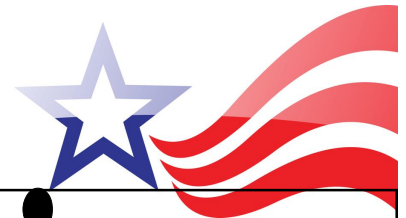


# YOUR VOTE COUNTS!



# The Pipeline

November 2014 Volume 18, No. 3

**Polls will be Open**  
**Nov. 4th**  
**7:00 AM to 8:00 PM**

## Polling Locations

District	Location
0501	Charlestown Elementary School 363 Carolina Back Road Please use Gymnasium Door
0502	Charlestown Town Hall 4540 South County Trail Main Entrance to Council Chambers
0503	Quonochontaug Grange 5662 Post Road Main Ramp Entrance
0504	Charlestown Ambulance Rescue Station 4891 Old Post Road Main Ramp Entrance

Visit [www.charlestownri.org](http://www.charlestownri.org) to check your voter registration, view sample ballots for upcoming elections and find out where your polling place is. Your name, date of birth and zip code or city/town of residence are required to view your personal voter registration record. Look for this icon on the Town's website:



**If you have any questions, please call the  
Town Clerk's office at 364-1200.**

## Bring ID to Polls

Poll workers will ask you to show a current and valid photo ID when you vote at your polling place. Voter ID strengthens the public's faith in the integrity of our elections by enabling poll workers to match a voter's face to the name they give at the polls.

### Poll workers will accept the following valid and current Photo IDs:

- RI driver's license
- U.S. passport
- ID card issued by an educational institution in the U.S.
- U.S. military ID card
- ID card issued by the U.S. government or State of RI (like a RIPTA bus pass)
- Government issued medical card
- RI Voter ID

### Protecting your vote:

- The Secretary of State's Office will provide a free Voter ID to voters who don't already have a current and valid Photo ID. Please call 222-2340 or visit [www.sos.ri.gov](http://www.sos.ri.gov) for more information.
- No eligible voter will be turned away the polls. Voters who do not bring an acceptable ID to their polling place can vote using a standard Provisional Ballot. The ballot will be counted if the signature they give at their polling place matches the signature on their voter registration.

## Sample Ballot

A sample ballot has been included for your review prior to Election Day. The names under the category for Senator in General Assembly have been removed from the sample ballot and shown in a separate insert to avoid confusion, as the candidates listed on the ballot depend on the district in which you live.

**See Sample Ballot on next page.**

**OFFICIAL ELECTION BALLOT  
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014**



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**1. To vote:**

Complete the arrow(s) pointing to your choice(s) with a single bold line, like this .

**2. To vote for a write-in candidate:**

Print the name of the person on the blank line labeled "Write-In" for the office and complete the arrow pointing to your write-in choice like this .

**3. To cast a straight party vote:**

Complete the arrow pointing to the party of your choice in the straight party section of the ballot. If you cast a straight party vote and also vote for an individual candidate or candidates for a certain office on the ballot, the straight party vote will not be counted for that office and only the individual candidate or candidates voted for will be counted for that office.

**INSERTS  
BELOW**

<b>SENATOR IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY TWO Year Term District 34 Vote for 1</b>
Voicing Districts 0501 & 0502
Catherine COOL RUMSEY (D)
Elaine J. MORGAN (R)
Write-In

**OR**

<b>SENATOR IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY TWO Year Term District 38 Vote for 1</b>
Voicing Districts 0503 & 0504
Dennis L. ALGIERE (R)
Write-In

<b>STRAIGHT PARTY</b> To vote a "Straight Ticket" complete the arrow pointing to the party of your choice. <b>DEMOCRAT</b> <b>MODERATE</b> <b>REPUBLICAN</b>	<b>SECRETARY OF STATE</b> FOUR Year Term Vote for 1 Nellie M. GORBEA DEMOCRAT John M. CARLEVALE, SR. REPUBLICAN Write-in	<b>TOWN MODERATOR</b> TWO Year Term Vote for 1 Henry A. WALSH DEMOCRAT Leone D. MAINELLI Independent Write-in
<b>SENATOR IN CONGRESS</b> SIX Year Term Vote for 1 John F. REED DEMOCRAT Mark S. ZACCARIA REPUBLICAN Write-in	<b>ATTORNEY GENERAL</b> FOUR Year Term Vote for 1 Peter F. KILMARTIN DEMOCRAT Dawson Tucker HODGSON REPUBLICAN Write-in	<b>TOWN COUNCIL</b> TWO Year Term Vote for any 5 Paula Ann ANDERSEN DEMOCRAT Brandon Thomas CLEARY DEMOCRAT Ronald H. RUSSO DEMOCRAT Lisa A. DIBELLO DEMOCRAT George C. TREMBLAY Independent Denise L. RHODES Independent Thomas B. GENTZ Independent Bonnita B. VAN SLYKE Independent Virginia LEE Independent Write-in Write-in Write-in Write-in Write-in
<b>REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS</b> DISTRICT 2 TWO Year Term Vote for 1 James R. LANGEVIN DEMOCRAT Rhue R. REIS REPUBLICAN Write-in	<b>GENERAL TREASURER</b> FOUR Year Term Vote for 1 Seth MAGAZINER DEMOCRAT Ernest A. ALMONTE Independent Write-in	
<b>GOVERNOR</b> FOUR Year Term Vote for 1 Gina M. RAIMONDO DEMOCRAT Robert J. HEALEY, JR. MODERATE Allan W. FUNG REPUBLICAN Kate L. FLETCHER Independent Leon M. KAYARIAN Independent Write-in	<b>SENATOR IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY</b> DISTRICT TWO Year Term Vote for 1 Donna M. WALSH DEMOCRAT Blake Anthony FILIPPI Independent Write-in	
<b>LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR</b> FOUR Year Term Vote for 1 Daniel J. McKEE DEMOCRAT William H. GILBERT MODERATE Catherine Terry TAYLOR REPUBLICAN Tony JONES Libertarian Write-in		<b>CHARIHO SCHOOL COMMITTEE</b> FOUR Year Term Vote for any 3 Stephen YOUNG REPUBLICAN Craig F. LOUZON Independent Ronald J. AREGLADO Independent Donna CHAMBERS Independent Write-in Write-in Write-in
		<b>LOCAL RACES CONTINUE ON BACK</b>  <b>STATE QUESTIONS ON BACK</b>

**VOTE BOTH FRONT AND BACK OF BALLOT**

**NON-PARTISAN  
PLANNING COMMISSION**  
Two Top Vote Getters will Serve  
For a Six Year Term.  
Next Top Vote Getter  
will Serve For a Two Year Term.  
Next Two Top Vote Getters  
Serve For a Two  
Year Term as Alternates.  
Vote for any 5

Frances M. TOPPING ←

Mark C. ALEXANDER ←

Constance D. VADNAIS-BAKER ←

Gordon L. FOER ←

Barbara A. HEAVERS ←

Write-in ←

Write-in ←

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**STATE QUESTIONS**

**1. STATE CONSTITUTIONAL  
APPROVAL**  
  
(APPROVAL OF AN ACT  
AUTHORIZING  
STATE-OPERATED CASINO  
GAMING AT NEWPORT GRAND  
IN THE CITY OF NEWPORT)  
(Section 22 of Article VI of the  
Constitution)

Shall an act be approved which  
would authorize the facility known  
as "Newport Grand" in the city of  
Newport to add state-operated  
casino gaming, such as table  
games, to the types of gambling it  
offers only and exclusively at the  
facility located at 150 Admiral  
Kalbfus Road, Newport?

Question 1 APPROVE ←

Question 1 REJECT ←

**STATE QUESTIONS**

**2. AMENDMENT TO THE  
CONSTITUTION  
OF THE STATE  
(RESTRICTION ON GAMBLING)**  
(Section 1 of Article XIV of the  
Constitution)

Approval of the amendment to  
Section 22 of Article VI of the  
Rhode Island Constitution set forth  
below will provide that no change in  
the location of gambling permitted  
in a municipality would occur  
without the further approval of the  
majority of those electors voting on  
said proposed location change in a  
referendum within said  
municipality:

Question 2 APPROVE ←

Question 2 REJECT ←

**Full text of amendment for  
Question 2**

Section 22 of Article VI of the  
Constitution shall be amended to  
read as follows:

**Section 22. Restriction on  
gambling.**

No act expanding the types or  
locations of gambling which are  
permitted within the state or within  
any city or town therein or  
expanding municipalities in which a  
particular form of gambling is  
authorized shall take effect until it  
has been approved by the majority  
of those electors voting in a  
statewide referendum and by the  
majority of those electors voting in  
said referendum in the municipality  
in which the proposed gambling  
would be allowed and, having been  
so approved in said referendum in  
any city or town on or after  
November 4, 2014, the location  
where the gambling is permitted in  
any city or town shall not be  
changed within said city or town  
without the approval of the majority  
of those electors voting on said  
proposed change in a referendum  
in said city or town.

The secretary of state shall certify  
the results of the statewide  
referendum and the local board of  
canvassers of the city or town  
where the gambling is to be  
allowed shall certify the results of  
the local referendum to the  
secretary of state.

**3. CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION**  
(Section 2 of Article XIV of the  
Constitution)

Shall there be a convention to  
amend or revise the Constitution?

Question 3 APPROVE ←

Question 3 REJECT ←

**4. HIGHER EDUCATION FACILITIES  
BONDS  
\$125,000,000**

Question 4 APPROVE ←

Question 4 REJECT ←

**STATE QUESTIONS**

**5. CREATIVE AND CULTURAL  
ECONOMY BONDS  
\$35,000,000**

(a) Cultural Arts and the  
Economy Grant Program:  
\$30,000,000

1. Trinity Repertory Company:  
\$4,647,750
2. Rhode Island Philharmonic:  
\$2,390,250
3. Newport Performing Arts Center:  
\$4,216,800
4. United Theater/Westerly  
Land Trust: \$2,369,440
5. The Chorus of Westerly:  
\$1,054,200
6. The Stadium Theater  
Conservatory in Woonsocket:  
\$2,108,400
7. 2nd Story Theater: \$1,054,200
8. AS220: \$2,108,400
9. WaterFire Providence:  
\$3,162,600
10. Other funds to be allocated by  
RJSCA: \$6,887,960.

(b) State Preservation Grants  
Program: \$5,000,000

Question 5 APPROVE ←

Question 5 REJECT ←

**6. MASS TRANSIT HUB  
INFRASTRUCTURE BONDS  
\$35,000,000**

Question 6 APPROVE ←

Question 6 REJECT ←

**7. CLEAN WATER, OPEN SPACE,  
AND HEALTHY COMMUNITIES  
BONDS  
\$53,000,000**

(a) Brownfield Remediation and  
Economic Development:  
\$5,000,000

(b) Flood Prevention:  
\$3,000,000

(c) Farmland Acquisition:  
\$3,000,000

(d) Local Recreation Grants:  
\$4,000,000

(e) Roger Williams Park Zoo:  
\$15,000,000

(f) Roger Williams Park:  
\$3,000,000

(g) Clean Water Finance Agency:  
\$20,000,000

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# Town Hall Phone Numbers

364-1210 Administrator  
364-1215 Building/Zoning  
364-1230 Dept. of Public Works  
364-1222 Parks & Recreation  
364-1225 Planning  
364-1233 Tax Assessor  
364-1234 Tax Collector  
364-1200 Town Clerk  
364-1235 Treasurer  
364-1212 Police (non-emergency)  
364-1076 Public Assistance  
364-5030 Wastewater Mgt.

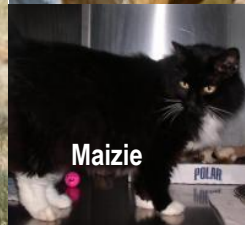
## Hours of Operation

Town Hall Hours: M-F 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM  
CRCC Hours: M, TH, F, SA, 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM  
Animal Shelter: Call ahead, 364-1211  
M-F 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM, Saturday 8:00 AM to Noon

## Charlestown Animal Shelter Pets Need Homes 364-1211



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# On-Site Wastewater Treatment News

Good News! Compliance with the Town's Wastewater Management Ordinance is at an all time high! This means less potential threat to our most important natural resource, our groundwater, which is our **ONLY** source of drinking water in Charlestown, *and* healthier, cleaner surface waters. Septic systems are regularly being inspected, pumped as necessary, maintained, and repaired. Harmful and dangerous cesspools continue to be removed and replaced with safer and cleaner septic systems. There are now only 38 cesspools remaining in the whole town! Enforcement actions for non-compliance have commenced through the Town's Municipal Court System and have been effective in reducing threats to human health and the environment. Please remember to do your share in protecting our health and the environment of our Town. Please contact the Office of Wastewater Management at 364-5030 with any questions pertaining to wastewater, groundwater and surface water or visit the Wastewater Management Website at [www.charlestownri.org](http://www.charlestownri.org).

## THE TOWN HALL PIPELINE

Charlestown Town Hall  
4540 South County Trail  
Charlestown, RI 02813



**MUNICIPAL  
INFORMATIONAL  
NEWSLETTER**

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«RR #1»  
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