THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE TOWN OF HILL, NH 2020 WARRANT ARTICLES

To the inhabitants of the Town of Hill in the County of Merrimack, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Hill Public Library, located at 30 Crescent Street in said Hill on Tuesday, 10th day of March at 11:00 AM to vote on the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1: To choose all necessary Town officials for the ensuing year.

NOTE: By law, the meeting must open before the voting starts. Therefore, the meeting and the polls will be open at 11:00 AM for the consideration of Article 1. At noon, the meeting will recess but the polls shall remain open and shall not close until 7:00 PM.

The meeting will reconvene at the Jennie D. Blake Elementary School on Thursday, March 12th 2020 at 7:00 PM to act on the remaining articles of this warrant.

ARTICLE 2: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the Budget Committee recommended budget of \$1,158,256 for the general municipal operations, exclusive of individual and special warrant articles. (The Selectmen Recommend \$1,158,256).

	Approp. 2019	Selectmen 2020	Budget Committee 2020
	2017	2020	2020
Executive	\$72,491	\$73,740	\$73,740
Town Clerk	\$58,385	\$59,995	\$59,995
Tax Collector	\$7,970	\$7,770	\$7,770
Reval of Property	\$11,526	\$11,526	\$11,526
Legal Expenses	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$4,000
Personnel Admin.	\$23,337	\$15,298	\$15,298
Planning & Zoning	\$4,100	\$4,115	\$4,115
Gen. Govt. Bldg.	\$18,634	\$18,850	\$18,850
Cemeteries	\$5,000	\$5,500	\$5,500
Insurance	\$16,092	\$16,800	\$16,800
Police	\$95,858	\$93,084	\$93,084

Ambulance	\$32,740	\$26,956	\$26,956
Fire	\$70,345	\$70,345	\$70,345
Emergency Management	\$1,475	\$1,475	\$1,475
Highways & Streets	\$386,752	\$408,039	\$408,039
Street Lighting	\$6,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
Recon. of Highways	\$47,000	\$47,000	\$47,000
Solid Waste Disposal	\$82,338	\$87,055	\$87,055
Water Services	\$138,000	\$138,000	\$138,000
Administration	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500
Health Agencies	\$5,700	\$6,300	\$6,300
Welfare	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
Parks & Recreation	\$12,920	\$14,861	\$14,861
Library	\$31,065	\$33,822	\$33,822
Patriotic Purposes	\$550	\$550	\$550
Conservation	\$175	\$175	\$175
Int. on Tax Anticipation Notes	\$500	\$500	\$500
TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET:	\$1,140,453	\$1,158,256	\$1,158,256

ARTICLE 3: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$123,500 to be deposited into the following capital reserve funds as indicated:

Archival Preservation	\$500
Building Improvement	\$6,000
Fire Heavy Equipment	\$30,000
Highway Heavy Equipment	\$35,000
Police Heavy Equipment	\$5,000
Road Improvements	\$20,000
Transfer Station	\$1,000
Wellhead Protection Area	\$1,000
Sidewalk Expendable Trust Fund	\$25,000

(Recommended by the Budget Committee and Selectmen)

ARTICLE 4: To see if the Town will vote to withdraw an estimate of \$36,628.86 from the Edwin F. Ferrin Memorial Trust as per the trust document to be deposited in the General Fund to offset General Government Expenses.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$40,000 to repair and replace the Town Office Building roof to come from general taxation. (Recommended by the Budget Committee and Selectmen)

ARTICLE 6: To see if the Town will vote to create a Capital Reserve Fund in accordance with the provisions of RSA 35 to be known as the Park and Recreation Acquisition, Repair, Replacement and Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund for the purpose of acquisition, repair, replacement and maintenance of Park and Recreation facilities and equipment and the maintenance, cleaning, dredging and improvement, including the provision of drainage and filling facilities for the Town Pond on Crescent Street and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to fund such Capital Reserve Fund, The Board of Selectmen to be agents to expend from the Park and Recreation Acquisition, Repair, Replacement and Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund. (Recommended by the Budget Committee and Selectmen)

ARTICLE 7: To see if the voters of the Town of Hill will adopt a change and additions to the Unnecessary Noise Town Ordinance XII.

Addition to Section 1B of the adopted Unnecessary Noise Ordinance which was adopted March 16, 1989.

No person while in the Village District shall do the following:

Fire a weapon into a substance called or know as Tannerite.

Tannerite is a brand of binary explosive targets used for Firearms practice. Tannerite is a combination of oxidizers and a fuel, primarily aluminum powder, that is supplied as two separate components that is mixed. The combination is relatively stable when subjected to force less than a high velocity bullet impact.

The Village District is defined in the Hill Zoning Ordinance 1988 Zoning Ordinance Effective March 15, 1988. Amended March 8, 1994.

Changes to section 2.

Any person, firm or corporation who violates any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a violation. To remove all other language in section 2.

ARTICLE 8: To see if the Town will vote to rescind the 1999 vote and the 2017 reaffirmation to reserve Rural Residential lot R06-27, a 26-acre parcel on Dearborn Road, for the use of the Hill School District for construction of a new school if needed.

ARTICLE 9: To see if the Town will allow the operation of sports book retail locations within the town. The question is placed on the warrant, either by petition

or at the election of the board of selectmen. The question may not be amended at the meeting. (A ballot vote is required)

Given under our hands and seal this 18th day of February in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty.

Thomas Seymour, Chairman

Board of Selectmen

I-Michael Brady

Robert Dupuis