

WARRANT AND NOTICE OF ELECTION
CALLING MAINE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT NO. 61 REFERENDUM
(20-A M.R.S. §§ 1501-04)

TO: Angela Stover, a resident of Maine School Administrative District No. 61, composed of the Towns of Bridgton, Casco, and Naples, State of Maine.

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby ordered to serve upon the municipal clerks of each of the municipalities within Maine School Administrative District No. 61, namely, the Towns of Bridgton, Casco, and Naples, an attested copy of this warrant and notice of election. Service shall be in hand within three (3) days of the date of this warrant and notice of election. The municipal clerks of the above municipalities shall immediately notify the respective municipal officers. The municipal officers shall meet forthwith and countersign this warrant and notice of election. The municipal officers shall provide below for the respective municipal clerks to post or have posted this warrant and notice of election.

TOWN OF BRIDGTON
MAINE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT NO. 61 REFERENDUM
WARRANT AND NOTICE OF ELECTION

Cumberland County, ss.

State of Maine

TO: Laurie Chadbourne, Municipal Clerk of the Town of Bridgton: You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify the voters of this municipality of the election described in this warrant and notice of election.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF BRIDGTON: You are hereby notified that a Maine School Administrative District No. 61 referendum election will be held at the Bridgton Town Hall, 26 N. High Street in the Town of Bridgton at 8:00 A.M. on Tuesday, May 24, 2022 for the purpose of determining the following articles:

Article 1A: To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 1: Do you favor authorizing the School Board of Maine School Administrative District No. 61 (the "District") to issue bonds and other evidences of indebtedness in the name of the District in an amount not to exceed \$744,950 through the State of Maine's zero interest rate/loan forgiveness School Revolving Renovation Fund Program for Priority 1 Health, Safety and Compliance renovations, repairs, and improvements to Lake Region High School (including asbestos mitigation and ADA accessibility), Lake Region Middle School (including indoor air quality and ADA accessibility), and Stevens Brook Elementary School (including ADA accessibility and other life safety) (collectively, the "Project")?

- A. Zero Interest/Loan Forgiveness Program: The Maine Department of Education has approved the District for loans in the amount of \$744,950 through the State's zero interest rate/loan forgiveness School Revolving Renovation Fund Program for the Project.
- B. Loan Forgiveness: The Maine Department of Education will forgive 30% (up to an estimated \$223,485) of the total approved loan amounts.

C. Interest Free Loan. The District will be obligated to repay approximately 70% (up to an estimated \$521,465) of the total approved loan amount over a ten-year term. The State of Maine has agreed to lend these funds and to permit repayment at zero interest.

The voting on Article 1 shall be by secret ballot referendum. The polls will be opened immediately after the election of the Moderator following commencement of the meeting at 8:00 A.M. and closed at 8:00 P.M.

The Registrar of Voters will hold office hours while the polls are open to correct any error in or change a name or address on the voting list, to accept the registration of any person eligible to vote, and to accept new enrollments.

A person who is not registered as a voter may not vote in any election.

Given under our hand this day, April 20, 2022 at Bridgton, Maine.

Debra C. Aft
Sharon Tunney
Gary [unclear]
Lee Bease
Jennifer Christensen
[unclear]

St. B. [unclear]
Booth School
[unclear]

A majority of the School Board of Maine School Administrative District No. 61

A true copy of the Warrant and Notice of Election, attest:

[Signature]
Angela Stover
Resident of
Maine School Administrative District No. 61

Countersigned this 26 day of April, 2022 at the Town of Bridgton, Maine.

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]

[Signature]
[Signature]

A majority of the municipal officers of the Town of Bridgton

A true copy of the Warrant and Notice of Election, attest:

[Signature]
Laurie Chadbourne, Municipal Clerk
Town of Bridgton

RETURN

Cumberland County, ss.

State of Maine

TO: The School Board of Maine School Administrative District No. 61

April 21, 2022

Pursuant to the within warrant and notice of election, directed to me, I have served in hand upon the municipal clerk of the Town of Bridgton, an attested copy of this warrant and notice of election, directing the municipal officers of said municipality to call a Maine School Administrative District No. 61 referendum at said time and place and for the purposes therein stated.

Angela Stover
Resident of
Maine School Administrative District No. 61

RETURN

Cumberland County, ss.

State of Maine

TO: The municipal officers of the Town of Bridgton

I certify that I have notified the voters of the Town of Bridgton of the time and place of the Maine School Administrative District No. 61 referendum by posting an attested copy of the within warrant and notice of election as follows:

| <u>DATE</u> | <u>TIME</u> | <u>LOCATION OF POSTING</u> |
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| <u>April 27, 2022</u> | <u>11:00</u> | <u>Town office - 3 Chase St. Ste 1</u> |
| <u>April 27, 2022</u> | <u>11:00</u> | <u>Town Hall - 26 North High St.</u> |
| <u>April 27, 2022</u> | <u>11:00</u> | <u>www.bridgtonmaine.org</u> |
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being public and conspicuous places in said municipality and being at least seven days next prior to election day.

Dated at the Town of Bridgton: April 27, 2022

Laurie Chadbourne, Municipal Clerk
Town of Bridgton, Maine