

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**TOWN OF CHAPLIN**  
**WARNING OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**  
**Monday, April 27, 2026**  
**AND ADJOURNED REFERENDUM**  
**Tuesday, May 5, 2026**

The electors and those authorized to vote at town meeting are hereby warned that an Annual Town Meeting will be held on Monday, April 27, 2026 at 7:00 PM at the Chaplin Senior Center, 132 Chaplin Street, Chaplin, Connecticut, for the purpose of acting upon the following items:

1. To elect a moderator for said meeting.
2. To nominate and elect to the Regional Board of Education of Regional District #11 one member for a full term of three years to commence July 1, 2026.
3. Whereas the Town is applying for Local Capital Improvement Grant Funds: therefore, to resolve to approve the CIP plan for FY **2027-2031** (on file with the Town Clerk).
4. To receive and approve the Annual Town Budget for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2026-June 30, 2027 in the amount of **\$10,465,496** as submitted by the Board of Finance and to appropriate the funds required; (contingent on asterisk \*).
5. To adjourn the meeting after completion of the foregoing business.

\*At their meeting held on April 14, 2026, the Board of Selectmen voted, pursuant to CGS § 7-7, that item # 4 of the Call of the Annual Town Meeting be submitted to a referendum vote to be held on Tuesday, May 5 2026 at the Chaplin Firehouse, 106 Phoenixville Road (Rte. 198) in said Chaplin from 12:00 Noon to 8:00 P.M. The question on the ballot label at said referendum shall read as follows:

“Shall the Town of Chaplin appropriate the sum of \$10,465,496 for the General Government, Chaplin Elementary School, and the Town’s proportionate share of Regional School District 11 for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027 as recommended by the Board of Finance?”

Voters approving said question will vote “Yes” and those opposing said question will vote “No”.

Absentee ballots for the May 5, 2026 referendum shall be available as provided by law to persons applying to the office of the Town Clerk. Copies of the proposed Annual Town Budget are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk and online at [chaplinct.org](http://chaplinct.org).

Dated at Chaplin, Connecticut, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2026.

/s/

James Harrington, First Selectman  
Juan Roman III, Selectman  
Leslie Ricklin, Selectman  
CHAPLIN BOARD OF SELECTMEN