



**ABSENTEE  
OFFICIAL BALLOT  
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION  
HUDSON, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MARCH 9, 2010**

BALLOT 1 OF 2

*Patricia Barry*  
TOWN 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.

<p align="center"><b>SELECTMEN</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not Three Year Term more than TWO</p> <p>RICHARD REEVE <input type="radio"/></p> <p>MICHAEL J. CANAVAN, JR. <input type="radio"/></p> <p>ROGER COUTU <input type="radio"/></p> <p>RICHARD MADDOX <input type="radio"/></p> <p>MARILYN MCGRATH <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>CODE OF ETHICS</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not Three Year Term more than TWO</p> <p>ROBERT OLSON <input type="radio"/></p> <p>CHERYL SIBLEY <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>MODERATOR</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not Two Year Term more than ONE</p> <p>PAUL Inderbitzen <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p align="center"><b>BUDGET COMMITTEE</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not Three Year Term more than THREE</p> <p>CHARLOTTE SCHWEISS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>JOYCE GOODWIN <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>CODE OF ETHICS</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not Two Year Term more than ONE</p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>SUPERVISOR OF CHECKLIST</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not Six Year Term more than ONE</p> <p>SANDRA L. LEVASSEUR <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p align="center"><b>BUDGET COMMITTEE</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not One Year Term more than ONE</p> <p>MICHAEL BUCZYNSKI <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>CODE OF ETHICS</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not One Year Term more than ONE</p> <p>DIANE SIRVYDAS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>SUPERVISOR OF CHECKLIST</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not Two Year Term more than ONE</p> <p>DEBORAH "DJ" CLEMENT <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>
<p align="center"><b>CEMETERY TRUSTEE</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not Three Year Term more than ONE</p> <p>DAVID ALUKONIS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>KEVIN T. MCGUIRE <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>LIBRARY TRUSTEE</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not Three Year Term more than TWO</p> <p>ROBIN RODGERS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>ROGER CHOPELAS <input type="radio"/></p> <p>DAVID R. JELLEY <input type="radio"/></p> <p>LINDA KIPNES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>VIVIAN MCGUIRE <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p align="center"><b>TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUND</b></p> <p align="right">Vote for not Three Year Term more than ONE</p> <p>LEONARD LATHROP <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ (Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>

**ZONING AMENDMENTS**

**Article 2** Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows? YES   
 Amend Article XII, Signs, §334-60 and §334-64 by permitting Electronic Changing Signs in the Business (B) and Industrial (I) Zoning Districts and by further providing for the regulation of Electronic Changing Signs. (Unanimously approved by the Planning Board.) NO

**Article 3** Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows? YES   
 Amend the Zoning Ordinance by adding a new Article XX, Small Wind Energy Systems. This Amendment will permit and regulate Small Wind Energy Systems in accordance with NH RSA 674:62 – 66 by accommodating Small Wind Energy Systems in appropriate locations subject to certain regulations to be administered by the Building Inspector. (Unanimously approved by the Planning Board.) NO

**TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING**

## PETITIONED ZONING AMENDMENTS

**Article 4** Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by Petition for Rezoning as follows?  
 Amend the Official Zoning Map of the Town of Hudson by rezoning a parcel of land known as Tax Map 228, Lot 054 located at 272 Lowell Road from being in the Residential-Two (R-2) to being in the Business (B) District. Said parcel is located near the intersection of Rena Avenue and Lowell Road. (Unanimously Disapproved by the Planning Board.)

YES   
NO

**Article 5** Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 4 as proposed by Petition for Rezoning as follows?  
 Amend the Official Zoning Map of the Town of Hudson by rezoning those parcels of land known as Tax Map 228, Lots 052 and 053, located at 268 and 270 Lowell Road respectively, from being in the Residential-Two (R-2) to being in the Business (B) District. Said parcels are located at the intersection of Rena Avenue and Lowell Road. (Unanimously Disapproved by the Planning Board.)

YES   
NO

**Article 6** Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 5 as proposed by Petition to amend the Zoning Ordinance as follows?  
 Amend Article III, General Regulations, §334-12 by changing the maximum height of fences by right from 6 feet to 8 feet for which no permit is required, to require a permit for any fence exceeding 8 feet in height, and to require Planning Board review for any fence exceeding 10 feet in height unless for agricultural purposes, and to provide for certain construction standards for the installation of fences exceeding 8 feet. (Unanimously Disapproved by the Planning Board.)

YES   
NO

## SELECTMEN ARTICLES

**Article 7** Ratification of Multi-Year Contract negotiated between the Town of Hudson Board of Selectmen and the Hudson Highway Union, AFSCME Local 1801, for Wage & Benefit Increases

Shall the Town of Hudson vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Town of Hudson Board of Selectmen and the Hudson Highway Union, AFSCME 1801, which calls for the following increase in salaries and benefits:

Year	Amount	COLA %
7/1/10 – 6/30/11	\$ 1,811	0.0%
7/1/11 – 6/30/12	\$35,551	2.0%
7/1/12 – 6/30/13	\$43,903	3.0%

YES   
NO

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,811 for the 2010-2011 Fiscal Year, said sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those paid in the prior Fiscal Year? (This appropriation is in addition to Article 10, the Operating Budget.) (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen 5-0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee 8-2)

**Article 8** Ratification of Multi-Year Contract negotiated between the Town of Hudson Board of Selectmen and the Hudson Administrative and Support Union, AFSCME Local 1801, for Wage & Benefit Increases

Shall the Town of Hudson vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Town of Hudson Board of Selectmen and the Hudson Administrative and Support Union, AFSCME 1801, which calls for the following increase in salaries and benefits:

Year	Amount	COLA %
7/1/10 – 6/30/11	\$6,368	0.0%
7/1/11 – 6/30/12	\$20,873	2.0%

YES   
NO

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,368 for the 2010-2011 Fiscal Year, said sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those paid in the prior Fiscal Year? (This appropriation is in addition to Article 10, the Operating Budget.) (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen 5-0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee 8-2)

**Article 9** Fact Finder's Report for Hudson Police Union

Shall the Town of Hudson vote to implement the recommendations contained in the Fact Finder's Report in the matter of fact-finding between the Town of Hudson and the Hudson Police Union Local 3657, dated January 10, 2010, as amended at the Deliberative Session on February 6, 2010, which calls for the following increases in salary and benefits:

Year	Amount	COLA %
7/1/10 – 6/30/11	\$41,766	0.0%
7/1/11 – 6/30/12	\$134,874	3.0%
7/1/12 – 6/30/13	\$135,984	3.0%

YES   
NO

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$41,766 for the 2010-2011 Fiscal Year, said sum representing the additional cost attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those paid in the prior Fiscal Year? (This appropriation is in addition to Article 10, the Operating Budget.) (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen 5-0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee 6-4)

**GO TO NEXT BALLOT AND CONTINUE VOTING**



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**PETITIONED ZONING AMENDMENTS CONTINUED**

**Article 10 Operating Budget**

Shall the Town of Hudson raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amount 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 \$27,502,550? Should this article be defeated, the operating budget shall be \$27,568,075, which is the same as last year, with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of Hudson 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. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen 5-0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee 10-0)

YES   
NO

**Article 11 Information Technology Operating System Upgrade**

Shall the Town of Hudson vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$24,780, gross budget, for the purpose of purchasing the necessary licenses to upgrade town-wide PC's and servers to the latest operating systems and to authorize the withdrawal of \$24,780 from the Information Services Capital Reserve Fund? (This appropriation is in addition to Article 10, the Operating Budget.) There is no impact to the tax rate for this appropriation. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen 5-0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee 11-0)

YES   
NO

**Article 12 Fire Department Water Tanker Replacement**

Shall the Town of Hudson vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$270,000, gross budget, for the purpose of purchasing a replacement Fire Tanker and to authorize the withdrawal of \$170,000 from the Fire Apparatus Capital Reserve Fund? The remaining \$100,000 to come from the unreserved fund balance. (This appropriation is in addition to Article 10, the Operating Budget.) There is no impact to the tax rate for this appropriation. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen 5-0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee 11-0)

YES   
NO

**Article 13 VacCon (drain suction) Truck Replacement**

Shall the Town of Hudson vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$284,000, gross budget, for the purpose of purchasing a replacement VacCon (drain suction) Truck and to authorize the withdrawal of \$154,975 from the VacCon Truck Capital Reserve Fund? The remaining \$129,025 to come from the 2009-2010 unreserved Sewer fund balance. (This appropriation is in addition to Article 10, the Operating Budget.) There is no impact to the tax rate for this appropriation. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen 5-0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee 11-0)

YES   
NO

**Article 14 Pond Reclamation Capital Reserve Fund**

Shall the Town of Hudson vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of the management of invasive species to be known as the "Pond Reclamation Capital Reserve Fund" and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 from the unappropriated surplus of the land use change tax to be placed in said fund and to name the Board of Selectmen as the agents to expend? (This appropriation is in addition to Article 10, the Operating Budget.) There is no impact to the tax rate for this appropriation. (Recommended by the Board of Selectmen 5-0) (Recommended by the Budget Committee 11-0)

YES   
NO

**BY PETITION**

**Article 15 Cease and Desist Town of Hudson v. Peter Radziewicz and Joanne Radziewicz Lawsuit**

The town of Hudson, NH, shall hereby cease and desist in its lawsuit against Hudson residents, Peter and Joanne Radziewicz, 49 Burns Hill Rd. (Town of Hudson vs. Peter Radziewicz & Joanne Radziewicz, Docket No. 09-E-0192, Hillsborough County South Superior Court), shall waive any and all associated fines and legal fees, and shall allow them to keep an existing fence over six (6) feet in height on their land for reasons of safety, security, and property value protection. (Not Recommended by the Board of Selectmen 5-0)

YES   
NO

**YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING**