# TOWN WARRANT MARCH 10-11, 2023

To: Residents of the Town of Rome

# **Greetings:**

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Rome, qualified to vote on Town affairs, to assemble at the Rome Community Center, in said Town on Friday, March 10, 2023, at 11:45 a.m. to act upon Articles 1 and 2. Polls are to be opened from 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., at which time the meeting will be recessed; the recessed meeting will be reconvened at the Rome Community Center at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 11, 2023, then and there to act upon the remaining articles in the warrant.

- Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting. Rich Ruhlin 7 Handwritten votes.
- Article 2. To proceed with voting by Australian ballot system to elect First Selectman, Assessor, and Overseer of the Poor for a term of one year; Second Selectman, Assessor, and Overseer of the Poor for a term of one year; Third Selectman, Assessor, and Overseer of the Poor for a term of one year; Town Clerk for a term of one year; Tax Collector for a term of one year; Treasurer for a term of one year; and Road Commissioner for a term of one year.

1<sup>st</sup> Selectmen – Kelly Archer 2<sup>nd</sup> Selectmen – Larry Dipietro Jr. 3<sup>rd</sup> Selectmen – Robert Hudson

**Article 3.** To see if the Town will allow non-residents, who have information pertaining to any following articles, to speak when recognized.

### **PASS**

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Board of Selectmen to appropriate an amount not to exceed three-twelfths (3/12) of the annual budgeted amount in each budget category of the 2023 annual budget to support expenditures during the period of January 1,2024 until the date of the 2024 Annual Town Meeting.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

### **PASS**

Article 5. Shall an ordinance entitled "Commercial Development Review Ordinance" be amended as shown on the handout entitled "Handout #1, Commercial Development Review"?

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$5,000 for General Assistance. Spent \$5,026.84

Board of Selectmen recommends \$2,000 3-0 Budget Committee recommends \$5,000 5-0

### **PASS**

### \$25,000

**Article 7.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$30,000 for the maintenance and operation of the Rome Community Center. Spent \$30,805

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends \$25,000 5-0

# -AMENDED TO \$25,000.00- AMENDMENT PASSED PASS AS AMENDED

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$15,000 to repair Community Center existing septic system.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee non approval 5-0

### **DEFEATED**

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$10,000 for the Community Center Reserve Account. Spent \$32,068 *Balance as of 12/31/2022: \$23,473*.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

**Article 10.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$17,000 for the care and maintenance of Rome cemeteries. Spent \$14,120.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 4-1

### **PASS**

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$36,000 for the repair of Town-maintained roads and bridges. Spent \$29,721.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 3-2

### **PASS**

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$105,000 for the reconstruction of Ladd Road, end of Wentworth Place, and to appropriate monies received from the Local Road Assistance Program (LRAP) to help fund this project.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 3-1-1

**Article 13.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$10,000 for roadside mowing and the cutting of brush along Town-maintained roads. Spent \$7,135.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$110,000 for the snow plowing and sanding of Town-maintained roads. Spent \$105,969

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

**Article 15.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$60,000 for the purchase and stockpiling of salt and sand. Spent \$44,953

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 4-1

### **PASS**

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$6,000 for maintenance of the Town's salt and sand shed. Any unspent balance in the Town salt and sand shed maintenance budget at the end of the fiscal year shall be transferred to the Salt and Sand Shed Maintenance Reserve Account. Spent \$6,269. Balance as of 12/31/22 \$0

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee non approval 5-0

# AMEND TO REMOVE Any -Account - AMENDMENT PASSED PASSED AS AMENDED

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$3,000 for the payment of street lighting, to include the lighting at the salt and sand shed on Hillside Lane. Spent \$2,196

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

# **PASS**

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$22,000 for Property, Casualty, Workers' Compensation, and Unemployment insurance premiums. Spent \$21,188.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

**Article 19.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$5,500 for the required auditing of Town books and records. Spent \$5,000.00.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

**Article 20.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$27,000 for Assessing Services. Spent \$25,750.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to start a reserve account for the Town Reevaluation planned for 2025 and raise and appropriate \$27,600 for that account.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee non approval 4-1

### **DEFEATED**

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$63,000 to fund the Town's solid waste disposal contract with Waste Management/Crossroads in Norridgewock. Spent \$60,647.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 4-0-1

# **PASS**

**Article 23.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,952 to fund the Town's contract with Somerset Humane Society. Spent \$1,586.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$3,500 for membership in Kennebec Valley Council of Governments (KVCOG) Spent \$3,479.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

# **PASS**

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$2,000 to print out 200 copies of the proposed new Rome's Comprehensive Plan. Spent \$0

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

# **PASS**

**Article 26.** To see if the Town will vote to accept the newly developed Rome Comprehensive Plan.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$3,241 for membership in Maine Municipal Association (MMA). Spent \$3,108.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

**Article 28.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$13,356.68 for TRIO software licensing, registrations, and technical support. Spent \$12,542

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

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Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$4,600 for the contract governing the regular operation and maintenance of the three Belgrade Region Dams. Spent \$4,600

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

# **PASS**

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$29,621 for the Belgrade Village Dam concrete remediation, additional scheduled projects (in addition to funding a Capital Reserve Fund to help offset future large project expenditures.) Spent \$7,555.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 3-2

> AMENDMENT TO REMOVE In-Expenditures AMENDMENT DEFEATED PASSED AS WRITTEN

**Article 31.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,500 for the printing of the annual town report. Spent \$1,512

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

# **PASS**

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$5,000 for the Legal Expense Account (and for any unspent balance at the end of the fiscal year to be transferred to the Legal Reserve Account.) *Balance as of 12/31/2022 \$11,611* Spent \$10,525

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee non approval 4-0-1

> AMENDMENT TO REMOVE and-account AMENDMENT DEFEATED PASSED AS WRITTEN

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to carry forward \$3,642 as needed for legal expenses and/or to fund a lobbyist to continue substantiate the Town's withdrawal from the Kennebec Regional Development Authority any unspent balance to be transferred to the Legal Reserve Account. Spent \$3,210

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

> MOTION TO AMEND CONTINUE TO SUBSTANTIATE – AMENDMENT PASSED MOTION TO REMOVE ANY-ACCOUNT-AMENDMENT PASSED PASSED AS AMENDED

> > \$164,320

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$179,720 for municipal officers' and officials' salaries. Spent \$149,646

	Proposed	Spent	Budget	Budget Comm.
	2023	2022	2022	Proposed 2023
First Selectman *	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000
Second Selectman *	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500
Third Selectman *	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500	\$5,500
Property Tax Collector* \$23,000	\$24,000	\$22,000	\$22,000	\$22,000
Treasurer*	\$13,000	\$13,000	\$13,000	\$14,000
Town Clerk* 0.00	<del>\$12,400</del>	\$4,500	\$4,500	\$5,000
Motor Vehicle Agent/Excise Collector (\$24.50/hr)	\$38,220	\$33,347	\$33,500	\$38,220
Administrative Assistant (up to \$21/hr)	\$23,100	\$22,349	\$22,000	\$23,100
Registrar of Voters* 0.00	\$2,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Road Commissioner	\$5,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$5,000
RSU 18 School Board Director	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$1,000
Meeting Moderator (\$200 per event)	\$600	\$200	\$600	\$600
Election Warden (\$15/hr)	\$800	\$0	\$800	\$800
Ballot Clerk (\$13/hr)	\$1,500	\$612	\$3,000	\$1,500
Code Enforcement Officer *	\$33,000	\$29,625	\$29,625	\$33,000
Licensed Plumbing Inspector **	3/4 fees	\$ -	¾ fees	
Health Officer	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100
911 Addressing Officer	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500
Planning Board (\$200 per member)	\$1,400	\$1,400	\$1,400	\$1,400
Board of Appeals (\$100 per member)	\$500	\$400	\$500	\$500
Fire Chief	\$1,200	\$1,200	\$1,200	\$1,200
Assistant Fire Chief	\$600	\$600	\$600	\$600
Rescue Chief	\$600	\$600	\$600	\$600
Emergency Management Director	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250

Sexton		\$1,000	\$500	\$500	\$1,000
Animal Control Officer	(\$200month)	\$2,400	\$213	\$1,500	\$2,400
ACO- summons, court,	enforce	\$300	\$0	\$300	\$300
(\$14/hr)					
Total Salaries	\$164,320	<del>\$179,720</del>	\$149,646	\$152,192	\$170,070

<sup>\*</sup> Stipend

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0 \$170,070 (see column)

MOTION TO ACCEPT BUDGET COMMITTEE COLUMN – DEFEATED MOTION TO AMEND TOWN CLERK TO \$0.00, REGISTRAR TO \$0.00, PROPERTY TAX COLLECTOR TO \$23,000.00 NEW TOTAL \$164,320 – AMENDMENT PASSED YES-18 NO-11 PASSED AS AMENDED

**Article 35.** To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$15,400 for the Town's contribution to Social Security and Medicare. Spent \$13,520.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

**Article 36.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$13,300 for the following expense accounts. Spent \$11,749.56

	Proposed	Spent	Budget
	2023	2022	2022
Selectmen	\$1,400	\$1,409.39	\$1,400
Town Clerk	\$1,800	\$1,538.17	\$1,800
Excise Tax Clerk	\$800	\$698	\$800
Tax Collector/Treasurer	\$7,000	\$6,503	\$7,000
Planning Board	\$1,200	\$701	\$1,200
Code Travel Expense	\$1,100	\$900	\$900
Total	\$13,300	\$11,749.56	\$12,660

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

# **PASS**

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$17,200 for regional emergency dispatching services. Spent \$15,634.85

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

<sup>\*\*</sup>no taxation required, appropriation only

Article 38. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate \$500 for the Town's Emergency Management Agency. (Any unspent balance in the Town Emergency Management Agency budget at the end of the fiscal year shall be transferred to the Emergency Management Reserve Account) (*Balance as of 12/31/2022* \$3,500). Spent \$0

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

# AMEND TO REMOVE ANY-ACCOUNT – AMENDMENT DEFEATED PASSED AS WRITTEN

**Article 39.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$53,150 for the Rome Fire Department. Spent \$47,691

	Proposed 2023	Spent 2022	Budget 2022
Building Maintenance	\$10,000	\$9,945	\$10,000
Equipment Maintenance	\$4,000	\$3,604	\$4,000
New Equipment	\$6,500	\$7,250	\$6,500
Labor (\$15/hr)	\$17,000	\$16,868	\$17,000
Training	\$600	\$307	\$600
Truck Maintenance	\$6,000	\$1,190	\$6,000
Tower Fee	\$1,000	\$960	\$1,000
State of Maine compliance	\$1,300	\$1,300	\$1,300
Medical	\$250	\$0	\$250
Hose Testing	\$3,000	\$3,267	\$3,000
Grant (matching funds)	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000
Total	\$53,150	\$47,691	\$52,650

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

#### **PASS**

**Article 40.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$10,000 for Fire Department Truck Reserve Account. \**Balance as of 12/31/2022:* \$283,292.13

\* See details with Fire Department Report

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

**Article 41.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate \$10,000 for the Fire Department to arrange delivery of the new tanker/pumper truck.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee non approval 5-0

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,465 for a contract with Delta Ambulance to continue service to the Town of Rome.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$42,240 as Rome's proportionate share of the second Belgrade Lakes full-time firefighter/paramedic's salary and benefits. Spent \$32,500

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

**Article 44.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$12,850 for the Rome Rescue Department. Spent \$8,429

	Proposed 2023	Spent 2022	Budget 2022
Equipment Maintenance	\$600	\$32	\$600
New Equipment	\$4,500	\$2,030	\$4,500
Labor (\$15/hr)	\$4,500	\$4,725	\$4,500
Training	\$1,000	\$0	\$2,900
Truck Maintenance	\$1,500	\$1,392	\$1,500
Licenses and Fees	\$350	\$250	\$350
Education	\$900	\$0	\$900
Total	\$12,850	\$8,429	\$15,250

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$10,000 for the Rescue Truck Reserve Account. *Balance as of 12/31/2022:* \$ 36,374.72

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee non approval 4-1

### **PASS**

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$24,000 for donation to the Belgrade Lakes Association to mitigate milfoil in Great Meadow Stream, Great Pond, and Long Pond and support the courtesy boat inspections and other water quality issues. Spent \$24,000

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 4-1

### **PASS**

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$8,000 for 7 Lakes Alliance's (formerly, Belgrade Regional Conservation Alliance) Youth

Conservation Corps program to protect and preserve North Pond, Great Pond, Long Pond and other water quality issues. Spent \$8,000

> Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 4-1

### **PASS**

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$4,000 for donation to North Pond Association for courtesy boat inspections and other water quality issues. Spent \$4,000

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

# **PASS**

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$6,835 for donations to the following non-profit organizations that provide service to Rome residents. Spent \$5,479

	Proposed	Spent	Budget
	2023	2022	2022
Spectrum Generations	\$3,570	\$3,570	\$3,570
Kennebec Behavioral Health	\$900	\$600	\$600
Life Flight of Maine	\$574	\$505	\$505
Hospice Volunteer of Waterville Area	\$200	\$200	\$200
Sexual Assault Crisis & Support Center	\$402	\$354	\$353.50
Community Health & Counseling Services	\$150	\$354	\$150
Crisis & Counseling Centers	\$1,039	\$0	\$0
Maine Public (Broadcasting)*	\$0	\$100	\$100
Total	\$ 6,835	\$5,479	\$5,478.50

\*Did not submit request

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee non approval 5-0

### **PASS**

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$2,000 for donation to Belgrade/Rome Special Needs Food Pantry. Spent \$2,000

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

# \$55,000

**Article 51.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate \$150,000 from unassigned fund balance (surplus) to offset the 2023 tax commitment.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

Budget Committee recommends \$55,000 5-0

AMEND TO \$55,000 –AMENDMENT PASSED PASSED AS AMENDED

**Article 52.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the appropriation of \$276,150 in anticipated revenues to offset the 2022 tax commitment.

Auto Excise	\$245,000
Boat Excise	\$8,500
Office/Agent Fees	\$5,650
TCT Revenues	\$3,000
Interest on Taxes	\$4,000
Bank Interest	\$10,000
Total	\$276,150

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to carry over, and assign fund balance accordingly, to the 2023 fiscal year any appropriated unexpended funds in 2022 fiscal year end, provided that the funds remain in the same account.

Global Towers	\$74.00
Dog Account	\$2,226.00
Campership Fund	\$614.39
Contingency	\$36,465.00
Recreation Committee	\$6,860.00
Transfer Station CD	\$148,947.00
Rescue Truck Reserve CD	\$36,374.72
Rescue Donations	\$4,165.00
F.D. Truck Reserve CD	\$283,292.00
FD Donations	\$9,179.00
FD Enterprise	\$7,054.00
Legal Reserve	\$11,524.69
Escrow TP	\$2,000.00
ARPA	\$71,297.00
Good Shepherds Food Grant	\$8,937.00
Local Road Assist Program	\$10,621.00
Stephen & Tabitha King Grant	\$40,000.00
Flagpole	\$297.34
EMA	\$3,500.00
Salt and Sand Shed	\$0
Cemetery Maintenance	\$2,880.00
Total	\$686,308.14

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

# **PASS**

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to set the due date for 2023 property taxes as October 31,2023 and to charge interest on the delinquent tax rate of 8% per annum on taxes unpaid as of November 1, 2023.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

### **PASS**

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to set the interest rate to be paid by the Town on abated taxes at 4% for the period of assessment and to authorize such interest paid or abatements granted to be appropriated from overlay funds or, if necessary, from unassigned fund balance (surplus).

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

### **PASS**

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Tax Collector to discount tax bills 3% if paid in full 30 days from tax billing date; the discounts and abatements are to be paid from overlay funds.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

# **PASS**

Article 57. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer to waive the foreclosure of tax lien mortgages pursuant to 36 M.R.S.A. § 944 upon finding by the Board of Selectmen that the ownership of the property subject to the tax lien mortgage would be contrary to the Town's interests.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

### **PASS**

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to apply all franchise fees, tree growth reimbursements, and veteran tax exemption reimbursements to the contingency fund and to appropriate the same for unexpected expenses and/or to cover overdrafts.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

# **PASS**

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell by bid or auction, or on such terms and conditions as deemed in the best interest of the Town, such equipment, vehicles, or furniture as are no longer necessary for Town operations, as determined by the Board of Selectmen.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

### **PASS**

**Article 60.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept or reject any conditional gifts/grants of money, or personal property, to the Town

and to appropriate and expend funds for the purpose for which the gift/grant was made, in accordance with any conditions imposed by the donor.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0

### **PASS**

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate all of the money received from the State for snowmobile registrations to the Rome Ruff Riders for the maintenance of their network of snowmobile trails, on condition that those trails be open in snow season to the public for outdoor recreation purposes at no charge, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into an agreement with the Club, under such terms and conditions as the Board of Selectmen may deem advisable, for that purpose.

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

**Article 62.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,200 for donation to the Rome snowmobile club, Rome Ruff Riders. Spent \$1,200

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 4-0-1

### **PASS**

Article 63. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,500 to support the Rome Recreation Committee activities. Spent \$1,167 Special Revenue Account Balance = \$6,860.00

Board of Selectmen recommends 3-0 Budget Committee recommends 5-0

### **PASS**

Article 64. To see if the Town will vote to elect three members from the floor to form the Rome Comprehensive Plan Implementation Committee: This year to elect one member for a 1yr term, one member for a 2yr term, and one member for a 3yr

# **APPOINT**

term. Following years, we will elect one member for a 3 yr. term each year. There will be three more members elected, one each, \*BY AND from the Budget Committee, Recreation Committee, and the Planning Board each year.

AMEND TO READ APPOINT REMOVE ELECT AND ADD BY AND BEFORE FROM AMENDMENT PASSED PASSED AS AMENDED

- JOAN ORR 3 YR. TERM, BARBARA RUSSELL 2 YR. TERM, LARRY STAFFORD-1 YR. TERM
- Article 65. To see if the Town will vote to elect from the floor two alternate members to serve on the Budget Committee to review all items to be inserted into the Town Warrant requiring appropriation of monies and their recommendations noted. The

terms of Trent Shute (1-yr alternate member) and Debbora Henry (1-yr alternate member) expire.

# **PASS**

- TRENT SHUTE TO MOVE TO PERMANENT MEMBER BARBARA RUSSELL 1 YR. ALT PHILIP BURNWORTH 1YR. ALT MEMBER, SHAWN LANDRY 1 YR. ALT.
- RUSSELL 15 VOTES, BURNWORTH 22 VOTES, LANDRY 16 VOTES
- NEW ALTERNATE MEMBERS FOR 1 YR. BURNWORTH AND LANDRY
- Article 66. To see if the Town will vote to elect from the floor one alternate member to serve on the Recreation Committee. The term of Barbara McCosh (1-yr alternate member) expires.

BARBARA MCCOSH WISHES TO BE REAPPOINTED

Rome Board of Selectmen	
Paul Anderson, #1 Selectmen	
Larry DiPietro, Jr., #2 Selectmen	
Kelly Archer, #3 Selectmen	
	A True Attest Copy
	Julie Morrison, Deputy Town Clerk