

Albany Selectmen's Meeting Minutes

Albany, New Hampshire February 7, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.

This meeting may be viewed or streamed at:

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1. Call to Order: Chair K. Golding called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

In Attendance: Chair K. Golding, Selectmen K. Robitaille and J. Drouin, Town Administrator K. Collins, Conservation Commission Chair, C. Ryan, Road Agent C. Coleman and Videographer L. Slitt

2. Pledge of Allegiance: Chair K. Golding led the meeting in The Pledge.

3. New Business:

A. Approval of January 24, 2024 Selectmen's Meeting minutes, including (1) set of sealed Non Public minutes

Selectman K. Robitaille made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 24, 2024 Selectmen's Meeting, including (1) set of sealed Non Public Minutes. Selectman J. Drouin seconded. Motion passed: 3-0-0.

B. Approval of February 7, 2024 consent file

Review & Sign manifest(s) in the amount of \$20,822.60, and \$42,913.74 this includes an accounts payable and payroll manifests for 1/31, and 2/7/2024

Review and approve Commercial Building Permit for solar installation at 1369 NH Route 16

Review, discuss and approve "revised" Commercial Building Permit for World Fellowship, on Drake Hill Road

Selectman K. Robitaille made a motion to approve the February 7, 2024 Consent File, as presented. Selectman J. Drouin seconded. Motion passed: 3-0-0.

C. Review, discuss and execute annual contract with Conway Area Humane Society

Chair K. Golding made a motion to approve and sign the annual contract with Conway Humane Society. Selectman K. Robitaille seconded. Motion passed: 3-0-0.

4. Town Administrator's Report:

A. Review and approve time off request for TA for April 2024

The Board reviewed and approved the Town Administrator's request for time off for the first week in April

 KG
KR
JD

5. 6:00 P.M. 2024 BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING

Chair K. Golding opened the public hearing on the budget at 6:00 p.m. The Board reviewed the 2024 Proposed budget including both expenditures and revenues as well as the draft 2024 Warrant.

Chair K. Golding asked if there were any questions. She reviewed, generally, the increase to the Cemetery Budget. C. Coleman reviewed the roads he intends to work on in 2024, which are Bald Hill to Ridge View and more work on Passaconaway. Some general discussion took place regarding both proposed expenditures and anticipated revenue. Chair K. Golding made an adjustment to the working of WA #12 and the Board voted on recommending/not recommending warrant Articles.

See the attached Warrant for the motions and votes on recommending warrant articles. Chair K. Golding closed the 20024 Budget Public Hearing at 6:25 p.m.

6. Old Business:

- A. Chapel/Historical Society See email from Attorney with next steps
- B. NH DOT Project 29597 NH Rte 16 Review and discuss email from Jason Ayotte/NH DOT Project Manager for project re: dates for public information meeting

7. Other Business (and Board reports):

- A. Planning Board Selectman K. Robitaille The next meeting is 2/12
- **B. Other:** The Board has moved the 2/28 meeting to 2/21 and intend to hold a short meeting on 3/7

8. Correspondence:

A. Review and discuss (2) letter from Charter Communications re: Upcoming Changes

The Board reviewed the (2) notices from Charter Communications for Upcoming Changes

B. Review copy of email from resident S. Farrington regarding recent election

The Board reviewed the email from Mr. Farrington regarding information provided during the January 23, 2024 Primary and the Supervisors response. Chair encouraged SoC to attend training.

- 9. Public Comment: C. Ryan wanted a WA for putting timber proceeds in the Conservation Fund under RSA 31:113. TA noted it is already on the Warrant
- 10. Non Public Session under RSA 91-A:3, II as necessary none
- 11. Next Meeting: Wednesday, February 21, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.
- 12. Adjournment: Chair K. Golding made a motion to adjourn at 6:25p.m. Selectmen J. Drouin seconded. Motion passed: 3-0-0.

Submitted by: Kelley Collins/Town Administrator

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- **Article 9**. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 to be added to the Emergency Management Capital Reserve Fund, previously established. *Chair K. Golding made a motion to recommend this article, Selectman K. Robitaille seconded.* **Motion passed: 3-0-0. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0).** (Recommended by the CIP Committee).
- Article 10. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,700 to be added to the Cemetery Expendable Trust Fund to come from December 31, 2023 unassigned fund balance. (this amount is equal to the amount of revenue from the sale of cemetery plots) Chair K. Golding made a motion to recommend this article, Selectman K. Robitaille seconded. Motion passed: 3-0-0. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0)
- **Article 11**. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$90,000 to be added to the Highway Expendable Trust Fund to come from December 31, 2023 unassigned fund balance. *Chair K. Golding made a motion to recommend this article, Selectman K. Robitaille seconded.* **Motion passed: 3-0-0. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0)**
- Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to place all net proceeds from any timbering of town forest land into the Conservation Fund, in accordance with RSA 31:113, as previously established, until rescinded. Chair K. Golding made a motion to recommend this article, Selectman K. Robitaille seconded. Motion passed: 3-0-0. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0) (language in red was added at budget public hearing)
- Article 13. By Petition. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 for the Family Resource Center at Children Unlimited, Inc. Chair K. Golding made a motion to recommend this article, Selectman K. Robitaille seconded. Motion passed: 3-0-0. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0)
- Article 14. By Petition. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,708 for the operation of Tri-County Community Action Program, Inc. service programs in Albany: Transportation, Energy Assistance, Weatherization, Guardianship, Head Start, Homeless Intervention and Prevention, Disaster Relief and Tamworth Dental Center. Chair K. Golding made a motion to recommend this article, Selectman K. Robitaille seconded.

 Motion failed: 0-3-0. (Not recommended by Selectmen 0-3-0)
- Article 15. *By Petition*. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 3,000 to support Albany home delivered meals (Meals on Wheels), congregate meals, transportation and program services provided by the Gibson Center for Senior Services, Inc. *Chair K. Golding made a motion to recommend this article, Selectman K. Robitaille seconded*. Motion passed: 3-0-0. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0).
- **Article 16.** By Petition. To respectfully request that the town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,224 in support of Starting Point providing advocacy and support to victims of domestic and sexual violence and their children. Chair K. Golding made a motion to recommend this article, Selectman K. Robitaille seconded. **Motion passed: 3-0-0.** (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0).
- Article 17. By Petition. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 1,000 for the Conway Area Human Society for the purpose of supporting continuing services for stray, abandoned and neglected animals brought to the shelter by Animal Control or private citizens no longer able to care for them. Chair K. Golding made a motion to recommend this article, Selectman K. Robitaille seconded. Motion passed: 3-0-0. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0)
- Article 18. By Petition. To see if the Town of Albany will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,942 for the support of White Mountain Community Health Center to help meet the healthcare needs of the uninsured and underinsured residents of the town of Albany. Chair K. Golding made a motion to recommend this article, Selectman K. Robitaille seconded. Motion failed: 0-3-0. (Not recommended by Selectmen 0-3-0)
- **Article 19.** To act upon any other business that may legally come before this meeting. Given under our hands this 7th day of February in the year two thousand twenty-four.

Kathleen Golding, Selectman/Chair Kelly Robitaille, Selectman James Drouin, Selectman

Note: Petitioned WAs #14 and #18 failed due to the fact that the agencies did not provide the list of documentation required as Board Policy, established in 2019.

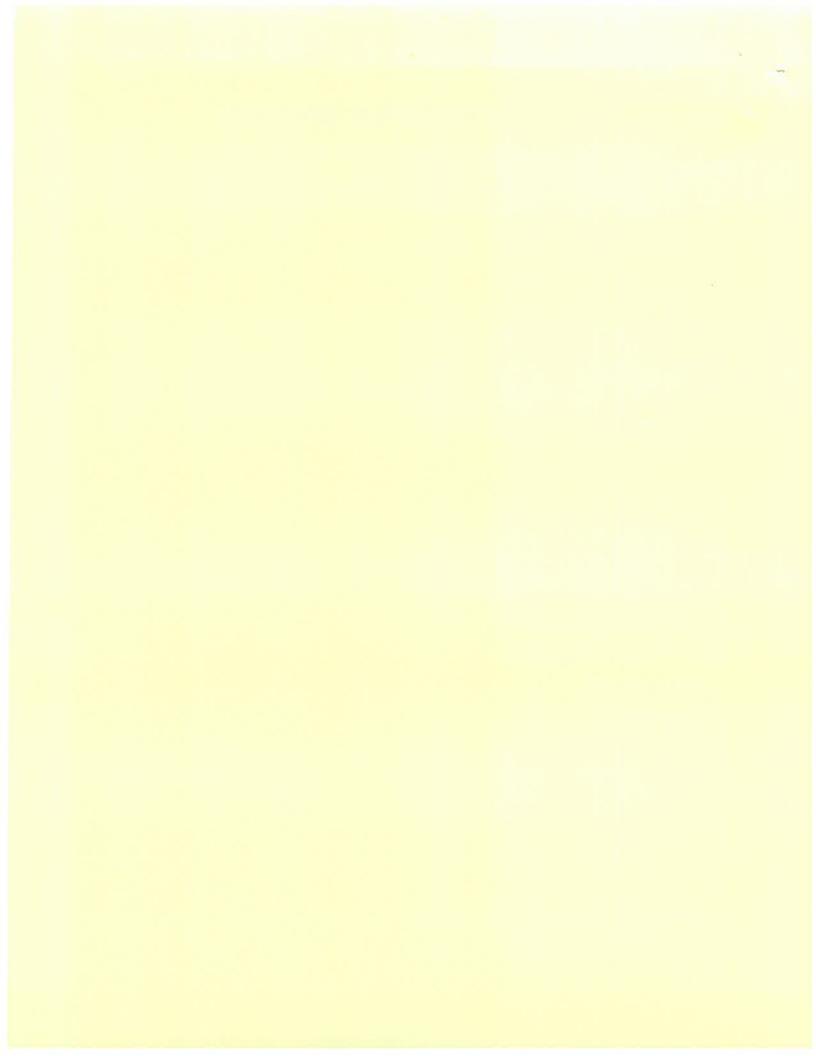
2024 BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING

Wednesday, February 7, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.

2024 Proposed Budget

- -Expenditures
- -Revenues

2024 Draft Warrant



	202	24 PROPOSED BUDG	ET		
			Jan - Dec 2023	2023 Budget	2024 Proposed
				44/20	1117-1111-0104
Executiv				40.500.00	40 500 00
	Selectmen Sa		13,500.00	13,500.00	13,500.00
	Social Securit	<u>-</u>	1,032.75	1,033.00	1,033.00
	Town Adminis		45,503.37	47,757.00	58,200.00
		urity - Medicare	3,481.01	3,654.00	4,464.00
	Retirement		0.00	1.00	1.00
Total Ex	ecutive		63,517.13	65,945.00	77,198.00
Treasure	er				
	Treasury Sala	ry	8,700.00	8,700.00	8,700.00
	TRSR Social	Security - Medicare	757.35	758.00	758.00
	Deputy Treas	urer	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
	Supplies		0.00	101.00	100.00
		ent/Maintenance	0.00	100.00	1.00
	Travel		15.72	51.00	2.00
Total Tre	easurer		10,673.07	10,910.00	10,761.00
Town Cl	erk/Tax Collec	ctor			
		ax Collector Salary	24,137.88	24,138.00	24,862.00
		curity - Medicare	2,573.83	2,999.00	2,897.00
		Collector Salary	9,506.94	14,560.00	12,000.00
	TC/TX Trainin		9,500.94	500.00	500.00
	Software Sup	-	5,394.00	5,500.00	5,800.00
	Supplies	port			1,600.00
	Postage		1,502.34	1,300.00	
		Pagrahas 9 Dadamata	2,821.16	2,500.00	2,900.00
		Searches & Redemptn	1,112.48	800.00	1,200.00
		nent/Maintenance	2,562.98	1,000.00	2,160.00
	Travel		1,212.15	800.00	1,300.00
	Conferences		1,282.00	2,300.00	1,500.00
	Advertising		0.00	100.00	100.00
Total To	wn Clerk & Ta	ax Collector	52,105.76	56,497.00	56,819.00
Election					
	Supervisors of	of the Checklist	350.00	600.00	900.00
	Ballot Clerks		25.00	200.00	800.00
	Moderator		200.00	200.00	800.00
	Supplies		160.63	250.00	700.00
	Advertising		39.00	100.00	200.00
	Travel		0.00	300.00	1.00
Total Ele	ection		774.63	1,650.00	3,401.00
Financia	al Administrat	ion			
	Auditor		8,100.00	8,250.00	8,250.00
	Supplies		2,282.86	2,000.00	3,000.00
	Printing		1,163.79	1,350.00	1,400.00
	Conferences		0.00	210.00	250.00
	Small Equipr	nent	0.00	1,000.00	1,915.00
	Bank Service		78.22	51.00	

	Postage	987.43	1,000.00	201.00
	Travel	35.53	150.00	100.00
	Recording Expense	16.63	100.00	100.00
	Advertisement	97.50	300.00	600.00
	Software Support	13,815.69	17,491.00	17,186.00
	Internet & Telephone	2,879.41	3,000.00	3,000.00
	Special Town Meeting	0.00	1.00	1.00
	Engineering	0.00	1,500.00	0.00
	Trustee of Trust Funds	200.00	300.00	300.00
Total F	inancial Administration	29,657.06	36,703.00	36,353.00
Assess	sina			
, 100001	Assessing Services	17,610.00	18,000.00	19,000.00
	Tax Map Update	500.00	2,500.00	1,219.00
	Software Support	3,046.00	3,100.00	3,200.00
Total A	Assessing	21,156.00	23,600.00	23,419.00
TOtal A	lasesanig	21,100.00	20,000.00	20,413.00
Legal		13,244.02	25,000.00	12,500.00
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Plannii	na		,	,
	Member Attendance	1,050.00	2,000.00	1,500.00
	Secretary Salary	1,240.00	2,400.00	1,500.00
	PLN Social Security - Medicare	94.86	185.00	115.00
	Technical Advisor	0.00	1.00	1.00
	Advertisement	52.00	350.00	350.00
	Manuals & Resource Material	125.00	100.00	100.00
	Operating Expenses	59.92	800.00	600.00
	Travel	0.00	400.00	200.00
	Legal	0.00	500.00	1.00
Total P	Planning	2,621.78	6,736.00	4,367.00
Totall			0,100.00	1,001.101
Zoning	Board of Adjustment			
	Member Attendance	0.00	350.00	175.00
	Secretary	0.00	410.00	205.00
	Soc Sec/Medicare	0.00	32.00	15.00
	Technical Advisor	0.00	1.00	1.00
	Conferences	0.00	100.00	50.00
	Operating Expenses	0.00	200.00	105.00
		0.00	1,093.00	551.00
Conser	rvation Commission			
	Member Attendance	1,820.00	1,500.00	2,000.00
	Operating Expenses	90.00	1,000.00	500.00
	Legal	0.00	1.00	1.00
Total C	onservation Commission	1,910.00	2,501.00	2,501.00
Govern	nment Buildings			
JU16111	Oil/Propane	3,693.53	3,700.00	3,700.00
	Electricity/Town Hall	2,231.82	1,800.00	2,400.00
	Chapel Lights	505.51	540.00	600.00
	Bldg Maintenance & Repairs	9,149.52	9,001.00	9,000.00
	Street Lights	727.95	800.00	800.00

Town Hall Security	753.00	753.00	800.00
Total Government Buildings	17,061.33	16,594.00	17,300.00
Cemeteries			
Trustee	999.99	1,000.00	1,000.00
Maintenance	5,851.13	6,000.00	6,500.00
Repairs (new)	5,051.15	0,000.00	3,500.00
Nepalis (liew)			3,300.00
Total Cemeteries	6,851.12	7,000.00	11,000.00
Insurance			
Worker's Comp	808.00	808.00	727.00
Property Liability	3,155.00	3,155.00	3,717.00
Health Insurance	18,661.08	18,765.00	21,567.00
Disability Insurance	567.60	600.00	569.00
Dental Insurance	1,027.98	1,028.00	1,061.00
Life Insurance	77.40	80.00	80.00
Total Insurance	24,297.06	24,436.00	27,721.00
Regional Associations			
North Country Council	1,050.00	1,050.00	1,102.00
NH Municipal Association	1,137.00	1,137.00	1,159.00
NH Town Clerks Assn	40.00	20.00	40.00
NH Tax Collectors' Assn	40.00	40.00	40.00
NH Assessors' Assn	20.00	20.00	20.00
NH Govt Finance Officers Assn	35.00	35.00	35.00
NH Welfare Assn	30.00	30.00	30.00
MWV Economic Council	50.00	50.00	50.00
NH Assn of Conservation Comm.	250.00	250.00	250.00
International Code Council	0.00	1.00	1.00
NH Health Officers Association	0.00	45.00	80.00
Total Regional Associations	2,652.00	2,678.00	2,807.00
Public Safety			
	400,000,00	100 000 00	407.000.00
Fire/Rescue/Ambulance	160,000.00	160,000.00	187,000.00
Sheriff Department	42,300.00	47,700.00	63,300.00
Fire Wardens	0.00	1.00	1.00
Building Permit Administrator	4,200.00	4,200.00	4,200.00
BPA Social Security - Medicare	321.30	322.00	322.00
Total Public Safety	206,821.30	212,223.00	254,823.00
Emergency Management			
Maintenance	245.00	225.00	300.00
Propane	537.87	600.00	750.00
Supplies	0.00	400.00	300.00
Total Emergency Management	782.87	1,225.00	1,350.00
Highways & Streets			
Winter Plowing & Snow Removal	73,720.05	85,500.00	85,500.00
Winter Brine	617.50	5,000.00	5,000.00
Winter Salt	35,720.41	40,000.00	40,000.00

	Winter Sand	8,081.40	10,000.00	10,000.00
	Winter Labor & Materials	10,000.06	15,000.00	10,000.00
	Ferncroft Rd Plowing	6,390.00	7,500.00	7,500.00
	Summer Road Maintenand	e 73,777.10	75,958.50	20,000.00
	Summer Materials	18,041.98	24,257.04	20,000.00
	Paving	15,008.51	68,450.00	55,000.00
	Albany/Madison Plow Turi	naround 500.00	500.00	500.00
Total H	ighways & Streets	241,857.01	332,165.54	253,500.00
Solid V	/aste			
	Solid Waste-Albany	59,715.00	59,715.00	38,950.00
	Wonalancet	0.00	1.00	1.00
Total S	olid Waste	59,715.00	59,716.00	38,951.00
Health				
пеани	Health Officer Salary	800.00	600.00	1,200.00
	Deputy Health Office Salar	r v 0.00	500.00	
	Animal Control Salary	0.00	500.00	250.00
	HLTH Social Security - Me	dicare 61.20	122.00	
Total H		861.20	1,722.00	1,450.00
		1 700 01	5,000,00	4 000 00
	Welfare	1,723.81	5,000.00	4,000.00
		1,723.81	5,000.00	4,000.00
Culture	& Recreation	00 700 00	00 700 00	07.404.00
	Conway Parks & Recreation		20,796.00	27,164.00
	Conway Public Library	6,030.00	6,500.00	6,500.00
	Patriotic Purposes	405.83	500.00	600.00
Valley Vision - Channel 3		07.004.00	07 700 00	6530.00
Total C	ulture & Recreation	27,231.83	27,796.00	40,794.00
TAN In	terest payment	0.00	1.00	0.00
		0.00	1.00	0.00
	Totals		921,191.54	
Totals re	emoving extra roads	removed rds>>>	832,026.00	881,566.00

	2024 PI	roposed Reve	nues	
		Jan - Dec 2023	Budget 2023	2024 Proposed Revenues
ncome		0411 200 2020	Dauget 1010	Nevertado
3120 · Land Use Chan	ge Tax	14,250.00	12,250.00	3,000.00
3185 · Yield Tax		3,192.00	1,000.00	5,000.00
3210 · Business Licen	ses	6,529.00	6,600.00	6,500.00
3220 · Motor Vehicle F	Permits	540,060.00	365,000.00	530,000.00
3221 · Building Permit		4,154.00	5,000.00	4,000.00
3223 · Pistol Fees		50.00	0.00	-
3225 · Parking Tickets		9,455.00	6,250.00	6,000.00
3226 · Sign Permit		40.00	0.00	-
3228 · Mail in fee		0.00	0.00	
3289 · Dog Licenses		250.00	250.00	-
3290 · Marriage Licens	ses	0.00	0.00	-
3291 · Vital Statistics	Fees	0.00	0.00	_
3351 · Shared Revenu	es	0.00	0.00	_
3352 · Room & Meals	Тах	72,245.00	67,000.00	72,245.00
3353 · Highway Block	Grants	49,817.00	38,500.00	39,000.00
3356 · State & Fed For	est Land ir	132,000.00	132,000.00	132,000.00
3359 · Other State Gra	ınts∖Reimbı	0.00		-
3409 · Copy Fees		100.00	100.00	
3501 · Sale of Municip		15,000.00	10,000.00	700.00
3502 · Interest on Ban		25,579.00	11,000.00	25,000.00
3503 · Return Check F		0.00	0.00	•
3509.1 · Planning Hea	ring Fees	0.00	0.00	500.00
3509.2 · ZBA Hearing	Fees	0.00	0.00	_
3509.0 · Misc Reimbur		0.00	0.00	
· Transfers from 12/3		0.00	20,000.00	242,700.00
Withdrawal from CRF		168,000.00	168,000.00	3,000.00
3920 · Overpayment P	roperty Tax	0.00		
3922 · Town Purchase	Tax Lien	0.00	0.00	
3999 · UCC Filings		0.00	0.00	
Total Income		1,040,721.00	842,950.00	1,069,645.00

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Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000 to be added to the Town Hall Capital Reserve Fund, previously established. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0) (Recommended by the CIP Committee)

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 to be added to the Emergency Management Capital Reserve Fund, previously established. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0). (Recommended by the CIP Committee).

Article 10. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,700 to be added to the Cemetery Expendable Trust Fund to come from December 31, 2023 unassigned fund balance. (this amount is equal to the amount of revenue from the sale of cemetery plots) (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0)

Article 11. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$90,000 to be added to the Highway Expendable Trust Fund to come from December 31, 2023 unassigned fund balance. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0)

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to place all net proceeds from any timbering of town forest land into the Conservation Fund as previously established.

Article 13 . By Petition. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 for the Family Resource Center at Children Unlimited, Inc. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0)

Article 14. By Petition. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,708 for the operation of Tri-County Community Action Program, Inc. service programs in Albany. Transportation, Energy Assistance, Weatherization, Guardianship, Head Start, Homeless Intervention and Prevention, Disaster Relief and Tamworth Dental Center. (Not recommended by Selectmen 0-3-0)

Article 15. *By Petition.* To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to support Albany home delivered meals (Meals on Wheels), congregate meals, transportation and program services provided by the Gibson Center for Senior Services, Inc. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0).

Article 16. By Petition. To respectfully request that the town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,224 in support of Starting Point providing advocacy and support to victims of domestic and sexual violence and their children. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0).

Article 17. By Petition. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 1,000 for the Conway Area Human Society for the purpose of supporting continuing services for stray, abandoned and neglected animals brought to the shelter by Animal Control or private citizens no longer able to care for them. (Recommended by Selectmen 3-0-0)

Article 18. By Petition. To see if the Town of Albany will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,942 for the support of White Mountain Community Health Center to help meet the healthcare needs of the uninsured and underinsured residents of the town of Albany. (Not recommended by Selectmen 0-3-0)

Article 19. To act upon any other business that may legally come before this meeting. Given under our hands this _____ day of February in the year two thousand twenty-four.

Kathleen Golding, Selectman/Chair Kelly Robitaille, Selectman James Drouin, Selectman