

**TOWN OF KENNEBUNK
ELECTION RESULTS FOR JUNE 14, 2022**

SELECT BOARD

Baldwin, L. Blake	920
Trentalange, Leslie G.	1429
Whitehouse, Miriam J.	1473
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RSU 21 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Asmussen Spofford, Gayle M.	1378
Freda, Andrew J.	822
Sayre, Claudia	1357
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TRUSTEE, KENNEBUNK LIGHT AND POWER DISTRICT

Berry, Wayne E.	1817
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TRUSTEE, KENNEBUNK SEWER DISTRICT

Brockway, Wayne A.	1384
Jason Wise (Write in)	3
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RSU 21 BUDGET VALIDATION REFERENDUM

Question 1: Do you favor approving the Regional School Unit No. 21 budget for the upcoming school year that was adopted at the latest Regional School Unit budget meeting?

YES	1577
NO	679
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Question 2: Do you wish to continue the budget validation referendum process in Regional School Unit No. 21 for an additional three years?

YES	1722
NO	518
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TOWN REFERENDUM

Article 3: Referendum Question A: Shall the Town of Kennebunk Charter be amended to change all references of "Board of Selectmen/man" to "Select Board" and "Chairmen/man" to "Chair"?

YES	1903
NO	383
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Article 4: Referendum Question B: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate \$20,590,812, with some but not all of that to be raised by taxation as detailed more fully below, for General Government Services (Select Board, Town Clerk's Office, Assessor's Office, Town Manager's Office, General Government, Finance and Administration, Community Development Office, Town Hall Maintenance, Computer Department, General Assistance, Employee Benefits, Kennebunk Free Library, Boards and Commissions, and Agencies), Public Safety (Police, Harbormaster, Fire and EMS, Lifeguards, Civil Emergency Preparedness and Communications), Public Services (Highway, Recycling, Hazardous Waste Day, Hydrants and Street Lights, and Parks), Recreation and Recreation Facilities, Debt Service (principal and interest on notes, bonds, and lease/purchase payments), Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Districts (operating expenses, salaries, wages, reimbursements, credit enhancement reimbursements, projects and

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assets, and debt service), with \$4,960,300 to be funded from estimated revenues, \$400,000 from unassigned General Fund Balance (“surplus”), \$4,000 from restricted Trust Fund Balance, \$271,857 from the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds Program (SLFRF) authorized by the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) funds, \$906,177 from the Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) grant as authorized by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), \$1,561,265 from TIF Districts’ Special Revenue Fund revenues and \$12,487,213 to be raised by property tax levy.

YES	1621
NO	625
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Article 5: Referendum Question C: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$342,035 from the funds received by the Town under the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds Program (SLFRF) authorized by the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) for the purpose of funding COVID-19 related expenses, assets and projects, including essential worker premium pay, and to authorize the Select Board to expend such amounts consistent with the regulations of the SLFRF Program.

YES	1893
NO	404
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Article 6: Referendum Question D: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and transfer from the unassigned General Fund Balance ("surplus") the sum of \$866,250 for the following:

Public Safety

- Radio Repeater Replacement and Radio Study - Towers/Repeaters (includes Public Services)
- Police Cruiser and Equipment
- Police Mobile Data Terminals and Wi-Fi Upgrade
- Police Document Storage System Police Records
- Police Tasers and Training Equipment
- Police Station Front Steps Repair
- Fire/EMS Software System Replacement

Public Services

- Walk-behind Concrete Saw and Concrete Mixer
- Mower - 60" deck
- Rubber-tire Excavator Rental

Information Systems and Technology

- Desktop/Laptop Replacements - all divisions
- Photocopiers and Printers
- HR Module for Applicant Employment Tracking
- Graphical Information System (GIS) Projects (year 1 of 3)
- Document Storage System Town Hall

Infrastructure and Facilities

- Town Hall Facilities Study Recommendations and Energy Audit
- Road and Drainage Materials - Miscellaneous Projects
- Beach Access - Gooch's Beach Ramp and Mother's Beach Stairs
- Lloyd Nedeau Park Expansion - Phase 2
- Waterhouse Center - Zamboni (shared funding with Waterhouse Foundation)
- Kennebunk Free Library Projects
- Select Board Operational Contingency

YES	1870
NO	318
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Article 7: Referendum Question E: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds and notes in anticipation of such bonds in a principal amount of up to \$11,000,000, and

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to appropriate the proceeds thereof for the purpose of financing costs of construction, replacement, equipping and repair of the Town Garage, and the Solid Waste Transfer and Recycling Facility, all located at or near 36 Sea Road, with the bonds and notes to be issued with or without call provisions and with such dates, maturities, denominations, interests rate(s), redemption provisions and other details (including provisions that the bonds may be subject to call for redemption with or without premium) as the Municipal Officers shall determine, and to accept any monetary or in-kind donations and grants and appropriate the same for the projects set forth in this Article.

YES	1461
NO	713
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Article 8: Referendum Question F: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds and notes in anticipation of such bonds in a principal amount of up to \$3,300,000, and to appropriate the proceeds thereof for the purpose of financing costs for road paving, sidewalks and drainage repair or replacement to the following roads, ways, sidewalks, and parking lots:

- Longwood Drive, Longwood Drive sidewalk (Merrifield Drive to Woodhaven Drive)
- Rosewood Circle
- Glenwood Drive
- Beach Avenue drainage extension (Bayberry Avenue to Gooch Avenue)
- Summer Street drainage rehabilitation (near 14 Summer Street)
- Green Street drainage extension
- Various public parking lot improvements
- Main Street and Fletcher Street traffic signal pedestrian head improvements
- Sea Road (Western Avenue to Great Hill Road)
- Blueberry Pines Drive
- Littlefield Drive
- Dunroven Drive
- Wyndegate Drive
- Partridge Lane
- Main Street
- Sedgewood Drive
- Beach area parking improvements
- Other public ways, sidewalks, or parking lots in the Town if funds permit

The bonds and notes authorized in this Article to be issued with or without call provisions and with such dates, maturities, denominations, interest rate(s), redemption provisions and other details (including provisions that the bonds may be subject to call for redemption with or without premium) as the Municipal Officers shall determine, and to vote to authorize the Municipal Officers to accept any monetary or in-kind donations and grants and appropriate the same for the projects set forth in this Article.

YES	1735
NO	527
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Article 9: Referendum Question G: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds and notes in anticipation of such bonds in a principal amount of up to \$600,000, and to appropriate the proceeds thereof for the purpose of financing costs for Fire EMS division portable radios, Fire EMS division cardiac defibrillator/monitors, Washington Hose Fire Station renovations and paving of front ramp entrance, Public Services division sidewalk tractor and mower with the bonds and notes to be issued with or without call provisions and with such dates, maturities, denominations, interest rate(s), redemption provisions and other details (including provisions that the bonds may be subject to call for redemption with or without premium) as the Municipal Officers shall determine, and to accept any monetary or in-kind donations and grants and appropriate the same for the assets or projects set forth in this Article.

YES	1762
NO	504
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Article 10: Referendum Question H: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds and notes in anticipation of such bonds in a principal amount of up to \$405,000, and to appropriate the proceeds thereof for the purpose of financing costs for Public Services division excavator and a single axle plow/dump truck, with the bonds and notes to be issued with or without call provisions and with such dates, maturities, denominations, interest rate(s), redemption provisions and other details (including provisions that the bonds may be subject to call for redemption with or without premium) as the Municipal Officers shall determine, and to accept any monetary or in-kind donations and grants and appropriate the same for the assets or projects set forth in this Article.

YES	1673
NO	501
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Article 11: Referendum Question I: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds and notes in anticipation of such bonds in a principal amount of up to \$1,500,000, and to appropriate the proceeds thereof for the purpose of financing costs for Fire EMS division ladder truck, with the bonds and notes to be issued with or without call provisions and with such dates, maturities, denominations, interest rate(s), redemption provisions and other details (including provisions that the bonds may be subject to call for redemption with or without premium) as the Municipal Officers shall determine, and to accept any monetary or in-kind donations and grants and appropriate the same for the assets or projects set forth in this Article.

YES	1550
NO	617
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Article 12: Referendum Question J: To see if the Town will vote to change the retirement plan offered to eligible employees in the Town's police and fire departments from the current Maine Public Employees Retirement System (MainePERS) Special Plan 2C to the MainePERS Special Plan 1C effective no sooner than July 1, 2022 on a prospective basis and to include the purchase of prior service credit for each employee's eligible service with the Town of Kennebunk under the new Special Plan 1C, subject to negotiation with the respective unions; and to authorize the Municipal Officers to determine the method of financing the costs of the additional liability of the Special Plan 1C (the Initial Unpooled Unfunded Actuarial Liability or "IUUAL") and enter into any agreements with MainePERS regarding the amendment to the Town's retirement plan and payment arrangements for the cost of the same, which authorization shall include:

a) Entering into a payment agreement with MainePERS to amortize the cost of the additional liability of the plan change up to \$1,605,000 over a period of 15 years with monthly payments, or to make monthly payments over a shorter duration through a combination of larger lump sum payments and fixed monthly payments not to exceed a period of 15 years upon the terms and conditions as the Municipal Officers shall determine; or

b) The issuance of general obligation bonds and notes in anticipation of such bonds in a principal amount of up to \$1,605,000, with the bonds and notes to be issued with or without call provisions and with such dates, maturities, denominations, interest rate(s), redemption provisions and other details (including provisions that the bonds may be subject to call for redemption with or without premium) as the Municipal Officers shall determine, and to appropriate the proceeds thereof for the purpose of making one or more payments to MainePERS for the additional liability of the plan change.

YES	1025
NO	1151
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Article 13: Referendum Question K: To see if the Town will vote to approve an amendment to the Town of Kennebunk's group health insurance plan through the Maine Municipal Employees Health Trust (MMEHT) effective October 1, 2022, to allow any employee who is eligible to enroll in the Town of Kennebunk's benefits plan the option of enrolling a domestic partner (as defined by the MMEHT and subject to the conditions of the Note following this Article) within his/her/their plan coverage and to authorize the Town to enter into any plan documents and agreements necessary to extend such coverage.

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YES	1843
NO	405
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Article 14: Referendum Question L: Shall the Town vote to adopt the 2021 Comprehensive Plan for the Town of Kennebunk, said plan to replace the existing Comprehensive Plan in its entirety?

YES	1760
NO	364
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Article 15: Referendum Question M: Shall an ordinance entitled “2022 Amendment to the Town’s Zoning Map, as incorporated into the Zoning Ordinance through Article 3, Section 2 of the Ordinance, to change the zoning classification of property identified as Tax Map 43, Lot 65 from Village Residential District to Portland Road Mixed Use District” be enacted?

YES	1639
NO	502
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Article 16: Referendum Question N: Shall an ordinance entitled “2022 Amendments to the Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Kennebunk regarding new Article 15, Wetland Mitigation” be enacted?

YES	1705
NO	394
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Article 17: Referendum Question O: Shall an ordinance entitled “2022 Amendments to the Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Kennebunk Regarding the Contract Zoning Agreement by and between Kyick Holdings, LLC and the Town of Kennebunk” be enacted?

YES	1514
NO	552
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Article 18: Referendum Question P: Shall an ordinance entitled “2022 Amendments to 3-21 Use of Consumer Fireworks” be enacted?

YES	1697
NO	391
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Article 19: Referendum Question Q: A Certified Citizen Initiated Petition from Tom Berry on “Resolution to Take Action on Climate Pollution.” Below is the proposed question for the ballot:

To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to convey to Kennebunk’s state legislators, Members of Congress, Governor, and President of the United States that the town hereby calls upon our Federal elected representatives to enact carbon-pricing legislation to protect Maine from the costs and environmental risks of continued climate inaction. To protect households, we support Cash-Back Carbon Pricing that charges fossil fuel producers for their carbon pollution and rebates the money collected to all residents on an equal basis with monthly dividend checks.

YES	1416
NO	714
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