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TOWN OFFICERS

1974

Moderator

GEORGE M. HARTSHORN

Selectmen

LEONARD G. TASKER WILLIAM A. GOSSE
PAUL A. GOLDEN

Town Clerk

FRANCES J. EASTMAN

Collector of Taxes

FRANCES J. EASTMAN

Treasurer

HENRY J. MOUNTAIN

Highway Agent

RAYMOND WELCH

Library Trustees

RICHARD GOLDEN DOROTHY MULCAHY
WESLEY LAVIN

Supervisors

DOROTHY PERKINS

MARGARET FOSS

EDNA BICKFORD

Trustees of Trust Funds

GEORGE PITMAN

BENJAMIN YOUNG

HELEN MERRILL

Police Officers**Chief**

STEVEN BYERS

Regular

HAMILTON STOCK

Representatives to General Court

GEORGE ROBERTS, Gilmanton Iron Works, N. H.

GEORGE TWIGG III, Gilmanton, N. H.

Health Officer

LLOYD G. HANSON

Overseer of Public Welfare

PAUL A. GOLDEN

Fire Warden

GEORGE COTTON

Budget Committee

RODNEY T. BOYD

Term Expires 1975

LINWOOD J. GOLDEN

Term Expires 1975

JOHN G. COTTON

Term Expires 1976

GORDON N. SMITH

Term Expires 1976

WILLIAM D. STEVENS

Term Expires 1977

ARTHUR STOCK

Term Expires 1977

The State of New Hampshire

TOWN WARRANT

THE POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM 9 A.M. to 6:30 P.M.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Barnstead in the County of Belknap in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Barnstead on Tuesday, the 4th day of March, next at 9:00 of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 for use as off-sets against budgeted appropriations for the following purposes and in amounts indicated or take any other action hereon.

4. To see if the town will vote to draw the sum of \$15,000 from the amount now held by the Selectmen consisting of the Town of Barnstead's share of Revenue Sharing Funds and to authorize said Selectmen to deposit said amount in the Capital Reserve Fund entitled Town Dump.

5. To see if the Town will vote to draw the sum of \$6,000 from the amount now held by the selectmen, consisting of the Town of Barnstead's share of Revenue Sharing Funds, and authorize said Selectmen to issue checks in equal amounts of \$3,000 to both The Center Barnstead Fire Department and The Barnstead Parade Fire Department. This appropriation to be used by each of the aforementioned departments under the direction of their governing bodies for the purchase and/or replacement of fire equipment that the departments deem necessary to bring their standards up to those required for the safe and efficient protection of lives and property in the town of Barnstead.

(By Petition)

6. To see if the Town of Barnstead will vote to adopt the current National Fire Protection Association's Life Safety Code 101. This code deals with life safety from fires and like emergencies. It covers construction, petroleum, and occupancy features to minimize danger to life from fire, smoke, fumes, or panic before the buildings are vacated. It specifies the number, size, and arrangement of exit facilities sufficient to permit prompt escape of occupants from buildings or structures in case of fire or other conditions dangerous to life. However, private homes are excluded from The Life Safety Code. This code will give the local authority jurisdiction.

(By Petition)

7. To see if the voters will vote to adopt the following ordinance to promote the Health, Safety and General Welfare of the Town of Barnstead:

Any appliance used for the burning of wood, coal or other solid fuels shall have installed underneath, sheet metal of at least 23 gauge or other noncombustable materials, such as, concrete, brick or slate to insulate floors and carpets, and to catch sparks, this protection should extend six inches beyond all sides, and 18 inches from the point where the ashes are removed, said appliance shall be equipped with legs, or simulated legs at least four inches high, also the distance from said appliance shall be at least 36 inches to the back wall and 24 inches to any side wall.

Single wall metal flue or smoke pipe used on any appliance listed in the preceding paragraph and connecting to an interior or exterior chimney shall be a minimum of 18 inches from any combustable material unless protected by approved noncombustable material.

Single wall metal flue, or smoke pipe used for the construction of an interior chimney, and passing through any wall, ceiling, floor, partition or window for the purpose of venting flue gases to the outside shall be prohibited in any structure used in whole or part for human habitation.

Factory made, double walled smoke pipe of the Metalbestos type so called may be used for the above purpose when installed according to the manufacturers' recommendations.

The authority having jurisdiction may, acting upon a request from the tenant or owner permit exceptions to

the above code if in his opinion other precautions are taken to adequately safeguard life and property.

The above regulations shall pertain to all existing, and future structures in the Town of Barnstead, and shall take effect upon passage by a majority vote.

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this Fire Safety Code shall be punished upon conviction, by a fine, not to exceed \$10.00 for each day of violation.
(By Petition)

8. To see if the Town will vote to change the Full Time Police Dept. back to a Part Time Dept. If the vote is in the affirmative, to take effect as of town meeting day.
(By Petition)

9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,500 for the operation of the Part Time Police Dept.
(By Petition)

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 for the New Hampshire Humane Society and instruct the Selectmen to enter into an agreement so-called "The Animal Control Agreement" with the New Hampshire Humane Society.

11. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund entitled "Town of Barnstead Tax Map" and raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to be deposited in said account.

12. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a 20 (plus or minus) acre tract of land from Pittsfield Box & Lumber Co. for the sum of \$16,000 for the purpose of establishing a town sand and gravel procurement area. Said property is located on the Hannah Nutter Road and referred to as the Allen lot.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$1,000 to be used toward financing the sesquibicentennial celebration of the Town of Barnstead to be held in 1977. This sum to be placed in the custody of the Barnstead Historical Society.
(By Petition)

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 for the support of the Barnstead, Pittsfield, Chichester Refuse Planning Committee. Said money to be used to defray expenses and to research all refuse disposal alternatives available to said towns in order to comply with State requirements.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$430.00 for the continuation of services to the low income residents of Barnstead through the Laconia Area Center of the Community Action Program, Belknap-Merrimack Counties, Inc.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 to the Lakes Region Association for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages, as well as preservation of the natural resources of the town, in cooperation with other towns in the Lakes Region.

17. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$200.00 for the perpetual care of lot #76 in the Riverview Cemetery in the name of Maitland C. and Ola E. Knowles.

18. To see if the town will vote to have the State Tax Commission or an approved firm by the State Tax Commission re-assess the taxable property in the Town of Barnstead for the ensuing year of 1975.

19. To see if the Town will vote to have the Selectmen employ legal action against the Pittsfield Box & Lumber Co. Inc., and prosecute said Pittsfield Box & Lumber Co. Inc. for the violation of the Planning and Land Use Ordinance for the Town of Barnstead. The violation of this ordinance is covered within Article VII of the Planning and Land Use Ordinance for the Town of Barnstead, and was violated by the Pittsfield Box & Lumber Co. Inc. on October 21, 1974.
(By Petition)

20. To see if the Town will vote to grant the Town of Barnstead the authority to cope with the safety hazards which open excavations create, to safeguard the public health and welfare; to preserve our Town assets; to prevent pollution of land and water; to promote soil stabilization and to preserve the aesthetic features of the Town of Barnstead.

Section 1. The removal of clay, sod, loam, sand, gravel and stone may be permitted, but only subject to the issuance of a permit by the Board of Selectmen and subject to the following provisions:

- a. Existing pits that are legally operating may continue and will be granted a permit, upon request, to the Selectmen of the Town of Barnstead, within six months of enactment of this Ordinance.
- b. The removal of clay, sod, loam, sand, gravel, and stone for the purpose of town road maintenance shall not require the issuance of a permit but shall adhere to the other provisions of this Ordinance.

- c. The Board of Selectmen, Planning Board, and Conservation Commission shall hold a Public Hearing upon application for a permit.
- d. Upon application the property owner shall file with the Board of Selectmen, Planning Board, and Conservation Commission an adequate plan showing existing topography, proposed depths of cut, and final topography.
- e. In the event that a permit is granted, the property owner shall be required to post a performance bond in a sum determined by the Board of Selectmen, to insure that loam and topsoil be re-spread and the area re-seeded in order to be protected against erosion and sedimentation.
- f. All loam and topsoil removed from the above excavations shall be stockpiled on the premises.
- g. No permit shall be issued for a period of more than two years after which period the Board of Selectmen, Planning Board, and Conservation Commission, after a public hearing, renew the permit for successive periods of not more than two years, providing that all conditions of the first permit have been met.

In evaluating applications, the Board of Selectmen, Planning Board, and Conservation Commission shall be governed by the following considerations:

- a. Proof that suitable material is available.
- b. Removal of clay, sod, loam, sand, gravel or stone will not be detrimental to neighboring properties.
- c. The effect of trucking into and from the area, and the resultant dust conditions and effects on the roads of the Town of Barnstead.
- d. The elevation of the bottom of the proposed excavation with respect to existing road grades, water table and surrounding terrain.
- e. Future drainage in the general area in which the removal is proposed.
- f. Set-back from existing roads and abutters' property lines.

Section 2. Validity: Should any section of this Ordinance be declared by a Court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such decision shall not effect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any other part thereof.

(By Petition)

21. To see if the Town will vote to designate the Pineo Road as scenic under the provisions of RSA 253:17 for the purposes of protecting and enhancing the scenic beauty of the Town of Barnstead. (By Petition)

22. To see if the Town will vote to designate Narrows Road from the junction of Beauty Hill Road to the junction of the Whiteoaks Road as scenic under the provisions of RSA 253:17 for the purposes of protecting and enhancing the scenic beauty of the Town of Barnstead and further, that the Selectmen shall, regarding such road or roads designated as scenic, file the appropriate request for suspension of Public Works and Highways for Town Road Aid funds under RSA 241:7. (By Petition)

23. To see if the Town will vote to designate the below listed roads as scenic roads under the provisions of RSA 253:17, 18 for the purposes of protecting and enhancing the scenic beauty of the Town of Barnstead and further, that the Selectmen shall, regarding such road or roads designated as scenic, file the appropriate request for suspension of Public Works and Highways for Town Road Aid funds under RSA 241:7. (By Petition)

—Vail Road to Hazel Clark Road.

—Hazel Clark Road.

—Old Pineo Road from Rte. 28 to Brindle Pond Road.

—Garland Road out of Barnstead Parade to Rte. 107.

—Road between Lloyd Hanson and Mr. Fallers' house.

—The extension of the Hannah Nutter Road which comes out on the junction of the Vail Road and the Hazel Clark Road.

—Snackerty Road from Lockes Corner to Barn Door Gap Road.

24. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

LEONARD G. TASKER
WILLIAM A. GOSSE
Selectmen of Barnstead, N.H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

LEONARD G. TASKER
WILLIAM A. GOSSE
Selectmen of Barnstead, N.H.

**BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF
BARNSTEAD, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

**Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year
January 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975 or for the Fiscal Year
From January 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975**

SECTION 1 PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Expenditures Previous Fiscal Year	Appropriations Ensuing Fiscal Year 1975 (1975-76)
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$7,600.00	\$7,296.87	\$7,600.00
Town Officers' Expenses	7,100.00	6,984.72	7,500.00
Election & Registration Expenses	1,200.00	1,361.49	500.00
Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs. Employees' Retirement and Social Security	3,500.00	3,236.99	3,500.00
	4,000.00	4,847.17	5,200.00
Protection of Persons & Property:			
Police Department	15,500.00	12,889.95	13,500.00
Fire Department	11,200.00	13,809.36	10,000.00
Care of Trees			272.00
Insurance	4,000.00	5,158.99	5,500.00
Planning & Zoning	500.00	389.87	500.00
Damages & Legal Expense	4,000.00	3,451.17	3,500.00
Civil Defense	100.00	40.00	200.00
Health Dept. (Incl. Hospitals & Ambulance)			
Vital Statistics	4,043.00	10,885.75	4,200.00
Humane Society	100.00	100.00	100.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	1,400.00	1,608.00	1,400.00
Highways & Bridges:			
Town Maintenance — Summer & Winter	27,080.00	29,015.57	35,000.00
Street Lighting	1,700.00	1,586.90	2,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	9,000.00	8,119.54	9,000.00
Town Road Aid	1,463.34	1,463.34	1,456.38
Libraries:	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
Public Welfare:			
Community Action Program			430.00
Town Poor	1,000.00	779.51	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	3,000.00	3,473.08	2,000.00
Aid to Permanently & Totally Disabled	50.00		
Patriotic Purposes			
(Memorial Day, Etc.)	300.00	300.00	1,300.00
Recreation	5,200.00	5,200.00	5,200.00

Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries	300.00	299.95	300.00
Advertising & Regional Assns. ..	50.00		25.00

Debt Service:

Principal & Long Term Notes & Bonds C.B. Fire House			3,800.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	3,000.00	3,657.95	4,000.00

Capital Outlay (List Below):

Highway Subsidy	19,053.14	19,053.14	19,005.38
Tar & Black Top	7,500.00	6,363.37	7,500.00
County Tax	60,000.00	59,850.21	70,000.00
New Equipment: Radio	1,200.00	1,177.45	
Pittsfield Box & Lumber Land Purchase			16,000.00
Refuse Planning Committee			1,000.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds: Tax Map Cap. Res.			5,000.00
Town Hall Renovation Cap. Res. Fund	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Town Dump Cap. Res. Fund	3,000.00	3,000.00	15,000.00
Grader Fund Cap. Res. Fund ...		2,508.86	
Front End Loader Cap. Res. Fund	1,400.00	1,400.00	1,500.00

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$217,039.48	\$227,422.20	\$272,638.76
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SECTION II
SOURCES OF REVENUE

*Estimated
Revenue
Previous
Fiscal Year*

*Actual
Revenue
Previous
Fiscal Year*

*Estimated
Revenue
Ensuing
Fiscal Year
1975
(1975-76)*

From State:

Interest & Dividends Tax	\$4,800.00	\$4,300.03	\$4,000.00
Railroad Tax	600.00		
Savings Bank Tax	1,800.00	2,079.96	1,800.00
Meals & Rooms Tax	6,700.00	8,384.14	7,000.00
Highway Subsidy (Cl. IV & V) ..	19,053.14	19,053.14	19,005.38
Reim. A/C Business Profits Tax (Town Portion)	3,100.00	4,252.76	3,500.00
Reim. Forest Fires & Depts.	100.00		100.00
Crime Commission (Police Phone)		985.00	500.00

From Local Sources:

Dog Licenses	490.00	711.80	800.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	200.00	187.00	150.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	28,000.00	25,000.82	20,000.00
Income from Trust Funds	500.00	573.31	500.00
Withdrawal Capital Reserve Funds		10,000.00	
Fines & Forfeits — Dog Fines ..	30.00	64.00	30.00

National Bank Stock Taxes	52.00	121.00	75.00
Resident Taxes Retained	6,000.00	8,061.00	8,000.00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed ..	500.00	5,547.35	1,000.00
Rent of Town Property	50.00	50.00	50.00
Sale of Town Property	125.00	651.50	125.00
Income from Departments			
Highway — Fire Dept.	1,000.00	308.18	300.00
Boy Scouts of America	500.00		
School District (Printing Town Report)	200.00	100.00	200.00
Bond & Note Issues (Contra)			
Fire Dept. Loan & Int.	3,900.00	3,858.00	3,800.00
Highway Safety Program (Ambulance)		7,030.35	
From Federal Sources:			
Revenue Sharing	3,500.00	14,923.00	21,000.00
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TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$81,200.14	\$116,457.22	\$91,935.38

INVENTORY OF TOWN — 1974

Land	\$ 8,296,800.00
Buildings	11,298,300.00
Electric Plants	300,000.00
Water Company	20,000.00
Boats	6,000.00
Factory Buildings	50,000.00
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Total Inventory	\$19,971,100.00
Veterans' Exemptions	7,165.20
Elderly Exemptions	105,100.00
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	\$19,858,834.80

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall and Other Buildings	\$ 24,000.00
Library	32,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	5,000.00
Highway Dept. Equipment	50,000.00
School Land and Buildings	500,000.00
Town Land and Garage	12,000.00
Town Land Acquired by Tax Deeds	107,400.00
Fire Departments	3,500.00
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Total	\$733,900.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1974

Department or Item	Receipt and		Total Amount Available	Actual Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Over- draft
	Appropriations	Reimbursement				
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 7,600.00		\$ 7,600.00	\$ 7,296.87	\$ 303.13	
Town Officers' Expenses	7,100.00		7,100.00	6,984.72	115.28	
Election and Registration	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,361.49		161.49
Town Hall and Other Buildings	3,500.00	50.00	3,550.00	3,236.99	213.01	
Retirement and Social Security	4,000.00	1,687.72	5,687.72	4,847.17	840.55	
Police Department	15,500.00	2,785.00	18,285.00	*12,889.94	5,395.06	
Fire Dept., incl. Forest Fires	11,200.00	4,072.44	15,272.44	*13,809.36	1,463.08	
Insurance	4,000.00		4,000.00	5,158.99		1,158.99
Civil Defense	100.00		100.00	40.00	60.00	
Health Dept., incl. Hospitals	4,043.00	7,030.25	11,073.25	10,885.75	187.50	
Vital Statistics	100.00		100.00	100.00		
Town Dump	1,400.00		1,400.00	1,608.00		208.00
Highway Subsidy	19,053.14		19,053.14	19,053.14		
Town Road Maintenance	27,080.00		27,080.00	28,656.42		
Street Lighting	1,700.00		1,700.00	1,586.90	113.10	
General Expenses—Highway Dept.	9,000.00	184.87	9,184.87	8,119.54	1,065.33	
Town Road Aid	1,463.34		1,463.34	1,463.34		
Libraries	3,500.00		3,500.00	3,500.00		
Old Age Assistance	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,473.08		473.08
Town Poor	1,000.00		1,000.00	779.51	220.49	
Memorial Day	300.00	573.31	873.31	300.00	573.31	
Interest	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,657.95		657.95
Tarring and Blacktop	7,500.00		7,500.00	6,363.37	1,136.63	
Capital Reserve (Dump)	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,000.00		
Capital Reserve (Town Hall Renovation)	5,000.00		755.00	755.00		

Capital Reserve (Front End Loader)	1,400.00		1,400.00			
County Tax	60,000.00		60,000.00			
Planning and Zoning	500.00	454.00	954.00	389.87	149.79	564.13
New Equipment (Grader Wing)			2,508.86	2,508.86		
Damages and Legal Expense	4,000.00		4,000.00	34.51	548.83	
Cemeteries	300.00		300.00	299.95	.05	
Recreation (Eastman Land)	5,200.00		5,200.00	5,200.00		
School Tax 1973-74—Year Ends 6/30/74	150,173.83		150,173.83	150,173.83		
School Tax 1974-75—Year Ends 6/30/75	115,173.83		115,173.83	115,173.83		
TOTALS	\$481,087.14	\$ 16,837.59	\$496,188.59	\$487,375.25	\$ 12,949.27	\$ 2,659.51

* Balance of Yearly Salaries Due

Chief of Police and Regular Officer.

* \$750.00 Due Center Barnstead Fire Dept.

APPROPRIATIONS
1974

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 7,600.00
Town Officers Expenses	7,100.00
Election and Registration	1,200.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings	3,500.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	4,000.00
Police Department	15,500.00
Insurance	4,000.00
Planning and Zoning	500.00
Damage and Legal Expense	4,000.00
Civil Defense	100.00
Health Dept. (Including Hospitals)	4,043.00
Vital Statistics	100.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	1,400.00
Town Maintenance (Summer and Winter)	27,080.00
Town Road Aid	1,463.34
Highway Subsidy	19,053.14
Street Lighting	1,700.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	9,000.00
Libraries	3,500.00
Town Poor	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	3,000.00
Patriotic Purposes	300.00
Recreation	5,200.00
Cemeteries	300.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	25.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	3,000.00
Tar and Blacktop	7,500.00
New Equipment — Radios	1,200.00
Fire Depts. (Incl. Forest Fires)	11,200.00
Town Hall Renovation (Capital Reserve)	5,000.00
Front End Loader (Capital Reserve)	1,400.00
Pittsfield Dump (Capital Reserve)	3,000.00
County Tax	60,000.00
Total	\$216,964.48

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT
January 1, 1974 — May 31, 1974

Receipts

Amount Received From:

Auto Permits	\$19,241.51	
Dog Taxes	422.00	
Kennel Licenses	49.00	
Filing Fees	14.00	
Total Receipts		\$19,726.51

Payments

Paid Town Treasurer:

Auto Permits	\$19,241.51	
187 Dog Taxes	384.00	
3 Kennel Licenses	49.00	
Filing Fees	14.00	

Paid Town Clerk:

Dog Tax Fees, 190 @ 20¢	38.00	
Total Payments		\$19,726.51

Respectfully, submitted,

HENRY J. MOUNTAIN,
Town Clerk

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT
June 1 to December 31, 1974

Receipts

Amount Received From:

Auto Permits	\$5,758.81	
Dog Taxes	185.00	
Kennel Licenses	44.00	
Dog Tax Fines	64.00	
Filing Fees	3.00	
Total Receipts		\$6,054.81

Payments

Paid Town Treasurer:

Auto Permits	\$5,758.81	
73 Dog Taxes	170.80	
3 Kennel Licenses	44.00	
64 Dog Tax Fines	64.00	
Dog Fees to Clerk	14.20	
Filing Fees	3.00	
Total Payments		\$6,054.81

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES J. EASTMAN,
Town Clerk

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1974 to December 31, 1974

Balance on Hand, Jan. 1, 1974	\$ 3,920.52
Received from Town Clerk:	
Auto Permits 1974	\$ 25,000.82
Dog Tax, Kennel Lic. & Fines	711.80
Filing Fees	17.00
Total	\$ 25,729.62
Received from Selectmen	82,168.85
Revenue Sharing Account	14,923.00
Received from Tax Collector:	
Resident Tax & Penalties	\$ 8,071.00
Timber Yield Tax	5,547.35
Property Tax & Interest	456,902.67
Total	\$470,521.02
Received from Pittsfield Bank Loans	155,000.00
Total Receipts	\$752,258.01
Paid on order of Selectmen	685,973.94
Balance on Hand	\$ 66,284.07
Revenue Sharing Account 1972	\$ 3,887.00
Revenue Sharing Account 1973	12,214.00
Revenue Sharing Account 1974	14,923.00
Interest to Dec. 1974	1,539.77
	\$32,563.77
Paid Public Health & Safety	8,400.00
Bal. Revenue Sharing Acct.	\$24,163.77

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY J. MOUNTAIN,
Treasurer

**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES**

LEVY OF 1974

— DR —

Taxes Committed to Collector:	
Property Taxes	\$469,620.00
Resident Taxes	8,410.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	121.00
	\$478,151.00
Yield Taxes	7,188.80
Added Taxes:	
Property Taxes	\$ 2,964.32
Resident Taxes	120.00
	3,084.32
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	24.00
	\$488,448.12
TOTAL DEBITS	

— CR —

Remittances to Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	\$323,696.17
Resident Taxes	6,060.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	121.00
Yield Taxes	2,044.36
Penalties on Resident Taxes	24.00
	\$331,945.53
Discounts Allowed	5,935.26
Abatements Made During Year:	
Property Taxes	\$ 2,371.40
Resident Taxes	70.00
	2,441.40
Uncollected Taxes, December 31, 1974:	
(As per collector's list)	
Property Taxes	\$140,581.49
Resident Taxes	2,400.00
Yield Taxes	5,144.44
	148,125.93
TOTAL CREDITS	
	\$488,448.12

**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1973**

— DR —

Uncollected Taxes, January 1, 1974:	
Property Taxes	\$124,598.31
Resident Taxes	1,670.00
Yield Taxes	3,502.99
	\$129,771.30
Added Taxes:	
Property Taxes	\$ 546.00
Resident Taxes	220.00
	766.00
Interest Collected on Delinquent	
Property Taxes	\$ 2,709.39
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	166.00
	2,875.39
TOTAL DEBITS	\$133,412.69

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Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1974:	
Property Taxes	\$124,416.83
Resident Taxes	1,810.00
Yield Taxes	3,502.99
Interest Collected During Year	2,709.39
Penalties on Resident Taxes	166.00
	\$132,605.21
Discounts Allowed	
	47.48
Abatements Made During Year:	
Property Taxes	\$ 680.00
Resident Taxes	50.00
	730.00
Uncollected Taxes, December 31, 1974:	
(As Per Collector's List)	
Resident Taxes	\$ 30.00
	30.00
TOTAL CREDITS	\$133,412.69

**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES**

LEVY OF 1972

— DR —

Uncollected Taxes, January 1, 1974:	
Property Taxes	\$408.50
Resident Taxes	20.00
Resident Tax 1971	10.00
Yield Tax 1971	246.24
	\$684.74
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	\$ 1.00
	1.00
TOTAL DEBITS	\$685.74

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Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1974:	
Resident Taxes	\$ 10.00
Penalties on Resident Taxes	1.00
	\$ 11.00
Uncollected Taxes, December 31, 1974:	
(As Per Collector's List)	
Property Taxes	\$408.50
Resident Taxes	20.00
Yield Tax 1971	246.24
	674.74
TOTAL CREDITS	\$685.74

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1974

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	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of Previous			
	1973	1972	1971	Years
(a) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes of January 1, 1974	\$	\$1,658.84	\$787.03	\$
Deeded in 1973 — Voided		81.42	86.08	
(b) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	19,545.76			
Interest Collected After Sale	46.85	41.69	112.24	
Redemption Costs	217.50	29.68	7.42	
TOTAL DEBITS	\$19,810.11	\$1,811.63	\$992.77	\$

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Remittances to Treasurer				
During Year:				
Redemptions	\$ 4,463.58	\$ 531.64	\$661.43	\$
Interest & Cost After Sale	99.55	48.58	117.01	
Abatements During Year	813.70			
Abatements Costs	4.15			
Unredeemed Taxes	160.65	22.79	2.65	
December 31, 1974	14,268.48	1,208.62	211.68	
TOTAL CREDITS	\$19,810.11	\$1,811.63	\$992.77	\$

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES
DECEMBER 31, 1974

	Levies of:		
	1973	1972	1971
Louis A. Legassie	\$ 227.30	\$207.72	\$
Louis C. Gardella	160.42	218.25	
Wayne E. Allen		28.80	
Charles R. Parker	49.65	39.32	
Robert E. Brown		86.69	
Edmund D'Amico	371.51	113.00	
Edmund D'Amico	90.98		
James R. Gray		60.37	
Robert F. Hardy	101.90	102.47	
Mary and Marean Kaddaras	60.10	70.89	
Roy K. Peterson		113.00	
Ollie H. Wilson	83.09	86.69	
Mrs. Ollie Wilson		81.42	
Robert T. Kenison	66.37		
Clinton L. Lank	112.35		
Albert R. LaBrecque	335.98		
Locke Development Corp. ...	5,575.35		
Locke Development Corp. ...	9.47		
Locke Development Corps. ..	243.55		
Locke Development Corp. ..	254.00		
Locke Development Corp. ..	191.30		
Locke Development Corp. ..	128.60		
Locke Development Corp. ..	128.60		
Thomas W. Sullivan Jr.	287.91		
Sun River Co.	1,000.60		
John M. Barry Jr.	91.45		
Joseph H. LeClair	128.60		
John Murray	49.65		
Walter Hartford	175.05		
Frank L. Kirkland	279.55		
Louis A. Tranfaglia	384.05		
Armand J. Benoit	70.55		
Wm. Cavanaugh	49.65		
David Seymour	49.65		
Rocco J. Armonti	106.08		
Robert Boivin	83.09		
Frederick Coughlin	256.56		
Leo Crane	78.91		

Arnold Davison	122.80
Anthony Frietas	91.45
George Green	258.65
Herbert H. Goodwin	58.01
James Hooley	60.10
S. Howard, B. Hickman	143.70
Roger F. Killelea Jr.	81.00
Thomas McMahon	78.91
Bernard Moore	95.63
John H. Messerlian	91.45
Salvatore C. Polio	246.11
Robert J. Palmetier	83.09
John Rosie	70.55
Robert L. Reese	83.09
David S. Steele	91.45
Stuart B. Scovelle	87.27
Charles Smith	321.35
Lewis G. Vasey	70.55
Jan Waszkiewicz	459.29
Leonard Wistrich	131.16
Wayne R. Wylie	81.00

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\$14,268.48	\$1,208.62	\$211.68

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1974, on account of the tax levy of 1971, 1972, 1973, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

FRANCES J. EASTMAN

Tax Collector

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 7,296.87
Town Officers Expenses	6,984.72
Election and Registration	1,361.49
Town Hall and Other Buildings	3,236.99

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Dept.	\$ 12,889.95
Fire Dept.	13,809.36
Insurance	5,158.99
Planning and Zoning	389.87
Damage and Legal Expense	3,451.17
Civil Defense	40.00

Health Dept. (Including Hospitals):

Center Barnstead Ambulance	\$ 2,200.00
Pittsfield Dump	1,608.00
Concord Hospital	405.00
Wolfeboro Hospital (Not Paid Until Jan., 1975)	
Vital Statistics	100.00
Health Officer	50.00

Highways and Bridges:

Summer Account and Highway Subsidy	\$ 27,785.24
Winter Account	20,283.47
Town Road Aid	1,463.34
Street Lighting	1,586.90
General Expense of Highway Dept.	8,119.54

Library:

Town Appropriation	\$ 3,500.00
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Public Welfare:

Old Age Assistance	\$ 3,473.08
Town Poor	779.51

Patriotic Services:

Memorial Day	\$ 300.00
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Cemeteries:

Town Appropriation	\$ 299.95
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Unclassified:

Taxes Bought by Town	\$ 19,545.76
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	4,215.61
Retirement and Social Security	4,847.17
Withholding Tax	3,295.50

New Construction:

Tarring and Blacktop	\$ 6,363.37
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New Equipment:

Grader Wing	\$ 2,508.86
Highway Radio	1,177.45

Indebtedness Payments:

Temporary Loans	\$155,000.00
Pittsfield Dump (Capital Reserve)	3,000.00
Front End Loader (Capital Reserve)	1,400.00
Town Hall Renovation (Capital Reserve)	755.00
Balance of Town Hall Renovation Paid Jan., 1975.	

Bond and Debt Retirement:

Tax	\$ 924.56
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Revenue Sharing:

Allotment	\$ 14,923.00
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Center Barnstead Fire House:

Mortgage Payment and Interest	\$ 3,858.00
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New Land:

Eastman Land	\$ 5,200.00
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County Tax:

Tax	\$ 59,850.21
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Interest on Temporary Loans:

Interest (3 Notes)	\$ 3,657.95
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DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

DETAIL NO. 1

Town Officers' Salaries:

	Salaries	Inc. Tax & Soc. Sec.	Net
Selectmen:			
Leonard G. Tasker	\$1,000.00	\$214.50	\$785.50
William A. Gosse	1,000.00	58.37	941.63
Paul A. Golden	1,000.00	58.50	941.50
Overseer of Public Welfare:			
Paul A. Golden	150.00		150.00
Town Clerk:			
Henry Mountain—3 Mos.	250.00		250.00
Frances Eastman—9 Mos.			342.67
Henry Mountain, Auto Permits			1,232.45
Frances Eastman, Auto Permits			352.30
Tax Collector:			
Frances Eastman	1,600.00	189.30	1,410.70
Res. Tax Commission			128.15
Town Treasurer:			
Henry Mountain	550.00		550.00
Quarterly Returns	100.00	38.03	61.97
Auditors:			
Lorraine Jones			50.00
Ralph Pyne			50.00
Treasurer, Trust Funds:			
Helen Merrill			50.00
			\$7,296.87

DETAIL NO. 2

Town Officers' Expenses:

Cottons Flower Shop (Rex Wheat)	\$ 12.00
Lorraine Jones, Abatement Slips	60.00
N.H. Municipal Association, Dues	108.00
Paul Golden	55.25
Loretta Emerson, Copying Books	1,476.00
Everett Wheeler, Register of Deeds	55.96
Brown & Saltmarsh, Office Supplies	341.39
Union Telephone Co.	338.89

Suncook Valley Sun, Ads	154.30
Eleanor Sidebotham, Office Work	43.46
Citizen Pub. Co., 1,000 Town Reports	1,176.00
Allains Jewelry, Plaque	16.86
Pittsfield Med. & Surgical	23.50
Postmaster Center Barnstead	381.60
Postmaster Barnstead Parade	100.00
Frances Eastman, Postage & Office Supplies	412.97
Chas. Rogers, Office Supplies	10.66
Wheeler & Clark	33.87
Everett D. Wheeler, Transfer Cards	203.50
Henry Mountain	3.54
Dorothea Conly, Deceased Persons	.80
Varney Ins. Co., Town Officers Bonds	314.00
N.H. Tax Collectors Association, Dues	10.00
Ambulance Fund (Freda Mountain)	15.00
Barry Nation, Pictures, Town Hall Curtains	10.00
Homestead Press & Bookshop, Tax Bills, Envl.	94.42
Maxfields, Inc.	5.20
Linwood Golden, Justice of Peace	26.00
Bettina Adams, Town Clerk Dues	8.00
Bur-Dur-Hill, Deed	9.00
Equity Pub. Co. Revised Statutes	64.00
Branham Pub. Co.	14.75
N.H. Association of Assessors, Dues	10.00
Paul Golden, Yearly Expenses	475.00
Leonard Tasker, Yearly Expenses	425.00
William Gosse, Yearly Expenses	425.00
Patricia Reil, Secretarial Work	54.00
State of N.H. Boat Forms	16.80
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	\$6,984.72

DETAIL NO. 3

Election and Registration:

George Hartshorn, Moderator	\$ 105.00
Frances Eastman, Supervisor	35.00
Margaret Foss, Supervisor	55.00
Edna Dame Bickford, Supervisor	80.00
Dorothy Perkins, Supervisor	80.00
Jessie Tasker, Ballot Clerk	60.00
Loretta Emerson, Ballot Clerk	60.00
Sandra McKenzie, Ballot Clerk	60.00
Helen Merrill, Ballot Clerk	20.00
Phyllis Thoroughgood, Ballot Clerk	40.00
Maxfield, Inc., Supplies	14.10

Paul Eastman, Setting up Booths	20.00
George Tuttle, Gatekeeper	10.00
Fred Jenisch, Gatekeeper	20.00
Benjamin Young, Gatekeeper	20.00
James Eastman, Bldg. New Booths & Setting Up	90.00
Helen Shields, Taking Minutes of Meeting and Making 15 Copies of Same	65.00
Wilfred Violette, Setting up Chairs, Town Meeting	25.00
American Legion Aux., Meals	203.80
Citizen Pub. Co., 15 Checklists	178.25
Moore Bldg, Supplies, Booth Material	58.34
Richard Golden, Assisting Moderator	12.00
Paul Golden, Setting up Booths	50.00
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	\$1,361.49

DETAIL NO. 4

Town Hall and Other Buildings:

Michael Eastman, Mowing Lawns	\$ 10.00
Paul Eastman, Shoveling Snow	39.00
Public Service Co., Electricity	622.07
Maxfields, Inc., Bulbs & Supplies	30.08
Reeds Oil Co., Oil	1,545.24
Albert Labrecque, Carpenter Work	31.45
Pittsfield Bottled Gas	8.00
Union Telephone	109.04
H. A. Holt & Sons	34.48
Riverside Greenhouse	67.00
David Hanson, Mowing Lawns	8.00
Brown's General Store, Supplies	25.80
Enoch Robinson, Painting Town Hall	601.00
Hamilton Stock, Repair Work	71.45
Paul Golden	2.28
Mountains General Store, Supplies	31.80
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	\$3,236.99

DETAIL NO. 5

Police Department:

Hamilton Stock, Regular Police, Partial Pay	\$ 375.80		
Union Telephone Co.	965.83		
Radio Service Lab, Film	42.12		
George Walsh, Repair Typewriter	21.00		
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Steven Byers, Partial Salary	Gross	Inc. Tax & SS	
	6,461.70	1,129.80	5,331.90

Mac's Men Shop, Uniforms	386.03
Hamilton Stock, Expenses	57.54
Center Barnstead Shell, Gas	144.57
Scientific Detection Devices	51.75
Boyd & Son, Radio Repair	20.00
Mountains General Store, Supplies	19.85
Huckins Oil Co., Gas	1,272.50
Freese Bros. Ford, Cruiser	3,450.00
107 Sign Shop, Lettering Cruiser	45.00
Public Service Co.	13.81
Pittsfield Printing Co.	25.00
Thaddeus Hubbell, Special Police	188.50
Richard Golden, Special Police	12.00
Car-Go Tire Co., Tires	215.88
State of New Hampshire	26.87
Kidders Repair Service, Oil Changes	18.80
Globe Mfg., Belts	5.40
Central Communications	7.00
Maxfields, Inc.	2.80
Tiede Shell Station, Oil Changes	17.85
Frèese Bros. Ford, Oil Changes and Repairs	71.02
Wright Communications	101.13
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	\$12,889.95

DETAIL NO. 6

Fire Dept., including Forest Fires:	
Center Barnstead Fire Dept. Revenue Sharing	\$ 3,200.00
Barnstead Parade Revenue Sharing	3,600.00
George Cotton, Beauty Hill Fire	78.16
Home & Auto Center, Tires for Ambulance	84.98
L. P. Hodgman, Compensation Ins.	180.00
Center Barnstead Fire Dept. Gas Tax Refund	51.30
George Cotton, Pearson Fire	170.14
1st Nat. Bank, Rochester, Fire House	3,858.00
George Cotton, Fire Warden	133.94
State of New Hampshire	8.34
Barnstead Parade Fire Dept. Yearly Appro.	1,500.00
Center Barnstead ½ Yearly Appro.	750.00
John Buchanan, Fire Hydrant	194.50
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	\$13,809.36

DETAIL NO. 7

Health Dept. including Hospitals:	
CBFD Ambulance Appro.	\$ 2,200.00
Lloyd Hanson, Health Officer	50.00

CBFD, New Ambulance	7,030.75
Concord Hospital, Appro.	405.00
Center for Human Resources	1,200.00
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	\$10,885.75

DETAIL NO. 8

Town Dump and Garbage Removal:	
Town of Pittsfield, Dump	\$ 1,400.00
Town of Pittsfield, Machine Work on Dump	75.00
Town of Pittsfield, Test Boring, Dump Site	104.00
Town of Chichester, Dump Stickers	29.00
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	\$ 1,608.00

DETAIL NO. 9

General Expenses of Highway Dept.:	
Thomas Sullivan, Jr., Cutting Brush	\$ 60.00
Paul Labrecque, Road Signs	23.00
Jordan Milton Machinery, Park	203.62
Tiedes Shell Services, Repair Work	389.40
Auto Electric Service	71.75
Agway Petroleum Corp., Diesel Fuel	996.63
E. W. Sleeper Co.	19.77
Granite State Minerals, Salt	970.94
Walker Tree Experts	140.00
Brown and Saltmarsh, Forms	8.55
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Tools	42.55
Paul Golden, Culverts	400.00
Concord Clinic, Howard Welch	87.00
Allied Chemicals, Water Mix	99.12
Chadwick Ba-Ross, Inc., Parts	188.26
Huckins Oil Co., Oil and Grease	197.94
Pittsfield Med. and Surgical, Howard Welch	23.50
Hedge and Matheis, Repairs to Sander	18.00
Raymond Welch	125.40
Sanel Auto Parts, Signs	29.15
State of New Hampshire, Signs	48.00
Beede Waste Oil	1,556.50
R. C. Hazelton, Inc., Cutting Edges	661.11
Moore Building Supply, Locks	13.04
Penn. Culvert Co., Culverts	510.99
Rices Inc., Tire Repair	15.00
Benjamin Daroska, Hot Top Town Hall	550.00
Beebe Chain Co., Tire Chain	247.00

International Salt Co., Salt	387.92
Kidders Repair Service, Brush Saw Repair	35.40
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	\$8,119.54

DETAIL NO. 10

Highway Maintenance:	
Summer Account and Highway Subsidy	\$27,785.24
Winter Account	20,283.47
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	\$48,068.71

DETAIL NO. 11 — 36

Revenue Sharing	\$ 14,923.00
Insurance	5,158.99
Civil Defense	40.00
Town Road Aid	1,463.34
Street Lighting	1,586.90
Libraries	3,500.00
Old Age Assistance	3,473.08
Town Poor	779.51
Planning and Zoning	389.87
Memorial Day	300.00
Eastman Property, Recreation	5,200.00
Cemeteries	299.95
Legal Expenses	3,451.17
Taxes Bought by Town	19,545.76
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	4,215.61
Retirement and Social Security	4,847.17
Withholding Tax	3,295.50
Interest on Tax Notes	3,657.95
Bond and Debt Retirement	924.56
Tarring and Blacktop	6,363.37
New Equipment, Radios Hgwy. Dept.	1,177.45
Temporary Loans	155,000.00
Capital Reserve, Dump & Hgwy. Ret. Fund.	5,155.00
County Tax	59,850.21
Grader Wing	2,508.86
School District	265,173.83
Fred Welch, Equipment	\$2,385.65
Fred Welch, Labor	85.59
Ronald Hanson, Labor	15.00
Roscoe Tasker, Shovel	15.00
Rena Welch, Bookkeeping	30.00
R. C. Haselton, Culvert	38.95

(For Current Year's Levy)

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

(January 6 through March 9, 1974)

John Bryant, Plowing	117.00
Ernest Tiede, Labor	217.60
Raymond Welch, Labor	1,108.95
Raymond Welch, Equipment	158.00
Howard Welch, Labor	758.54
Howard Welch, Equipment	961.50
Edgar Wells, Labor	719.21
Arthur LaBrecque, Labor	711.12
Thomas Sullivan, Jr., Labor	847.94
Thomas Sullivan, Jr., Power Saw	26.00
Ethel Sylvain, Gravel	77.40
Withholding Tax	725.80
Social Security Tax	307.95
Total	\$9,307.10
Total Recd.	\$9,307.10

Respectfully submitted,
FRED T. WELCH

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

March 9, 1974 through December 31, 1974

Summer Account

Raymond Welch, Labor	\$ 3,450.46
Raymond Welch, Equipment	3,708.40
Howard Welch, Labor	2,416.22
Howard Welch, Equipment	1,972.00
Arthur LaBrecque, Labor	2,289.88
Thomas Sullivan, Jr., Labor	2,759.86
Fred Welch, Equipment	621.25
Roscoe Tasker, Equipment	514.00
Alan Tiede, Equipment	243.00
Ernest Tiede, Equipment	697.50
William Stevens, Equipment	496.00
Gordon Foss, Equipment	855.00
Town of Pittsfield, Gravel	677.25
Town of Pittsfield, Equipment	390.00
Anna Welch, Bookkeeping	80.00
Kurt Tiede, Labor	27.00
Kurt Tiede, Equipment	1,382.00
John Bryant, Equipment	73.50

John Chapman, Equipment	450.00
Floyd Carson, Equipment	120.00
Howard Lank, Equipment	28.00
Fred Pitman, Labor	43.20
John Maxfield, Sr., Stump Dump	50.00
Ethel Sylvain, Gravel	747.55
Wm. Rickey, Jr., Gravel	55.20
Leighton Tasker, Gravel	170.10
Tilton Sand & Gravel, Cold Patch	227.04
Paul Eastman, Labor	32.40
James Eastman, Labor	21.60
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	\$24,598.41
Withholding Tax	1,774.60
Social Security Tax	791.58
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	\$27,164.59

Winter Account

Raymond Welch, Labor	\$ 1,166.01
Raymond Welch, Equipment	1,223.20
Howard Welch, Labor	882.96
Howard Welch, Equipment	1,363.00
Arthur LaBrecque, Labor	700.60
Thomas Sullivan, Jr., Labor	836.73
Edgar Wells, Labor	306.67
Fred Welch, Equipment	776.50
Ethel Sylvain, Gravel	219.50
Roland Bennett, Labor	102.60
John Bryant, Equipment	230.00
Leighton Tasker, Gravel	107.50
W. D. Stevens, Equipment	56.00
Alan Tiede, Equipment	18.00
Brett Tiede, Labor	54.00
Oscar Wells, Labor	21.60
James Eastman, Labor	54.00
Christopher Weeks, Labor	21.60
Kurt Tiede, Labor	113.75
Roscoe Tasker, Equipment	141.00
John Chapman, Equipment	297.00
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	\$ 8,692.22
Withholding Tax	730.10
Social Security Tax	295.13
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	\$ 9,717.45

Tarring Account

Raymond Welch, Labor	\$ 503.64
Raymond Welch, Equipment	247.60
Howard Welch, Labor	347.78
Howard Welch, Equipment	510.00
Arthur LaBrecque, Labor	336.72
Thomas Sullivan, Jr., Labor	382.31
Fred Welch, Equipment	276.75
Gordon Foss, Equipment	226.20
Alan Tiede, Equipment	96.00
Ethel Sylvain, Gravel	60.00
N.H. Bituminous Co., Tar	3,730.62
Tilton Sand & Gravel Co., Cold Patch	337.77
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	\$ 7,055.39
Withholding Tax	258.40
Social Security Tax	112.55
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	\$ 7,426.34

General Expenses

Raymond Welch, Labor	\$ 33.04
Raymond Welch, Equipment	32.00
Howard Welch, Labor	13.85
Arthur LaBrecque, Labor	25.36
Thomas Sullivan, Jr., Labor	8.19
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	\$112.44
Withholding Tax	7.50
Social Security Tax	5.46
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	\$125.40

Locke Lake Development

Raymond Welch, Labor	\$ 22.20
Raymond Welch, Equipment	183.40
Howard Welch, Labor	15.00
Howard Welch, Equipment	35.00
Thomas Sullivan, Jr., Labor	131.95
James Eastman, Labor	29.70
Roland Bennett, Labor	32.40
Christopher Weeks, Labor	8.10
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	\$457.75

Respectfully submitted,
RAYMOND W. WELCH

OSCAR FOSS MEMORIAL LIBRARY
Annual Report for Year Ending December 31, 1974

RECEIPTS

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1974		\$ 935.77
Town of Barnstead	\$3,500.00	
Interest, Oscar Foss Trust Fund	135.02	
Book Sales, & Misc. Sources	38.86	
Donations	25.00	
	\$3,698.88	
Total Balance on Hand plus receipts		\$4,634.65

EXPENDITURES

Salaries	\$2,015.13	
FICA	121.79	
Books	1,106.00	
Magazines & Periodicals	95.45	
Supplies	193.59	
Dues, Tuition, etc.	21.00	
Services, Postage, etc.	2.40	
Outreach	27.38	
Equipment & Capital Improvements	270.35	
	\$3,853.09	
Balance on Hand, Dec. 31, 1974		\$ 781.56

RICHARD L. GOLDEN,
Treasurer

REPORT OF OSCAR FOSS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

As the inflationary economy and the fuel shortage had its effect on you, it has also had its effect on your library. The fuel shortage, which was more evident last winter, caused the library to curtail its evening hours at the request of the selectmen, but we were able to open once again in the evening as spring and the warmer weather approached. The increased cost of books, due to the rise in the cost of paper, has decreased the purchasing power of the funds that we have.

Nevertheless, in addition to the usual library expenses, we were still able to make many improvements to the building, which had been sorely needed.

1. We were able to have a hot water heater, which the building had been without, installed.

2. One of the light fixtures in the bathrooms had not been working, and we were able to have this replaced.

3. The bathrooms had been in need of a facelifting. We cleaned the finished wood walls and then coated them with polyurethane. The floors were covered with linoleum.

4. At present we have a storm window on order for the large window in front of the library, as there is quite a heat loss there.

The librarians and trustees welcome the townspeople's use of its various services, and this year we were very happy to see numerous groups and individuals take advantage of many of the services we offer, a few of which are noted here. We are happy to report that our copying machine has been well used, and that the projector we purchased not long ago has been used widely for programs that the library has sponsored and also by many groups within the town on numerous occasions. The summer reading program was once again a success.

Again, the Trustees would like to thank Mrs. Ellen Grau and Mrs. Carolyn Johnson, who as usual have done an exceptional job this year. Mrs. Johnson has completed her courses and has received her certificate in Public Library Technique from the University of New Hampshire.

A major concern still facing the library is the lack of space, which we hope will be taken into consideration by the Town Hall Study Committee.

WESLEY LAVIN,
Trustee

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We, the undersigned Auditors for the Town of Barnstead, N.H., certify that we have examined and audited the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Library Trustees, Road Agent and Trustee of Trust Funds for the year ended December 31, 1974 and find them correct, properly cast, balanced and vouched.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH PYNE

LORRAINE JONES

Auditors

January 29, 1975

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Barnstead, N.H., on December 31, 1974

Date of Creation	NAME OF TRUST FUND	PURPOSE OF TRUST FUND	Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	PRINCIPAL			INCOME		
					Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	Income During Year	Income Expanded During Year	Balance End Year	
1856	School Fund	Schools	\$ 2,365.97		\$2,365.97		\$127.91		\$127.91	
1891	Parsonage Fund	Support of Five Churches	432.00		432.00		23.62		23.62	
1904	Dr. Geo. W. Emerson	Cemetery Care	572.29		572.29	335.01	49.74	14.00	49.74	370.75
1914	Oscar Foss	Cemetery Care	187.69		187.69	14.72	11.10		11.10	25.82
1915	Proctor Fund	Cemetery Care	450.00		450.00	119.03	32.47	72.70	32.47	78.80
1919	Sturtevant Fund	Cemetery Care	300.00		300.00		16.41		16.41	
1923	Kaime & Place	Cemetery Care	800.00		800.00	127.63	50.69		50.69	178.32
1923	Dr. Wheeler	Cemetery Care	177.15		177.15		9.69		9.69	
1924	Sarah Foss	Support of Library	5,000.00		5,000.00		270.38		270.38	
1927	C. Hodgdon Fund	Cemetery Care	200.00		200.00	15.03	11.76	10.00	11.76	16.79
1927	Asa Clark	Cemetery Care	150.00		150.00	130.85	15.38	10.00	15.38	136.23
1927	John Rand	Cemetery Care	300.00		300.00		16.41		16.41	
1933	Julius Gardner	Cemetery Care	150.00		150.00		8.21		8.21	
1936	Henry Savage	Cemetery Care	1,000.00		1,000.00		54.73		54.73	
1936	Herbert Glidden	Cemetery Care	200.00		200.00		10.93		10.93	
1937	Mrs. P. P. Babcock	Cemetery Care	216.53		216.53		12.19		12.19	
1942	Ada Downing	Support of Town Poor	3,600.00		3,600.00		162.21		162.21	
1944	L. Fred Jenkins	Cemetery Care	400.00		400.00	326.16	39.69	15.95	39.69	349.90
1944	George Clark	Cemetery Care	100.00		100.00		5.45		5.45	
1944	Timothy Emerson Young & Hawley	Cemetery Care	100.00		100.00	36.48	7.44		7.44	43.92
1944	Sylv. Powell	Cemetery Care	400.00		400.00		23.86		23.86	48.59
	George Hawley									
	Hary Powell									
1944	Clarence O. Emerson	Cemetery Care	200.00		200.00		10.93		10.93	
1944	Annabelle Hayes	Cemetery Care	100.00		100.00		5.45		5.45	
1945	Annie Perry	Cemetery Care	100.00		100.00	145.11	13.38		13.38	158.49
1946	Henry Zecka	Cemetery Care	200.00		200.00		10.93		10.93	
1946	Veterans Memorial	Memorial to Veterans	176.54		176.54	228.10	12.47		12.47	240.57
1946	Frank Eaton	Cemetery Care	100.00		100.00	45.74	7.95		7.95	53.69
1946	Webster & Tuttle	Cemetery Care	200.00		200.00		10.95		10.95	

1948	Helen Morrison	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	12.59	16.80	25.81
1948	George Hillsgrove	Cemetery Care	501.01	501.01	40.86	246.67	287.53
1948	Charles Parsons	Cemetery Care	100.00	100.00	5.45	5.45	
1949	William Drew	Cemetery Care	100.00	100.00	6.37	16.82	23.19
1951	Lewelyn Ham	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	10.93	10.93	
1953	Ida Pitman	Cemetery Care	2,000.00	2,000.00	115.42	80.80	144.18
1954	Leighton Tasker	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	13.35	30.00	27.15
1954	Harry Jenkins	Cemetery Care	350.00	350.00	19.14	19.14	
1954	Pitman & Clark	Cemetery Care	248.10	248.10	17.73	75.00	18.67
1954	Mabel Perry	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	24.90	280.20	
1955	Ct. Barnstead Ass'	Cemetery Care	600.00	600.00	45.54	81.00	197.96
1961	Frank Palmer	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	10.93	10.93	
1964	Rose Thomas	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	16.98		127.79
1964	Wayland Locke	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	16.98		127.79
1965	Herbert Clark	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	10.93	10.93	
1965	Inga Faller	Cemetery Care	300.00	300.00	10.93	10.93	
1965	Frank Foss	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	16.41	16.41	
1966	Ceciel Downs	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	10.92	10.93	
1967	Joseph Cotton Sr.	Cemetery Care	100.00	100.00	5.45	5.45	
1967	George G. Foss	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	10.92	10.93	
1967	John H. Varney	Cemetery Care	400.00	400.00	21.87	21.87	
1968	Fred Littlefield	Cemetery Care	100.00	100.00	10.93	10.93	
1968	Alfred Whitehouse	Cemetery Care	150.00	150.00	8.21	8.21	
1968	Ezekiel Babb	Cemetery Care	100.00	100.00	5.45	5.45	
1969	John O. Emerson	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	10.93	10.93	
1970	Grader	Capital Reserve	4,495.00	4,495.00	242.64	4,666.88	4,909.52
1970	Frank Wheeler	Cemetery Care	350.00	350.00	18.96	18.96	
1971	Percy Davis	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	10.93	10.93	
1971	Town Dump & Garbage Removal	Capital Reserve	3,000.00	6,437.36	321.87	3,000.00	9,759.23
1972	Rex Wheel	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	10.93	10.93	
1973	Frances Dodge	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	11.28		17.98
1973	Highway Retirement Fund	Capital Reserve	2,155.00	2,155.00	108.07	6.70	4,418.07
1974	Tuttle-Bly	Cemetery Care	300.00	300.00	11.37	11.37	
1974	Alois Jenisch	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	7.58	7.58	
1974	Arthur McAllister	Cemetery Care	200.00	200.00	7.35	7.35	
	TOTALS		\$36,327.28	\$39,764.64	\$2,272.93	\$1,409.19	\$21,984.43
			\$700.00	\$10,467.35			

CENTER BARNSTEAD FIRE DEPARTMENT

1974 Expenditures

American Fire Equipment	\$3,665.72	
Target Cleaners	319.90	
Auto Electric, Inc.	247.71	
Huckins Chevrolet, Inc.	567.21	
Manchester Oxygen	622.15	
Union Telephone	1,489.92	
Public Service Co.	612.23	
Huckins Oil Co.	2,354.38	
Principal and Interest — Bond Issue	3,858.00	
Town of Barnstead (Ambulance Tires)	231.40	
Total		\$13,968.62

Receipts

Yearly Appropriation	\$1,500.00	
Revenue Sharing Appropriation	3,600.00	
Total		\$ 5,100.00

Respectfully submitted,
L. P. HODGMAN,
 Treasurer

BARNSTEAD POLICE DEPARTMENT

During the year 1974, the Barnstead Police Department received 1,178 telephone calls requiring response or action on the part of one or more officers of the department. In the course of handling these individual cases, there were 23,698 motor vehicle miles traveled, and 2,559 man-hours expended. The following is a breakdown of the incidents reported and the actions taken:

Criminal Arrests	22	Persons Transported	
Court Cases	121	to County Jail	16

Court Cases

Allowing Unlicensed Person to Operate	3	Operating Without License	4
Criminal Mischief	5	Operating After Revocation	4
Criminal Trespass	5	Operating After Suspension	2
Cutting Timber Without Permit	1	Overheight	1
Constructing Driveway Without Permit	1	Possession of a Controlled Drug	3
Drive While Intoxicated	7	Passing on Right	1
False Information	1	Resisting Arrest	3
Following Too Close	1	Speed	32
Giving Beer to Minors	5	Stop Sign	11
Intoxication	3	Solid Line	4
Indecent Exposure	3	Sexual Assault	2
Improper Turning	1	Unsafe Tires	3
Juvenile	4	Unlawful Possession of Beer	6
Misuse of Plates	1	Un-registered Motor Vehicle	1
Non-inspection	2		
Operating Without Consent	1		

Serious Incidents

Arson	1	Larceny	32
Attempted Suicide	3	Malicious Damage	20
Accident Shooting	3	Sexual Assault	2
Breaking & Entering	5	Suicide	1
Burglaries	8	Rape, Attempted	1
Bad Checks	4	Stolen Cars	7
Drug Cases	10	Stolen Boats	2
Gun Violations	5	Stolen Bicycles	1
Juvenile Cases	15	Suspicious Fires	2

Other Incidents

Annoying Phone Calls	4	False Alarms	3
Assist Fire Dept.	13	Indecent Exposure	4
Assist Other Depts.	56	Motor Vehicle	
Assist Motorists	31	Complaints	54
Attempt to Locate	14	Missing Persons	6
Accidents Reportable	19	Request House Check	47
Accidents Nonreportable	8	Suspicious Persons	7
Animal Complaints	17	Suspicious Vehicles	18
Abandoned Vehicles	4	Traffic Duty	17
Domestic Complaints	151	Transport Persons	11
Deliver Messages	27	Trespassing	5
Dog Complaints	62	Wanted Persons	7
Family Disputes	11		

Recoveries

Stolen Boats	2	Bulldozer	1
Stolen Cars	3		

Total Amount of Property Recovered \$22,655.00

Respectfully submitted,

STEVEN C. BYERS,
Chief of Police

BARNSTEAD PARADE FIRE COMPANY

1974 Expenditures

Fuel Oil	\$ 305.55
Telephone	178.20
Electricity	239.55
Janitor Supplies	26.28
Maintenance—Trucks, Gas, Oil, etc.	237.89
Insurance	623.35
Postage	52.20
Radio Repairs	34.20
Interest—New Truck Loan	340.89
Lakes Region Mutual Aid Association	50.00
Tri-State Gas Co.	16.00
Ralph Collins—Elec. Supplies	54.43
American Fire Equipment Co.	3,045.50
	\$5,204.04

1974 Receipts

Town of Barnstead	\$5,100.00
Donations	235.00
	\$5,335.00

Respectfully submitted,
GORDON M. SMITH,
 Treasurer

REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND DISTRICT CHIEF

All open burning when the ground is not covered with snow is controlled by the Town Forest Fire Warden in cooperation with the New Hampshire Forest Fire Service. Anyone wishing to kindle a fire out-of-doors when the ground is not covered with snow must have a written permit signed by the Town Forest Fire Warden. If the fire is to be kindled on land not owned by the person kindling the fire then he must have the permission of the landowner. No outdoor fires can be kindled between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M. unless it is raining, without the additional approval of the District Forest Fire Chief.

The 1974 forest fire season was one of the worst in the past two decades. Woodlands in central and southern New Hampshire became so dry in mid August that the Governor and Council, upon the recommendation of the State Forester, enacted a partial woodlands closure in Sullivan, Cheshire, Hillsborough, Merrimack and Belknap Counties and a complete woodlands closure in Strafford and Rockingham Counties plus the Towns of Barnstead, Gilmanton and Alton in Belknap County. Through the excellent cooperation of the citizens of our State no major forest fire occurred at any time during the year.

1974 Forest Fire Statistics

	No. of Fires	No. of Acres
State	871	915
District	247	193.83
Town	5	.39

CLARK M. DAVIS,
District Fire Chief

GEORGE COTTON,
Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Much effort was given by the Conservation Commission this year to planning and preparing the town's property on Suncook Pond for a beach. Bids for construction of a causeway to the beach were submitted and Roscoe Tasker and Son were selected for the job. This will be finished by late spring and the beach will be open to Barnstead residents this summer.

The Commission has entered a wetlands conservation article in the town warrant. This article is not meant to restrict people from using their land for purposes appropriate to wetlands. The Commission encourages such uses. If the article passes, watershed areas and future water supplies should always remain protected.

The Commission has also investigated certain areas in town, all wetland, with the thought of acquiring them in the future. It is felt to be very important that certain areas be forever preserved in their natural state.

The Commission has acquired a wetlands map which is on display in the library.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD TASKER
MALCOLM SIEGEL
STUART MERRILL
WILLIAM JENISCH
JOHN HERNDON
LEO NASH
JOANNA LINSTAD
Barnstead Conservation
Commission

**COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAM
BELKNAP-MERRIMACK COUNTIES, INC.**

For the Annual Report of the Town of Barnstead

The Belknap-Merrimack Counties Community Action Program, Inc., has served as a delivery system for services to low income families and individuals of Barnstead through the Laconia Area Center since 1965.

The purpose of the neighborhood center is to present convenient and comprehensive help to low income and other persons and to spur their efforts to better themselves and their environment. It is designed to promote the effectiveness of needed services and maximum participation of neighborhood residents in center planning and operations.

Through the Laconia Community Action Center a complete array of services and programs are offered. The Community Action Program serves in a referral and advocate capacity for low income people in emergency situations. It works with the people to assess the community needs, develops programs to meet these needs, and generate the funds, in-kind services and non-cash donations to support the programs developed.

During 1974 residents of Barnstead have participated in the following Community Action Programs and Services: General Information and Referral, Winterization and Plastic, Heat Emergency Fuel Loans, Food Stamp Information and Referral, Rural Transportation, Work Experience Program, Summer Program for Disadvantaged Youth.

We sincerely acknowledge the cooperation of all town people who have worked with us this past year.

**LYNN LaFROTH
Area Director**

BARNSTEAD HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Barnstead has been fortunate in having a Historical Society for three years. Our main objective has been to help preserve and restore historical artifacts and sites.

One member has already completed a map drawn up of the original 1727 lot holders (owners); the 17 original school districts, boundaries-of and families encompassed; an alphabetical list of old families, with accompanying snapshots of many of the old houses. Many of the old cemeteries have been found and cleared, and the site of the First Church has been cleaned up and a suitable marker posted.

We have been given a new steel filing cabinet where many artifacts are already stored—old papers, pictures and deeds.

The Town will be celebrating its 250th celebration in 1977—Sesqui Bicentennial. The Society, under Helen McLaughlin and Judith Golden have already started to make plans for the celebration. Every civic and social group in town has been contacted to help plan a program of activities and events. It is hoped that through these groups and the news media, every person in Barnstead will participate and make the 250th Anniversary an event to remember.

We invite everyone in town to join our group. The modest annual fee is used to supply interesting speakers.

HELEN H. MERRILL,
Secretary

STATE REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT**Barnstead**

As of this writing the 1975 Regular Session of the New Hampshire General Court is four weeks old. This year's session of the legislature finds itself dealing with some of today's most pressing problems, primarily in the area of energy, the economy and the environment.

Since my last annual report, I have been elected by the House membership to serve in the upcoming session as their Speaker. With this position I have assumed major administrative responsibilities within the House as well as obligations resulting from statutory membership on Joint House/Senate administration committees. As can be expected, I will be required to expend greater energy and time in my dual capacity as both State Representative and Speaker of the House if I am to dedicate to both the involvement they deserve.

The Route 107 Project for the Town of Gilmanon is now complete as a result of the original petition from the voters of Gilmanon and requests made from my office to the Department of Public Works and Highways. In line with this progress I will be requesting of the Department specific traffic study reports relating to the speed limits in local areas within the district and for more safeguards and guard rails along certain portions of the highway within the entire three town district. These requests have been made because of an expressed interest in these programs by constituents within the district and I appreciate them bringing these potential safety hazards to my attention.

Again this session, I will introduce a bill providing for the acquisition of Shell Camp Pond Dam in Gilmanon and making an appropriation to purchase, repair and construct the same. Unfortunately the bill did not pass during the last session, but it is my intention to re-introduce the legislation so the needed reconstruction of the Dam, which is neither owned by the town or the state, can proceed as soon as possible. On the original proposal the requested appropriation was \$42,000 so to allow the State Water Resources

Board to construct such a dam. I believe that the request this time will be slightly increased but I am hopeful of passage.

During this session there are many bills involving both local and state governmental activities. For the town of Barnstead I have introduced legislation to authorize village districts and to maintain and repair roads within the designated district.

Other legislation which I will introduce during this session include: an act to reimburse towns and cities for educational costs when a foster child is sent to a town or city by court order; an act relative to the powers and duties of conservation officers of the Fish & Game Department and an act establishing a Department of Transportation for a more efficient administration for all modes of transportation.

As in the past I will continue to be available to town officials and town agencies to report to them about changes in state laws. I will try to continue to be responsive to your comments and suggestions regarding state legislation or the administration of state government as it affects this town and you individually.

I look forward to receiving your opinions and suggestions this year and will attempt to report more often to you through the local newspapers concerning actions of the legislature and effects of legislation on the three town district.

Because of my very busy schedule, at least during the six month legislative session, you may find it a little more difficult contacting me personally, but I can assure you that my staff will bring your inquiries and suggestions to my immediate attention and you will get a response. During the week you may contact me by calling my Concord office at 271-3661 and on the weekends I can be reached at home by calling 267-8151.

GEORGE B. ROBERTS, JR.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF
BARNSTEAD, NEW HAMPSHIRE
1973-74

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1974

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I. ADMINISTRATION AND ORGANIZATION

A. OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Moderator

RICHARD GOLDEN

Clerk

MARGARET FOSS

School Board

WILLIAM JENISCH, Chairman	Term Expires 1975
LLOYD HANSON	Term Expires 1976
RICHARD COLLINS	Term Expires 1977

Treasurer

LORRAINE JONES

Auditor

RALPH PYNE

Census Taker

HELEN H. MERRILL

School Nurse

HELEN SWEENEY, R.N.

Superintendent of Schools

DAMON A. RUSSELL

Assistant Superintendent of Schools

ELTON S. KNOWLES

Business Administrator

WILLIAM N. JOHNSTONE

Receptionist-Secretary

DONNA M. CULLEN

Secretary

ANNA M. HILL

Bookkeeper

HELEN M. TIBBETTS

Accounts

JANICE M. CURTIS

I. ADMINISTRATION
B. REPORT OF THE ANNUAL
BARNSTEAD SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING
March 1, 1974

The Annual School District Meeting was held in the Barnstead Elementary School Auditorium on March 1, 1974. The meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m. by Moderator Richard Golden. Mr. Golden called attention to the "Barnstead Budget Summary" as published on page 81 of the Annual Town Report, stating that the heading for each column should be moved over so that the only item submitted without recommendation would be \$375.00.

The Moderator then read the Warrants and the Certifications of the Warrants being posted.

ARTICLE I: To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

Richard Collins made the following motion: "I move the salaries of School District Officers be approved as follows: Moderator \$10.00; Clerk \$10.00; School Board Chairman \$75.00; School Board Members \$75.00 each; Treasurer \$100.00; Auditor \$25.00; and Truant Officer \$10.00." Seconded by Ernest Tiede. Carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE II: To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or Officers chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Lloyd Hanson made the following motion: "I move that the reports of Agents, Auditors, and Committees of the School District be accepted as printed in the Annual Report." Seconded by Gordon Johnson. Carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE III: To see if the district will authorize the school board to appoint a five member study committee to study the educational facility needs for the district and report these findings and recommendations to the School Board no later than January 1, 1975, as well as at the next Annual School District Meeting.

Motion made by William Jenisch as follows: "I move that the school board be authorized to appoint a five member study committee to study the educational and facility needs for the district, and report their findings and recommenda-

tions to the School Board no later than January 1, 1975, as well as at the next Annual School District Meeting." Seconded by Gordon Smith. Carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE IV: To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officers and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.

Motion made by Richard Collins as follows: "I move that the District raise and appropriate \$330,954 for the support of schools for the salaries of School District officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District." Seconded by David Gregoire. After much discussion, Mr. Collins amended his original motion and moved to take up the Budget item by item. This was seconded by Lloyd Hanson. This amendment was carried by voice vote.

Administration: Contract Services \$525.00
Motion by Dr. Conrad, seconded by Holly Bickford. Carried by voice vote.

Other Expenses \$ 75.00
Motion by Gordon Smith, seconded by Holly Bickford. Carried by voice vote.

Instruction: There was much discussion regarding the figures recommended in the budget under teachers' salaries. The figure submitted by the school board represented a base salary for beginning teachers, with regular step and track increases, of \$6,800.00 for a total of \$101,968. The amount recommended by the budget committee represented a base of \$6,600.00 with regular automatic increments, for a total of \$92,516.00.

Motion made by Robert Simpson as follows: "I move that the \$101,968 recommended by the school board be amended to a figure that would reflect a \$7,000 base for first year teachers with the step and track increases that would go with a \$7,000 base—this figure would be \$104,004." Seconded by Ursula Simpson. After much discussion and several speakers, proposed and withdrawn amendments, an informal poll of some of the teachers present as to whether they would return for \$6,800 or \$7,000 base, etc., the figure of \$104,004 was accepted by a voice vote.

Textbooks \$3,730.00
Motion by Ernest Tiede, seconded by Mr. St. Onge. Carried by voice vote.

Library and Audio-Visual \$2,981.00

Dr. Conrad asked what this amount represented and received the following explanation:

library books	\$2,000.00
newspapers	91.00
library expenses	97.00
a-v materials	543.00
a-v supplies	250.00

Motion made to accept the \$2,981 made by Robert Simpson and seconded by Holly Bickford. Carried by voice vote. Emma Parent spoke with praise of the excellent job Susan Fraser was doing in the school library.

Teaching supplies	\$6,169.00
Contracted Services	926.00
Other Expenses	1,335.00

Lloyd Hanson moved that Teaching Supplies, Contracted Services and Other Expenses be accepted. Seconded by William Jenisch. Carried by voice vote.

Attendance Services	\$ 10.00
Health Services	2,187.00

Motion made by Lloyd Hanson that Attendance Services and Health Services be accepted. Seconded by Richard Collins. Carried by voice vote.

Pupil Transportation	\$35,786.00
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The amount requested by the school board for pupil transportation, (\$35,786.00), would include an additional bus if needed in the fall, based on projected increased enrollment. The budget committee figure did not include the additional bus.

Motion made by Robert Simpson that the \$35,786 figure be accepted with the provision that if the additional bus is not needed, the funds included for this will not be utilized but will be turned back. Seconded by Holly Bickford. Carried by voice vote.

Motion by William Gosse to accept the figures in the categories "Operation of Plant through School Lunch and Special Milk Program" as recommended in the Budget with the exception of Employee Retirement and FICA—this figure of \$8,437 to be adjusted to \$8,595 to provide for the increase due to the \$7,000 base salary for teachers. Therefore, the items would be as follows:

Operation of Plant—Salaries	\$8,470.00
Supplies	1,990.00
Contract Services	850.00

Heat	7,500.00
Utilities	4,344.00
Maintenance of Plant	2,100.00
Fixed Charges	
Employees Retirement & FICA	8,595.00
Insurance	3,180.00
School Lunch & Special Milk	5,100.00
Seconded by Leonard Tasker. Carried by voice vote.	
Student Body Activities	375.00
Explanation of this item was the \$375.00 represents a total of \$75.00 for each teacher with coaching duties. Motion made by David Gregoire to accept this amount, seconded by William Parent. Motion carried by voice vote.	
Capital Outlay: Equipment	122.00
Motion made by Lloyd Hanson and seconded by Gordon Smith to accept this amount. Carried by voice vote.	
Motion made by Richard Collins and seconded by Gordon Johnson to accept the items in Debt Service and Outgoing Transfer Accounts in State for the following amounts:	
Debt Service: Principal of Debt	15,000.00
Interest on Debt	12,015.00
Outgoing Transfer Accts. in State	
Tuition	97,131.00
Supervisory Union Expenses	6,648.00
Motion carried by voice vote	
Summer School: Contingency Fund	2,000.00

Motion made by William Jenisch to accept the figure of \$2,000.00 for a contingency fund to meet unforeseen expenses due to the rising cost of fuel, etc. Seconded by Gordon Smith and passed by voice vote.

Under Article IV, Richard Collins amended his original motion to read: "I move that the District raise and appropriate \$333,148.00 for the support of schools, for the salaries of School District officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District." Seconded by Gordon Johnson. Carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE V: To see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for and receive in the name of the district such advances, grants-in-aid, or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government, the State of New Hampshire, or any Federal or State Agency.

Motion made by Lloyd Hanson as follows: "I move that the District authorize the School Board to make application for and receive in the name of the District such advances, grants-in-aid, or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government, the State of New Hampshire, or any Federal or State Agency." Seconded by John G. Cotton. Carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE VI: To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$2,000.00 to establish a contingency fund to meet the cost of unanticipated expenses that may arise during the year.

Motion made by William Jenisch as follows: "I move that the District raise and appropriate a sum of \$2,000.00 to establish a contingency fund to meet the costs of unanticipated expenses that may arise during the year." Seconded by Gordon Smith. Carried by voice vote.

ARTICLE VII: To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Arthur Stock asked why the gymnasium could not be used by local groups as previously done. Mr. Collins stated all evening activities had been curtailed due to the energy crisis, but at the School Board Meeting in February the Board had decided to lift the restriction as of March 1, 1974, so that local groups previously using the facilities could continue as of that date.

Motion to adjourn by Richard Collins at 10:10 p.m. Declared adjourned by the Moderator.

Respectfully submitted,
MARGARET C. FOSS,
Clerk

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of the Barnstead School District, I respectfully submit my ninth annual report as your Superintendent of Schools.

Last year it was reported the enrollment, during 1973-74, increased beyond expectations. During the fall of 1974, the enrollment stabilized with just a slight increase. Many factors may have contributed to this slower population growth. The economy is faced with many frustrations; increased cost of fuel, gasoline, food, and interest rates which have all added to the slowing down of the population growth. Large land areas ready for development have been stymied by these factors.

If the town does not expand and grow, then the tax burden is not expanded and broadened, thus placing this year's concerns on the same people. Coupled with this frustrating economy is the problem of unemployment. The cost of living is at a record high and the unemployment is at a record level for these modern times. This has placed added burdens on your school administrators, and especially your school board. The proposed budget for 1975-76 reflects the frustrations of the times. Many things which should have been included in the budget have been deleted or postponed.

My report would not be complete without paying respects to Priscilla "Pam" Morse. She started her teaching career in Barnstead with the assignment of teaching science and math to the upper elementary students. Her delightfulness, energy, dedication and sincerity was untimely ended in an automobile accident on January 18th, 1975. "Priscilla Ann Morse (Pam), May 16, 1950—January 18, 1975, we are thankful you shared a part of your life with us."

A special committee was appointed last year to study the educational and facility needs of Barnstead. Several meetings were held, visitations to other elementary schools, and consultation with the State Department of Education, all resulted in the report by the committee, which is included further in this Annual Report. Their findings are very important and need to be considered for implementation as soon as possible. The additional professional staffing to provide physical education, art, music and guidance would enhance the learning experiences of your students. Unfortunately,

the economy has brought about a delay in the financing of these recommendations. This in no way minimizes the importance of the recommendations. The economy will change. People will start building new homes, the population of Barnstead will grow and the need for an expanded curriculum and school facilities will need to be faced in the near future. The present school facility is full. There is no room to create another classroom, yet we have large enrollments in the primary grades. It is not possible to predict the rate of growth for next year because of the fluctuating economy. Things could change between now and September of 1975 which would create a real overcrowding.

There is an increasing trend in education wherein the public, parents and taxpayers are becoming more and more involved with schools. This is good. I believe in having the public not only witness what is taking place in their schools, but to volunteer and become an integral part of the program. We are in a period of "individualization" because we now have evaluating instruments which make it possible to isolate and identify those skills each child has mastered and those he needs to master. The educational program is then designed to specifically assist the individual child. This requires a great deal on the part of the classroom teacher in diagnosing the skills and designing the appropriate materials for the child to further his skills' mastery. Volunteers can be of great assistance in this progress.

Barnstead should be proud of the fine staff serving her youth, including everyone from the kitchen crew, custodians, secretary, teachers, and Mr. Check, Principal. All of your employees have a tremendous interest and dedication for the success of the students. I wish to express my sincere appreciation to all of the parents, citizens, staff, and especially the members of the School Board for their continued efforts to serve the youth of Barnstead.

Respectfully submitted,

DAMON A. RUSSELL
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of the Barnstead School District, I respectfully submit my third annual report as Assistant Superintendent of Schools.

I have selected the following areas to report on: (1) Staff Development; (2) Special Education; (3) Title I, and (4) Recruiting.

I.

In January, 1970, the State Board of Education appointed a Professional Standards Board "to develop teacher preparation, certification and inservice education recommendations for the State Board . . ."

In June, 1971, the State Board of Education upon the recommendation of the Professional Standards Board, approved Staff Development as a State-wide method of professional growth and, hence, a basis of teacher recertification, to become effective July 1, 1975. Each Supervisory Union was charged with the responsibility to develop a three-year Master Plan which would contain procedures and guidelines for the recertification process.

The Staff Development Committee of Supervisory Union #49 has been meeting regularly this year to develop a Master Plan which will meet the teacher inservice needs of the school districts of Alton, Barnstead, Pittsfield and Governor Wentworth Regional. As part of the process of developing a Master Plan, the Committee conducted a Needs Assessment. The results of the needs assessment indicated that we should strive for improvement in the following major goal areas: To have students (1) develop a desire for learning now and in the future; (2) develop pride in work and feeling of self-worth; (3) develop skills to enter a specific field of work; and (4) gain information needed to make job selections.

Effective July 1, 1975, each teacher of the district needs to consider these general goals when he submits an individual plan for recertification. In essence then, teachers will be striving to meet local education needs in addition to meeting their professional growth needs.

II.

We are operating under new standards for the education of handicapped children. Prior to this year the local school

district was responsible for providing education to handicapped children aged 5-21. New standards resulted in the school district's responsibility for the education of the handicapped child from birth to 21 years of age. Parents of handicapped children must submit a request for placement to the Superintendent's Office. This request is then reviewed by a Screening Committee composed of local staff members. The Screening Committee reviews pertinent records and recommendations and meets with the parents. Appropriate placement is then recommended.

The School District is responsible for establishing programs for handicapped children as approved by the State Board of Education, or it shall pay tuition to such an approved program maintained by another school district or by a private organization or provide a minimum of five hours per week of home instruction. This new procedure represents an additional expenditure for the School District as the district is not prepared to offer specialized pre-school programs, thus, children are usually placed in programs outside of the local district. The district is liable for the State Average Tuition Cost and a like amount for transportation.

III.

We are in the second year of a Title I Cooperative Early Childhood Project with the School Districts of Alton and Pittsfield. The purpose of the project is to develop procedures for the identification of individual student learning needs and instructional programs to meet those needs. The project is under the direction of Mrs. Judith Bush and was recently commended for its design and operation by the State Title I Office.

IV.

A year ago I reported that Barnstead needed to retain its teachers for longer periods of time. This year we needed to recruit only two teachers and one of those was for an additional position. That is a considerable improvement over previous years. Barnstead is fortunate to have a very fine teaching staff.

It has been my pleasure to enjoy the support and cooperation of the Barnstead School Board, Superintendent Russell, Principal Check, and the School Faculty.

Respectfully submitted,

ELTON S. KNOWLES

Assistant Superintendent of Schools

I. ADMINISTRATION
E. REPORT OF THE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL
BARNSTEAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
Center Barnstead, N. H.

To the School Board, the Superintendent of Schools and the Citizens of Barnstead. It is with great pleasure that I submit my fifth annual report as Principal of the Barnstead Elementary School.

The 1973-74 year ended with the graduation of 31 eighth graders to Pittsfield High School, Alton High School and Brewster Academy.

The 1974-75 school year is well under way and we are indeed fortunate in having almost our complete staff returning. Filling the vacancies and new positions are Basil Harris, Grade 3; Kathy Latchaw, Grades 4-5; Priscilla Morse, 6th, 7th and 8th science and Ursula Simpson, teacher aide.

This year the 3rd grade classroom is involved in the Early Childhood Program at the University of New Hampshire. Mrs. Fatula and Mr. Harris share the position and alternate teaching duties while the other attends classes at the university. Both teachers are involved in a Masters of Education program and apply their studies to the students in the 3rd grade. The program is progressing very well with the students, staff and school being the beneficiaries.

The 1973-74 school year also saw the beginning of the Criteria Reference testing program. This program is federally funded under title III, ESEA and includes testing, scoring and educational prescriptions for the students of grades 1-6 in reading and math. It is hoped that after the teachers have made the necessary preparations that the students will be programmed into remedial work that will meet the individual needs of the student. This project has been approved for Supervisory Union 49 as a model for other school districts.

Prior to the Christmas recess the total enrollment reached a high of 251. Grade enrollment breakdown is as follows: Gr. 1-39, Gr. 2-29, Gr. 3-33, Gr. 4-34, Gr. 5-36, Gr. 6-29, Gr. 7-27 and Gr. 8-24.

Our new reading program was implemented in September after a comprehensive study by a Committee of Supervisory Union Teachers. This year the Social Studies program is being studied as part of a continuing effort to provide the students with the most up-to-date curriculum possible.

I wish to express my appreciation to the members of the School Board, the Superintendent, the Assistant Superintendent, the Citizens of Barnstead, my fellow teachers and staff members for their support and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD A. CHECK,
Principal

II. INSTRUCTION

A. TEACHERS — 1974-75

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EXPERIENCE	DEGREE	SALARY
Mr. Richard Check	Principal	9	B.A.	\$13,000.00
Mrs. Virginia Adams	Grades 1 & 2	5	B.Ed.	8,820.00
Mrs. Rebecca Fatula	Grade 3	6	B.A.	4,620.00
Mr. Basil Harris	Grade 3	4	B.A.	4,200.00
Mrs. Sarah Johnson	Grade 5	4	B.S.	8,400.00
Mrs. Kathy Korbanics	Grade 4	2	B.A.	7,560.00
Mrs. Katherine Latchaw	Grades 4 & 5	0	B.S.	7,000.00
Miss Linda MacKnight	Grade 7 & English	2	B.A.	7,560.00
Miss Priscilla A. Morse	Grade 6 & Science	0	B.A.	7,000.00
Mr. Michael Simoneau	Social Studies & Grade 8	2	B.S.	7,560.00
Miss Annie Wiggins	Grades 2 & 3	1	B.S.	7,280.00
Miss Margaret Woodward	Grades 1 & 2	2	M.A.T.	8,260.00

III. FINANCE

A. REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
For Fiscal Year July 1, 1973, to June 30, 1974

GENERAL FUND

Cash on Hand July 1, 1973		\$ 6,080.96
Received from Selectmen	\$265,173.83	
Revenue from State Sources	9,082.90	
Revenue from Federal Sources	5,380.34	
Received as income from Trust Funds	127.25	
Received from all Other Sources	2,779.42	
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TOTAL RECEIPTS		\$282,544.14
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		288,625.10
Less School Board Orders Paid		280,970.79
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Balance on Hand, June 30, 1974		\$ 7,654.31
July 11, 1974		

MARY L. GOSSE,
District Treasurer

BUILDING FUND

Cash on Hand July 1, 1973	\$41,154.29	
Received from all other Sources	894.39	
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TOTAL RECEIPTS		\$ 894.39
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		42,048.68
Less School Board Orders Paid		37,192.24
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Balance on Hand, June 30, 1974		\$ 4,856.44
July 12, 1974		

MARY L. GOSSE,
School 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 Barnstead, N.H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974, and find them correct in all respects.
July 19, 1974

RALPH PYNE,
Auditor

B. FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1973
and Ending June 30, 1974

Revenue from Local Sources:		
Current Appropriation	\$265,173.83	
TOTAL		\$265,173.83
Other Revenue from Local Sources:		
Earnings from Permanent Funds and Endowments	127.65	
Earnings from Temporary Deposits and Investments	894.39	
Rent	111.50	
Other Revenue from Local Sources	4.00	
TOTAL		1,137.54
Revenue from State Sources:		
School Building Aid	4,500.00	
Sweepstakes	3,906.12	
Foster Children Aid	200.00	
School Lunch	447.00	
TOTAL		9,053.82
Revenue from Federal Sources:		
School Lunch & Special Milk Program	4,932.64	
TOTAL		4,932.64
Amounts Received from Other School Districts In State and Amounts Received from Capital Reserve Funds:		
Other In-State Receipts	1,939.92	
TOTAL		1,939.92
TOTAL NET RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES		\$282,237.75
Cash on Hand at Beginning of Year, July 1, 1973		
General Fund	6,080.96	
Capital Outlay Fund	41,154.29	
TOTAL		47,235.25
GRAND TOTAL NET RECEIPTS		\$329,473.00

C. EXPLANATION OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN
NET (ACTUAL) EXPENDITURES
AND GROSS TRANSACTIONS

RECEIPTS

Total Net Receipts Plus	
Cash on Hand July 1, 1973	\$329,473.00
Receipts Recorded under Item 60	<u>1,200.78</u>
TOTAL GROSS RECEIPTS	\$330,673.78

EXPENDITURES

Total Net Expenditures Plus	
Cash on Hand June 30, 1974	\$329,473.00
Expenditures Reduced by	
Receipts Recorded in Item 60	<u>1,200.00</u>
TOTAL GROSS EXPENDITURES	\$330,673.78

**BARNSTEAD SCHOOL DISTRICT
D. COMPARATIVE STATEMENT
Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1974**

Account	1973-74 Appropriation	Prior Year Liabilities	Total Available	Expendi- tures	1973-74 Liability	Unexpended Balance	Over- Draft
Administration							
Contracted Services	\$ 500.00		\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00			
Other Expenses	75.00		75.00	44.94		30.06	
Instruction							
Salaries	84,766.00		84,766.00	86,206.28			1,440.28
Textbooks	1,837.00		1,837.00	2,178.50			341.50
Library and Audio-Visual	2,274.00		2,274.00	2,415.85			141.85
Teaching Supplies	3,811.00		3,811.00	4,064.39			253.39
Contracted Services	1,517.00		1,517.00	350.00		1,167.00	
Other Expenses	1,100.00		1,100.00	701.30		398.66	
Attendance Services							
Salaries	10.00		10.00	10.00			
Health Services							
Salaries	1,558.00		1,558.00	1,558.00			
Other Expenses	520.00		520.00	469.74		50.26	
Transportation							
Contract Transporters	24,960.00		24,960.00	25,281.92			321.92
Other Expenses	40.00		40.00	40.00			
Operation of Plant							
Salaries	7,550.00		7,550.00	7,767.12			217.12
Supplies	1,908.00	\$ 1,085.81	2,993.81	1,751.42	1,471.60		229.21
Contracted Services	850.00	18.00	868.00	803.40		64.60	
Heat	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,369.87	918.50		1,288.37
Utilities	3,790.00	52.32	3,842.32	3,403.58	338.97	99.77	
Maintenance of Plant							
Replacement of Equipment	705.00		705.00	614.14		90.86	
Repairs to Equipment	150.00		150.00	108.51		41.49	
Contracted Services	50.00		50.00	49.50		.50	
Repairs to Building	1,100.00		1,100.00	1,505.18			405.18
Fixed Charges							
Retirement & FICA	7,623.00	1,943.61	9,566.61	6,119.43	2,354.11	1,093.07	
Insurances	2,995.00		2,995.00	2,838.00		157.00	

School Lunch & Special Milk									
Federal Reimbursements	3,500.00		3,500.00	4,815.39					1,315.39
District Monies	1,600.00		1,600.00	1,567.97		564.95			532.92
Buildings				16,883.00					16,883.00
New Equipment	27,125.00	160.00	27,285.00	22,365.25				4,919.75	
Debt Service									
Principal of Debt	15,000.00		15,000.00	15,000.00					
Interest on Debt	12,825.00		12,825.00	12,825.00					
Outgoing Transfer Accounts									808.03
Tuition to Public Schools	74,815.00		74,815.00	75,623.03			112.30		
Supervisory Union Expenses	5,441.00		5,441.00	5,328.70					
Tuition to Public Academies	10,340.00		10,340.00	8,688.80			1,651.20		
Tuition to Private Schools	1,600.00		1,600.00	1,714.00		607.00			721.00
Contingency	1,000.00		1,000.00				1,000.00		
TOTALS	\$305,935.00	\$ 3,259.74	\$309,194.74	\$316,962.25	\$ 6,255.13	\$ 10,876.52	\$ 24,899.16		
Excess Revenue			45,278.26						
			<u>\$354,474.00</u>						

Summary: 1973-74 Appropriations
Revenue from 1972-73 Liabilities
Building Fund Balance (6/30/73)
Excess Revenue 1973-1974

\$305,935.00
+ 3,259.74
+ 41,154.29
+ 4,123.97

354,473.00
- 316,962.25
- 6,255.13
- 25,000.00

\$ 6,255.62

Total Available 1973-1974

Expenditures During 1973-1974
Reserved for 1974-1975
Authorized Expenditures/Bldg. Fund

Unencumbered Balance
General Fund \$1,399.18
Building Fund 4,856.44

\$ 6,255.62

E. ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES
SCHOOL YEAR 1973-74

1. Salaries of District Officers & Expenses:	
Richard Collins	\$ 75.00
Mary Gosse	83.34
Lloyd Hanson	75.00
William Jenisch	75.00
Richard Collins	10.00
Margaret Foss	10.00
Ralph Pyne	25.00
Helen Merrill	25.00
Edna Bickford	10.00
Jean Eastman	10.00
Dorothy Perkins	10.00
Town of Barnstead	100.00
Pittsfield & Farmington News	21.60
Suncook Valley Sun	15.00
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	\$ 544.94
2. Salaries for Instruction:	
Teachers & Administrators	\$ 76,300.59
Substitutes	1,648.00
Clerical	2,644.41
Health Insurance	1,489.89
Teacher Aides	4,123.39
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	\$ 86,206.28
3. Textbooks:	
Harper & Row Publishers	\$ 62.87
Holt, Rinehart & Winston	254.64
Laidlaw Brothers	1,172.70
Litton Education Publishing	48.16
MacMillan Publishing Company	270.51
Ginn & Company	87.15
Scott Foresman	58.60
Houghton-Mifflin Company	19.50
Harcourt Brace & Jovanovich Inc.	21.48
Science Research Association	59.11
Perfection Form Company	123.78
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	\$ 2,178.50
4. School Library & Audia Visual Materials:	
H. W. Wilson Company	\$ 25.00
McGraw Hill Book Company	49.32
Leicester Learning Systems	189.00

Camelot Bookshop	1,165.87
National Geographic Magazine	10.25
National Wildlife Federation	6.50
Popular Subscription Services	35.70
Xerox Education Publication	5.95
Demco Educational Corp.	44.95
Eyegate House	146.00
Perfection Form Company	55.05
Rand McNally & Company	202.92
Society for Visual Education	112.62
New England School Supply	206.95
Holt, Rinehart & Winston	10.50
A. J. Nystrom & Company	5.78
Standard Duplicator Sales	104.45
MacMillan Publishing Company	27.95
Graybar Electric Company, Inc.	11.09
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	\$ 2,415.85
5. Teaching Supplies:	
Holt, Rinehart & Winston	\$ 626.88
MacMillan Publishing Company	770.54
Science Research Assoc.	28.76
Scholastic Magazines, Inc.	44.80
Xerox Education Publications	217.90
Harcourt Brace & Jovanovich	24.75
Laidlaw Brothers	14.97
Teachers College Press	34.30
Cuisenaire Company of America	16.75
CM Rice Paper Company	7.13
New England School Supply	1,653.12
Nasco	70.49
Borg Warner Education Systems	254.56
Snilz Manufacturing Company	33.59
Cardigan Sport Store, Inc.	127.50
Twin River Sport Shop	138.35
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	\$ 4,064.39
6. Contracted Services:	
N.H. Network	\$ 200.00
John W. Douglas	100.00
Peggy Robinson	50.00
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	\$ 350.00
7. Other Expenses of Instruction:	
New England School Supply	\$ 30.71
Stationery Shop	8.40

Brown & Saltmarsh Inc.	2.25
Barnstead Elem. School Activity Acct.	145.00
Kingswood Press	59.95
University of New Hampshire	152.10
Instructor Publications	8.00
Millward Teaching Aids Company	15.05
CCM Professional Magazines	8.00
Linda MacKnight	90.00
Rebecca Fatula	155.38
New England Reading Association	26.50
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	\$ 701.34
8. Attendance Service:	
Mr. William Jenisch	\$ 10.00
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9. Health Services:	
Salaries	\$ 1,558.00
Green's Drug Store, Inc.	59.24
Mrs. James Eastman	28.00
Pittsfield Medical & Surgical Assoc.	162.50
Barnstead Elem. School Activity Acct.	100.00
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	120.00
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	\$ 2,027.74
10. Pupil Transportation:	
Jan-Car Leasing	\$ 23,770.02
Barnstead Elem. School Activity Acct.	40.00
Barbara Bennett	837.90
Melvin Jones	674.00
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	\$ 25,321.92
11. Salaries — Operation of Plant:	\$ 7,767.12
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12. Supplies — Operation of Plant:	
George T. Johnson Company	\$ 1,310.01
Goodwin Paper Company	163.50
Graybar Electric Company	30.72
Merrimack Farmers Company	33.50
Pittsfield Paint Shop	24.40
Interstate Office & Ind.	17.69
Valley Forge Flag Company, Inc.	40.86
Youngs	80.85
Maxfield's Inc.	49.89
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	\$ 1,751.42

13. Contracted Services:		
Robert N. Feeny	\$	18.00
Wilfred Violette		390.00
Paul's Mobile Arc Welding		324.50
Merrimack Farmers Exchange		45.90
James I. Eastman		25.00
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	\$	803.40
14. Heat for Building:		
Huckins Oil Co., Inc.	\$	3,369.87
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15. Utilities for Building:		
Public Service Company of N.H.	\$	2,751.84
Union Telephone Company		651.74
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	\$	3,403.58
16. Replacement of Equipment:		
Mainco School Supply	\$	562.50
3M Business Product Sales		10.58
Lockwood Construction Company		41.06
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	\$	614.14
17. Repairs to Equipment:		
Laconia Office Machine Company	\$	41.95
Radio Service Laboratory		49.28
3M Business Product Sales		10.58
Kidder's Repairs Service		6.70
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	\$	108.51
18. Contracted Services:		
3M Business Product Sales	\$	49.50
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19. Repairs to Building:		
Huckins Oil Company Inc.	\$	8.50
Johnson Service Company		76.80
Whiteoak Plumbing & Heating		307.22
N.H. Labor Dept.		2.00
Pittsfield Bottled Gas Company		10.00
Hamilton Stock		20.00
Maxfield's Inc.		1.45
Dover Glass Company		12.00
Summit Electric Inc.		493.00
Demers Plate Glass Company		9.83
Craftsmen, Inc.		281.05
Kidder's Repair Service		18.05

	K-Ross Building Supply Center	83.50
	R. C. Foss & Son, Inc.	181.78
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		\$ 1,505.18
20.	Fixed Charges:	
	Retirement — FICA	\$ 6,119.43
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21.	Insurances:	
	Varney Insurance Agency	\$ 20.00
	Paige Agency	2,818.00
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		\$ 2,838.00
22.	School Lunch:	
	Federal Reimbursement	\$ 4,815.39
	Barnstead School Lunch	1,400.00
	Interstate Restaurant	167.97
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		\$ 6,383.36
23.	Site Improvement & New Equipment:	
	Mainco School Supply	\$ 1,431.80
	Bausch & Lomb, Inc.	85.06
	New England School Supply	158.95
	Lockwood Construction	160.00
	The George T. Johnson Company	178.60
	Merrimack Farmers Exchange	41.60
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		\$ 2,056.01
24.	Principal of Debt:	
	National Shawmut Bank	\$ 15,000.00
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25.	Interest on Debt:	
	National Shawmut Bank	\$ 12,825.00
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26.	Supervisory Union Expenses:	
	Governor Wentworth School Union #49	\$ 5,328.70
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27.	Tuition:	
	Merrimack Valley School District	\$ 931.00
	Alton School District	3,360.08
	Pittsfield School District	71,331.95
	Austin-Cate Academy	8,688.80
	Great Bay School & Training Center	1,714.00
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		\$ 86,025.83
28.	Contingency:	\$ 1,000.00
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	TOTAL	\$280,770.01

F. ANNUAL CAPITAL OUTLAY SUMMARY

Covering Receipts and Expenditures

For the Period July 1, 1973 to June 30, 1974

RECEIPTS

Dividends and Interest	\$ 894.39
Cash on Hand July 1, 1973	41,154.29
	42,048.68
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$42,048.68

EXPENDITURES

General Contract	\$13,057.00
Carpentry	150.00
Plumbing	481.00
Architects' Fees & Expenses	3,195.00
	16,883.00
Sub Total	16,883.00
Furniture and Equipment	20,309.24
TOTAL EXPENDITURES DURING YEAR	37,192.24
Cash on Hand June 30, 1974	4,856.44
	42,048.68
GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$42,048.68

G. STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

Name of Building or Project for which Notes or Bonds were Issued	Elementary Addition	Total
Outstanding at Beginning of Year	\$245,000.00	\$245,000.00
Issued During Year	<u>245,000.00</u>	<u>245,000.00</u>
Total	15,000.00	15,000.00
Payments of Principal of Debt	<u>\$230,000.00</u>	<u>\$230,000.00</u>
Notes and Bonds Outstanding at End of Year		

H. BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1974

ASSETS

Cash on Hand June 30, 1974	
General Fund	\$ 7,654.31
Building Fund	4,856.44
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TOTAL ASSETS — GRAND TOTAL	\$12,510.75

LIABILITIES

Cash on Hand June 30, 1974	
Building Fund	\$ 4,856.44
Accounts Owed by District	
Barnstead School Lunch	564.95
George T. Johnson Co.	1,471.60
Great Bay Association	607.00
Huckins Oil Co.	918.50
Public Service	338.97
Treasurer, State of N.H.	2,354.11
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$11,111.57
Surplus	1,399.18
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GRAND TOTAL	\$12,510.75

I. SALARY OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS,
ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR

School District	Percent	Supt.	Asst. Supt.	Bus. Adm.	Total
Alton	12.93	\$ 2,482.56	\$ 1,979.58	\$ 1,591.68	\$ 6,053.82
Barnstead	5.90	1,132.80	903.29	726.29	2,762.38
Pittsfield	14.62	2,807.04	2,238.32	1,799.72	6,845.08
Gov. Wentworth	66.55	12,777.60	10,188.81	8,192.31	31,158.72
Total District Share ..		\$19,200.00	\$15,310.00	\$12,310.00	\$46,820.00
State of N. H. Share..		2,500.00	2,190.00	2,190.00	6,880.00

BARNSTEAD BUDGET SUMMARY

SECTION I

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION

	Approved Budget 1974-75	School Board's Budget 1975-76	Recom- mended 1975-76
Administration			
Contracted Services	\$525.00	\$525.00	\$525.00
Other Expenses	75.00	75.00	75.00
Instruction			
Salaries	104,004.00	111,940.00	121,940.00
Textbooks	3,730.00	3,730.00	3,730.00
Library & Audiovisual Materials	2,981.00	2,693.00	2,693.00
Teaching Supplies	6,169.00	7,049.00	7,049.00
Contracted Services	926.00	1,266.00	1,266.00
Other Expenses	1,335.00	1,405.00	1,405.00
Attendance Services	10.00	10.00	10.00
Health Services	2,187.00	3,555.00	3,555.00
Pupil Transportation	35,786.00	47,450.00	46,250.00
Operation of Plant			
Salaries	8,470.00	9,551.00	9,551.00
Supplies	1,990.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Contracted Services	850.00	850.00	850.00
Heat	7,500.00	7,700.00	7,700.00
Utilities	4,344.00	4,700.00	4,700.00
Maintenance of Plant	2,100.00	3,300.00	3,300.00
Fixed Charges			
Employee Retirement & F.I.C.A.	8,595.00	8,905.00	8,905.00
Insurance	3,180.00	3,560.00	3,560.00
School Lunch & Spec. Milk			
Program	5,100	6,400.00	6,400.00
Student-Body Activities	375.00	400.00	400.00
Capital Outlay			
Equipment	122.00	845.00	1,245.00
Debt Service			
Principal of Debt	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
Interest on Debt	12,015.00	11,205.00	11,205.00
Outgoing Transfer Accounts in State			
Tuition	87,800.00	96,150.00	96,150.00
Supervisory Union Expenses	6,648.00	8,080.00	8,080.00
Other Expenses	8,400.00	6,300.00	6,300.00
Expenditures to other than			
Pub. Schools	931.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Contingency Fund	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Total Appropriations	\$333,148.00	\$369,144.00	\$378,344.00

SECTION II
Revenues & Credits Available
To Reduce School Taxes

	Estimated Revenues		
	Approved Revenues 1974-75	School Board's Budget 1975-76	Budget Committee 1975-76
Unencumbered Balance	\$1,399.18	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
Revenue from State Sources:			
Sweepstakes	3,888.74	4,000.00	4,000.00
School Building Aid	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
Supplemental Building Aid	1,294.63		
Foster Children Aid	200.00	200.00	200.00
Revenue from Federal Sources:			
Sch. Lunch & Special Milk Program	3,500.00	4,800.00	4,800.00
Local Revenue Except Taxes:			
Trust Fund Income	120.00	120.00	120.00
Total School Revenues and Credits	<u>\$14,902.55</u>	<u>\$15,620.00</u>	<u>\$15,620.00</u>
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	318,245.45	353,524.00	362,724.00
Total Appropriations	<u>\$333,148.00</u>	<u>\$369,144.00</u>	<u>\$378,344.00</u>

IV. PUPIL STATISTICS
A. PUPIL ENROLLMENT

September 1974

Grade	Attending Within School District	Tuition Pupils	Total Enrollment
1	33		33
2	27		27
3	32		32
4	31		31
5	35		35
6	30		30
7	26		26
8	25		25
9		27	27
10		15	15
11		25	25
12		15	15
Spec. Ed.		2	2
	<hr/> 239	<hr/> 84	<hr/> 323

B. CENSUS SUMMARY

September	Total 0-18	No. Attending Within District	No. Attending Outside District
1974	474	265	103
1973	503	262	116
1972	440	227	90
1971	382	165	85
1970	374	172	81
1969	351	183	68
1968	347	155	64
1967	301	148	68
1966	329	171	63
1965	340	155	78

V. AUXILIARY REPORTS
A. HEALTH SERVICE REPORT
1973-1974

Report of Local Medical Services

	Number
Pupils Examined	114
School Lunch People Examined	3
Bus Drivers Examined	5
Janitors Examined	2
Tuberculosis Tests Administered	10
Serology Tests	3
Stool Tests	3
Throat Culture	3

Report of School Nurse-Teacher

Visions Tests	270
Hearing Tests	278
Inspections	60
Heights	265
Weights	265
First Aid	128

Vaccinations & Communicable Diseases

Mumps	6
Pediculosis	5
Impetigo	10
Mononucleosis	2

Defects Found by School Nurse-Teacher

	Number of Cases	Number Treated
Vision	5	5
Hearing	3	2
Posture	3	
Speech	18	
Teeth	34	20
Tonsils	20	

Defects Found by Medical Examination

	Number of Cases	Number Treated
Mouth	2	
Orthopedic	2	
Nutrition	2	2

Clinics and Special Referrals

	Number of Cases	Number Treated
Dental Clinic	260	16
Mental Hygiene	3	3
Pre School	33	
Dental Hygiene	110	110

Number of Home Visits — 18

Submitted by,

HELEN SWEENEY,
School Nurse-Teacher

B. REPORT OF THE BARNSTEAD SCHOOL STUDY COMMITTEE

This committee was appointed by the School Board in March of 1974 per direction of the voters of the Town of Barnstead at the Annual School District Meeting. The purpose of the committee was to study the educational facility and the educational needs of the district and report these findings and recommendations to the School Board no later than January 1, 1975, as well as at the next Annual School District Meeting.

The members of the committee are Chairman Peter Yelle, Roger Genest, Wes Lavin, Secretary Pat Riel, and Maureen Rogers. Also meeting with the group has been School Board member Richard Collins, Principal Richard Check, Superintendent Damon Russell, and various guests who have shared with us their expertise.

Much of the time during the first meetings was spent in studying the Minimum Standards and Recommendations for New Hampshire Public Elementary Schools as set forth by the New Hampshire Department of Education and in comparing our own school with these State standards. Upon close examination we found that the areas on which we should concentrate our efforts were as follows: Art, Music, Physical Education, Health, Guidance, Library Services and teacher-student ratio.

We might take time to mention here one problem which really plagued us; the projected enrollment for the future. Helping us to get a better picture of the situation were members of the Planning Board in Town, and an enrollment projection by Mr. Russell. The consensus of opinion of these people seemed to lean toward a continued growth for the Town. After much discussion, we felt that if the growth rate were to continue as it has for the past 6-8 years, Barnstead would be faced with an overcrowded condition in its school system in the very near future, and would have to consider alternatives for solving this problem. However, upon comparing the enrollment this year in the Barnstead School with last year's, we found there was an extremely small increase in students. Upon further study this seems to be a trend in many schools in the nation which experts have predicted and have explained as a decrease in the birth rate. Another factor which could cause an influx of students into

the school would be people moving into town and settling here, but with the shape of the economy and the decrease in new building construction, we were very reluctant to project any increase based on this factor.

After taking into consideration the many variables and complexities involved in this study, we feel that we cannot in clear conscience recommend any additions to the physical plant at this time. However, present enrollment figures indicate we are at near capacity and therefore we feel the study should be continued for another year.

This past May the Committee was able to visit the school while it was in session. At this time we were able to obtain more insight into some of the strengths and weaknesses of the school, and to find the areas in which improvement might be needed. This visitation influenced us in drawing the conclusion of the previous paragraph, while at the same time in making our recommendations.

As a result of our visitation and studies, the following are our recommendations which we feel are areas that necessitate immediate consideration for the upcoming 1975-1976 school year:

1. Physical Education is presently taught by the individual classroom teacher which we feel is short-changing the children. We feel that a physical education teacher should be hired to insure that each class had physical education two periods a week. At present this would entail hiring a person for 3 days per week.
2. Art is also being taught by the individual classroom teacher. We recommend that the children have art at least one period per week. At present this would entail hiring an individual for 2 days per week.
3. We feel a music teacher should be employed for at least two days per week to insure each class having one period of music a week.
4. Guidance service is non-existent and we feel a guidance person should be hired for one day per week.
5. We would definitely like to see a separation of the Health Room and the Teachers' Room, and a nurse should be employed for two days per week.
6. We recommend funds be allocated to bring the library up to at least minimum standards, to include a librarian 2 days per week and to reduce aide services to three days per week from the present 5 days per week.

7. A reading specialist should be employed for 5 mornings a week to help diagnose reading problems and to assist classroom teachers to solve these problems.

NOTE: The additional staff members could possibly be hired on a shared time basis with other schools in the area. With the abundance of good teachers unemployed, we feel that filling such positions would not be that difficult. Actually, all these people, if hired on a shared-time basis, would cost the town approximately three additional staff members and we would gain all the above mentioned services.

Recommendations for future consideration are:

A. Improvements could be made to the existing plant to take care of the problems we noted on our visit, such as inadequate lighting and worn furniture.

B. Even though to meet minimum standards we do not need a full time principal, a person in such a position could make for a smoother running operation.

C. Instructional equipment is needed to include the following:

AUDIO-VISUAL EQUIPMENT—Opaque projector, more head sets and cassettes, 1 small portable movie screen or permanent classroom screens.

AUDIO-VISUAL MATERIALS—Career education materials, storage cabinet for materials, musical rhythm instruments.

OTHER—More sets of encyclopedias, elementary encyclopedias, study carrels for the library, rooms equipped with dark curtains for showing films.

As mentioned before, we feel that the committee should be continued for at least another year as there are areas which could greatly affect our school population and demands upon the space and services available.

1. We are going to have to realize that even though kindergarten is not mandatory now, there is an almost certainty that it will be in the future. If and when this becomes effective, we will in all likelihood be faced with the problem of providing more classroom space.

2. Special Education students are now tuitioned out and we felt this could possibly be worked on to keep these students within our own schools. This would also necessitate more classroom space at a future date.

3. Possible future housing developments in the town will have to be considered as they affect the school.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS,

Peter Yelle, Chairman

Pat Riel, Secretary

Wes Lavin

Roger Genest

Maureen Rogers

TENTATIVE SCHOOL WARRANT
The State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Barnstead qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Barnstead Elementary School in said district on the first day of March, 1975 at one-thirty in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
2. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.
3. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to re-appoint a five member study committee to study the educational and facility needs for the district and report these findings and recommendations to the School Board no later than January 1, 1976, as well as at the next Annual School District Meeting.
4. To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 to implement the following programs for the school year 1975-76:
 - A. Physical Education Teacher for Three (3) days per week.
 - B. Art Teacher for Two (2) days per week.
 - C. Music Teacher for Two (2) days per week.
 - D. Guidance Teacher for One (1) day per week.
 - E. Reading Specialist for Five (5) half days per week.

The above five programs are recommended by the school study committee and will bring the Barnstead School up to minimum standards. The above expenditures to be allocated and disbursed at the direction of the School Board or its designate. (Submitted by Petition—recommended by Budget Committee).

5. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officers and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.

6. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to make application for and receive in the name of the district such advances, grants-in-aid, or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereinafter be forthcoming from the United States Government, the State of New Hampshire, or any Federal or State Agency.
7. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$2,000.00 to establish a contingency fund to meet the cost of unanticipated expenses that may arise during the year.
8. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

TENTATIVE SCHOOL WARRANT
The State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Barnstead qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the fourth day of March, 1975, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To choose an Auditor for the ensuing year.

VII. TENTATIVE SCHOOL CALENDAR 1975-76

First Quarter						Third Quarter					
	M	T	W	T	F		M	T	W	T	F
Sept.			3	4	5	Feb.	2	3	4	5	6
	8	9	10	11	12		9	10	11	12	13
	15	16	17	18	19		16	17	18	19	20
	22	23	24	25	26		Vacation				
	29	30				Mar.	1	2	3	4	5
Oct.			1	2	3		8	9	10	11	12
	6	7	8	9	10		15	16	17	18	19
		14	15	16			22	23	24	25	26
	20	21	22	23	24		29	30	31		
	27	28	29	30	31	April				1	2
Nov.	3	4	5	6	7		5	6	7	8	9
46 Days						45 Days					
Second Quarter						Fourth Quarter					
	M	T	W	T	F		M	T	W	T	F
Nov.	10		12	13	14	April	12	13	14	15	16
	17	18	19	20	21		19	20	21	22	23
	24	25	26				Vacation				
Dec.	1	2	3	4	5	May	3	4	5	6	7
	8	9	10	11	12		10	11	12	13	14
	15	16	17	18	19		17	18	19	20	21
	22	23					24	25	26	27	28
	Vacation					June		1	2	3	4
Jan.	5	6	7	8	9		7	8	9	10	11
	12	13	14	15	16		14	15	16	17	18
	19	20	21	22	23	44 Days					
	26	27	28	29	30	49 Days					

Total Days for Year — 184

NO SCHOOL DAYS

October 13	Columbus Day
October 17	Teachers' Convention
November 11	Veterans' Day
November 27-28	Thanksgiving Recess
December 24-	Christmas
January 2	Vacation
February 23-27	Winter Vacation
April 19-23	Spring Vacation
May 31	Memorial Day

Teacher In-Service Training — 3 days to be determined

Births Registered in the Town of Barnstead, N.H., for the year ending December 31, 1974

Date of Birth 1974	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of Father
Feb. 8	Rochester	Tanya Lee Philbrick	Eugene Holden Philbrick	Wanda Sue Perkins	Ctr. Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Feb. 20	Concord	Justin Patrick Keating	Brian Richard Keating	Sylvia Elizabeth Kimball	Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Mar. 4	Concord	Jonathan Donald Riel	Donald Cleon Riel Jr.	Diane Lee Pyne	Barnstead, N.H.	Massachusetts	New Hampshire
Mar. 11	Concord	Daniel Vincent Chagnon	Terry Martin Chagnon	Margaret Ann Tilton	Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Mar. 28	Concord	Kenneth Geo. Publicover Jr.	Kenneth Geo. Publicover	Pamela Leona Ayer	Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
April 24	Manchester	William Herold Kelson	Carlisle William Kelson	Ellen Mary Strapia	E. Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
April 24	Concord	Amelia Erin McKinney	Todd Wilson McKinney	Margaret Ellen Callahan	Barnstead, N.H.	Connecticut	Massachusetts
June 2	Rochester	Matthew David White	James W. White	Nancy C. Allan	Ctr. Barnstead, N.H.	Massachusetts	Massachusetts
July 4	Concord	Arnold Warren Hayes Jr.	Arnold Warren Hayes	Shirley Mae Vien	Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
July 8	Concord	Car'by Alan Davis	Alan Kelley Davis	Linda Alice Schwall	Barnstead, N.H.	New York	New Hampshire
July 30	Concord	Adam Lee Young	Forrest Benjamin Young	Jacquelyn Sharon Lee	Ctr. Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Aug. 14	Concord	Michael Edward Huggins	John Austin Maxfield	Debra Ellen Eastman	Barnstead, N.H.	New York	New Hampshire
Aug. 20	Concord	Lisa Marie Caldwell	Michael Huggins	Paula Marie LaBrecque	Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Oct. 5	Concord	Stephanie Lynn Hubbell	Bruce Edward Caldwell	Carolyn Frances Hillsgrove	Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Oct. 14	Concord	Karrie Ann Reed	Thaddeus David Hubbell	Linda Sue Davis	Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	Massachusetts
Oct. 25	Concord	Roy Henry Cox Jr.	Roy Archie Reed	Sharyn Davinda Drolet	Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Nov. 25	Concord	Katrina Lee Lank	Roy Henry Cox	Susan Ruth Scott	Barnstead, N.H.	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Nov. 26	Concord		Howard Robert Lank	Duska Joy Murphy	Barnstead, N.H.	Maine	New Hampshire

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

FRANCES J. EASTMAN, Town Clerk

Marriages Registered in the Town of Barnstead, N.H., for the year ending December 31, 1974

Date of Marriage 1974	Place of Marriage	Name & Surname of Groom & Bride	Residence of Each At Time of Marriage	Date of Birth of Each	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplaces of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons By Whom Married
Feb. 1	Barnstead	Harold R. Jacques Dorothy A. Goodwin	Barnstead	5-29-21 12-16-40	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Harold J. Jacques Marion Mitchell Dennis J. Corcoran Dorothy E. Walker	Massachusetts Maine New Hampshire New Hampshire	Rev. Gordon L. Johnson (Minister) Chr. Barnstead, N.H.
Feb. 8	Chr. Barnstead	Gordon M. Smith Roberta C. Keene	Barnstead	2-19-14 2-21-30	Massachusetts	Thomas Gordon Esther Whittridge Joseph Cotton Ruth E. Hallert	Massachusetts Massachusetts Massachusetts Massachusetts	Rev. Gordon L. Johnson (Minister) Chr. Barnstead, N.H.
Apr. 6	Gilmanston IW	Robert K. Knirsch Joanne M. Senior	Barnstead	6-19-53 6-9-54	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Reinhold Knirsch Lorraine Finnegan Walter Senior Eileen Luden	New Hampshire New York New Hampshire New York	William H. Marsell (Minister) Gilmanston I.W., N.H.
May 3	Union	John Emerson Abbott Theresa Irene Bausquet	Wakefield	7-10-48 5-22-50	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Ralph Emerson Abbott Helen L. Grace Raymond E. Couch Marguerite Beauchaise	Maine New Hampshire New Hampshire Vermont	Marshall M. Stevenson (Clergyman) Rochester, N.H.
May 4	Barnstead	Ferdinand Zecha Sr. Katherine N. Vincent	Barnstead	2-20-99 8-2-07	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Florian Zecha Lena Hart Oscar Nelson Samara Heitamaki	Austria Germany Finland Finland	Rev. Gordon L. Johnson (Minister) Chr. Barnstead, N.H.
May 18	Gilmanston IW	Ralph Gordon Forsyth Leslie Ann Brown	Gilmanston I.W.	6-21-42 10-13-46	New Hampshire Massachusetts	Harry G. Forsyth Evelyn Rollins Charles Brown Elizabeth Godfrey	Canada New Hampshire New York Massachusetts	William H. Marsell (Minister) Gilmanston I.W., N.H.
May 31	Pittsfield	John Joseph Evans Patricia L. Reid	Ctr. Barnstead	5-20-42 4-7-48	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Emmeline Evans Warren E. Riley Charlotte L. Baldwin	New Hampshire Massachusetts Massachusetts	Payl J. Giddiz Justice of Peace Pittsfield, N.H.
Apr. 27	Pittsfield	Howard Robert Lank Duska Joy Murphy	Ctr. Barnstead	10-16-50 1-14-57	New Hampshire Maine	Howard J. Lank Hazel Parker William A. Murphy Anna M. Green	Rhode Island Vermont Maine Canada	Rev. Arlington E. Wry (Clergyman) Pittsfield, N.H.
June 8	Barnstead	Stephen Allison Fife Melanie Jean Tasker	Pittsfield	10-28-53 6-4-55	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Clifford A. Fife Alice E. Moses Milton S. Tasker Nancy R. Cotton	New Hampshire Massachusetts New Hampshire Massachusetts	Rev. Gordon L. Johnson (Minister) Chr. Barnstead, N.H.

June 28	Chichester	Arthur L. Gerback	Ctr. Barnstead	8-14-55	New Hampshire	Henry C. Gerlack Jr. Lorraine Berry Conrad Levasseur Juliette E. Fournier	Vermont New Hampshire Maine Maine	Rev. H. Franklin Parker (Clergyman) No. Chichester, N.H.
July 6	Barnstead	George E. Clement III Theresa A. Jennings	Barnstead Ctr. Barnstead	8-24-54 8-16-54 1-18-55	Maine New Hampshire Massachusetts	George E. Clement Kathleen Caras Gerard L. Jennings Marie C. Rossi	New Hampshire Michigan Massachusetts	Rev. Armand A. Turgeon (Priest) Alton, N.H.
July 20	Pittsfield	Daniel R. Cameron Elizabeth S. Kidder	Ctr. Barnstead Pittsfield	3-30-28 4-16-35	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Edward J. Cameron Gladys M. Richardson John W. Small Florence A. Arfin	Massachusetts New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	Rev. Arlington E. Wry (Ordained Clergyman) Pittsfield, N.H.
Aug. 25	Alton	Ernest A. Bergevin Pamela J. Watson	Suncook Alton	4-8-35 9-3-50	New Hampshire Maine	William J. Bergevin Gladys Nason William Watson Gloria Riley (Deane)	New Hampshire New Hampshire Massachusetts Maine	Rev. Dwight V. Meader (Minister) Alton, N.H.
Sept. 14	Barnstead	Dennis A. Miner Patricia M. Richardson	Barnstead Barnstead	9-30-56 12-4-56	New Hampshire Massachusetts	Harold A. Miner Marjorie M. Wade James W. Richardson Ruth Whoriskey	New Hampshire New Hampshire Massachusetts Massachusetts	Rev. Gordon L. Johnson (Minister) Ctr. Barnstead, N.H.
Oct. 19	Barnstead	Leonard G. Gilman Jr. Linda L. Jennings	Pittsfield Barnstead	6-25-54 10-19-57	New Hampshire Massachusetts	Leonard G. Gilman Sr. Norma H. Clark Gerald L. Jennings Marie C. Rossi	New Hampshire New Hampshire Michigan Massachusetts	Rev. Armand A. Turgeon (Priest) Alton, N.H.
Oct. 12	Rochester	Charles Sidney Storey Theresa Lynn Potter	Barnstead Loudon	1-3-55 5-1-55	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Robert I. Storey Winifred Kelley Lester F. Potter Alberta Staples	Massachusetts Massachusetts Massachusetts New Hampshire	Sherman A. Stevens (Minister) Gilmanton I.W., N.H.
Oct. 26	Somersworth	Randy Jay Perkins Mary Ellen Welch	Barrington Ctr. Barnstead	9-1-54 2-4-56	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Ferguson Jay Perkins Hazel Louise Cross Alston W. Walsh Wilma F. Hansen	Maine New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	Rev. Ronald C. Welch (Minister) Dover, N.H.
Dec. 23	Chichester	Raymond Streefer Christina V. Grant	Barnstead Barnstead	4-26-52 1-19-56	New Hampshire Maryland	Clifford Streefer Lorraine Evans Richard Grant Evelyn Love	Vermont New Hampshire New Hampshire Maryland	James W. Kelleff (Episcopal Priest) Tamworth, N.H.

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FRANCES J. EASTMAN, Town Clerk

Deaths Registered in the Town of Barnstead, N.H., for the year ending December 31, 1974

Date of Death 1974	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 13	Manchester, N.H.	Antonio Joseph Sylvain	72	New Hampshire	Ret. Maintenance	Francis Sylvain	Alphansine Lessard
Jan. 15	Manchester, N.H.	Alberton Herman Berry	57	New Hampshire	Truck Driver	Guy Berry	Eva Weymouth
Jan. 20	Barnstead, N.H.	George William Prince	75	Milton, N.H.	Shoe Worker	George H. Prince	Mary Hawland
Jan. 21	Pittsfield, N.H.	Della H. Betchelder	81	Orford, N.H.	Housewife	Alvan B. Heath	Ester Drew
Jan. 9	Concord, N.H.	Leonard E. Young	73	Medford, Mass.	Motorist	Robert Carl Jaeger	Louise Hoyt
Feb. 2	Manchester, N.H.	William Wilson Jaeger	75	Maine	Machinist	Harry W. Gordon	B'anche
Mar. 7	Concord, N.H.	Dorothy G. Morrison	71	Massachusetts	Stenographer	William S. Cate	Sadie Gray
Mar. 9	Concord, N.H.	Mabel C. Cameron	58	New Hampshire	Shoe Worker	Phillip S. Deane	Mary Kennard
Mar. 12	Concord, N.H.	Christine D. Towle	79	Massachusetts	Housewife	Frank Wilkenson	Lucy Roles
Mar. 25	Rochester, N.H.	Marjorie E. Berry	55	Massachusetts	Housewife	Sylvester Hill	Unknown
Apr. 19	Concord, N.H.	Raymond Hill	79	New Hampshire	Housewife	Mark Nutter	Mary E. Weeks
Apr. 23	Concord, N.H.	Abbie Maude Nutter	87	Epsom, N.H.	Offset Press Operator	Arthur D. Riel	Melissa Lord
Apr. 17	Barnstead	Daniel P. Riel	20	Concord, N.H.	Laborer	Unknown	Unknown
Apr. 28	Laconia, N.H.	Roger Packard	81	New Hampshire	Shoe Worker	Fred Curtis	Carrie
Apr. 29	Concord, N. H.	Chester F. Curtis	69	New Hampshire	Storekeeper	Fred S. Gilman	Etabelle Coffin
May 8	Wolfboro, N.H.	Freda A. Mountain	63	New Hampshire	Retired	Sidney Hanson	Laura Nutter
May 10	Concord, N.H.	Austin Hanson	70	Massachusetts	Housewife	David L. McDuffee	Mary E. Besse
June 15	Concord, N.H.	Edna M. MacPherson	78	New Hampshire	Farmer	Her-man P. Winkley	Winifred Chesley
June 22	Franklin	Howard Drake	57	New Hampshire	Farmer	Edwin B. Drake	Gurgilla D. Erierson
July 2	Barnstead	Ellerton G. Williams	66	Massachusetts	Rate Clerk	Thomas E. Williams	Alice E. Leishman
July 18	Manchester	Edmond Alphonsie Desmuller	79	France	Mule Spinning	Louis J. Desmuller	Adelle A. Masore
July 19	Concord, N.H.	Athol Evercutt Smith	68	Maine	Engineer	Norman A. Smith	Nellie F. Bragdon
Aug. 16	Chr. Barnstead, N.H.	Eva M. Rheault	78	New Hampshire	Photographer	Joseph Beaulieu	Lucia Larriere
Oct. 3	Barnstead, N.H.	Hattie Mary Seward	61	New Hampshire	Practical Nurse	Edward A. Coffran	Millie E. Harford
Oct. 3	Concord, N.H.	Mildred Corlies	76	New Hampshire	Textile Worker	James W. Hill	Margaret Gray
Nov. 10	Barnstead, N.H.	Robert M. Goodrich	79	New Hampshire	Executive Secretary	Robert V. Goodrich	Jessie A. Lang
Dec. 9	Epsom, N.H.	Alice B. Chapman	81	New Hampshire	Factory Worker	Frank Sewell	Sarah Evans
Dec. 9	Concord, N.H.	Oscar Boynton Pratt	77	New Hampshire	Greenhouse Grower	Frank Pratt	Abbie M. —

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