

Appendix 2. Town Meeting Results

The following are the official letters, minutes and Town Reports from the March 2013 Study Town Meetings in Franklin and Orleans Counties, Vermont.

Franklin County, Vermont

Berkshire passed the March 4, 2013 Town Meeting article to support Wild and Scenic River designation for the upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers based on the Management Plan, and without federal acquisition or management of lands.

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March 25, 2013

Berkshire held its Town Meeting on Monday March 4, 2013 at 7:00 P.M. to transact its business.

Article 6 of the warning of the 2013 annual town meeting reads as follows:

"Shall the Town of Berkshire petition the Congress of the United States of America that the upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers be designated as Wild and Scenic Rivers with the understanding that such designation would be based on the locally-developed rivers Management Plan and would not involve federal acquisition or managements of lands."

The legally qualified Voters of the Town of Berkshire passed said article in a voice vote during the Town Meeting on March 4, 2013.

Emily Fecteau
Emily Fecteau
Town Clerk

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Enosburgh Town and the Village of Enosburg Falls passed the March 5, 2013 Town Meeting article to support Wild and Scenic River designation for the upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers based on the Management Plan, and without federal acquisition or management of lands.

TOWN OF ENOSBURGH

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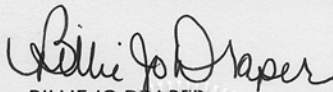
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SHANA STEWART DEEDS

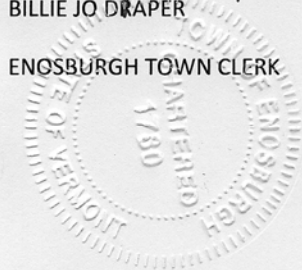
RE: VOTE ON TOWN MEETING DAY FOR WILD AND SCENIC

DEAR SHANA:

THIS LETTER IS TO VERIFY THAT THE TOWN OF ENOSBURGH, WHICH INCLUDES ALL VOTERS, PASSED OUR ARTICLE IN REGARDS TO THE WILD AND SCENIC, THE VOTE WAS 66 YES AND 44 NO.


BILLIE JO DRAPER

ENOSBURGH TOWN CLERK



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Montgomery passed the March 5, 2013 Town Meeting article to support Wild and Scenic River designation for the upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers based on the Management Plan, and without federal acquisition or management of lands.

Montgomery Town Meeting Minutes 2013, abbreviated

Minutes ANNUAL TOWN MEETING - 2013

Moderator Tim Murphy called the meeting to order @ 9:00AM

1. Elect a Moderator for the ensuing year.

Sue Wilson nominated Tim Murphy. Tim was re-elected by voice vote.

Without objections Representative Cindy Weed was allowed to address the Town. She gave a brief legislative update.

13. Shall the Town vote to petition the Congress of the United States of America that the upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers be designated as Wild and Scenic Rivers with the understanding that such designation would be based on the locally-developed rivers Management Plan and would not involve federal acquisition or management of lands.

Todd Lantery moved to accept as written and was seconded. There was a short video shown and Montgomery Wild and Scenic River representatives, Todd Lantery and Keith Sampietro gave a brief explanation of the project and answered questions. Motion passed by voice vote.

14. To do any other business proper to be done at said meeting.

Sarita Khan moved to accept a resolution: "The Voters of Montgomery Vermont gathered at Town Meeting vote to oppose the development of the Alberta Tar Sands" and was seconded. Non-binding vote passed by voice vote.

Barry Kade moved that our Delegates to the General Assembly be instructed that the voters of Montgomery support a State mandate labeling genetically modified foods and was seconded. Motion passed by voice vote.

Scott Perry moved to adjourn and was seconded. Motion passed by voice vote. Meeting adjourned @ 1:27pm.

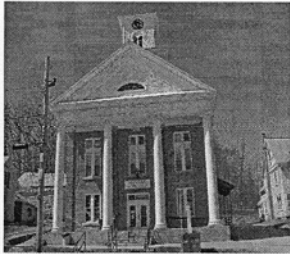
A true record this 12th day of March, 2013.

ATTEST:

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Richford passed the March 4, 2013 Town Meeting article to support Wild and Scenic River designation for the upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers based on the Management Plan, and without federal acquisition or management of lands.



Town of Richford

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April 12, 2013

At Town Meeting on Monday March 4th, 2013, Article 6 was approved by a voice vote of the attendees of the Town Meeting. Article 6 asked if the voters would approve petitioning the Congress of the United States of America that the upper Missisquoi and Trout rivers be designated as Wild and Scenic Rivers with the understanding that such designation would be based on the locally-developed rivers Management Plan and would not involve federal acquisition or management of lands.

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Orleans County, Vermont

At their March 5, 2013 Town Meeting, the voters present in the Town of Lowell did not carry the article supporting Wild and Scenic River designation for the upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers based on the Management Plan, and without federal acquisition or management of lands. There was a voice vote, and not a ballot vote. They were the only municipality voting 2013 that did not support designation in their Town.

LOWELL TOWN & SCHOOL ANNUAL REPORT



For Year Ending December 31 **2012**

ARTICLE 24: Shall the voters of the Town of Lowell vote to help support the proper observance of Memorial Day each year by placing flags on all veterans' graves in all cemeteries in the Jay Peak Post No. 28 area in the amount of \$200.00?

ARTICLE 25: Shall the voters of the Town of Lowell petition the Congress of the United States of America that the upper Missisquoi and Trout rivers be designated as Wild and Scenic Rivers with the understanding that such designation would be based on the locally-developed rivers Management plan and would not involve federal acquisition or management of lands?

ARTICLE 26: To do any other " **NON-BINDING**" business found necessary?

ARTICLE 27: TO ADJOURN

SELECTBOARD: Richard Pion, Chair; Dwight Richardson, Alden Warner

SCHOOL DIRECTORS: Steve Mason, Chair; Kevin Hodgeman, Laurine Pion

Received for posting: January 31, 2013

7 Karen Clinger- Town Clerk

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Troy Town and the Village of North Troy passed the March 5, 2013 Town Meeting article to support Wild and Scenic River designation for the upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers based on the Management Plan, and without federal acquisition or management of lands.

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On March 5, 2013 at the annual meeting, the voters of the Town of Troy voted to designate the Missisquoi River as Wild and Scenic.

The results were 47 Yes 13 No.

TOWN OF TROY

Terri a. medley
Terri Medley
Clerk/Treasurer

SELECTBOARD MEMBERS

Mark Faulkner
Ray R. Roy
[Signature]

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Westfield passed the March 5, 2013 Town Meeting article to support Wild and Scenic River designation for the upper Missisquoi and Trout Rivers based on the Management Plan, and without federal acquisition or management of lands.

WARNING

and Minutes

2012

The legal voters of the Town of Westfield are hereby warned and notified to meet at the Westfield Community Center on Tuesday March 5, 2013 at 10:00 A.M. to act on the following articles:

11. To see if the voters of the Town of Westfield will petition the Congress of the United States of America that the upper Missisquoi River and Trout River Be designated as Wild and Scenic Rivers with the understanding that such Designation would be based on the locally-developed rivers Management Plan and would not involve federal acquisition or management of lands.

Motion by Mike Piper and seconded by Dianne LaPlante to bring the article to the floor.

A video was presented by Jacques Couture. Jacques is a member of the committee that has been working on public awareness. Dianne LaPlante also worked on the committee. A voice vote followed. So moved.

17. To adjourn

Motion by MaryLou Jacobs and seconded by Margaret Rowley to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Minutes taken by:

Connie LaPlume, Clerk
Election Official

Pat Sagui, Moderator
Other Election Official

