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Minutes of the Annual Town Election April 4, 2022

The Annual Town Election was held on Monday, April 4, 2022. Polling hours were from 7:00 a.m. through 8:00 p.m. The Warrant was properly posted.

The Town did not have the option for Early Voting or Vote by Mail for this election, however, Absentee Ballot applications were accepted until noon the Friday before. The last day to register to vote for this Election was Tuesday, March 15th.

The polls were declared open at 7:00 a.m. by Warden Mary Geromini. There were a few voters who arrived as the polls opened. The Specimen Ballot, Instructions to Voters, Voters Bill of Rights, and Zero Tabulations from Precinct 1, Precinct 2, Precinct 3 and new Precinct 4 were posted. The AutoMark handicap voting machine was turned on.

There were a few newly appointed Election Inspectors as well as a new Assistant Town Clerk, Ann Fisk, who was appointed after Ellen Wojcik retired in September 2021. Election workers were as follows:

Precinct 1 Clerk – Kendra Farling
Precinct 1 Check- In – Nancy Mure and Karen Heinz
Precinct 1 Ballots Box Attendant – Donna DeCarlo and Marguerite Pennini
Precinct 2 Clerk – Leo Immonen
Precinct 2 Check-In –Darryl Luce and Joe Cormier
Precinct 2 Ballot Box Attendant – Michael Smith
Precinct 3 Clerk – Carolyn Collins
Precinct 3 Check-In – Karen Suchy and Mary Carlson
Precinct 3 Ballot Box Attendant – Bob Silvia
Precinct 4 Clerk – Carol Mollica
Precinct 1 Check- In – Lyn Freeman and Paul Freeman
Precinct 1 Ballots Box Attendant – Judith Simonds
Lobby Greeters – Richard O’Leary and Todd Duffy

Many special thanks to the Elementary School custodian staff and the Town's DPW and facilities department. Also to the Wrentham Police Department for working the detail (Officer Jeff Smith, Officer Derrick Cassidy, Peter Preston and Officer Dan Morris).

The ballot boxes were opened by Officer Preston and Town Clerk, Cynthia Thompson. The ballot boxes proved to be empty and the zero tabulation tapes were run and posted. The keys were handed over to Officer Preston.

The turnout was steady throughout the day. At the time of this Annual Town Election, there were a total of 9,447 registered voters in Wrentham. There were 22 requests for Absentee ballots. This election had a total of 1,409 voters making it a little over 14.8% total turnout. This year's increase in turnout could be attributed to the contested races for Board of Selectmen, Planning Board and Elementary School Committee.

Absentee Ballots were processed by the Precinct Clerks during the day. There were no issues with the ImageCast tabulators and zero residents took advantage of the Automark machine.

At 8:00 p.m. Town Clerk Thompson closed the polls. The voting machines were programmed for tabulation and two sets of tapes were run. Tellers reconciled their books and write-in votes were recorded. Unofficial results were ready by 9:25 p.m. There were Board of Assessors and Fiske Public Library Trustee vacancies that no nomination papers were pulled, so required write-in votes. There was a total of 410 write-in votes at the end of the evening.

There were one (1) provisional ballot, quite a few spoiled ballots and several affirmations.

All materials were returned to Town Hall by 10:45 p.m. and official results were posted on the Town's website.

The Town Clerk would like to thank all the staff members who worked at this election, especially in this unique situation to make the day run smoothly. Congratulations to Ann Fisk who successfully completed her first election as the Assistant Town Clerk.

Attest: _____
Cynthia L. Thompson, Town Clerk

Results of the election are as follows:

Annual Town Election - April 4, 2022 - Tally Sheet - Official Results

	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Precinct 3	Precinct 4	Official
Board of Assessors (1) - 1 year					
Write-Ins	17	37	28	36	118
Blanks	257	356	366	312	1291
Total	274	393	394	348	1409
Board of Assessors (1) - 3 years					
Write-Ins	13	32	18	25	88
Blanks	261	361	376	323	1321
Total	274	393	394	348	1409
Board of Health (1) - 3 years					
Peter Andrew Roman	182	262	265	258	967
Blanks	91	129	129	87	436
Write-Ins	1	2	0	3	6
Total	274	393	394	348	1409
Board of Selectmen (2) - 3 years					
Joseph F. Botaish, II	189	207	228	204	828
Julie L. Garland	121	246	223	199	789
William D. Harrington	183	204	240	208	835
Blanks	55	128	96	82	361
Write-Ins	0	1	1	3	5
Total	548	786	788	696	2818
Constables (3) - 3 years					
Michael C. Abril	188	250	259	248	945
Michael F. Galasso	186	257	263	242	948
Stephen R. Hamlin	178	243	246	239	906
Blanks	263	419	406	307	1395
Write-Ins	6	10	8	9	33
Total	821	1179	1182	1045	4227
Fiske Public Library Trustee (1) - 1 year					
Blanks	256	347	366	313	1282
Write-Ins	18	46	28	35	127
Total	274	393	394	348	1409
Fiske Public Library Trustee (2) - 3 years					
Suzanne S. Bove	188	267	264	250	969
Lori J. Yarworth	193	271	270	249	983
Blanks	167	239	253	192	851
Write-Ins	0	9	1	5	15
Total	548	786	788	696	2818

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	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Precinct 3	Precinct 4	Official
Housing Authority (1) - 5 years					
<i>Carol Mollica</i>	203	273	283	255	1014
Blanks	71	118	111	92	392
Write-Ins	0	2	0	1	3
Total	274	393	394	348	1409
Moderator (1) - 1 year					
<i>Edward J. Goddard</i>	207	285	313	270	1075
Blanks	67	106	81	75	329
Write-Ins	0	2	0	3	5
Total	274	393	394	348	1409
Planning Board (2) - 3 years					
<i>James E. Lawrence</i>	147	144	208	187	686
<i>Michael F. McKnight</i>	144	190	205	175	714
Spencer F. Dickinson, III	99	252	173	158	682
Blanks	158	199	202	172	731
Write-Ins	0	1	0	4	5
Total	548	786	788	696	2818
Town Clerk (1) - 3 years					
<i>Cynthia L. Thompson</i>	215	295	305	279	1094
Blanks	59	98	89	68	314
Write-Ins	0	0	0	1	1
Total	274	393	394	348	1409
Wrentham School Committee (1) - 3 years					
Lauryn Blakesly	47	121	107	107	382
Cynthia M. Foley	24	23	17	17	81
Cynthia A. Fuller	107	75	142	102	426
<i>Paul M. Lashway</i>	70	143	108	110	431
Blanks	26	30	19	10	85
Write-Ins	0	1	1	2	4
Total	274	393	394	348	1409
<i>Bold Italics - Winner</i>					

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	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Precinct 3	Precinct 4	Official
Board of Assessors (1) - 1 year					
Blanks	10	20	14	20	64
Mark Champagro	1				1
Edward O'Neil	3			1	4
Scott Odams	1				1
Irene Levesque	1	3	8	5	17
Michael Norris	1				1
Tom DiPlacido		1	1		2
Bruce Boulter		1			1
Ted Reidel		1			1
Everett W. Skinner, Jr.		1			1
Rob Lanza		1			1
Kathleen Nicoloro		1			1
Mike Clemmey		1			1
Mike Penner		1			1
Michael Beatty		1			1
Michael Siakotos		1			1
Gerald Danca		1			1
Ron Wellman		1			1
Dan Viera		1			1
Kim Lilja		1			1
Jeff Plympton			1		1
Gerald Calden			1		1
Paul Byrne			2		2
George Smith			1		1
Joe Mooney				1	1
Mike Crotty				1	1
Donna Pennino				1	1
Dan Wood				1	1
Loren Easterbrook				1	1
Shauna Bumpus				1	1
Corey Routh				1	1
Steve Langley				1	1
Angela Roberto				1	1
Rich O'Leary				1	1
Total	17	37	28	36	118

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Board of Assessors (1) - 3 years					
Blanks	5	16	6	14	41
David Hooper	1				1
Irene Levesque	4	2	3	4	13
Jeff Smith	1				1
Peter Nixon	1				1
Bill Crabtree	1				1
Jon Morse		1			1
Tom Leveroni		1			1
Camille Dinunzio			1		1
Jeff Plympton			1		1
Austin Crabtree			1		1
Ed O'Neil			1	1	2
Kathleen Nicoloro		1			1
Mike Clemmey		1			1
Mike Toomey		1			1
Theodore Reidel		2			2
Michael Beatty		1			1
Michael Siakotos		1			1
Richard Rook		1			1
Joe Botaish			1		1
Jen Mooney				1	1
Adam Moon				1	1
Grant Hill				1	1
Loren Easterbrook				1	1
Todd Duffy				1	1
Paul Byrne			2		2
Ron Wellman		1			1
Steve Schairer				1	1
Dan Capone		1			1
Celia Hanson		1			1
William Harrington			1		1
Tom DiPlacido		1	1		2
Total	13	32	18	25	88
Board of Health (1) - 3 years					
Blanks	0			3	3
Dr. Fauci	1				1
Brian Bigelow		2			2
Total	1	2	0	3	6
Board of Selectmen (2) - 3 years					
Blanks	0			3	3
Michael Beatty		1			1
Austin Crabtree			1		1
Total	0	1	1	3	5

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Constables (3) - 3 years					
Blanks	0			3	3
Jeffrey Smith	6	8	6	5	25
Michael Beatty		1			1
Paul Byrne			2		2
Bill Abril			1		1
Jeff Schweitzer				1	1
Total	6	9	9	9	33
Fiske Public Library Trustee (1) - 1 year					
Blanks	4	7	10	10	31
Honora Rainville	10	32	10	20	72
Ed Costa	1				1
Ed Goddard	1				1
Nancy M. O'Neil	1				1
Jim McCue	1				1
Margaret Morse		1			1
Meaghan Castaneda		1			1
Rob Lanza		1			1
Kathleen Nicoloro		1			1
Jeff Plympton			1		1
Michael Beatty		1			1
Krista Daclee Smith			1		1
Austin Crabtree			1		1
Paul Byrne			1		1
Jessica Wellman		1			1
Ted Reidel		1			1
Cynthia Johnson			1		1
Timothy Schey			1		1
Mike Regnier			2		2
Kevin Mooney				1	1
Erin DeStefano				1	1
Linda M. Grant				1	1
Dale Sogge				1	1
Grace Schairer				1	1
Total	18	46	28	35	127
Fiske Public Library Trustee (2) - 3 years					
Blanks	0			2	2
Honora Rainville		9	1	1	11
Grace Schairer				1	1
Judy Haughey				1	1
Total	0	9	1	5	15

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Housing Authority (1) - 5 years					
Blanks	0			1	1
Brian Bigelow		2			2
Total	0	2	0	1	3
Moderator (1) - 1 year					
Blanks	0	1		1	2
Brian Bigelow		1			1
Amy Kopas				1	1
Keith Billian				1	1
Total	0	2	0	3	5
Planning Board (2) - 3 years					
Blanks	0			1	1
Michael Beatty		1			1
Patrick Moore				1	1
Loren Easterbrook				1	1
Mikeala Connolly				1	1
Total	0	1	0	4	5
Town Clerk 1 - (3 years)					
Blanks				0	0
Macione J				1	1
Total	0	0	0	1	1
Wrentham School Committee (1) - 3 years					
Blanks		1	1	2	4
Total	0	1	1	2	4