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Warrant Articles 11 & 12 – Changing the Special Education Trust Fund to Special Education Capital Reserve

- District voted in March 1998 to establish a Special Education Expendable Trust Fund
- Fund established for the purpose of meeting the expenses of students with disabilities
- Trust Funds and Capital Reserve Funds are both overseen by the Trustees of the Trust Funds and serve the same purpose.
- The difference between the 2 types of funds is the Trust Funds require a public hearing before the Board can vote to expend funds (RSA 198:20-c, II). There is no public hearing requirement for Capital Reserve Funds.
- Estimated balance @ 6/30/21 in Special Education Trust Fund is approximately \$184,000.
- Establish new capital reserve fund (Article #11) funds from general fund surplus from discontinued trust fund
- Discontinue old trust fund (Article #12)-funds lapse to general fund surplus

(no tax rate impact)

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Warrant Articles 13-17 – Deposit into Trust Funds / Capital Reserve Funds from June 30, 2021 unassigned fund balance (surplus). Total of \$100,000 for 5 funds.

- 1. WA #13: Facilities Trust Fund up to \$60,000 current balance \$119,156
- 2. WA #14: Vehicle Trust Fund up to \$10,000 current balance \$53,887
- 3. WA #15: Equipment Trust Fund up to \$10,000 current balance \$19,650
- 4. WA #16: Technology Trust Fund up to \$10,000 current balance \$30,795
- 5. WA #17: Special Ed Capital Reserve up to \$10,000 current balance \$183,539