INFORMATIONAL TOWN/SCHOOL MEETING FEBRUARY 22, 2022 AT 5;30PM VIA ZOOM AND IN PERSON

Present: , Ernest Choquette, Jennifer Harlow, Steve Barrup, Richard Gosselin, Jerry Waterman, Denise Daigle, Richard Tetreault, Sarah Hardin, Shelly Lanou, DJ Glover, Barry Sahagian, CJ Thompson, Dwight Brunnette, , Jill Raymond, Lauren Dillon, Jason Willis, Norene and Steve Roberts, Maureen McGuire, Rosanne Sibarrs, Carla Lillicrap, Luke Vidic, Chris Hammond, Debbie Brunnelle, Celine Champine, Mary Ellen Reis

Below is the link if you would like to watch the meeting video:

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Steve Barrup called the meeting to order at 5:30PM. Steve then turned the meeting over to our moderator, Richard Tetreault. Richard explained the purpose of this meeting and explained the ground rules for this meeting.

The moderator went thru the election of officers and gave each person on the ballot a chance to speak. Some of the candidates spoke on their behalf. Jill Raymond thanked Sarah Hardin for her dedication and commitment to the school board. Some discussion followed.

The moderator read article 3 of the warning. Jennifer Harlow thanked the voters for their support over the last year. Dwight Brunnette thanked Jennifer and her department for their hard work and dedication.

The moderator read article 4 of the warning. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 5 of the warning. Jason Willis, the fire chief, explained this article and thanked the voters for their support. Some discussion followed.

The moderator read article 6 of the warning. Jason Willis explained this article. Some discussion followed.

The moderator read article 7 of the warning. Rick Gosselin and Jason Willis explained this article. Some discussion followed.

The moderator read article 8 of the warning. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 9 of the warning. Shelly Lanou, the school principal, and Sarah Hardin, the school board chair, provided a slide show explaining a bit about our school, the budget, and staff. Sarah thanked her fellow school board members for their dedication and knowledge they each bring to our school board.

The moderator read article 10 of the warning. Sarah and Shelly covered the explanation of this article in their slide show presentation. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 11 of the warning. Jerry Waterman stated where the budget details of this article were located in the town report. Some discussion followed.

The moderator read article 12 of the warning. Steve Barrup stated where the budget details of this article were located in the town report. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 13 of the warning. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 14 of the warning. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 15 of the warning. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 16 of the warning. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 17 of the warning. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 18 of the warning. Mary Ellen Reis thanked the voters for their support and explained what services Northeast Kingdom Council on Aging provides to the community. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 19 of the warning. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 20 of the warning. Rosanne Sibarrs thank the voters for their support and explained what services Northeast kingdom Human Services provides to the community. Some discussion followed.

The moderator read article 21 of the warning. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 22 of the warning. There were no comments.

The moderator read article 23 of the warning. Carla Lillicrap thanked the voters for their support and explained what Orleans-Essex VNA & Hospice provides to the community. There were no comments.

The moderator then turned the meeting back over to the select board. Steve asked if anyone had any additional comments or concerns. There were none. Rick made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Jerry and passed on a voice vote.