

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE TOWN OF BELMONT IN THE COUNTY OF BELKNAP, IN THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN TOWN AFFAIRS:

You are hereby notified to meet for the 2007 Annual Meeting of the Town of Belmont to be holden in two sessions as follows:

FIRST SESSION

The FIRST SESSION shall be holden at the Belmont High School, Belmont, New Hampshire on the 13th day of March, next, between the hours of 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon and 7:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Offices for the year ensuing.

VOTES CAST FOR TOWN OFFICERS WERE AS FOLLOWS:

FOR SELECTMAN FOR THREE YEARS (1)

| | | |
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| Wade Burchell | had | 56 votes |
| Kenneth C Clough | “ | 6 “ |
| George Condodemetraky | “ | 60 “ |
| Donald Irvin | “ | 70 “ |
| Elson H Moody | “ | 18 “ |
| David F. Morse | “ | 181 “ |
| Jon Pike | “ | 186 “ |
| Fred Wells | “ | 75 “ |
| Charles Hampe | “ | 1 “ |
| Peter Harris | “ | 1 “ |

FOR TOWN CLERK/TAX COLLECTOR FOR THREE YEARS (1)

| | | |
|------------------|-----|-----------|
| Carol A. Lacasse | had | 583 votes |
| Cheryl Ellis | “ | 1 “ |
| Nikki Wheeler | “ | 2 “ |
| Cynthia Pike | “ | 3 “ |
| Donna Cilley | “ | 1 “ |
| Ray Brake, Jr | “ | 1 “ |
| Charles Hampe | “ | 1 “ |

FOR TREASURER FOR THREE YEARS (1)

| | | |
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| Nikki J. Wheeler | had | 585 votes |
| Bob Lemay | “ | 1 “ |
| George Bush | “ | 1 “ |
| Claire Bickford | “ | 2 “ |
| Sonia Huckins | “ | 1 “ |

FOR TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS FOR THREE YEARS (1)

| | | | |
|--------------------|-----|-----|-------|
| Gregg L MacPherson | had | 564 | votes |
| Tom Clairmont | “ | 1 | “ |
| Earl Sweeney | “ | 1 | “ |

FOR SEWER COMMISSION FOR THREE YEARS (1)

| | | | |
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| Bruce Arey | had | 553 | votes |
| Charles Hampe | “ | 2 | “ |
| Brian Denutte | “ | 1 | “ |
| Fred Wells | “ | 1 | “ |

FOR SEWER COMMISSION FOR TWO YEARS (1)

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|-----------------|-----|-----|-------|
| Charles Hampe | had | 529 | votes |
| Brian Loanes | “ | 1 | “ |
| Brian Denutte | “ | 1 | “ |
| Earl Sweeney | “ | 1 | “ |
| Frank Clairmont | “ | 1 | “ |
| Wade Burchell | “ | 1 | “ |
| Bruce Arey | “ | 1 | “ |
| Bob Bennett | “ | 2 | “ |

FOR LIBRARY TRUSTEE FOR THREE YEARS (1)

| | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|-------|
| David Morse | had | 568 | votes |
| Teresa Crevier | “ | 1 | “ |
| Teresa Cartier | “ | 1 | “ |

FOR CEMETERY TRUSTEE FOR THREE YEARS (1)

| | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|-------|
| William Ekberg | had | 209 | votes |
| Diane Marden | “ | 414 | “ |
| David Morse | “ | 1 | “ |

FOR SUPERVISOR OF CHECKLIST FOR SIX YEARS (1)

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-------|
| Brenda Paquette | had | 580 | votes |
| Diane Marden | “ | 1 | “ |
| Seavey | “ | 1 | “ |

FOR PLANNING BOARD FOR THREE YEARS (2)

| | | | |
|-----------------------|-----|-----|-------|
| Kenneth C. Clough | had | 201 | votes |
| George Condodemetraky | “ | 150 | “ |
| Jeffrey Marden | “ | 393 | “ |
| Ward Peterson | “ | 372 | “ |
| Jon Pike | “ | 1 | “ |
| David Morse | “ | 1 | “ |
| Steve Crockett | “ | 1 | “ |
| Gary Flack | “ | 1 | “ |
| Fred Wells | “ | 1 | “ |

FOR ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT FOR TWO YEARS (1)

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-----|-------|
| Joann Bennett | had | 413 | votes |
| Bennet M. Hayes | “ | 148 | “ |
| Mark Mooney | “ | 1 | “ |

FOR ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT, THREE YEARS (1)

| | | | |
|------------------|-----|-----|-------|
| Linda J. Couture | had | 513 | votes |
| Peter Harris | “ | 1 | “ |
| Joann Bennett | “ | 1 | “ |
| Ken Knowlton | “ | 1 | “ |
| Elson Moody | “ | 1 | “ |

FOR BUDGET COMMITTEE FOR THREE YEARS (4)

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| Albert Akerstrom | had | 386 | votes |
| Joann Bennett | “ | 270 | “ |
| Kenneth Ellis | “ | 345 | “ |
| Charles Hampe | “ | 240 | “ |
| Kenneth Knowlton | “ | 344 | “ |
| Ronald Mitchell | “ | 332 | “ |
| Fred Wells | “ | 288 | “ |
| Jon Pike | “ | 2 | “ |
| Gary Flack | “ | 1 | “ |
| Don Irvin | “ | 5 | “ |
| Willoughby | “ | 1 | “ |
| Dave Rolfe | “ | 1 | “ |
| Elson Moody | “ | 2 | “ |
| Robert St. Lawrence | “ | 1 | “ |

**PLANNING BOARD
AMENDMENTS TO BELMONT
ZONING ORDINANCES**

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #1 as proposed by PETITION for the town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

THE PLANNING BOARD DOES NOT SUPPORT THIS PETITION.

Petition Amendment: To see if the Town will vote to protect the town aquifer by re-zoning the existing Industrial Zone to Aquifer Protection zone in the Aquifer Protection District which is defined as the area shown on the map entitled “STRATIFIED DRIFT AQUIFER IN BELMONT, NH” that was produced by the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services (NH DES) from data developed by the US Geological Survey in cooperation with NH DES Water Division dated November 7, 2002, and as amended. Said map is hereby adopted as part of the Official Zoning Map of the Town of Belmont. The Aquifer Protection District includes the areas delineated as “Stratified Drift Aquifer {Transmissivity ft² / day}” shown as ranging from “Less than 2000 to More than 8000”. The primary recharge area for the identified aquifer is considered to be coterminous with that aquifer.

YES had 147 votes
NO had 504 votes

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #2 as Proposed by the Planning Board for the town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amend existing campground standards including purpose, definitions and uses. Permit Campgrounds in the Commercial Zone, and permit in the Rural Zone by Special Exception. Permit RV Resort Campgrounds in the Rural and Residential Multi-Family Zones.

YES had 351 votes
NO had 291 votes

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #3 as Proposed by the Planning Board for the town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amend the standards for Open Space Residential Development by adding a density bonus and revising standards related to open space ownership, permitted uses, accessibility and values. Recognize areas that have already been identified by the Conservation Commission as having outstanding open space value.

YES had 394 votes
NO had 239 votes

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #4 as Proposed by the Planning Board for the town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amend the definition of Setback related to lots abutting more than one road, abutting private roads or that do not abut any road. Amend the definition of Setback to require that lots:

- a. abutting more than one road, road right-of-way or road easement have a “front” setback along each;
- b. abutting private roads that serve more than two lots have a front setback along that road;
- c. that are preexisting and do not have a “front” setback shall nonetheless be restricted from building closer to a road, road right-of-way, or road easement than the minimum required front setback for lots in that zone.

YES had 356 votes
NO had 293 votes

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #5 as Proposed by the Planning Board for the town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Provide more flexibility in building design and use by allowing structures in the Commercial and Industrial Zones to exceed the current 45 foot height restriction if a Special Exception is granted by the Zoning Board of Adjustment.

YES had 393 votes
NO had 257 votes

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #6 as Proposed by the Planning Board for the town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amend the definition of Structure to clarify that concrete pads used exclusively for vehicle parking or as support for essential utilities (fuel tank, HVAC, electric, etc) are permitted and are not considered structures.

YES had 517 votes
NO had 133 votes

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #7 as Proposed by the Planning Board for the town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Correct the existing numbering sequence in Article 8.

YES had 431 votes
NO had 174 votes

RESULTS OF THE BALLOTS CAST:

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| Selectman for three years | Jon Pike |
| Town Clerk/Tax Collector for three years | Carol A. Lacasse |
| Treasurer for three years | Nikki J. Wheeler |
| Trustee of Trust Funds for three years | Gregg L MacPherson |
| Sewer Commission for three years | Bruce Arey |
| Sewer Commission for two years | Charles Hampe |
| Library Trustee for three years | David F. Morse |
| Cemetery Trustee for three years | Diane M. Marden |
| Supervisor of Checklist for six years | Brenda Paquette |
| Planning Board for three years | Jeffrey Marden |
| | Ward Peterson |
| Zoning Board of Adjustment for two years | Joann Bennett |
| Zoning Board of Adjustment for three years | Linda J. Couture |
| Budget Committee for three years | Albert Akerstrom |
| | Kenneth Ellis |
| | Kenneth Knowlton |
| | Ronald Mitchell |

QUESTION #1 FAILED
QUESTION #2 PASSED
QUESTION #3 PASSED
QUESTION #4 PASSED
QUESTION #5 PASSED
QUESTION #6 PASSED
QUESTION #7 PASSED

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| TOTAL NUMBER OF VOTERS ON CHECKLIST | 4308 |
| TOTAL NUMBER OF REGULAR BALLOTS CAST | 639 |
| TOTAL NUMBER OF ABENTEE BALLOTS CAST | 16 |
| TOTAL NUMBER OF BALLOTS SPOILED | 0 |

A TRUE RECORD, ATTEST

Carol A. Lacasse
Town Clerk