

## ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

**MAY 20, 2014**

Pursuant to the provisions of the Warrant of April 1, 2014, the inhabitants of the Town of Sharon qualified to vote in elections, met in the Sharon High School Gymnasium at 7:00 A.M., Tuesday, May 20, 2014. The meeting was called to order by Town Clerk Marlene B. Chused who read the call and return of the warrant. The warden for the election was Lynne M. Callanan. The wardens for Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 were named as follows: Pat Zlotin, Ellen Michelson, Marilyn Lamb, Shirley Schofield and Marie Cuneo. Clerks and workers were: Susan Slater, Audrey Sadler, Marcia Shapiro, Lorraine Forman, Jeffrey Shapiro, Mildred Worthley, Trudy Leonard, Teri Spevock, Bobby Hall, Natalie Braunstein, Beverly Palan, Robert Braunstein, Brian D'Arcy, Chuck Levine, Henry Sanuik, Joel Alpert, Barry Zlotin, Sherm Palan, Ruth Grandberg, Hy Lamb and Beth Kourafas, Assistant Town Clerk. The ballot boxes were shown to be empty and registered zero; the ballot boxes were locked and the keys delivered to Officer of the Day, Steven Fontes. All election officers and workers were sworn.

At 8:02 P.M. the polls were declared closed. Total votes were as follows: Precinct 1 - 488; Precinct 2 - 434; Precinct 3 - 536; Precinct 4 - 442; Precinct 5 - 379. Total votes cast - 2,279. Absentee ballots cast - 63. The ballots were canvassed according to the law by an Accuvote OS vote tabulating system. Results were transcribed on summary sheets and declaration was made by Town Clerk Marlene B. Chused at 8:15 P.M. as follows:

PRECINCT	1	2	3	4	5	TOTAL
<b>SELECTMEN FOR THREE YEARS</b>						
<b>WALTER B. ROACH, JR.</b>	303	267	334	270	228	<b>1,402</b>
<b>STEVEN E. ROSS</b>	139	135	156	133	123	<b>686</b>
<b>SUSAN O. PECK</b>	2	1	4	0	0	<b>7</b>
<b>Write-In</b>	2	0	1	2	1	<b>6</b>
<b>Blanks</b>	42	31	41	37	27	<b>178</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>2,279</b>

<b>SELECTMEN FOR ONE YEAR</b>						
<b>MITCHELL S. BLAUSTEIN</b>	121	183	202	108	101	<b>715</b>
<b>JOHN J. MCGRATH</b>	233	157	220	234	218	<b>1,062</b>
<b>SETH RUSKIN</b>	122	81	99	82	52	<b>436</b>
<b>Write-In</b>	2	0	2	0	0	<b>4</b>
<b>Blanks</b>	10	13	13	18	8	<b>62</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>2,279</b>

PRECINCT	1	2	3	4	5	TOTAL
ASSESSOR FOR THREE YEARS						
PAULA B. KEEFE	329	267	356	288	240	1,480
Write-In	4	2	3	2	0	11
Blanks	155	165	177	152	139	788
Total	488	434	536	442	379	2,279

MODERATOR FOR THREE YEARS						
DAVID L. YAS	335	279	377	305	241	1,537
Write-In	4	1	3	3	3	14
Blanks	149	154	156	134	135	728
Total	488	434	536	442	379	2,279

TOWN CLERK FOR THREE YEARS						
MARLENE B. CHUSED	382	320	420	347	270	1,739
Write-In	5	1	1	1	1	9
Blanks	101	113	115	94	108	531
Total	488	434	536	442	379	2,279

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THREE YEARS (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)						
JONATHAN C. HITTER	269	243	310	247	210	1,279
LAURA SALOMONS	288	254	343	262	213	1,360
Write-In	11	5	10	6	5	37
Blanks	408	366	409	369	330	1,882
Total	976	868	1,072	884	758	4,558

PLANNING BOARD FOR THREE YEARS						
DAVID M. BLASZKOWSKY	322	246	343	286	215	1,412
Write-In	3	1	0	2	0	6
Blanks	163	187	193	154	164	861
Total	488	434	536	442	379	2,279

TRUSEE OF PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR THREE YEARS (VOTE FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO)						
CAROLYN L. WEEKS	290	251	342	281	234	1,398
HEATHER L. PELTIER	259	208	275	238	174	1,154
Write-In	5	1	4	2	0	12
Blanks	422	408	451	363	350	1,994
Total	976	868	1,072	884	758	4,558

PRECINCT	1	2	3	4	5	TOTAL
HOUSING AUTHORITY FOR FIVE YEARS						
PETER CLARK MELVIN	317	257	338	280	222	<b>1,414</b>
Write-In	4	1	2	1	1	<b>9</b>
Blanks	167	176	196	161	156	<b>856</b>
Total	<b>488</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>2,279</b>

**QUESTION NO. 1**

Shall the Town of Sharon be allowed to exempt from the provisions of Proposition 2 ½, so called the amounts required to pay for the bond issued in order to construct a Public Safety Facility on the site of the current Police/DPW property, 213, 215 & 213R South Main Street, and for the purchase of departmental equipment for the Public Safety Facility. In addition to the new facility construction, the project will require the demolition of the current Police and DPW/Civil Defense building; relocation of the DPW Office Trailer, equipment, and temporary accommodations and final relocation of Civil Defense?

YES	304	261	324	256	206	1,351
NO	167	161	195	176	166	<b>865</b>
Blanks	17	12	17	10	7	<b>63</b>
Total	<b>488</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>2,279</b>

**Total Registered Voters: 12,398**

**Percent Voting: 18%**

**Absentee: 63**

**Total Votes Cast: 2,279**