Annual Report of the Town of Tilton

A New Hampshire Main Street
Community



For the Year

Ending

December 31, 2000

TOWN OF TILTON TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

EMERGENCY	Fire Department	
	Police Department	
	Medical Aid	911
Animal Control		286-4442
Assessor's Office		286-4521
		286-7817
	Non-emergency	286-4781
		286-7817
		286-4721
		286-7817
Library		286-8971
		286-7817
and the second of the second o	Non-emergency	286-8207
·	Fax	286-2354
Public Works Director		286-4721
Selectmen's Office		286-4521
Sewer Commission		286-4606
	•••••	286-4425
Town Clerk		286-4425
	Fax	286-3519
Winnisquam Regiona	I High School	286-4531
	I Middle School	286-7143
	ogram	286-8577
Zoning Board of Adjus	stment	286-7817

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000

POLLING PLACE:
WINNISQUAM REGIONAL MIDDLE SCHOOL
WINTER ST.
TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 2001
8:00 A.M. – 7:00 P.M.

TOWN MEETING:
WINNISQUAM REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
W. MAIN ST.
SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 2001
8:00 A.M.

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Insert:

Town Warrant 2001 Proposed Municipal Budget Fire District Meeting Warrant 2001 Proposed Fire District Budget

VOTE

- ✓ BE INFORMED
- ✓ PARTICIPATE IN YOUR GOVERNMENT
- ✓ VOTING IS A PRIVILEGE
- ✓ VOTING IS YOUR CIVIC DUTY

EVERY VOTE COUNTS

TOWN OFFICERS 2000

Terms Expire Town Meeting If elected position

Se	lec	tm	an

Heber J. Feener, Chair	2001
Joseph B. Plessner	2002
Richard Manseau	2002
Robert Brown	2003
Steven O'Leary	2003

Administrator

Alice MacKinnon

Moderator

James N. Shepherd	2002
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Town Clerk

F. Gayle Twombly (resigned)	
Cynthia D. Lovell (actina)	2001

Tax Collector

<u>Treasurer</u>

Joseph A.	Christi	2001

Supervisors of Checklist

Alberta King, Chair	2006
Bernard W. Chapman	2004
Sally P. Lawrence	2002

<u>Trustee of Trust Funds</u>

Janice Boudreau	2002
Normand Boudreau	2003
Robert Szot (appointed)	2001

Budget Committee

Lois Goodsell, Chair	2001
Sharon Bosworth	2001
David E. Wadleigh, Sr.	2002
David Fontaine	2002
Sandra Hyslop	2003
Arthur Fecteau	2003
Steven O'Leary, ex officio	2001

Library Trustees

Judy Sanders	2001
Sally P. Lawrence	Life
Edna Southwick, Sec.	Life
Eliza Conde	Life
Leif Martenson	2003
and the second s	

Mary Ahlgren, Librarian (appointed)

Sewer Commission

David E. Wadleigh, Sr., Chair	2003
Medford Sattler	2001
Peter S. Fogg	2002

Carla Constant, Part-Time Assistant (appointed)

APPOINTED OFFICIALS

Police Chief Charles B. Chase

Deputy Town Clerk Katherine A. Yeo

Deputy Tax Collector vacant

TOWN OFFICE STAFF

Secretary to Selectmen & Admin. Catherine Woessner

Finance Office F. Gayle Twombly

Building Inspector/Compliance Officer Joseph B. Plessner

Land Use Administrative Asst. Sandy Plessner

Health & Human Services Heather Thibodeau

Health Officer Joseph B. Plessner

Assistant Health Officer Marie Mahoney

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Chief (appointed)

Charles B. Chase

Lieutenant Kent G. Chapman Sergeant Scott S. Estes

Corporal Owen R. Wellington

Officers Richard P. Paulhus Bruce A. Clough

Ryan Martin

Michael Farrington Nathan Morrison

Kelly Kulig

Dispatcher/Special Officer William Patten
Lisa Carter

Part-Time Clerk
Special Officers
Carla Constant
Douglas Ricard

Newman Daley

Bart Perillo

Ross Cunningham Richard Neilsen John Raffaelly Mathew Dawson

Animal Control Officer Kelly Kulia

School Resource Officer Bruce A. Clough

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Superintendent of Public Works

Foreman

Equipment Operator

Truck Driver

Dennis Allen

Albert LaFrance

Andrew Matott

Kenneth Renaud

Laborer Fred Welch

BOARDS & COMMISSIONS (Terms expire 3/31 or as indicated)

<u>Planning Board</u> (appointed board)

Arthur Fecteau, Chair	2003
Mike Curley, Vice Chair	2003
John T. Bruno, Secretary	2003
Marge Bonneville	2002
Robert Sharon	2001
Susan B. Clark (alternate)	2003
William M. Lawrence, Jr. (alternate)	2003

Heber J. Feener, ex officio

Robert Brown, ex officio (alternate)

Sandy Plessner, Assistant

Zoning Board of Adjustment (appointed board)

Foster Peverly, Chair	2003
John Bernard, Vice Chair	2003
Calvin Brown	2003
Normand Boudreau	2003
Jim Foye	9/2003
Malcolm Havlock (alternate)	9/2002

Park Commission (appointed board)

Kenneth F. Money	2002
William W. Joscelyn	2001

Conservation Commission (appointed board)

James Cropsey, Chair	2002
Charles E. Mitchell, Vice Chair	2002
Jon Scanlon	2001
Ben Wadleigh	2003

Paul Rushlow	2003
Susan B. Clark	2001
Robert Hardy	2002
Laurel Horne, Secretary	

Tilton Main Street (appointed board)

F. Gayle Twombly, Chair
James Clements, Vice Chair
Janet Foster, Treasurer
William Lawrence, Secretary
Thomas Ursia, Program Manager
Dianne Peterson
David Fox
Rick Manseau
Lauren Smith

Tilton-Northfield Fire District

Gerard St. Cyr, Fire Ward Thomas G. Gallant, Fire Ward Scott McGuffin, Moderator Gina Thompson, Clerk 200 200 200 200 200	Robert R. Petrin, Fire Chief	
Thomas G. Gallant, Fire Ward Scott McGuffin, Moderator Gina Thompson, Clerk 200 200 200	Andrew Sleeper, Fire Ward	2003
Scott McGuffin, Moderator 200 Gina Thompson, Clerk 200	Gerard St. Cyr, Fire Ward	2002
Gina Thompson, Clerk 200	Thomas G. Gallant, Fire Ward	2001
	Scott McGuffin, Moderator	2001
Roland Seymour, Treas. 200	Gina Thompson, Clerk	2001
	Roland Seymour, Treas.	2001

Winnisquam Regional School Board

Larry Prince, Chair	(Tilton)	2001
Karen Floyd Shepherd	(Tilton)	2002 (resigning March 2001)
Peter Deleault	(Tilton)	2003
Robert Mazur, Vice Chair	(Northfield)	2001
Elaine Lamanuzzi	(Northfield)	2002
Valerie Allen	(Northfield)	2003
Mary Ahlgren	(Sanbornton)	2001
Nina Gardner	(Sanbornton)	2002
Doris Nisbet	(Sanbornton)	2003

STATE & FEDERAL OFFICIALS

State Representative (District 2) Thomas Salatiello

Francine Wendelboe

(District 6) Gordon Bartlett

State Senator (District 2) Ned Gordon

Executive Councilor (District 1) Raymond Burton

U.S. Congress (District 2) Charles Bass

U.S. Senate Robert C. Smith

Judd Gregg

2000 Town Meeting Summarized

March 14, 2000 WINNISQUAM REGIONAL MIDDLE SCHOOL

ELECTION OF TOWN & SCHOOL OFFICIALS & ZONING ISSUES

The total number of ballots cast was 310, the total number of registered voters at the close of the polls was 1625.

For Selectman – 3 years – vote for two

Robert G. Brown 150 Steven J. O'Leary 129

For Treasurer – 1 year – vote for one Joseph "Jay" Christi 180

For Moderator – 2 years – vote for one James N. Shepherd 274

For Supervisor of Checklist - 6 years - vote for one

Alberta L. King 259

For Budget Committee – 3 years – vote for two

No filings Write in:

Arthur Fecteau 4

Sandra Hyslop 2 To break tie between 9

For Budget Committee – 2 years – vote for one

David J. Fontaine 232

For Sewer Commission – 3 years – vote for one

David E. Wadleigh, Sr. 268

For Trustee of Trust Funds – 3 years – vote for one

No filings Write in:

Normand Boudreau 5

For Trustee of Trust Funds – 1 year – vote for one

No filings

William Lawrence 2 to break tie between 3

For Library Trustee – 3 years – vote for one

Annette J. Sanders 253

Tilton Town Meeting - 3/18/00

WINNISQUAM REGIONAL SCHOOL BOARD

For Moderator – 1 year – vote for one Kenneth A. Randall 258

For School Board - 3 years - vote for one

Tilton Candidate

Peter Deleault 233

For School Board – 3 years – vote for one

Northfield Candidate

Valerie Allen 180

For School Board - 3 years - vote for one

Sanbornton Candidate

Doris Nisbet 235

ZONING ARTICLES

Are you in favor of adopting the following amendments to the Zoning Regulations as proposed by the Tilton Planning Board?

Add to Article 2.1, the following terms with definitions:

Rooming House, Developer, and Sexually Oriented Business

Yes 141 No 98

Add to Article 2.3, maximum sign heights relative to each Zoning

District

Yes 217 No 51

Add Article 11.2.3, Cellular Communications, for local guidance
Of the placement, construction, design and establishment of cellular
Tower complexes.

Yes 196 No 71

Add Article 12, Sexually Oriented Business to establish positive Control of the location and establishment of sexually oriented Businesses to be allowed by Special Exception only in the Industrial Park District

Industrial Park District.

Yes 162 No 122

Chart of Permitted Uses (Article VI)

Under Residential:

Add Rooming House with Permitted use in Village Residential, Mixed Use, Downtown, and Resort Commercial Districts.

Yes 158 No 107

Tilton Town Meeting – 3/18/00

Under Recreation and Entertainment: Change Sales and Rental of Boats and Watercraft including Servicing and repairs and Marinas from Permitted to Special Exception in Mixed Use and Resort Commercial Districts.

Under Automotive and Transportation: Change Gasoline Sales from Permitted to Special Exception in the Resort Commercial District.

Change Recreational Vehicles and Camping Trailers including servicing and repairs from Permitted to Special Exception in Regional Commercial, Resort Commercial and General Commercial Districts.

Yes 158 No 107

PETITION

Are you in favor of a Petition to amend the Chart of Permitted Uses to allow, by Special Exception, Motor Vehicle Sales and Rental Lots within the Resort Commercial District. (Not Recommended by the Planning Board)

Yes 49 No 237

The 2000 Town Meeting Business session was called to order by the Moderator Mr. James Shepherd at 8:14 a.m. on March 18 at the Winnisquam Regional High School. Tilton Boy Scouts from Troop 248 led the assembly in the salute to the flag. Mr. Shepherd then introduced the deputy moderator, Ken Randall, the Selectmen, Town Administrator, Town Clerk, and Budget Committee. He also acknowledged the press and non-voter visitors. Mr. Shepherd gave the rules for the meeting which included:

- Smoking allowed outside building only
- When speaking, person must stand, identify themselves and address all comments, questions, amendments, etc. through the Moderator
- Any amendment if at all lengthy or complicated must be in writing
- Only one amendment on the floor at a time
- Motion to reconsider must be made immediately following vote and assembly is notified that action will be taken
- Motion to table must be 2/3 vote it will have effect of withdrawing article for duration of this meeting
- Any division vote requires the voters to be within the confines of the voting section.

The Town Clerk was called upon to read the results of the balloting which took place on Mar. 14. Motion by G. Hast, second by J. Plessner to accept the minutes as read. Motion passed.

Tilton Town Meeting - 3/18/00

The Moderator stated he would dispense with the reading of the complete warrant unless objection was raised.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000.00) for the purpose of construction of an addition, and renovations to the Hall Memorial Library; to authorize the issuance of not more than five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) in bonds or long term notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Budget Act (RSA 33); and further to authorize the Board of Selectmen to issue and negotiate such notes or bonds and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other action as may be necessary to effectuate the issuing, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes. (RSA 33)

Motion by J. Plessner, second by H. Feener to accept article. V. Virgin moved to amend article to include: this article will only be binding if Northfield approves or up to \$500,000, second by J. Dodge. Vote on amendment passed. Scott Herman, Chmn, of Library Building Committee gave presentation as well as Mary Ahlgren, Librarian. Discussion as to why a separate building was not feasible – extra staffing, equipment, books, etc. – committee had considered this as option.

Several residents rose to support the motion. The question was called. The Moderator stated that this would be a ballot vote with the polls being open for one hour. The motion would require a 2/3 vote of those present and voting. The Selectmen and the Budget Committee supported this article. The polls were declared open at 8:47 a.m.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000.00) for the purpose of purchasing land and constructing a new public works facility; to authorize the issuance of not more than six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000) in bonds or long term notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Budget Act (RSA 33); and further to authorize the Board of Selectmen to issue and negotiate such notes or bonds and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other action as may be necessary to effectuate the issuing, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes.

Motion by J. Plessner, second by S. O'Leary to accept article as read. Mr. Plessner announced that there were handouts available with proposals for estimates but stated these were not firm bids. A lengthy discussion followed regarding sale of the current property and any arrangements that had been made to date. Concern was expressed that the town could end up with two highway garages and have a sale of the current facilities not go through. There was also a concern regarding the type of building, metal vs. stick built. Many felt local-building contractors should be considered for the job. Concern was also expressed regarding the time element between the sale of the Town land and when we would have to vacate. The purchaser would be required to close on property within one month after receiving all permits required.

Tilton Town Meeting – 3/18/00

The Town would have until Fall 2001 before moving. Motion made to amend article to the cost of land only, second by J. McCarthy. Many sites were looked at and only one was appropriate at this time. The town needs to move forward with purchasing this parcel as soon as possible before the land becomes unavailable.

There was also a discussion regarding consideration of a recycling station and if this property was suitable for it. Selectmen and Road Agent have discussed this issue and have taken this into consideration although no decision has been made. Options for recycling will be addressed.

Question was called. Vote on amendment – yes 68, no 31. Amendment passed. Discussion continued.

At 9:51 a.m. the polls were declared closed on Article 5.

Motion by T. Szot, second by R. Szot to allow the Selectmen to move forward with monies from the sale of our land to develop a town shed facility not to exceed \$600,000 including the purchase price of the land. Vote on amendment - yes 67, no 28. Question was raised whether a building committee could be appointed. Defer to article 15.

Results of vote on article 5 regarding the library, yes 89, no 22. Motion carried.

The moderator read the article as amended and polls were declared open at 10:34 a.m.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the additional sum of forty five thousand dollars (\$45,000.00) for the Tilton Main Street Program; pursuant to RSA 32: 3 VI, this sum will be a non-lapsing, non-transferable account and will not lapse until the project is complete or in three years, whichever is less. (Majority vote required.)

Motion by H. Feener, second by M. Mahoney to accept article as read. Gayle Twombly, Chair of the Main Street Committee gave a brief explanation of progress to date and Marjorie Bonneville also spoke. No further discussion. Motion passed with unanimous vote.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to dedicate parcels no. U06-03-00 and U06-03-01 on the Tilton tax maps formerly owned by the Arthur S. Brown Company and acquired by the Town for non-payment of taxes as a park to be owned, developed and managed by the Town for the benefit of the community.

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Motion by C. Mitchell, second by A. May to accept article as read. It was stated in answer to question by J. McCarthy that funding would not be needed this year as the clean-up is not yet complete. The Town is under orders from DES and they must approve work. There remains a balance of approximately \$64,000 in the account for clean-up purposes. It was also stated that this would be developed as a park for everyone, not just a playground. The Main Street Committee is also looking into having fishing accessibility for all. Article passed with unanimous vote.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the selectmen to have the meetings of the selectmen broadcast on television and to appropriate sufficient money to pay the cost of doing so. (by petition) (Not recommended by the Budget Committee)

Move by M. Bonneville, second by A. May to accept article. M. Bonneville rose to amend article to appropriate money for Lakes Region Public Access sponsorship. Second by G. Hast. There is no charge for the service the cost is in the membership. Mr. Manseau stated that the Selectmen for the calendar year 2000 recommended the amount of \$1402. One voter expressed dismay that Tilton does not appropriate money for this service, we should be a supporting member. Amendment passed. Discussion followed stating equipment would be supplied and someone could be trained to do the filming. Mr. Hast spoke in favor of, Mr. Feener spoke in opposition of the amendment. It was then suggested that all Board meetings, such as Planning, Zoning, etc. by recorded. Committee was asked why they did not approve of the article. It was stated that they felt the quality was less than perfect. It was also mentioned that if 20-30 hours a month would be filmed, there would probably then be some restrictions on time and subject. Motion by G. Hast, second by A. May to see if Town will record all public meetings and the Selectmen make sure delivery is made weekly to the station. Mr. Dodge suggested that the residents show very little interest in government and this would help to keep them informed. Mr. Feener felt that the public has access to public meetings and if they are interested they can ask for information. Division vote taken on amendment, yes 28, no 47. Motion to amend failed. Vote on article - yes 49, no 29. Motion passed.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Budget submitted by the Budget Committee and posted as part of this warrant, and pass any vote in relation thereto. (Majority vote required.)

Copies of the budget in detail were available for the assembly. Motion by T. Schou, second by S. Bosworth, to accept operating budget of \$2,360,455. Motion by F. Peverly, seconded to amend article to increase the library account \$4,250 in line #4550.99.932. Motion passed. Motion to amend by M. Abbott, second by M. Mahoney to increase YAP budget by \$1838 in line 4415.99.900. Motion passed. Motion by P. Clark, second by M. Mahoney to add \$800 to the Old Home Day account in line 4589.99.934. The amendment passed. Questions were raised regarding the welfare account and the amount budgeted in comparison to the expenditures of the past few years.

The polls were closed on article 6 at 11:50 a.m.

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Mr. McCarthy rose to speak in opposition of the welfare budget and wanted modification made to amount. Question was called. Division vote on stopping debate. Yes - 50, no 17. Debate closed. The vote on article 10 - the operating budget \$2,368,735. Motion passed.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote the following: "The selectmen of the town will display in the public area of the town office the most recent copies of the selectmen's minutes. The monthly report of expenditures and revenues, and a copy of the most recent certified yearly audit. These copies shall be available to citizens at no charge. (by petition)

Motion by J. Dodge, second by A. Szot to accept article. Mr. Feener requested amendment, second by A. Fecteau to strike the last sentence regarding charges. A suggestion that minutes by put on website. A website will be developed as part of the Main Street Program to help keep the residents informed. Vote on amendment - yes 41, no 21. It was noted that the Selectmen have authority to set fees. A motion was made by T. J. Szot, second by R. Szot to amend article to charge \$.10 per impression for the specific documents named in the article. Motion passed.

The vote on article 6 regarding the highway garage and land was announced. There were 103 voting, 86 yes, 17 no. Motion passed.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to send the following resolution to the New Hampshire General Court: Resolved, New Hampshire's natural, cultural and historic resources in this town and throughout the state are worthy of protection and, therefore, the State of New Hampshire should establish and fund a permanent public/private partnership for the voluntary conservation of these important resources.

Motion by J. Cropsey, second by M. Havlock to accept article. Motion passed.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following ordinance pertaining to the licensing of tattoo parlors. Acting pursuant to the authority granted the town by RSA 31:39m.

Motion by H. Feener, second by R. Manseau to accept article as printed in Town Report. Motion passed.

Article 14. To see what action the Town will take in regards to the reports of its officers and agents.

Motion by H. Feener, seconded that article be accepted as read. Motion passed.

Tilton Town Meeting – 3/18/00

Article 15. To choose any other officers and agents for the ensuing year.

Motion by J. Dodge, second by G. Hast to authorize the Moderator to appoint a Building Committee of three to plan and design a Highway Building and report back at the 2001 Town Meeting or at the call of the Selectmen. Qualified professional persons involved with the building of commercial buildings to be members. Move to amend to include a Selectman and the Road Agent on the committee to start immediately to facilitate project to finish and report to Selectmen.

Amend passed. Motion to amend by C. Mitchell, seconded to add: further, the scope of the committee to include development of the property and the committee to include a representative of the Conservation Commission and to issue a report to the people as well as the Selectmen. Amendment passed. Mr. Feener moved to reconsider vote to have committee by 7 people, second by R. Sharon. Move to reconsider failed.

Article 16. To enact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Motion by H. Feener, second by M. Mahoney to adjourn. Motion passed. Meeting declared adjourned at 1:08 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

F. Gayle Twombly, CMC/AAE

Town Clerk, Tilton

A true record, attest:

F. Gayle Twombly, CMC/AAE

Town Clerk, Tilton

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

The year 2000 has been a very exciting and busy year for the Town of Tilton. There have been many accomplishments in the community. We live in a unique town that is full of possibilities. We have only to open our minds and remove our self-imposed limitations to accomplish any goal.

This year Tilton has distinguished itself by becoming a Main Street Community. This in itself is no small accomplishment and is an honor, which could not have been attained without the efforts and hard work of numerous volunteers and supporters within the community. In particular we would like to recognize the dauntless efforts of Gayle Twombly who took "Main Street" from an idea to a blossoming reality.

The Board of Selectmen has been an active and strong supporter of the efforts of the Tilton Main Street Committee and area merchants in their efforts to return vitality and economic stability to the downtown area, which is the historical center of the Town, whose reputation as a progressive and cultural center in the Lakes Region dates back well into the industrial revolution.

Evidence of progress and change is everywhere. Simply look around the town and see the changes and excitement that mark both the Exit 20 area and the "Main Street" area.

With the co-operation of the Board of Selectmen and the Tilton Main Street Committee, we were able to work closely with the New Hampshire Department of Transportation to establish the ground rules for the replacement of the Park Street Bridge. This project will improve both the traffic flow and the safety at a very dangerous intersection in the downtown area.

In addition to the new bridge, the town will be gaining a new small pocket park at this intersection. This park will certainly improve the overall esthetic value of the entrance to downtown and will serve to enhance the ongoing revitalization of the Main Street area.

The year began as so many others in our small town. We had a long list of unfinished business and an even longer list of hopes and dreams for our community. It is the duty of The Board of Selectmen to be responsive to the needs of the community as well as to conduct the daily business of the town. This task is not always an easy one given the needs and demands of such a diverse community. These responsibilities have never been taken lightly.

Knowing that our decisions mold the future of our town, we think long and hard over every situation and problem presented to the selectmen. Not all decisions are obvious or easy; there are times when difficult and less than popular decisions must be made but we are always hopeful that those decisions are few and far between.

A complete shopping list of accomplishments for the year would be rather tedious but there are several worthy of note. There has been a bee hive of activity with regards to construction projects in our small town: the completion of the Exit 20 project, the completion of Noyes Road and its rail road crossing, the completion of the Andrews Road Sewer Project and the completion of the final closing of the landfill and related cleanup of the target practice area.

The landfill had become a liability to the town; not only did DES require the Town to close the site and complete remedial clean up of the area, it also required the installation of monitoring wells for an indefinite period of time.

Upon completion of the clean up and following a vote of a Special Town Meeting, the Selectmen undertook the sale of the property through a sealed bid procedure.

The successful bidder offered 1.5 million dollars for the property. Monies from the sale of the land will cover the costs of both the construction of a new Public Works facility and the costs incurred in the closure of the old landfill and target practice range. The excess of revenues over these expenses reverts to the general fund.

The old tannery site on West Main Street has presented the town with a continuing set of problems and accomplishments. Last March, Town Meeting voted to dedicate the site as a green area for all to enjoy. As one problem was resolved others soon followed. The resolution of these issues and problems has been accomplished through the dedication and hard work of the town's employees. We are delighted to report that there is now light at the end of the tunnel as we move toward the final clean up of the remaining construction debris and to the initial planning stages for the creation of the park. The day will soon be here when this riverside property will once again serve the people of Tilton and our guests.

Another project nearing completion is the addition and renovations to the Tilton Northfield Public Library. The expansion of the library is another cornerstone in the ongoing drive to improve the quality of life within our community.

Success and prosperity do not come without dedication, sacrifice and hard work. Your selectmen are committed to taking the lead to make Tilton a success story and a town in which we all take pride.

Heber J. Feener, Chair Joseph B. Plessner Richard A. Manseau

Robert G. Brown Stephen O'Leary

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES 2000

Actual	Actual	Difference
Appropriations	Expenditures	(over)/under
Prior Year	Prior Year	
\$220,450.00	\$206,515.00	\$13,935.00
\$6,100.00	\$5,939.00	\$161.00
\$44,100.00	\$57,169.00	\$(13,069.00)
\$10,000.00	\$6,808.00	\$3,192.00
\$25,000.00	\$39,356.00	\$(14,356.00)
\$260,100.00	\$260,551.00	\$(451.00)
\$22,650.00	\$20,650.00	\$2,000.00
\$39,250.00	\$38,952.00	\$298.00
\$2,100.00	\$1,750.00	\$350.00
\$50,500.00	\$44,344.00	\$6,160.00
\$3,203.00	\$3,203.00	
\$45,000.00	\$37,318.00	\$ 7,682.00
\$589,856.00	\$584,683.00	\$5,173.00
\$700.00		\$700.00
\$18,000.00	\$18,380.00	\$(380.00)
\$2.00		\$2.00
\$214,044.00	\$197,810.00	\$16,234.00
\$157,900.00	\$140,334.00	\$17,566.00
\$25,000.00	\$24,574.00	\$426.00
\$60,500.00	\$60,784.00	\$(284.00)
		\$(9,012.00)
\$22,000.00	\$18,216.00	\$3,784.00
\$250.00	\$5,975,00	\$(5,725.00)
\$72,351.00	\$66,378.00	\$5,973.00
\$66,400.00	\$28,348.00	\$38,052.00
	Appropriations Prior Year \$220,450.00 \$6,100.00 \$44,100.00 \$10,000.00 \$25,000.00 \$22,650.00 \$39,250.00 \$39,250.00 \$3,203.00 \$45,000.00 \$18,000.00 \$18,000.00 \$214,044.00 \$157,900.00 \$25,000.00 \$25,000.00 \$25,000.00 \$25,000.00 \$25,000.00	Appropriations Prior Year Expenditures Prior Year \$220,450.00 \$206,515.00 \$6,100.00 \$5,939.00 \$44,100.00 \$57,169.00 \$10,000.00 \$6,808.00 \$25,000.00 \$39,356.00 \$260,100.00 \$20,650.00 \$39,250.00 \$38,952.00 \$2,100.00 \$1,750.00 \$50,500.00 \$44,344.00 \$3,203.00 \$37,318.00 \$700.00 \$18,000.00 \$18,000.00 \$18,380.00 \$2.00 \$214,044.00 \$25,000.00 \$24,574.00 \$60,500.00 \$60,784.00 \$22,000.00 \$182,502.00 \$22,000.00 \$182,216.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES 2000

CULTURE AND RECREATION			
4520 Parks and Recreation	\$45,496.00	\$45,495.00	\$1.00
4550 Library	\$57,250.00	\$57,250.00	
4583 Patriotic Purposes	\$200.00	S 143.00	\$57.00
4589 Other Culture & Recreation	\$8,000.00	\$5,256.00	\$2,744.00
4560 Cable Community Channel	\$1,402.00	\$ 1,402.00	
CONSERVATION			
4619 Other Conservation	\$1,792.00	\$801.00	\$991.00
DEBT SERVICE			
4711 Princ—Long Term Bonds	\$73,646.00	\$73,664.00	\$(18.00)
4721 IntLong Term Bonds	\$27,000.00	\$23,918.00	\$3,082.00
4723 Interest on TAN	\$25,000.00	\$53,791.00	\$(28,791.00)
5100 Main Street Program	\$45,000.00	\$45,000.00	
TOTAL CURRENT BUDGET	\$2,413,735.00	\$2,357,259.00	\$56,476.00
OPERATING TRANSFER OUT			
5100 Sewer			
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$2,413,735.00	\$2,357,259.00	\$56,476.00

2000 SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

	ACRES	ASSESSED VALUATION
VALUE OF LAND ONLY		
CURRENT USE AT CU VALUES	3,368.15	\$478,867
RESIDENTIAL LAND	1,867.46	\$32,423,400
COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL	1,331.44	\$54,009,900
TOTAL OF TAXABLE LAND		86,912,167
TAX EXEMPT&NON-TAXABLE (\$28,477,427)	246.07	
VALUE OF BUILDINGS ONLY	٦	
RESIDENTIAL		\$75,577,300
MANUFACTURED HOUSING		\$5,598,600
COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL		\$71,899,173
TOTAL OF TAXABLE BUILDINGS		\$153,075,073
TAX EXEMPT&NON-TAXABLE (\$28,477,427)		
PUBLIC UTILITIES		\$10,327,200
VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS		\$250,314,440
SCHOOL DINING/DORMITORY/KITCHEN EXEMP	PTION	(\$150,000)
MODIFIED ASSESSED VALUATION OF ALL PRO	OPERTIES .	\$250,164,440
LESS EXEMPTIONS:		
BLIND (5)	·	(\$225,000)
ELDERLY EXEMPTIONS (57)		(\$1,890,800)
TOTAL DOLLAR AMOUNT OF EXEMPTIONS		\$2,115,800
		<u> </u>
NET VALUATION UPON WHICH TAX RATE FOR MUNICIPAL, COUNTY & LOCAL EDUCATION TACOMPUTED		\$248,048,640
LESS PUBLIC UTILITIES		(\$10,327,200)
NET VALUATION WITHOUT UTILITIES ON WHIC	H TAX	

\$237,721,440

RATE FOR STATE EDUCATION TAX IS COMPUTED

TAX CREDITS	LIMITS	# OF INDIVIDUALS	ESTIMATED TAX CREDITS
Totally & permanently disabled veterans, their spouses or widows, and the widows of veterans who died or were killed on active duty	\$700/ \$1400	5	\$7,000
Other war service credits	\$50/100	161	\$16,100
TOTAL NUMBER AND AMOUNT			\$23,100

UTILITY SUMMARY	2000 VALUATION
Section A: Electric Companies, Generating Plants	
Public Service	\$3,832,200
A1. Gas, Oil & Pipeline Companies	
Energy North	\$4,771.700
A2. Water Companies	
Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct	\$1,723,300
Grand Total Valuation of all Utility Companies	\$10,327,200

REVENUES RECEIVED FROM PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES	MUNICIPALITY	SOURCE OF PAYMENT IN LIEU
	\$47,000	Clement Dam HDI Associates

ELDERLY EXEMPTION REPORT

Number of	applicar	nts with Initial Application for	Total Number of individuals granted an elderly exemption for			lderly exemption for
Elderly Exe	Elderly Exemption for CURRENT YEAR		the current year & total amount of exemptions granted		ions granted	
AGE	#	AMOUNT PER	AGE # MAXIMUM TOTAL ACT			TOTAL ACTUAL
		INDIVIDUAL EXEMPTION			ALLOWABLE	EXEMPTION
					EXEMPTION AMOUNT	AMOUNT GRANTED
65-74	16	\$25,000	65-74	16	\$400,000	\$345,600
75-79	20	\$40,000	75-79	20	\$800,000	\$444,200
80+	21	\$65,000	80÷	21	\$1,365,000	\$1,101,000
	ì		Total	57		\$1,890,800

CURRENT USE REPORT

	Total # Acres Receiving Current Use Assessment	Other Current Use Statistics	
Farm Land	620.40	Receiving 20% Recreation Adjustment	121.1
Forest Land	2258.60	Removed from Current Use during current year	826.11
Forest Land with documented Stewardship	321.17		17.00
Wet Land	100.02		
Total (incl.discretion.ease)	3,368.15*		

DISCRETIONARY EASEMENTS

TOTAL # OF ACRES IN		
DISCRETIONARY EASEMENTS	DISCRETIONARY EASEMENTS	EASEMENTS GRANTED
67.96*	1	Golf Course

2000 TAX RATE CALCULATION

		Tax Rates
TOWN Appropriations Less: Revenues Less: Shared Revenues Add: Overlay War Service Credits	\$3,513,735 \$(2,277,994) \$(28,512) \$79,331 \$23,100	
Net Town Appropriation	\$1,309,660	
Approved Town Tax Effort Municipal Tax Rate	\$1,309,660	\$5.28
SCHOOL Net Local School Budget Regional School Apportionment Less: Adequate Education Grant State Education Taxes	\$4,600,295 \$(962,805) \$(1,433,220)	
Approved School Tax Effort Local Education Tax Rate	\$2,204,270	\$8.89
State Education Taxes (\$6.60) Equalized Valuation (no utilities) x \$217,154,506 Divide by Local Assessed Valuation (no utilities) \$237,721,440.00 Excess State Education Taxes to be remitted to State	\$1,433,222	\$6.03
COUNTY Due to County Less: Shared Revenues	\$511,794 \$(7,096)	
Approved County Tax Effort	\$504,698	\$2.03
Combined Tax Rate		\$22.23
FIRE DISTRICT Approved Village Tax Rate		\$1.46
TOTAL 2000 TAX RATE		\$23.69

Total Property Taxes Assessed	\$5,451,848
Less: War Service Credits	\$(23,100)
Add: Village District Commitments	\$362,151
Total Property Tax Commitment	\$5,790,899

Proof of Rate		Tax Rate	Assessment
Net Assessed Valuation			
State Education Tax	\$237,721,440	\$ 6.03	\$1,433,220
All Other Taxes	\$248,048,640	\$16.20	\$4,018,628
			\$5,451,848

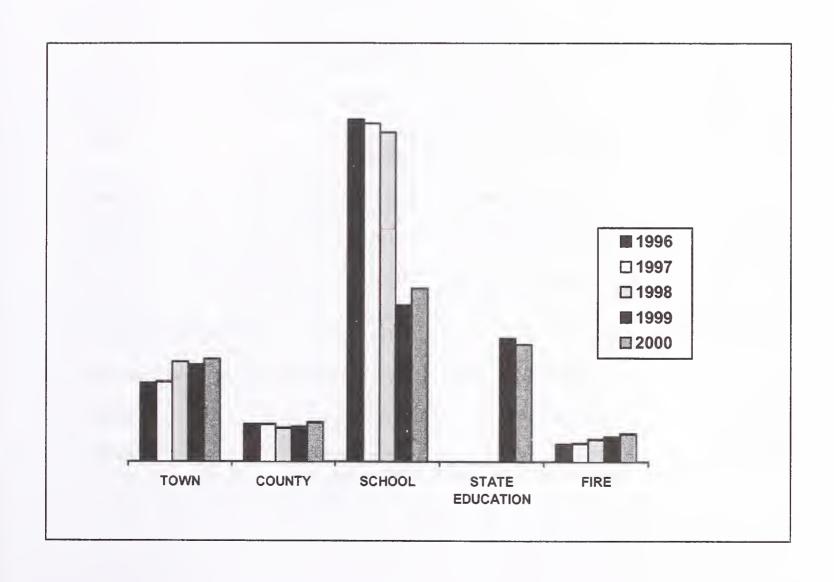
WINNISQUAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT Apportionment 2000-2001

PRE-EXISTING DISTRICTS	AMOUNTS:
Northfield Sanbornton Tilton	\$1,216,313 \$1,407,425 \$2,204,270
Total Tax Assessment	\$4,828,008
Net Tax Assessment Less Adequate Education Amount	\$12,185,027 \$(7,357,019)
Total Tax Assessment	\$ 4,828,008

TAX RATE COMPARISONS:

	1996	1997	1998	1999*	2000
TOWN'S SHARE	\$4.04	\$4.12	\$5.13	\$5.00	5.28
COUNTY'S SHARE	\$1.93	\$1.93	\$1.75	\$1.81	2.03
SCHOOL'S SHARE	\$17.60	\$17.41	\$16.94	\$8.04	8.89
STATE EDUCATION TAX SHARE				\$6.34	6.03
FIRE DISTRICT'S SHARE	\$0.92	\$0.95	\$1.17	\$1.28	1.46
TOTAL TAX RATE	\$24.49	\$24.41	\$24.99	\$22.47	23.69

^{*}In 1999 the State enacted an education tax



SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

MAP/LOT	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	ASSESSED VALUE	
R05-07-00	Simmons Ct.	2.5 acres/land	\$10,200	
R5-33	7 Scenic Lane	21.29 acres/Land &Bldg	\$180,900	*
R08-0011	Chapman Rd.	1.33 acres/land & bldg.	\$79,800	*
R17-51-00	School St.	.004 acres/land (Historic marker)	\$200	
R17-31-OF	Gerald Dr.	1.03 acres	\$13,200	
R20-10-00	Rt. 3	.59 acres/imp. (highway garage)	\$339,500	
R20-11-00	Rt. 3	3.2 acres/imp. (highway garage area)	\$115,500	
R20-11-0A	Backland	13.98 acres (highway garage area)	\$44,000	
R22-30-00	Andrews Rd.	.14 acres/land	\$19,300	*
R22-72-00	Manville Rd.	1.03 acres/land (row area)	\$4,500	
R26-70	W. Main/Clark Rd.	6.19 acres/land	\$106,400	
R26-70B	W. Main/Clark Rd.	1.32 acres/land	\$18,600	
U03-47-00	Ashuelot Dr.	.275 acres/land	\$24,100	*
U04-05-00	E. Main St.	.95 acres/imp. (Police Station)	\$181,100	
U05-01-00	E. Main St.	.096 acres/land	\$1,100	
U5-02-00	E. Main St.	.09 acres/land	\$2,900	
U05-21-00	Main St.	.30 acres/land (Parking area)	\$6,800	

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

MAP/LOT	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	ASSESSED VALUE
U05-40-00	School St.	.084 acres/land (parking lot)	\$3,500
U05-42-00	Center St.	.19 acres/land (parking lot)	\$5,300
U05-44-00	Center St.	.274 acres/land (parking lot)	\$6,800
U05-50-00	Academy St.	.031 acres/land	\$1,900
U05-52-00	Prospect St.	.11 acres/land (parking area)	\$4,000
U05-113-00	Main St.	.06 acres/imp (Town Hall)	\$279,600
U05-117-00	Mechanic St.	.083 acres/land (parking area)	\$4,900
U05-120-00	Mechanic St.	.118 acres/land	\$16,600
U06-03-00	W. Main St.	1.569 acres/land (old Tannery)	\$225,300 *
U06-04-00	W. Main St.	0.38 acres/land	\$16,600 *
U06-20-00	W/ Main St./Winter St.	0.19 acres/land	\$5,800
U07-41-00	School St.	2.9 acres/land	\$18,400
U08-05-00	W. Main St.	23.0 acres/land	\$83,100
TOTAL ASSESSED VALUE		(cemetery)	\$1,819,900

^{*}Represents property acquired through Tax Collector's deeds.

PROPERTY OF THE WINNISQUAM SCHOOL DISTRICT

MAP/LOT	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	ASSESSED VALUE
R26-39-00	Winter St.	6.819 acres/land	\$13,600
U08-14-00	W. Main St.	2.602 acres/imp (agri.bldg.)	872,600
U08-15-00	W. Main St.	12.39 acres/imp (school)	1,625,100
U08-19-00	Deer St.	3.395 acres/land	40,200
U08-21-00	Deer St.	.286 acres/land	6,000
U08-22-00	Winter St.	3.79 acres/imp	4,241,500
TOTAL ASSESSED VALUE			\$6,799,000

PROPERTY OWNED BY THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

MAP/LOT	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	ASSESSED VALUE
R23-16-00	Backland	9.0 acres/land	\$6,500
U03-70-00	Silver Lake Rd.	1.67 acres/land	6,500
U04-73-00	Railroad bed	32.75 acres/land	703,400
U05-124-00	Railroad bed	.59 acres/land	8,400
R18-16-00	Backland	17.0 acres/land	19,400
R19-14-0A	Sanborn Rd.	2.7 acres/land	20,600
R22-01-00	Laconia Rd.	5.0 acres/imp	138,800
R14-07-00	Backland	2.34 acres/land	2,800
R17-13-00	Winter St.	28.00 acres/imp (Veterans Home)	3,871,900
R09-46-00	Church St.	.90 acres/land	1,800
R10-59-00	River St.	1.12 acres/land (canal)	236,600
R21-07-00	Silver Lake Rd.	4.0 acres/imp (containment bldg)	227,100
R22-74-00	Backland	3.15 acres/land (island)	7,100
R23-26-0A	Backland	.69 acres/land	2,100
R26-72-00	Islands	2.78 acres/land	2,800
R26-73	Islands	3.69 acres/land	4,000
TOTAL ASSESSED VALUE			\$5,259,800

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Selectmen Town of Tilton

We have audited the accompanying general-purpose financial statements of the Town of Tilton for the year ended December 31, 1999, as listed in the table of contents. These general-purpose financial statements are the responsibility of the Town of Tilton management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion of these general-purpose financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the general-purpose financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

The general-purpose financial statements referred to above do not include the General Fixed Assets Account Group, which should be included to conform with generally accepted accounting principles. The amounts that should be recorded in the General Fixed Assets Account Group are not known.

In our opinion, except for the effect on the general-purpose financial statements of the omission described in the preceding paragraph, the general-purpose financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Town of Tilton's as of December 31, 1999, and the results of its operations and the cash flows of its proprietary and non-expendable trust funds for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated March 17, 2000 on our consideration of the Town of Tilton's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants.

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general-purpose financial statements of the Town of Tilton, taken as of whole. The accompanying individual and combining fund statements and schedules and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards, required by U.S. Office of Management and budget circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not required part of the general-purpose financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general-purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the general-purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

Grzelak and Company, P.C. Laconia, New Hampshire March 17, 2000

COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES & CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET (GAAP) AND ACTUAL, GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES WITH ADOPTED BUDGETS

	BUDGET	ACTUAL	VARIANCE
REVENUES	PE 245 276	\$5,280,357	\$34,981
Taxes, net Licenses & Permits	\$5,245,376 \$406,000	\$3,280,357 \$410,451	\$4,451
Intergovernmental	\$229,822	\$220,897	\$(8,925)
Charges for Services	\$169,200	\$194,845	\$25,645
Miscellaneous	\$160,650	\$339,706	\$179,056
Wiscellaneous	\$6,211,048	\$6,446,256	\$235,208
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$0,211,040	ψ0,440,230	φ233,200
Operating Transfers In	\$35,000		\$(35,000)
TOTAL REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$6,246,048	\$6,446,256	\$200,208
EXPENDITURES			
General Government	\$643,248	\$659,262	\$(16,014)
Public Safety	\$537,711	\$561,711	\$(24,000)
Highways & Streets	\$350,982	\$301,410	\$49,572
Sanitation	\$235,148	\$240,048	\$(4,900)
Water Distribution and Treatment	\$19,200		\$19,200
Health	\$68,274	\$62,521	\$5,753
Welfare	\$65,600	\$22,979	\$42,621
Culture & Recreation	\$103,271	\$104,037	(\$766)
Conservation	\$1,670	\$762	\$908
Debt Service—Principal	\$50,000	\$50,000	
Debt-Service—Interest	\$56,500	\$44,807	\$11,693
Capital Outlay	\$50,000	\$158,641	\$(108,641)
	\$2,181,604	\$2,206,178	\$(24,574)
OTHER FINANCING USES			
Payment to Other Governments	\$4,064,444	\$4,063,994	\$450
TOTAL EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	\$6,246,048	\$6,270,172	\$(24,124)
EXCESS OF REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING			
SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES & OTHER USES		\$176,084	\$176,084
CHANGES IN RESERVES		\$43,106	\$43,106
UNRESERVED FUND BALANCE-CHANGE, NET		\$219,190	\$219,190
BALANCE (DEFICIT) - JANUARY 1		\$(163,103)	\$(163,103)
BALANCE (DEFICIT) – DECEMBER 31		\$(56,087)	\$(56,087)

COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1999

	GENERAL FUND	CAPITAL PROJECT FUNDS	FIDUCIARY	TOTALS
REVENUES Taxes, Net Licenses & Permits Intergovernmental Revenues Charges for services Miscellaneous	\$5,280,357 \$410,451 \$220,897 \$194,845 \$339,706	\$319,110	\$4,575	\$5,280,357 \$410,451 \$540,007 \$194,845 \$344,281
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES Proceeds of Long-Term Debt		\$384,250		384,250
TOTAL REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	\$6,446,256	\$703,360	\$4,575	\$7,154,191
EXPENDITURES General Government Public Safety Highways & Streets Sanitation Health Welfare Culture & Recreation Conservation Debt Service Capital Outlay Payments to Other Governments	\$659,262 \$561,711 \$301,410 \$240,048 \$62,521 \$22,979 \$104,037 \$762 \$94,807 \$158,641 \$4,063,994	\$1,261,268	599	\$659,262 \$561,711 \$301,410 \$240,048 \$62,521 \$22,979 \$104,636 \$762 \$94,807 \$1,419,909 \$4,063,994
TOTAL EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES	\$6,270,172	\$1,261,268	\$599	\$7,532,039
EXCESS OF REVENUES & OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES & OTHER FINANCING USES CHANGES IN RESERVES	\$176,084 \$43,106	\$(557,908) \$1,168,654	\$3,976	\$(377,848) \$1,211,760
UNRESERVED FUND BALANCE NET CHANGE	\$219,190	\$610,746	\$3,976	\$833,912
BALANCE (DEFICIT) – JANUARY 1	\$(163,103)	\$(2,308,499)	\$78,771	\$(2,392,831)
BALANCE (DEFICIT)DECEMBER	\$56,087	\$(1,697,753)	\$82,747	\$(1,558,919)

REPORT OF THE TREASURER - 2000

Cach	On	Hand	January	4	2000	
Casn	on	mana	January	Π,	2000	

\$460,701.89

Received from the Town Clerk	\$415,590.56	
Received from the Tax Collector	\$6,359,162.05	
Received from the Selectmen's Office	\$606,788.18	
Interest earned on accounts	\$54,639.37	
Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Note	\$1,700,000.00	
Proceeds from RDA Grant (Andrews Road)	\$46,553.12	
Voided checks	\$23,808.12	
Bank adjustments	\$1,484.17	
TOTAL CURRENT REVENUES		\$9,208,025.57

EXPENDITURES:

Payroll	\$578,649.91	
EFTPS transactions	171,877.92	
Accounts Payable	\$2,211,273.67	
Acquisition of Tax Liens	\$147,542.85	
Refunds, Abatements, Overpayments	\$17,464.74	
Payments to School	\$3,495,892.00	
Payments to County	\$511,794.00	
Payments to Fire District	\$361,837.00	
Long Term DebtInterest	\$23,918.00	
Long Term DebtPrinciple	\$73,664.00	
Payment of Bond Anticipation Interest	\$18,599.99	
Bank fees	\$2,978.75	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR ALL PURPOSES		\$(7,615,492.83)
CASH ON HAND DECEMBER 31, 2000		\$2.053,234,63

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

2000 was a very busy year for this office. In May, Gayle Twombly resigned her position of 23 years as your Town Clerk and was promoted to the position of Town Financial Officer. I was appointed by the Selectmen as acting Town Clerk to complete Gayle's term, and I am up for reelection this 2001 meeting for a one year term and in 2002 for a 3 year term. In September we hired Kathy Yeo as Deputy Clerk. Kathy completed her Municipal Agent Certification in October. Working together, Kathy and I have tried to run this office as efficiently as Gayle had done for so long.

As of June 8th this office extended its hours to 6:00 p.m. Thursdays. This is in an effort to accommodate all of our residents for vehicle registrations and dog licensing only.

Continuing the practice of restoration of our records we were able to bind Town Records Volume A for 1869 – 1890 and Marriage Certificates 1869 – 1883.

The monies collected this year as Municipal Agent for the State amounted to: \$9,461.50. 4754 transactions were completed for the Municipal Agent Program and I expect those numbers to increase significantly in 2001 with the ongoing growth of Tilton.

There has also been some changes with the State Motor Vehicle Registrations. In October we were notified that effective January 1, 2001 any non titled vehicle (1988 or older) must show in addition to a bill of sale one of these three documents: a) Previous Owner's N.H. Registration - either current or one that has expired in the past 30 days, b) Out of State Title, c) Verification of VIN-Form TDMV 19A (this office will supply that form and must completed by an authorized agent). Although this change was effective Jan 1, 2001 I thought it was important to note in this report to keep you informed.

I would also like to remind our residents that dog owners need to license their dogs by April 30 to avoid penalties as mandated by the State.

We are always looking for volunteers for various boards and committees. Please consider sharing your skills or be willing to learn a new one. **Together we can make Tilton a better place to live.**

Respectfully submitted:

ynthia D. Lovell

Cynthia D. Lovell

Town Clerk

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Motor Vehicle Permits	\$ 392,271.00
MVD Form 23, Title Applications	1,656.00
Municipal Agent Program	9,461.50
UCC Transactions	4,758.58
Dog Licenses	3,515.00
Dog Fines	285.50
Parking Fines	15.00
Return Check Fines	200.00
Filing Fees for Public Office	15.00
Vital Statistics	2,821.00
Filing Fees for Articles of Agreement	20.00
Copies	77.00
NHDES Wetlands Forms	66.98
Pole Licenses	10.00
Checklist Sale	50.00
Overage	75.00
Miscellaneous	14.50
Vitals Research Fees	78.00
Proof of Residency Documents	12.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$415,402.06

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 2000

DEBITS	LEVY 2000	PRIOR LEVY 1999
UNCOLLECTED TAXES-BEG. OF YEAR:		
Beginning of Fiscal Year:		
Property Taxes		\$830,274.10
Sewer		\$12,168.24
Betterment		\$20,386.14
TAXES COMMITTED THIS YEAR:		
Property Taxes	\$5,797,304.00	\$2,591.00
Land Use Change Tax	\$570.00	
Yield Taxes	\$3,442.20	
Sewer	\$10,589.70	\$263.50
Boats		
Betterment	\$83,192.00	\$77.50
OVERPAYMENTS:		
Property Taxes	\$4,470.61	\$11,100.24
Interest-Late Tax	\$6,380.07	\$19,173.28
Tax Penalties		
TOTAL DEBITS	\$5,905,948.58	\$896,034.00

CREDITS	LEVY 2000	PRIOR LEVY 1999
REMITTED TO TREASURER -		
Property Taxes	\$5,167,501.83	\$707,490.60
Land Use Change Tax	\$570.00	
Yield Taxes	\$3,442.20	
Sewer	\$931.99	\$5,778.23
Boats		
Interest on Taxes	\$6,380.07	\$11,048.07
Cost/Penalties		
Conversion to Lien		\$147,542.85
Betterment	\$70,154.00	\$19,480.14
ABATEMENTS ALLOWED:		
Property Taxes	\$4,324.00	\$3,682.85
Sewer		\$570.26
CURRENT LEVY DEEDED		
UNCOLLECTED TAXES - END OF YR.		
Property Taxes	\$629,948.78	\$1.46
Sewer	\$9,657.71	\$425.50
Betterment	\$13,038.00	\$14.04
TOTAL CREDITS	\$5,905,948.58	\$896,034.00

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 2000

DEBITS	1999 LEVY	1998	PRIOR
BALANCE OF UNREDEEMED LIENS - Beginning of Fiscal Year:		\$88,891.57	\$71,841.79
TAX LIENS EXECUTED TO TOWN: During Fiscal Year:	\$147,542.85		
INTEREST COLLECTED After Lien Execution:	\$4,621.36	\$7,146.06	\$23,873.91
TOTAL DEBITS	\$152,164.21	\$96,037.63	\$95,715.70

CREDITS	_		-
REMITTANCE TO TREASURER - DURING FISCAL YEAR:			
Redemptions	\$71,673.62	\$38,078.06	54,750.46
Interest and Costs (After Lien Execution)	\$3,727.86	\$7,749.76	\$24,185.41
ABATEMENT OF UNREDEEMED TAXES:	\$60.86	\$1,056.36	\$300.16
DEEDED TO TOWN DURING YEAR: (Taxes, Interest & Costs)	\$3,757.42	\$4,212.61	\$4,108.17
UNREDEEMED LIENS - End of Fiscal Year:	\$72,944.45	\$44,940.84	\$12,371.50
TOTAL CREDITS	\$152,164.21	\$96,037.63	\$95,715.70

Respectfully submitted:

Susanne E. Fecteau

Tax Collector

Susanne (P)

TOWN OF TILTON TRUST FUNDS

Town of Tilton		
		511,597.41
		24,045.66
Inv	vestment Growth	
		546,499.39
		22,460.04
12	2/31/2000 Balance	5524,039.35
Winnisquam Regional School District 01	/01/2000 Beginning Balance	328,497.75
Capital Reserve Account Ad	dditional Deposits	3 100,000.00
Int	terest	9,254.65
12	2/31/2000 Balance	3437,752.40
Winnisquam Regional School District 01	/01/2000 Beginning Balance	-
Underground Tank Capital Reserve Account Ad		360.30
Int	terest	1.06
12	2/31/2000 Balance	361.36
Library 01.	/01/2000 Beginning Balance	81,983.46
Capital Reserve Account Ad	dditional Deposits	
Inte	terest <u>9</u>	2,989.97
		•
Dis	sbursements	
12	2/31/2000 Balance	-
Lochmere Village Water District 01	/01/2000 Beginning Balance	•
	dditional Deposits	•
Int	terest	~ ~ ~
	9	
	sbursements	
12	2/31/2000 Balance	25,632.84
Lochmere Village Water District 01/	/01/2000 Beginning Balance	87,888.45
	dditional Deposits	
	terest	1,912.60
	3	
Dis	sbursements	21,791.36
12	2/31/2000 Balance	68,009.69
Tennis/Basketball Court Lighting Fund 01/	/01/2000 Beginning Balance	763.65
	dditional Deposits sterest	15.66
10	2/31/2000 Balance	1,029.31

TRUSTEES

Janice Leighton-Boudreau Robert Szot Normand J. Boudreau



SEWER COMMISSION Summary Balance Sheet As Of December 31, 2000

INCOME				
	Operating Income	191,689.49		
	Application Fees	1,500.00		
	Gross Profit		\$193,189.49	
		:		
EXPENSES				
	Bank Service Charge	44.00		
	Billing & Collections	2,552.95		
	Commissioners Salaries	1,937.50		
	Customer Refunds	773.24		
	Electricity	3,694.66		
	Benefits (Insurances & Retirement)	3,221.83		
	Inventory	811.00		
	Maintenance & Repair	11,037.09		
	NH DES - WRBP	123,386.88		
	Office Equipment	1,501.99		
	Office Maintenance	399.03		
	Office Supplies	823.80		
	Oversight & Inspections	1,525.00		
	Payroll Expenses	19,396.05		
	Postage	33.00		
	Professional Services	2,108.75		
	Accounting	1,800.00		
	Engineering	1,414.00		
	Federal	1,581.16		
	Telephone	970.17		
	Utilities - Fuel	35.16		
		•		
	Total Operating Expense		\$179,047.26	
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	Net Ordinary Income	:	\$14,142.23	
0.11				
Other Income	Later and the second	45,000,05		
	Interest Income	15,922.65		
	Capital Cost Recovery	9,826.14		
	Principal - Construction Projects	904.96		
	Total Other Income		\$26,653.75	
		=		
Other Expense				
	Oliver/Outlet Mall Line	22,040.05		
	School Street Sewer Replacement	21,716.00		
	Tatal Ollege E		C40.750.05	
	Total Other Expenses	=	\$43,756.05	
	Net Ordinary/Other Income		:	
	Net Ordinary/Other moonle			-\$2,960.07
			=	

SEWER COMMISSION Summary Balance Sheet As Of December 31, 2000

ASSETS	Current Assets Checking/Savings Accounts Receiveable Fixed Assets	268,718.54 30,577.33 452,911.48
Total Assets		\$ 752,207.35
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	Other Current Liabilities Long Term Liabilities Equity	-43,898.49 31,297.47 764,808.37
Total Liabilities & Equities		\$ 752,207.35

REPORT OF CHIEF OF POLICE

The Tilton Police Department handled 6816 calls for service in the year 2000. The tremendous growth that the Town of Tilton has experienced has kept the department very busy. Traffic enforcement was increased for the second straight year, concentrating on hazardous moving violations and resulting in 761 summons. This has had a very positive effect on reducing our traffic accidents from 497 in 1998 to 336 in 2000 (a 32% reduction).

Our school resource officer left the department to take a position at the Franklin Police Department in the fall of 2000. That officer was replaced by long-time police officer Bruce Clough. This has been an extremely positive change for the school, as both parties seem very happy with the move. Officer Clough will continue to provide security, investigate crimes, and provide instructions in various classes as well as provide mentoring and guidance for both the middle and high schools. Officer Clough has also taken on some coaching responsibilities on his own time.

We have hired three new officers to fill the vacancies created in the year 2000, two of which have attended the police academy to receive certification. Nathan Morrison was hired full-time in March of 2000. Officer Morrison had worked for us part-time for quite some time and lives in Tilton with his wife, Sherry. Kelly Kulig was hired in July of 2000 and came to use from the Belknap County Sheriff's Office as well as being a part-time police officer for the Town of Tilton. William Patten a former Franklin police officer was hired in November of 2000 and is a welcome addition to our patrol staff.

Hopefully, the year 2001 will find us fully staffed as turnover in the police field has been a problem statewide. I would like to take a moment to thank all the employees, families, and advocates of the Tilton Police Department for the help and continued support this agency has received. Special thanks to the local businesses which continue to support our safety programs such as Office Phil and DARE. These educational programs are essential and we appreciate any and all assistance.

We continue to rely on observations of the citizens of Tilton to report any crime or suspicious activity as this can certainly cancel a potential incident involving public safety. The entire Police Department is grateful for your continued support.

Respectfully Submitted,

Thurles & Chase

Charles B. Chase Chief of Police

2000 CALLS FOR SERVICE

CALLS FOR SER' ARREST MOTOR VEHICLE MOTOR VEHICLE MOTOR VEHICLE MOTOR VEHICLE	E SUMMONS E ASSITS E ACCIDENTS	7,215 301 761 489 336 2,663	
Robbery Burglary Sexual Offenses Assault Arson Shoplifting Thefts	2 24 9 74 2 26 271	Criminal Trepass Criminal Mischief Criminal Threatening Bad checks Domestic Disputes Disorderly Conduct Animal Complaints	37 112 46 58 71 68 237
DWIs Intoxication	26 58	Assist Other Agencies Drug Offenses	276 18

FUNDS GENERATED BY THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Reports	\$ 1,871.00
Gun Permits	\$ 261.00
Witness Fees	\$ 971.78
ACO Fines	\$ 232.00
Extra Details	\$23,839.00
School Districts	\$27,931.20
Federal Grants	\$32,739.00
Vendor Permits	\$ 1,325.00

PUBLIC WORKS / HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT REPORT

The Annual Report of the Highway Department gives me the opportunity to communicate with all the People of Tilton.

The winter of 2000 was busy with snow accumulations and freezing rains.

Projects Completed in 2000 are as follows:

- 1. Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct Company Project.
- 2. Noyes Road Project.
- 3. Completed Paving Program on various streets in town, which consisted of shim & overlay.
- 4. Granite Curb & Sidewalk Project on School Street.

Projects Scheduled for 2001 are as follows:

- 1. Clearing lot for new highway garage.
- 2. Continue Paving Program to shim & overlay town streets.
- 3. Rebuild catch basins on streets receiving shim & overlays.
- 4. Continue all services such as preventive maintenance; repair all town vehicles, transfer center and recycling and mowing of all cemeteries.

Respectfully Submitted

Dennis alle

Dennis Allen

Public Works Director

PUBLIC WORKS / HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT REPORT

SPRING CLEAN-UP REPORT

Quantites are estimated on cubic yards brought to the Transfer Station.

Wood	200	Appliances	125
Metal	145	Batteries	25
Demo	70	Tires	90
Leaves	160		

Trash quantities recorded this year = 350 cubic yards. Approximately $\frac{3}{4}$ of the materials were collected by the Highway Department Crew.

SPRING CLEAN-UP FOR 2001

Transfer Station will be open April 14th thru April 28th

Curbside Pickup will be:

East of I-93 the week of April 16th thru April 20th West of I-93 the week of April 23rd thru April 27th



REPORT OF THE TILTON-NORTHFIELD FIRE DISTRICT

Chief Harold Harbour retired last October. He has served the District and both communities that make up the District with fervor and devotion.

We wish to thank Chief Harbour for his persistence and loyalty as well as his long service to the Fire District. Best wishes, Chief Harbour, for your future.

The Tilton-Northfield Fire Department is working very diligently to review our mission. We feel it is time to either renew or revise our goals and objectives. The current growth of businesses, industries and dwellings within the District is very demanding to both the Fire and EMS sections of the Department. The personnel are working consistently to maintain the services available to the residents.

There are still major issues with residents correctly and prominently numbering their homes. It is important to your safety that emergency responders find your residence quickly.

With cost of fuel as high as it is, be sure to properly maintain the heating systems in your home. If you burn wood, do it safely. If you have questions or concerns, call the fire station. The station is staffed Mon. thru Thur. 6am-6pm, Fri. 6am to 5 pm and Weekends 7am to 5pm.

Several fires recently grew to major proportions because smoke detectors were either not maintained, or were disconnected. It is critical to your safety and to minimize the fire damage, that fire alarm systems are maintained regularly and tested frequently. Help us protect YOU!

Our firefighters work hard at preparing to effectively and efficiently handle emergencies in the district. Their devotion to duty and to their neighbors is second to none.

The Board wishes to extend their heart felt appreciation to each firefighter and medical-care provider, as well as to their families, for a job well done.

The Department wishes to thank you, the residents, for your continued support.

Robert R Petrin, Chief

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2000	Incident	Summary				

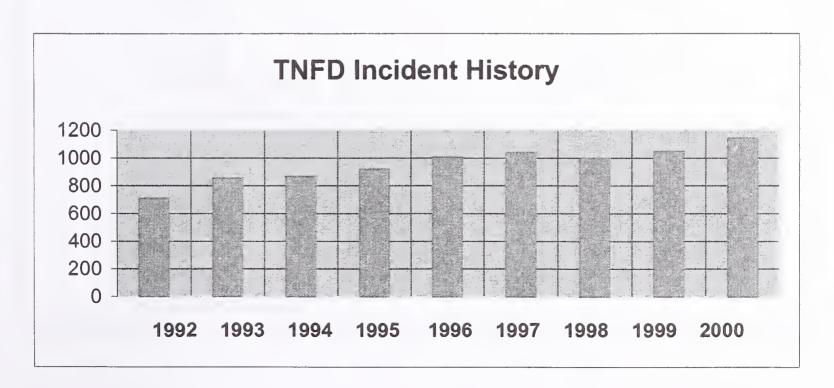
2000	Med. Aid	MVA	Structure	Chimney	Alarm	Other	Mut. Aid	Mo. Total	YTD
January	63	11	0	1	11	3	8	110	110
February	50	6	1	0	0	6	6	74	184
March	57	7	1	1	9	3	5	91	275
April	42	5	0	0	12	13	4	83	358
May	46	10	1	1	8	4	3	78	436
June	59	13	3	0	4	7	9	101	537
July	50	8	1	0	8	10	12	94	631
August	56	11	0	0	6	8	10	94	725
September	64	12	1	0	6	3	6	97	822
October	53	6	0	0	5	18	10	110	932
November	60	3	1	1	3	10	7	97	1029
December	59	6	2	1	10	15	10	113	1142
Totals	659	98	11	5	82	100	90	1142	

Multi-Year Incident Summary

Totals	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998^	1999	2000
Medical Aid	355	374	420	473	469	507	511	582	659
MVA	59	88	102	92	127	135	106	102	98
Structure	13	7	6	11	14	18	15	5	11
Chimney	10	17	18	10	19	16	9	8	5
Fire Alarm	67	102	84	117	110	101	104	97	82
Other*	141	196	191	191	208	179	97	80	100
Mutual Aid	64	70	84	60	60	83	57	88	90
Totals	709	854	868	918	1007	1039	998	1048	1142

^{*}includes smoke investigations, chemical spills, bomb scares, etc

[^]categories were broken down further to be more acurate: total reflects this change



TILTON-NORTHFIELD FIRE DISTRICT FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS 1/1/200 through 12/31/2000

Operating Account:		
Balance January 1, 2000	\$	294,172.83
Interest Earned		1,501.06
Deposits		<u>327,616,39</u>
Total Funds Available		623,290.28
Disbursements		(615,505,65)
Balance December 31, 2000	\$	7,784.63
Payroll Account:		·
Balance January 1, 2000	\$	88,584.25
Interest Earned		500.87
Deposits		<u>131.754.21</u>
Total Funds Available		220,839.33
Disbursements		(195,216,35)
Balance December 31, 2000	\$	25,622.98
Insurance (Rescue) Proceeds:		
Balance January 1, 2000	\$	94,134.30
Interest Earned		121.84
Deposits		<u>53.713.20</u>
Total Funds Available		147,969.34
Disbursements		(130,930,12)
Balance December 31, 2000	\$	17,039.22
NH Public Deposit Investment Pool:		
Balance January 1, 2000		
Interest Earned	\$	29,483.35
Deposits		20,137.90
Total Funds Available		669,874.12
Disbursements		(90,000.00)
Balance December 31, 2000	\$	629,495.37
Summary of all Accounts:		
Balance January 1, 2000	\$	506,374.73
Interest Earned		22,261.67
Deposits		1,182,957,92
Total Funds Available		1,711,594.32
Disbursements		(1,031,652,12)
Balance December 31, 2000	\$	679,942.20

TOWN OF TILTON

WARRANT
TOWN MEETING
2001 BUDGET

MARCH 17, 2001

TOWN OF TILTON BELKNAP COUNTY STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of Tilton, County of Belknap, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED TO MEET AT THE WINNISQUAM REGIONAL MIDDLE SCHOOOL ON TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 2001 AT 8:00 AM TO ACT ON THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS:

(Polls will be open from 8 am to 7 pm)

- Article 1. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year as presented on the ballot prepared for the same.
- Article 2. To choose the necessary school officials for the Winnisquam Regional School District as presented on the ballot prepared for the same.
- Article 3. To see if the Town will vote the changes in the Tilton Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Planning Board pertaining to definitions, signage, the description of the "Downtown District", and recreational vehicles.
- Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to increase the size of the Tilton Sewer Commission from three (3) to five (5) members. (by petition)

AND ON THE 17TH DAY OF MARCH 2001 AT 8:00 IN THE FORENOON AT THE WINNISQUAM REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL TO ACT ON THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS:

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) as the Town's initial share of a State Aid Reconstruction project for drainage work and the reconstruction of Silver Lake Road, Church Street and River Street; pursuant to RSA 32:3 VI, this appropriation will be a non-lapsing, non-transferable account and will not lapse until the project is complete or in five years, whichever is less. (Majority vote required)

(The Selectmen recommend this appropriation)
(The Budget Committee recommends this appropriation)

(With the successful completion of the project, Silver Lake Road, Church Street and River Street would become Class V roads or Town roads.)

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand, three hundred dollars (\$1,300) and to expend the same for the purpose of participation in the State of New Hampshire sponsored project to eradicate the milfoil in Lake Winnisquam. (by petition)

(The Selectmen do not recommend this appropriation)
(The Budget Committee does not recommend this appropriation)

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to (raise and) appropriate the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for the purpose of purchasing video equipment and to record each selectmen's meeting of the town on video and have them delivered to channel LRPA (25), located at the Laconia High School, for broadcast each week. (by petition)

(The Selectmen do not recommend this appropriation)
(The Budget Committee does not recommend this appropriation)

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Budget submitted by the Budget Committee and posted as part of this warrant, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

(Majority vote required)

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following ordinance pertaining to littering and trash collection:

LITTERING AND TRASH COLLECTION ORDINANCE

No person shall put or place, or cause to be put or placed, in or upon any way, right-of-way, street, sidewalk, curb, gutter, square, lane, alley, public bathing place or the approaches thereto, or into any public water, streams or watercourse or onto if ice-covered, or the approaches thereto or land bordering the same, any other public place or the private property of another, in the Town of Tilton, any gardening refuse intended for pickup, any household garbage, leaves, clippings, prunings, bottles, glass, crockery, cans, scrap metal, junk, paper, garbage, old automobile or parts thereof, or refuse of any nature whatsoever or any noxious thing; provided that nothing herein shall be construed as affecting authorized collections of approved items.

A limit of 5 (five) 33 (thirty-three) gallon bags or 5 (five) 33 (thirty-three) gallon trash cans or combination of such which shall only total 5 (five) 33 (thirty-three) gallon containers of trash per residential unit shall be in effect with the exception of pre-scheduled town organized clean up weeks.

Town of Tilton 2001 Town Warrant

A limit of 5 (five) 33 (thirty-three) gallon bags or 5 (five) 33 (thirty-three) gallon trash cans or combination of such which shall only total 5 (ten) 33 (thirty-three) gallon containers of trash per commercial property shall be in effect.

For the sake of this ordinance commercial is defined as follows: "Commercial means entities engaged in commerce, work intended for commerce, or relating to commerce in the Town of Tilton, including but not limited to, contractors, multifamily dwellings and commercial establishments of any size such as, residential boarding and lodging homes, convalescent and nursing homes, churches, schools, ski areas, hotels, motels, inns, restaurants, lounges, retail sales, service businesses, professional offices, manufacturing, or automotive related businesses and individually owned multi-dwelling units of more than 10 units on the same parcel."

Items for collection from single family as well as multi-family dwellings and commercial locations are to be placed in designated locations no sooner than the scheduled day of collection. For the sake of this ordinance, a designated location is defined as the area directly in front of the residence or establishment, from which the trash originates, within 5 (five) feet of curbside and/or roadside.

This designated location shall not in any way interfere with either the free flow of foot traffic or the access of public roadways to any pedestrian traffic, wheeled vehicles or motor vehicles.

Town of Tilton 2001 Town Warrant

Empty trash containers, any trash or unapproved items must be removed as soon as possible but no later than the end of the scheduled collection day or in the case of a business, which is open for business on the day of collection, within two hours of the collection of trash from the side of the street upon which the business is located.

Any person or business who violates any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a violation and shall be fined a minimum of \$25.00 for the first violation, the fine is to be increased by \$25.00 for each subsequent violation within a year's time from any other violation by said person or business, to the maximum amount permitted by New Hampshire law.

This ordinance takes effect upon its adoption.

This ordinance may be amended from time to time as provided by law.

- Article 10. (To see if the Town will vote to instruct the selectmen) in recognition that the Providian National Bank has bestowed great benefits on our town and surrounding areas that the town Treasurers place the bank accounts of the town in the Providian National Bank. (by petition)
- Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to eliminate the position of building inspector and create the position of zoning law enforcement and to eliminate the graduated fee for a building permit to one flat fee based on the estimated cost of issuing a building permit. (by petition)
- Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to elect the members of the planning board. (by petition)
- Article 13. To see if the voters will rule that only the town treasurer or his assistant will have the authority to write and endorse checks on the accounts of the town. (by petition)

Article 14. (To see if the Town will vote) to make it a conflict of interest for any town selectman to hold any other paid position, such as building inspector, with the town except those ex officio offices as required by state statute. (by petition)

Article 15. To see if the voters of the Town will instruct the moderator not to accept a motion to call the question until each voter has had an opportunity to speak to the issue once. (by petition)

Article 16. To see what action the Town will take in regards to the reports of its officers and agents.

Article 17. To choose any other officers and agents for the ensuing year.

Article 18. To enact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord, two thousand one.

Heber J. Feener, Chairman

Richard A. Manseau

Joseph B. Plessner

Steven J. O'Leary

Robert G. Brown

SELECTMEN OF TILTON, NH February 15, 2001

Town of Tilton 2001 Town Warrant

A true copy of warrant, attest:

Heber J Feener, Chairman

Richard A. Manseau

Steven J. O'Leary

Joseph B. Plessner

Pohort C. Prove

SELECTMEN OF TILTON, NH February 15, 2001

2001 TILTON MUNICIPAL BUDGET

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATI		Act		Actu			lectmen's		get Committee		Committee
Acct.			ropriations		enditures	_	commended		commended	Not	
No.	No.	Pric	r Year	Pno	Year	200	01 Budget	200	1 Budget	Recom	mended
GENERAL GOVERNMENT	-	-		_	000 515 00		005 044 00		205 244 22	-	
4130 Executive	8	\$	220,450.00	\$	206,515.00	\$	225,311.00	\$	225,311.00		
4140 Elec.,Reg.,&Vital Stats.	8	\$	6,100.00	\$_	5,939.00	\$	3,500.00	\$_	3,500.00		
4150 Financial Administration	8	\$	44,100.00		57,169.00	\$_	66,570.00	\$	66,570.00		
4152 Revaluation of Property	8	\$	10,000.00	\$	6,808.00	\$	10,000.00	\$	10,000.00		
4153 Legal Expense	8	\$	25,000.00	\$	39,356.00	\$	30,000.00	\$	30,000.00		
4155 Personnel Administration	8	\$	260,100.00	\$	260,551.00	\$	293,200.00	\$	293,200.00		
4191 Planning & Zoning	8	\$	22,650.00	\$	20,650.00	\$	37,600.00	\$	37,600.00		
4194 General Government Bidg		\$	39,250.00		38,952.00	\$	38,250.00	\$	38,250.00		
4195 Cemeteries	8	\$	2,100.00	\$	1,750.00	\$	2,100.00	\$	2,100.00		
4196 Insurance	8	\$	50,500.00	\$	44,344.00	\$	43,000.00	\$	43,000.00		
				<u> </u>	3,203.00	\$		_			
4197 Advertising & Regl Assoc 4199 Other General Governme		\$	3,203.00 46,402.00	\$	24,344.00	2	3,372.00	\$	3,372.00		
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PUBLIC SAFETY	ļ										
4210 Police	8	\$	589,856.00	\$	584,683.00	\$	618,568.00	\$	618,568.00		
4220 Fire	8	\$	700.00			\$	700.00	\$	700.00		
4240 Building Inspection	8	\$	18,000.00	\$	18,380.00	\$	21,400.00	\$	21,400.00		
4290 Emergency Management		\$	2.00			\$	2.00	\$	2.00		
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HIGHWAYS & STREETS	. 0	0	244 044 00	Œ.	107 010 00	0	225,438.00	•	205 400 00		
4311 Admin., Highways & Stree		\$	214,044.00	\$	197,810.00	\$		\$	225,438.00		
4313 Bridges	8	\$	157,900.00	\$	140,334.00	\$	135,900.00	\$	135,900.00		
4316 Street Lighting	8	\$	25,000.00	\$	24,574.00	\$	25,000.00	\$	25,000.00		
SANITATION	-					-					
	0	0	60 500 00	•	60 704 00	0	60 500 00	•	60 500 00		
4321 Admin. & Solid Waste Co	_	\$	60,500.00	\$	60,784.00	\$	60,500.00	\$	60,500.00		
4324 Solid Waste Disposal	8	\$	173,493.00	\$	182,502.00	\$	201,818.00	\$	201,818.00		
4325 Solid Waste Clean-Up	8	\$	22,000.00	\$	18,216.00	\$	22,000.00	\$	22,000.00		
HEALTH & WELFARE		-				-	<u> </u>				
4411 Adminisatration	8	\$	250.00	\$	5,975.00	\$	8,000.00	\$	8,000.00		
				_		+-		-		•	447.00
4415 Health Agencies & Other	8	\$	72,351.00	\$	66,378.00	\$	76,852.00	\$	76,435.00	\$	417.00
4441 Admin. & Direct Assistant	8	\$	66,400.00	\$	28,348.00	\$	67,300.00	\$	67,300.00		
CULTURE & RECREATION						-					
4520 Parks & Recreation	8	\$	45,496.00	\$	45,495.00	\$	46,486.00	\$	46,486.00	-	
	8				57,250.00	\$	76,275.00			0	4 000 00
4550 Library	-	\$	57,250.00	\$		+ -		\$	74,355.00	\$	1,920.00
4583 Patriotic Purposes	8	\$	200.00		143.00		200.00	\$	200.00	-	
4589 Other Culture & Recreation	_	\$	8,000.00	\$	5,256.00	+	9,221.00	\$	9,221.00		
4590 Statute Preservation	8			ļ		\$	25,000.00	\$	25,000.00		
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CONSERVATION											
4611 Admin./Purchase Natl.Re	8	\$	1,792.00	\$	801.00	\$	1,842.00	\$	1,842.00		
DEBT SERVICE											
4711 PrinLong Term Bonds	8	\$	73,646.00	\$	73,664.00	\$	68,664.00	\$	68 664 00		
								-	68,664.00	1	
4721 Interest-Long Term Bonds		\$	27,000.00		23,918.00		24,000.00	\$	24,000.00	ļ	
4723 Interest on TANs	8	\$_	25,000.00	\$	53,791.00	\$	25,000.00	\$	25,000.00		
PETITIONED ARTICLES											
Milfoil Project	6									\$	1,300.00
Video Equipment	7				•					\$	2,500.00
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CAPITAL OUTLAY									-		
4904 Improvements other than	5					\$	100,000.00	\$	100,000.00		
4905 Pillsbury Mill Cleanup	8			\$	14,376.00	\$	60,000.00		60,000.00		
4906 Winni River Trail	8					\$	1.00	_	10,000.00		
4914 To Enterprise Fund	8			-							
Sewer	8					\$	226,048.00	\$	226,048.00		
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Sub Total		\$	2,368,735.00	\$ 2	2,312,259.00	\$	2,879,118.00	\$_	2,886,780.00	\$	6,137.00
Library Renovations/Addition		\$	500,000.00	\$	500,000.00						
Public Works Facility		\$	600,000.00		600,000.00						
Main Street Program		\$	45,000.00		45,000.00						
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2001 SOURCES OF REVENUE (ESTIMATED)

		ESTIMATED	ACTUAL 2000	ESTIMATED 2001
		REVENUES	REVENUES	REVENUES
ACCOUNT NO.	TAXES			
3120	Land use change tax	\$8,000.00	\$570.00	\$3,000.00
3185	Yield taxes	\$3,500.00	\$3,442.00	\$4,000.00
3186	Payment in Lieu of taxes	\$47,000.00	\$49,009.00	\$48,000.00
3189	Other taxes/boat	\$17,000.00	\$17,524.00	\$14,000.00
3190	Interest on delinquent taxes	\$65,000.00	\$64,113.00	\$60,000.00
	LICENSES, PERMITS & FEES		-	
3210	Business Licenses & Permits	\$3,000.00	\$3,125.00	\$3,000.00
3220	Motor Vehicle Permits	\$400,000.00	\$392,442.00	\$390,000.00
3230	Building Permits	\$6,500.00	\$7,805.00	\$10,000.00
3290	Other Licenses, Permits	\$24,000.00	\$21,826.00	\$20,000.00
	FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT			=
33119	Other/Fast Cops	\$39,000.00	\$27,827.00	\$25,000.00
	FROM STATE			
3351	Shared Revenue	\$40,444.00	\$40,444.00	\$40,444.00
- 3352	Meals & Rooms Tax Distribution	\$76,156.00	\$76,156.00	\$76,156.00
3353	Highway Block	\$43,356.00	\$43,356.00	\$43,365.00
3333	Other Other	\$ 19,996.00	\$19,996.00	\$10,000.00
	CHARGES FOR SERVICES			
3401	Income from Departments	\$200,000.00	\$226,207.00	\$215,000.00
	Other Charges	6,000.00		
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES			
3501	Sale of Town Property	\$24,000.00	\$26,037.00	\$400,000.00
3502	Interest on investments	\$40,000.00	\$54,639.00	\$45,000.00
3509	Other/Insurance dividends	\$31,000.00	\$6,630.00	\$10,000.00
	Refunds		\$29,792.00	\$10,000.00
	INTERFUND OPERATING TRANS			
3912	Special Revenue Fund/Betterment	\$83,192.00	\$83,192.00	\$63,000.00
3914	From Enterprise Funds			
	Sewer .			\$226,048.00
3934	Proceeds from Trusts	\$850.00	\$817.00	\$800.00
	Proceeds from Bonds	\$1,100,000.00	\$1,100,000.00	
rotal revenues & Credits		\$2,277,994.00	\$2,294,949.00	\$1,716,813.00
rotal Appropriations				\$2,886,780.00
LESS: AMT OF ESTIMATED REVENUES:	-			\$(1,716,813.00)
AMOUNT OF TAXES TO BE RAISED (EXCLUSIVE OF SCHOOL & CTY)				\$1,169,967.00

TILTON-NORTHFIELD FIRE DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETING

WARRANT 2001 BUDGET

MARCH 19,2001







WINNISQUAM FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Winnisquam Fire Department answered 437 calls for aid during the past year. This was an increase of about 40 calls over the previous year, and an increase of over 80 calls in the last two years. Our primary response district is the Winnisquam Lake area of the Towns of Belmont and Sanbornton, and of the Tilton-Northfield Fire District, plus the Blackbrook Road area of the Town of Meredith. The breakdown of our calls in the year 2000 showed the following responses:

	Belmont	Tilton	<u>Sanbornton</u>	<u>Winnisquam</u>	Mutual Aid
Madical	66	62	28	46	2
Medical				40	2
MVA/Medical	19	24	8	0	1
Fire-Structure	15	7	5	0	12
Fire-Other	33	13	13	0	3
Fire Alarms	51	3	17	0	0
Service	0	0	1	4	0
Other	1	2	1	0	_0
Totals	185	111	73	50	18

As has become the pattern for those fire departments that cover both fire and medical calls, our responses show that over 60 percent were for the ambulance, with either medical or trauma related problems. Answering this challenge, we are fortunate in that the 25 members of our department include two Paramedics, three EMT-Intermediates, and eleven EMT-Basics, with one additional member now taking the basic course.

We wish to express our appreciation to those at the annual meetings last year that supported our request for a new ambulance. It provides us with a more adequate work area for treating patients in advanced life care en route to the hospital, and because of its up-to-date design, to keep it in compliance with today's infection control standards.

With the new Ambulance last year, the new Engine put into service in 1998, the refurbishing of our 1981 Engine several years ago, and securing from the State a larger 4 wheel drive military vehicle several years ago to replace the small Jeep, our vehicles are all in good condition, and we should not have to be looking for a replacement for any of them for about 10 years. However, by concentrating on bringing our vehicles up to date over the past few years, we have deferred much needed maintenance on our buildings and property. We are looking to replace our dug well with a drilled well this year and pave the parking area next year. We have reserved some monies from last year's budget, which added to monies in this year's budget for building repairs, we plan to refurbish the outside of the building this coming summer.

On behalf of all of our members, may I again extend our thanks to all who have supported us at Town and District Meetings, through donations, and by coming to the dinners and other fund raisers that we put on.

Richard W. Gray, Chief

REPORT OF TOWN FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND STATE FOREST RANGER

There are 2,200 Forest Fire Wardens and Deputy Forest Fire Wardens throughout the state. Each town has a Forest Fire Warden and several Deputy Wardens who assist the Forest Rangers with forest fire suppression, prevention, and law enforcement. The number of fires reported during the 2000 fire season was below average as referenced in the statistics below. Despite this, our network of fire towers and detection patrols were still quite busy with the fire towers being first to report over 135 fires. These fires were quickly and accurately reported to the local fire department for their prompt and effective suppression efforts. Wild land fires occurring in areas where homes are situated in the woodlands are a serious concern for both landowners and firefighters. Homeowners can help protect their homes by maintaining adequate green space around them and making sure that houses are properly identified with street numbers. Please contact the Forest Protection Bureau to request a brochure to assist you in assessing fire safety around your home and woodlands.

To aid your Forest Fire Warden, Fire Department and State Forest Ranger, contact your local Warden or Fire Department to find out if a permit is required before doing <u>ALL</u> outside burning. Fire permits are required for any open burning unless the ground is completely covered with snow where the burning will be done. Violations of RSA 227-L:17, the fire permit law and the other burning laws of the State of New Hampshire are misdemeanors punishable by fines of up to \$2,000 and/or a year in jail. Violators are also liable for all fire suppression costs.

There are eleven Forest Rangers who work for the New Hampshire Division of Forests and Lands, Forest Protection Bureau. Forest Rangers have investigated numerous complaints regarding violations of the timber harvest and forest fire laws, and taken enforcement action to ensure compliance. If you have any questions regarding forest fire or timber harvest laws, please call our office at 271-2217, or for general information visit our website at www.dred.state.nh.us.

The State of New Hampshire operates 15 fire towers, 2 mobile patrols and 3 contract aircraft patrols. This early detection system and reports from citizens aid in the quick response from local fire departments. These factors are critical in controlling the size of wildland fires, keeping the loss of property and suppression costs as low as possible. Due to permitting and fire safety concerns, please contact your local fire department **BEFORE** using portable outdoor fireplaces and vessels, including those constructed of clay, concrete or wire mesh.

Please contact your local fire department before doing ANY outside burning.

REMEMBER ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT FOREST FIRES!!

2000 FIRE STATISTICS

(All Fires Reported through November 10, 2000)

TOTALS BY COUNTY

	Numbers	Acres	CAUSES OF FIRES REPORTED	
Hillsborough	118	40	Debris Burning	263
Rockingham	49	24	Miscellaneous*	151
Merrimack	92	16	Smoking	30
Belknap	54	13	Children	17
Cheshire	41	20	Campfire	16
Strafford	58	13	Arson/Suspicious	14
Carroll	46	10	Equipment Use	9
Grafton	16	7	Lightning	9
Sullivan	12	2	Railroad	7
Coos	30	4		

TOTALS BY YEAR

	<u>Numbers</u>	<u>Acres</u>
2000	516	149
1999	1301	452
1998	798	443

^{*} Misc. (powerlines, fireworks, structures, OHRV, unknown)

Human Service Department

Tilton with its quality educational programs, growing library, small town appeal, and the Main Street Community project is becoming the place to live. This factor is providing the Human Service Department in Tilton with the same challenges many other communities in the state are facing lack of affordable housing. This department receives requests for referrals to housing at least a dozen times a week. What has become apparent is that there is not enough housing to meet the demand and this is driving rental prices up negatively impacting those families who although working are struggling to make the rent. This leads families and other individuals concerned about being evicted, earlier into the town sometimes when they are just a few days late in rent to seek assistance. The individual/clients are often fearful of eviction, as they are aware that their apartment is easily marketable. This trend is a dramatic change over previous years. In this instance, the positive economic climate is in reality then increasing the requests for town welfare assistance.

The philosophy of Town General Assistance is that it is a fund of last resort. The provision of Town General Assistance to those individuals who meet guidelines is state mandated through statue. Therefore this cost is imposed on all taxpayers in a community. This very fact is key in understanding the difference between town general assistance and assistance granted through various charities and social service organizations in which donors voluntarily give to help others in need. Taxpayers in Tilton are required to help those who meet our guidelines, therefore it in implicit in determining need that eligibility has been established. It is the role of this office to balance the needs of the poor or less fortunate in our community without overburdening the town taxpayer.

One issue that has arisen this year is the increasing trend for temporary assistance while a client is waiting determination of state or federal disability programs. This cost accounts for 77% of all expenses this year. These individuals typically have some medical condition that requires prescriptions for their disability. While waiting for this approval that can take many months the town may be required to support the client this may and often does include housing costs in addition to medical assistance. If later determined eligible at the state or federal level, the town will be partially reimbursed. In a case we encountered this year the individual died from this disability before the state or federal agency receiving reports from their doctors to certify illness/disability. The town had already expended \$2000 on medications for him and due to his untimely death, he was not determined disabled, therefore we were not able to recoup this expense. When individuals are determined eligible for state or federal disability programs it is becoming increasingly more difficult for them to live on their disability check frequently this amount averages \$550 per month. In Tilton, as in most communities it is almost impossible to secure housing and other basic needs on this monthly income. These individuals must continually seek additional supports from other human service agencies and await housing assistance from subsidy programs with waiting lists.

The theme this year in the Human Service Department has been community collaboration. Our department has been greatly assisted by various organizations and charities that have enabled us to keep our costs from rising. The Tilton Northfield Sanbornton Christmas Fund this year assisted the three communities with over \$18000 worth of winter clothing, food items, and children's toys. As the intake coordination location

for this effort, we know that forty percent of the recipients of this fund were Tilton residents. This project brings hope and joy to many in our community and alleviates the financial burden to the town without the use of town funds. The Community Crisis Fund although wishing to remain anonymous is another fund that helps our residents throughout the year to the tune of \$6000. This fund is beneficial as a one-time assistance to those who would not otherwise be eligible for any type of help, this program also does not require the use of town funds. There are many organizations and community members that provide assistance to our residents, two other notable groups are the Community Action Program and St. Vincent De Paul. All these efforts and programs help assist our department meet the needs of Tilton residents without increasing the burden the taxpayer.

With the continued help and support of these organizations/individuals, coordinated collaborative resource building will continue. The goals of the Human Service Department are currently and will continue to be: meeting the needs of and not comprising the services to all clients, keeping the general assistance expenses to a minimum, while maintaining state a federal compliance. This has been and will continue to be accomplished as a team effort. Tilton is a strong community.

Welfare General Assistance 2000 \$13.280.56

2000 BUILDING PERMIT REPORT

The building activity for this year has been keeping pace with previous years with a total of 90 building permits. However the level of commercial construction has been significantly reduced.

We have seen a marked increase in the renovation and expansion of existing homes probably due to the increased cost of new home construction.

During 2000 Building Permits were issued as follows:

NEW STRUCTURES Commercial Residential		2
ADDITIONS & ALTERATIONS		74
MANUFACTURED HOUSING (Mob New Removed	ile Homes)	5 1
	Total Permits Issued	90

TOTAL FEES COLLECTED: \$6,090.00

Respectfully Submitted,

Joe Plessner

Building Inspector

PLANNING BOARD ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2000

The past year was a busy year for the Planning Board. The year was filled with a continuance of development in the Town of Tilton.

It has been a learning experience for all those involved in trying to meet the ever-increasing demands of a growing town. Just keeping in tune with changing laws and procedures has been time consuming. Some needed changes in zoning laws were accomplished, but, as in all governmental entities, changes are forever occurring, and Tilton is no different. As we have stated, your, the citizen, input is priceless and very much needed.

A thank you goes out to those who stuck in there during this past year to help the town throughout the ongoing growth of our community. The Planning Board is aware of and will work with the Main Street program throughout its lifetime.

Your Planning Board's work is dependent on all of its citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur Fecteau, Chairman

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ZONING BOARD ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2000

The Zoning Board of Adjustment had a fairly normal year. We had a total of five meetings. The appeals that were heard consisted of two variances, two special exceptions and one appeal.

I want to thank all the Board members who gave their time and talents this past year and welcome our newest member, Jim Foye. I especially want to thank Sandy Plessner, of the Land Use office, who keeps our records and records the minutes of our meetings. Without Sandy's help and expertise, we would not be able to function.

Respectfully submitted,

Foster Peverly, Chairman

REPORT OF THE TILTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The purpose of the Conservation Commission is to assist and encourage the proper use of natural resources in Tilton and to protect our river, streams, wetlands and ground water. The commission has no authority to approve projects or to enforce regulations but does offer its opinions and comments on environmental matters. By law, we are required to review NH Dredge and Fill permit applications, and, as necessary, provide written comments to the NH Wetlands Board on the environmental effects of a project.

This year our workload was more than last year. Our principal efforts concerned monitoring existing mitigation projects to ensure that they were still functioning as designed and that no harm was coming to the wetlands as well as the neighboring property owners as well as providing assistance to the Planning Board in a number of matters and working with donors of conservation easements, of which none have as yet been given to the town.

In 2000 we spent considerable time on the Tilton Mac-Cal LLC (Home Depot) Dredge and Fill permit application as well as two new, but small compared to prior years, construction projects. However, both construction jobs constituted potential environmental risks to the neighborhoods. We also reviewed two Dock permits, to which we recommended changes that were adopted and an Expedited Dredge and Fill Permit to repair piers, to which our recommendations were added. Finally, we reviewed and commented upon a conceptual plan for a large development.

The commission assisted the Planning and Zoning Boards and citizens of Tilton with wetlands and environmental information during the year. Members investigated a few reported violations, which were quickly addressed and corrected.

The commission members also attended workshops to increase their knowledge of wetlands, the mitigation process and procedures. We would like to remind those planning to construct or repair docks, work in wetlands, or make shoreline improvements to obtain a NH Wetlands Board Permit for processing.

Commissioners are available to help anyone planning a project or having questions regarding natural resources or wetlands and Dredge and Fill permits. Commissioners can be contacted directly or at the monthly Commission meeting held on the third Monday of every month typically at 7PM in the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted:

James M.G. Cropsey, Chairman

TILTON-NORTHFIELD OLD HOME DAY

I hope you joined us this year for Old Home Day. If not, be sure to come in 2001. The parade was once again a rousing success with crowds lining Park Street from Main Street to the Pines.

The Pines was brimming with activity including booths of all sorts with crafts, collectibles, educational materials and foods of every imaginable variety.

If you want to start your day early, you can join the annual road race. Reports were, that early morning this year was the time to be out, as the early morning mist was cool and refreshing. Three cheers to the 57 kids that ran this year too...what a sight that was. Good job kids!

If you have always watched the fireworks from the porch in the past, you really should take a stroll down to the Tilton School Athletic Field. The fireman's muster is always fun to watch and this year Remax Realty gave hot air balloon rides.

Congratulations to Citizen's of the Year:

William Joscelyn of Tilton

&

Harry Laughy of Northfield

You are admired and respected. Thank you gentlemen.

I would like to thank all committee members, contributors and patrons. Thank you so much for everything. I look forward to June 2001.

Mike Summerset Committee Chairman

CONCORD REGIONAL SOLID WASTE/RESOURCE RECOVERY COOPERATIVE

2001 BUDGET

	. 505021		
1.	Wheelabrator Concord Company Service Fees		\$2,016,504
2.	Rebates and Reconciliation		120,350
3.	Bypass Disposal Cost Reserve		172,500
4.	Franklin Residue Landfill		
	a. Operation and Maintenance	\$949,543	
	b. Expansion Sinking Fund	2,100,000	
	c. Closure Fund	34,200	
	d. Long term Maintenance Fund	3,800	
		3,087,543	
			3,087,543
5.	Cooperative Expenses, Consultants & Studies		367,531
	TOTAL 2001 BUDGET		\$5,764,428
6.	Less-interest, surplus, recycled tons and communities over GAT.		-1,016,200

\$4.748.228

2001 GAT of 128,337 and Net Budget of \$4,748,228 = Tipping Fee of \$37.00 per ton.
Tipping Fee of \$67.50 per ton for tons over base tonnage

Net to be raised by Co-op Communities

We are happy to report all member communities that 2000 marked the eleventh complete year of successful operations. Some items which may be of interest follow:

The 2001 budget reflects a tipping fee of \$37.00 per ton, an increase of \$.50 per ton. This is the first time in seven years that the Cooperative has found it necessary to raise the tipping fee. This year also marks the first time that the Co-op will charge a higher tipping fee for tons delivered over the Fee Formula Tonnage (FFT, 133,600 tons). The fee will be \$67.50 per ton.

Co-op was delivered to the Wheelabrator facility this year totaled 138,920 tons. That represents an increase of 6,070 tons over 1999, or a 4.57% increase. The amount of trash delivered continues to rise at a faster rate than predicted.

A total of 67,021 tons of ash were delivered to the Franklin ash monofill for disposal. The Ashfill continues to operate very well. Phase III Stage III is being filled at this time. A standby generator was installed this past year to provide electricity during outages. The most recent expansion (1996) will provide disposal capacity for the next five years.

The air retrofit project at the plant has been completed. The project was completed on schedule and close to budget. The retrofit will enable the plant to meet the most recent EPA and DES regulations.

The cooperative continues to look to the future by planning for construction of Phase IV at the Franklin site as well as expansion to a Phase V. It is also possible that there will be some negotiations with Wheelabrator concerning extension of the contract this coming year.

SAVINA HARTWELL MEMORIAL CONCERTS & COMMUNITY PROJECTS FUND

Dear Residents of Tilton:

Well, there goes another year! It's 2001 already! As usual, I only accomplished about half the things I had planned to do. Nonetheless, this is the time of the year when I "take a breather" and reflect on events that have taken place during this last year.

In spite of the rain, we still had a pretty good season of concerts in 2000, with very good attendance and great press/radio-TV exposure. Our record for attendance for a single concert was over 630 and our average was over 400 each. The "Old Favorite" bands, *Amoskeag, Strummers, East Bay Jazz Ensemble, Annie and the Orphans, Colada, and Swell Party* were great crowd-pleasers again, and are back on the schedule for 2001 as are the rained-out *Rusty Rockstar Roadshow and Karen Morgan/Pony Express*, both of whom always draw an outstanding response from our audiences.

The full schedule for 2001 (our NINTH season) is complete (opposite page) and as usual lists our Co-sponsors, which I think is an indicator of the community's commitment to the Free Concerts. (There is one sponsorship spot available, in case you know someone who would like to participate). Many of our sponsors are "Old Favorites" too, as several have provided financial support almost from the beginning in '93, for which I have been, and continue to be very grateful.

The radio stations were again very gracious and provided a lot of airtime for our Public Service Announcements of the Concerts, and the Newspapers were very generous with space and ran articles weekly publicizing the various bands and concert dates. Our schedule was also in the State' Magazine "VISIT NH" and on the State's web site as well as the Tilton-Franklin C of C web site.

I cannot even begin to convey my gratitude to Marion Houlihan, who has freely given her time and energy to preparing and providing refreshments for the concert-goers for the last seven years, making Sunday nights on the Island all the more special, and my appreciation to Art Fecteau for volunteering his help on Sundays and with Island maintenance, and to everyone involved for all their help in making the concerts a success and Tilton / Northfield's summertime Classic event.

So then, this is the time of the year when I count my blessings, of which there are many, share my satisfaction and <u>THANK YOU</u> for all you have done to make the concerts what they are.

I wish you happiness, health, peace, prosperity and contentment as we venture into 2001. May you find fulfillment in all that you do during the year.

Sincere Best Wishes,

Alan Hartwell

2001 SAVINA HARTWELL MEMORIAL FREE CONCERTS 2001

Sunday Evenings: 6:30 to 9 pm

REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE
OR BRING YOUR OWN/BRING CHAIRS OR BLANKETS

JULY 1 AMOSKEAG STRUMMERS

CO-SPONSOY: KEN PARTRIDGE CONSTRUCTION / TILTON

JULY 8 RUSTY ROCKSTAR ROADSHOW

CO-SPONSOY: PROVIDIAN NATIONAL BANK/TILTON-BELMONT

JULY 15 EAST BAY JAZZ ENSEMBLE

Co-sponsor: THE GALE INSURANCE AGENCY, INC/TILTON

JULY 22 ANNIE AND THE ORPHANS

CO-Sponsor: TILT'N DINER/TILTON

JULY 29 KAREN MORGAN / PONY EXPRESS

CO-SpONSOY: FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK / FRANKLIN-TILTON

AUG. 5 COLADA

CO-SPONSOY: JACK WILLEY'S MOTORCYCLE SUPPLIES / WINNISQUAM

AUG. 12 ANOTHER BAND

Dedicated to the Memory of Richard P. Smart, a friend & strong supporter of the Concerts

AUG. 19 BAND OF CHOICE

Co-sponsor: GREVIOR FURNITURE COMPANY/FRANKLIN

AUG. 26 SWELL PARTY

CO-SPONSOY: BRYANT & LAWRENCE HARDWARE / TILTON

Savina Hartwell Bandstand / Tilton Island Park

Underwritten in part by the Towns of TILTON & NORTHFIELD, presented by Alan Hartwell / Trade & Events Add'l Promotional Funding provided by WYMAN-GORDON Investment Castings / Tilton Add'l Advertising Support provided by Providian National Bank / Tilton and Belmont

Hall Memorial Library 2000

Hours: Monday and Thursday: 10-8

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday: 10-6

Saturday; 10-1

Trustees: Judy Sanders, Chair, through March 2003

Leif Martinson, through March 2001. Eliza Conde. Treasurer. life term

Sally Lawrence, life term.

Edna Southwick, Secretary, life term.

Staff: Mary Ahlgren, librarian

Coral Theberge, technical services librarian

Shannon Stacey, Children's librarian, through October, Kelly Finemore, Children's librarian beginning in October

Christina Rowe, Janice Wisler, Angie Beecher, and Sarah Chance served as

pages at various times during the year.

Lisa LaGasse, Christina Rowe, and Jean Wright have all served as substitutes

Volunteers: Jean Wright files catalog cards on a weekly basis.

Lisa LaGasse continues to provide story time every Wednesday for

preschoolers.

Donna Burbank assisted with weeding books during the summer.

Thanks to all who give of their time to the library.

Building Committee: Consisting of Tilton members: Scott Herman, Chair, Judy Sanders, Sukie Clark, Foster Peverly, Dave Huckins, Sally Lawrence, and Becky Albert, and Northfield members: Eliza Conde, Susan Berry, Scott McGuffin, Lief Martinson, and Edna Southwick, this group worked hard to gather support for the addition to the library building. With results of town meetings in, the committee has continued to meet biweekly to supervise the building process. Bauen Corporation from Meredith is doing the construction management, and local contractors include Ken Partridge, Roland Huckins, Reed and Cole Crane Service, and Casewell and Sons.

Programs: The library held 13 adult programs with 139 participants, 39 intergenerational programs including the ongoing Sit and Knit workshop Friday afternoons, with 255 attendees, and 108 children's programs, including weekly story times and the summer reading program, "Reading Cats and Dogs", with a total attendance of 2142. Support for the summer reading program came from: Providian Bank which sponsored the Little Red Wagon, Staples, Kidder Fuels, and a grant from the State Library which helped fund Stories and Stuff, and Tilton Diner, which hosted an ice cream sundae party for participants. Deborah and Burrett Macbee and their puppets donated a great performance.

Thanks to all who supported and provided library programs this year!

Gifts: Many people and organizations in the communities of Tilton and Northfield have been generous to the library this year. We received gifts of money from Kurt Kaltenborn, Altrusa International of Laconia, the Rotary Club, and the Cropsey and Tremblay families as well as from Carol Drake in memory of Harriet Wyatt Connors. The Atherton Family gave the library a Video Eye in memory of Walter A. Atherton, Sr. A grant was received from the Byrne Foundation. Tilton School hosted an Internet class for some of our patrons. The Conde family gave the library a Christmas tree, which Tom Jordan lit up and the Tilton Northfield Garden Club gave us two beautiful wreaths to hang on the doors. Teresa Pucci continues to enhance our audiotape collection with frequent donations of books on tape. Skip Hanks from Northfield Computers gives generously of his time and skill.

Thanks to all who contribute materially to the library!

2000 circulation figures are as follows:

Videos	4,565
Audios	3,551
Periodicals	867
Adult print materials	12,315
Juvenile print materials	12,395
Material loaned to other libraries	127

for a total circulation of 33,926. We added 1,576 pieces of material to the collection and discarded or withdrew 519. We averaged 398 patrons per week and we gave out 642 new or renewed library cards.

We welcome your visits to the library, especially as the addition is completed!

Respectfully submitted, Mary Ahlgren

HALL MEMORIAL LIBRARY REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES – 2000

Receipts

Interest\$	480.00
Equipment	800.00
Memorial Book Fund	25.00
Memorial Trust	1,500.00
Programs	1,230.11
Tilton Trust	738.52
Town – Northfield	57,250.00
Town – Tilton	57,250.00
Total Receipts:	\$119,273.71

Expenses

Admin. & Office\$	3,464.72
Audio	825.33
Benefits	9,498.88
Building Maintenance	2,472.79
Books	15,286.64
Equipment	1,186.59
Education	719.34
Electric	2,007.91
Heat	1,924.32
Insurance	4,400.00
Janitorial	1,820.00
Memorial Books	25.00
Payroll	62,485.99
Payroll Taxes	4,767.64
Periodicals	1,650.65
Programs	810.50
Sewer/Water	344.64
Telephone	1,276.41
Videos	833.53
Total Expenses:	.\$115,800.88

Respectfully Submitted,

Judy A. Sanders, Chairman Edna Southwick, Secretary Eliza H. Conde, Treasurer Sally Lawrence, Trustee Leif Martinson, Trustee

New BEGINNINGS A WOMEN'S CRISIS CENTER REPORT TO THE CITIZEN'S OF TILTON

On behalf of New Beginnings A Women's Crisis Center and those we serve, I would like to thank the Town of Tilton for its continued support. The \$1,300.00 allocation in 2000 unassisted us in providing emergency services, advocacy and support to those whose lives have been affected by domestic and sexual violence.

New Beginnings offers 24-Hour Crisis Line. We operate a full time shelter for women and children and have safe homes for male victims; provide support and advocacy at courts, hospitals, police stations, and social service agencies. New Beginnings offers peer support groups for those affected by domestic or sexual violence, assists with needs assessments, case management and housing options; and does community outreach and education programs for youth, teens and adults. **All services are confidential and are provided free of charge.**

The advocacy, outreach, education and support services our agency provides represent many service hours. In 2000, our agency documented 7,008 requests for services as well as requests for educational & community outreach.

New Beginnings is one of 14 members of the statewide NH Coalition Against Domestic and Sexual Violence, promoting statewide networking and resource sharing among domestic and sexual assault programs. The coalition is an evaluating body and administrator of state and federal contracts that provide subsidiary funding for member programs while advocating for legislative change that affect victims/survivors of domestic and sexual violence.

We greatly appreciate the support of the Tilton community. We are dedicated to human service, social responsibility and fiscal accountability. Although, New Beginnings represents a finite portion of the Tilton Town Budget the returns are immeasurable. We welcome your participation in our efforts to insure a world of safety for our children and ourselves.

Volunteers are an integral part of the work done by our agency. In 2000 there were 12,625 hours of service provided by volunteers. They are always needed and the opportunity to serve is fulfilling.

Thank you for joining us to made a difference.

Sincerely,

Kathy Keller, Director

LAKES REGION PLANNING COMMISSION

LRPC, with a service area covering over 1,200 square miles in Belknap, Carroll, Grafton and Merrimack Counties, is one of nine regional planning agencies established by state statute. We continued to have a very busy year. Our work program remains full with activities such as local planning assistance, circuit rider planning, regional information systems & mapping, transportation planning, economic development, and natural resources planning. We are funded through multiple sources including local dues contributed by member municipalities. LRPC is called upon many times each week to provide local technical advice, and to respond to requests for service. We have also continued to maintain a regular dialogue with those state agencies that depend on us as a resource for the entire Lakes Region. Our goal remains to provide support and leadership to the region, its governments, businesses, and citizens.

A few of our accomplishments over the past year are as follows:

- Updated the Region's Transportation Plan, which lays the groundwork for future transportation-related projects. Initiated the update of the 2000 Regional Transportation Improvement Program.
- In cooperation with the New Hampshire Municipal Association, LRPC organized a daylong workshop on "Planning Board Basics" which was well received by area participants.
- Co-hosted and organized three public Municipal Law Lectures where practicing attorneys provide a legal perspective on local planning, zoning and other municipal issues.
- Coordinated the 15th annual Household Hazardous Waste Collection (HHW), the largest single day, multi-site collection in New Hampshire. Renewed efforts to include a permanent HHW Collection Center by creating the Lakes Region Household Hazardous Product Facility Committee.
- Prepared and released an annual report on Development Trends in the Lakes Region. Over 92% of all development in the region remains residential development.
- Prepared an assessment on the way area communities regulate home occupations through zoning ordinances.
- Represented local interests on the policy boards of area economic development councils.
- Performed approximately 130 traffic counts around the region, as the result of a new initiative with the NH Department of Transportation.
- Continued to provide support to the Pemigewasset River Local Advisory Committee leading to the adoption of a River Corridor Management Plan.

- Co-sponsored a regional meeting, in cooperation with the NH Office of State Planning, on the federal and state flood insurance program.
- Expanded the digital, regional land use database; twenty-one municipalities are now completed.
- Completed and submitted the Lakes Region Tour Scenic Byway Plan, a unique resource to aid regional transportation and tourism.
- Convened four area commission meetings that focused on transportation, historic preservation, Main Street and groundwater.
- Co-hosted a tourism economic development forum, in cooperation with the Division of Resources and Economic Development and Belknap County Economic Development council.

We look forward to serving Tilton in the future. Feel free to contact the LRPC at 279-8171 or on the Internet at www.lakesrpc.org for additional information, or whenever we can be of assistance.

YOUTH ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Town Report -- 2000

The Youth Assistance Program is a Juvenile Court Diversion and Prevention Program. Thanks to the townspeople of Northfield, Sanbornton and Tilton the Youth Assistance Program is entering its 26th year of serving youth and families. This includes, not only teens and pre-teens who are in trouble with the law, but also pregnant and parenting teens, grandparents who are parenting their grandchildren, victims of juvenile crime, youngsters whose families are going through divorce or other disruption, and many others. The Youth Assistance Program continues to be available to any school-age children and their families in our community.

In the year 2000 we held:

- Juvenile Review Boards for first-time offenders
- Informal Counseling Sessions
- Challenge Trainings to address issues of substance abuse
- Tobacco Education Programs
- The All Stars Program A character development program for sixth graders was started in partnership with Youth Opportunities and the Winnisquam Regional School District.

We also:

- Worked with Belknap County on Juvenile Restorative Justice for second-time offenders
- Supported parents in court
- Conducted home and school visits with youth and their parents
- Worked with the schools on specific cases regarding school truancy, substance abuse, bomb threats, violent behavior and delinquency.
- Arranged for local police to speak with small groups regarding juvenile and adult laws and the ramifications of substance abuse.
- Hosted Doctor Laurie Mansfield from New Hampshire Dartmouth Family Practice who visited to answer questions by youths regarding sexually transmitted disease.
- Presented at Project Safeguard sponsored by the Winnisquam Regional Middle School to provide drug and alcohol information for students and their parents.

- Involved youth in such community service work as the NH Veteran's Home, the Pines Community Center, trash clean-up, cemetery work, helping at local police stations, Toys for Tots and others.
- Worked with the New Hampshire Juvenile Court Diversion Network on State issues in court diversion.

We look forward to the coming year and working in such a worthwhile program as the Youth Assistance Program of Northfield, Sanbornton and Tilton, Inc. Once again, thank you to all our many supporters.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha C. Douglass, Director Dawn B. Shimberg, Associate Director

Board of Directors:

Marion Abbott	Tom Croteau	Scott Hilliard	Linda Pardy
Kent Chapman	Nina Gardner	Ellen Lang	Rick Stewart
Norman Couture	Hal Graham	_	

Statistics:

Total Youth Participation 148	Court Diversion Cases 37
Adult Participation 41	Court Ordered Services 4
	Substance Abuse Training 21
	Prevention Activities 85

VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION OF FRANKLIN TILTON TOWN LETTER

I am happy to report that the Visiting Nurse Association of Franklin Continues to perform efficiently providing home care services to the residents of Tilton. During the 55th year of service, the staff of the VNA continues to ensure that we deliver personalized quality care to our clients while we transitioned to a new Medicare reimbursement system, took on new programs and remained fiscally stable in very labile health care economy.

We began implementation of the community Health Care Fund sponsored Care Management program, a joint outreach effort with Newfound Area Nursing Association, to elders and disabled adults within the 12 communities served by both agencies. The Community Care Coordinator works one-on-one with clients to identify services for which they are eligible and facilitates the initiation of those services according to the client's wishes.

During this year the Department of Health and Human Services implemented a new program for elders called ServiceLink, a telephone information/referral service for elders across New Hampshire. The Visiting Nurse Association of Franklin has been active in the development of the Merrimack County ServiceLink organization and its satellite office located at the TRIP center in Franklin.

In 2000 we were fortunate to have the opportunity to add the Good Beginnings parent support program to our services. Paired with our Health Care Support service for young families, the Good Beginnings volunteers support a particular family with a newborn who may just need a little ongoing coaching to get off to a healthy start in life.

As members of the Caring Community Network of the Twin Rivers, the VNA of Franklin has been involved in several multi-community programs of collaboration to improve issues of the public health. Currently we are participating in an effort to provide programming for drug and alcohol abuse prevention with the schools as well as after school programs. Members of law enforcement, the school systems, health care providers and the faith community are meeting to develop community cohesion in our effort to provide young people with positive alternatives to chemical dependency.

We also continued to provide community specific screening programs such as blood pressure clinics and flu clinics in Tilton as well as in the other communities we serve.

The board of Directors of the Visiting Nurse Association is comprised of volunteers from each of our constituent communities. Representing Tilton is Medford Sattler. Mr. Sattler contributes his time, expertise and energy to provide support and oversight to this organization.

We look forward to 2001 and the opportunities to work collaboratively with communities as we all endeavor to improve the quality of life for all of us.

CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES LAKES REGION OFFICE

In July 2000, Lakes Region Family Services and Child and Family Services of New Hampshire merged. Lakes Region Family Services is a not-for-profit multi-service agency that has provided services to central New Hampshire residents since 1976. Child and Family Services is New Hampshire's oldest charitable social service organization that has been serving New Hampshire children and families for 150 years.

The joining of these two organizations significantly increased the availability of social services to the town of Tilton and strengthened existing programming.

Child and Family Services has offices in Laconia at 95 Water Street.

Town Support combined with other funds enabled Child and Family Services to provide services 46 Tilton residents during 2000. Services are offered on a sliding scale basis. No one is denied service because of an inability to pay.

Child and Family Services makes the following services available to residents of Tilton:

<u>Family and Children's Counseling</u> Professional social workers provide counseling services that utilize individual and family strengths to address a wide variety of problems including death, divorce, substance use, abuse and neglect, and other social and mental health issues.

<u>Parent Education Courses</u> are designed to help parents learn the skills necessary to address the challenges of parenting so that they can raise healthy children in loving and respectful families. Throughout the year, evening courses are held in local communities to accommodate the needs of working parents

Adoption Services help insure that children being adopted are placed in good families who are prepared for parenting and ready for the unique joys and challenges of raising an adopted child. Services are also available after the adoption is final for adoptive parents, their children and birthparents.

<u>Integrated Home Based Services</u> prevents recurrence of abuse, neglect and delinquency through provision of an integrated series of services designed to meet the specific family's needs.

<u>Parentline</u> A toll-free phone number linking parents to CFS social workers who answer child rearing questions, provide support, direction and appropriate referrals for further assistance.

<u>Group Home</u> provides long-term residential care and emergency overnight shelter for youth between the ages of 13 and 18.

Lakes Region Community Services Council

Throughout the past year, Lakes Region Community Services Council has continued to serve those Tilton residents who have a developmental disability. Services such as: residential, vocational, family support and transportation, have long become an inherent part of the lives of these individuals.

In the past the focus has been on transportation, however in 2001, we will begin a new initiative. This year the focus of the funding requested will go toward providing recreation opportunities for individuals in the Tilton area. We realize there are many recreational activities available, but only some of the individuals with developmental disabilities are able to access them. Our hope is to hire a person to assist in the programs available and make them accessible for both children and adults with developmental disabilities.

Sincerely,

Richard Crocker Executive Director

THE PINES COMMUNITY CENTER TILTON-NORTHFIELD RECREATION COUNCIL

Dear Tilton-Northfield Residents:

The Tilton-Northfield Recreation Council and staff at the Pines Community Center have again had a very exciting and productive year serving the residents of our two towns.

Through fund-raisers, donations and a grant from Franklin Savings Bank, we will be finishing off an area downstairs to include a computer room, a community room with TV area, an office and storage. This area will greatly enhance our current programs, groups who use the building and allow us to continue to offer more our residents.

We had some personnel changes during the year 2000. In April, Karen Shepherd joined us as our morning receptionist. Karen resides in Tilton with her husband, Jim, and two children. In October we said good-bye to Bruce Kaler, our Program Director for over five years, and welcomed Cheryl Thompson to fill that position. Cheryl comes to us filled with enthusiasm and exciting ideas! Cheryl and her daughter Kiley reside in Northfield.

Our daytime hours are filled with Adult Exercise programs, Toddler Time, Senior Luncheons, Senior Clubs, Craft Circles, Blood Pressure and Flu Clinics, Gym Time and Pre-School classes. We have buses dropping children off at the Community Center from Union-Sanborn, Southwick and the Middle School to participate in our after school programs.

Our after school and evening hours are filled with programs such as After Class Blast, Judo, TKD, Ski Lessons, Traveling Soccer and Basketball Teams, and Dances. Weekend activities include Basketball, Soccer, Skating and Various Special events. Some of our annual special events are **Pasta at the Pines in March, Easter Breakfast in April and Christmas Breakfast in December**. We look forward to seeing new faces at these annual events. We also offer school vacation camps and summer playground and swim.

Our monthly newspaper "the Pines times" is available at the center the first week of each month. Stop in and pick one up or subscribe for \$5.00/year and we will mail you a copy each month (no issued July & August).

The Community Center is available for rentals for weddings, parties, showers, etc. Please contact us for further information. Several of our rooms are used on a daily basis by nonprofit organizations in the area for meetings. If you are a nonprofit organization and are interested in available space, please contact us.

The Tilton-Northfield Recreation Council would like to thank the residents, participants, Town Offices, Highway Departments and many local businesses who donate both time and money enabling us to offer more to the communities.

Thank you.

Rose-Marie Welch, President

T-N Recreation Council Members:

Melba Read, Shirley Curdie, Dorene Tilton, Ellen Welch, Pat Laiberte, Joni Stevens Sue Whitney and Rose-Marie Welch

PARK CEMETERY ASSOCIATION JANUARY 1 – DECEMBER 31, 2000

INCOME: Services & Lots	BALANCE ON HAND JANUARY 1, 2000			\$3,908.91
Total Income: \$36,437.04 EXPENSES: Wages 18,288.77	INCOME:	Interest Tilton Trust Funds Town of Northfield Town of Tilton Foundations & Markers Insurance Refund Donation Reimbursement	16,472.24 1,750.00 1,750.00 915.00 384.00 25.00 128.89	
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*Interest only may be expended

Respectfully Submitted

Judy A. Huckins, Secretary/Treasurer

TILTON MAIN STREET PROGRAM

We did it! On May 8, 2000 after many long hours of work by several people, the Town of Tilton was accepted as a New Hampshire Main Street Community.

A Board of Directors was selected and the real work of the Program began. Advertising for a Program Manager was conducted and several applications with many highly qualified people were received. The search committee narrowed the list to three people and interviews were held. Mr. Thomas Ursia was selected and began on July 10.

Through the kindness of Jim and Bev Clements, a reception for Tom was held at the Headmaster's home at Tilton School. Those who had not met Tom yet had the opportunity to do so and everyone enjoyed the opportunity to visit and discuss the program.

The NH Main Street Center Director, Kathy LaPlante, met with the directors and reviewed the expectations and did an overview of the four points the program advocates.

Through the efforts of Sharon Trothier several new flower planters were purchased and "Tilton Tilly" was designed and made by Jim Lambert. Tilly made appearances throughout Town looking after the plants and greeting visitors.

A directors retreat was held in September with time allocated to set goals and a vision for Main Street. This was in part discussing the 101 Training Sessions that were held earlier. The training sessions were held four nights to cover the points, Organization, Promotion, Design and Economic Restructuring. A total of thirty people were in attendance – many attended all four sessions.

After exhausting possibilities for an office on Main Street, we were offered temporary housing at a property on E. Main Street owned by the Gaudet family. We express sincere appreciation to the Gaudets for providing us the use of the office space.

The first in a series of ornaments was created and "Time Table Mabel" was distributed to area businesses in time for holiday sales. The sales went well and we are looking forward to the next in the series and plan to do more advertising to get the word out.

As part of the overall improvements, new holiday banners were purchased and donated by several local businesses and individuals for the down town area. Thanks to all who contributed to the new look.

Our first newsletter was published in December. Kudos to our manager, Tom, for all the effort he put in to this publication. It was a wonderful premiere issue. Watch for quarterly editions.

Working as a collaborative effort, the Tilton Police and TMS were able to get a new sign that is much larger and more noticeable for the station. Many people were involved in this project, namely, Chief Chase, Tom Ursia, Kelley Mulcahy of the Sign Shop, Bill Nickerson and the Tilton Public Works crew. Partnership makes a difference!

Work groups for six categories were started in January. In March the groups will meet jointly and work on an organized plan for Main Street.

Special thanks go to Catherine Apotrias-Woessner and Marjorie Bonneville who served on the original committee for the application process. The other three members of this committee have gone on to be Directors. Without the assistance of these people and the many hours spent preparing the details and statistics for the application, we would not have reached this first step.

Another part of the overall program is the funding. We were able to raise over \$135,000 to cover a three-year period due to the generosity of the Town of Tilton, Providian Bank, PSNH, local businesses, and individuals. Though this may seem like a large amount, it is not. In order for the improvements to be made and the upkeep to be done on a regular basis, we will need cooperation for future years.

The Main Street Program in conjunction with the Town was able to obtain a grant to have two of the statues evaluated. This is the first step in preserving and maintaining our well loved landmarks. These must be taken care of or deterioration will continue and part of our heritage will be lost.

We have a diversified Board of Directors dedicated to making this Main Street Community a place we can be proud of. Many volunteers have stepped forth and offered assistance. We appreciate their willingness to give of their time. Volunteers are always needed; if you have a special interest, please let us know.

The Main Street Program and its ideals will not happen overnight. This will be an ongoing effort. In order for the Town to thrive, we need to improve the overall appearance, attract new businesses, and support the businesses we have and improve and maintain the wonderful assets we presently own.

Keep an eye on Tilton - the next few months will bring about many changes!

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Gayle Twombly, Chair Bill Lawrence, Secretary Dave Fox Rick Manseau Jim Clements, Vice Chair Janet Foster, Treasurer Dianne Peterson Lauren Smith

TILTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY 2000

The Tilton Historical Society has purchased the Winnisquam Grange building on Grange Road in Lochmere for a museum for Tilton's Historical artifacts. Thanks to the efforts of New Hampshire State Grange Executive Committee member Elizabeth Currier Cotisbas of Sanbornton who made us aware of the availability of the building for our use, we will forever be indebted. This building has being used by the Lochmere Community Association for many years and their stewardship has kept the property in remarkably fine condition. We which to thank Wendell and Pat Cray for helping us understand the maintenance of the buildings structure. The Society also wants to thank the Lochmere Community Association for their generous contribution of funds to the Society, and our appreciation to Glenna Tilton Felson for her donation and offer of the Tilton family articles she has in her possession. We are very pleased to have a central place to display Tilton's history for all to enjoy. We invite and appreciate any contributions of Tilton's historical past which will be duly cataloged and credited to the donor, even old photographs whose backgrounds sometimes show views of homes and buildings that are no longer here. It is our sincere hope that this undertaking will enhance our understanding and appreciation of our heritage of a once vibrant community that is moving again in that direction. We also want to thank the Town officials for there encouragement in this undertaking. Citizen's

Historical Society Executive Committee

comments are requested and appreciated.

William W. Joscelyn Karen Floyd Shepherd James N. Shepherd

NEW HAMPSHIRE HUMANE SOCIETY

Claudia Abdinoor Executive Director

The New Hampshire Humane Society (NHHS) provides numerous services to the residents and companion animals in the Town of Tilton. Strays are safely housed for 7 days prior to becoming available for adoption to the public. NHHS takes in owner-relinquished pets by appointment and matches the animal with the best adoptive home. We offer the residents of your town an alternative to releasing their animal to the streets when they can no longer care for them. Quarantine facilities are made available to the town as well as animal cruelty investigation. Educational programs are offered to town schools and civic organizations. If you are interested in any of the programs, please call the administrative offices at (603) 524-8236 or contact the shelter at (603) 524-3252.

The total number of animals brought to the New Hampshire Humane Society from your Town during 2000 (to 12/31/00) is as follows:

ANIMALS	From Town of Tilton	Owner Surren	dered
Dogs & Puppies: Cats & Kittens: Other animals Deceased Quarantine	18 27 1 0	10 2	
Total received from the Total received from the	47 12		
Total number	of all animals received	59	

Respectfully submitted,

Claudia Abdinoor Executive Director

REPORT TO THE PEOPLE OF DISTRICT ONE BY RAYMOND S. BURTON, COUNCILOR

It is once again a privilege to report to the people of this large Northern Council District 98 town and four cities spread throughout Coos, Grafton, Carroll, Belknap, and Sullivan Counties.

The constitutional and statutory responsibilities of the Executive Council are within the Executive Branch of your New Hampshire State government. Our role is much like a board of directors of a large company. We are charged with carrying out the laws and budget passed by the New Hampshire House and Senate. The Governor and Council employ 294 Commissioners and Directors to administer over 100 departments and agencies to carry out the details of the laws and budget of your State government. The Council has an overall supervisory role in assisting citizens, business, agencies, town, cities, and counties in effectively working with State government.

Preparing for the coming two-year term that I have been elected to as one of your public servants, I share with you the following ideas and requests:

- If anyone is interested in making a volunteer contribution of their time and talent on a
 Board or Commission through the appointment process of the Governor and Council,
 please contact my office or Kathy Goode, Council Liaison, Governor's Office, State
 House, Concord, NH 03301, Tel. 271-2121, and ask for the appointment list for 2001.
 As your Councilor, I am always looking for people to serve on a multitude of Boards
 and Commissions in your State government.
- The Governor's Advisory Commission on Intermodal Transportation (five Executive Councilors and the Commissioner of transportation) will be holding hearings around the State on citizen and regional planning commission recommendations for improving our highway system throughout New Hampshire. If you have suggestions on a needed improvement, please send them to your regional planning commission or to my office soon so they may be given consideration.
- The Regional Health Planning District Councils continue to meet and consider major changes in the health maintenance system for citizens both at the local and state levels. Anyone wishing to serve on your region's District Health Council should contact my office or Lori Real, Director of Planning Research at NH Health and Human Services Department, Tel. 271-4235.
- As one of your elected officials, I would urge your town and region to be in constant contact with our New Hampshire Congressional Delegation to let them know of your ideas, concerns and desires. I am interested in promoting projects to send to Senators Smith and Gregg and Congressmen Sununu and Bass. They are effective in their committee assignments and should always have a list from back home in New Hampshire to advance in our nation's Capitol.
- I recommend use of NH Webster System. It is the official state locator for your New Hampshire State Government at http://www.state.state.nh.us. A complete directory of phone numbers and addresses of all state agencies is listed for your convenience. Utilize your local Town/City Library to access the Webster System, which is administered and maintained by the New Hampshire State Library.

My office has available a handy 800 toll-free phone card of organizations for rural areas. Always know my office is at your service. Contact me anytime! Ray Burton

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 2000

BIRTHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF TILTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000

DATE	BIRTH PLACE	NAME OF CHILD	FATHER'S NAME & MOTHER'S NAME
FEB. 1	LACONIA	CAMERON JAMES CORREIA	RICHARD CORREIA MELISSA CORREIA
FEB. 4	CONCORD	EMMA MARIE D'ABBRACCIO	THOMAS D'ABBRACCIO MELISSA D'ABBRACCIO
FEB. 17	LACONIA	CAMERON BRETT MATTHEW MORIN	BRETT MORIN CHRYSTAL MORIN
FEB. 28	LACONIA	TESSANY ANNE SCHOU	THOMAS SCHOU VALDIRENE SCHOU
MAR. 27	FRANKLIN	MACKENZIE JEAN PARKER	JEFFREY PARKER JENNIFER PARKER
MAR. 28	LACONIA	EMILY LYNDON DECORMIER	DANA DECORMIER LAURIE DECORMIER
APR. 4	LACONIA	NATALIE MARIE BROWN	EVERETT BROWN VICKI BROWN
MAY 6	FRANKLIN	GILLIAN CLARK MAYES	RAYMOND MAYES CHRISTINA CHENEY
MAY 26	FRANKLIN	DAVID ELLJAH MCKINNEY	ROBERT MCKINNEY HOLLY MCKINNEY
JUNE·15	CONCORD	CHRISTOPHER JOHN HANSON	JOHN HANSON BARBARA HANSON
JUNE 19	CONCORD	BROOKE LAUREN EDMUNDS	STUART EDMUNDS VALERIE EDMUNDS
JULY 19	LACONIA	KATELYN JEAN FOUNTAIN	DONALD FOUNTAIN DEBORAH FOUNTAIN
JULY 24	LACONIA	ANDREW SCOTT PARSONS	SCOTT PARSONS LISA PARSONS
JULY 26	LACONIA	MAKAYLA NICOLE PATTERSON	JASON PATTERSON TAMARA PATTERSON

DATE	BIRTH PLACE	NAME OF CHILD	FATHER'S NAME & MOTHER'S NAME
AUG. 17	CONCORD	JASMINE SIERRA YASHARIAN	DALE YASHARIAN ANNA YASHARIAN
AUG. 21	FRANKLIN	KYLE STEVEN GORMAN	STEVEN GORMAN JENNIFER GORMAN
SEPT. 9	LACONIA	JAMES DOUGLAS NORTON	JAMES NORTON DIANNE NORTON
OCT 2.	LACONIA	THOMAS PETER TROWSDALE	ROBERT TROWSDALE NANCY TROWSDALE
OCT. 18	CONCORD	IAN ALEXANDER MACAIG	KENT MACAIG ROXANNE MACAIG
NOV. 1	LACONIA	JOHN ANDREW MAHONEY	TIMOTHY MAHONEY MONICA MAHONEY
NOV 12	FRANKLIN	SARA ELIZABETH CHAMBERS	JON CAHMBERS VICTORIA CHAMBERS
NOV. 22	CONCORD	LIAM STUART STACEY	STUART STACEY SHANNON STACEY
DEC. 10	LACONIA	JESSICA LEIGH BRALEY	DOUGLS BRALEY KATHLEEN BRALEY

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Cynthia D. Lovell Town Clerk

Cynthia D. Forcel

MARRAIGES RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF TILTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000

DATE	GROOM AND BRIDE	RESIDENCE OF EACH AT TIME OF MARRIAGE
JAN. 1	EDWARD W. BENOIT WENDY L SAXON	TILTON BALTIMORE, MD
JAN. 22	JOHN R. LEBLANC SUZANNE R. OHLUND	TILTON TILTON
JAN. 29	STUART P. LAVALLEY ROBIN R. PUTNAM	TILTON TILTON
JAN. 31	TIMOTHY J. MAHONEY MONICA J. HOPKINS	TILTON TILTON
FEB. 4	RICHARD A. MANSEAU DEBORAH A. LOGSDON	TILTON TILTON
MAR. 19	JEFFREY P. HARRISON JANICE A. CHRISTI	MEREDITH TILTON
APR. 29	TIMOTHY F. DALTON DEBORAH L. MAILHOT	TILTON TILTON
MAY 6	JUSTIN M. BROUGH JESSICA L. SWENSON	TILTON LACONIA
MAY 6	ROBERT J. NIXON KAREN A. THERRIEN	TILTON TILTON
MAY 13	KRISTEN R. DANIELS KIMBERLEY A. EARLE	NORTHFIELD NORTHFIELD
JUNE 3	TIMOTHY K. PIPER NICOLE L. JAKUBEC	TILTON TILTON
JUNE 3	JASON ARI MART KIMBERLEY JEAN MONEY	BRANDON, FLA BRANDON, FLA
JUNE 24	FREDRICK J. SHUTE TERRI L. PIKE	TILTON BELMONT
JUNE 24	SCOTT A. MANNING TONI L. DENTON	TILTON TILTON
JULY 1	BRUCE DIAMOND JAMIE BLAISDELL	TILTON FRANKLIN

DATE	• GROOM AND BRIDE	RESIDENCE OF EACH AT TIME OF MARRIAGE
JULY 4	HOWARD F. CATE SHARON F. WARD	TILTON HARDWICK, VT
JULY 8	TIMOTHY P. BEALE STEFANIE M. SAUNDERS	TILTON TILTON
JULY 22	SCOTT D. CHAVANELLE KELLY A. LOUD	TILTON TILTON
AUG. 6	WALTER A. EDSON GAIL A. CORLISS	TILTON TILTON
AUG. 8	RICHARD W. HONER CATHERINE A. KNOWLES	TILTON TILTON
AUG. 12	MICHAEL R. FARRINGTON KATHARINE T. WHITEHOUSE	LACONIA LACONIA
AUG. 19	RICHARD L. SHIPLEY DENISE R. CUSSON	TILTON TILTON
AUG. 19	HENRY A. ROGERS NICOLE A. STOREY	TILTON TILTON
AUG. 26	PHILLIP SYLVIA JAIMIE L. MERCHANT	TILTON TILTON
AUG. 26	MATTHEW T. GALLANT JODIE MARSHALL	TILTON TILTON
AUG. 26	JEREMY C. RATHBUN STEPHANIE L. CALDON	FRANKLIN TILTON
SEPT. 16	ROBERT W. MULCAHY III KIMBERLY L. ARNEY	NEWTON, MA NEWTON, MA
SEPT. 22	RONALD F. MERCIER ROSE-MARIE A. LABRECQUE	TILTON TILTON
SEPT 24	SIDNEY E. NIGLES JOYMARIE HOCH	GILMANTON TILTON
OCT. 7	YVES JEAN PAUL MARTIN THERESA M. PISTORINO	TILTON TILTON
OCT. 13	KENNETH C. HICKEY II SHAUNARAE MUIRBROOK	TILTON TILTON

DATE	GROOM AND BRIDE	RESIDENCE OF EACH AT TIME OF MARRIAGE
OCT. 14	NELSON F. RAPOSO SHELLIE M. CONNOR	TILTON TILTON
OCT. 28	GREGG M. AUGER PAMELA D. HOULE	SANBORNTON SANBORNTON
NOV. 4	DEREK L. HARTSHORN AMARA N. KARLOTSKI	TILTON TILTON
NOV 18	EMANUEL A. JOSEPH APRIL D. PALMER	TILTON TILTON
DEC. 2	HARRY R. CONSTANT IRENE M. GELINAS	TILTON TILTON
DEC. 9	ROBERT S. WILKINS MARIE E. CADORETTE	CONCORD TILTON

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DEATHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF TILTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000

DATE	PLACE OF DEATH	NAME OF DECEASED	FATHER'S NAME & MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME
JAN. 1	FRANKLIN	CAROLYN WOODWARD	CLARENCE AINSWORTH LILLIAN HENRY
JAN. 4	TILTON	THEODORE BOUCHER JR	THEODORE BOUCHER SR RUTH SANBORN
JAN. 5	MEREDITH	MARILYN TUCKER	PERLEY BRALEY HAZEL WRIGHT
JAN. 16	FRANKLIN	DOROTHY G. NELSON	EDWARD NELSON BLANCHE PETTS
JAN. 20	TILTON	SALLY ANN THAYER	WILLIAM J. GRANGER PAULINE A. TANGUAY
JAN. 20	WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, VT.	JERRY W. MARTIN	PAUL MARTIN FRANCES WELLS
FEB. 3	FRANKLIN	BERNARD C. SMITH	BERNARD SMITH VERA WHITCOMB
FEB. 4	TILTON	ZANNIE E. DAVIS	SAMUEL BENJAMIN TIPTON GLADYS LORENA DAVIS
FEB. 10	FRANKLIN	CLARENCE L. O'BRIEN	PHILIP O'BRIEN MARY HART
FEB. 11	TILTON	CLAYTON EMERSON HOWE	HORACE L. HOWE IDA EMERSON
FEB. 20	TILTON	HERBERT LAWRENCE KIMBALL	HARRY H. KIMBALL JESSAMINE GRIFFIN
FEB. 29	TILTON	CLARENCE E. HEATH	ELMER HEATH BERTHA HAINES
MAY 18	LACONIA	WALTER E. KIMBALL	WALTER KIMBALL BLANCHE WHEELER
MAY 23	TILTON	LARRY MICHAEL HANKS SR.	ARTHUR HANKS SR. DELINA SHANELARIS

DATE	PLACE OF DEATH	NAME OF DECEASED	FATHER'S NAME & MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME
MAY 30	TILTON	OSCAR NAULT	OSCAR NAULT FLORIDA LEBLANC
MAY 31	FRANKLIN	HARRY R. SULLIVAN	TONY SULLIVAN JOSIE MAXFIELD
MAY 31	TILTON	VIRGIL H. MOREY	FRED MOREY JOSEPHINE DWINELS
JUNE 3	FRANKLIN	MARY E. SUOSSO	ABRAHAM CUSHING ANNE CROWLEY
JUNE 4	FRANKLIN	NORMA B. BATCHELDER	RUSSELL MILDRAM NORMA GALLIHER
JUNE 6	TILTON	CARL F. JORDAN	GUSTAVE JORDAN SOPHIE WAGNER
JUNE 26	LACONIA	ROBERT R. GOKEY	CHESTER GOKEY NELLIE SWEENEY
JUNE 27	LACONIA	MARTIN N. LAPIERRE	ULRIC LAPIERRE MARY PAQUETE
JUNE 29	FRANKLIN	RALPH E. MEACK	RALPH MEACK ALICE BURNHAM
JULY 2	TILTON	JOSEPH MARCELAIS	AMBROSE MARCELAIS CORDELIA (UNKNOWN)
JULY 3	LACONIA	KEITH G. HAYNES	GEORGE HAYNES LORRAINE OUELLETTE
JULY 7	TILTON	RAYMOND GEORGE WHITE	PETER WHITE BEATRICE MELANSON
JULY 14	TILTON	FRANCIS J. PINKHAM	JOHN PINKHAM CATHERINE (UNKNOWN)
JULY 14	LACONIA	MAJORIE E. LADUKE	GEORGE NUDD FLORENCE HILL
AUG. 7	TILTON	EDWARD JACOB PELCZAR	JACOB PELCZAR CAROLINE NIEMICZ
AUG. 11	TILTON	MICHAEL J. BOBER, SR.	PETER BOBER CAROLINE MAKAR

DATE AUG. 17	PLACE OF DEATH FRANKLIN	NAME OF DECEASED WAYNE M. TAYLOR	FATHER'S NAME & MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME RAYMOND TAYLOR CECILE LAFORTUNE
AUG. 22	TILTON	THOMAS L. CONNOR, JR.	THOMAS L. CONNOR, JR. LENORA M. DOONAN
SEP. 16	TILTON	ALLEN VINCENT RICHTER	VINCENT RICHTER MONA BURRIDGE
SEP. 21	TILTON	SHELAGH SUSAN ROCKWELL	WILLIAM R. ROCKWELL ANNAH O. FLANDERS
SEP. 22	TILTON	HOWARD JOHNSTON	ALBERT E. JOHNSTON LAURA HUGHES
SEPT. 25	FRANKLIN	JOSEPH J. EVANGELISTA	RALPH EVANGELISTA ANNIE CIENZA
OCT. 2	FRANKLIN	WILLIAM K. FOSTER	HAROLD FOSTER CHARLOTTE DAVIS
OCT. 3	FRANKLIN	PHILIP G. DUBIA	LAWRENCE DUBIA ELIZABETH MORIN
OCT. 13	TILTON	WILLIAM WALTER GEIDER	WILLIAM GEIDER SOPHIE MAZUR
OCT. 14	LEBANON	JEFFERSON J. LIVINGSTON	HARRY LIVINGSTON MARY LARSON
OCT. 18	TILTON	WILLIAM R. STUPACK	ANDREW STUPACK CAROLINE GALLA
OCT. 29	FRANKLIN	ARTHUR J. JACKSON	JAMES JACKSON MARGARET DESMOND
OCT. 30	TILTON	ROGER G. JACOB	NAPOLEON JACOB CLARA FORCIER
NOV. 5	LACONIA	RICHARD E. ROLLINS	ELMER ROLLINS CLARA BAKER
NOV. 8	FRANKLIN	MARIE JAMBARD	MAXINE DECLOS EUGENIE SIROIS
NOV. 19	TILTON	JAMES E. OLDENBURGH	EDWARD T. OLDENBURGH VERA M. LONG

DATE NOV. 23	PLACE OF DEATH LACONIA	NAME OF DECEASED NEIL E. LAPLANT	FATHER'S NAME & MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME ROBERT LAPLANT SR. EVELYN HEATH
NOV. 30	TILTON	FRANCIS WILLIAM MCALOON	FRANCIS L. MCALOON ALICE GERTRUDE MERRIAM
DEC. 4	TILTON	GEORGE D. JAMES	HARRY C. JAMES DOROTHY MCCALL
DEC. 12	TILTON	MILDRED FRANCES ROUSSEAU	FRANCIS BEANE GOLDIE (UNKNOWN)
DEC. 16	MANCHESTER	JAMES M. AMERO	HERBERT AMERO ELIZABETH MORRISON
DEC. 16	TILTON	JOSEPH C. KUSHNIR	JOHN J. KUSHNIR ANNA CURPEK
DEC. 24	TILTON	WESTON TEWKSBURY	CLARENCE TEWKSBURY LIDIA BAILEY

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COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Budget Committee	2 nd Wednesday	7:30 p.m.
Conservation Commission	3 rd Monday	7:30 p.m.
Library Trustees	1 st Tuesday	5:30 p.m.
Planning Board (except July & August)	2 nd & 4 th Tuesdays to be determined	6:30 p.m
Recreation Council	2 nd Monday	6:30 p.m.
Selectmen	Thursdays	6:00 p.m.
Sewer Commission	3 rd Thursday	7:30 p.m.
Trustee of Trust Funds	As needed	
Winnisquam Regional School Bd.	3 rd Monday	7:00 p.m.
Zoning Board of Adjustment (Do not meet in the month of December)	3 rd Tuesday	7:00 p.m.





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