

# ANNUAL REPORT



of the Town Officers

of the Town of


# STARK, N.H.

For the year ending December 31,

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## TOWN OFFICERS

SELECTMEN	Everett R. Frizzell	1988
	Roger Caron	1989
	Joseph Dennehy	1990
TOWN CLERK/ TAX COLLECTOR	Deborah Cloutier	1990
TOWN TREASURER	Bonnie Knowlton	1988
AUDITORS	Diane Daley	1988
	Linda Caron	1989
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS	Donald Croteau	1988
	John M. Pepau, Jr.	1989
LIBRARY TRUSTEES	Joanne Carey (resigned)	1989
	Louise Simino	1990
	Cheryl Cloutier	1988
MODERATOR	William Joyce	1988
SUPERVISORS	Judith Wentworth	1988
	Frances Pepau	1990
	Doris Stearns	1992
	Lise Coulombe (appointed)	1992
BALLOT CLERKS	Bonnie Lunn	1988
	Jane Hopps	1988
TOWN CONSTABLE	Francis Hopps, Jr.	1988
FIRE CHIEF	Ronald Lunn	1988
ROAD AGENT	James Gibson, Sr.	1988
SEXTON	James Eich	1988
LAND USE COMMISSION	Dennis Croteau, Plan. Board	Appt
	Mary Fluery, Plan. Board	Appt
	Diane Daley, Plan. Board	Appt
	Jeanne Dennehy, Plan. Board	Appt
	Irving Boudle, Plan. Board	Appt
	William Hedberg, Plan. Board	Appt
	Joseph Dennehy, Plan. Board	Appt
	Stuart Hoyt, Board of Appeals	Appt
	Everett Frizzell, Board of App.	Appt
	William Joyce, Board of Appeals	Appt
	Ron Caron, Board of Appeals	Appt
	Raymond Benoit, Board of App.	Appt

TOWN OF STARK  
NEW HAMPSHIRE  
IN COOS COUNTY

For the year ending December 31, 1987

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this Report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Everett R. Frizzell Everett R. Frizzell

Roger Caron Roger Caron

Joseph Dennehy Joseph Dennehy  
Selectmen

Bonnie Knowlton Bonnie Knowlton, Town Treasurer

Deborah Cloutier Deborah Cloutier, Town Clerk

Deborah Cloutier Deborah Cloutier, Tax Collector

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1987



of the  
UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION



The Constitutional Convention met in Philadelphia from May 25 to September 17, 1787 to amend a document. On September 17, 1787, New Hampshire delegates (John Langdon and Nicholas Gilman) and other delegates had completed and signed a new document.

A new national Constitution was now in place and on June 21, 1788, the State of New Hampshire's delegates, by a vote of 57 yes--47 no, ratified the Conventions. Our State, the ninth to ratify the Conventions, was the key for the Establishment of the new Constitution among the States so ratifying the Same.

The Constitution now became the basic law of the United States of America---this document set the foundation for a free and democratic society with a government of the people, by the people, and for the people.

Following is an abstract of the United States Constitution.

PREAMBLE

We the People of the United States, in order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, insure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defence, promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.

ARTICLE I	Legislative powers
ARTICLE II	Executive powers
ARTICLE III	Judicial powers
ARTICLE IV	The Federal artical
ARTICLE V	Amending powers of Congress
ARTICLE VI	The Constitution shall be the supreme law of the land
ARTICLE VII	Ratification of the Convention

## AMENDMENTS TO THE U.S. CONSTITUTION

The Ten Original Amendments, ratified December 15, 1791, form what is commonly called "The Bill of Rights".

AMENDMENT I	Freedom of religion, speech, press, assembly, and petition
AMENDMENT II	The right of people to keep and bear arms
AMENDMENT III	Quartering of soldiers regulated by law and consent of the owner
AMENDMENT IV	The right of the people to secure and protect against unreasonable searches and seizures
AMENDMENT V	The rights of accused persons- "Grand Jury, Due Process, and Just Compensation"
AMENDMENT VI	In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial by an impartial jury
AMENDMENT VII	Rights in suits at common law-controversy in excess of twenty dollars-trial by jury shall be preserved
AMENDMENT VIII	Prohibition against cruel and unusual punishments, excessive bail and fines
AMENDMENT IX	Rights retained by the people
AMENDMENT X	Reserved powers and rights of the States under the Constitution

Amendments ratified since "The Bill of Rights"

AMENDMENT XI	The federal judiciary powers curbed in relation to the States-ratified February 7, 1795
AMENDMENT XII	Procedures for electing the President and Vice President-ratified June 15, 1804
AMENDMENT XIII	Abolition of slavery-ratified December 6, 1865
AMENDMENT XIV	United States citizenship defined, and privileges and immunities of citizens of the United States protected against abridgment by the States-ratified July 9, 1868



- AMENDMENT XV Voting rights of citizen shall not be denied or abridged on account of race, color, or previpus condition of servitude-ratified February 3, 1870
- AMENDMENT XVI Power of Congress to lay and collect income taxes-ratified February 3, 1913
- AMENDMENT XVIII Liquor prohibition-ratified January 16, 1919
- AMENDMENT XIX A citizens right to vote shall not be denied or abridged on account of sex-ratified August 18, 1920
- AMENDMENT XX President and Vice President terms shall end on the 20th day of January, and terms of Senators and Respresentatives shall end at noon on the 3rd day of January-ratified January 23, 1933
- AMENDMENT XXI Amendment XVIII repealed-ratified December 5, 1933
- AMENDMENT XXII Tenure of presidential office limited-ratified February 27, 1951
- AMENDMENT XXIII District of Columbia citizens right to vote in presidential elections-ratified March 29, 1961
- AMENDMENT XXIV Nonpayment of taxes shall not be used to deny or abridge a citizens right to vote in any governmental election-ratified January 23, 1964
- AMENDMENT XXV The President, disability and succession, vacancy in office of Vice President-ratified February 10, 1967
- AMENDMENT XXVI Granting the right to vote for citizens eighteen years of age or older-ratified July 1, 1971

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The Constitution provides for each of us the opportunity to live in a free democratic society.

The Town Meeting is the root and foundation for a government of the people, by the people, and for the people. Taking an active part today will preserve and protect your freedom and the United States Constitution in the future.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Stark, in the County of Coos, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs;

You are hereby notified to meet in the Stark Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday the 8th day of March next, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary officers for the ensuing year.  
\*To be voted on by ballot while the polls are open.
2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$6,790 for the following Town Officers' salaries:

Selectman, first year	\$ 1,000.00
Selectman, second year	1,000.00
Selectman, third year	1,000.00
Police Constable	1,000.00
Auditor (2) (\$150 each)	300.00
Treasurer	400.00
Trustees of Trust Funds (3) (\$30 each)	90.00
Town Clerk/Tax Collector	2,000.00

3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$5,500 for Town Officers' expenses.
  4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,800 for election and registration.
  5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$4,400 for the Town Hall and Library.
  6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,400 for the expenses of the Police Department.
  7. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Fire Department equipment Capital Reserve Fund.
  8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$4,000 for expenses for the Fire Department, any portion of this appropriation unexpended shall be added to a Capital Reserve Fund for the Stark Fire Department.
- |                        |             |
|------------------------|-------------|
| General Expenses       | \$ 1,600.00 |
| Fire Fighting Expenses | 2,400.00    |
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$2,100 for legal expenses.
  10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$7,742 for the following:

WARRANT CONTINUED

Ambulance Service, Northumberland	\$	420.00
Health Officer		50.00
Weeks Home Health		1,625.00
Upper Conn. Valley Mental Health		125.00
Vital Statistics		50.00
Old Age Assistance		300.00
General Assistance		2,500.00
Soldier's Aid		200.00
Community Beautification & Recreation		200.00
Groveton Meals on Wheels		700.00
North Country Council		441.00
Community Action Outreach Program		400.00
Unemployment Compensation		500.00
Lancaster Dist. Juvenile Diversion		231.00

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$7,000 for insurance.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$20,000 for Solid Waste Disposal.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$46,000 for expenses of the Highway Department:

General Expenses	\$	26,000.00
Summer Maintenance		10,000.00
Winter Maintenance		10,000.00

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,200 and to authorize the withdrawal of such sum from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 for the use as budgeted appropriation for the following specified purposes and in the amount indicated herewith or take any other action hereon:

Computer System	\$	3,000.00
Town Hall/Town Office Equipment		1,200.00

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$500.00 for library services.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$2,200 to be added to the interest from the Cemetery Trust Funds for the upkeep of the cemeteries.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$6,000 to apply toward the interest of tax anticipation notes.

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,000 to be added to the Capital Reserve Fund for the revaluation of the Town by the Dept. of Revenue Adm.

WARRANT CONTINUED

19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$7,500 for resurfacing roads. (Gravel, paving or both)
20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$30,161 of Highway Block Grant monies, which is to be expended as follows:

Town Truck Capital Reserve Fund	\$ 5,000.00
Bridge Construction Account	2,000.00
Resurfacing & Reconstruction	23,161.00

21. To see if the Town will vote to give a discount of 5% for payment of taxes if paid within 14 days after tax bill has been presented.
22. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Tax Collector to use a computer billing system.
23. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue all maintenance on the so-called Sullivan Road, beginning at a point 200 feet easterly of the so-called Clang residence to the end of the so-called Sullivan Road, and also to vote to re-classify said Sullivan Road from a Class V highway to a Class VI highway, subject to gates and bars pursuant to RSA 231:45. (By petition of 11 legal voters)
24. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as the franchising authority for the franchising and regulation of a cable television system for the Town pursuant to RSA Chapter 53-C.
25. "Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 80:58-86 for a real estate tax lien procedure?" These statutes provide that tax sales to private individuals for non-payment of property taxes on real estate are replaced with a real estate tax lien procedure under which only a municipality or county where the property is located or the state may acquire a tax lien against land and buildings for unpaid taxes. (By petition of 10 legal voters)
26. "Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 72:43-b and 43-c for Expanded Exemptions on real estate which provide for a resident 65 years of age up to 75 a \$5,000 exemption; a resident 75 years of age to 80, a \$10,000 exemption; a resident 80 years of age or older, a \$20,000 exemption provided that the resident owns the real estate individually or jointly with another or his spouse with whom he has been living for at least 5 years as man and wife; said resident had a net income of less than \$7,000 or combined income with spouse of less than \$9,000; and owns assets of any kind, tangible or intangible, less bona fide encumbrances, not in excess of the value specified in RSA 72:43-c, III; provided that the

WARRANT CONTINUED

exemptions shall be based upon the assessed value of the real estate?" (To be voted on by ballot all day)

27. To see if the Town will vote to establish the land acquisition capital reserve fund as authorized in RSA 35:1, III-a, for the purpose of acquiring conservation land or interests in land for permanent conservation use, to be used as the local matching funds or part of the local matching funds required under the N. H. Land Conservation Investment Program (LCIP) RSA 221-A, and to appoint the selectmen as agents for the Town for purposes of expending the principle of said funds and to raise and appropriate \$500 to said fund and authorize the selectmen to accept private donations of land, interest in land or money for part of the local matching portion of the LCIP, and authorize the selectmen to apply for and accept the state matching funds under the LCIP for the purposes of acquisition of the fee or lesser interest in conservation land and other costs associated therewith. Said appropriated funds, donations and state matching funds may be expended by the selectmen.
28. To see if the Town will vote to require the selectmen to establish a building permit system to apply to all new construction and additions to existing housing that add more than 10% to the value of a house in one year, this permit system to become effective April 1, 1988 and fees will be determined to reflect town costs.
29. To see if the Town will vote to require new buildings to meet BOCA Standards for fire safety and building codes.
30. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to apply for, accept and spend, without further action by the Town Meeting, money from the State, Federal or other governmental unit or a private source which becomes available during the fiscal year (RSA 31:95-b)
31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to administer and dispose of any real estate acquired by Tax Collector's Deeds at public or private sale, as the Selectmen, in their sole discretion, deem equitable and just.
32. To see if the Town will vote to designate the Board of Selectmen as agents for the Town in dealing with Capital Reserve Funds, and further to authorize the Selectmen to expend monies from Capital Reserve Funds that have been established without a Special Town Meeting.



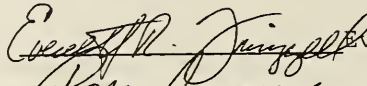
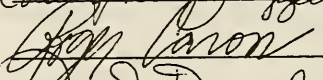
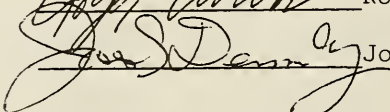
WARRANT CONTINUED

33. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to incur debts in anticipation of taxes of the financial year, debts are incurred in order to pay current maintenance and operation expenses, and to issue notes therefore in accordance with the provisions of RSA 33:7.
34. To transact all other business as may come before this meeting.

Dated this 10th day of February 1988.

Everett R. Frizzell  
Roger Caron  
Joseph Dennehy  
Selectmen, Town of Stark

A true copy attest:

 Everett R. Frizzell  
 Roger Caron  
 Joseph Dennehy

PURPOSES OF APPROPRIATION (RSA 31:4)	Appropriations	Actual	APPROPRIATIONS
	1987 (1987-88) (omit cents)	Expenditures 1987 (1987-88) (omit cents)	ENSUING FISCAL YEAR 1988 (1988-89) (omit cents)
1 Town Officers' Salary	6,790.00	6,667.00	6,790.00
2 Town Officers' Expenses	5,330.00	8,175.00	5,500.00
3 Election and Registration Expenses	2,100.00	1,342.00	1,800.00
4 Cemeteries	2,300.00	2,285.00	2,200.00
5 General Government Buildings	5,750.00	5,851.00	4,000.00
6 Reappraisal of Property	1,300.00	1,195.00	1,300.00
7 Planning and Zoning	000.00	000.00	3,200.00
8 Legal Expenses	2,500.00	730.00	2,100.00
9 Advertising and Regional Association	400.00	401.00	441.00
10 Contingency Fund	000.00	000.00	000.00
11			
12			
13			
14			
<b>PUBLIC SAFETY</b>			
15 Police Department	1,900.00	998.00	1,400.00
16 Fire Department	3,700.00	3,895.00	4,000.00
17 Civil Defense	000.00	000.00	000.00
18 Building Inspection	000.00	000.00	000.00
19 Regional Household Hazard waste	212.00	212.00	000.00
20 Lancaster Dist. Juvenile Diversion	197.00	000.00	231.00
21			
22			
<b>HIGHWAYS, STREETS &amp; BRIDGES</b>			
23 Town Maintenance Summer / Winter	21,000.00	18,329.00	20,000.00
24 General Highway Department Expenses	26,500.00	29,071.00	26,000.00
25 Street Lighting	000.00	000.00	000.00
26 Resurfacing Roads	20,000.00	30,668.00	7,500.00
27 Bell Hill	1,500.00	1,376.00	000.00
28 Sullivan Road	1,000.00	836.00	000.00
29 Construction & Reconstruction	22,000.00	14,541.00	23,000.00
30			
<b>SANITATION</b>			
31 Solid Waste Disposal	5,000.00	7,747.00	20,000.00
32 Garbage Removal	000.00	000.00	000.00
33			
34			
35			
36			
<b>HEALTH</b>			
37 Health Department	1,425.00	1,435.00	1,800.00
38 Hospitals and Ambulances	300.00	300.00	420.00
39 Animal Control	000.00	000.00	000.00
40 Vital Statistics	50.00	000.00	50.00
41			
42			
43			
<b>WELFARE</b>			
44 General Assistance	3,000.00	390.00	2,500.00
45 Old Age Assistance	500.00	000.00	300.00
46 Aid to the Disabled	200.00	000.00	200.00
47			
48			

PURPOSES OF APPROPRIATION	APPROPRIATIONS 1987 (1987-88) (omit cents)	ACTUAL EXPENDITURES 1987 (1987-88) (omit cents)	APPROPRIATIONS ENSUING FISCAL YEAR 1988 (1988-89)
<b>CULTURE AND RECREATION</b>			
49 Library	400.00	400.00	500.00
50 <del>Park</del> Recreation & Beautification	200.00	210.00	200.00
51 Patriotic Purposes	000.00	000.00	000.00
52 Conservation Commission	000.00	000.00	000.00
53			
54			
<b>DEBT SERVICE</b>			
55 Principal of Long-Term Bonds & Notes			
56 Interest Expense—Long-Term Bonds & Notes			
57 Interest Expense—Tax Anticipation Notes	6,000.00	5,235.00	6,000.00
58 Interest Expense—Other Temporary Loans			
59 Fiscal Charges on Debt			
60			
<b>CAPITAL OUTLAY</b>			
61 Fire Equip-RS	1,000.00	1,000.00	000.00
62 Handicap Access-RS	1,500.00	1,526.00	000.00
63 Updating Tax Maps-RS	2,000.00	000.00	000.00
64			
65			
66 Computer System-RS	000.00	000.00	3,000.00
67 Town Hall/Town Office Equip-RS	000.00	000.00	1,200.00
68			
<b>OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT</b>			
69 Payments to Capital Reserve Funds:			
70 Revaluation	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,000.00
71 Truck HBG	5,015.00	5,015.00	5,000.00
72 Bridge Account HBG	000.00	000.00	2,000.00
73			
74 General Fund Trust	000.00	000.00	000.00
75			
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>			
76 Municipal Water Department			
77 Municipal Sewer Department			
78 Municipal Electric Department			
79 FICA, Retirement & Pension Contributions SS 939/WT 1,324	1,100.00	2,263.00	000.00
80 Insurance	9,000.00	10,082.00	7,000.00
81 Unemployment Compensation	500.00	000.00	500.00
82 Meals on Wheels	700.00	700.00	700.00
83 Community Action Outreach Program	300.00	300.00	400.00
84 Land Conservation Investment Program	000.00	000.00	500.00
85 TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	164,169.00	164,675.00	162,732.00

Less: Amount of Estimated Revenues, Exclusive of Taxes (Line 133) 106,911

Amount of Taxes to be Raised (Exclusive of School and County Taxes) 55,821

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF STARK, N.H.

**THIS BUDGET SHALL BE POSTED WITH THE TOWN WARRANT**



SOURCES OF REVENUE	ESTIMATED	ACTUAL	ESTIMATED
	REVENUE 1987 (1987-88) (omit cents)	REVENUE 1987 (1987-88) (omit cents)	REVENUE 1988 (1988-89) (omit cents)
<b>TAXES</b>			
86 Resident Taxes	2,350.00	2,520.00	2,200.00
87 National Bank Stock Taxes	000.00	000.00	000.00
88 Yield Taxes	1,500.00	4,291.00	2,500.00
89 Interest and Penalties on Taxes	2,500.00	5,180.00	3,200.00
90 Inventory Penalties	000.00	000.00	000.00
91 Land Use Change Tax	3,000.00	12,225.00	2,500.00
92 Redemption Cost, Fees, Tax Sale Costs	200.00	355.00	250.00
<b>INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES-STATE</b>			
93 Shared Revenue-Block Grant	7,831.00		
94 Highway Block Grant	27,015.00	27,015.00	30,161.00
95 Railroad Tax	455.00	000.00	200.00
96 State Aid Water Pollution Projects	000.00	000.00	000.00
97 Reimb a c State-Federal Forest Land	20,639.00	11,901.00	11,000.00
98 Other Reimbursements National Forest	3,000.00	6,458.00	6,000.00
99 Entitlement Lands	2,000.00	1,161.00	1,500.00
100 Revenue Sharing Dist.-State	000.00	000.00	000.00
101 Road Toll Tax-State	000.00	824.00	500.00
102			
<b>INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES-FEDERAL</b>			
103 South Pond Patrol-USDA-NFC	300.00	735.00	600.00
104			
105			
106			
107			
<b>LICENSES AND PERMITS</b>			
108 Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	10,000.00	25,858.00	22,000.00
109 Dog Licenses	100.00	351.00	250.00
110 Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	25.00	389.00	200.00
111 Marriage Licenses	50.00	52.00	50.00
112 Title Fees	125.00	123.00	100.00
113			
<b>CHARGES FOR SERVICES</b>			
114 Income From Departments Planning Board	000.00	1,157.00	1,000.00
115 Rent of Town Property	100.00	265.00	150.00
116			
117			
118			
119			
<b>MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES</b>			
120 Interests on Deposits "NOW" Account	2,500.00	5,093.00	3,000.00
121 Sale of Town Property	000.00	000.00	000.00
122 UCC Filings	000.00	72.00	50.00
123 Refund-Bank Loan Interest	000.00	671.00	000.00
124 Welfare Repayments	000.00	000.00	1,000.00
<b>OTHER FINANCING SOURCES</b>			
125 Proceeds of Bonds and Long-Term Notes			
126 Income from Water and Sewer Departments			
127 Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Dump	000.00	000.00	10,000.00
128 Withdrawals from General Fund Trusts			
129 Revenue Sharing Fund	7,300.00	1,000.00	8,500.00
130 Fund Balance			
131			
132			
133 <b>TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS</b>	<b>90,990.00</b>	<b>107,696.00</b>	<b>106,911.00</b>

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT  
APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

<u>PURPOSE OF APPROP.</u>	<u>APPROP.</u>	<u>ACT. EXP.</u>	<u>DIFF.</u>
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 6,790.00	\$ 6,663.60	+ 126.40
Town Officers' Expenses	5,330.00	7,346.92	- 2,845.31
Election & Registration	2,100.00	1,342.27	+ 757.73
Misc. Appropriations	7,075.00	3,736.50	+ 3,338.50
Town Hall & Library	5,750.00	5,850.93	- 100.93
Reappraisal of Prop.	1,300.00	1,195.00	+ 105.00
Legal Expenses	2,500.00	730.00	+ 1,770.00
Police Dept.	1,900.00	997.80	+ 902.20
Fire Dept.	3,700.00	3,894.81	- 194.81
Reg. House. Haz. Waste	212.00	212.00	000.00
Lancaster Dist. Juv. Div.	197.00	000.00	+ 197.00
Summer/Winter Maintenance	21,000.00	18,329.19	+ 2,670.81
Gen. Expenses-Highway	26,500.00	30,503.23	- 4,003.23
Resurfacing Roads	20,000.00	30,667.90	- 10,667.90
Bell Hill Road	1,500.00	1,376.31	+ 123.69
Sullivan Road	1,000.00	836.11	+ 163.89
Const. & Reconstruction	22,000.00	14,541.21	+ 7,458.76
Dump	5,000.00	7,747.08	- 2,747.08
Library	400.00	400.00	000.00
Interest	6,000.00	5,234.67	+ 765.33
Revenue Sharing	4,500.00	3,721.47	+ 778.53
Capital Res. Funds	6,515.00	6,515.00	000.00
Social Security Payments	1,100.00	939.60	+ 160.40
Insurance	9,000.00	10,082.00	- 1,082.00
Unemployment Comp.	500.00	000.00	+ 500.00
Cemeteries	<u>2,300.00</u>	<u>2,285.39</u>	<u>+ 14.61</u>
TOTALS	\$164,169.00	\$165,148.99	\$+ 19,832.85
			<u>\$- 21,644.26</u>
			\$- 1,811.41

## SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Local Taxes	\$365,561.12
State-Federal Funds	70,698.13
Local Sources, Except Taxes	<u>226,412.08</u>

\$662,671.33

## SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 6,663.60
Town Officers' Expenses	7,456.39
Planning Board Expenses	828.39
Election & Registration	1,342.27
Misc. Appropriations	3,736.50
Town Hall & Library	3,094.99
Police Dept.	997.80
South Pond Patrol	734.66
Fire Dept.	3,894.81
Insurance	10,082.00
Dump	7,747.08
Town Hall Roof	2,755.94
Summer Maintenance	6,903.45
Winter Maintenance	11,425.74
General Expenses Highway	29,070.89
Town Garage	1,432.34
Bell Hill	1,376.31
Sullivan Road	836.11
Library	400.00
Cemeteries	2,285.39
Legal Expenses	730.00
Taxes bought by Town	10,394.61
Discounts, Abatements & Refunds	1,466.12
Revenue Sharing	3,721.47
Article 11 ( Household Haz. Waste)	212.00
Interest	5,234.67
Temporary Loans	131,478.67
Capital Reserve Funds	6,515.00
Payments to State/County	37,598.00
Internal Revenue Service	2,263.59
School District	256,477.00
Construction & Reconstruction	<u>45,209.11</u>

\$604,364.90

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

CURRENT REVENUE:

FROM LOCAL TAXES:

Tax Collector, Property taxes, 1987	\$270,168.41
Tax Collector, Resident taxes, 1987	2,130.00
Tax Collector, Yield taxes, 1987	4,291.05
Tax Collector, Int. on Del. taxes, 1987	121.66
Tax Collector, Prop. taxes, Prev. Years	63,801.46
Tax Collector, Res. taxes, Prev. Years	390.00
Tax Collector, Yield taxes, Prev. Years	7,018.59
Tax Collector, Int. on De. taxes, Prev. Yrs.	5,036.91
Tax Collector, Resident tax penalties	23.00
Tax Collector, Tax Sales Cost	355.20
Tax Collector, Current Use Penalties	<u>12,224.84</u>
	\$365,561.12

FROM STATE:

Highway Block Grant	\$ 27,015.43
Forest Lands	11,901.26
USDA-NFC/South Pond Patrol	734.72
Road Toll Ct.	824.67
Reimb. Marriage License	52.00
National Forest	6,457.80
Revenue Distribution	22,551.25
Entitlement Lands	<u>1,161.00</u>
	\$ 70,698.13

FROM LOCAL SOURCES, EXCEPT TAXES:

Dog Licenses	\$ 351.00
Business Permits, Filing Fees	389.10
Rent of Town Property	265.00
Interest on NOW Account	5,093.01
Income from Departments	447.00
Registration of Motor Vehicles	25,858.00
Title Fees	123.00
Temporary Loans	190,000.00
Refunds, Interest	671.17
Revenue Sharing transfer	1,000.00
Planning Board	1,157.00
Insurance Adjustment	814.65
Error on deposit	100.00
Fines	34.00
Postage	1.10
Public Service	14.83
Current Use Appl. fee	3.00
Vital Statistics	18.00
UCC filings	<u>72.22</u>
	\$226,412.08

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES:

Everett Frizzell, Selectman	1,000.00
Roger Caron, Selectman	1,000.00
Joseph Dennehy, Selectman	1,000.00
Francis Hopps, Jr., Constable	1,000.00
Merle Lauro, Auditor	200.00
Bonnie Knowlton, Treasurer	400.00
Donald Croteau, Trustte of Trust Funds	63.60
Bruce Keddy, Town Clerk/Tax Collector	333.33
Deborah Cloutier, Town Clerk/Tax Collector	<u>1,666.67</u>
	\$6,663.60

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES:

Everett Frizzell, Expenses	168.00
Roger Caron, Expenses	252.88
Joseph Dennehy, Expenses	163.14
Cindy Boivin, Sec., Expenses	1,337.78
Bonnie Knowlton, Expenses	75.00
Deborah Cloutier, Expenses	57.29
Paul Leger, Mileage	8.75
Diane Belanger, Deputy Tn Clerk/Tx Coll.	30.00
Pro Micro Pacific, Software	609.00
Sears & Roebuck, Ribbons	30.96
Wheeler & Clark, Dog tags	48.69
Gloria Robertson, Reimb. stop payment	12.00
Lyndonville Office Equip., Copier, supplies	1,385.00
Merle Lauro, Expenses	31.50
Homestead Press, Tax bills, envelopes	77.62
Real Data Corp., Real Estate listing	15.00
NH City & Town Clerk Assoc., Dues	12.00
NH Tax Collectors Assoc., Dues	25.00
Deborah Cloutier, Petty Cash TC/TC	100.00
National Market Reports, Town Clerk books	366.00
Quill Corp., Storage boxes, pens, clips	32.95
Reliable Corp., Adding machines, pens	107.36
Thompson Publishing, Bulletin	67.00
NH Municipal Secretary Assoc., Dues	10.00
Treasurer, State of NH, Assessment cards	41.90
Groveton Postmaster, Stamps	659.49
Registrar of Deeds, Postage	3.60
Registrar of Probate, Recording fee	1.00
Berlin Reporter, Ads	108.50
New England Tele., Phone calls	589.68
North Country Publ., Ads	199.73
Loring Short & Harmon, T. Col. pgs., assment bks	598.18
AT & T, Phone rental	52.74
Berlin Office Prod., Tape, pens, envelopes	<u>69.18</u>
	\$7,346.92

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS  
CONTINUED

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES:

PLANNING BOARD EXPENSES:

Cindy Boivin, Typing	87.00
Equity Publishing Corp., Land Use Code Bks.	57.25
Multi-Trade Inspection Prog., Code Bks.	80.00
Emerson & Son, Questionnaire box material	8.68
North Country Council, Questionnaires	105.00
Dennis Croteau, Postage reimbursement	39.04
Moulton Law Firm, Legal Advise	182.00
Registrar of Deeds, Recording Subd. reg.	41.56
North Country Publishing, Abutters Notices, Ads	78.40
Reliable Corp., File Cabinet	149.46
	\$ 828.39

GRAND TOTAL TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES \$8,175.31

ELECTION & REGISTRATION:

John Pepau, Jr., Town Meeting	15.00
Everett Frizzell, Town Meeting	15.00
Roger Caron, Town Meeting	15.00
Cindy Boivin, Town Meeting	15.00
William Joyce, Town Meeting, Moderator	20.00
Bruce Keddy, Town Meeting, Town Clerk	15.00
Bonnie Lunn, Town Meeting, Ballot Clerk	20.00
Joanne Carey, Town Meeting, Ballot Clerk	20.00
Francis Hopps, Jr., Town Meeting, Constable	15.00
Judith Wentworth, Town Meeting, Supervisor	42.00
Frances Pepau, Town Meeting, Supervisor	32.00
Doris Stearns, Town Meeting, Supervisor	32.00
Berlin Reporter, Ads	64.40
North Country Publishing, Ads	53.87
M/S Printing, Town Reports	968.00
	\$1,342.27

MISC. APPROPRIATIONS:

Town of Northumberland, Ambulance	300.00
Robert Hinkley, House inspections	60.00
Weeks Home Health, Appropriation	1,250.00
Upper Conn. Valley Mental Health, Appro.	125.00
General Assistance, Kay	390.00
Community Beautification & Recreation	210.50
Groveton Meals on Wheels, Appropriation	700.00
North Country Council, Dues	401.00
Community Action Program, Appropriation	300.00
	\$3,736.50



DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS  
CONTINUED

TOWN HALL & LIBRARY:

Ryan's Fuel, Fuel	939.84
Emerson & Sons, Door knobs, keys, light bulbs	56.58
Fitch Fuel, Propane tanks, furnace cleaning	147.00
Public Service, Electricity	1,169.59
Arrow Star, Shelves, brackets: Library	228.37
Perras Lumber, Bark, Lumber, Paint & Supplies	234.01
James Eich, Cleaning	12.00
Robert Eich, Cleaning	52.00
John Croteau, Cleaning	12.00
Stark General Store, Gas	4.69
Lyndonville Office Equip., Janitor supplies	109.30
Demers Septic Cleaning, Pumping system	90.00
Ron Caron, Wiring	39.61
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	\$3,094.99

PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

POLICE:

Francis Hopps, Jr., Expenses	676.05
Donald Croteau, Expenses	296.75
Flower Basket Shop, Stohl arrangement	25.00
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	\$ 997.80

SOUTH POND PATROL:

Francis Hopps, Jr., Patrol South Pond	486.47
Donald Croteau, Patrol South Pond	248.19
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	\$ 734.66

FIRE DEPARTMENT:

EXPENSES:

New England Tele., Phone	411.06
Public Service, Electricity	314.84
Ryan's Fuel, Fuel	625.11
AT & T, Phone rental	45.99
Blanchard Assoc., (From RS 86), Hose, nozzles	920.23
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	\$2,317.23

FIRE FIGHTING EXPENSES:

Lawson Chimney	99.25
Bonfire Crystal Falls & Barn Fire McMann	126.00
Forest Fire-Milan	95.00
Perras House Fire	490.25
McCormack Barn	400.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS  
CONTINUED

FIRE FIGHTING EXPENSES CONTINUED:

Ronald Lunn, Meeting & Mileage	70.56
James Gibson, Sr., Meeting & Mileage	47.25
John Pepau, Jr., Meeting & Mileage	47.25
Clark Wentworth, Meeting & Mileage	17.58
Barry Wentworth, Meeting & Mileage	17.58
James Gibson, Jr., Meeting & Mileage	17.58
Paul Randall, Meeting & Mileage	16.56
Fred Benway, Meeting & Mileage	17.58
Ronald Boivin, Meeting & Mileage	17.58
Robert Kay, Meeting & Mileage	16.56
Glenn Lunn, Jr., Meeting & Mileage	27.00
Albert Cloutier, Jr., Meeting & Mileage	27.00
John Emery, Meeting & Mileage	27.00
	\$1,577.58
GRAND TOTAL OF FIRE DEPARTMENT:	\$3,894.81

INSURANCE:

George M. Stevens:	
Workmen's Compensation	2,079.00
Town Officers Bond	238.00
Police Radios	50.00
Fire Equipment	2,410.00
Burglary	54.00
	\$4,831.00
Marshall Insurance;	
Backhoe	450.00
Concord Group;	
Town Truck	1,184.00
Burns Insurance:	
Multi-Peril	3,488.00
Garage	129.00
	\$3,617.00
GRAND TOTAL INSURANCE:	\$10,082.00

SANITATION:

DUMP:

James Gibson, Sr., Labor	2,863.76
Roger Hickey, Labor	371.00
Carl Coulombe, Labor	14.00
Magloire Madore, Gravel	190.40
Albert Cloutier, Bulldozer	2,800.00



DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS  
CONTINUED

DUMP CONTINUED:

Franconia Fence, Fence	\$ 1,124.56
Lawrence Sangravco, Gravel	73.82
Berlin Reporter, Ads	21.00
North Country Publishing, Ads	13.00
Emerson & Sons, Padlock & Keys, Plywood, Cement	218.76
F. B. Spaulding, Fence posts	56.78
	\$7,747.08

TOWN HALL ROOF:

James Gibson, Sr., Labor	\$ 429.15
Roger Hickey, Labor	256.00
Emerson & Sons, Supplies	129.48
Perras Lumber, Supplies	1,856.89
Lajoie Rental, Nailer, Compressor	75.00
Caron Building, Staples	9.42
	\$2,755.94

HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES:

SUMMER MAINTENANCE:

James Gibson, Sr., Labor	\$ 4,453.38
Roger Hickey, Labor	619.00
Dennis Boivin, Mowing Roadsides	1,296.00
Stark General Store, Gas	295.92
Lawrence Sangravco, Crusher run	25.55
Rich's Machine Shop, Repairs to Truck	10.00
Lyle Frizzell, Labor	82.00
Margaret Frizzell, Gravel	93.80
Everett Frizzell, Gravel	18.76
Richard Frizzell, Gravel	18.76
Sharon Grenier, Gravel	18.76
Raymond Frizzell, Gravel	18.76
Evelyn Gaudette, Gravel	18.76
	\$6,903.45

WINTER MAINTENANCE:

James Gibson, Sr., Labor	\$ 5,735.19
James Gibson, Jr., Labor	54.25
Harold Gonyer, Labor	363.25
Roger Hickey, Labor	159.00
Clark Wentworth, Plowing	60.00
Perley Lang, Winter Sand	250.20
Albert Cloutier, Hauling Winter Sand	448.00
Josh Young, Winter Sand	2,125.00
Nathen Coy, Bulldozer	750.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS  
CONTINUED

WINTER MAINTENANCE CONTINUED:

Stark General Store, Gas	\$ 494.75
International Salt Co., Salt	<u>986.10</u>
	\$11,425.74

GENERAL EXPENSES HIGHWAY:

James Gibson, Sr., Mileage, Phone calls	\$ 65.93
James Gibson, Jr., Mileage	10.00
Country Auto, Repairs to Truck, Backhoe, etc.	890.73
A. D. Sanel, Oil, filters, bulbs, wrenches, etc.	996.42
River Valley Equip., Trailer, oil, filters, etc.	4,173.37
Emerson & Sons, Nails, Bolts, Caulking, etc.	294.98
Berlin Springs, Springs	357.88
Currier Sales, Wiper pump, Carburator, seals, etc.	1,081.96
Perras Lumber, Shovels, axe, etc.	388.62
Labonville, Chainsaw chain, bar/chain oil	33.75
Barrett Equip., Hose, pump, etc.	365.86
Glenn's Service, Repairs to Truck	695.05
Clark Wentworth, Plowing	30.00
Cindy Boivin, Mileage	28.75
Public Service, Electricity	363.18
F. B. Spaulding, Chloride, posts, bolts, etc.	4,002.05
Leo Costello, Cable	16.61
Atlantic Sign Co., Highway signs	463.37
Stark General Store, Gas	3,411.99
Ronnie Lunn, Repairs to tire, welding on truck	95.00
Lawrence Sangravco, Crusher run	2,032.18
White Sign, Highway signs	14.00
Albert Cloutier, Plowing & Grading	3,660.00
Martin's Agway, Bolts, Sign posts	39.96
Kelley's Auto, Plow paint, thinner, wire conn.	161.26
R. C. Hazelton, Rake teeth	97.96
Stark Volunteer Fire Dept., Washing bridges	100.00
Gorham Brick, Cinder blocks	65.00
J & M Construction, Gravel	765.66
Magloire Madore, Gravel	237.20
Pike Industry, Cold patch	911.87
Barry Wentworth, Trucking gravel	175.00
Reilly Tire, Tires-Truck	657.25
Munces Superior, Oil	22.95
Conteck Construction Prod., Culverts	980.93
Portland Glass, Window repair	65.00
Rich's Machine Shop, Repairs to truck	135.00
Margaret Frizzell, Hay	137.00
Jon Parks, Repairs to Backhoe	188.69
Div. Motor Vehicle, Trailer registration	1.50
Cross Machine, Straightening plow, repairs	<u>856.98</u>
	\$29,070.89

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

CONTINUED

GENERAL EXPENSES HIGHWAY CONTINUED:

TOWN GARAGE:

Perras Lumber, Plywood, nails, insul.	\$ 192.08
Public Service, Electricity	236.79
Emerson & Son, Plywood, nails, handle	138.71
Gil's Construction, Garage Floor	304.00
Lancaster Hardware, Security lights	59.98
Ron Caron, Wiring	500.78
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\$ 1,432.34

GRAND TOTAL GENERAL EXPENSES HIGHWAY \$30,503.23

BELL HILL:

A. D. Excavating, Excavation	\$ 467.00
Barry Wentworth, Trucking	81.00
James Gibson, Sr., Labor	646.52
Martin's Agway, Chain saw chain	29.40
Lawrence Sangravco, Gravel	107.98
The Country Auto, Backhoe tire repair	14.30
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\$ 1,376.31

SULLIVAN ROAD:

J & M Construction, Crusher run	\$ 301.98
Barry Wentworth, Trucking	189.00
James Gibson, Sr., Labor	77.60
Lawrence sangravco, Gravel	267.53
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\$ 836.11

LIBRARY:

Stark Public Library, Appropriation \$ 400.00

CEMETERIES:

James Eich, Sexton	\$ 509.20
Robert Eich, Labor	378.75
John Croteau, Labor	266.00
F. B. Spaulding, Mower, rake, lime	184.85
Emerson & Son, Rakes, lime, brushes	23.92
Stark General Store, Gas	103.96
Martin's Agway, Trimmer head	26.00
Easy-Stark, Repairs to trimmer	44.33
Timberland Machines, Lawn mowers	748.38
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\$ 2,285.39

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS  
CONTINUED

UNCLASSIFIED:

LEGAL EXPENSES:

Hinkley & Donovan, Legal advice, court case       \$    730.00

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN:

Total taxes bought   \$10,394.61

DISCOUNTS, ABATEMENTS & REFUNDS:

Ann Montgomery, Discount & Abatement	\$    721.97
Diana Gibson, Abatement	62.77
Diamond Int'l, Yield tax reimbursement	16.60
Dorothy Wheeler, Refund	32.94
Mary Mullins, Abatement	4.23
Helen Young, Discount	7.58
Thomas Foley, Discount	2.44
Stewart Hoyt, Discount	81.68
Virginia Morgan, Discount	57.01
Margaret Lombardo, Discount	37.39
Sydney Gardiner, Discount	20.11
Sally Ryan, Discount	7.06
Donald Martin, Discount	20.66
Charles Tetu, Discount	11.56
Oliva Baillargeon, Discount	89.25
Lena Whitcomb, Discount	7.06
Jospeh Trant, Discount	48.03
James & Brian Emerson, Discount	2.96
John Paron, Discount	16.74
James Burley, Discount	8.46
Maurice Nadeau, Discount	2.79
Thomas Daniels, Discount	11.18
Charles Nelson, Discount	56.69
Otto Herrmann, Discount	63.03
Franklin Standish, Discount	2.00
John LaChance, Discount	50.84
Armand Bergeron, Discount	5.22
George Reardon, Discount	17.87
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	\$ 1,466.12

REVENUE SHARING:

Louis Jolin, Reappraisal	\$ 1,195.00
L. D. E. Communications, Fire Radios	1,000.00

HANDICAP ACCESS:

James Gibson, Sr., Labor	394.83
Roger Hickey, Labor	76.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS  
CONTINUED

HANDICAP ACCESS CONTINUED:

Lyle Frizzell, Labor	\$ 161.00
Caron Building, Door	263.69
Perras Lumber, Supplies	623.45
Emerson & Son, Supplies	<u>7.50</u>
	\$ 1,526.47
TOTAL REVENUE SHARING:	\$ 3,721.47

ARTICLE 11:

North Country Council, Household Haz. Waste	\$ 212.00
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INTEREST:

Berlin City Bank, Interest TAN's	\$ 5,234.67
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INDEBTEDNESS SERVICE:

Berlin City Bank, Temporary loans	\$131,478.67
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CAPITAL RESERVE:

Truck	\$ 5,015.00
Revaluation-DRA	1,500.00

PAYMENTS TO STATE/COUNTY

State of NH, Dog licenses	\$ 36.00
State of NH, Marriage licenses	26.00
State of NH, Dump administrative fine	600.00
State of NH, County tax	<u>36,936.00</u>
	\$37,598.00

PAYMENT TO GOVERNMENT:

Internal Revenue Service, Withholding, FICA	\$ 2,263.59
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SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Stark School District, Appropriation	\$256,477.00
Payment 1986-1987: \$196,477	
Payment 1987-1988: \$ 60,000	

CONSTRUCTION & RECONSTRUCTION:

Magloire Madore, Gravel	\$ 86.80
Elias Hopps, Dynamiting	650.00
Emerson & Son, Plastic Pipe	22.81

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS  
CONTINUED

CONSTRUCTION & RECONSTRUCTION CONTINUED:

Stark General Store, Gas	\$ 13.60
Albert Cloutier, Grading, excavating	13,695.00
James Gibson, Sr., Labor	73.00
Pike Industries, Pavement	<u>30,667.90</u>
	\$45,209.11

TAX RATE COMPUTATION

A. Net Town Property Valuation	9,081,066
	(9081.066)
B. Net Property Tax Commitment	381,405
1. Net Town Tax Appropriations	78,681
2. Net School Tax Appropriations	265,788
3. Net County Tax Assessments	36,936
C. Tax Rate Calculation	
	$\frac{381,405}{9081.066} = \$42.00$
D. Break Down of Tax Rate	
1. Town	10.08
2. School	27.99
3. County	3.93

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, lands, buildings	34,000
Furniture and equipment	10,685
Libraries, lands, buildings	6,250
Furniture and equipment	3,700
Police equipment	2,700
Fire Department, lands and buildings	5,500
Equipment	35,300
Highway department, lands and buildings	28,200
Equipment	58,500
Materials and supplies	1,300
Schools, lands and buildings, equipment	50,450
Cemeteries, Rt. 110 (Village, Blake, Percy)	2,250
Cemetery, North Road	<u>4,500</u>
TOTAL	\$ 243,335

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

VALUE OF LAND ONLY

Current Use (At Current Use Value)	\$ 539,795
Residential	<u>2,600,371</u>

VALUE OF BUILDINGS ONLY

Residential	5,272,800
Manufactured Housing	277,500
Public Utilities	<u>460,600</u>

TOTAL VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS \$ 9,151,036

EXEMPTIONS

Elderly (14 @ \$5,000)	<u>70,000</u>
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Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is Computed \$ 9,081,036



TREASURER'S REPORT  
GENERAL FUND

Balance on Hand, Dec. 31, 1986	\$ 94,083.45
Total Receipts to Treasurer	<u>+ 662,124.36</u>
	756,207.81
Less Payments	<u>- 609,145.17</u>
	(147,062.64)
Balance in Bank, December 31, 1987	34,092.82
Deposits in Transit	<u>+ 129,495.73</u>
	163,588.55
Less Outstanding Checks	<u>- 16,525.91</u>
Total cash on Hand, December 31, 1987	(147,062.64)

SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Timber-Yield Tax Account-Berlin City Bank-Berlin/Groveton	
Balance on Hand January 1, 1987	\$ 9,001.34
Accrued Interest	508.86
Deposits	000.00
Less Withdrawals	000.00
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1987	<u>\$ 9,510.20</u>

Revenue Sharing Account-Berlin City Bank-Berlin/Groveton	
Balance on Hand January 1, 1987	\$ 13,641.42
Accrued Interest	739.41
Deposits	000.00
Less Withdrawals	<u>- 1,000.00</u>
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1987	\$ 13,380.83

(BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT)

Balance on Hand January 1, 1987	\$ 6,934.28
Accrued Interest	129.38
Less Withdrawals	<u>- 6,004.81</u>
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1987	\$ 1,058.85

Siwooganock Time Savings Account  
(BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT)

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1987	\$ 23,372.09
Deposits	<u>6,004.81</u>
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1987	\$ 29,376.90



TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Auto Permits Issued	\$20,837.00
Dog Licenses Issued	313.50
Less Fees to State	37.50
Penalties Collected	34.00
Title Fees to Town	108.00
Filing Fees to Town (Planning Board)	65.00
Conditional Sales Fees to Town	161.32
Marriage License Fees to Town	21.00
Less Fees to State	39.00
Vital Statistic Copies to Town	21.00

Total collected \$21,637.32

Deborah J. Cloutier  
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT  
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1987

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Uncollected Taxes  
Beginning of Fiscal  
Year:

	1987	1986	Prior
Property Taxes		\$53,741.52	\$11,219.00
Resident Taxes		570.00	100.00
Land Use Change Taxes		2,870.00	
Yield Taxes		1,023.89	3,537.59

Taxes Committed  
To Collector:

Property Taxes	\$379,666.25
Resident Taxes	2,730.00
Land Use Change Taxes	16,710.00
Yield Taxes	11,735.91

Interest Collected  
on Delinquent  
Property Taxes:

121.66	3,039.00	1,268.70
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Penalties Collected  
on Resident Taxes:

4.00	18.00	1.00
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$410,967.82	\$58,253.80	\$16,126.29
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Remittances To  
Treasurer During  
Fiscal Year

Property Taxes	270,167.91	40,393.51	7,378.10
Resident Taxes	2,130.00	280.00	10.00
Yield Taxes	3,028.23	6,935.45	
Land Use Change Taxes	4,496.00	7,564.00	164.84
Interest Collected During Year	121.66	3,039.00	1,268.70
Penalties on Resident Taxes	4.00	18.00	1.00
<u>Discounts Allowed</u>	27,422.34		

<u>Abatements Made</u> <u>During Year:</u>	<u>1987</u>	<u>1986</u>	<u>Prior</u>
Property Taxes	863.70		
Resident Taxes	90.00		
Land Use Change Taxes	1,070.00		
<u>Uncollected Taxes</u> <u>End of Fiscal Year</u>			
Property Taxes	81,653.43	9,301.58	16,905.96
Resident Taxes	370.00	460.00	60.00
TOTAL CREDITS	<u>\$391,417.27</u>	<u>67,991.54</u>	<u>25,788.60</u>

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1987

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-Tax Sales on Account of Levies of-

	<u>1986</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>Prior</u>
Balance of Unredeemed taxes Beginning of Fiscal Year			\$ 1,235.84
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	10,394.61		
Interest Collected After Sale	13.44		184.32
Redemption Costs	1.00		
Total Debits	<u>\$10,409.05</u>		<u>\$1,420.16</u>

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Remittance to Treasurer During Fiscal Year:			
Redemptions	1,089.77		1,235.84
Interest and Costs After Sale	14.44		184.32
Unredeemed Taxes End of Year	9,304.84		
Total Credits	<u>\$10,409.05</u>		<u>\$1,420.16</u>

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of STARK on December 31, 19 87

DATE OF CREATION	NAME OF TRUST FUND List first three trusts invested in common trust fund	PURPOSE OF TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED (If Cash, Stocks, Bonds, etc.)	Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	PRINCIPAL Gains or (Losses) on Dividends Securities	Capital Gain Dividends	Balance End of Year	INCOME		Balance End of Year
									Percent	Amount	
12/29/55	Albert Emery	Care of Cem.	Berlin City Bk 03-51925-9-20	23569	1268			24837			24837
1/22/55	Seth Cole	"	Berlin City Bk 02-51976-5-20	100000				1,000.00			1,000.00
3/22/72	Charles Emery	"	Berlin City Bk 03-51928-3-20	4611				4611	3.09	2.59	300
8/10/59	Maude Sanderson	"	Berlin City Bk 03-51976-7-20	20000				20000	13.90	11.15	2505
4/19/78	Louis Pike	"	Berlin City Bk 03-51925-9-20	28285	1630			30415			
5/18/72	Lois A. Eiske	"	Home Bank FSB 312001737	100000				100000	35.86	8.08	4396
5/18/72	George H. Smith	"	Home Bank FSB 312002237	100000				100000	7.12	6.50	1362
9/12/66	Stella A. Lunn Cole	"	FSB 312002237 4811-6 City Bk	20000				20000	14.15	12.93	2708
3/17/74	Salomon D. Cole	"	Berlin City Bk 5247-4 City Bk	5000				5000	3.39	2.66	609
3/17/74	Katherine Holmes	"	Berlin City Bk 12749 City Bk	20000				20000	93.31	15.90	10121
5/23/63	Eldon S. Cole	"	Berlin City Bk 26115-4	33428				33428	75.99	21.25	2400
2/24/59	Sarah M. Kaemmerling	"	Berlin City Bk 6216-6 City Bk	1,06946				1,06946	276.75	70.24	2900
12/11/53	Maude S. Kaemmerling	"	Berlin City Bk 30349-5	1,00752				1,00752	261.71	66.74	2910
10/10/66	Eldora A. Pike	"	Berlin City Bk 80231-1 City Bk	25000				25000	45.84	15.40	6124
10/10/66	Kate L. Orskood	"	Berlin City Bk 28905-0	25000				25000	70.19	16.68	8687
12/19/63	Amos & Jennie Emery	"	Berlin City Bk 33040-1	18722				18722	46.45	12.15	5860
6/9/71	Alfred L. Smith	"	Berlin City Bk 33162-1	23000				23000	62.67	15.26	5793
11/17/71	Riley S. Lunn	"	Berlin City Bk 29255-2	20000				20000	26.03	11.80	3783
9/9/64	Soreno P. Farsell	"	Berlin City Bk 10310	10310				10310	7.17	5.82	1298
8/22/73	Manett F. Montgomery	"	Berlin City Bk Slawogonack Bk	50000				50000	49.21	28.12	7253
12/23/87	Robert & Ruby Rolfe	"	0223784	32425				32425			
				6,89354	2898			6,92252	1,40827	39295	7700
											1,77226

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS  
OF THE TOWN OF STARK

		Beginning Balance	New Funds & Interest	With- draws	Ending Balance
1/ 7/82	Cap. Res. Dump Acct. Future Outlay	\$12,466.16	\$ 704.72	\$	\$13,170.88
	Berlin City Bank #3543064				
1/14/82	Cap. Res. Bridge Acct. New Bridge	292.96	16.51		309.47
	Berlin City Bank #104646-9				
2/15/82	Cap. Res. Re-Val/DRA Revaluation	8,489.50	1,976.39		10,465.89
	Berlin City Bank #107761-2				
9/24/87	Cap. Res. Truck Acct. New Truck	5,015.43	92.57		5,108.00
	Siwooganock Bank #CD 02291014				
9/ 9/85	Stark School Handicapped Education	41,901.10	2,267.17	18,598.02	25,570.25
	Berlin City Bank #CD 210105-1				
9/24/86	Stark School Building Rep. Major Recon. Repairs	10,180.36	21,504.17		31,684.53
	Siwooganock Bank #CD 02471008				
		\$78,345.51	\$26,561.53	\$18,598.02	\$86,309.02

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Donald Croteau  
John M. Pepau, Jr.

STARK PUBLIC LIBRARY  
1987 FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Cash balance as of December 31, 1986	\$ 476.58
Receipts:	
Donation	100.00
Town Appropriation	<u>400.00</u>
	\$ 976.58
Expenditures:	
Books & Encyclopedia set	\$ 218.45
Library Supplies	<u>154.25</u>
Cash balance as of December 31, 1987	\$ 603.88

During 1987, the new trustees and volunteers have gotten most of the books catalogued. The library is really starting to take shape. We are looking for any donations of books, time, or money. Everyone please come and visit.

Cheryl Cloutier  
Deborah Fogg  
Louise Simino  
Library Trustees

Diane Belanger  
Librarian

AUDITOR'S REPORT

1987

After examining the Town books and records of Stark, we have found them to be in reasonably good order to the best of our knowledge. We have met with the town officials to offer our recommendations for ways to improve upon the deeping of Town records.

We hope these suggestions will make the Town officials job less cumberson and efficient.

Linda Caron

Diane Daley

Auditors

## REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

This Department covered the Fiddler's Contest again this year with the support of the Coos County Sheriff's Department, New Hampshire State Police and officers from the surrounding towns.

Two officers of this Department took part in certifying with a revolver. This is a requirement for all police officers in the state. This requirement is to be made each year.

We also patrolled the South Pond picnic area through an agreement made with the Selectmen, Chief Hopps, and the U. S. Forest Service. The U. S. Forest Service pays for this service.

Chief Francis W. Hopps, Jr.

Special Police Officers:

Fredrick Benway

Donald Croteau

William Joyce



WEEKS HOME HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

January 25, 1988

Board of Selectmen  
Town of Stark  
Groveton, NH 03582

Gentlemen:

As you are aware this Agency provides services to the residents of the surrounding six towns, based on need, NOT the ability to pay.

The services provided enables the individual/individuals to remain within their own homes when otherwise this would be impossible. Thus, all six towns are needed to work together in cooperation with the Agency, so the continuation of providing such vital health services is feasible.

Services provided to the town of Stark for the Fiscal Year October 1986-September 31, 1987 are as follows:

VISITS

Skilled Nursing	34	
Physical Therapy	26	
Occupational Therapy	3	
Speech Therapy	0	
Home Health Aide	20	
Homemaker	356	(units)

Other services provided for which statistics were not kept include maternal child health visits, home birth registration visits, clinic services, evaluation visits, and supervisory visits.

We are asking each community serviced for the same level of support based on \$3.25 per capita.

Requested Support           \$1625.00  
(based on population of 500)

Thank you for your time and support.

Cordially,

Sharon E. Covill, R.N., B.S.N.  
Executive Director

NORTH COUNTRY COUNCIL  
ANNUAL REPORT

North Country Council was extremely busy in 1987 as it continued to provide a wide range of assistance to North Country communities.

As a regional non-profit, public agency chartered under NH RSA 36:45, the Council is responsible for assisting its member communities in local town planning, regional planning, economic development and numerous other community services. In addition to the direct assistance the Council provides each member community, it is an advocate for all North Country towns in legislative and funding issues with the state and federal governments.

The North Country is experiencing tremendous growth and development pressures. The Council is dedicated to assisting towns with the impacts associated with these pressures. In order to more efficiently serve its membership, the Council has assigned a staff person to respond to each town's request for assistance. In this way, continuity between the town and the Council is ensured and the overall effectiveness of the Council is increased.

In Stark, the Council attended several Planning Board meetings and provided technical assistance regarding subdivision regulations and master plan preparation. NCC also reviewed a major subdivision. In addition, NCC provided solid waste information to the town concerning the Upper Grafton/Lancaster Area Solid waste District and the Androscoggin Valley Solid waste District. Stark participated in the North Country Household Hazardous Waste Collection Project co-sponsored by the Council.

The Council again provided information and guidance to many towns on federal and state grant and loan programs. This past year the Council administered over \$6.7 million in Community Development Block Grant funds in fifteen communities. The funds were used for housing rehabilitation, downtown revitalization, public facility improvements, business revolving loans, and feasibility studies for housing

rehabilitation and public facility improvements.

The Council has taken an active role in addressing the affordable housing issue in cooperation with member communities. The Council is presently administering a regional housing rehabilitation program which is making 358 housing units available to eligible North Country residents.

Community planning assistance has emphasized master planning and improvement in local land use controls. New state mandates and commercial and residential growth in several towns have created busy work loads for planning boards. The Council's assistance takes many forms: regional workshops, newsletters, regulation review and update, and assistance on a regular or one-time basis for subdivision and site plan applications.

The Council sponsored four industrial development workshops for local economic officials. The workshops provided information on business recruitment, marketing and working cooperatively with federal and state officials to promote community economic development.

The Council again co-sponsored the Municipal Law Lecture series with the NH Municipal Association. The Law Lecture this year covered local planning board procedures, administration and enforcement of ordinances, growth management and review of recent court cases and state law changes regarding local land use planning.

Overall, the Council's major objective is to work with North Country towns in solving local and regional problems. We rely on and appreciate the involvement of town officials and residents and look forward to assisting your town this coming year.

Johnathan M. Rutstein, Executive Director  
Bonnie Ham, President  
Everett Frizzell, Town Representative  
Roger Caron, Town Representative

SCHOOL REPORT

Report of the  
School District  
of the  
Town of Stark, N.H.  
For the fiscal year ending on  
June 30, 1987

ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT  
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF STARK

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1987

ORGANIZATION ADMINISTRATION

<u>SCHOOL BOARD</u>	<u>TERM EXPIRES</u>
Jane Hopps	1990
Cecile Eich, Chairwoman	1989
Harold Hazzard	1988

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Warren E. Bouchard - Tel. 636-1437  
Sandra Call, Secretary  
Janet Bennett, Data Processing

ACCOUNTS SUPERVISOR

Peggy L. Goodale

STARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Virginia Mondor, Head Teacher  
Bonnie Allin, Grades 1, 2, & 3  
June Partridge, School Nurse

TREASURER

Cindy Boivin

CLERK

Deborah Cloutier

MODERATOR

William Joyce

AUDITOR

Madeleine Croteau

SCHOOL WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District of Stark, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in Stark Town Hall in said district on Tuesday March 8, 1988 at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the subjects hereinafter mentioned. The polls will be opened at said place and date from 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon for the reception of your ballots under the non-partisan ballot system.

1. To choose by non-partisan ballot the following district officers for the ensuing year: a moderator, a district clerk, a district treasurer, and one member of the board for the ensuing three years.

Given under our hands at Stark this 19th day of February, 1988.

Cecile Eich  
Jane Hopps  
Harold Hazzard

SCHOOL BOARD

A True Copy of Warrant - Attest:

Cecile Eich  
Jane Hopps  
Harold Hazzard

SCHOOL BOARD



SCHOOL WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District of Stark, New Hampshire, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Stark Town Hall in said district on Tuesday, March 8, 1988 at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the subjects hereinafter mentioned. The matters of appropriations and such other business properly coming before said meeting will be taken up for your consideration and action.

1. To hear reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen and any vote relating thereto.
2. To see if the District will vote to accept the provisions of the Federal and State School Lunch Program and to appropriate such funds as may be made available to the District under said program. Further to see if the district will authorize the school board to make application for such funds and to expend the same for such programs.
3. To see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for, to receive and expend in the name of the District such advances, grants-in-aid, or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter by forthcoming from State, Federal, or other governmental unit or from private sources which become available during the fiscal year.
4. To see if the District will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of construction of a new school or an addition to the present school and to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) to be placed in this fund and to designate the School Board as agents to expend.
5. To see if the School Board will investigate the feasibility of tuitioning Stark Junior and Senior High School students to the Berlin School District, and to report back to this body before the next school District meeting in March of 1989 (Petitioned by 10 legal voters).
6. To see if the School District will vote to send the Junior and Senior High School students to the Berlin School District, starting in the 1989-1990 school year. (Petitioned by 10 legal voters)
7. To see what sum of money the School District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries of school district officials and agents and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District.
8. To transact any other business that may lawfully come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at Stark this 19th day of February, 1988.

Cecile Eich, Chairperson

Jane A. Hopps

Harold Hazzard

STARK SCHOOL BOARD

A True Copy of Warrant - Attest:

Cecile Eich, Chairperson

Jane A. Hopps

Harold Hazzard

STARK SCHOOL BOARD

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

TREASURER

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1987

SUMMARY

Cash on Hand July 1, 1986		\$ 17,971.36
Received from Selectmen		
Current Appropriation	\$216,477.00	
Balance of Previous Appropriation	11,453.00	
Revenue from State Sources	65,600.37	
Revenue from Federal Sources	2,113.17	
Received from Capital Reserve Funds	18,500.00	
Received from Other Sources	1,850.27	
Total Receipts		\$315,993.81
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		\$333,965.17
Less School Board Orders Paid		\$329,125.07
Balance on Hand June 30, 1987		\$ 4,840.10

Cindy Boivin  
District Treasurer

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Stark, New Hampshire of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1987 and find them correct in all respects.

January 4, 1988

Madeleine Croteau  
Auditor

BALANCE SHEET

	June 30, 1987			
<u>ASSETS</u>	<u>General</u>	<u>Special</u>	<u>Food</u>	<u>Capital</u>
		<u>Revenue</u>	<u>Service</u>	<u>Reserve</u>
Cash	\$ 4,058.56		\$ 735.93	\$55,529.40
Intergovernmental Receivables	_____	\$ 101.67	_____	_____
Total Assets	\$ 4,058.56	\$ 101.67	\$ 735.93	\$55,529.40
 <u>LIABILITIES</u>				
Other Payables	\$ 3,910.03	\$ 101.08		
Total Liabilities	\$ 3,910.03	\$ 101.08		
 <u>FUND EQUITY</u>				
Reserve for Special Purposes Unreserved Fund Balance	\$ 148.53	\$ .59	\$ 735.93	\$55,529.40
	_____	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL LIABILITIES and FUND EQUITY	\$ 4,058.56	\$ 101.67	\$ 735.93	\$55,529.40

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

<u>Date</u>		<u>Amount</u>
FY 87	Town of Stark - Current Appropriation	\$ 216,477.00
FY 87	State of New Hampshire - Foundation Aid	65,192.18
FY 87	Berlin City Bank - Interest	1,026.81
FY 87	State of New Hampshire - Road Toll Tax	398.19
FY 87	P & L Mini Mart - Gas Rebate	240.53
FY 87	State of NH - Chapter II, Block Grant	1,426.94
07-14-86	State of NH - '86 Forest Reserve	137.98
09-12-86	State of NH - '86 Federal Projects	400.00
10-07-86	Peerless Insurance Co. - Reimb/fence dam.	387.42
11-14-86	State of NH - '86 Federal Projects	148.25
02-12-86	SAU 20 - Staff Dev. Reimb.	1.51
03-11-87	Stark Union Church - Rent of School	1.00
03-27-87	Amoskeag Bank - Unemp./excess cont.	193.00
05-04-87	State of NH - NH Retire/ overpayment	10.00
05-26-87	Trustee/ Trust fund - Cap. Res./Ed. of Hand.	18,500.00
08-08-86	Town of Stark - '86 Appropriation	1,435.00
08-15-86	Town of Stark - '86 Appropriation	10,000.00

STATEMENT OF REVENUES

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1987

<u>LOCAL</u>	<u>General</u>	<u>Special Revenue</u>	<u>Food Service</u>	<u>Capital Reserve</u>
Current Appropriation	\$216,477.00			
Earnings on Invest.	1,026.81	-0-	-0-	\$ 3,724.00
Other Local Revenue	<u>1.00</u>	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
Total Local Revenue	\$217,504.81	-0-	-0-	\$ 3,724.00
 <u>REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES</u>				
Foundation Aid	<u>\$ 65,192.18</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>-0-</u>
Total Revenue From State Sources	\$ 65,192.18	-0-	-0-	-0-
 <u>REVENUE FROM FEDERAL SOURCES</u>				
Elem/Secondary (ECIA)				
Chapter II	-0-	\$ 1,426.94	-0-	-0-
Grant-In-Aid from other agencies	<u>-0-</u>	<u>101.08</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>-0-</u>
Total Revenue from Federal Sources	-0-	\$ 1,528.02	-0-	-0-
 <u>OTHER SOURCES</u>				
Transfer from General Fund	-0-	-0-	-0-	\$ 20,000.00
Transfer from Capital Reserve Fund	<u>\$ 18,500.00</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>-0-</u>
TOTAL REVENUE	\$301,196.99	\$ 1,528.02	-0-	\$ 23,724.00

STARK SCHOOL DISTRICT  
COMPARATIVE BUDGETS

<u>1000 Instruction</u>	<u>1987-1988</u>	<u>1988-1989</u>
<u>1100 Regular Programs</u>		
110-120 Salaries	\$ 51,406	\$ 59,200
210-213 Health/Life & Disability	4,429	10,083
214-299 Employee Benefits (fixed)	6,166	7,410
310 Art & Music	4,320	2,350
320 Improvement of Instruction	150	-0-
440 Repairs/Maintenance	300	300
550 Printing/Binding	100	-0-
561 Public Tuition	179,211	191,914
580 Expense/Travel	150	-0-
610 Supplies	1,500	2,500
630 Textbooks	2,000	3,000
640 Periodicals	130	113
741 Add'l Equip.	-0-	1,028
810 Dues/Fees	<u>10</u>	<u>-0-</u>
Total	\$249,872	\$277,898
 <u>1200 Special Program</u>		
110 Teacher Salary	-0-	8,500
210-230 Employee Benefits	-0-	2,365
300-599 Purchased Services	25,832	47,078
610 Supplies	-0-	67
630 Textbooks	<u>-0-</u>	<u>100</u>
Total	\$ 25,832	\$ 58,110
 <u>1400 Co-Curricular</u>		
513 Transportation	700	500
610 Supplies	100	50
810 Dues/Fees	<u>-0-</u>	<u>50</u>
Total	\$ 800	\$ 600
 <u>2000 Support Service</u>		
<u>2120 Guidance</u>		
610 Supplies	\$ 100	\$ 100
 <u>2130 Health Services</u>		
390 Other Prof. & Tec	1,135	1,135
610 Supplies	<u>70</u>	<u>90</u>
Total	\$ 1,205	\$ 1,225
 <u>2210 Improvement of Instruction</u>		
320 Improvement/Instruction	150	200
580 Expense/Travel	<u>150</u>	<u>100</u>
Total	\$ 300	\$ 300
 <u>2220 Educational Media</u>		
440 Repairs/Maint.	200	330

450	Rent	<u>200</u>	<u>20</u>
	Total	\$ 400	\$ 350
<u>2310 School Board Service</u>			
110	Salary	775	775
230	FICA	59	62
300-599	Purchased Services	2,744	3,650
810	Dues/Fees	<u>852</u>	<u>973</u>
	Total	\$ 4,430	\$ 5,460
<u>2320 SAU Services</u>			
351	SAU Service	21,236	18,283
<u>2400 School Administration</u>			
110	Salary - Head Teacher	1,500	1,600
532	Postage	100	150
580	Expense/Travel	150	100
610	Supplies	50	20
810	Dues/Fees	<u>285</u>	<u>260</u>
	Total	\$ 2,085	\$ 2,130
<u>2540 Operation &amp; Maintenance</u>			
110-116	Salary - Custodian	3,196	3,018
214-299	Employee Benefits	283	343
400-499	Repairs/Disposal/Rent	900	18,000
500-599	Insurance/telephone	4,550	2,055
610	Supplies	1,336	1,336
652	Electricity	2,350	1,380
653	Fuel	3,250	2,100
657	Bottled Gas	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>
	Total	\$ 16,365	\$ 28,732
<u>2550 Transportation</u>			
110	Salary	5,512	5,512
214-299	Employee Benefits	514	625
513	Transportation	15,855	16,275
521	Property Insurance	200	225
656	Gasoline	<u>5,500</u>	<u>5,500</u>
	Total	\$ 27,581	\$ 28,137
<u>5000 Other Outlays</u>			
<u>5220 Federal Projects</u>			
880	Transfer	2,000	1,500
<u>5240 Food Service</u>			
880	Transfer	4,500	4,500
<u>5250 Capital Reserve</u>			
880	Transfer	<u>20,000</u>	<u>-0-</u>
	TOTAL BUDGET	\$376,706	\$427,325



STARK SCHOOL DISTRICT  
 DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS FOR 1986-87

1100 INSTRUCTION

1100 REGULAR PROGRAMS

\$190,043.75

110 Teachers		29,999.75
111 Aide		5,895.55
120 Substitutes		570.75
210 Health Ins.		2,210.56
213 Life & Dis. Ins.		309.19
214 Workman's Comp.		598.00
222 Teachers Retir.		303.94
230 FICA		2,697.97
260 Unemployment Comp.		(193.00)
310 Other Inst.		3,849.98
J. Dvorchik	1,225.00	
E. Gries	69.60	
H. Hikel	2,560.38	
440 Repairs & Maint.		223.46
Littleton Office	223.46	
561 Public Tuition		138,455.43
Berlin Sch. District	2,476.00	
North. Sch. District	135,979.43	
610 Supplies		2,947.16
Al Gracie	7.25	
AUNA	44.95	
Barclay	245.44	
Chaselle	965.22	
Economy Co.	835.31	
First Tape	15.16	
Goulet Printing	114.00	
D.C. Heath	310.30	
Littleton Office	354.54	
Modern Curr. Press.	11.99	
V. Mondor	25.00	
New Eng. Math	18.00	
630 Textbooks		1,330.68
Economy Co.	230.36	
Harcourt Brace	552.47	
D.C. Heath Co.	108.23	
Holt Rinehart	40.56	
Holt Science	39.82	
Wilcox/Follett	359.24	
640 Periodicals		60.45
Cricket	22.50	
Xerox	37.95	
741 Add'l Equipment		448.88
Apple	350.00	
V. Mondor	98.88	
742 Replacement Equipment		260.00
Littleton Office	260.00	

810 Dues & Fees		75.00	
NH Music Ed.	30.00		
North Country El	15.00		
North. Sch. District	30.00		
<u>1200 SPECIAL ED. PROGRAMS</u>			47,440.82
390 Other Prof. & Te.		6,538.45	
Indian Stream	32.00		
NCES	6,506.45		
519 Other Transportation		476.00	
Special Transit	476.00		
561 Public Tuition		32,000.00	
North. Sch. District	32,000.00		
569 Private Tuition		8,426.37	
Easter Seal	8,426.37		
<u>1400 CO CURRICULAR</u>			139.00
513 Transportation		139.00	
W. Hapgood	5.00		
V. Mondor	134.00		
<u>2130 HEALTH SERVICES</u>			1,181.20
390 Other Prof. & Te.		1,181.20	
North. Sch. District	966.20		
State of NH	215.00		
<u>2210 IMPROVEMENT OF INST.</u>			126.71
630 Textbooks		126.71	
J. Merriam	93.22		
SAU 20	35.00		
SAU 20	(1.51)		
<u>2220 EDUCATIONAL MEDIA</u>			1,117.66
440 Repairs/Maint.		120.95	
NCES	120.95		
450 Rentals		194.75	
NCES	194.75		
630 Textbooks		801.96	
Laidlaw	616.69		
Morning Star	91.25		
Nat'l Library	94.02		
<u>2310 SCHOOL BOARD SERVICES</u>			2,554.34
110 Teacher's Salary		450.00	
230 FICA		30.75	
NH Treas.	26.46		
Berlin Bank	4.29		
390 Other Prof. & Te.		1,077.00	
Boynton/Robinson	992.00		
D. Cloutier	50.00		
S. Wyman	35.00		
580 Exp/Travel		30.00	
North Country Fl	30.00		
810 Dues & Fees		966.59	
Clerk Court	30.00		
NHBSA	936.59		
<u>2320 SAU SERVICES</u>			11,070.00
351 Management Service		11,070.00	
<u>2400 SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION</u>			1,304.99
110 Teachers Salary		1,199.99	
532 Postage/Petty Cash		30.00	

	V. Mondor	30.00	
	550 Print/Binding		75.00
	Northland Press	75.00	
<u>2540 OPERATION &amp; MAINTENANCE</u>			
	110 Custodian's Salary		1,326.88
	214 Workman's Comp.		52.00
	G. M. Stevens	52.00	
	230 FICA		97.92
	NH Treas.	42.19	
	Berlin Bank	55.73	
	431 Disposal		112.00
	I. Ball	20.00	
	Jim Eich	92.00	
	440 Repairs/Maint.		3,218.58
	Dennis Bacon	42.00	
	Dave Caron	80.50	
	C. Daniels	806.40	
	Emerson	199.37	
	C. Goulet	387.72	
	Groveton Plumbing	412.90	
	Hobart	9.28	
	Inland Divers	13.50	
	J. Minichiello	149.21	
	Joe Murray	58.50	
	Normandeau	86.00	
	Peerless Ins.	(387.42)	
	Rodd the Roofer	1,165.12	
	Town of Stark	108.60	
	TSH	86.90	
	521 Property Insurance		1,066.00
	G.M. Stevens	1,066.00	
	531 Telephone		489.97
	AT&T	27.00	
	New England Tel.	409.56	
	North. Sch. Dist.	53.41	
	610 Supplies		932.00
	Agway	15.60	
	J. Blais	83.04	
	Emerson	40.29	
	Kenco	106.15	
	Maine Paper	74.80	
	V. Mondor	8.84	
	North. Sch. Dist.	463.40	
	Perras Lumber	11.89	
	S & W	7.99	
	TSA Company	120.00	
	652 Electricity		1,023.86
	Public Service	1,023.86	
	653 Fuel		1,010.92
	Nugent	1,010.92	
	657 Bottled Gas		586.97
	Petrolane	586.97	

<u>2550 TRANSPORTATION</u>		23,058.75
110 Driver's Salary	5,265.62	
230 FICA	376.51	
Berlin City Bank	223.23	
NH Treas.	153.28	
513 Transportation	14,630.94	
W. Hapgood	34.96	
T. LaBounty	42.93	
Normandeau	48.00	
Nugent	14,418.00	
Nan Potter	34.05	
Sanel	18.95	
S. Welch	34.05	
521 Property Insurance	210.00	
Geo. M. Stevens	210.00	
656 Gasoline	2,575.68	
Down East Energy	532.94	
Mobil	2,681.46	
NH Tax Re. P & L Mini Mart	(638.72)	
5240 TRANSFER FOOD SERVICE		3,202.68
880 Transfer	3,202.68	
Groveton Cafeteria	3,202.68	
<u>5250 TRANSFER CAPITAL RESERVE</u>		20,000.00
880 Transfer	20,000.00	
Trustee's Fund	20,000.00	

GENERAL FUND: STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES  
For the Year Ended June 30, 1987

	<u>Salaries</u>	<u>Employee Benefits</u>	<u>Purchased Services</u>	<u>Supplies</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>INSTRUCTION</u>						
Regular Education Program	\$36,466.05	\$5,926.66	\$142,528.87	\$4,338.29	\$ 783.88	\$190,043.75
Special Education Program			47,544.82			47,544.82
Other Instructional Programs			139.00			139.00
<u>SUPPORT SERVICES</u>						
Pupils Health Instructional			1,181.20			1,181.20
Improvement of Instruction Educational Media			315.70	126.71 801.96		126.71 1,117.66
<u>GENERAL ADMINISTRATION</u>						
School Board	450.00	30.75	1,107.00		966.59	2,554.34
Office of Superintendent			11,070.00			11,070.00
School Administration	1,199.99		105.00	37.00		1,341.99
<u>BUSINESS</u>						
Operation/Maint.	1,326.88	149.92	7,886.55	3,535.75		12,899.10
Pupil Transport.	5,265.62	376.51	15,345.74	2,839.91		23,827.78
<u>FUND TRANSFERS</u>						
Interfund Transfer					3,202.68	3,202.68
Transfer/Capital Reserve					20,000.00	20,000.00
<u>TOTAL GENERAL FUND</u>	<u>\$44,708.54</u>	<u>\$6,483.84</u>	<u>\$227,223.88</u>	<u>\$11,679.62</u>	<u>\$24,953.15</u>	<u>\$315,049.03</u>

STARK SCHOOL DISTRICT

ESTIMATED REVENUES

<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>Current 1987/88</u>	<u>Estimate 1988/89</u>
<u>State Revenue</u>		
Foundation Aid	\$ 88,770.00	\$ 91,137.10
<u>Federal Revenue</u>		
ECIA Chapter II/Other	2,000.00	1,500.00
<u>Local Revenue</u>		
Unreserved Fund Balance	148.00	2,000.00
Transfer from Capital Reserve/ Handicapped Education	20,000.00	-0-
District Assessment	<u>265,788.00</u>	<u>332,687.90</u>
TOTAL REVENUES AND DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	\$376,706.00	\$427,325.00

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Charles J. Micciche - 1986 - 1987

Northumberland School District's Share	\$ 6,834.15
Stark School District's Share	806.00
Stratford School District's Share	<u>2,754.00</u>
Total	\$ 10,394.15

Stephen E. Dehl 1986 - 1987

Northumberland School District's Share	\$ 2,630.98
Stark School District's Share	310.12
Stratford School District's Share	<u>1,060.40</u>
Total	\$ 4,001.50

Warren E. Bouchard 1986 - 1987

Northumberland School District's Share	\$ 12,599.96
Stark School District's Share	1,485.16
Stratford School District's Share	<u>5,078.31</u>
Total	\$ 19,163.43

ACCOUNTS SUPERVISOR'S SALARY

Peggy L. Goodale 1986 - 1987

Northumberland School District's Share	\$ 12,164.00
Stark School District's Share	1,434.00
Stratford School District's Share	<u>4,902.00</u>
Total	\$ 18,500.00



## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

As the voters gather at the Annual School District Meeting, they will be given the opportunity to express in concrete terms the future direction of the Stark Village School. Much time has been spent in the last two years planning for the future of the school. There has been much discussion surrounding the advisability of constructing an addition or a new facility. There have been challenges and counter-challenges to facts that have been presented. It would appear that, in regards to the future of the school, there is no shortage of opinion. The issue of the school has unfortunately become a divisive issue in a community that needs a common unity at this time. The experience from the survey given to the citizens and the public hearings, as well as the meetings last March and June, are all indicators that no group in the community can sustain their opinion to the majority. What is needed is a concentrated effort on the part of citizens to put aside their personal beliefs about the school and ask three difficult questions. What do the children need for an education? How can we best give them what they need? What can the town afford to give towards educating the children? From the answers to these questions, a plan can be developed.

The School Board has, after considerable deliberation, decided not to place any bond warrant in the Annual School District Warrant. Some will, I am sure, criticize this decision. I do believe, however, that until the citizens can arrive at some plan that will be supported by a majority, this decision by the Board is a wise and correct decision. In the near future the School Board as the duly elected governing body will, I am sure, be gathering information and seeking out opinions for the future direction for the school. I trust and hope that you as a concerned citizen will participate in this process.

Respectfully submitted,

Warren E. Bouchard  
Superintendent of Schools

STARK VILLAGE SCHOOL

HEAD TEACHER'S REPORT 1987-88

The arrival of a portable classroom the day after school opened set the stage for many changes in the education of the school children of Stark. Instead of being grouped together in two classrooms in the Village School, the children are now divided into three classrooms with kindergarten and special education students using the fourth classroom which also serves as an art room and lunchroom for all. With four teachers at the school instead of the previous two, more flexibility can be arranged and more individual teaching can be done.

Only one week after we occupied our new classrooms the entire school took part in Constitution Day. We had an assembly around the flagpole and recited the Pledge of Allegiance and the Preamble to the Constitution. We also displayed flags important through the years made by some of the students. It was a beautiful day.

Student Handbooks outlining pertinent information for students and their parents were given out when school opened in September. Shortly thereafter a curriculum was written up and the staff now has some direction to help them establish their classroom programs. It may take two or three years before the full benefit of this curriculum is felt but it is a great step in the right direction for the education of the children of Stark. We hope to be able to finish updating the textbook series started in previous years to insure more continuity through the grades.

New faces were in abundance when school opened in September -- the only familiar one seen being that of Mrs. Jeannine Astle, the Title I aide. Mrs. Paula Harvard teaches special education, art and kindergarten. Miss Isabelle Benoit teaches grades 1 and 2. Mrs. Nancy Spaulding is Head Teacher and teaches grades 3 and 4. Mr. Michael Smith is the teacher in grades 5 and 6.

We all appreciate the cooperation and support we have received from the parents, the School Board, the SAU staff and the townspeople of Stark as we work toward improving the education for the students at Stark Village School.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy K. Spaulding  
Head Teacher

RIGHTS OF PARENTS OR GUARDIANS

As the parent or guardian of a child who may require or who is receiving special education and/or related services, you have the following rights:

- \*You have the right to have access to and examine all records relating to your child's education.
- \*You have a right to receive prior written notice whenever the local educational agency proposes to begin or change the special educational referral, evaluation and/or educational placement of your child. You also have a right to give your written consent before initial special education placement and before any individual evaluation of your child.
- \*You have a right to question any matter, decision or recommendation relating to your child's referral, evaluation or educational placement.
- \*You have a right to request an independent educational evaluation obtained by the local educational agency. If your request is accepted, the evaluation will be conducted by a certified or licensed professional examiner who is independent of the local educational agency and will be performed at no cost to you. Should your request be denied, you have a right to appeal this decision as described below.
- \*If you have any complaints regarding the referral, evaluation or educational placement of your child, you have a right to an impartial hearing conducted by a state appointed due process hearing officer.
- \*At this hearing, you have the right to be assisted by person(s) with a special knowledge or training, or by an attorney, and the right to present evidence and confront, cross-examine and compel the attendance of witnesses.
- \*After this hearing, you have the right to a written or electronic verbatim recording of such hearing. You have the right to obtain written findings of such hearing. You have the right to obtain written findings of fact and decisions of the hearing at no cost.
- \*If the decision of the impartial hearing at the local level is not acceptable to you, you have the right to appeal this decision to the State Board of Education or Civil Court.
- \*During any part of the hearing or appeal procedures your child shall remain in the current education program or, if applying for initial admission to the public school, shall be placed in a regular program until all proceedings have been completed, unless you and the school officials agree otherwise.

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972  
Public Law 92-318

Subpart A, Section 86.8 of Title IX requires public notification that the Stark School District does not discriminate in their educational programs, activities, or employment practices on the basis of race, language, sex, age, or handicapping condition under the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; and the Education of All Handicapped Children Act of 1975. The Stark School District hereby notifies students, parents, employees, and residents that complaints and grievances for noncompliance with any of the provisions of Title IX are to be referred to:

Warren Bouchard, Title IX Hearing Officer, 8 Preble St., Groveton,  
NH Tel. 636-1437

STARK SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES  
1986-1987

Screenings - 41 Students screened for height, weight, vision and hearing  
14 Students screened for scoliosis  
6 Students screened for blood pressure

Referrals - Vision - 3  
Hearing - 0  
Overweight - 2

Physicals - Grade 4 - physicals done - 6  
Pre-school - 6

Referrals - Medical - 1  
Pre-school Registration - 7  
Programs - Growing Up Series - grades 5 & 6

Respectfully submitted,

June F. Partridge, RN  
School Nurse

GRADE PLACEMENT CHART  
(As of September 1987)

<u>Grade</u>	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Paula Harvard	10							10
Isabelle Benoit		10	3					13
Nancy Spaulding				10	7			17
Michael Smith						6	11	17
Jeannie Astle (Title I)								
Totals	10	10	3	10	7	6	11	57

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Sally Joyce	Sarah Eich
Todd LaChance	Sandra Hudon
Harley Mason	Cheri Gibson
Kevin McCarthy	Tammy Lavigne
Sandra Montgomery	Lisa LeClerc
Kera Wentworth	Tyrone Mickelboro
Scott Astle	Robert Normand
John Ball	Christy Tendler
Donald Coy	

HIGH SCHOOL

John Armstrong	Jennifer Hopps
Jill Clang	Carrie Astle
Jason Lavigne	Kendra Grubb
Melinda Mickelboro	Christine Knowlton
Melanie Morgan	Michael Knowlton
Ty Randall	Tara McMann
Tami Skeen	Tege Randall
Tricia Wentworth	Lara Frizzell
Cindy Sheltry	Tammie Morgan
Jessica Clang	Melissa Wentworth
Sandra Cookson	Stacie Sheltry
Robert Eich	

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STARK FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1987

DATE:	GROOM'S NAME:	BRIDE'S NAME:	PLACE OF RESIDENCE:
1987	James Gibson, Jr.	Mary Beth Reynolds	Stark, N.H.
Oct. 10	Richard D. Caron	Lisa J. Benway	Stark, N.H.
Nov. 23			

I hereby certify that the above return is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
Deborah J. Cloutier, Town Clerk

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STARK FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1987

DATE:	NAME OF CHILD:	NAME OF FATHER:	NAME OF MOTHER:	MAIDEN NAME	PLACE OF BIRTH:
1987	Rachel Jeanette Young	Craig D. Young	Jennifer Jendrick		Berlin, N.H.
Apr. 13	Cody Douglas Shannon	Douglas G. Shannon	Roxanne Wheelock		Lancaster, N.H.
Jul. 28	Alisha Nylene Doolan	Brian T. Doolan	Pamela N. Call		Littleton, N.H.
Jul. 29					
Sep. 3	Kristina Ann Haney	Anthony J. Haney	Mary Ann Boivin		Lancaster, N.H.
Nov. 15	Michael Armand Brassard	Armand J. Brassard	Angela J. Boewe		Berlin, N.H.
Dec. 4	Aaron Matthew Gibson	James Gibson, Jr.	Mary Beth Wiles		Lancaster, N.H.

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF STARK FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1987

DATE:	NAME OF DECEASED:	PLACE OF DEATH:	NAME OF FATHER:	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER:
1987	Willie A. Demers	Lancaster, N.H.	Alfred W. Demers	Louisa Lemieux
Feb. 26	Glenn Wentworth	Lancaster, N.H.	Amos Wentworth	Elizabeth Forbush
Jun. 18	Lawrence H. Parks	Lancaster, N.H.	Arthur Parks	Bertha Rogers
Aug. 18	Ruby Rolfe	Lancaster, N.H.	John Chamberlain	Hattie Leonard
Oct. 14	Doris Stearns	Lancaster, N.H.	Gilbert Rogers	Vivian Abbott
Nov. 19				

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