

**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARNING - 2024**

**THE LEGAL VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF MONKTON ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED AND  
WARNED TO MEET AT THE MONKTON CENTRAL SCHOOL ON  
SATURDAY MARCH 2, 2024 AT 10:00 A.M. FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES:**

**ARTICLES 1 AND 7 TO BE VOTED ON BY AUSTRALIAN BALLOT ON  
TUESDAY MARCH 5, 2024 AT THE MONKTON TOWN OFFICES  
POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 7:00 P.M.**

**ARTICLE 1:** To elect all Town Officers by Australian Ballot.

**ARTICLE 2:** Shall the voters authorize payment of real and personal property taxes on November 15, 2024 by delivery to town hall by that date or postmarked on or before that date?

**ARTICLE 3:** Shall the voters appropriate a total of \$30,197.00 to the following social service agencies?

a) Addison County Community Action Group (Hope)	\$1,250.00
b) Addison County Home, Health & Hospice, Inc.	\$1,946.00
c) Addison County Restorative Justice Services	\$ 550.00
d) Addison County Parent/Child Center	\$1,600.00
e) Addison County Readers	\$450.00
f) AgeWell	\$1,500.00
g) Bristol Family Center	\$250.00
h) Bristol Recreation Dept.	\$2,000.00
i) Bristol Rescue Squad	\$8,748.00
j) Counseling Service of Addison County Inc.	\$1,600.00
k) Elderly Services	\$800.00
l) Green Up Vermont	\$150.00
m) Have-a Heart Food Shelf	\$200.00
n) Hinesburg Food Shelf	\$500.00
o) Homeward Bound (Humane Society)	\$250.00
p) John W. Graham Emergency Shelter	\$1,000.00
q) Lewis Creek Association	\$550.00
r) Monkton Mentors Program	\$500.00
s) Open Door Clinic	\$500.00
t) Otter Creek Natural Resources Conservation District	\$198.00
u) Red Cross	\$500.00
v) Retired & Senior Volunteer Program	\$460.00
w) Rural Fire Protection Program	\$100.00
x) Tri Valley Transit	\$850.00
y) Turning Point Center of Addison County	\$1,000.00
z) Vergennes Area Rescue Squad Inc.	\$600.00
aa)Vermont Adult Learning	\$700.00
bb)Vermont Center for Independent Living – Addison	\$195.00
cc) Women Safe Inc.	\$1,250.00

**ARTICLE 4:** Shall the voters authorize General fund expenditures for operating expenses of:

a) General Fund Deficit	\$35,016.88
b) Salaries and General Expenses	\$567,380.94
c) Monkton Volunteer Fire Department	\$124,300.00
d) Russell Memorial Library	\$44,721.00
e) Monkton Museum and Historical Society	\$1,500.00
f) Recreation Fund	\$8,500.00
g) Agricultural and Natural Areas Fund	\$50,000.00
h) Highway Capital Projects Fund	\$70,000.00

for a total of \$901,418.82 of which \$630,258.82 shall be raised by taxes and \$271,160.00 by non-tax revenues?

**ARTICLE 5:** Shall the voters authorize Highway fund expenditures for operating expenses of:

a) Highway Fund Surplus	\$(290,286.16)
b) Highway Expenses	\$1,101,392.66

for a total of \$811,106.50 of which \$611,062.50 shall be raised by taxes and \$200,044.00 by non-tax revenues?

**ARTICLE 6:** Shall the Town of Monkton vote to eliminate the elected office of Lister and instead appoint an Assessor pursuant to 17 V.S.A §2651(c)(b). Article to be voted by Australian Ballot.

**ARTICLE 7:** To transact any other business proper to come before this meeting.

	<u>/s/ Stephen Pilcher</u>
Monkton Town Clerk	Stephen Pilcher, Chair Selectboard
Received and Recorded	
On : _____	<u>/s/ Paul Low</u>
	Paul Low, Member Selectboard
	<u>/s/ Marikate Kelley</u>
	Marikate Kelley, Member Selectboard
Attest: <u>/s/ Sharon Gomez</u>	
Sharon Gomez, Town Clerk	<u>/s/ Walter Crandall</u>
Monkton Town Clerk received	Walter Crandall, Member Selectboard
	<u>/s/John McNerney</u>
	John McNerney, Member Selectboard