



**ABSENTEE  
OFFICIAL BALLOT  
ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION  
YARMOUTH, MASSACHUSETTS  
JUNE 30, 2020**

*Paul Gaudet*  
TOWN CLERK

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

- SAMPLE** A. TO VOTE, completely fill in the OVAL to the RIGHT of your choice(s) like this: ●
- B. Follow directions as to the number of candidates to be marked for each office.
- C. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on the ballot, write the candidate's name and address on the line provided and completely fill in the OVAL. **SAMPLE**

**BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

for a three (3) year term Vote for **ONE**

**MARK R. FOREST**

83 Indian Memorial Drive, South Yarmouth Candidate for Re-election

(Write-in)

**DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE**

for a three (3) year term Vote for **TWO**

**PHILLIP W. MORRIS, JR.**

19 Jupiter Lane, South Yarmouth Candidate for Re-election

**JOE B. GLYNN**

30 Arlington Street, West Yarmouth **SAMPLE**

(Write-in)

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**MODERATOR**

for a three (3) year term Vote for **ONE**

**KENNETH W. MUDIE**

21 Flintlock Way, Yarmouth Port

(Write-in)

**YARMOUTH HOUSING AUTHORITY**

for a five (5) year term Vote for **ONE**

(Write-in)

**QUESTIONS**

**Ballot Question 1:**

**SAMPLE**

Shall the Town of Yarmouth be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the Town's allocable share of the bond issued by the Dennis-Yarmouth Regional School District in order to pay costs of designing, constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a new District middle school to be located on the existing Station Avenue site behind the Regional School District Offices and the Station Avenue Elementary School at 296 Station Avenue and 276 Station Avenue, South Yarmouth, MA 02664, including the payment of all costs incidental or related thereto?

**SAMPLE** YES

NO

Question 1 Summary: This debt exemption will allow for the building, designing, constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a new District middle school.

- The Town is required to pay the debt service for the middle school construction. A Yes vote will authorize a temporary property tax increase beyond the limits of proposition 2½ to fund the Town's share of the of the new District middle school. This will leave the rest of the budget unaffected by the school project.
- A No vote will require the Town to pay for the debt service for the school project within the budgetary limitations under Proposition 2½. In such case, other line items in the budget may be affected by the inclusion of the debt service within the budget.

**SAMPLE**

**Ballot Question 2:**

**Non Binding Public Advisory Question for the 2020 Annual Town Election for increased security at the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station on Cape Cod Bay in order to protect the public and the environment:**

Whereas, the high level nuclear waste will remain at Pilgrim for decades or more in dry casks that present safety concerns, each holding half the radioactive cesium released at Chernobyl;

Whereas, the spent fuel pool remains full and is vulnerable to terrorist attack or accident that could cause radioactive contamination rendering our communities uninhabitable;

Whereas, due to lack of proper security on the property, there has been open access beyond the posted 'No Trespassing' signs to within line-of-sight of dry casks and spent fuel pool;

**SAMPLE**

Whereas, during decommissioning, **SAMPLE** Nuclear Regulatory Commission has abdicated its responsibility to protect the public by approving exemptions requested by new Pilgrim owner Holtec for reduced offsite liability insurance, cybersecurity, and offsite emergency planning;

Whereas, safety is a human right;

Whereas, citizens of the Town of Yarmouth find this to be an unacceptable threat to our health and safety and must be resolved in a most timely manner;

Therefore, shall the people of the Town of Yarmouth direct local government to communicate to Governor Baker and the State Legislature to employ all means available to ensure that: (1) spent fuel is secured in better quality dry casks and hardened onsite storage; and (2) spent fuel pool and casks are protected with heightened security to prevent intrusion in order to protect the health, welfare, and the economic interests of the Town of Yarmouth and its inhabitants and visitors?

YES   
**SAMPLE**  
NO