

TOWN OF CROYDON TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TO THE VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF CROYDON, County of Sullivan, in the State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote on Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Croydon Town Hall, 879 NH Rte 10, in said Croydon NH on Tuesday, the 14th day of March 2023, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon, (polls not to close earlier than 7:00 o'clock in the afternoon), to act upon Article One (1); and to meet at the said Hall on Saturday the 18th day of March 2023, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the remaining warrant articles.

Article 1. To choose one Selectmen for three years, one Selectmen for 1 year, one Town Clerk/Tax Collector for one year, one Town Treasurer for three years, one Supervisor of the Checklist for three years, one Trustee of the Trust funds and Cemeteries for three years and to vote on one question, and all such officers and agents that may be necessary for the transaction of the Town business for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Thirty-three Thousand Dollars (\$433,000) for the repaving of Cash Str., and to authorize the issuance of not more than Four Hundred Thirty-three Thousand Dollars (\$433,000) of bonds or notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA 33) and to authorize the municipal officials to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon; and further, to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty-four Thousand Fifty-one Dollars (\$54,051) for the first year's bond payment.
(Recommended by Select Board)

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Forty-eight Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty-Nine dollars (\$548,859) for general municipal operations. This article does not include appropriations contained in special or individual articles addressed separately.

(Recommended by the Select Board)

Debit Services, (Morse House, Loverin Hill)	\$66,665
Executive	40,000
Election, Reg. & Vital Statistics	1,000
Financial Administration	36,000
Revaluation of Property	8,000
Legal Expense	6,500
Persor.nel Administration	25,000
Planning & Zoning	1,300
General Government Buildings	30,000
Cemeteries	300
Dispatch Services	14,700
Ambulance	35,136
Highway & Streets	215,258
Street Lighting	2,400
Sanitation	60,000
Health	100
Direct Assistance	2,000
Vendor Payments (Health Agencies)	<u>4,500</u>

Total \$548,859

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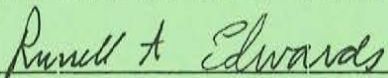
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- Article 4. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$12,500) for cemetery maintenance and cemetery repairs. The funds to support this article are to be removed from the interest earned in the Henry J. Sawyer Memorial Fund and the Ruger Memorial Fund.
(Recommended by the Select Board)
- Article 5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000), to be added to the Bridges Capital Reserve Fund previously established.
(Recommended by Select Board)
- Article 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), to be added to the Town Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund.
(Recommended by the Select Board)
- Article 7. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000), to be added to the Town Vehicles and Equipment Capital Reserve Fund established in 2019. (Recommended by the Select Board)
- Article 8. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$12,500), to be added to the Town Vehicles and Equipment Capital Reserve Fund established in 2019. This amount came from the sale of the old grader after a new one was purchased. (Recommended by the Select Board)
- Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000) to be added to the Bridges Capital Reserve Fund previously established as specified in article 8 of the 2020 town report. This sum to come from the unassigned fund balance as the funds were deposited from the sale of Cash Street property. No amount raised by taxation. Recommendations Required (Majority vote required)
- Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) for the purpose of having a contract for services (Fire & EMS) with the Croydon Volunteer Fire Department for the Town of Croydon. The appropriated funds will help with stabilizing personnel and their time and cost for services. (Recommended by the Select Board)
- Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000) to contract part time police services for the town of Croydon. The Select Board and Town Moderator shall appoint a volunteer 5-person Safety Board to execute this task. Two people by the Select Board and three people by the Moderator. If the Safety Board is not able to contract services for 2023, this money is to be earmark for use of police services in 2024. Submitted by petition. Not Recommended by the Select Board

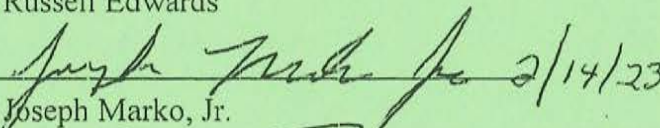
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- Article 12. Shall the town of Croydon raise and appropriate an amount not to exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) to implement the recording and live broadcasting of ALL public meetings of the Town of Croydon to take effect no later than 10/18/23. If for any reason remote access is not provided to the public, the reason will be noted in the meeting minutes. The cost of recording and broadcasting all town meetings will be incorporated into the town budget in future years. The purpose of this action is to encourage and maximize public involvement and participation in town government. It also serves as a means to receive input from and keep informed those that would otherwise be unable to attend meetings in person, (i.e. Elderly, Sick, those with severe physical limitations, Those with young children...etc) Submitted by petition. Not Recommended by the Select Board
- Article 13. Shall the town READOPT the STANDARD VETERANS TAX CREDIT in the amount of Two-Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250) accordance with RSA 72:28-b, for an annual tax credit on residential property which shall be equal the same amount as the standard or optional veterans tax credit voted by the town under RSA 72:28. Majority vote required. Recommended by Select Board.
- Article 14. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of Ninety Thousand Dollars (\$90,000) to repair the bridge on Bright Road. It is anticipated the Thirty-Four Thousand One Hundred Eighteen Dollars (\$34,118) is to come from the One Time Bridge Payment and Fifty-Seven Thousand Five Hundred Sixty-Two Dollars (\$57,562) to come from the Bridges Capital Reserve Fund. Recommended by Select Board.
- Article 15. To transact any other business that may legally come before this Town Meeting.

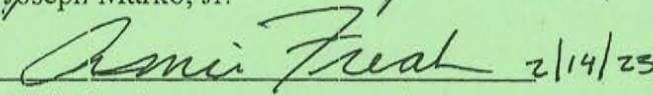
Given under our hands, Tuesday, February 14, 2023



Russell Edwards



Joseph Marko, Jr.



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