

**WARRANT AND NOTICE OF ELECTION  
CALLING REGIONAL SCHOOL UNIT NO. 9 REFERENDUM  
(20-A M.R.S. §§ 1501-04)**

TO: Richard E. Joseph, a resident of Regional School Unit No. 9, composed of the Towns of Chesterville, Farmington, Industry, New Sharon, New Vineyard, Starks, Temple, Vienna, Weld, and Wilton, State of Maine.

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby ordered to serve upon the municipal clerks of each of the municipalities within Regional School Unit No. 9, namely, the Towns of Chesterville, Farmington, Industry, New Sharon, New Vineyard, Starks, Temple, Vienna, Weld, and Wilton, an attested copy of this warrant and notice of election. Service shall be in hand within three (3) days of the date of this warrant and notice of election. The municipal clerks of the above municipalities shall immediately notify the respective municipal officers. The municipal officers shall meet forthwith and countersign this warrant and notice of election. The municipal officers shall provide below for the respective municipal clerks to post or have posted this warrant and notice of election.

**TOWN OF FARMINGTON  
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Franklin County, ss.

State of Maine

TO: Clyde Ross, Resident of the Town of Farmington: You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify the voters of this municipality of the election described in this warrant and notice of election.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF FARMINGTON: You are hereby notified that a Regional School Unit No. 9 referendum election will be held at the Farmington Community Center, 127 Middle Street, in the Town of Farmington, on Monday, March 24, 2025 for the purpose of determining the following question:

Question 1: Do you favor authorizing the School Board of Regional School Unit No. 9 (the "RSU") to use grant funds to fully acquire the property and building (the Ingalls School) at 144 High Street in Farmington for use as Franklin County Adult Education and *Community Resource Hub* at a purchase price not to exceed \$1,600,000 and on such terms as the School Board determines are in the best interest of the RSU, which purchase price shall be 100% funded by a grant through the Connectivity Hubs Program?

(The \$1,600,000 of Maine Connectivity Authority (MCA) Grant funds have been approved for purchasing the Ingalls School, and if not used for this purpose by 06/30/2025, the funds will be returned to the MCA. Some contingency funds for unforeseen costs will also be made available to the RSU from MCA. We define a *Community Resource Hub* as a space for local residents and families to access education, workforce training, and telehealth services under one roof.)

The polls must be open for a minimum of 4 hours

The Registrar of Voters will hold office hours while the polls are open to correct any error in or change a name or address on the voting list, to accept the registration of any person eligible to vote, and to accept new enrollments.

A person who is not registered as a voter may not vote in any election.