

WARNING
TOWN OF PITTSFORD ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
March 4, 2024

The legal voters of the Town of Pittsford are hereby warned and notified to meet in the Lothrop School Gymnasium in said Town on March 4, 2023, at 6:30 p.m. to transact the following business from the floor:

- Article 1:** To hear the reports of the Town Officers.
- Article 2:** Shall the voters authorize general fund expenditures for operating expenses of \$1,822,999, of which the sum of \$1,385,264 is to be raised by property taxes and \$437,735 by non-tax revenues?
- Article 3:** Shall the voters authorize highway fund expenditures of \$1,192,980, of which the sum of \$1,050,780 is to be raised by property taxes and \$142,200 by non-tax revenues?
- Article 4:** Shall the voters authorize Village District Expenses of \$17,000, of which the sum of \$17,000 is to be raised by property taxes payable by Village property owners?
- Article 5:** Shall the voters authorize collection of taxes on real and personal property by its Treasurer in three equal installments, due on or before August 15, September 16, and November 15, 2024 by physical delivery to the tax collector on that date?
- Article 6:** Shall the voters vote to exempt the building and properties belonging to the Pittsford Historical Society located at 3399 US Route 7 (parcel #1713) from municipal property taxes for a period of five (5) years in accordance with the exemption clause for charitable organizations set forth in 32 VSA Section 3840?
- Article 7:** Shall the voters vote to exempt the properties belonging to the Pittsford Historical Society located off Goat Farm Road (aka: "ice caves" parcel, consisting of 54.6 acres; parcel #1682) from municipal property taxes for a period of five (5) years in accordance with the exemption clause for charitable organizations set forth in 32 VSA Section 3840?
- Article 8:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$7,500 for the support of the Pittsford Historical Society to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 9:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$5,000 for the support of Marble Valley Regional Transportation District "The Bus" to provide services to the residents of Town?
- Article 10:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$1,000 for the support of the Pittsford Cemetery Association to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 11:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$1,500 for the support of the Bowen-Walker Fund to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 12:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$1,000 for the support of the Pittsford Food Shelf to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 13:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$11,964 for the support of Regional Ambulance Service to provide services to the residents of Town?
- Article 14:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$3,600 for the support of Rutland County Restorative Justice Center to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 15:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$4,931 for the support of Visiting Nurses Association and Hospice of the Southwest Region to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 16:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$125,000 for the support of Maclure Library to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 17:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$1,400 for the support of ARC Rutland Area to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 18:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$427 for the support of RSVP/VC to provide services to residents of Town?

- Article 19:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$1,100 for the support of the Southern Vermont Council on Aging to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 20:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$200 for the support of Green Up Day to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 21:** Shall the voters vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$1,000 for the support of Rutland County Humane Society to provide services to residents of Town?
- Article 22:** Discussion of other non-binding business.

At the close of the above business, the meeting shall be recessed until Tuesday March 5, 2024 at 7:00 a.m. at the Town Offices, located at 426 Plains Road, Pittsford to vote by Australian ballot on the following matters, to wit:

- Article 23:** To elect the following officers of the Town:
- a. A Town Moderator for a term of one (1) year
 - b. A Selectman for a term of three (3) years
 - c. A Selectman for a term of two (2) years
 - d. A Trustee of Public Funds for a term of three (3) years
 - e. A Maclure Library Trustee for a term of three (3) years

Article 24: To vote on the following Article of Business:
 Shall the voters authorize the removal, replacement, and installation of a new watermain along the easterly side of the VT Route 7 Bridge #108 over Furnace Brook and the issuance of general obligation bonds of the Town in an amount not to exceed Four Hundred Thousand, and 00/100 Dollars (\$400,000.00), subject to reduction by grants in aid and other state and federal funds then available to the Town, to pay the capital costs and related other costs of the project?

Article 25: To vote on the following Article of Business:
 Shall the voters of the Town of Pittsford assess a one percent (1%) local options sales tax on all eligible sales, rooms and meals sales, and alcohol sales in accordance with 25 V.S.A. §138 and use those revenues to pay for capital debt and projects?

Polls open Tuesday March 5, 2024 from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00p.m.

Dated this 24th day of January, 2024.

By the Selectboard members of the Town of Pittsford:
 January, 2024:

Received and Recorded this 25th day of

[Handwritten signatures of the Selectboard members]

[Handwritten signature: Helen E. McKelvey]