WARNING ANNUAL TOWN MEETING OF THE TOWN OF FAIRFIELD

The legal voters of the Town of Fairfield, Vermont, are hereby warned to meet at the Fairfield Town Office Building in the Village of Fairfield Center, on Tuesday, the 1st day of March 2022. To vote on the Articles herein set forth. Articles 1 thru 12 are to be voted on by Australian ballot. The polls open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m.

ARTICLE 1

To elect: A Moderator for a term of one year.

One Selectperson for a term of three years. One Selectperson for a term of two years.

One Selectperson for the remainder of a three year term (2 years) One Selectperson for the remainder of a two year term (1 year)

One Auditor for a term of three years. One Lister for a term of two years.

One Library Trustee for a term of three years. One Library Trustee for a term of two year. A First Constable for the term of one year.

ARTICLE 2

Shall property taxes be due and payable on the first Friday of November?

ARTICLE 3

Shall the legal voters approve the 2022 total General Fund expenditures of \$1,595,000 of which \$1,089,400 shall be raised by taxes and \$505,600 by non-tax revenues? (Previous year total expenditures were \$1,525,695 of which \$1,020,955 were raised by taxes and \$504,740 by non-tax revenues)

ARTICLE 4

Shall the legal voters approve the Selectboard reallocating the 2021 General Fund surplus to the Town Equipment Fund?

ARTICLE 5

Shall the legal voters approve the 2022 expenditures of \$149,914 for the Bent Northrop Memorial Library? (Previous year total expenditures were \$150,082 for the Bent Northrop Memorial Library, \$103,132 of which were raised by taxes and \$46,950 by non-tax revenues)

ARTICLE 6

Shall the legal voters approve establishing a Capital Reserve Fund for the Bent Northrop Memorial Library, and depositing up to \$5000 of the 2021 library surplus to this Library Capital Reserve Fund?

ARTICLE 7

Shall the legal voters approve \$92,225 for the support of the Fairfield Volunteer Fire Department, said appropriation only to be paid by the town upon condition that the Fairfield Volunteer Fire Department submit to the town, by November 1, 2022, a copy of its most recent balance sheet and bank statement for review by the town auditors? (Previous year-\$92,225)

ARTICLE 8

Shall the legal voters approve \$15,000 in support of the Fairfield Community Center Association? (Previous year-\$18,000)

ARTICLE 9

Shall the legal voters approve a donation of \$3971 for the Franklin County Home Health Agency? (Previous year-\$3,971)

ARTICLE 10

Shall the legal voters approve a donation of \$3,000 for the Outdoor Classroom? (Previous year-\$3,000)

ARTICLE 11

Shall the legal voters approve a donation of \$1,000 for the Franklin County Animal Rescue? (Previous year-\$1,000)

ARTICLE 12

Shall the legal voters approve a donation of \$500 for the Cat Crusaders? (Previous year-\$500)

Dated at Fairfield, Vermont this 24th day of January 2022

Town of Fairfield Selectboard,

Thomas Howrigan, Chair

Gavin Ryan

Ronald Bocash

David Persons

Brian Dubie

Attest:

Linda Hodet, Clerk