

**TOWN WARRANT**

To Chris Greeley, Police Chief of the Town of Holden, in the County of Penobscot:

Greetings:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the voters of the Town of Holden in said Penobscot County, qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the Holden Municipal Building on Tuesday, June 14, 2016 at seven o'clock in the forenoon (7:00 a.m.), then and there to act on Articles 1 and 2 set out below:

And to notify and warn said voters to meet at the Holden Elementary School on Wednesday, June 15, 2016 at seven o'clock in the evening (7:00 p.m.), then and there to act on Article 3 through all of said Articles being set out as follows to wit:

**ARTICLE 1.** To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

**ARTICLE 2.** To elect all necessary Town Officials by secret ballot (Two Councilors, for three-year term; One School Administrative District 63 Directors for three year term.

**Note:** The polls for voting on Article 2 will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday June 14, 2016.

**A person who is not registered as a voter may not vote in any election.**

**ARTICLE 3.** To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of GENERAL GOVERNMENT.

Account Name	Town Council Recommends	Budget Committee Recommends
<b>Elected Officials</b>	\$ 10,555	\$ 10,555
<b>Assessing</b>	44,905	44,905
<b>Elections</b>	1,650	1,650
<b>Old Town Hall</b>	900	2,400
<b>Fall Frolic</b>	2,125	2,125
<b>DeBeck Park</b>	1,500	1,500
<b>Professional Services</b>	69,000	69,000
<b>Health and Welfare</b>	23,615	23,615
<b>Reserve Funds</b>	192,500	192,500
<b>Contingency</b>	15,000	15,000
<b>Total General Government</b>	\$ 361,750	\$ 363,250

**ARTICLE 4.** To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of TOWN OFFICE ADMINISTRATION.

Account Name	Town Council Recommends	Budget Committee Recommends
<b>Town Manager</b>	\$ 107,415	\$ 107,415

<b>Administration</b>	<b>250,735</b>	<b>250,735</b>
<b>Total Office Administration</b>	<b>\$ 358,150</b>	<b>\$ 358,150</b>

**ARTICLE 5.** To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of CODE ENFORCEMENT.

	<b>Town Council</b>	<b>Budget Committee</b>
<b>Account Name</b>	<b>Recommends</b>	<b>Recommends</b>
<b>Code Enforcement</b>	<b>\$ 26,065</b>	<b>\$ 26,065</b>

**ARTICLE 6.** To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of FIRE DEPARTMENT.

	<b>Town Council</b>	<b>Budget Committee</b>
<b>Account Name</b>	<b>Recommends</b>	<b>Recommends</b>
<b>Fire Department</b>	<b>\$ 458,130</b>	<b>\$ 458,130</b>

**ARTICLE 7.** To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of POLICE DEPARTMENT.

	<b>Town Council</b>	<b>Budget Committee</b>
<b>Account Name</b>	<b>Recommends</b>	<b>Recommends</b>
<b>Animal Control</b>	<b>\$ 8,000</b>	<b>\$ 8,000</b>
<b>Police Department</b>	<b>346,790</b>	<b>346,790</b>
<b>Total Police Department</b>	<b>\$ 354,790</b>	<b>\$ 354,790</b>

**ARTICLE 8.** To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of PUBLIC WORKS.

	<b>Town Council</b>	<b>Budget Committee</b>
<b>Account Name</b>	<b>Recommends</b>	<b>Recommends</b>
<b>Public Works</b>	<b>\$ 479,300</b>	<b>\$ 479,300</b>
<b>Cemeteries</b>	<b>10,100</b>	<b>10,100</b>
<b>Veteran's Memorial</b>	<b>3,070</b>	<b>3,070</b>
<b>Miscellaneous (Road Improvements)</b>	<b>265,000</b>	<b>265,000</b>
<b>Total Public Works</b>	<b>\$ 757,470</b>	<b>\$ 757,470</b>

**ARTICLE 9.** To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of SANITATION.

	<b>Town Council</b>	<b>Budget Committee</b>
<b>Account Name</b>	<b>Recommends</b>	<b>Recommends</b>
<b>Sanitation</b>	<b>\$ 163,500</b>	<b>\$ 163,500</b>

**ARTICLE 10.** To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of DEBT SERVICE.

	<b>Town Council</b>	<b>Budget Committee</b>
<b>Account Name</b>	<b>Recommends</b>	<b>Recommends</b>
<b>Debt Service</b>	\$ 222,395	\$ 222,395

**ARTICLE 11.** To see if the Town will vote to increase the property tax levy limit established for the Town under 30-A M. R. S. § 5721-A in the event that the municipal budget approved under the preceding articles will result in a property tax levy that is greater than the property tax levy limit.

Note: § 5721-A (7) requires that the vote on the foregoing article must be by a written ballot.

**ARTICLE 12.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer all remaining funds in the Growth Management Escrow Account into the Economic Development Reserve Account.

**ARTICLE 13.** To see if the Town will vote to transfer all remaining funds in the Cemetery Land Acquisition Reserve Account into the Cemetery Reserve Account.

**ARTICLE 14.** To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Council to make transfers and disbursements from Undesignated Fund Balance, Reserve Funds, Trust Funds, Special Revenue Funds and Capital Improvement Funds for the purpose of local matching funds and other municipal purposes as voted by 3/5 of the members of the Council.

**ARTICLE 15.** To see if the Town will vote to appropriate One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) from Undesignated Fund Balance or from General Obligation borrowing for technical assistance for the I-395/Route 9 connector project and authorize the Town Council, by the affirmative vote of 3/5 of the members of the Council, to expend the funds as they deem appropriate for this purpose.

Given under our hands on this 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2016

David R. Black  
David R. Black, Chairman

Thomas Copeland  
Thomas Copeland, Vice Chairman

Robert Harvey  
Robert Harvey, Councilor

Paul Amoroso  
Paul Amoroso, Councilor

Ralph McLeod  
Ralph McLeod, Councilor

A TRUE COPY ATTEST:  
Chris Greeley, Police Officer