# SAMPLE BALLOT

**OFFICIAL BALLOT**  
ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTION  
CONWAY, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
APRIL 14, 2020

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**  
A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this:  
B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.  
C. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate’s name on the line provided and completely fill in the OVAL.

## SCHOOL BOARD

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<th>Name</th>
<th>Vote for not more than three</th>
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<td>MICHELLE CAPOZZOLI</td>
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<td>JOSEPH MOSCA</td>
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<td>JESSICA WHITEHAW</td>
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## ARTICLES

**ARTICLE 2.** To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $54,443 to be added to the Expendable Trust Fund (New Kennett High School Facilities Maintenance Fund) established for that purpose in 2007, with $35,798 to offset this amount from the sending towns and the remainder to be raised by general taxation. (Special Article by definition) (Recommended by the School Board 6-0-0) (Recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee 14-0-0) This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #6, the operating budget.  

**ARTICLE 3.** To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $17,086 to be added to the Expendable Trust Fund (A. Crosby Kennett Middle School Facilities Maintenance Fund) established for that purpose in 2007, with $7,541 to offset this amount from the sending towns and the remainder to be raised by general taxation. (Special Article by definition) (Recommended by the School Board 6-0-0) (Recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee 14-0-0) This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #6, the operating budget.  

**ARTICLE 4.** To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,900 to be added to the Expendable Trust Fund (Elementary Schools Facilities Maintenance Fund) established for that purpose in 2007, with $1,162 to offset this amount from the sending towns and the remainder to be raised by general taxation. (Special Article by definition) (Recommended by the School Board 6-0-0) (Recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee 14-0-0) This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #6, the operating budget.

**VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT**
ARTICLE 5. To see if the school district will vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Conway School Board and the Conway Education Association which calls for the following increase in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels:

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<tr>
<td>2020-21</td>
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<td>2021-22</td>
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<td>2022-23</td>
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and further to raise and appropriate the sum of $133,496 for the upcoming 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. (Recommended by the School Board 6-0-1) (Recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee 14-0-0) This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #6, the operating budget.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the school district will vote to 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 $37,740,154, with $1,688,192 offsetting this amount from various grants. (Recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee 14-0-0) Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be $37,678,039, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Conway 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. ($37,740,154 is recommended by the School Board 7-0-0)

ARTICLE 7. To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $55,750 to supplement the funding of the John H. Fuller School, Conway Elementary School, and Pine Tree School Project SUCCEED Programs. (Designated as a Special Article) (Recommended by the School Board 5-1-0) (Recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee 14-0-0) This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #6, the operating budget.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $250,000 to be added to the Capital Reserve Fund (Equipment and/or School Buses) established for this purpose in 2019. (Special Article by definition) (Recommended by the School Board 6-0-0) (Recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee 14-0-0) This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #6, the operating budget.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the school district will vote to discontinue the Capital Reserve Fund (School Buses) created in 2009. Said funds, with accumulated interest to date of withdrawal, are to be transferred to the general fund. (Majority Vote Required) (Recommended by the School Board 6-0-0) (Recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee 14-0-0).

ARTICLE 10. To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000 to be added to the Expendable General Trust Fund (School Buildings Maintenance Fund) established for that purpose in 1995. (Majority vote required) (Recommended by the School Board 6-0-0) (Recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee 14-0-0) This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article #6, the operating budget.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the School District will vote to establish a Cooperative School District Planning Committee in accordance with RSA 195:18 comprised of three (3) members (at least one shall be a member of the Conway School Board) appointed by the School District Moderator. (Recommended by the School Board 4-2-0) (Recommended by the Municipal Budget Committee 13-1-0)

VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT