

TOWN OF MILLVILLE

RESULTS SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

UPDATED WITH RECOMMENDATIONS



WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 2018

MILLVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

7:00 P.M.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
TOWN OF MILLVILLE**

**RESULTS SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 2018 – 7:00 P.M.**

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 PM by Les Davis, Town Moderator.

Number of registered voters in attendance: 190

Board of Selectmen: Joseph Rapoza, Chairman; Jennifer Dean Wing; Erica Blake
Thomas Houle; Andrew Alward

Finance Committee: Paul Ouellette, Chairman; Mike DiCecco; Aubrey Buono

Town Administrator: Jennifer Callahan Town Clerk: Diane Lockwood

FISCAL YEAR 2019 – EDUCATION BUDGET ADJUSTMENT. To see if the Town will vote to amend the FY 2019 Operating and/or Capital Budgets, as adopted under Article 10 of the May 14, 2018 Annual Town Meeting, by reducing certain budget line items, and/or to transfer from available funds, the sum of **Thirty-Nine Thousand Three Hundred and Sixty-Two Dollars (\$39,362.00)** to supplement the line item entitled Education – BMR School Assessment, or take any other action relative thereto.

Explanation: This article seeks to appropriate funds to meet the increase of the Town's annual assessment for the education expenses associated with the Blackstone-Millville Regional School District pursuant to the District's **budget recertification** of May 30, 2018, following an affirmative vote taken by the Town of Blackstone to fund an additional contribution. In order for the Town of Millville to fund the additional contribution, the Finance Committee will present a recommendation to either reduce certain budget line items previously approved at the May 14, 2018 Annual Town Meeting and/or transfer funds from another funding source. A vote by this Town Meeting to **not** appropriate this additional funding for the BMR School Assessment will require the District School Committee to convene a special district-wide "Super Town Meeting" open to all registered voters in both member towns at which the recertified budget will then be considered and may be adopted by a majority vote of residents attending from both towns. Furthermore, if the additional funding is not approved prior to July 1, 2018, the School District would be faced with a reduced 1/12th budget at the start of the Fiscal Year.

Board of Selectmen Recommend: 5-0

Finance Committee Recommend: 0-4

A secret ballot was requested.

Final tally: YES: 91

NO: 97

Respectfully submitted,


Diane C. Lockwood, CMC

Town Clerk

Notary Public, Justice of the Peace

