## **WARNING**

The legal voters of the Town of Morgan and School District are hereby notified and Warned to meet at the Morgan Elementary School in said Town on Monday, evening March 2nd, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. to transact the following business:

- 1. To elect a moderator for the ensuing year for the Town.
- 2. To elect a moderator for the ensuing year for the Town School District.
- 3. To hear and dispose of the reports of the Town & School District Officials as required by Law.
- 4. Shall the voters of the Town of Morgan authorize the elimination of the office of Lister in accordance with 17 V.S.A. 2651c (b) (1) and replace it with a professionally qualified assessor who shall have the same powers, discharge the same duties, proceed in the discharge thereof in the same manner, and be subject to the same liabilities as prescribed for Lister's or the board of Lister's under the provisions of Title 32?
- 5. To elect all Town Officers as required by law. (Newly elected Officers will be sworn in at the close of the meeting.
  - ARTICLE 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 & 10 TO BE VOTED ON FROM 8:00 AM TO 7:00 PM ON MARCH 3<sup>rd</sup> 2020 AT THE MORGAN TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE.
- 6. (Australian Ballot) To cast ballots on the North Country Senior High School Budget.
- 7. (Australian Ballot) To cast ballots on the North Country Junior High School Budget.
- 8. (Australian Ballot) To cast ballots on the North Country Career Center Budget.
- 9. (Australian Ballot) To cast ballots on the NEKWMD Budget.
- 10. (Australian Ballot) Presidential Primary.
- 11. Shall the Town vote to authorize the Select Board to borrow money for the current expenses in anticipation of the taxes?
- 12. To see if the Town of Morgan will vote a budget to meet the expenses and liabilities of the Town and authorize the Selectmen to set a tax rate sufficient to provide the same?
- 13. Shall the voters of the Town of Morgan vote to have property taxes paid into the treasury as provided by law, and if so, will the date be October 29th, 2020 no later than 4:00 p.m.
- 14. Shall the voters of the Town of Morgan vote to have the Town Treasurer accept and collect regular taxes each year?
- 15. Shall the voters of the Morgan Town School District approve the School Board to expend \$519,400.00 which is the amount the school Board has determined to be necessary for the ensuing fiscal year? It is estimated that this proposed budget, if approved, will result in education spending of \$13,186.00 per equalized pupil. This projected spending per equalized pupil is 2.98% lower than spending for the current year.
- 16. Shall the voters of the Town of Morgan vote the sum of \$13,363.22 to the Orleans County Sheriff's Dept. for law enforcement services and to direct the Select Persons to assess a tax over and above the budget sufficient to meet the same? (This will be used for routine

patrols, answering complaints, and investigating incidents. It will also cover administrative expenses, including salaries, vehicle, benefits, liability insurance, maintenance, gasoline, supplies, telephone costs, and crime prevention programs).

17. Shall the voters of the Town of Morgan vote to appropriate the sum of \$ 9,348.00 to be raised by taxes to the following organizations as shown?

Orleans Essex VNA and Hospice, Inc.	\$ 3,000.00
Daily Memorial Library	\$ 1,200.00
Morgan Historical Society	\$ 1,000.00
Northeast Kingdom Human Services	\$ 1,498.00
Old Stone House Museum	\$ 650.00
Orleans County Citizen Advocacy	\$ 500.00
North Woods Stewardship Center	\$ 500.00
Umbrella	\$ 500.00
Northeast Kingdom Council on Aging	\$ 300.00
Orleans County Child Advocacy Center	\$ 200.00

- 18. Shall the voters of the Town of Morgan vote to start its Annual Meeting on the Monday evening proceeding the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of March at 6:00 p.m. 2021?
- 19. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.
- 20. To swear in newly elected officers.
- 21. To adjourn the meeting, except the Australian Balloting and the Presidential Primary to begin on Tuesday March 3rd , 2019 from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Select Board School Board

Robert Guyer, Chair Kelly Paul, Chair

Larry Labor Danielle Blake

Eric Pope Tammy LaCourse