

STATE OF MAINE
FIVE TOWN CSD OFFICIAL BALLOT FOR
THE TOWN OF HOPE
DISTRICT VALIDATION REFERENDUM
JUNE 8, 2010

INSTRUCTION TO VOTERS - Vote "yes" or "no" by making a cross (X) or check mark (✓) in square of your choice at the left of each article.

YES NO **Article I:** Shall the Five Town Community School District budget for the 2010-2011 school year
 that was adopted at the district budget meeting on June 1, 2010 be approved.

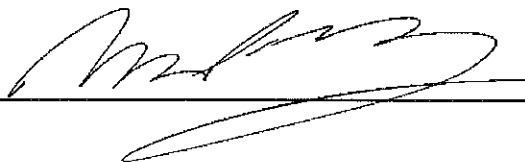
YES NO *** Article II:** Do you wish to continue the budget validation referendum process in the Five Town
 CSD for an additional three years?

***Informational Note**

A "Yes" vote will require the Five Town CSD to continue to conduct a referendum to validate its annual school budget for the next three years.

A "No" vote will discontinue the budget validation referendum for at least three years and provide instead that the annual school budget shall be finally adopted at a meeting of the voters.

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