

# Beekmantown Central School District

## Annual Election & Budget Vote

Place: **Middle School Gym**

**May 17, 2011**

### Minutes

**Call to Order** Jennifer Hicks, Permanent Chairperson called the annual election and budget vote to order.

On 4/12/11, 4/26/11, & 5/10/11 the Board of Education approved the appointments of the following:

Permanent  
Chairperson,  
Election Inspectors,  
& Election  
Custodian

Name	Appointment
Hicks, Jennifer	Permanent Chairperson
Inhelder, Eleanore	Chief Election Inspector
Bailey, Kim	Election Inspector
Barnes, Roxann	Election Inspector
Bull, Sheila	Election Inspector
Chauvin, Jan	Election Inspection
Culley, Sylvia	Election Inspector
Deming, Cynthia	Election Inspector
Garrant, Jan	Election Inspector
Gonyo, Bonnie	Election Inspector
LaVigne, Sue	Election Inspector
Senecal, Paul	Election Inspector
Yanulavich, Sally	Election Inspector
Ryan, Harold	Election Custodian

The Chairperson read the qualifications of voters:

**Qualifications to  
Vote**

- (1) A citizen of the United States
- (2) Shall be eighteen (18) or more years of age
- (3) A resident within the district for a period of 30 days next preceding the meeting at which he wishes to vote.
- (4) The Board of Education has upon its own motion provided for the personal registration of voters in the district. No person will be entitled to vote whose name does not appear on a School District Registration Card or who has not registered with the Clinton County Board of Registration to vote at general elections.

The Chairperson read Propositions I, II, and III.

### Proposition I – Approval of the 2011-2012 Budget

**Proposition I  
Approval of the  
2011-2012 Budget**

*To approve the proposed 2011-2012 school budget in the amount of \$38,721,107 and to authorize the requisite portion therefore to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District*

Proposition II  
Bus Purchases

Proposition II – Bus Purchases

To purchase (4) 65-passenger school buses to replace existing ten-year-old buses. The total cost not to exceed **\$424,811.66**, including trading in 4 buses, shall be raised by a tax on the taxable property of the School District to be collected in annual installments and to issue obligations in accordance with the Education Law and Local Finance Law.

As part of the district's ongoing replacement plan, this purchase enables the district to obtain a potential State reimbursement rate of approximately 87.3%.

Proposition III– Board of Education Elections

To elect one (1) member to the Board of Education for 5-year terms (7/1/11 to 6/30/16) to fill the expired term of Leonard King.

Leonard King

Proposition III  
Board of Education  
Elections

The Chairperson asked for motion to submit Propositions I, II, and III for vote. A motion was made by Eleanore Inhelder, seconded by Sheila Bull and carried.

The Permanent Chairperson declared the polls open for voting at 11:00 a.m.

After determining that all eligible voters present had voted, the polls were declared closed at 8:02 pm by the Permanent Chairperson.

Immediately upon closing of the polls, the Election Inspectors proceeded with the canvass of the votes.

The results of the voting were then announced by the Permanent Chairperson as follows:

Results  
Proposition I  
Approval of the  
2011-2012 Budget

**Proposition I: Approval of the 2011-2012 Budget**

Yes	No	Blanks	Total
746	730	5	1,481

Results  
Proposition II  
Bus Purchases

**Proposition II: Bus Purchases**

Yes	No	Blanks	Total
784	675	22	1,481

Results  
Proposition III  
Board of Education  
Elections

**Proposition III: Board of Education Elections**

Write In	1
	<i>Michael G. Hall</i>
Blanks	526
Leonard King	954
Total	1,481

Accept Voting  
Results

It was moved by Steve Trombley, seconded by Leonard King, and carried, to accept the voting results as read.

Adjournment

Adjournment 8:47 p.m.

Joanne Menard, District Clerk