

Merger Informational Meeting

Monday, Feb. 11, 2019

6:00 pm at GMTCC, Community Education Center

Everyone and anyone is welcome. Come to ask your questions, and voice your opinions on the LNMUUSD vote to accept Cambridge School District as a PreK-12 member.

MERGER VOTE

Tuesday, Feb. 19, 2019

7:00 am – 7:00 pm

At all the usual polling places in your town of residence

Ballot Language:

“Shall Lamoille North Modified Unified Union School District accept Cambridge Elementary School District as a full member of the Lamoille North Modified Unified Union School District, effective July 1, 2019, under the terms of Articles of Agreement certified by the Secretary of the Agency of Education on May 25, 2016, per the State Board of Education’s Final Report of Decisions and Order on Statewide School District Merger Decisions (Pursuant to Act 46, Sections 8(b) and 10) dated November 28, 2018.”

<p><u>If in favor</u> of the proposition issue, make a cross (x) in this square: <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>A “YES” vote means:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cambridge will become a full PreK-12 member of Lamoille North Unified Union School District (UUSD)• The PreK-12 tax rate for Cambridge will reflect the tax rate reductions under Act 46 for the two remaining years for which the LNMUUSD is currently eligible; 4 cents in 2020, and 2 cents in 2021• The supervisory union structure dissolves and the UUSD becomes its own single-district SU• Grant funds are available to facilitate the transition into a UUSD	<p><u>If opposed</u> to the proposition issue, make a cross (x) in this square: <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>A “NO” vote means:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The three entities, Lamoille North SU, Lamoille North MUUSD, and Cambridge Elementary continue unless and until:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Cambridge School District and LNMUUSD merge into a single UUSD pursuant to 16 V.S.A. §721○ The State Board of Education chooses to expand the boundaries of Lamoille North SU so that it has more than its two current members pursuant to 16 V.S.A. §261(a)○ The Legislature enacts legislation requiring some other specific change in the structure of the districts or the SU
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The LNMUUSD Act 46 Articles of Agreement may be found on the LNSU website, www.Insu.org.