



OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL CITY AND SCHOOL MEETING
CITY OF SOUTH BURLINGTON, VERMONT
March 07, 2023

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- Use BLACK Pen to fill in the oval. **DO NOT USE PENCIL.**
- To vote for a person whose name is printed on the ballot, fill in the oval to the right of the name of that person.
- To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write his or her name in the blank space provided and fill in the oval to the right of the write-in line.
- Do not vote for more candidates than the "VOTE for NOT MORE THAN #" for an office.
- If you make a mistake, tear, or deface the ballot, return it to an election official and obtain another ballot. **DO NOT ERASE.**

ARTICLE I - ELECTION OF OFFICERS		FOR WATER COMMISSIONER	FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR
FOR CITY COUNCIL for 3 years (Vote for not more than ONE)		for 3 years (Vote for not more than ONE)	for 2 years (Vote for not more than ONE)
ANDREW CHALNICK <input checked="" type="radio"/>		DENNIS LUTZ <input checked="" type="radio"/>	TRAVIA CHILDS <input checked="" type="radio"/>
JAMES "JIMMY" LEAS <input checked="" type="radio"/>		(Write-in) <input checked="" type="radio"/>	BRYAN COMPANION <input checked="" type="radio"/>
(Write-in) <input checked="" type="radio"/>		FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR for 3 years (Vote for not more than ONE)	FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR for 2 years remaining on a 3 year term (Vote for not more than ONE)
FOR CITY COUNCIL for 2 years (Vote for not more than ONE)		LISA HICKEY <input checked="" type="radio"/>	LAURA A. WILLIAMS <input checked="" type="radio"/>
TYLER BARNES <input checked="" type="radio"/>		ALEX McHENRY <input checked="" type="radio"/>	(Write-in) <input checked="" type="radio"/>
LYDIA C. DIAMOND <input checked="" type="radio"/>		(Write-in) <input checked="" type="radio"/>	
PAUL ENGELS <input checked="" type="radio"/>			
(Write-in) <input checked="" type="radio"/>			

CITY ARTICLES

ARTICLE II
ANNUAL CITY BUDGET

Shall the City adopt the City Council's proposed budget for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024 totaling Fifty Five Million Two Hundred Eighty Six Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty One and Eight Nine Cents (\$55,286,721.89) of which, excluding previously voter-approved levies, it is estimated Nineteen Million Three Hundred Eighty Eight Thousand Two Hundred Ninety Eight and Ninety Two Cents (\$19,388,298.92) will be raised by local property taxes?

YES
NO

ARTICLE III
BARTLETT BAY WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND

Shall the City of South Burlington make capital improvements to the Bartlett Bay Wastewater Treatment Facility, install a clarifier at the Airport Parkway wastewater treatment facility and refurbish or replace four wastewater pump stations and issue general obligation bonds or notes in an amount not to exceed Thirty-Three Million Eight Hundred Thirty-Three Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$33,833,000.00), after application of other funds and resources available for these purposes, to finance these capital improvements and to pay expenses related to the issuance of the bonds?

YES
NO

SAMPLE

CITY ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE IV
CITY CENTER TAX INCREMENT FINANCING DISTRICT BOND

Shall general obligation bonds or notes of the City of South Burlington be issued, the full faith and credit of the City pledged, direct payments of TIF increment be made, or any combination thereof, in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed, after taking into account state or federal grants-in-aid and other funds currently available to the City, Fifteen Million Eighty-Six Thousand Four Hundred Thirty and 00/100 Dollars (\$15,086,430.00) to fund public infrastructure or capital improvements and related costs of projects in or having a nexus to the City Center Tax Increment Financing (TIF) District, specifically:

- (a) **City Center Park (boardwalk connection):** being the construction of new paved pathways and an elevated boardwalk between Barrett Street, Market Street and Garden Street and related amenities;
 - (b) **Garden Street (Williston Road intersection realignment and intersection improvements):** being realignment of the Williston Road-White Street-Midas Drive intersection and improvements to the Hinesburg Road-Patchen Road-Williston Road intersection, and related transportation and utility upgrades;
 - (c) **Williston Road Streetscape:** being the installation of a shared-use path on the south side of Williston Road between Dorset Street and Midas Drive and related utility and transportation upgrades; and
 - (d) **East-West Crossing:** being a walk-bike bridge over 1-89 at Exit 14,
- recognizing that tax increment revenue from taxable properties within the TIF district shall be pledged to and appropriated for payment of TIF District debt? To date, City voters have approved TIF District debt totaling \$29,402,000, of which \$14,430,062 has been or is eligible to be repaid in whole or in part using TIF District incremental revenue.

YES
NO

SCHOOL ARTICLES

ARTICLE II
BUDGET

Shall the voters of the City of South Burlington School District approve the School Board to expend Sixty-Two Million Five Hundred Twenty-Eight Thousand Twenty-Nine and 00/100 Dollars (\$62,528,029.00), which is the amount the School Board has determined to be necessary for the ensuing fiscal year?

YES
NO

ARTICLE III
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT BOND ISSUE

The City of South Burlington School District Board of School Directors has determined that public interest or necessity demand incurring bonded indebtedness to finance capital improvements, renovations and additions to the schools and facilities of the District at an estimated total project cost of Fourteen Million Five Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$14,550,000) Dollars. It is expected that 0% of the project costs will be eligible for state school construction aid because there is presently a moratorium on state school construction aid funding. Therefore, the District will be responsible for 100% of such project costs (\$14,550,000) which the Board recommends be funded through the issuance of up to Fourteen Million Five Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$14,550,000) Dollars of general obligation bonds or notes. So:

Shall the issuance of general obligation bonds or notes of the South Burlington School District be authorized in an amount not to exceed Fourteen Million Five Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$14,550,000) Dollars for the purposes of financing the final design, permitting, site work and the construction of renovations, capital improvements and additions to several District school buildings and facilities, together with related eligible project expenses, such improvements to include the addition of zero energy modules (ZEMS) as well as capital improvements pursuant to the District's Facilities Stewardship Plan?

State funds are not available at this time, or this project is not eligible to receive state school construction aid. The South Burlington School District will be responsible for all costs and any borrowing and the costs of the planned improvements and additions.

YES
NO

SAMPLE

