

2026 GOSHEN TOWN ELECTION

Final Tally

SELECTPERSON – 3 YRS

VOTE FOR ONE

ALAN GREENHALGH 29 []

WRITE-IN _____

MODERATOR – 2 YRS

VOTE FOR ONE

WILLIAM CANNING 85 []

WRITE-IN _____

TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS

- 3 YRS

VOTE FOR ONE

JESSICA K. DENNIS 86 []

WRITE-IN _____

CEMETERY TRUSTEE – 3 YRS

VOTE FOR ONE

WRITE-IN _____

PLANNING BOARD – 3 YRS

VOTE FOR ONE

WRITE-IN _____

PLANNING BOARD – 1 YR

VOTE FOR ONE

WRITE-IN _____

ZONING BOARD MEMBER – 3 YRS

VOTE FOR ONE

BOB BELL 57 []

WRITE-IN _____

LIBRARY TRUSTEE – 3 YRS

VOTE FOR TWO

TRISHA LABOSSIÈRE [] 83

JUDITH (JUDY) ROBINSON [] 76

WRITE-IN _____

WRITE-IN _____

SUPERVISOR OF THE CHECKLIST -6 YRS

VOTE FOR ONE

WRITE-IN _____

BUDGET COMMITTEE MEMBER – 3 YRS

VOTE FOR THREE

WRITE-IN _____

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Zoning and Building Ordinances Amendment No. 1

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Goshen Planning Board for the Zoning and Building Ordinances? Amendment No. 1 proposes to include a new section: *Section IV. Alternative Energy, Solar Energy System, "The Town of Goshen, through its policies and through the zoning and building ordinances in accordance with RSA 672:1 III & 674:62-66, supports and encourages the development of alternative energy system."*

71 YES 16 NO

Zoning and Building Ordinances Amendment No. 2

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Goshen Planning Board for the Zoning and Building Ordinances? Amendment No. 2 proposes to include a new section: *Section IV. Alternative Energy, A. Solar Energy System, a. Definitions:*

- "Solar Photovoltaic System" (SPS) is defined as a solar energy system that converts solar energy directly into electricity, the primary components of which are solar panels, mounting devices, inverters, and wiring.
- "Roof-mounted Solar Energy System" is defined as a SPS mounted on a rack that is ballasted on, or is attached to, the roof of a building or structure. Roof-mount systems are a accessory to the primary use.
- "Ground-mounted solar energy system - Accessory Use" is defined as a solar photovoltaic system (SPS) mounted on a rack or pole or mobile device that is ballasted on, or is attached to, or parked on, the ground and the system is a accessory to the primary use. Ground use systems are permitted through a special exception process.
- "Ground-mounted solar energy system - Primary Use" is defined as a solar photovoltaic system (SPS) mounted on a rack or pole or mobile device that is ballasted on, or is attached to, or parked on, the ground and is the primary land use for the parcel(s) on which it is located. Ground-mounted systems are permitted through a special exception process.

67 YES 22 NO

Zoning and Building Ordinances Amendment No. 3

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the Goshen Planning Board for the Zoning and Building Ordinances? Amendment No. 3 proposes to include a new section: *Section IV. Alternative Energy, A. Solar Energy System, b. Permitted Uses: "Like telecommunication towers and wind powered generating systems (WPGS) solar photovoltaic systems (SPS) have the potential to impact other properties, including view sheds. Therefore, roof top mounted or wall mounted system, in all zones, that do not extend beyond the exterior perimeter of the building on which the system is mounted and do not rise up more than 5' from the exterior surface of the roof do not require a special exception and shall require a building permit. All ground mounted systems proposed in all zones, shall require a special exception. Any modifications to an existing ground-mounted system should go through the Zoning Board."*

70 YES 18 NO

Zoning and Building Ordinances Amendment No. 4

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 4 as proposed by the Goshen Planning Board for the Zoning and Building Ordinances? Amendment No. 4 proposes to include a new section: *Section IV. Alternative Energy, A. Solar Energy System, c. Application Requirements for Solar Photovoltaic System (SPS): Applications that require a special exception must include the following:*

- a. Names and addresses of the owners of the property where the SPS is proposed
- b. Abutter list
- c. Written description of the project
- d. Site map of the property and proposed facility design
- e. Visual analysis
- f. Decommissioning plan (if applicable)

67 YES 20 NO

Zoning and Building Ordinances Amendment No. 5

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 5 as proposed by the Goshen Planning Board for the Zoning and Building Ordinances? Amendment No. 5 proposes to include a new section: *Section IV. Alternative Energy, A. Solar Energy System, d. Standards to be Met: In addition to evidence of conformance to all the general performance standards found in section A.a,b,c of this ordinance, proposals for SPS must satisfy all of the following:*

- a. Location: Systems will be located and or screened so as to minimize the visual impact from abutting properties. For the purpose of this ordinance a ground mounted solar array shall be considered a structure.
- b. Fencing: While generally not required, in cases where the town's land use boards deem it necessary to protect public safety, perimeter fencing may be required around all or some of the system components.
- c. Utilities: Unless specifically waived by the Zoning Board all distribution lines associated with the system will be underground, if feasible.
- d. Approved Solar Components: All electric solar components must have UL listing or equivalent.
- e. Utility Company Approval: The applicant, as part of the application process must show a letter of acceptance from any utility company which will receive the electric power from the system.
- f. Decommissioning: All proposals for SPS, which require a special exception, will include provisions, acceptable to the town, to ensure that once the facility is no longer in use, it will be completely removed from the site.

60 YES 23 NO