

## 2025 WARRANT

### **Andover**

The inhabitants of the Town of Andover in the County of Merrimack in the state of New Hampshire qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby notified that the Annual Town Meeting will be held as follows:

#### First Session of Annual Meeting (Official Ballot Voting)

Date: Tuesday, March 11, 2025 Time: 11:00 am - 7:00 pm

Location: AEMS - 20 School St. Andover

Details:

#### Second Session of Annual Meeting (Transaction of All Other Business)

Date: Tuesday, March 11, 2025

Time: 7:00 pm

Location: AEMS - 20 School St. Andover

Details:

#### **GOVERNING BODY CERTIFICATION**

We certify and attest that on or before 2/19/2025, a true and attested copy of this document was posted at the place of meeting and at Town Hall, 31 School St and that an original was delivered to Budget Committee and Select Board.

Name	Position	Signature
Dana Swenson	Chair	a Juni
Roland Carter	Vice Chair	That & Comer
James Delaney Sr.	Member	Amer Delaney Sh
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Charles Stewart	Member	Ynn Ann
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Article 01	Election of Town Officers		
	To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year. 8:00 am to 7:00 pm on Tuesday, March 11, 2025).	(By ballot vote durin	ng polling hours
		Yes	No
Article 02	Operating Budget		
	To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum operations. This article does not include appropriations conta addressed separately. The Board of Selectmen & Budget Con (Majority vote required)	ined in special or in	dividual articles
		Yes	No
Article 03	Capital Reserve Accounts	to and a firm of the second of the grant Landburg to the Committee of the Landburg to the Committee of the Landburg to the Committee of the Co	and the state of t
	To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the total s following Capital Reserve Funds previously established:  CRF Ambulance Replacement \$10,000  CRF Revaluation \$14,902  CRF Highway Maintenance Equipment \$30,000  CRF Highway Projects \$220,000  CRF Police Cruiser Replacement \$26,000  CRF Transfer Station Equipment \$10,000  CRF Bridge Rehabilitations \$50,000  CRF Forest Fire Equipment \$1,500  The Select Board and Budget Committee recommend this art		
		Yes	No
Article 04	Expendable Trust Funds	er udvidaterne Suurigijooniaa eriyada, gijiriiriika ka <sup>ha</sup> en gigigaasa ee (a. yerginooni).	eNijje ngaverogja ezwe ) nimbo na ne manimur e a zo moh zazaniel
	To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the total standard following Expendable Trust Funds previously established.  ETF Technology \$15,000  ETF Town Buildings \$15,000  ETF T.S. Recycling/Solid Waste Projects \$10,000  The Selectmen & Budget Committee recommend. (Majority volumes)		e added to the
		Yes	No
Article 05	To vote to Establish Police Building CRF		n namen kan sama Amilia Basabaki digah mga 1,500 gan ganapan sama
	To see if the town will vote to establish a Police Building Capit provisions of RSA 35:1 for constructing a police department by the sum of \$30,000 to be placed in this fund. Further, to name expend from said fund.  Recommended by the Select Board and Budget Committee. (I	uilding and to raise e the Select Board a	and appropriate as agents to



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Article 06	To vote to Establish Employee Health Insurance ETF	promotion open op 35000000000000000000000000000000000000			
	To see if the town will vote to establish a Employee Health Insuran RSA 31:19-a, for the purpose of paying costs associated with healt to raise and appropriate \$15,000 to be placed in this fund. Further agents to expend from said fund. Recommended by the Select Box (Majority vote required)	th insuran to name t	ce plar he Sele	n changes and ect Board as	
		Ye	5	No	
Article 07	To vote to Establish Welfare ETF			TO THE THE PARTY OF THE PARTY O	.000-001127
	To see if the town will vote to establish a Welfare Expendable Trus purpose of paying costs associated with Welfare and to raise and a placed in this fund. Further, to name the Select Board as agents to Recommended by the Select Board and Budget Committee. (Major	appropriat o expend	e \$10,0 from s	000 to be aid fund.	ie
		Yes	5	No	
Article 08	To vote to Establish Emergency Management ETF	and the second second second second	or way to represent the general standards of	en year o deliga a san de la companya de la company	Andreas
	To see if the town will vote to establish a Emergency Management RSA 31:19-a, for the purpose of maintaining funds to support the T program and to raise and appropriate \$4,000 to be placed in this further select Board as agents to expend from said fund. Recommended & Committee. (Majority vote required)	own's em ind. Furth	ergend er, to r	y managements	
		Yes	6	No	
Article 09	To vote to appoint Town Treasurer			Ober A 1224 - Harrison Commission	in solden
	To see if the town will vote to authorize the Select Board to appoint with RSA 41:26-e, rather than electing a treasurer. Such appointme accordance with RSA 669:17-d by the Select Board and will go into Recommended by Select Board and Budget Committee (Majority v	ent shall be effect ne	e made ext bude	e in	
		Yes	5	No	
Article 10	To vote to determine the position Town Clerk - Tax Collector c	ombined	office		***************************************
	To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to RSA 41:45-a, to determine Clerk-Tax Collector shall continue as a combined office. If the may vote in favor of continuing the combined position, then at the next a elect one individual as Town Clerk and another as Town Tax Collector and Budget Committee (Majority vote required)	ajority of th annual me	nose vo	oting do not the Town shal	II.

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Article 11	To vote to discontinue Lawrence Street Capital Reserve Fund			
	To see if the town will vote to discontinue the Lawrence Street Cap 2015. Said funds, with accumulated interest to date of withdrawal, municipality's general fund. Recommended by the Select Board are vote required)	are to be trans	sferred to the	
		Yes	No	
Article 12	To vote to discontinue the Solar Energy System Expendable	Γrust Fund	Ciligia di una Propinsi di America di Santa di Propinsi di America di Santa di Santa di Santa di Santa di Santa	
	To see if the town will vote to discontinue the Solar Energy System created in 2017. Said funds, with accumulated interest to date of v to the municipality's general fund. Recommended by the Select Bo (Majority vote required)	vithdrawal, are	to be transferred	
		Yes	No	
Article 13	To vote for a Highway Department change to Andover Department	ment of Public	Works	
	To see if the Town will vote to consolidate the services of the High Station, maintenance of Town Buildings, maintenance of Cemeter maintenance of Public Beaches into single department to be know Public Works. Further, if approved, the current position of Highwa Director of Andover Department of Public Works, and the position under the authority of the Select Board. This article, if approved, 2025 budget as presented. Recommended by the Select Board (	ies, maintenan n as the Andov ay Supervisor v will remain an shall have no i	ce of Parks, and ver Department of vill be retitled appointed role mpact on the	
		Yes	No	
Article 14	To vote to decrease the Board of Selectmen from 5 members to 3 members			
	Are you in favor of decreasing the board of selectmen to 3 members Ballot vote during polling hours)	rs? Submitted	by Petition (By	
		Yes	No	
Article 15	To vote to Establish a Camping Ordinance and Permit process		The second secon	
	To see if the Town will vote to adopt a Camping Ordinance establis commercial recreational property use as a campsite for longer than and safety of the community. (By Ballot vote during polling hours)	shing a permit n 14 days, to p	process for non- rotect the health	
		Yes	No	

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#### Article 16 To vote on Rejecting Tax Payer funding for private education

To vote on Property Taxes for Private Education: A call for Responsible Use Whereas, taxpayers have a right to know how their money is spent and deserve clear, verifiable evidence that it is being spent wisely and delivering results; and

Whereas, taxpayers dollars are being diverted from public schools to private and religious education through Education Freedom Accounts (vouchers), and this shift does not reduce public school expenses, leaving local taxpayers to cover the difference through higher property taxes: and

Whereas, unlike public schools, private education funded by taxpayers through vouchers lacks key accountability measures, such as reporting how funds are used, tracking student performance, ensuring services for students with disabilities, and conducting background checks for staff.

Therefore, we, the voters of Andover, New Hampshire, call on our state elected officials to uphold their duty to fiscal responsibility by rejecting any expansion of taxpayer funding for private education until we have full accountability, transparency, and a sustainable funding plan that ensures no further strain on public schools or local property taxpayers.

We further direct the Andover Select Board to deliver this warrant article and results in writing to

	New Hampshire's Governor and members of the State Legislature within thirty days of this vot Submitted by Petition (Majority vote required)		
		Yes	No
Article 17	Transact any other business		
	To transact any other business that may come legally before this meeting.		
		Yes	No