

State of Maine
Notice of Hampden Municipal & Referendum Election
Tuesday, November 6, 2018

Municipality Hampden Voting District 1-4/1

Voting Place Name Municipal Building Community Room

Voting Place Location 106 Western Avenue, Hampden, Maine

Polls Open at 8:00 A.M.

Polls Close at 8:00 P.M.

Absentee Ballot Processing (check all that apply):

Processed by: Clerk (Centrally) Warden (At polls)

Date/Time of Processing:

Day **Before** Election Day

Inspection Time(s): 9:00 am

Processing Time(s): 9:00 am or immediately after requested inspection

During Election Day Processing Time(s): 9:00am, 11:00am, 1:00pm, 3:00pm, 5:00pm, 8:00pm

Only after 8 p.m. on Election Day

Municipal Offices to Be Voted On:

Councilors-at-Large

RSU 22 Board of Directors

Questions to Be Voted On:

Ballot Question 1

Ordinance authorizing appropriation and borrowing of funds to finance road and bridge repairs and replacements in the Town of Hampden, including but not limited to: completing repairs to Route 1A in conjunction with the Maine Department of Transportation, signal replacement and upgrades at the intersection of Western Avenue and Route 1A, replacement of culvert and retaining walls on the Sawyer Road bridge, and replacement of the surface and related improvements on the Manning Mill Road bridge through issuance of general obligation bonds or notes of the Town of Hampden, which may be callable, in a principal amount not to exceed \$1,400,000.

Ballot Question 2

Ordinance authorizing appropriation and borrowing of funds to finance installation of a Fire Suppression Water supply line to provide fire protection to the area of town north and west of Route 202, including future industrial buildings requiring increased water pressure and capacity within the Hampden Business and Commerce Park, Ammo Industrial Park and other lands suitable for commercial and industrial development through issuance of general obligation bonds or notes of the Town of Hampden, which may be callable, in a principal amount not to exceed \$500,000.

A True Copy
Attested

Paula A Scott
(Signature of Municipal Clerk)

Date 10/3/18

* Clerk has read and will comply with the Uniform Guidelines for Securing Ballots and Other Materials.

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Clerk initials

**TOWN OF HAMPDEN
MUNICIPAL & REFERENDUM ELECTION
NOVEMBER 6TH, 2018**

BALLOT QUESTION NO. 1

Ordinance authorizing appropriation and borrowing of funds to finance road and bridge repairs and replacements in the Town of Hampden, including but not limited to: completing repairs to Route 1A in conjunction with the Maine Department of Transportation, signal replacement and upgrades at the intersection of Western Avenue and Route 1A, replacement of culvert and retaining walls on the Sawyer Road bridge, and replacement of the surface and related improvements on the Manning Mill Road bridge through issuance of general obligation bonds or notes of the Town of Hampden, which may be callable, in a principal amount not to exceed \$1,400,000.

Shall the above-described ordinance be adopted, and the municipal officers have the authority to issue general obligations bonds or notes of the Town and accomplish the Project as described above and in the ordinance?

Yes

No

ADOPTED: Hampden Town Council, August 20, 2018.

**Treasurer's Financial Statement
General Obligation Bond**

Total Town Indebtedness

A. Bonds outstanding and unpaid *	\$ 4,261,710
B. Bonds authorized and unissued	\$ 2,713,400
C. Bonds to be issued under this Ordinance:	\$ 1,400,000
TOTAL	\$ 8,375,110

* Excludes the Town's share of the \$ 20,878,895 debt of RSU 22 outstanding, approximately 90% of which will be paid by the State.

2. Costs

At an estimated interest rate of 3.8% for a term of 30 years, the estimated costs of this bond issue will be:

Principal	\$1,400,000
Interest	\$937,756
Total Debt Service	\$2,337,756

3. Validity

The validity of the bonds is not affected by any errors in the above estimates. If the actual amount of the total debt service for the bond issue varies from the estimate, the approval by the councilors is nevertheless conclusive and the validity of the bond issue is not affected by reason of the variance.



Jim Chandler, Treasurer
Town of Hampden, Maine

TURN BALLOT OVER

**TOWN OF HAMPDEN
MUNICIPAL & REFERENDUM ELECTION
NOVEMBER 6TH, 2018**

BALLOT QUESTION NO. 2

Ordinance authorizing appropriation and borrowing of funds to finance installation of a Fire Suppression Water supply line to provide fire protection to the area of town north and west of Route 202, including future industrial buildings requiring increased water pressure and capacity within the Hampden Business and Commerce Park, Ammo Industrial Park and other lands suitable for commercial and industrial development through issuance of general obligation bonds or notes of the Town of Hampden, which may be callable, in a principal amount not to exceed \$500,000.

Shall the above-described ordinance be adopted, and the municipal officers have the authority to issue general obligations bonds or notes of the Town and accomplish the Project as described above and in the ordinance?

Yes

No

ADOPTED: Hampden Town Council, September 17, 2018.

**Treasurer's Financial Statement
General Obligation Bond**

1. Total Town Indebtedness

A. Bonds outstanding and unpaid *	\$ 4,261,710
B. Bonds authorized and unissued	\$ 2,713,400
C. Bonds to be issued under this Ordinance:	\$ 500,000
TOTAL	\$ 7,475,110

* Excludes the Town's share of the \$20,878,895] debt of RSU 22 outstanding, approximately 90% of which will be paid by the State.

2. Costs

At an estimated interest rate of 3.6% for a term of 20 years, the estimated costs of this bond issue will be:

Principal	\$ 500,000
Interest	\$ 196,000
Total Debt Service	\$ 696,000

3. Validity

The validity of the bonds is not affected by any errors in the above estimates. If the actual amount of the total debt service for the bond issue varies from the estimate, the approval by the councilors is nevertheless conclusive and the validity of the bond issue is not affected by reason of the variance.



Jim Chandler, Treasurer
Town of Hampden, Maine

YOU HAVE FINISHED VOTING

**TOWN OF HAMPDEN
MUNICIPAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 6TH, 2018**

Paula A. Scott

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- To vote for the candidate of your choice, fill in the oval to the left, like this:
- To vote for a write-in candidate, fill in the oval to the left of the write-in space and write in the person's name.
- To have your vote count, do not erase or cross out your choice.
- If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot.

FOR COUNCILOR AT LARGE

Three-year term Vote for THREE

- Jarvi, Eric
10 Sophie Lane, Hampden
- Wright, Shelby
1385 Kennebec Road, Hampden
- McPike, Ivan
9 Marion Drive, Hampden
-
- (Write-in, if any)
- (Write-in, if any)
- (Write-in, if any)

FOR DIRECTORS RSU No. 22

Three Year Term Vote for FOUR

- Pickering, Joseph
27 Pleasant Street, Hampden
- Liberatore, Anthony
33 Liberty Avenue, Hampden
- Baines, James D., Sr.
355 Old County Road, Hampden
-
- (Write-in, if any)
- (Write-in, if any)
- (Write-in, if any)

**FOR TRUSTEE HAMPDEN
WATER DISTRICT**

Three Year Term Vote for TWO

- (Write-in, if any)
- (Write-in, if any)

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Treasurer's Statement · Town of Hampden
Referendum Election · November 6, 2018

The Town of Hampden borrows money by issuing bonds. General Obligation bonds are backed by the full faith and credit of the Town and must be approved by voters at referendum. Question 2 proposes borrowing to be repaid solely from Tax Increment Financing revenues. Once approved, the Town issues bonds as needed to fund the approved bond projects. The following is a summary of general obligation bond debt of the Town of Hampden as of November 6, 2018.

A. Total Town Indebtedness

1. Bonds outstanding and unpaid *	\$4,261,710
2. Bonds authorized and unissued	\$2,713,400
3. Total bonds to be issued if all ballot questions pass	<u>\$1,900,000</u>
TOTAL	\$8,875,110

* Excludes the Town's share of debt for RSU-22 Bonds that have an outstanding balance of \$20,878,895 (current as of April 30, 2018), approximately 90% of which is subsidized by the State of Maine.

B. Costs

1. Bonds to be issued under Ballot Question 1:	\$1,400,000
• Added Local Match to Maine DOT for Route 1A Reconstruction - \$600,000	
• New Route 1A/Western Avenue Signalized Intersection - \$350,000	
• Sawyer Road Bridge Repairs- \$300,000	
• Manning Mill Bridge Repairs- \$150,000	

If the bonds submitted here are approved by voters and issued, an estimate of the total interest and principal that may reasonably be expected to be paid is **\$2,337,756** representing **\$1,400,000** in principal and **\$937,756** in interest.

2. Bonds to be issued under Ballot Question 2:	\$500,000
• Fire Suppression Water Line to Northeast Hampden	

If the bonds submitted here are approved by voters and issued, an estimate of the total interest and principal that may reasonably be expected to be paid is **\$696,000** representing **\$500,000** in principal and **\$196,000** in interest, to be solely from Tax Increment Financing revenues.

C. Validity

The validity of the bonds is not affected by any errors in the above estimates. If the actual amount of the total debt service for the bond issues vary from the estimates, the approval by the voters is nevertheless conclusive and the validity of the bond issues is not affected by reason of the variance.



James N. Chandler
Treasurer
Town of Hampden, Maine

For More Information:

Further information regarding the proposed Ballot Questions is available on the Town of Hampden website at www.hampdenmaine.gov and in person at the Town Office, by phone at 862-3034 or by email to townmanager@hampdenmaine.gov.