Town of Brighton

WARNING FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING 2015

The legal voters for the Town of Brighton and the Brighton Water System are hereby warned and notified to meet in the Town Hall in said town on Monday, March 2, 2015, at 7:30 P.M. to transact the following business:

Articles 1 through 3 are to be voted by Australian ballot at the polls on Tuesday, March 3, 2015, from 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM in the town hall:

1. To elect the following Town and Water System officers: Moderator, Town Agent, Town Grand Juror, and a Delinquent Tax Collector, all for one-year terms; one Selectperson, one Town Clerk, one Town Treasurer, one Water Commissioner, one Lister, one Auditor, and one Cemetery Commissioner, for the term of three years each; one Cemetery Commissioner for a two-year term; and one Library Trustee for a five-year term.

2. To elect the following School District officers: Moderator for a one-year term; one School Director for a two-year term; one School Treasurer and one School Director for a term of three-years each.

3. Shall the voters authorize the Northeast Kingdom Waste Management District to appropriate and expend a budget of \$743,598?

The following articles are to be considered at the business-meeting portion of the Annual Town Meeting, to be conducted on Monday, March 2, 2015, at 7:30 P.M. in the town hall:

4. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

5. To hear the reports of the town officers for the past year and to take action thereon.

6. To hear the report of the Water Commissioners for the past year and to take action thereon.

7. To see if the voters shall fix the number of installments and the payment due dates for the collection of taxes as authorized in Title 32, V.S.A. Section 4872. Recommended payments to be due on August 18, September 18, and November 18.

8. To see if the voters shall authorize collection of 2015 taxes through the treasurer as provided for in Title 32, V.S.A. Sections 4792 and 4793.

9. To see if the voters shall authorize the Board of Selectmen to borrow money for the operating expenses of the Town of Brighton in anticipation of taxes--such borrowing not to exceed 90 percent of all anticipated revenues.

10. To see if the voters will approve an additional \$8,925 for street lights to upgrade the existing lights to LED fixtures.

11. To see if the voters will exempt from the local and statewide property taxes the Island Pond Lodge F&AM for five years?

12. To see if the voters will appropriate the sum of \$1,000 to Rural Community Transportation, Inc.

13. To see if the voters will raise money by property taxes to pay the general expenses of the town and if so, how much.

14. To transact any other non-binding business which may legally come before this meeting.

Dated at Brighton, County of Essex and State of Vermont, this 26th day of January, 2015.

BRIGHTON SELECTBOARD

Melinda Gervais-Lamoureux, Chair