

**THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
TOWN OF HILL, NH  
2021 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 that the Public Meeting for the Town of Hill will be as follows, per HB 1129:

April 12<sup>th</sup> first presentation

5 days for comment ends on April 16<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 PM

April 19<sup>th</sup> finalizing

You are hereby notified to meet at the Jennie D. Blake Elementary School, located at 32 Crescent Street in said Hill on Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> day of May at 11:00 AM to vote, via drive-through, on the following subjects:

NOTE: By law, the polls will be open at 11:00 AM for the consideration of all articles the polls shall not close until 7:00 PM.

**Article 1:** To see if the town will vote to approve these optional meeting procedures. If the optional procedures are not approved by a simple majority, all other warrant articles shall be deemed disapproved. However, the election of officers and action on other items on the initial ballot will be effective. If the optional voting procedures are approved, then all other votes on warrant articles shall be deemed the final action of the meeting, provided that if the operating budget warrant article is not approved, the governing body may vote to:

- (a) Convene a meeting before September 1 to adopt an operating budget; or
- (b) Elect to deem that the meeting has adopted the previous year's operating budget article, not including separate warrant articles.

**ARTICLE 2:** To choose all necessary Town officials for the ensuing year and the Warrant Articles listed below.

**ARTICLE 3:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the Budget Committee recommended budget of \$1,180,044 for the general municipal operations, exclusive of individual and special warrant articles. (The Selectmen Recommend \$1,178,044).

	Approp. 2020	Selectmen 2021	Budget Committee 2021
Executive	\$72,491	\$76,356	\$76,356
Town Clerk	\$58,385	\$59,087	\$59,087
Tax Collector	\$7,970	\$7,570	\$7,570
Reval of Property	\$11,526	\$14,600	\$14,600
Legal Expenses	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$4,000
Personnel Admin.	\$23,337	\$13,120	\$13,120
Planning & Zoning	\$4,100	\$4,515	\$4,515
Gen. Govt. Bldg.	\$18,634	\$18,914	\$18,914
Cemeteries	\$5,000	\$6,450	\$6,450
Insurance	\$16,092	\$18,120	\$18,120
Police	\$95,858	\$95,858	\$95,858
Ambulance	\$32,740	\$37,035	\$37,035
Fire	\$70,345	\$60,360	\$60,360
Emergency Management	\$1,475	\$1,475	\$1,475
Highways & Streets	\$386,752	\$406,930	\$406,930
Street Lighting	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000
Recon. Of Highways	\$47,000	\$47,000	47000
Solid Waste Disposal	\$82,338	\$101,810	\$101,810
Water Services	\$138,000	\$138,000	\$138,000
Health Other	\$2,500	\$1,250	\$1,250
Health Agencies	\$5,700	\$5,700	\$5,700
Welfare	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
Parks & Recreation	\$12,920	\$15,079	\$17,079
Library	\$31,065	\$32,590	\$32,590
Patriotic Purpose	\$550	\$550	\$550
Conservation	\$175	\$175	\$175
Int. on Tax Anticipation Notes	\$500	\$500	\$500
TOTAL OPERATING BUDGET:	\$1,140,453	\$1,178,044	\$1,180,044


**ARTICLE 4:** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$124,500 to be deposited into the following capital reserve funds as indicated:  
(Recommended by the Budget Committee and Selectmen)

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
Park and Recreation Acquisition, Repair, Replacement & Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund	\$1,000

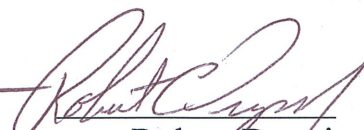
**ARTICLE 5:** To see if the Town will vote to withdraw \$33,360.70 from the Edwin F. Ferrin Memorial Trust as per the trust document to be deposited in the General Fund to offset General Government Expenses.

**ARTICLE 6:** To see if the town will vote to establish a revolving fund pursuant to RSA 31:95-h, for the purpose of police special details. All revenues (or designate a portion thereof) received for the police special details will be deposited into the fund, and the money in the fund shall be allowed to accumulate from year to year. And shall not be considered part of the town's general fund unreserved fund balance. The town treasurer shall have custody of all moneys in the fund, and shall pay out the same only upon order of the governing body and no further approval is required by the legislative body to expend. Such funds may be expended only for the purpose of wages, equipment related to details, and/or vehicle and vehicle equipment replacement. (Recommended by the Budget Committee and Selectmen)

Given under our hands and seal this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty-one.

  
Thomas Seymour, Chairman  
Board of Selectmen

  
Shaun Bresnahan

  
Robert Dupuis