



**ABSENTEE  
OFFICIAL BALLOT  
ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION  
PITTSFIELD, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MARCH 14, 2023**

*Eric Anthony*  
SCHOOL DISTRICT CLERK

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

- A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this: ●
- B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.
- C. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate's name on the line provided and completely fill in the OVAL.

<b>SCHOOL BOARD</b> <small>VOTE FOR NOT THREE YEARS MORE THAN ONE</small>	<b>SCHOOL BOARD</b> <small>VOTE FOR NOT ONE YEAR MORE THAN ONE</small>	<b>SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER</b> <small>VOTE FOR NOT THREE YEARS MORE THAN ONE</small>
<b>SABRINA ANN SMITH</b> 117 <input type="radio"/>	<b>TARA CABRAL</b> 26 <input type="radio"/>	<b>Leslie Vogt</b> 78 <input checked="" type="radio"/> <small>(Write-in)</small>
<b>HELEN SCHIFF</b> 165 <input checked="" type="radio"/>	<b>ADAM J. COTE</b> 107 <input checked="" type="radio"/>	
<i>Sarah Dural</i> 13 <input type="radio"/> <small>(Write-in)</small>	<b>DAN L. SCHROTH</b> 77 <input type="radio"/>	
	<i>Sarah Dural</i> 94 <input type="radio"/> <small>(Write-in)</small>	

**ARTICLES**

**Article 02 Operating Budget**

To see if the Pittsfield School District will vote to raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amounts set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session, for the purposes set forth therein, totaling \$10,379,918. Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be \$10,267,480, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Pittsfield School District or by law; or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. (Estimated tax impact of this article: \$0.39)  
Majority vote required.

216  
**YES**   
**NO**   
 95

**Recommended by the Pittsfield School Board (5 Yes, 0 No)**  
**Recommended by the Pittsfield Budget Committee (8 Yes, 2 No)**

**ARTICLE 03 FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM**

To see if the Pittsfield School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$330,000 for the support of the School Lunch Program. This appropriation will be funded by a like amount of revenue from the sales of food and State and Federal sources. (Estimated tax impact of this article: \$0)  
Majority vote required.

284  
**YES**   
**NO**   
 23

**Recommended by the Pittsfield School Board. (5 Yes, 0 No)**  
**Recommended by the Pittsfield Budget Committee (10 yes, 0 no)**

**ARTICLE 04 RECEIVE AND EXPEND GRANT FUNDS**

To see if the Pittsfield School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$850,000 for the support of Federal and private foundation grant-funded educational programs of the Pittsfield School District. This appropriation is contingent upon receiving revenue from Federal grants and private foundations and will be expended in accordance with Federal and State requirements upon approval by the NH Department of Education or private foundation requirements. (Estimated tax impact of this article: \$0)  
Majority vote required.

279  
**YES**   
**NO**   
 25

**Recommended by the Pittsfield School Board (5 Yes, 0 No)**  
**Recommended by the Pittsfield Budget Committee (10 yes, 0 no)**