

**WARNING
TOWN OF STRATTON
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MARCH 3, 2020**

The legal voters of the Town of Stratton are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday, March 3, 2020 at 10:00AM to act upon the following matters of the Town.

ARTICLE 1: To elect a Moderator for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 2: To act on the Town Report.

ARTICLE 3: Shall the town authorize the elimination of the office of Town Auditor, with future audits to be provided by a public accountant licensed in this State in accordance with 17 V.S.A. § 2651b(a)? (This must be voted by paper ballot.)

ARTICLE 4: To see if the Town will vote to set the term period for Planning Commission members to three three-year terms and two one-year terms, to be implemented as current terms expire, so that each year, one three-year term will be up for re-election.

ARTICLE 5: To elect Town officers as required by law:

Town Clerk	one three-year term
Treasurer	one three-year term
Selectmen:	one three-year term, two one-year terms
Planning Commission:	one three-year term, one one-year term (or two four-year terms, dependent on results of Article 4)
Lister:	one three-year term
Auditor:	one three-year term (unless Article 3 was approved)
Cemetery Commissioner:	one three-year term
Delinquent Tax Collector:	one one-year term
Trustee of Public Funds:	one one-year term
Constable:	one one-year term
Grand Juror:	one one-year term
Town Agent:	one one-year term

ARTICLE 6: To see if the Town will furnish bonds where bonds are required.

ARTICLE 7: To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money on notes of the Town or otherwise in anticipation of taxes and/or current expenses.

ARTICLE 8: To see if the Town will vote to approve the following appropriation requests:

American Red Cross	500.00
Community Food Pantry	500.00
Deerfield Valley Rescue	1500.00
Grace Cottage Foundation	7,000.00
Green Up Vermont	50.00

Groundworks Collaborative	500.00
Health Care and Rehabilitation Services	500.00
Historical Society of Windham County	250.00
Joann Liller Scholarship Fund	5,000.00
Londonderry Volunteer Rescue	2,500.00
Senior Solutions	500.00
SeVEDS.	648.00
Southern VT Therapeutic Riding Center	750.00
Valley Cares, Inc.	335.00
VT Center for Independent Living	500.00
VT Rural Fire Protection Task Force	100.00
Visiting Nurse Association	800.00
Wardsboro Public Library	5,429.39
Wardsboro Volunteer Fire Association	5,000.00
Wardsboro Volunteer Rescue	5,000.00
Windham County Humane Society	400.00
Winhall Library	2,500.00
Women's Freedom Center	750.00
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>\$41,012.39</u>

ARTICLE 9: To see if the Town will vote to approve the sum of \$53,800.00 for the Stratton Mountain Volunteer Fire Company operating budget.

ARTICLE 10: To see if the Town will vote to apply any surplus from the current fiscal year to reduce taxes in the next fiscal year.

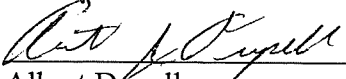
ARTICLE 11: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$901,683.68 to care for the expenses and liabilities of the General Fund for fiscal year 2021 (July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021).

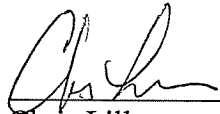
ARTICLE 12: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$868,500.00 to care for the expenses and liabilities of the Highway Fund for fiscal year 2021 (July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021).

ARTICLE 13: Shall the Town of Stratton enter into a communications union district to be known as "Deerfield Valley Communication Union District" under the provisions of 30 V.S.A. chapter 82?

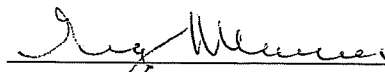
ARTICLE 14: To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

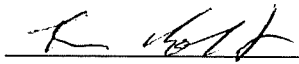
Stratton Board of Selectmen


 Albert Dupell


 Chris Liller

 Larry Bills


 Greg Marucci


 Kevin Robinson