

STAFF REPORT

AGENDA ITEM #: 18-104
COUNCIL MTG OF: August 24, 2018
FROM: Daniel Healey, Town Clerk
OFFERED BY: Town Clerk
PREPARED BY: Daniel Healey, Town Clerk
SUBJECT: Change Central Polling Location

INTRODUCTION

The Town Clerk is requesting that the Derry Town Council change the central polling location.

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR COMMENTS

It is recommended that the Council support this request by naming Gilbert H. Hood Middle School as the Town's Central Polling Location.

BACKGROUND

Derry used West Running Brook Middle School as the central polling location for the past two Town Elections. According to NH RSA 658:11, the Town Moderator shall preside over the Central Polling Place.

DISCUSSION

Town Moderator Mary Till has requested the Central Polling Location be changed from West Running Brook Middle School to Gilbert H. Hood Middle school. By law, the moderator shall preside over the Central polling location and her preference for this election is Gilbert H. Hood Middle School as less experienced workers will be assigned to that location.

FISCAL IMPACT

There will be no fiscal impact.

RECOMMENDED ACTION BY COUNCIL

Recommended that the council name Gilbert H. Hood the Central Polling location.

RECOMMENDED MOTION

I MOVE THAT THE TOWN COUNCIL <adopt Resolution #2018-051> as follows ... *[Read the Resolution]*