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Vermont This Week's Town Meeting Special

Colchester, VT – February 28, 2018 – In honor of one of Vermont's most iconic traditions, town meeting day, **Vermont This Week** will again host its annual Town Meeting Special on Friday, March 9 at 7:30 pm. This year we're enhancing our coverage of local decisions and issues with reporters from across the state joining the discussion, both in-studio and via remote tie-ins, for full coverage of the key questions being addressed by local governments and citizens.

"Each year in March, Vermonters celebrate democracy and local control by participating in town meeting," said Holly Groschner, President and CEO of Vermont PBS. "Vermont This Week will be checking in on town meetings statewide. We'll report from locations across Vermont to identify common issues that connect towns and their citizens."

Vermont This Week's host Stewart Ledbetter will be together with Michelle Monroe from the St. Albans Messenger, Peter Hirschfeld from VPR and Katie Jickling from Seven Days. Joining remotely will be John Gregg of the Valley News and Andrew McKeever from Greater Northshire Access Television.

In addition to airing on Friday night, Vermont This Week is also available on Saturdays at 11:30 am, on Vermont PBS Plus Monday night at 8 pm, on the web at vermontpbs.org/vtw.

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