

1. Shall the Contoocook Valley 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 \$53,766,080? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$52,842,414 which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Contoocook Valley 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. (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES NO

2. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District approve the cost items included in the Collective Bargaining Agreement reached between the ConVal School Board and the ConVal Education Association which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing level:

Fiscal Year	Estimated Increase
2022-2023	\$877,844
2023-2024	\$737,576
2024-2025	\$714,868

And further raise and appropriate the sum of \$877,844 for the 2022-2023 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits required by the new agreement over those that would be paid at current staffing levels. (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES NO

3. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District, if Article 2 is defeated, authorize the governing body to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 2 cost items only? (Majority vote required)

YES NO

4. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$744,112 for the 2022-2023 fiscal year for the purpose of expanding the existing preschool program? (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article.) (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES NO

5. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District establish an expendable trust fund under the provisions of RSA 198:20-c, to be known as the Technology Trust Fund, for the purpose of acquiring and maintaining hardware, software, and services as necessary to support the use of digital equipment and technology throughout the District, and shall it raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 to be placed in the fund, and further to name the School Board as agents to expend from this fund? (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article.) (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES NO

6. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000 to be added to the Contoocook Valley School District Energy Trust Fund, previously established? This sum to come from the June 30, 2022 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2022, with no amount to be raised from taxation. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article.) (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES NO

7. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$500,000 to be added to the Building Capital Reserve Fund, previously established? This sum to come from the June 30, 2022 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2022, with no amount to be raised from taxation. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article.) (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES NO

8. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 to be added to the Health Trust Fund as previously established? This sum to come from the June 30, 2022 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2022, with no amount to be raised from taxation. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article.) (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES NO

9. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$250,000 to be added to the Building Capital Reserve Fund as previously established? This sum to come from the June 30, 2022 fund balance available for transfer on July 1, 2022, with no amount to be raised from taxation. In the event that Article 07 passes, this appropriation shall be in addition to any appropriation to the Building Capital Reserve Fund pursuant to Article 07. (The ConVal School Board designates this article as a SPECIAL warrant article.) (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES NO

10. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District accept the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, and Officers chosen?

YES NO

11. Shall the Contoocook Valley School District appoint the salaries of the School Board and fix the annual compensation of any other officers or agents of the District as follows: School Board Chair, \$1,500; each member, \$1,000; Treasurer, \$2,500; Deputy Treasurer, \$2,000; Moderator, \$300? (The ConVal School Board RECOMMENDS adoption of this article.)

YES NO

12. Shall the voters of the CONVAL Regional School District approve the following warrant article?

Whereas an educated citizenry is necessary for the effective functioning and preservation of a representative democracy and

Whereas full transparency in government is a bedrock principle for ensuring accountability in a democracy and

Whereas the primary purpose of our schools is to provide a quality education that prepares students to become active and knowledgeable citizens and productive community members and schools must provide the tools students need to acquire and develop analytical thinking skills that enable them to navigate the complexity of a modern economy and

Whereas the primary responsibility for guiding the education of children and overseeing what is being taught in our schools and classrooms falls primarily to parents/grandparents/legal guardians in conjunction with elected School Boards and appointed administrators and

Whereas taxpayers also have an absolute right to know how their educational tax dollars are being spent then therefore

Consistent with the above this article shall require that the CONVAL Regional School District School Board of Education/SAU 1 SHALL make available by September 15th of each year and as available thereafter throughout the school year ALL instructional materials, including, but not limited to, textbooks, printed matter and/or materials in electronic form used in classrooms, to the general public in libraries in each of the Towns in the CONVAL School District (PETERBOROUGH, DUBLIN, FRANCESTOWN, GREENFIELD, HANCOCK, TEMPLE, ANTRIM, SHARON, AND BENNINGTON).

In addition, copies of all professional training materials provided to teachers, administrators and staff shall also be made available to the public.

The School District is hereby instructed to spend \$200 from existing budgeted funds to publicize the availability of these materials to the public. (MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED) (SUBMITTED BY PETITION) (The ConVal School Board DOES NOT RECOMMEND adoption of this article.)

YES NO