



# In gratitude the 2026/27 Annual Warrant is dedicated to



Patricia Ellis

“Do your little bit of good where you are; it’s those little bits of good put together that overwhelm the world.” – Desmond Tutu

Pati served Dallas Plantation well for over 25 years as Town Clerk and then as an Assessor. Her involvement throughout the greater Rangeley region, volunteering, organizing and supporting many agencies and individuals in times of need has been constant. We wish her continued success in all her endeavors knowing she will do her little bit of good, making a difference for all.

With thanks, we dedicate this Annual Report in her name.

# Dallas Plantation Town Warrant

for Fiscal Year

July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2027

## Town Meeting: Friday, June 12, 2026

To: T.A. Morgan, Resident of Dallas Plantation, in the County of Franklin, State of Maine

Greetings: In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of Dallas Plantation, qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the Dallas Plantation Town House, on the 12<sup>th</sup> of June 2026 at six o'clock in the evening, to act on the following articles:

### Article 1:

To elect a moderator by written ballot.

### Article 2:

To elect an Assessor for a three-year term.

Current Assessors:	<b>Patricia Ellis</b>	<b>Term Expires 2026</b>
	Linda Jones	Term Expires 2027
	Linda Caspar	Term Expires 2028

### Article 3:

To elect a First Assessor, for a one-year term, from among the three elected Assessors.

### Article 4:

To elect one Budget Committee member for a two-year term. The Budget Committee consists of the Assessors, and two elected members.

Elected members:	<b>Elizabeth Flynn</b>	<b>Term Expires 2026</b>
	Karon Noyes	Term Expires 2027



**Article 10:**

To see if the Plantation voters will authorize the Assessors to sell surplus personal property only if it has an estimated value less than \$10,000. Personal property over that amount shall be put out to bid.

**The Budget Committee recommends accepting as read.**

**Article 11:**

To see if the Plantation voters will authorize the Assessors, on behalf of the Plantation, to sell and dispose of any real estate acquired for non-payment of taxes thereon, and to execute quit-claim deeds for said property. Said real estate to be sold as follows:

1. A notice of intent to sell such property shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in Franklin County at least three weeks prior to such sale inviting interested parties to submit sealed bids thereon. The notice shall be inserted for five (5) consecutive days of publication; former owners to be notified by certified mail of the sale.
2. The Parties from whom the property has been taken, for non-payment of taxes therein, may purchase said real estate from the Plantation at any time before expiration of fourteen (14) days from the last date of publication. In the latter case, the purchase price shall consist of the following: back taxes, interest, and costs; cost of publication of notice, cost of quit-claim deed; any administrative and legal fees.
3. In the event the parties from whom the property has been taken by the Plantation for unpaid taxes fail to redeem the property, as provided in paragraph two (2), the Assessors may sell the property to the highest bidder. The Assessors have the authority to reject any, and all bids they deem too low.
4. In the event the property does not receive a bid or any or all bids are rejected, the Assessors may sell the property via the real estate market by listing the property with a broker of their choosing and set a purchase price reasonable for the current market. Except that the Municipal Officers shall use the special sale process required by 36 M.R.S. 943-C for qualifying homestead property if they choose to sell it to anyone other than the former owners.

**The Budget Committee recommends accepting as read.**







**Article 17:**

To see what sum of money the Plantation voters will raise and appropriate for the matching contribution to **Social Security and Medicare**, required under federal law and **State and Federal Unemployment Taxes and other Fees Associated with Payroll Processing**.

	<u>25/26</u>	<u>26/27</u>
Opening balance:	\$1,904.00	\$1,294.00
Total operating budget:	\$17,225.00	\$16,606.00

**The Budget Committee recommends raising: \$15,312.00**

**Article 18:**

To see what sum of money the Plantation voters will raise and appropriate for the **Employees Benefits Account**.

	<u>25/26</u>	<u>26/27</u>
Opening balance:	\$84.00	\$999.00
Total operating budget:	\$8,760.00	\$9,020.00
Raise:	\$8,676.00	\$8,021.00

**The Budget Committee recommends raising: \$8,021.00**

**Article 19:**

To see what sum of money the Plantation voters will raise and appropriate for the **Employee Training Account**.

	<u>25/26</u>	<u>26/27</u>
Opening balance:	\$855.00	\$844.80
Total operating budget:	\$855.00	\$844.80
Raise:	\$0.00	\$0.00

**The Budget Committee recommends raising: \$0.00**



















**Article 50:**

To see what sum of money the Plantation voters will raise and appropriate in support of the **Oquosoc ATV Club**.

	<u>25/26</u>	<u>26/27</u>
Requested	\$500.00	\$500.00

**Article 51:**

To see what sum of money the Plantation voters will raise and appropriate in support of the **Rangeley Town House Meal Site**.

	<u>25/26</u>	<u>26/27</u>
Requested	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00

**Article 52:**

To see what sum of money the Plantation voters will raise and appropriate in support of the **WRGY**.

	<u>25/26</u>	<u>26/27</u>
Requested	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00

**Article 53:**

To see what sum of money the Plantation voters will raise and appropriate in support of the **Rangeley Lakes Snowmobile Club**.

	<u>25/26</u>	<u>26/27</u>
Requested	\$0.00	\$5,000.00

**Article 54:**

To see what sum of money the Plantation voters will raise and appropriate in support of the **Rangeley Family Medicine**.

	<u>25/26</u>	<u>26/27</u>
Requested	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00

**Article 55:**

To see what sum of money the Plantation voters will raise and appropriate in support of the **Rangeley Friends of the Arts.**

<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>25/26</u>	<u>26/27</u>
\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$0.00	\$1,500.00
	Requested		

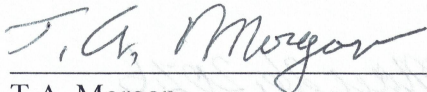


**Return on the Warrant**

Dallas Plantation, Maine

June 04, 2026

Pursuant to the warrant within, to me directed, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of said town, qualified as herein expressed, to meet at the said time and place, for the purposes therein named, by posting an attested copy of said warrant at the Dallas Plantation Town Office and at the Rangeley Post Office, being public and conspicuous places in said town, on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 2026, being at least seven days before the meeting.



T.A. Morgan  
Resident of Dallas Plantation