

**WARNING**  
**TOWN OF MONTGOMERY**  
**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**  
**March 1, 2022**

The legal voters of the Town of Montgomery are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Montgomery Town Hall, located at 57 Main Street Montgomery Center, in said Town on Tuesday, the 1st day of March, 2022 AD, between 10 o'clock (10:00 AM) in the forenoon, at which time the polls will be open, and 7 o'clock (7:00 PM) in the evening, at which time the polls will close, to vote by Australian ballot upon the following Articles of business, as permitted by Act 172 (An act relating to authorizing alternative procedures for 2022 annual municipal meetings in response to COVID-19) of the Vermont Legislature. To wit:

**Article 1.**

To Elect:

- a. A Selectperson for a term of two (2) years
- b. A Selectperson for a term of three (3) years
- c. A Lister for a term of three (3) years
- d. A Commissioner for the Village Cemetery Association for a term of five (5) years
- e. A Commissioner for the Village Cemetery Association for a term of four (4) years
- f. A Commissioner for the Center Cemetery Association for a term of five (5) years
- g. A Fire Commissioner for a term of two (2) years
- h. A Planning Commission member for a term of three (3) years
- i. A Planning Commission member for a term of three (3) years
- j. A Library Trustee for a term of three (3) years
- k. A Library Trustee for a term of three (3) years
- l. A Library Trustee for a term of three (3) years
- m. A Library Trustee for a term of three (3) years

**Article 2.** Shall the voters authorize the Treasurer, pursuant to 32 V.S.A § 4791, to collect Current Taxes.

**Article 3.** Shall the voters accept a fiscal year 2023 Budget of \$1,332,383 of which \$870,263 shall be raised by taxes and \$461,711 by non-tax revenues and authorize the Selectboard to set a tax rate sufficient to provide the same.

**Article 4:** Shall the voters authorize the Selectboard to borrow up to \$100,000 for a term of three years to purchase a new 2022 International CV515 single axle truck with snowplow, wing, and sander; to replace the 2016 550 Ford truck.

**Article 5.** Shall the voters approve a one-half cent increase in the tax rate to be allotted to the Conservation Reserve Fund, established by the voters in 2018.

**Article 6.** Shall the voters approve the addition of one (1) Trustee Seat, to increase the Board membership of Library Trustees from 7 members to 8 members.

**Article 7.** Shall the voters approve the following sums of money as requested for Listers: 1st year members \$18.00/hr; 2nd/3rd year members \$21.00/hr.

**Article 8.** Shall the voters of Montgomery adopt the Town Charter as proposed and approved by the Selectboard. *(A copy of the proposed charter is available upon request, on the Municipal Website, and in each voting booth.)*

**Article 9.** Shall the voters of Montgomery establish an ARPA Reserve Fund, 24 VSA 284, to hold and assist in the dispersal of funds received from the American Rescue Plan Act.

Dated at Montgomery, Vermont this 27th day of January, 2022 AD

Selectboard:

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Charlie Hancock, Chairman

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Suzanne Dollois

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Mark Brouillette

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Leanne Barnard, Vice Chair

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Emily Kimball

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Elizabeth Reighley, Municipal Clerk, Town of Montgomery