

TOWN OF NEEDHAM HISTORY OF OVERRIDE BALLOT QUESTIONS

YES

SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION - October 4, 1988

Question #1 - General Override - \$1,595,000.	3,458	3,582
Question #2 - High School Renovations & Solid Waste Transfer Station - \$7,350,000.	4,248	2,827
Question #3 - Police & Fire Headquarters and Fire Station #2 - \$5,100,000.	3,773	3,280
Question #4 - Ridge Hill Expansion - \$1,263,000.	4,021	3,045
Question #5 - Historical Society Property - \$120,000.	3,763	3,303

SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION - May 15, 1990

Question #1 - General Override - \$2,025,484. (151 Blanks)	4,861	4,903
Recount - 6/2/90 (84 Blanks)	4,905	4,925

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 8, 1991

Question #1 - General Override/School - \$978,000.	7,208	3,760
Question #2 - General Override/Library - \$467,000.	8,196	2,819
Question #3 - General Override/Fire & Ambulance - \$198,115.	7,322	3,628
Question #4 - General Override/Police - \$152,113.	6,886	3,994
Question #5 - General Override/Council On Aging - \$69,985.	7,058	3,757
Question #6 - General Override/Park & Recreation - \$52,000.	6,042	4,660
Question #7 - General Override/Youth Commission - \$26,872.	5,991	4,704
Question #8 - Capital Expense Exclusion - Recycling - \$50,000.	7,021	3,741

STATE ELECTION - November 3, 1992

Question #6 - Pollard School Building - \$6,995,000.	8,362	7,326
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<u>ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 11, 1994</u>	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
Question #1 - Debt Exclusion - Newman School Building - \$3,900,000.	2,280	2,509
 <u>ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 8, 1996</u>		
Question #1 - General Override/Board of Health - \$57,831.	3,894	3,955
Question #2 - General Override/Council On Aging - \$40,000.	4,393	3,481
Question #3 - General Override/Fire Department - \$107,000.	4,139	3,679
Question #4 - General Override/Library - \$295,000.	5,692	2,304
Question #5 - General Override/Municipal Building Maintenance Department - \$45,000.	3,364	4,366
Question #6 - General Override/Park & Recreation - \$40,500.	4,098	3,755
Question #7 - General Override/Police Department - \$97,651.	3,883	3,947
Question #8 - General Override/Public Works Dept. - \$105,605.	3,359	4,373
Question #9 - General Override/School Department - \$1,489,811.	3,908	3,969
Question #10 - General Override/Youth Commission - \$66,431.	4,267	3,596
Question #11 - General Override/Capital Exclusion - \$66,500.	3,852	3,938
Question #12 - General Override/Newman School - \$5,500,000.	3,756	4,082

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STATE ELECTION - November 5, 1996

YES

NO

Question #2 - Newman School Building
-\$5,750,000.

8,682

6,565

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 14, 1997

Question #1 - General Override/School Department
- \$1,500,000.

4,012

4,031* See
Recount

RECOUNT - May 3, 1997

4,019

4,069* Final

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 13, 1998

Question #1 - Debt Exclusion/Landfill Closure

1,574

858

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 10, 2000

Question #1 - Debt Exclusion/Elementary Schools
(\$31,500,000)

5,099

2,070

Question #2 - Debt Exclusion/High School
(\$5,350,000)

5,313

1,854

STATE ELECTION - November 7, 2000

Question #9 - Debt Exclusion - Purchase Wiswall
Property for Conservation Purposes (\$2,000,000)

8,852

5,394

STATE ELECTION - November 5, 2002

YES

NO

BLANKS

Question #4a - \$6,970,000 Proposition 2 ½ for the purposes of
operating the Municipal Government and the Public Schools and
funding infrastructure maintenance programs.

4,579

9,186

769

Question #4b - \$5,656,000 Proposition 2 ½ for the purposes of
operating the Municipal Government and the Public Schools and
funding infrastructure maintenance programs.

5,182

8,544

808

Question #4c - \$4,650,000 Proposition 2 ½ for the purposes of
operating the Municipal Government and the Public Schools and
funding infrastructure maintenance programs.

6,567

7,330

636

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<u>ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 14, 2003</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Blanks</u>
<i>Question #2 - Debt Exclusion/Library - \$15,700,000</i>	5,300	4,435	154
<i>Question #3 - General Override/School Dept. - \$2,009,318</i>	5,782	3,977	130
<i>Question #4 - General Override/Public Safety - \$300,000</i>	6,090	3,615	184
<i>Question #5 - General Override - Road Maintenance - \$150,000</i>	6,602	3,133	154
 <u>SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION - November 4, 2003</u>			
Question #1 - Debt Exclusion/High School - \$51,300,000	5,595	3,073	0
 <u>ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 12, 2005</u>			
Question #1 - Debt Exclusion/High School - \$10,700,000	3,125	1,748	112
 <u>ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 11, 2006</u>			
Question #1 - General Override: School Department (\$1,476,017)	3,671	4,115	99
Question #2 - General Override: Police, Fire, Public Works, Public Facilities, Health, Library, Information Systems & Economic Development \$597,370	4,054	3,726	105
 <u>ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 10, 2007</u>			
Question #1 - General Override: School Department (\$1,128,670)	4,681	3,376	75
Question #2 – Debt Exclusion/High Rock School and Pollard Middle School \$21,000,000	4,766	3,252	114
 <u>STATE ELECTION – November 4, 2008</u>			
Question #4 – General Override Operating Expenses For The Public Schools - \$1,887,929	8,900	7,751	685

SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION – December 8, 2009

Yes

No

Blanks

Question #1 – Debt Exclusion: Newman School - \$27,412,128

4,742

3,714

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ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION - April 8, 2014

**Question #2 - General Override: School Department
(\$1,548,410)**

2,984

2,307

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