



WARNING – February 27, 2024 & March 5, 2024

PATRICIA A. HANNAFORD REGIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETING FEBRUARY 27, 2024 & MARCH 5, 2024

Member Towns: Addison, Bridport, Bristol, Cornwall, Ferrisburgh, Middlebury, Monkton, New Haven, Panton, Ripton, Salisbury, Shoreham, Starksboro, Vergennes, Waltham, and Weybridge.

The legal voters of the Patricia A. Hannaford Regional Technical School District are hereby warned to meet at the Patricia A. Hannaford Regional Technical School District, Middlebury, Vermont in said district on February 27, 2024 at 5:00 P.M., to transact and vote on the following business:

ARTICLE 1: To elect the following officers:

a) Moderator b) Treasurer c) Clerk

ARTICLE 2: To hear and act upon the reports of the Treasurer and Auditors of the District.

ARTICLE 3: To determine if the voters of said District will vote to authorize its Board of Directors to borrow money, pending receipt of payment from member districts, by the issuance of its notes or orders payable not later than one year from date for the purpose of paying the sum approved by the voters.

ARTICLE 4: To see if the voters of said District will vote to authorize its Board of Directors to allocate its FY23 fund balance as follows: One Hundred and Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$130,000) of the school district's fund balance as revenue for the 2024-2025 operating budget.

ARTICLE 5: To do any other business proper to come before said meeting.

A Public Information Hearing will take place immediately following Article 5, to discuss Article 6 (Proposed Budget) The meeting will be recessed until March 5, 2024 on which date member district voters are further warned to vote on the article listed below by Australian ballot at their respective polling places:

ARTICLE 6: Shall the voters of the Patricia A. Hannaford Regional Technical School District approve the school board to expend \$5,279,797 which is the amount the school board has determined to be necessary for the ensuing fiscal year? This budget represents a **9.33%** increase over expenses for the current year. It is estimated that this proposed budget, if approved, will result in education spending at the Patricia A. Hannaford Career Center to be **\$31,936** per full-time equivalent student on a 6-semester trailing average. This projected spending per full-time equivalent student is **18.67%** higher than spending for the current year.

Dated this 18th day of January, 2024 at Middlebury, Vermont.

Kim Farnham, Board Chair
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