## **ABSTRACTS OF MINUTES**

# TOWN OF WHITINGHAM SPECIAL TOWN MEETING April 24, 2024

The Special Town Meeting was held on Wednesday, April 24, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. at the Whitingham Municipal Center in the Town of Whitingham, Vermont agreeable to the warning.

At 6:30 p.m. Leon Corse led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. Corse asked the Board of Civil Authority to introduce themselves and proceeded to review the rules of procedures: Scott Reed, James Weber, Craig Hammer, Gregory Brown, Travis Wheeler, Elizabeth McKinley, Susan Cooke Johnson, Seth Boyd, Mary LeMaire, Julie Muller, and Almira Aekus.

At 6:35 p.m. the moderator declared the meeting open for business. The Moderator asked if there were any objections to dispensing with the reading of the warning. There were none.

### **Article 1**

Voted pursuant to the petition filed in accordance with Title 24, Section 1973, to disapprove the ordinance entitled "Town of Whitingham Dog Ordinance" enacted and passed by the Whitingham Selectboard on January 24, 2024 which will cause the Animal Control Ordinance before that date to go back into effect.

#### Article 2

Voted pursuant to 24 V.S.A. section 1530, to authorize the Selectboard to pay the Collector of Delinquent Taxes a salary in lieu of penalties to become effective March 5, 2025.

### Article 3

Voted pursuant to 32 V.S.A. section 1224, that the voters authorize the Selectboard to pay the Town Clerk a salary in lieu of salary and fees to become effective March 5, 2025

The floor meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Dated at Whitingham, This 25th day of April 2024

Attest: Almira L Aekus, Almira L. Aekus, Town Clerk

NUMBER OF VOTERS ON THE CHECKLIST – 1017 NUMBER WHO VOTED BY AUSTRALIAN BALLOT – N/A HIGHEST NUMBER VOTED FROM THE FLOOR ESTIMATE – 63