

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS AND
ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION/BUDGET VOTE
AND ANNUAL PUBLIC LIBRARY ELECTION/BUDGET VOTE,
CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF NEW ROCHELLE
-AND-
NEW ROCHELLE PUBLIC LIBRARY**

GENERAL INFORMATION: Time and Place of Voting; Voter Registration; Absentee Ballots

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual School Election and Budget Vote of the City School District of the City of New Rochelle and the Annual Library Election and Budget Vote of the New Rochelle Public Library will be held Tuesday, May 18, 2021, between the hours of 7:00 AM and 10:00 PM, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by voting machine upon the items described below.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with the resolution adopted by the New Rochelle Board of Education, the City School District is divided into thirteen (13) School Election Districts (SED) at which voting will take place. A description of the boundaries of each School Election District is on file in the office of the School District Clerk, Central Administration, 515 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York 10801, and is available for inspection Mondays through Fridays (except holidays) between the hours of 9:00 AM and 4:30 PM. The locations of the polling places are as follows:

SED #1 - Barnard School, 129 Barnard Road, New Rochelle, NY 10801, Gymnasium (G.E.D.: 11, 12, 13, 16, 38, 70)

SED # 2 - Columbus School, 275 Washington Avenue, New Rochelle, NY 10801, Gymnasium (G.E.D.: 50, 51, 52, 54, 55, 56, 74, 75)

SED # 3 - Davis School, 80 Iselin Drive, New Rochelle, NY 10804, Gymnasium (Gymnasium entrance off Iselin Drive) (G.E.D.: 30, 32, 39, 40, 43, 46, 47)

SED # 4 - Jefferson School, 131 Weyman Avenue, New Rochelle, NY 10805, Gymnasium (Emmett Terrace Entrance) (G.E.D.: 18, 22, 23, 24, 71, 73)

SED # 5 – Central Administration (Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Center), 95 Lincoln Avenue, New Rochelle, NY 10801, Dining Hall (G.E.D.: 10, 15, 49, 53, 60, 64, 66, 78)

SED # 6 - New Rochelle High School, 265 Clove Road, New Rochelle, NY 10801, Auditorium Lobby (Clove Road Entrance) (G.E.D.: 14, 34, 36, 37, 41, 45, 48, 61, 68)

SED # 7 - Trinity School, 180 Pelham Road, New Rochelle, NY 10805, Gymnasium (G.E.D.: 1, 5, 6, 9, 28)

SED # 8 - Albert Leonard Middle School, 25 Gerada Lane, New Rochelle, NY 10804, Auditorium Lobby (G.E.D.: 31, 35, 44)

SED # 9 - Webster School, 95 Glenmore Drive, New Rochelle, NY 10801, Gymnasium
(G.E.D.: 7, 57, 58, 59, 63, 72)

SED #10 - Isaac E. Young Middle School, 270 Centre Avenue, New Rochelle, NY 10805, Gymnasium
(G.E.D.: 19, 25, 26, 29)

SED #11 – New Rochelle Fire Station #1, 45 Harrison St, New Rochelle, NY 10801,
(G.E.D.: 2, 3, 4, 8, 65, 69)

SED #12 - Ward School, 311 Broadfield Road, New Rochelle, NY 10804, Cafeteria (Rear Entrance)
(G.E.D.: 27, 33, 42, 67)

SED #13 - 570 Fifth Avenue, New Rochelle, NY 10801, Community Room (G.E.D.: 21)

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all registered voters in the City of New Rochelle will receive, by mail, a budget notice, which specifically identifies the polling place at which such voter shall vote. This notice will be mailed no later than May 12, 2021.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Registration will meet at the Board of Education offices, 515 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York, on Tuesday, May 4, 2021, between the hours of 4:00 PM and 8:00 PM, for the purpose of registering those qualified voters who are not already registered with the Westchester County Board of Elections. A qualified voter is one who is (1) a citizen of the United States; and (2) eighteen (18) years of age or older; and (3) a resident within the District for a period of thirty (30) days next preceding the Annual School Election/Budget Vote and Annual Library Election/Budget Vote, May 18, 2021; and (4) registered to vote with the City School District of New Rochelle or with the Westchester County Board of Elections in accordance with Section 5-106 of the Election Law which excludes (a) those convicted of a felony pursuant to the laws of New York State, who have not been pardoned or had their rights of citizenship restored, those whose maximum sentence of imprisonment has not expired, and/or those who have not been discharged from parole; and (b) persons adjudged incompetent by order of a court of competent judicial authority.

One must be registered to vote in this Election. The registers prepared by the Board of Registration shall be open for inspection by any qualified voter of the District at the Board of Education offices, 515 North Avenue, between the hours of 9:00 AM and 4:30 PM, Mondays through Fridays (except holidays) commencing May 4, 2021.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for absentee ballots may be obtained from the office of the School District Clerk, 515 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York 10801, telephone No. (914) 576-4219, or downloaded from the School District's Website, www.nred.org. Applications for absentee ballots must be received by the District Clerk no earlier than thirty (30) days before the election. Furthermore, such application must be received by the District Clerk at least seven days before the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter or his/her designated agent. Upon receiving a timely request for a mailed absentee ballot, the District Clerk will mail the ballot to the address set forth in the application by no later than six (6) days before the vote. The absentee ballot must be received by the School District Clerk, 515 North Avenue, no later than 5:00 PM on May 18, 2021, in order to be included in the canvass of votes. A list of persons to whom absentee ballots shall have been issued will be available for public inspection by any qualified

voter between the hours of 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM Mondays through Fridays (except holidays) commencing May 4, 2021 until the day of the election at the office of the School District Clerk, 515 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York 10801. Any qualified voter may, upon examination of such list, file a written challenge of the qualifications as a voter of any person whose name appears on such list, stating the reasons for such challenge. Such written challenge shall be transmitted by the School District Clerk to the Election Inspectors on Election Day. Any qualified voter present in the polling place has the right to object to the voting of an absentee ballot upon appropriate grounds for making his/her challenge and the reasons therefore known to an Election Inspector before the close of the polls.

SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET AND ELECTION INFORMATION:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing on the Proposed 2021-2022 Annual Budget of the City School District of the City of New Rochelle will be held Tuesday, May 4, 2021 at 7:00 PM in the Library at New Rochelle High School, 265 Clove Road, New Rochelle or by remote, if legally permissible.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual School Election/Budget Vote of the City School District of the City of New Rochelle will be held Tuesday, May 18, 2021, between the hours of 7:00 AM and 10:00 PM, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by voting machine upon the following items:

1. To elect three members of the Board of Education to serve at-large. Two vacancies will be filled for a five-year term each beginning on July 1, 2021 and ending June 30, 2026; and one vacancy will be filled for a one-year term (unexpired portion of a five-year term ending June 30, 2022) beginning May 18, 2021 and ending June 30, 2022. The successful candidates receiving the highest and second-highest number of votes shall be entitled to the five-year terms. The successful candidate receiving the third-highest number of votes shall be entitled to the one-year term.
2. To adopt the Annual Budget of the City School District of the City of New Rochelle for the fiscal year 2021-2022, and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property located within the School District, New Rochelle, New York.
3. To approve propositions as the Board of Education may deem proper to place before the voters.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required to fund the School District's budget for 2021-2022, exclusive of public monies, may be obtained by any resident of the School District during business hours, 8:00 AM through 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday, except holidays, at the School District's administrative offices, 515 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York 10801, and all school buildings within the School District, commencing May 4, 2021.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Real Property Tax Exemption Report prepared in accordance with Section 495 of the Real Property Tax Law will be annexed to any tentative/preliminary budget as well as the final adopted budget of which it will form a part; and shall be posted on the District bulletin board(s) maintained for public notices, as well as on the District's website.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates to the office of member of the Board of Education shall be filed with the Clerk of the School District at her office, 515 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York 10801, no later than 5:00 PM on Wednesday, April 28, 2021. Nominating petitions shall be signed by at least fifty (50) qualified voters of the School District, shall state the name and residence of the candidate; and shall state the name and residence of each signer. Candidates run at-large.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to Bylaw No. 1050 of the Board of Education, in accordance with Section 2035 of the Education Law, any referenda or propositions to amend the School District budget or otherwise to be submitted for voting at this Election, must be filed with the Board of Education at its administrative offices, 515 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York 10801, on or before March 19, 2021; must be typed or printed in the English language; must be directed to the School District Clerk; must be signed by at least one hundred (100) qualified voters of the School District; and must state the name and residence of each signer. The Board of Education may reject a proposition that is considered unnecessary or confusing to the voters. The Board of Education may revise a proposition submitted as to length and form. The Board of Education will not entertain any petition to place before the voters any proposition the purpose of which is not within the voters to determine, or any proposition which fails to include a specific appropriation where the expenditures of monies is required by the proposition.

PUBLIC LIBRARY BUDGET AND ELECTION INFORMATION:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing on the Proposed 2021-2022 Annual Budget of the New Rochelle Public Library will be held Thursday evening, May 6, 2021, at 7:00 PM at the New Rochelle Public Library, Ossie Davis Theater, One Library Plaza, New Rochelle, New York 10801.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Library Election/Budget Vote of the New Rochelle Public Library will be held Tuesday, May 18, 2021, between the hours of 7:00 AM and 10:00 PM, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by voting machine upon the following items:

1. To elect one member of the New Rochelle Public Library Board of Trustees to serve at-large. The vacancy will be filled for a five-year term beginning July 1, 2021 and ending June 30, 2026. The successful candidate receiving the highest number of votes shall be entitled to the five-year term. Members of the New Rochelle Public Library Board of Trustees are elected at-large.
2. To adopt an Annual Budget of the New Rochelle Public Library for the fiscal year 2021-2022, and to authorize the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property located within the School District, New Rochelle, New York.
3. To approve propositions as the Library Trustees may deem proper to place before the voters.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required to fund the New Rochelle Public Library's budget for 2021-2022, exclusive of public monies, may be obtained by any resident of the School District during business hours, Monday through Friday, except holidays, (a) at the Library's administrative offices, One Library Plaza, New Rochelle, New York 10801, and (b) at the School District's administrative offices, 515 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York 10801, commencing May 4, 2021.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Real Property Tax Exemption Report prepared in accordance with Section 495 of the Real Property Tax Law will be annexed to any tentative/preliminary budget as well as the final adopted budget of which it will form a part; and shall be posted on the District bulletin board(s) maintained for public notices, as well as on the District's website.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates to the office of trustee of the New Rochelle Public Library shall be filed with the Clerk of the School District at her office, Central Administration, 515 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York 10801, no later than 5:00 PM on Wednesday, April 28, 2021. Nominating petitions shall be signed by at least twenty five (25) qualified voters of the School District; shall state the name and residence of the candidate; and shall state the name and residence of each signer. Candidates run at-large.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with Section 2035 of the Education Law and pursuant to Bylaw No. 1050 of the Board of Education, any referenda or propositions to be submitted for voting at this election, must be filed with the Board of Education at its administrative offices, 515 North Avenue, New Rochelle, New York 10801, on or before March 19, 2021; must be typed or printed in the English language; must be directed to the School District Clerk; must be signed by at least one hundred (100) qualified voters of the School District; and must state the name and residence of each signer. The Board of Education may reject a proposition that is considered unnecessary or confusing to the voters. The Board of Education may revise a proposition submitted as to length and form. The Board of Education will not entertain any petition to place before the voters any proposition the purpose of which is not within the voters to determine, or any proposition which fails to include a specific appropriation where the expenditures of monies is required by the proposition.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that military voters who are not currently registered may apply to register as a qualified voter of the school district. Military voters who are qualified voters of the school district may submit an application for a military ballot. Military voters may designate a preference to receive a military voter registration, military ballot application or military ballot by mail, facsimile transmission or electronic mail in their request for such registration, ballot application or ballot. Military voter registration forms and military ballot application forms must be received in the Office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on May 3, 2021. No military ballot will be canvassed unless it is (1) received in the Office of the District Clerk before the close of the polls on election day and showing a cancellation mark of the United States postal service or a foreign country's postal service, or showing a dated endorsement of receipt by another agency of the United States government; or (2) received by the Office of the District Clerk by no later than 5:00 p.m. on election day and signed and dated by the military voter and one witness thereto, with a date which is associated to be no later than the day before the election.

**By Order of the Board of Education of the
City School District of the City of New Rochelle, New York**

Millie Bonilla, School District Clerk

Dated: March 23, 2021