

**OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
ST. ALBANS TOWN, VERMONT
MARCH 6, 2012**

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INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this: ●
 B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.
 C. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate's name on the line provided and completely fill in the OVAL.

<p align="center">MODERATOR</p> <p>For ONE Year Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">TOWN TREASURER</p> <p>For THREE Years Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>ANNA BOURDON <u>1324</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">FIRST CONSTABLE</p> <p>For ONE Year Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>ALBERT BENSON <u>1232</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>
<p align="center">SELECTPERSON</p> <p>For TWO Years Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>STEVE COON <u>849</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>PAUL LARNER <u>494</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">DELINQUENT TAX COLLECTOR</p> <p>For THREE Years Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>ANNA BOURDON <u>1314</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">GRAND JUROR</p> <p>For ONE Year Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>ALBERT BENSON <u>1226</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>
<p align="center">SELECTPERSON</p> <p>For THREE Years Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>BERNIE BOUDREAU <u>835</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>JOHN GRAY <u>480</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">LISTER</p> <p>For THREE Years Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>LESLIE LARIVIERE <u>1209</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">TOWN AGENT</p> <p>For ONE Year Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>ALBERT BENSON <u>1216</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>
<p align="center">SELECTPERSON</p> <p>For ONE year of Unexpired THREE Year Term Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>BRUCE CHEESEMAN <u>508</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>ANT PALMER <u>840</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p><i>Brent</i> _____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBER</p> <p>For THREE Years Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>SAM SMITH <u>1012</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">LIBRARY TRUSTEE</p> <p>For THREE Years Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>NATALIE GOOD <u>1281</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>
<p align="center">TOWN CLERK</p> <p>For THREE Years Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>ANNA BOURDON <u>1320</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	<p align="center">PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBER</p> <p>For ONE year of Unexpired THREE Year Term Vote for not more than ONE</p> <p>GARY CHERRIER <u>799</u> <input checked="" type="radio"/></p> <p>SAM SMITH <u>453</u> <input type="radio"/></p> <p>_____ <input type="radio"/></p> <p align="center">(Write-in)</p>	

ARTICLES

ARTICLE 2 781
 Shall the Legal Voters of the Town of St Albans authorize the Selectboard to spend an estimated \$3,758,545 for the Town general expenses, of which \$2,945,954 is to be raised by taxes? YES
573 NO

ARTICLE 3 1204
 Shall the Legal Voters of the Town of St Albans authorize the Selectboard to use \$100,000 of prior year general fund balance to further reduce taxes for fiscal year 2012/13? YES
157 NO

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ARTICLES CONTINUED

ARTICLE 4

Shall the Legal Voters of the Town of St Albans authorize Town Officials to engage in exploratory discussions with the City of St. Albans to determine potential efficiencies and cost benefits on the issue of "reconstitution" or merger of the two municipalities? YES NO

767

595

ARTICLE 5

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to place \$100,000 of the prior year general fund balance into an emergency reserve fund? YES NO

1063

302

ARTICLE 6

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to borrow \$200,000 to purchase a tandem axle truck replacement for the Department of Public Works with annual loan costs of \$42,864 for 5 years? YES NO

706

647

ARTICLE 7

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to borrow \$300,000 to purchase a new tanker truck replacement for the Fire Department with annual loan costs of \$64,284 for 5 years? YES NO

797

560

ARTICLE 8

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to expend \$80,000 of the prior year general fund balance to reimburse the Fire Department Reserve Fund? YES NO

964

387

ARTICLE 9

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to borrow \$1,200,000 for the reconstruction of French Hill Road with annual loan costs of \$101,400 for 15 years? YES NO

445

893

ARTICLE 10

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to expend \$8,000 for the planning, design, and engineering of tennis courts and a picnic shelter at Cohen Park as described in the Town Capital Improvement Plan? YES NO

575

780

ARTICLE 11

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to expend \$10,000 to plan and develop walking trails and engage in undergrowth clearing activities in the Town Forest as recommended in the Town Forest Management Plan? YES NO

686

675

ARTICLE 12

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to expend \$15,000 to further previous studies to bring public sewer and water utilities down Lake Road to St Albans Bay as described in the Town Capital Improvement Plan? YES NO

801

554

ARTICLE 13

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to place \$30,000.00 in a capital equipment reserve fund? YES NO

877

468

ARTICLE 14

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to place \$52,500 in a previously established fund for the Fire Department Multi-Purpose Quint/Ladder Truck? YES NO

915

444

ARTICLE 15

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to place \$27,500 in a previously established fund for the Fire Department Pumper Truck? YES NO

955

405

ARTICLE 16

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to expend \$2,000 to determine the best use and development opportunities for the Town's Brigham Road property of approximately 160 acres as described in the Town Capital Improvement Plan? YES NO

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583

ARTICLE 17

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to expend \$25,000 to investigate and develop concepts for a new Town facilities complex as described in the Town Capital Improvement Plan? YES NO

556

800

ARTICLE 18

Shall the Legal Voters authorize the Selectboard to close the Sidewalk Reserve Fund and place all of the remaining balance of less than \$100.00 into the Capital Projects Reserve Fund? YES NO

1043

320

ARTICLE 19

Shall the Legal Voters exempt from property taxes, pursuant to 32 VSA § 3832(7) the real and personal property of Northwest Counseling & Support Services Inc. (formerly Franklin Grand Isle Mental Health), used primarily for health purposes located at 107 Fisher Pond Road, St Albans, VT? YES NO

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795

YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING