



# 2024 Town Meeting Warning

## TOWN OF GEORGIA ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MARCH 5, 2024

The legal voters of the Town of Georgia, Vermont, are hereby notified and warned to meet in-person at the **Georgia Elementary School & Middle School, 4416 Ethan Allen Highway, in the Town of Georgia on Tuesday, March 5th, 2024, at ten o'clock in the forenoon (10:00 A.M.)** to transact the following business not involving voting by Australian ballot (Articles 1-6), and to meet in-person at the **Georgia Elementary School & Middle School, 4416 Ethan Allen Highway, in the Town of Georgia** to vote on the articles set forth below by Australian ballot (Articles 7-8) beginning at seven o'clock in the forenoon (7:00 A.M.), at which time the polls will open, until seven o'clock in the afternoon (7:00 P.M.), at which time the polls will close.

The legal voters of the Town of Georgia, Vermont, are further notified and warned that an in-person Public Information Hearing will be held on Wednesday, February 28, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. at the Georgia Eric Nye II Fire Department, 4134 Ethan Allen Highway, Georgia, VT, to discuss the articles that will be voted on by Australian ballot (Articles 7-8). Voters may visit [www.townofgeorgia.com](http://www.townofgeorgia.com) for additional details.

### ARTICLES TO BE VOTED FROM THE FLOOR ON MARCH 5, 2024

- ARTICLE 1: To hear and act upon reports submitted by the Town officers.
- ARTICLE 2: Shall the voters authorize payment of real and personal property taxes on Tuesday, October 15, 2024, by delivery to the Georgia Town Hall and postmarked on or before that date?
- ARTICLE 3: Shall the voters authorize total fund expenditures for operating expenses of \$3,320,588.88 of which \$2,921,732.29 shall be raised by taxes and \$398,856.59 by non-tax revenues?
- ARTICLE 4: Shall the voters elect one Director to the Georgia Industrial Development Corporation, for a period of three years?
- ARTICLE 5: Shall the Town of Georgia vote on all public questions by Australian ballot?
- ARTICLE 6: To transact any other business which may legally come before the meeting.

### ARTICLES TO BE VOTED BY AUSTRALIAN BALLOT ON MARCH 5, 2024

- ARTICLE 7: To elect all Town Officers for the ensuing year as required by law:
- 1 Town Moderator for one year**
  - 1 Selectboard member for three years**
  - 2 Selectboard members for one year**
  - 1 First Constable for one year**
  - 1 Second Constable for one year**
  - 1 Library Trustee for three years**
  - 3 Library Trustees for one year**
  - 1 Planning Commissioners for four years**
  - 1 Planning Commissioners for three years of a four-year term**
  - 1 Planning Commissioners for one year left of a four-year term**
- ARTICLE 8: Shall the voters authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds of the Town in an amount not to exceed One Million Five Hundred Thousand, and 00/100 Dollars (\$1,500,000.00), having a maximum term of twenty (20) years, to pay the cost of replacing the current bridge and for construction of a new bridge on Mill River Rd (S.A. 6) over the Rugg Brook, which is located +/-1.1 miles westerly of Mill River Road's intersection with U.S. Route 7?

The legal voters of the Town of Georgia are further notified that voter qualification, registration, and absentee voting relative to said Annual Meeting shall be as provided in Chapters 43, 51 & 55 of Title 17, Vermont Statutes Annotated.

Adopted and approved at a meeting of the Selectboard of the Town of Georgia duly called, noticed, and held on January 29, 2024.

Georgia Selectboard:

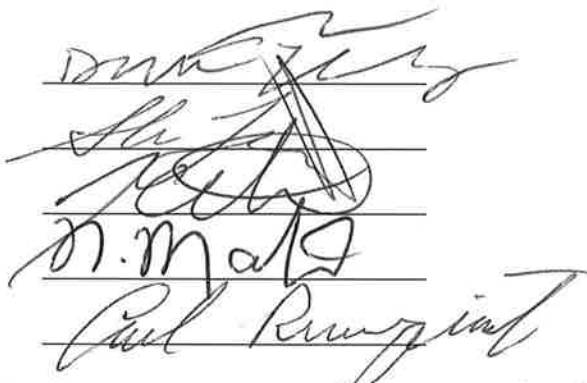
Devon Thomas, Chair

Shannon Jenkins, Vice-Chair

Jamie Comstock

Nicolas Martin

Carl Rosenquist



Received by the Georgia Town Clerk's Office for record this 29th day of January 2024 at Georgia, Vermont and same is recorded in the posted records. Attest: Cheryl Letourneau, Town Clerk 