

**TOWN OF COVENTRY  
NOTICE OF STATE ELECTION AND  
NOTICE OF ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING AND REFERENDUM  
NOVEMBER 3, 2020**

The Electors of the Town of Coventry are hereby warned to meet at their respective polling places in said town on Tuesday, November 3, 2020, for the following purpose:

To cast their votes for Presidential and Vice-Presidential electors, United States Senator, Representative in Congress 2<sup>nd</sup> District, State Senator 35<sup>th</sup> District, State Representative 8<sup>th</sup> District and Registrars of Voters.

The electors and citizens qualified to vote in the Town Meetings of the Town of Coventry are hereby warned and notified that pursuant to Section 9-3(e) of the Town Charter, an Adjourned Town Meeting and referendum will be held on Tuesday, November 3, 2020, between the hours of 6:00 A.M. and 8:00 P.M. (E.T.) for the purpose of voting on the following questions:

“Shall the resolution entitled ‘Resolution Appropriating \$1,700,000 For The Planning, Design, Renovation, Construction, Reconstruction And Improvements To The Booth And Dimock Memorial Library And Authorizing The Issuance Of \$1,700,000 Bonds Of The Town To Meet Said Appropriation And Pending The Issuance Thereof The Making Of Temporary Borrowings For Such Purpose’, as introduced and read at a Special Town Meeting held August 27, 2020, be approved?”

The ballot label for said question shall read as follows:

“Shall the resolution making an appropriation of \$1,700,000 for the planning, design, renovation, construction, reconstruction and improvements to the Booth And Dimock Memorial Library be approved?  
YES\_\_\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_\_.”

“Shall the resolution entitled ‘Resolution Appropriating \$2,780,000 For The Replacement Of Roofs And The Fire Alarm System At Various Town Schools And The High School/Middle School Complex And Authorizing The Issuance Of \$2,780,000 Bonds Of The Town To Meet Said Appropriation And Pending The Issuance Thereof The Making Of Temporary Borrowings For Such Purpose’, as introduced and read at a Special Town Meeting held August 27, 2020, be approved?”

The ballot label for said question shall read as follows:

“Shall the resolution making an appropriation of \$2,780,000 for the replacement of roofs and fire alarms at various Town schools and the High School/Middle School Complex be approved?  
YES\_\_\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_\_.”

Electors of the Town of Coventry and qualified voters are entitled to vote.

A qualified voter is any citizen of the United States of the age of eighteen years or more who, jointly or severally, was liable to the Town for taxes assessed against him, based on an assessment of not less than \$1,000 on the last completed grand list of the Town or who would have been so liable if not entitled to an exemption under subdivision (17), (19), (22), (23), (25) or (26) of section 12-81, may be entitled to vote at the meeting.

The voting will be by optical scan voting machine. Those in favor of the resolution referred to in each question shall fill in the oval under the word “YES” under such question. Those not in favor of the resolution referred to in each question shall fill in the oval under the word “NO” under such question. Absentee ballots will be available in the office of the Town Clerk as provided by law.

Electors will vote at the polling places established for voting districts #1 and #2. The voters who are entitled to vote by reason of Section 7-6 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as amended, may vote at District #1, George Hersey Robertson School, 227 Cross Street.

The vote on the aforesaid bond resolutions is taken under the authority of Section 9-3(e) of the Town Charter of the Town of Coventry and Chapter 152 of the Connecticut General Statutes, as amended. The votes will be cast and canvassed and the results determined and certified as nearly as may be in accordance with the laws governing the election of Town officials.

The full text of each of the aforesaid resolutions are on file open to public inspection at the office of the Town Clerk.

Notice is hereby given that the location of the polling places is as follows:

<b><u>Voting Districts</u></b>	<b><u>Location of Polling Place</u></b>
<b>District #1</b>	<b>George Hersey Robertson School 227 Cross Street</b>
<b>District #2</b>	<b>Coventry High School 78 Ripley Hill Road</b>
<b>Election Day Registration</b>	<b>Coventry High School Media Center 78 Ripley Hill Road</b>

Absentee Ballots will be counted at the following central location:  
**Town Hall Annex, 1712 Main Street, Coventry, CT**

Absentee ballots are available as provided by law in the office of the Town Clerk.

Optical Scan voting machines will be used. The polls will be opened during the hours between 6:00 A.M. and 8:00 P.M. (EST).

Dated at Coventry, Connecticut, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of October 2020

John A. Elsesser  
Town Manager

Lori Tollmann, CMC  
Town Clerk  
Town of Coventry