

11 races to be decided by the Nov. 5 municipal election

There are 11 different races to be decided by the Nov. 5 municipal election, including First Selectman, Board of Selectman, Board of Finance, Board of Education, Board of Assessment Appeals, Planning and Zoning, Zoning Board of Appeals and Town Modera-

tor. Voters will have the opportunity to vote for 24 open seats. It takes a long, two-sided ballot to include all of these offices. In the past, the Board of Selectmen race has caused some confusion. All five seats are open every two years but voters can only choose one candidate

for First Selectman and two candidates from those running for the board. This year there are two candidates running for First Selectman and five candidates for Selectman. By state statute, the losing First Selectman candidate is added to the pool of candidates running for

Selectman. The Board of Education is getting additional attention this year because seven candidates are running, but there are only four open seats.

FIRST SELECTMAN

One Opening 2-year term
(vote for one)

B. SCOTT KUHNLY – REP.

I have served as First Selectman, Selectman, and Member of Board of Finance. I am employed as a Director of Risk Management in Springfield, while also completing a degree at Westfield State in Public Administration.



B. Scott Kuhnly

I believe that strong communication and working together to develop new ideas will make us the best Granby we can be. I reach out through events like Koffee with Kuhnly, budget workshops, and being active in town-wide events to obtain your input. I am seeking reelection as First Selectman and would greatly appreciate your vote on November 5!

GLENN G. BALLARD – PETITIONING CANDIDATE

I've spent my entire career as an improvement consultant, helping organizations achieve their goals—walking into places I'm unfamiliar with, quickly diagnosing issues, and working with



Glenn G. Ballard

people at all levels to figure out new ways forward. What are Granby's goals? Is it possible to preserve everything we love about being a smaller, rural town, and yet manage growth in a

way that is ultimately beneficial? Financially and strategically, we are at the “fork in the road”—it's time for a more rigorous approach involving more of us than ever before. This election you actually have a say in the matter.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Four Openings 2-year term
(vote for any two)

SALLY KING – DEM.

Sally King has lived in Granby with her husband, Eric Lukingbeal, since 1984. She is an attorney and practiced law with



Sally S. King

the Hartford firm of Robinson and Cole from 1979 to 1993, specializing in litigation. She has been a member of the Board of Selectmen since 1993, and she also served on the Inland, Wetlands and Watercourses Commission from 1987-2000. She presently is a member of the Juvenile Review Board, the Democratic Town Committee, the Granby Horse Council and served on the Board of the Village for Families and Children, Inc. Sally and her certified therapy dog, James, are frequent visitors to Granby schools.

JIM LOFINK – DEM.

Jim and his family chose Granby in 2005 because of its great schools, farms and open spaces and rural, residential character. Jim joined the Board of Selectmen in 2015 after serving on the Town Charter Revision Commission, Plan of Conservation and Development Committee, and two Town Building Committees. Since then he



Jim Lofink

has supported resident participation, transparency and our long-range planning process to stabilize taxes and keep Granby “the Pride of the Valley.” Jim supports our community through service in the Granby Land Trust, Granby Senior Center, Salmon Brook Historical Society, Granby Tennis Club and Friends of Holcomb Farm.

EDWARD E. OHANNESSIAN – REP.

Since moving to Granby, I have been committed to serving our community by volunteering with various organizations and serving in town government.



Edward E. Ohannessian

Granby's success is rooted in conservative fiscal policy with the goal of meeting the needs of our growing and vibrant town.

As an investment professional, I clearly understand the conflict of diverse financial needs that must be met within constrained budgets thereby resisting increasing tax burdens.

I am committed to ensuring that Granby

continues to provide a high level of service to its residents and remains an attractive place to reside. I would be grateful for your vote.

MARK NEUMANN – REP.

For the last 16 years, I have served on the Board of Selectmen, and prior to that, I served on the Board of Assessment Appeals and as Town Constable. I am a graduate of Granby Memorial High School and a Granby native. I work at Collins Aerospace in Windsor Locks.



Mark Neumann

The Board of Selectmen's challenge in the coming term is how to maintain Granby's current services with decreasing support from the state. Balancing the needs of the town with the available funds is the task I will take if reelected. I hope to earn your vote Nov. 5.

JOHN A. BAZYK – PETITIONING CANDIDATE

My grandfather, Chet, often told me, “Granby is the best town in the world.” I agree. For 13 years, I've worked with tens of thousands of people as



John A. Bazyk

a volunteer and as a professional. If I've learned one thing, it's that helping people and improving processes requires careful dedication to listening to what people say and asking questions. My commitment to my hometown is to use the skills I have acquired to help protect and

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SAME-DAY VOTER REGISTRATION

Same-day voter registration in Connecticut: The State legislature has changed state statutes so that U.S. citizens who are 18 by November 5 can register to vote on Election Day. To implement, unregistered voters must go to Town Hall, not the town's polling site in the Community Gym, on Election Day to register. They must bring proof of identity and proof of residence to vote. If they are registered before 8 p.m., they will fill out a ballot and place it in an envelope. If their ballot is uncontested at 8 p.m., it will go to Granby's polling site at the high school where it will be counted separately from the official ballots and the absentee ballots. The Registrar of Voters strongly encourages everyone to register before Election Day, so you can place your ballot directly into the machine to be counted and avoid potentially long lines at Town Hall. Unregistered voters in line at Town Hall at 8 p.m. will not be able to vote on Election Day. Voters need to be aware that voter registration is

NON-transferable. If you moved from another town or state, you need to fill out a new registration card with your current address in order to vote.

Online voter registration is available for new voters or to make changes 24 hours a day – seven days a week at: voterregistration.ct.gov

Voter Registration can be verified 24/7 at: dir.ct.gov/sots/lookup.aspx

ONE POLLING SITE GMHS COMMUNITY GYM

For the municipal election on Tuesday, Nov. 5, the polls will be open from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. All Granby residents will vote at the same location, in the community gym, located in Granby Memorial High School in the center of town. Traffic is anticipated to be light to moderate. It is recommended that drivers access the community gym using the high school's entrance off North Granby Road, Route 189, next to Public Works, and leave the polls from Salmon Brook Street, Route 10/202, next to the

Middle School. All Granby schools will be closed on Election Day, but the registrars strongly recommend voting between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. if you have the option to do so, as the heaviest voting will be between 6 a.m. and 10 a.m., and the second rush between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m.

SENIOR VAN SERVICE AVAILABLE ON ELECTION DAY

Homebound registered voters can arrange for transportation to the polls by calling the Social Services department at the Senior Center at # 860-844-5353. The service is planned to be offered from 9 a.m to noon on Election Day and it is strongly recommended that voters call now to arrange for a ride before November 5.

VOTER ID

To check in quickly at the polls, please bring an ID. Should you not have an ID on election day, but have

previously proven your ID, either at the time of your registration or when voting previously, you will need to spend a few minutes at the Moderator's table, as there is a state required form to fill out. If you are a brand new voter, and your confirmation letter noted that you have not proven your identity, you MUST bring an ID to vote on Election Day, preferably a photo ID. Provisional ballots are not available for Municipal Elections.

ELECTION RESULTS REPORTING

Election results reporting continues to improve statewide using an improved two-step process. Machine-read ballot totals will be announced immediately and the additional calculations including hand-counted ballots will have 48 hours to be processed. With this new method over 90 percent of both local and statewide results can be posted more quickly. You can see past results as well as current election results as they are reported at the Secretary of State's website: ctemspublic.pcctg.net/#/home

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preserve what we love about Granby. I will work to guarantee every resident has an opportunity to speak their mind and feel understood.

BOARD OF FINANCE

Full Term
(vote for any three)

BILL KENNEDY - DEM.

Bill has lived in Granby for nearly 50 years, serving the town in many ways. He began as a *Drummer* reporter covering the Board of Selectmen, then went on to serve two terms as a member of the Board. He has also served on several town building committees, on the Board of Holcomb Farm, and on the Plan of Conservation and Development Committee. He believes Granby needs continued support for its strong educational system and senior and youth programs. He knows the coming years will require difficult decisions by the Board of Finance to keep Granby vibrant and secure future growth.



Bill Kennedy

KELLY ROME - REP.

Kelly resides in Granby with her husband and sons. She graduated from Granby Memorial High School and went on to earn a Bachelor of Arts in economics from UConn and a Masters in Business Administration from the University of Hartford. She is currently Vice President of Product Development for Prudential Retirement and is FINRA 7 and 24 licensed. In addition to serving on the Board of Finance, Kelly has served on several boards including Granby Zoning Board of Appeals,



Kelly O. Rome

Granby PTO, Rovers and Morningstar Client Advisory Board. She is currently a member of the Board of Directors for Junior Achievement of Southern New England.

MICHAEL B. GUARCO, JR. - REP.

Mike is a life-long resident of Granby, having gone through the local school system and then to the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce at UPenn. He served on the Economic Development Commission prior to joining the Board of Finance in 1982, serving as its chairman since 1989. He has lobbied legislators on mandate reforms that would help the towns in managing costs and property taxes. Having raised four children in town with his wife Judy, he knows the workings of the community — its strengths and challenges — and what makes it the great place it is to raise a family and live and work.



Michael B. Guarco, Jr.

BOARD OF FINANCE

To Fill Vacancy for 2 Years
(vote for one)

JAMES TSAPTSINOS - REP.

James grew up in Brooklyn, N.Y. He and his wife, Jessica, and 7-year-old son Demetrios have been residents of Granby since 2012. He has been an active member of the community volunteering as an assistant Little League and lacrosse coach as well as serving as a Granby Parks and Recreation board member. He is an active musician and recording engineer, and has spent the last 20 years as a corporate executive responsible for sales and expense budgets. He is currently vice president of



James Tsaptsinos

sales at KMC Music (Kaman Music Corp) in Bloomfield.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Three Openings 4-year term
(vote for four)

LYNN GUELZOW - DEM.

Lynn is a 21-year Granby resident, community volunteer and parent. She is an incumbent and is seeking her third term on the Board of Education. Lynn has been a fierce advocate for smaller class sizes, keeping teaching assistants in the elementary schools and strengthening the math curriculum. She has served on both the curriculum and finance subcommittees, as well as task forces for particular education issues. As Granby transitions to a new superintendent, Lynn seeks to provide stability and focus on keeping our schools strong and responsive to the needs of students and families.



Lynn Guelzow

CHRISTINE PEASLEE - DEM.

Christine is a 20-year resident of Granby. She has two older children who both recently graduated from the Granby Public Schools and is also the mother of a fourth grader currently enrolled at Wells Road. Christine has significant prior board experience, including most recently as a member of the Granby PTO. She has always been passionate about our children, their educations and their futures. Christine believes that each of her prior experiences and her convictions will benefit the Granby Board of Education and the Granby community as a whole.



Christine Peaslee

MONICA LOGAN - DEM.

Monica has worked in the insurance industry for over 14 years after a career as an attorney in private practice. After working for Chubb Insurance in Simsbury for several years as an Assistant Vice President of Claims, Monica recently began working as Assistant Vice President of Claims for TDC Specialty Underwriters in Unionville. She and her husband, Matt Peters, and their two sons moved to Granby because of the strong reputation of its school system. Monica wants to help Granby schools deliver a diverse, well-rounded and balanced education enabling all children to find and develop their individual talents and skills.



Monica Logan

JENNY EMERY - DEM.

Jenny is completing her second four-year term serving Granby through the Board of Education, including serving as chair of the Board of Ed's finance committee and on the Capital Projects Priority Advisory Committee (CPPAC). She spent 30 years in public sector risk management and finance. She and her husband, Dave, have lived in Granby since 1982, raising three proud graduates of the Granby Public Schools. She is a fiscally disciplined progressive who seeks to continue the important work of the Board of Education in a crucial time for the town's school system, on behalf of the Granby community we all love.



Jenny Emery

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REPUBLICAN PARTY	<input type="radio"/> 13B MARK LOCKWOOD	<input type="radio"/> 14B BRENNAN SHEAHAN	<input type="radio"/> 15B JONATHAN BOARDMAN	<input type="radio"/> 16B	<input type="radio"/> 17B PAULA H. JOHNSON	<input type="radio"/> 18B STEVE MULLER	<input type="radio"/> 19B ANN CRIMMINS	<input type="radio"/> 20B	<input type="radio"/> 21B	<input type="radio"/> 22B JOHN E. ADAMS
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Be sure to complete your vote on the reverse side of this ballot.

ROSEMARIE WEBER - REP.

Rosemarie is our longest serving Board of Education member and, as a parent and a taxpayer, Rosemarie understands the value of a strong public education for our children and our community. Rosemarie has used her experience and common sense approach to promote academic excellence for all students, challenging curriculum that prepares our students for the future, and policies that keep our children safe. Rosemarie currently serves as Secretary of Granby's Board of Education and the chair of the Curriculum Subcommittee.



Rosemarie Weber

DAVID PELING, SR. - REP.

Dave has 25 years of experience as a teacher and administrator in West Hartford, East Granby and Avon public schools. He and his wife Colleen moved to Granby because of the excellent reputation of the schools in town. They have two children, Maddie and David Jr. , who are enrolled in Granby Public Schools. Dave has coached Little League Baseball, Bearcats Football, and serves on the board of Bearcats Football. Dave hopes that the depth and breadth of his experience would be valuable on the Board of Education as it makes decisions about the future of Granby Public Schools.



David Peling, Sr.

MARK FIORENTINO - REP.

Mark Fiorentino is a government affairs lawyer, with more than 25 years of experience working with, and for, businesses and government entities at the local, regional, state and federal levels. Mark is completing his sixth year on the Granby Board of Education. He serves on the finance subcommittee and has been the board's vice chairman the last two years. Mark is committed to giving back to the community and has dedicated his time and resources to a number of organizations ranging from the Granby Bears Football team, to Holcomb Farm, to the Granby Senior Center.



Mark Fiorentino

BOARD OF ASSESSMENT APPEALS

One Opening 4-year term
(vote for one)

LOWELL "WHITEY" JOHNSON - REP.

With thanks to Granby voters, my 1965 election and service on the then Board of Tax Review, now the Board of Assessment and Appeals, has been uninterrupted. Since 1965 Granby property assessment processes and values have steadily improved to the point where, now, thanks to our Granby Assessors of-fice, there has been a remarkable reduction in appeals before the board. Yes, I would like to continue my service to Granby and thank you for your vote on Election Day, Nov. 5.



"Whitey" Johnson

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

Four Openings 4-year term
(vote for any four)

CHRISTINE CHINNI - DEM.

Chris and her husband, John Weeks, moved to Granby in 2003. Both avid birdwatchers, they chose Granby for its natural beauty, rural feel, and abundant wildlife. Chris is an attorney at a firm in Avon, specializing in education law. She has been practicing law in Connecticut since 1992. Chris has served as an alternate member of the Planning and Zoning Commission since that position was created in 2013 and looks forward to serving as a regular member of the Commission.



Christine Chinni

MARK LOCKWOOD - REP.

I am running for a position on the Planning and Zoning Commission in order to continue working to keep Granby a great place to live. I will look to balance the needs of the town and property owners in applying our land use regulations. My past activities in town include being a former member of the Conservation Commission, part of the committee on the recent revision of Granby's Plan of Conservation and Development, and as a past member on the Planning and Zoning Commission.



Mark Lockwood

BRENNAN SHEAHAN - REP.

Brennan has served as an alternate for the Planning and Zoning commission for the past year and has had the opportunity to participate in key decisions and learn the role of a commissioner. As a Granby resident for the past 17 years, he and his wife Deb have raised their three children here. During this time he has built a strong understanding of the town and its community. He looks forward to increasing his participation in the town government as a full commission member.



Brennan Sheahan

JONATHAN BOARDMAN - REP.

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PLANNING AND ZONING
COMMISSION ALTERNATE

One Opening 4-year term
(vote for one)

PAULA JOHNSON- REP.

During my 30 years as a member and 20 years as chair of the Planning and Zoning Commission, my personal goal has been to help preserve Granby's distinctive atmosphere for those who have chosen Granby as their home and workplace. Preserving the delicate balance of our rural residential atmosphere and managing the inevitable growth to meet the needs of the town are the greatest challenges facing the commission. My commitment as an alternate is to continue to be an active and accessible member of the commission and its subcommittees and aggressively seek citizen participation in the work of refining and updating our regulations.



Paula Johnson

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Three Openings 4-year term
(vote for any three)

SUZANNE YUCHA - DEM.

Sue has lived in Granby for nearly 40 years. She and her husband have raised two children and been involved in numerous town activities. She has been an alternate member of the ZBA for 14 years and looks forward to serving as a full board member. She has also served as a board member for Granby Parks and Recreation. She enjoys being a part of Zoning Board of Appeals because it is important to balance the Granby zoning rules with residents' personal needs.



Suzanne Yucha

STEVE MULLER - REP.

No information received

ANN CRIMINS - REP.

I am currently on the ZBA and seek re-election this year. Previously I was a member of the Inland Wetland and Watercourses Commission here in Granby. I served on our Board of Education for 17 years with two as chairperson. Since I moved into Granby in 1977, I have worked to give back to the town that has given so much to me and my family.



Ann Crims

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

ALTERNATE

One Opening 4-year term
(vote for one)

DAVID HENNESSEY - DEM.

David has lived in Granby with his wife and two children for 17 years. He began serving as a Zoning Board of Appeals Alternate in 2017, during which time he has helped review variances and exceptions to town zoning requirements. An attorney by trade, he has devoted over 30 years to helping Connecticut companies work well with their communities. He has been active in supporting the Granby Land Trust and Granby Education Foundation and has been a staunch supporter of careful development and improvement of Granby and its environs, with a focus on preserving the nature and history of the town and community.



David Hennessey

MODERATOR

One Opening 2-year term
(vote for one)

JOHN E. ADAMS - REP.

John has been a resident of Granby since 1990. He and his wife Cindy raised two children in town. John has served as First Selectman, Selectman, Chairman of the Charter Revision Commission and as Vice Chairman of CPPAC. He is active statewide, serving on the Board of the Material Innovation and Recycling Authority and the Board of Examiners of Environmental Professionals. John is a Senior Vice President at Tetra Tech. He is the Town Treasurer and is currently seeking his fourth term as Moderator.



John E. Adams

VOTE
TUES. NOV. 5
6 A.M. – 8 P.M.
COMMUNITY GYM @
GRANBY MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

Registrar of Voters *cont'd from front*

NEW TOUCH SCREEN
VOTING EQUIPMENT
FOR EVERYONE

Voters will have the option to vote privately and independently using a touch screen or audio ballot marking system. This new equipment is designed to allow people who can't or prefer not to use a marking pen to fill out their ballot to vote on Election Day privately and independently at the polling site. To actually cast a vote using the touch screen system, you need to be a registered voter and come to the polls on Election Day. We encourage all town residents to try out this system.

POLL WORKERS
ARE NEEDED

The Registrar's office is actively recruiting new workers and offers options for training to make it easier to participate. To prepare for the Presidential primaries and election in 2020 there will be morning, afternoon, evening and weekend classes. Only one class is required to participate as an official poll worker. Poll workers can be volunteers or paid, and must be 16 years or older.

If you would like to be added to the list or if you did not receive the poll worker information and signups — please e-mail the registrars at: lwolfe@granby-ct.gov and/or ssmith@granby-ct.gov for more information.

CURBSIDE VOTING

Physically disabled or handicapped voters can choose to vote using an absentee ballot through the Town Clerk (see below) before Election day. For voters who have a temporary medical issue on Election day, such as a severe arthritis flare up, they can participate in a program called curbside voting. This involves making a request at the polling site for help from two assistant registrars, a Democrat and a Republican. While the curbside voter waits in a designated parking space, the assistant registrars check in the voter and are issued a ballot in a privacy folder that they carry to the car of the voter to fill out. After filling out the ballot, the assistant registrars carry the completed ballot, in a privacy folder, to the optical scanner voting machine to be counted. This service is not available to people who are not temporarily physically handicapped.

ABSENTEE
BALLOTS

Absentee Ballots are handled through the Town Clerk's office and represent a complete ballot identical to the ballots used by voters on Election Day, just on a different color paper because they are tallied separately. Connecticut has specific guidelines for the use of Absentee ballots; essentially the voter must testify on their absentee ballot application that they have a reason for not voting at the polls. The form is available at Town Hall or on the web at sots.ct.gov If you've sent in an application for your absentee ballot already, please mail your completed ballot immediately after you receive it to ensure your vote will be counted. If you have not applied yet, there isn't much time for mailing back and forth so we would advise coming to the Town Hall, where you can complete the process in person. Any ballots received by the Town Clerk after Nov. 5 are not counted.

CALENDAR REVIEW

Monday, Nov. 4
Last Day to Register in person for brand new residents, military service and just turned 18 years old. Special Office Hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Town Hall.

Tuesday, Nov. 5
Municipal Election – Polls open 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Granby Community Gym, Granby Memorial High School

Tuesday, Nov. 5 Same Day – Election Day Registration and voting at the Registrar's office at Town Hall for those who are eligible and need to register before voting only.

Feel free to stop by to register to vote, to determine your voting district or to make corrections in person at the Registrar's Office in the Town Hall every Wednesday (our regular office hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.). Please note that voter registration forms are also available at town halls, libraries, DMV offices and online at the Secretary of State's website: www.sots.ct.gov

Questions? Please feel free to contact the registrars, Laura Wolfe and Sonja Smith. Our office phone number/voice mail is #860-844-5322 and our e-mail address are: lwolfe@granby-ct.gov or ssmith@granby-ct.gov