## Deering Town Meeting 2024 (Voting results only) March 16, 2024 9:00am

Article #1: To Choose all the necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

(Town Election held on March 12, 2024)

**Article Passed** 

Selectmen (3 year term)	Roy Watson
Town Clerk/Tax Collector (3 year term)	Annette Poland
Cemetery Trustee (3 year term)	Kay Hartnett
Library Trustee (3 year term)	Patricia Finn

Supervisors of the Checklist (6 year term) write-ins only (yet to be determined)
Trustee of the Trust Fund (2 year term) write-ins only (yet to be determined)

Trustee of the Trust Fund (3 year term) Ryan Aruck

#### Article #2: Zoning Ordinance Amendment

Are you in favor of the adoption of Article 4, Section 3 for the National Floodplain Development as proposed by the Deering Planning Board for the Town of Deering Zoning Ordinance. (Ballot vote held on March 12, 2024 at Town Election)

**154 YES** 

71 NO

**Article Passed** 

### **Article #3: To Accept Town Reports**

To see if the Town will vote to accept the 2023 reports of the Town Officials, agents and committees, and to accept the 2022 auditor's report.

Article Passed

# Article #4: To Appropriate Operating Budget Funds for the Year 2024

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of TWO MILLION FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY FIVE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY DOLLARS (\$2,435,270) for the purpose of funding general municipal operations not including any amount raised and appropriated in any separate warrant article.

#### Two Amendments Passed on Article #4

**First amendment passed to increase** for a total of **THREE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY-SIX DOLLARS (\$3,436)** to put \$1,718 back into the Town Clerk Salary line and \$1,718 back into the Tax Collector Salary line which will match the amount that was voted on the approved at the 2023 Town Meeting by the voters of Deering.

Second amendment passed to decrease the overall budget by ELEVEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-NINE (\$11,969) and now raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,426,737

With both amendments passing Article #4 now reads:

## Article #4: To Appropriate Operating Budget Funds for the Year 2024

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of TWO MILLION FOUR HUNDRED TWENTY SIX THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN DOLLARS (\$2,426,737) for the purpose of funding general municipal operations not including any amount raised and appropriated in any separate warrant article.

Article Passed
WITH AMENDMENTS

#### Article #5: To Add Funds to Established Trust Funds

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of THREE HUNDRED FOURTY-NINE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FOURTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$349,745) to be added to the previously established Capital Reserve and/or Expendable Trust Funds and to fund the sum of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$100,000) from the undersigned fund balance as of December 31, 2021

**Article Passed** 

#### Article #6: To Transact Other Business

To transact any other business that may be brought before this meeting.

No further town business was voted on and meeting was dissolved at 11:14am.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol M. Baker Town Clerk/Tax Collector