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OFFICIAL BALLOT
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
MEMORIAL SCHOOL, 43 LINCOLN STREET
MANCHESTER-BY-THE-SEA, MASSACHUSETTS
TUESDAY, MAY 17, 2022 - 7:00 AM - 8:00PM

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TOWN CLERK

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this:
B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.
C. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate's name and address on the line provided and completely fill in the OVAL.

Table with 3 columns: CONSTABLE, MODERATOR, SCHOOL COMMITTEE. Rows include candidates like JOSEPH P. AIELLO, ALAN WILSON, ERIC W. BRADFORD, and various write-in options.

NON-BINDING BALLOT QUESTION

And to respond to the following non-binding ballot question per Petition of the Board of Selectmen:

Question 1: Do you recommend that the Board of Selectmen pursue securing Public Safety Dispatch services through the North Shore Regional 911 Center, phasing out our local dispatching operations?

Summary: For the past 18 months the Board of Selectmen has been reviewing options for the delivery of public dispatch services primarily to our Fire/Rescue and Police Departments. Our current In-House service has deficiencies including antiquated software and limited staffing for handling large incidents or simultaneous incidents.

Cost Comparisons for the next seven years: (in today's dollars)

Regional 911 Center: 7 yr Town Capital Costs: \$20,000; 7 yr Town Operating Costs: \$1.31 million
In-House 911 Service: 7 yr Town Capital Costs: \$500,000; 7 yr Town Operating Costs: \$5.27 million

A YES VOTE means that you support moving to the Regional 911 Center.

A NO VOTE means that you support increasing Town Capital and Operating costs, as described above, to update our In-House dispatch service.

YES []

NO []