OFFICIAL RETURN OF VOTES HALIFAX TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT SPECIAL MEETING May 31, 2017

BALLOT ACCOUNTABILITY

| Number of voters on checklist | 570 |
|-------------------------------------------------|-----|
| Number of ballots counted (including absentees) | 125 |
| Number of ABSENTEE Ballots counted | 11 |

I, Patricia Dow, Presiding Officer, Board of Civil Authority of the Town of Halifax, Vermont, hereby certify that the results of the SPECIAL ELECTION by AUSTRALIAN BALLOT at the HALIFAX TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT SPECIAL MEETING held in the Town of Halifax in the County of Windham and State of Vermont on the 31st day of May A.D. 2017 were as follows:

<u>Article I</u>: Shall the Halifax School Town District join with town school districts of Stamford and Readsboro for the purpose of forming a unified union school district, as provided in Title 16, Vermont Statutes Annotated.

| YES | 114 |
|---------|-----|
| NO | 11 |
| SPOILED | 0 |
| BLANK | 0 |
| TOTAL | 125 |
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<u>Article II</u>: Shall the voters of the Halifax School District elect three (3) school directors to serve on the proposed unified union school district board from the date of the organization meeting for terms as provided in the final report.

| YES | 112 |
|---------|-----|
| NO | 8 |
| SPOILED | 0 |
| BLANK | 5 |
| TOTAL | 125 |
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| UNIFIED SCHOOL DIRECTOR, 1 year | | UNIFIED SCHOOL DIRECTOR, 3 years |
|----------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------|
| STEPHANIE POWERS | 111 | PAUL G. BLAIS 104 |
| WRITE-IN | | WRITE-IN |
| Matt Salinsky | 1 | Kim Tefft 1 |
| Brian McNeice | 1 | Howard Smith 2 |
| Kim Tefft | 2 | Mae Salinsky 2 |
| Linda Swanson | 1 | Paul Taylor 1 |
| | | Chris Worden 1 |
| BLANK | 9 | BLANK 13 |
| SPOILED | | SPOILED 1 |
| TOTAL BALLOTS COUNTED | 125 | TOTAL BALLOTS COUNTED 125 |
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| UNIFIED SCHOOL DIRECTOR, 2 years | i | |
| HOMER "CHUM" SUMNER | 114 | |
| WRITE-IN | | |
| Dave Towler | 1 | |
| Howard Smith | 1 | |
| Rhonda Ashcraft | 1 | |
| BLANK | 7 | |
| SPOILED | 1 | |
| TOTAL BALLOTS COUNTED | 125 | |
| | Attest | Patricia Dow /s/ |
| | | Presiding Officer |
| | | |
| | Attest | Lewis Sumner /s/ |
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Other Election Official