

## WARNING FOR ANNUAL – TOWN MEETING

March 3, 2020

The legal voters in March Meeting of the Town of Sutton, Vermont, are hereby notified and warned to meet at the School multi-purpose room on Tuesday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2020 beginning at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles of business.

Polls will be open from 8:00 A.M. Until 7:00 p.m. to vote by Australian Ballot on Article 14.

**NOTICE TO VOTERS:** Residents, who are not already on the voter checklist, may register to vote the day of Town Meeting.

**Article 1:** Shall the voters of Sutton accept the Town Report

**Article 2:** To elect a Moderator

**Article 3:** To elect a Town Clerk

**Article 4:** To elect a Town Treasurer

**Article 5:** To elect all necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Collector of Delinquent Taxes 1 yr.

Lister 3 yrs.

Select Board 3 yrs.

Town Grand Juror 1 yr.

First Constable 1 yr.

Agent to Convey Real Estate 1 yr.

Second Constable 1 yr.

Water Commissioners 1 yr.

Auditor 3 yrs.

Sexton of Cemeteries 1 yr.

**Article 6** Shall the voters of Sutton authorize the Select Board to hire money, if necessary, in anticipation of taxes, to meet current expenses for the ensuing year and how much?

**Article 7:** Shall the voters of Sutton authorize payment of real and person property taxes due November 6, 2020 and physical delivery to the tax collector before 5 pm on that day?

**Article 8:** Shall the voters of Sutton vote to authorize the Select Board to set a tax rate in an amount sufficient to support the adopted budgets and any special appropriation articles approved when the Grand List is completed?

**Article 9:** Shall the voters of Sutton approve the amount of \$43,478.29 for the Ambulance service provided by Lyndon Rescue Inc. for calendar year 2020?

**Article 10:** Shall the voters of Sutton approve the following appropriations request?

a. Big Heavy World	\$ 250.00
b. Burke Senior Meal Site	\$ 250.00
c. Caledonia Home Health Care & Hospice	\$ 350.00
d. Cobleigh Public Library	\$ 1,200.00
e. Comm. Restorative Justice	\$ 250.00
f. Darling Inn Senior Meal Site	\$ 400.00
g. Fairbanks Museum & Planetarium	\$ 700.00
h. H.O.P.E	\$ 500.00
i. Lyndon Youth Baseball/Softball	\$ 350.00
j. Northeast Kingdom Council on Aging	\$ 385.00
k. Northeast Kingdom Human Services	\$ 2,058.00
l. Northeast Kingdom Learning Services, Inc.	\$ 100.00
m. Northeast Kingdom Youth Services	\$ 250.00
n. Northwood's Stewardship Center	\$ 250.00
o. Rural Community Transportation	\$ 700.00
p. Sutton Parent Teacher Group	\$ 5,000.00
q. The Vermont Center for Independent Living	\$ 1,000.00
r. Umbrella	\$ 700.00
s. Village Improvement Society/Powers Park	\$ 1,000.00
t. VT Family Network	\$ 250.00
u. VT Green Up	\$ 100.00
v. VT Rural Fire Protection Task Force	\$ 100.00
w. VT Symphony Orchestra	\$ 100.00

**Article 11:** Shall the voters of Sutton vote to adopt the proposed general and highway fund budgets for the ensuing year as printed in the Town Report?

**Article 12:** Shall the Town of Sutton enter into a communications union district (CUD) to be known as NEK Community Broadband, under the provisions of 30 V.S.A. Ch82.?

**ADVISORY ARTICLE (not binding)**

**Article 13:** Shall the Town of Sutton open additional public roads to ATV and Off Road Vehicle use?

**Article 14:** **(BY AUSTRALIAN BALLOT)** Shall the Sutton voters authorize the Northeast Waste Management District to appropriate and expend a budget of \$794,823?

**Article 15:** To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

**Article 16:** To Adjourn

*Jeffrey J. Whiting*

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*[Signature]*

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*Tim Simpson*

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Sutton Select Board

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Attest: Dianna J. Simpson

*Dianna J. Simpson*