## WARRANT AND NOTICE OF ELECTION CALLING REGIONAL SCHOOL UNIT NO. 13 BUDGET VALIDATION REFERENDUM

(20-A M.R.S. § 1486)

TO: Jennifer Colby, a resident of Regional School Unit No. 13 (the "Regional School Unit") composed of the City of Rockland and the Towns of Cushing, Owls Head, South Thomaston, and Thomaston, State of Maine.

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby ordered to serve upon the municipal clerks of each of the municipalities within the Regional School Unit, namely, the City of Rockland and the Towns of Cushing, Owls Head, South Thomaston, and Thomaston, an attested copy of this warrant and notice of election. Service shall be in hand within three (3) days of the date of this warrant and notice of election. The municipal clerks of the above municipalities shall immediately notify the respective Municipal Officers. The Municipal Officers shall meet forthwith and countersign this warrant and notice of election. The Municipal Officers shall provide below for the respective municipal clerks to post or have posted this warrant and notice of election.

## TOWN OF CUSHING REGIONAL SCHOOL UNIT BUDGET VALIDATION REFERENDUM WARRANT AND NOTICE OF ELECTION

Knox County, ss.

State of Maine

TO: Lisa M. Young, Municipal Clerk of Cushing: You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify the voters of this municipality of the election described in this warrant and notice of election.

**TO THE VOTERS OF CUSHING:** You are hereby notified that a Regional School Unit budget validation referendum election will be held at the Cushing Community Center, 39 Cross Road in the Town of Cushing on Tuesday, June 10, 2025 for the purpose of determining the following articles:

Article 1A: To elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 1: Do you favor approving the Regional School Unit No. 13 budget for the upcoming school year that was adopted at the latest Regional School Unit budget meeting?

Article 2: Do you wish to continue the budget validation referendum process in Regional School Unit No. 13 for an additional three years?

## **INFORMATIONAL NOTE ON ARTICLE 2:**

A "YES" vote will require Regional School Unit No. 13 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 voters of Regional School Unit No. 13.

The voting on Articles 1 and 2 shall be by secret ballot referendum. The polls will be opened immediately after election of the moderator following commencement of the meeting at 8:00 A.M. and closed at 8:00 P.M.

The Registrar of Voters shall hold office hours while the polls are open to correct any error in or change a name or address on the voting list; to accept the registration of any person eligible to vote and to accept new enrollments.

A person who is not registered as a voter may not vote in any election.

Given under our hand this day, May 7, 2025	at Rockland, Maine.
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A majority of the School Board of Regional S	School Unit No. 13
A true copy of the Warrant and Notice of Election, attest:	Jennifer Colby
	Resident of
	Regional School Unit No. 13
Countersigned this day of	, 2025 at Cushing, Maine.
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A majority of the Municipal Officers of Cushi	ng, Maine
A true copy of the Warrant and Notice of Election, attest:	Lisa M. Young, Municipal Clerk Cushing, Maine