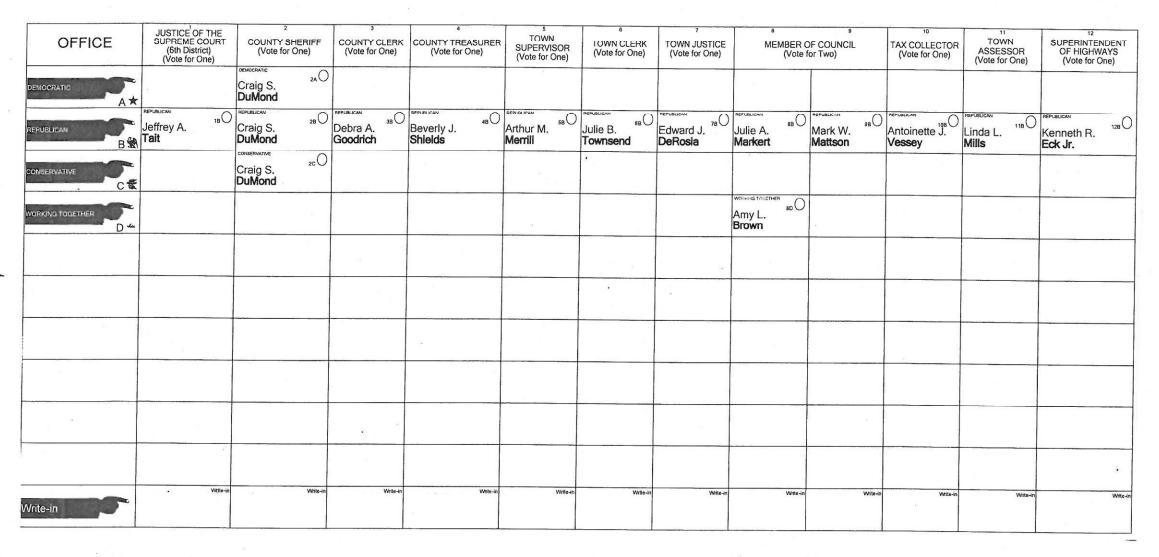
## 2017 GENERAL ELECTION

## COLCHESTER

## SAMPLE BALLOT



## SAMPLE BALLOT FOR GENERAL ELECTION - INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Mark only with a pen or felt tip marker having blue or black ink.
- 2. To vote for a candidate whose name is printed on this ballot fill in the oval 0 to the right of his or her name, like:
- To vote for a person whose name is not printed on this ballot write or stamp his or her name in the blank "Write-In" area under the names of the candidate for that office. Writing in a name for a candidate whose name is on the ballot will void that vote.
- 4. To vote yes or no on a proposal, fill in the oval 0 below the proposal.
- 5. Any other mark or writing, or any erasure made on this ballot outside the voting ovals or blank spaces provided for voting, will void this entire ballot.
- Do not overvote. If you select a greater number of candidates than there are vacancies to be filled, your ballot will be void for that public office, party position or proposal.
- If you tear, or deface, or wrongly mark this ballot, return it and obtain another. Do not attempt to correct mistakes on the ballot by making erasures or cross outs. Erasures or cross outs may invalidate all or part of your ballot. Prior to submitting your ballot, if you make a mistake in completing the ballot or wish to change your ballot choices, you may obtain and complete a new ballot. You have a right to a replacement ballot upon return of the original ballot.
- 8. After completing your ballot, insert it into the ballot scanner and wait for the notice that your ballot has been successfully scanned. If no such notice appears, seek the assistance of an election inspector.

