

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
TOWN WARRANT
LYNDEBOROUGH, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Lyndeborough, in the County of Hillsborough in said state qualified to vote in Town affairs; You are hereby notified to meet at Center Hall, 1131 Center Road in said Lyndeborough on Tuesday, the twelfth (12th) day of March 2013 at ten of the clock in the forenoon until seven of the clock in the evening, for ballot Voting of Town Officers and all other matters requiring ballot vote; and, to meet at Citizens' Hall, 9 Citizens' Hall Road in said Lyndeborough, on Saturday, the sixteenth (16th) day of March 2013 at ten of the clock in the morning, to act upon **Articles 2 through 19:**

Article 1

To choose all necessary Town officers for the year ensuing.

Article 2

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to discontinue the Pistol Permit Revenues special revenue fund previously created by action of the town meeting March 13, 2005, all monies contained therein to be paid to the Town Treasurer and distributed only in accordance with the purpose described in NH RSA 159:6, (I)(b).

Article 3

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one million six hundred forty thousand four hundred two dollars (**\$1,640,402**), representing the **Operating Budget** for fiscal year 2013 as prepared by the Budget Committee. Said sum is exclusive of all special or individual articles addressed; or take any other action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required).*

Article 4

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty four thousand dollars (**\$24,000**) to be added to the Replacement of the **1994 Fire Department Pumper** Capital Reserve Fund previously established; or take any other action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required).*

Article 5

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA Ch. 35:1 to Repair and Replace the **2005 Fire Department Pumper** and to raise and appropriate twenty four thousand dollars (**\$24,000**) to be placed in this fund; or take any other action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation (Majority vote required.)*

Article 6

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fourteen thousand dollars (**\$14,000**) to be added to the Replacement of the **1984 Fire Department Tanker** Capital Reserve Fund previously established; or take any action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required).*

Article 7

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of thirteen thousand five hundred dollars (**\$13,500**) to be added to the Replacement of the **2002 Fire Department Rescue Truck** Capital Reserve Fund previously established; or take any other action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required).*

Article 8

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty five thousand dollars (**\$25,000**) to be added to the Replacement of the **2002 John Deere Grader** Capital Reserve Fund previously established; or take any other action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required).*

Article 9

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-three thousand dollars (**\$23,000**) to be added to the Replacement of the **2002 Mack Dump Truck** Capital Reserve Fund previously established; or take any action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation (Majority vote required.)*

Article 10

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of thirteen thousand five hundred dollars (**\$13,500**) to be added to the Replacement of the **2007 One-ton Dump Truck** Capital Reserve Fund previously established; or take any action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation (Majority vote required.)*

Article 11

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twelve thousand dollars (**\$12,000**) to be added to the **2009 One-ton Dump Truck** Repair/Replace Capital Reserve Fund previously established; or take any action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation (Majority vote required.)*

Article 12

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty thousand five hundred dollars (**\$20,500**) to be added to the Replacement of the **2007 Backhoe/Loader** Capital Reserve Fund previously established; or take any action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation (Majority vote required.)*

Article 13

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA Ch. 35:1 to Repair and Replace the **2008 Volvo dump truck** and to raise and appropriate nineteen thousand dollars (**\$19,000**) to be placed in this fund; or take any other action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation (Majority vote required.)*

Article 14

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-three thousand dollars (**\$23,000**) for the **purchase of a new police vehicle** total cost to be thirty-seven thousand dollars (\$37,000) with fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000) applied from funds approved under Warrant Article 15 last year under non-lapsing provision RSA 32:7 VI and the balance of twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000) to come from general taxation. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation (Majority vote required.)*

Article 15

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to discontinue the Bridges Repair Replacement Capital Reserve Fund established by Town meeting vote in 2011 article 15 and the Bridge Repair Replacement Capital Reserve Fund established by Town meeting vote in 2012 Article 5, said sums with accumulated interest in the amount of sixty-three thousand eight hundred sixty six dollars (\$63,866) are to be transferred into the general fund and further to establish a Bridge Build/Repair/Replacement Capital Reserve Fund and to raise and appropriate sixty-three thousand eight hundred sixty six dollars (\$63,866) from the general fund for the purpose of adding to the Bridge Build/Repair/Replacement Capital Reserve Fund. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required.)*

Article 16

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty thousand dollars (**\$50,000**) to be added to the **Bridge Build/Repair/Replacement** Capital Reserve Fund previously established; or take any action relating thereto. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required).*

Article 17 **(Article by Petition)**

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven thousand four hundred dollars (**\$7,400**) the purpose of this appropriation is to **establish and accomplish a complete and thorough interviewing and vetting process for the hiring of the next commanding officer of the Lyndeborough Police Department.** Said process to contain, at a minimum but not be limited to the following steps:

- Selection of an outside competent firm to handle the recruitment and vetting process for the town.
- Detailed and thorough background investigation, reference analysis and non-peer comment evaluation.
- Written test and or essay to determine if the candidate has current knowledge of policing techniques and knowledge of the community of Lyndeborough.
- Telephone interview in order to establish passage onto the final interview processes.
- Establish a citizen's panel of a cross section of Lyndeborough citizens for interviews of the candidates.
- Establish a professional panel for analysis and interviews of the candidates and selection of those to be submitted to the Selectmen panel for final interview and hiring. Selectmen's panel to include in addition to the Selectmen, three Lyndeborough registered voters, one of which has professional law enforcement experience, one of which is a former elected town official and the other a taxpayer of at least five years.
- Interview of finalists by the Board of Selectmen and selection of the next commanding officer.
- Upon passage of this Article, its procedures shall remain in effect until specifically rescinded by a vote of a future town meeting. *The Selectmen and Budget Committee do not recommend this appropriation. (Majority vote required).*

Article 18 **(Article by Petition)**

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to direct the Board of Selectmen, in accordance with all applicable New Hampshire Statutes and Administrative Rules, to undertake with immediate action, the appointment of a Police Chief for the Town of Lyndeborough, said Police Chief to operate under the authority of NH RSA 105.

Article 19

To see if the Town of Lyndeborough will vote to authorize the Selectmen to accept the reports of auditors and committees as printed in the Town Report; or take any other action relating thereto. *(Majority vote required).*

Article 20

To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given unto our hands and seal, this 6th day of February, 2013.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Arnold A. Byam, III

Donald R. Sawin

Kevin J. Boette

A True Copy of Warrant – Attest:

Arnold A. Byam, III

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