

Warning
Town of Ira Annual Town Meeting
March 4, 2024 – Informational Hearing
March 5, 2024 – Annual Town Meeting

The legal voters of the Town of Ira, County of Rutland, State of Vermont are hereby warned and notified to meet at 7:30 pm on Monday, March 4, 2024 at the Ira Town Hall for a public informational hearing to discuss articles to be voted on by Australian ballot, and to meet at the Ira Town Office at 53 West Road in Ira on Tuesday, March 5, 2024 from 10:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. to vote by Australian ballot on the following articles:

Article 1: To elect town officers as required by law:

- Auditor for a 3-year term
- Auditor remaining 1 year of a 3-year term
- Delinquent Tax Collector for a 1-year term
- Lister for a 3-year term
- Town Moderator for a 1-year term
- Select Board member for a 3-year term
- Town Clerk for a 3-year term
- Town Treasurer for a 3-year term
- Constable for a 2-year term

Article 2: Shall the voters authorize payment of real and personal property taxes to the Town Treasurer on or before October 22, 2024?

Article 3: Shall the voters authorize the total expenditure of \$332,171 for the Town General Fund and Highway Fund for the fiscal year 7/1/24 – 6/30/25, for which \$246,335.13 shall be raised by taxes and \$85,835.87 by non-property tax revenue?

Article 4: Shall the voters appropriate \$13,917.11 to be raised by taxes for the Rutland County Sheriff's Department, in addition to \$12,000 included in the General Fund expenditures in Article 3 above for a total of \$25,917.11?

Article 5: Shall the voters appropriate \$39,750 for the support of the Ira Volunteer Fire Department to provide services to the residents of Ira?

Article 6: Shall the voters appropriate \$15,000 to the Ira Volunteer Fire Department to go into the reserve fund for the purpose of replacing a fire truck?

Article 7: Shall the voters appropriate \$15,000 for the Ira Volunteer Fire Department to be used toward the civil and architectural engineering options for the replacement of the fire station?

Article 8: Shall the voters appropriate \$3,284 to the Rutland Free Library to provide services to the residents of Ira?

Article 9: Shall the voters appropriate \$973 to the VNA & Hospice of the Southwest Region to provide services to the residents of Ira?

Article 10: Shall the voters appropriate \$300 to the Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging to provide elder services to the residents of Ira?

Article 11: Shall the voters appropriate \$375 to the RSVP & Volunteer Center to provide services to the residents of Ira?

Article 12: Shall the voters appropriate \$300 to support the Bird's Eye View?

Article 13: Shall the voters appropriate \$400 to support the non-profit organization named Rutland County Parent Child Center?

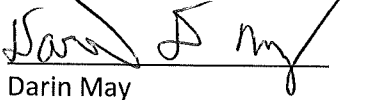
Article 14: Shall the voters appropriate \$100 to support the Vermont Farmers Food Center to provide services to residents of Ira?

Dated at Ira, Vermont, January 23, 2024

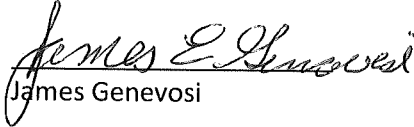
Select Board



Nathan Hewitt, Chair



Darin May



James Genevosi

A true copy, attested and duly recorded
As required by law on January 25, 2024



Karen Davis, Town Clerk