



**SPECIMEN BALLOT  
CAPE ELIZABETH, MAINE  
SCHOOL BUDGET VALIDATION REFERENDUM ELECTION  
JUNE 11, 2019**

Town Clerk

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

- A. To vote for your selection on the ballot, fill in the oval on the left like this: ●  
B. If you make a mistake, you may request a new ballot. DO NOT ERASE.

**School Budget Validation Referendum**

**Do you favor approving the Town of Cape Elizabeth school budget for the upcoming school year that was adopted at the latest school budget meeting of the Town Council?**

- Yes  
 No

**The following is a non-binding expression of opinion for the consideration of the School Board and Town Council.**

**I find the school budget adopted at the May 13, 2019 Town Council's school budget meeting to be:**

- TOO HIGH  
 ACCEPTABLE  
 TOO LOW

**School Budget Validation Referendum Process**

**Do you wish to continue the budget validation referendum process in Cape Elizabeth for an additional three years?**

- Yes  
 No

**Informational Note**

**A "YES" vote will require Cape Elizabeth to continue to conduct a referendum to validate its annual school budget for the next three years.**

**A "NO" vote will discontinue the budget validation referendum for at least three years and provide instead that the annual school budget shall be finally adopted at a meeting of the Town Council.**