

**OFFICIAL BALLOT
TOWN OF MIDDLESEX
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 2021**

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- Use BLACK PEN or PENCIL to fill in the oval.
- To vote for a person whose name is printed on the ballot, fill in the oval to the right of the name of that person.
- To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write or stick his or her name in the blank space provided and fill in the oval to the right of the write-in line.
- Do not vote for more candidates than the "VOTE for NOT MORE THAN #" for an office.
- If you make a mistake, tear, or deface the ballot, return it to an election official and obtain another ballot. DO NOT ERASE.

<p style="text-align: center;">ARTICLE 1. To elect all necessary officers for the ensuing year.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">BUDGET COMMITTEE 3-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than TWO</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">ARTICLE 2. Shall the Town of Middlesex authorize payment of all property taxes to the Town Treasurer, as provided by law and without discount, in four installments as follows: the first installment will be due on or before 5:00 PM, August 20, 2021; the second installment will be due on or before 5:00 PM, November 20, 2021; the third installment will be due on or before 5:00 PM, February 20, 2022, and the fourth installment will be due on or before 5:00 PM, May 20, 2022, except if post marked by the US Postal Service on or before the aforementioned dates accordingly? (32 VSA Sec. 4773)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">MODERATOR 1-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than ONE</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>SUSAN CLARK <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">CEMETERY COMMISSIONER 3-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than ONE</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">TREASURER 1-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than ONE</p>	<p>SARAH BIRGÉ <input type="radio"/></p> <p>JANET H. MCKINSTRY <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">ARTICLE 3. Shall the Town of Middlesex charge an interest at the rate of 0.5% per month or fraction thereof on overdue tax installments from the applicable due dates? (32 VSA Sec. 5136)</p>
<p>DORINDA CROWELL <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">LISTER 3-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">COLLECTOR OF DELINQUENT TAXES 1-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than ONE</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PLANNING COMMISSIONER 3-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than TWO</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>DAVID W. SMITH <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p>SANDRA LEVINE <input type="radio"/></p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">SELECT BOARD 3-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than ONE</p>	<p>MITCH OSIECKI <input type="radio"/></p> <p>CHRISTOPHER THÉROUX <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">ARTICLE 4. Shall the Town of Middlesex vote to accept a fiscal year 2021-2022 budget of \$1,382,738 to meet the expenses and liabilities of the Town and authorize the Select Board to set a tax rate sufficient to provide the same?</p>
<p>VIC DWIRE <input type="radio"/></p>	<p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	
<p>PETER O. HOOD <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PLANNING COMMISSIONER 1 YEAR OF A 3-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than ONE</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">SELECT BOARD 2-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than ONE</p>	<p>PHILIP COMEN <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	
<p>GARY LAMELL <input type="radio"/></p>		<p style="font-size: 1.2em;">TURN BALLOT OVER AND CONTINUE VOTING</p>
<p>STEVEN MARTIN <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>		
<p style="text-align: center;">BUDGET COMMITTEE 1 YEAR OF A 3-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than ONE</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">BUDGET COMMITTEE 2 YEARS OF A 3-YEAR TERM Vote for not more than ONE</p>		
<p>WILLIAM MCMANIS <input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Write-in) <input type="radio"/></p>		

ARTICLE 5. Shall the Town of Middlesex voters authorize the Select Board to purchase a new grader in an amount not to exceed \$290,000 to be financed over a period not to exceed 15 years? (24 V.S.A. § 1786a (c))	ARTICLE 14. Shall the Town of Middlesex appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to support the Waterbury Senior Center's Meals on Wheels program?																																													
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