

**WARRANT**

**TOWN OF GOSHEN**

**The State of New Hampshire**

**THE POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM 10:00 AM TO 7:00 PM  
on Tuesday March 14, 2017**

- 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year..

To the inhabitants of the town of Goshen in the County of Sullivan in the state of New Hampshire qualified to vote in town affairs are hereby notified and warned of the Annual Town Meeting will be held as follows:

**Date: March 18, 2017**  
**Time: 6:30 PM**  
**Location: Goshen Town Hall**

- 2. To receive the reports of the Town Officers of Goshen and take any necessary action thereon

Article 03A: General Government

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$312,409 for General Government operations. (Majority vote required)

<u>Account No</u>	<u>Selectmen Recommend</u>	<u>Budget Committee Recommend</u>
4130 Executive .....	45,302 .....	45,302 .....
4140 Election, Reg. & Vital Statistics .....	28,332 .....	28,332 .....
4150 Financial Administration .....	44,870 .....	44,870 .....
4152 Revaluation of Property .....	7,500 .....	7,500 .....
4153 Legal Expense .....	15,000 .....	15,000 .....
5155 Personnel Administration .....	35,140 .....	35,140 .....
4191 Planning & Zoning.....	4,500 .....	4,500 .....
4191 General Government Building.....	25,395 .....	25,395 .....
4194 Cemeteries.....	5,000 .....	5,000 .....
4196 Insurance .....	100,280 .....	100,280 .....
4197 Advertising & Regional Assoc.....	1,090 .....	1,090 .....
Total .....	312,409 .....	312,409 .....

Yes       No

Article 03B: Public Safety

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$173,281.00 for Public Safety operations. (Majority vote required)

<u>Account No</u>	<u>Selectmen Recommend</u>	<u>Budget Committee Recommend</u>
4210 Police .....	82,064 .....	82,064 .....
4215 Ambulance .....	37,317 .....	37,317 .....
4220 Fire.....	49,300 .....	49,300 .....
4240 Building Inspection.....	1,200 .....	1,200 .....
4290 Emergency Management.....	3,400 .....	3,400 .....
Total.....	173,281 .....	173,281 .....

Yes       No

Article 03C: Highway & Streets

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$181,291.00 for Highway & Street operations. (Majority vote required)

4311 Highway Administration .....	88,680 .....	88,680
4312 Highway & Streets .....	92,111 .....	92,111
4316 Street Lighting.....	<u>500</u> .....	<u>500</u>
Total.....	181,291 .....	181,291

Yes       No

Article 03D: Transfer Station

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$74,643.00 for Transfer Station Operations, with \$15,000 to come from the Transfer Station SRF. Selectmen Recommend. Budget Committee Recommends. (Majority vote required.)

<u>Account No</u>	<u>Selectmen Recommend</u>	<u>Budget Committee Recommend</u>
4321 Solid Waste Administration .....	19,928 .....	19,928
4324 Solid Waste Disposal .....	53,500 .....	53,500
4326 Sewage Disposal .....	<u>1,215</u> .....	<u>1,215</u>
Total .....	74,643 .....	74,643

Yes       No

Article 03E: Health

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,759.00 for Health. (Majority vote required)

<u>Account No</u>	<u>Selectmen Recommend</u>	<u>Budget Committee Recommend</u>
4411 Health Administration.....	800 .....	800
4415 Pest Control .....	505 .....	505
4145 Lake Sunapee Region VNA & Hospice .....	2,249 .....	2,249
4415 Newport Senior Center .....	300 .....	300
4415 West Central Services .....	1,000 .....	1,000
4415 SWCS .....	1,092 .....	1,092
4415 Sullivan County Nutrition .....	350 .....	350
4415 Turning Point Network .....	350 .....	350
4415 Newport Food Pantry .....	1,000 .....	1,000
4415 Pathways .....	613 .....	613
4415 CASA .....	<u>500</u> .....	<u>500</u>
Total .....	8,759 .....	8,759

Yes       No

Article 03F: Welfare

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,030.00 for Welfare operations. (Majority vote required).

<u>Account No</u>	<u>Selectmen Recommend</u>	<u>Budget Committee Recommend</u>
4441 Welfare.....	6,030	6,030

Yes       No

Article 03G: Cultural

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$38,509.00 for Cultural Operations. (Majority vote required)

<u>Account No</u>	<u>Selectmen Recommend</u>	<u>Budget Committee Recommend</u>
4450 Library .....	37,159	37,159
4583 Patriotic Purposes.....	1,350	1,350
Total .....	38,509	38,509

Yes       No

Article 03H: Conservation

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 for Conservation operations. (Majority vote required).

<u>Account No</u>	<u>Selectmen Recommend</u>	<u>Budget Committee Recommend</u>
4619 Conservation.....	750	750

Yes       No

Article 03I: TAN

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for Tax Anticipation Note - Interest. (Majority vote required)

<u>Account No</u>	<u>Selectmen Recommend</u>	<u>Budget Committee Recommend</u>
4731 TAN.....	100	100

Yes       No

Article 04: Bridge

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 to be added to the Construction & Reconstruction Bridges CRF previously established. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required.)

Yes       No

Article 05: Personal Fire Fighter Equipment

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000 to be added to the Personal Firefighter Equipment CRF previously established. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required.)

Yes       No

Article 06: Revaluation

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,000 to be added to the Property Revaluation CRF previously established. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required.)

Yes       No

Article 07: Fire Truck

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000 to be added to the Fire Truck CRF previously established. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required.)

Yes       No

Article 08: Legal

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to be added to the Legal CRF previously established. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required.)

Yes       No

Article 09: New Highway Truck

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to be added to the Highway Truck CRF previously established. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required.)

Yes       No

Article 10: Roads

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to be added to the Roads CRF previously established. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required.)

Yes       No

Article 11: Painting building

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 to be added to the Painting Town Buildings CRF previously established. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required.)

Yes       No

Article 12: Grange Hall Restoration

To see if the town will vote to establish a Grange Hall Renovation Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of Renovating the Grange Hall and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$30,000, monies to come from the Unassigned Fund Balance and to be placed in this fund. Further, to name the Selectmen as agents to expend from said fund. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority Vote Required)

Yes       No

Article 13: Canister

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000 for the purpose of purchasing a Canister at the Transfer Station with said funds to come from the Transfer Station Special Revenue Fund. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required)

Yes       No

Article 14: Backhoe

To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to enter into a 7 YEAR lease-purchase agreement, pursuant to RSA 33:7-e, in the amount of \$84,045 for the purpose of leasing a Backhoe Loader, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,492 for the first year's payment for that purpose. This lease agreement contains an escape clause. Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required)

Yes       No

Article 15: Chipper

To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,000 for the purpose of purchasing a used chipper, and said funds to come from the unassigned fund balance. Recommended Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required)

Yes       No

Article 16: Discontinue Dump Closure CRF

To see if the town will vote to discontinue the Dump Closure Capital Reserve Fund, said funds and accumulated interest to date of withdrawal, are to be transferred to the municipality's general fund. Recommended Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required)

Yes       No

Article 17: Insulation

(PETITION) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1050 (One Thousand Fifty Dollars) to install insulation in the attic space in the Library. Not recommended by Board of Selectmen. Recommended by Budget Committee. (Majority Vote Required)

Yes       No

Article 18: Furnaces

(PETITION) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4300 (Forty-three Hundred Dollars) to install 2 (Two) Rinnai EX22L wall furnaces for the Library, set two propane tanks at rear of building and run pipe to both wall furnaces. Not recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority Vote Required)

Yes       No

Article 19: Windows

(PETITION) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,300 (Forty-one Hundred Dollars) to replace 6 (Six) white vinyl windows. Not Recommended by Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee. (Majority vote required).

Yes       No

20. To Take up any other business as may legally come before this meeting

We certify and attest that on or before <<DATE>>, we posted a true and attested copy of the within Warrant at the place of meeting, and like copies at <<LOCATION>>, and delivered the original to the <<TOWN OFFICIAL>>

Printed Name	Position	Signature