

**RESULTS OF TOWN OF APPLETON
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING HELD
May 28, 2015**

ARTICLE 1. On a motion Elmer Savage was nominated and chosen by secret ballot to serve as Moderator to preside over this meeting. He was then sworn to the office. There were approximately 35 registered voters present at this meeting.

At this time Selectmen Burke announced that he would be withdrawing from the Municipal Election Ballot for Selectmen .

ARTICLE 2. On a motion the Town voted to expend \$899,750.10 for Regular Instruction.

ARTICLE 3. On a motion the Town voted to expend \$ 291,629.97 for Special Education.

ARTICLE 4. On a motion the Town voted to expend .00 for Career and Technical Education.

ARTICLE 5. On a motion the Town voted to expend \$ 21,591.90 for Other Instruction.

ARTICLE 6. On a motion the Town voted to expend \$ 184,365.88 for Student and Staff Support.

ARTICLE 7. On a motion the Town voted to expend \$86,125.16 for System Administration.

ARTICLE 8. On a motion the Town voted to expend \$ 142,605.18 for School Administration.

ARTICLE 9. On a motion the Town voted to expend \$ 110,921.68 for Transportation and Buses.

ARTICLE 10. On a motion the Town voted to expend \$237,129.06 for Facilities Maintenance.

ARTICLE 11. On a motion the Town voted to expend \$ 27,278.86 for Debt Service and Other Commitments.

ARTICLE 12. On a motion the Town voted to expend \$17,775.10 for All Other Expenditures including School Lunch.

ARTICLE 13. On a motion the Town voted to appropriate \$ 1,397,068.40 for the total cost of funding public education from Kindergarten to Grade Eight as described in the Essential Programs and Services Funding Act and to raise \$ 746,592.71 the Town will raise as the Town's contribution to the total cost of funding public education from Kindergarten to Grade Eight as described in the Essential Programs and Services Funding Act in accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 20-A, section 15688.

ARTICLE 14. On a motion the Town voted raise and appropriate \$27,278.86 for the annual payments on debt service previously approved by the Town voters for non-state-funded school construction projects, non-state-funded portions of school construction projects and minor capital projects in addition to the funds appropriated as the local share of the Town's contribution to the total cost of funding public education from Kindergarten to Grade Eight.

ARTICLE 15. On a motion the Town voted by written secret ballot to raise and appropriate \$ 594,825.63 in additional local funds, which exceeds the State's Essential Programs and Services allocation model by \$ 564,017.27 as required to fund the budget recommended by the school committee. The votes were 23 yes and 4 no.

ARTICLE 16. On a motion the Town voted to authorize the school committee to expend \$ 2,019,172.89 for the fiscal year beginning **July 1, 2015** and ending **June 30, 2016** from the Town's contribution to the total cost of funding public education from Kindergarten to Grade Eight as described in the Essential Programs and Services Funding Act, non-state-funded school construction projects, additional local funds for school purposes under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 20-A, section 15690, unexpended balances, tuition receipts, state subsidy and other receipts for the support of schools.

ARTICLE 17. On a motion the Town voted to authorize the school committee to expend such other sums as may be received from federal and state grants or programs or other sources during the fiscal year for school purposes, provided that such grants, programs or other sources do not require the expenditure of other funds not previously appropriated.

On a motion this meeting was adjourned at 7:34 PM.

A True Attest:

*Pamela J. Smith
Town Clerk*