

Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District – Voters’ Petition for Special District Meeting

Warrant Article Subject: Reapportionment of Hollis Brookline Cooperative School Board

In Fiscal Year 2016, Brookline will have the majority of students in the Coop and thus need a majority representation on the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School Board. This petition changes the composition of the board to 4 Brookline and 3 Hollis members, versus the current 3 Brookline and 4 Hollis members. The undersigned voters of the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District petition the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School Board to hold a special meeting for the purpose of considering the following petition warrant article, in accordance with Article 11 of the “Articles of Agreement between the Districts of Hollis and Brookline.”

“To see if the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District will vote to amend the Articles of Agreement of the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School District by deleting Article 2 as it is currently written and substituting a new Article 2 as follows:

The School Board of the Hollis/Brookline Cooperative School District shall consist of seven members. Effective with the election of 2016, the Board will be organized in the following manner:

<u>Town</u>	<u>Members</u>	<u>Term</u>	<u>Year Ending</u>
Brookline	1 member	3 years	2017
	1 member	3 years	2018
	2 members	3 years	2019
Hollis	1 member	3 years	2017
	1 member	3 years	2018
	1 member	3 years	2019

Members of the Cooperative School Board shall be elected by the voters of the pre-existing districts they represent and must be residents of the pre-existing districts. All members elected shall be elected to three year terms unless that member is filling out the unexpired term of a member who has left the board, in which case the term shall be until the next election.

Reapportionment of the school board may be proposed at any time in accordance with RSA 195:22 and 671:9, but in any case the apportionment as specified above would be subject to review for possible amendment at least in March, 2018 and every three years thereafter under the provision of Article 11 of this agreement and RSA 195:18 III(i).”

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