

Amendment to HB 200

1 Amend the introductory paragraph of RSA 32:5-b, III as inserted by section 1 of the bill by replacing
2 it with the following:

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4 III. The legislative body may override the cap by the usual procedures applicable to annual
5 meetings of the legislative body, provided that: when a proposed appropriation will cause the amount
6 of local taxes raised by the town or district to exceed the tax cap under this section or the total
7 amount already raised and appropriated has caused the amount of local taxes raised by the town or
8 district to exceed the tax cap under this section, voting on the appropriation question shall be by
9 ballot, except in the case of a legislative body that uses an official ballot form of meeting under RSA
10 40:13 or under a charter adopted pursuant to RSA 49-D. If a 3/5 majority or the super majority as
11 determined under a charter pursuant to RSA 49-D of those voting on the question vote "yes," the
12 appropriation is approved. Only votes in the affirmative or negative shall be included in the
13 calculation of the 3/5 majority or the super majority as determined under a charter pursuant to RSA
14 49-D.