

2026 W A R N I N G ANNUAL TOWN MEETING Wilmington, Vermont Tuesday, March 3, 2026

The legal voters of the Town of Wilmington are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Old School Community Center (OSEC) in said Wilmington, Vermont, at 10 A.M. on Tuesday, March 3, 2026, to consider and act on the following articles not involving voting by Australian Ballot. (Voting for all Australian Ballot articles will be held at the OSEC in said Wilmington, Vermont, on March 3, 2026, from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm.)

- Article 1: To elect all Town and Town School District Officers required by law AND to authorize the Town to obtain a general obligation bond, for the purpose of building a solar array on the Public Safety Facility rooftop (Australian Ballot - Polls open 7:00 A.M. until 7:00 P.M.)
- Article 2: To see if the Town will vote to accept the Town Report.
- Article 3: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,528,001 to care for the expenses and liabilities of the General Fund for fiscal year 2027 (7/1/26 to 6/30/2027)?
- Article 4: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,051,172 to care for the expenses and liabilities of the Town Road Budget for fiscal year 2027 (7/1/26 to 6/30/2027)?
- Article 5: Shall the Town vote to establish a PSF (Public Safety Facility) Capital Fund for the purpose of building maintenance.
- Article 6: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate an additional \$10,000 for a total of \$40,000 to Deerfield Valley Rescue, whose purpose is to provide prehospital emergency medical care to residents in the Towns of Wilmington, Dover (East and West), Searsburg, Somerset and parts of Marlboro and Stratton?
- Article 7: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate an additional \$400 for a total of \$1,000 to the VT Bar Foundation, whose purpose is to provide legal services community, is laser-focused on increasing access to justice for Vermonters who are low-income, underserved, or marginalized?
- Article 8: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate an additional \$1,400 for a total of \$2,400 to Windham County SafePlace whose purpose is to help children and their families begin the process of healing after a child has been a victim of sexual abuse or egregious physical abuse; conduct quality investigations; reduce stress and trauma to the victim; and protect the victim in the community?
- Article 9: Shall the Town vote to allocate the State per parcel payment estimated to be \$26,962 to the Reappraisal Reserve Fund?
- Article 10: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$200,000 to fund the Highway Town Road Equipment Capital Fund?
- Article 11: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$160,000 to fund the Bridge Capital Fund?
- Article 12: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$20,000 to fund Highway Building Capital Fund?
- Article 13: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$220,000 to fund the Fire Department Equipment Capital Fund?
- Article 14: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$65,000 to fund the Police Equipment Capital Fund?
- Article 15: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$5,000 to fund the Old Fire House Capital Fund?
- Article 16: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$100,000 to fund the Memorial Hall Capital Fund?
- Article 17: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$12,000 to fund the Library Capital Reserve Fund?
- Article 18: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$75,000 to fund the Town Hall Capital Fund?
- Article 19: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$5,000 to fund the Transfer Station Capital Fund?
- Article 20: Shall the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$150,000 to fund the Public Lands Fences Capital Fund and for the purpose of construction and maintenance on Lake Raponda Dam?
- Article 21: Shall the voters authorize payment of real property taxes in two installments, with the due dates being August 28, 2026 and February 26, 2027, by delivery to Town Hall by 4:30 p.m. on the due date or postmarked on or before the due date?
- Article 22: To transact any non-binding business.

Dated at Wilmington, Vermont this 20th day of January 2026.

Selectboard of the Town of Wilmington

Tom Fitzgerald, Chairman 

Vince Rice, Vice Chair 

Tony Tribuno, Secretary 

Charlie Foster 

John Lebron 