TOWN WARRANT FOR THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING TOWN OF SANGERVILLE

Piscataguis, SS State of Maine

To: Richard Hall Jr. a resident of the Town of Sangerville, in said County of Piscataquis, State of Maine.

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Sangerville, in the county of Piscataquis and the State of Maine, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to assemble at the Grace Bible Community Room, 40 Douty Hill Road on _August 24, 2024_ at _9:00 _O'Clock in the morning, then and there to act on the following Articles, to wit:

ARTICLE 1: To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Pledge of Allegiance

- ARTICLE 2: To adopt the Maine Moderator's Manual published by the Maine Municipal Association as the authority on the rules and procedures for conducting the Annual Town Meeting.
- **ARTICLE 3:** To ascertain if non-resident speakers are present and whether or not Inhabitants wish to call on them, to be heard.

INTRODUCTION OF ELECTED OFFICIALS:

ARTICLE 4: To see if the town will vote to appropriate for the General Government account the difference between the beginning budget of \$\$338,828.00 presented at the annual town meeting, May 4th, 2024 and the approved amount of \$279,000.00 the difference being \$ 59,828.00 which would come from your general fund.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the Town would appropriate from the general fund, \$ 7,540.00 for the Parks and Recreation Account.

(There was an error in the town report, which left this article off the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for May 4th, 2024)

- ARTICLE 6: To see if the Town would appropriate the budget amount of \$3,700.00 for the Animal Welfare Account. At the Annual Town Meeting on May 4th, 2024, the town residents approved \$2800.00 for the Animal Welfare Account, which was missing the \$900.00 which is the cost of the shelter contract. Will the town vote to appropriate from the general fund account \$900.00 to be added to the Animal Welfare Account.
- ARTICLE 7: To see if the Town will authorize the select board to expend up to \$_31,500.00_
 from the Monument Lot Reserve Account to refurbish the Veteran War
 Memorial, the project will be overseen by Rob Haley. This money was given to
 the town from the sale of the American Legion hall back in 2018 and the gift was
 accepted by the town select board in December of 2019.
- **ARTICLE 8**: To see if the Town will allow the funds received from FEMA for the storm damage that took place over the winter months be deposited back into the accounts that were used to make the repairs to the roads.
- ARTICLE 9: To see if the Town will appropriate from the general fund \$10,000.00 to be used for the **General Government** account. The town received a gift of computers from Duvaltex to help us with our failing systems. We need to hire a company for IT services to help us get the new computers up and running. We are not sure exactly how much IT services are going to cost. If none of this money is needed, it will go back into the general fund at the end of the year, December 31, 2024.

^{**} Please note that if all of the articles are passed at this time, it will reduce your general funds by \$78,268.00.**

Given under our hands this 14th_day of August, A.D. 2024
Jeff Peters, Chair
Mike Gould
Josh Tracy
The Board of Selectmen

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the Inhaitants of Sangerville qualified as therein expressed to be at the time, and place and for the purpose therein names, by posting this day an attested copy of the within Warrant at the following places:

Sangerville Town Office The Sangerville Town Web site The R. & D Emporium The Sangerville Post office The Sangerville Facebook page

Attest, a true copy:

Michelle Nichols, Town Clerk