A First Constable for a term of one (1) year
- h. Two Planning Commission members for a term of three (3) years
- i. One Director of the Richford Community Fund Inc for a term of three (3) year

ARTICLE 3. Shall the Town pay it's 2024 municipal taxes and it's 2024-2025 education taxes to the Town Treasurer in two equal installments with the first due on or before August 12, 2024, and the Second due on or before October 10, 2024?

ARTICLE 4. Shall the Town authorize and empower the Selectmen to borrow money on the credit of the Town by note, Town order, or otherwise in a sum sufficient to meet the current expenses of the Town prior to the collection of its taxes and to meet any deficit of the town if the expenditures shall exceed the estimated revenues?

ARTICLE 5. Shall the Town appropriate the following sums of money and if so voted, to raise money on the Grand List?

- A. \$4,846.00 to the Franklin County Home Health Agency, Inc?
- B. \$150.00 to Green Up Vermont?
- C. \$2,000.00 to the Richford Beautification/Image Committee?
- D. \$500.00 to the Missisquoi River Basin Association?
- E. \$500.00 to the Richford Conservation Commission?
- F. \$2,500.00 to the Richford Economic Advancement Corporation (REAC)?

- G. \$2,000.00 to the Green Mountain Transportation Agency?
- H. \$100.00 to the Vermont Rural Fire Protection Task Force?
- I. \$500.00 to the VT Association for the Blind & Visually Impaired?
- J. \$1,000.00 to Operation Happiness?
- K. \$1,000.00 to Northwest Counseling?

ARTICLE 6. Shall the Town vote the proposed 2024 budget in the amount of \$2,844,035.00 to meet the expenses and liabilities of the Town and authorize the Selectmen to set a tax rate sufficient to provide for the same?

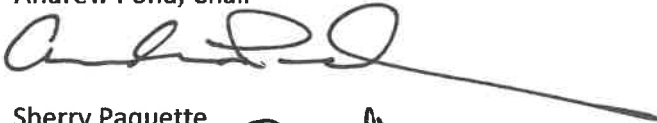
ARTICLE 7. Shall general obligation bonds or notes of the Town of Richford in an amount not to exceed One Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,100,000.00), subject to available grants -in-aid, be issued to finance the cost of improving the water system?

ARTICLE 8. to transact any other proper business.

Dated at Richford, Vermont this 29th day of January 2024.

Town of Richford  
Board of Selectmen,

Andrew Pond, Chair



Sherry Paquette



Wallace Steinhour



Alan Fletcher



Kristen Sheperd