TOWN OF EAST LYME NOTICE OF REFERENDUM

Pursuant to Section 7-7 of the General Statutes of the State of Connecticut, as amended, notice is hereby given to the electors and citizens qualified to vote in Town Meetings of the Town of East Lyme that a Referendum will be held at the East Lyme Community Center on Society Road on Thursday, May 23, 2024 between the hours of 8 AM and 8 PM for the purpose of voting on the following question:

"Shall the budget for the fiscal year July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025 as recommended by the Board of Finance be adopted?"

Voting will be by optical scan voting machines. Absentee votes will be counted at the East Lyme Community Center. Absentee ballots may be applied for, **in person,** in the office of the Town Clerk.

Those persons voting as taxpayers and not registered voters will also vote at the Community Center. Their names must appear on the last completed Grand List of the Town being the October 1, 2023 Grand List with a minimum assessment of \$1,000.

Voting will take place pursuant to the provisions of the General Statutes, as amended. The votes will be cast and canvassed and the results determined and certified as nearly as may be in accordance with the laws governing the election of Town officials.

Dated at East Lyme, CT this 14th day of May, 2024.

Karen Miller Galbo East Lyme Town Clerk