

# SAMPLE BALLOT

STATE OF MAINE  
MAINE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT NO. 61  
OFFICIAL BALLOT  
FOR THE TOWN OF BRIDGTON  
BUDGET VALIDATION REFERENDUM  
MAY 25, 2010

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

Complete the oval  next to your choice, like this  . Completing the YES oval means you are in favor. Completing the NO oval means you are opposed. If you make a mistake, you may request a new ballot. DO NOT ERASE.

**ARTICLES**

**ARTICLE 1:** Do you favor approving the Maine School Administrative District No. 61 budget for the upcoming school year that was adopted at the latest Maine School Administrative District No. 61 budget meeting?

- YES  
 NO

**ARTICLE 2:** Continuation of the Budget Validation Referendum Process. Do you wish to continue the budget validation referendum process in Maine School Administrative District No. 61 for an additional three years?

- YES  
 NO

*Informational Note:*

*A "YES" vote will require Maine School Administrative District No. 61 to continue to conduct a referendum to validate its annual school budget for the next three years.*

*A "NO" vote will discontinue the budget validation referendum for at least three years and provide instead that the annual school budget shall be finally adopted at a meeting of the voters.*

**YOU HAVE NOW COMPLETED VOTING**