

May 17, 2022

The Annual District Meeting of the Westhampton Beach Union Free School District, Suffolk County, New York was held on May 17, 2022 in the Large Group Instruction Room of the High School.

Ms. Patricia Gonce, Chairperson of the Election, called the meeting to order at 7:00 a.m.

Ms. Gonce called the Roll and the Inspectors of Election were sworn in by Judy Iannone, District Clerk, as follows:

7 Inspectors of Election:

- Patricia Gonce (Chief Inspector)
- Doreen Croser
- Bea Allen
- Suzanne Marie
- Dot Berdinka
- Joan Scannell
- Stephen Wisnoski

The Suffolk County Board of Elections custodian printed out the voting machine tapes showing that the counts started at "zero". Judy Iannone, the District Clerk, will retain those tapes as a permanent record.

Ms. Gonce declared the Polls opened at 7:00 a.m.

At 8:55 p.m. Ms. Gonce announced the imminent closing of Polls and asked those present who wished to vote to do so at that time.

Ms. Gonce declared the Polls closed at 9:00 p.m.

Board of Education members present: Ms. Suzanne M. Mensch, Ms. Dawn Arrasate, Ms. Joyce Donneson, Mr. George R. Kast, Ms. Stacy Rubio, Mr. Halsey C. Stevens.

Absent: Ms. Heather A. Wright.

Also Present: Carolyn J. Probst, Superintendent of Schools; Bill Fisher, Assistant Superintendent for Personnel & Instruction; Jacqueline I. Pirro, Assistant Superintendent for Business; and approximately 15 election inspectors and community members.

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The Inspectors of Election proceeded to open and count the absentee ballots.

Ms. Gonce announced the results of all voting as follows:

<u>Proposition #1 - School Budget</u>	Yes 475	No 126
<u>Proposition #2 - Library Budget</u>	Yes 463	No 144

Members of the Board of Education (2 seats, each for 3 years) - July 1, 2022 thru June 30, 2025

Dawn Arrasate	417
Elizabeth Lanni-Hewitt	349
Casandra Carrick	253
Katheryn Antonio-Rios	57
Write-ins	3

Total Number of Votes Canvassed By Machine:	592
Total Number of Votes Canvassed By Absentee Ballot:	<u>29</u>
Total Number of All Votes:	621

ADOPTION OF BUDGET VOTE & BOARD MEMBER ELECTION RESULTS

Board President, Ms. Mensch, called for a motion to accept the results of the budget vote & board member election.

On motion of Ms. Donneson, second by Ms. Rubio, a resolution to accept the results of the annual budget vote and board member election, as written above, to be and hereby is adopted.

Vote: Yes 6 No 0

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Kast, second by Ms. Donneson, all business being completed, Ms. Mensch declared the meeting adjourned at 9:32 PM.

Judy Iannone, District Clerk