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Mayor Clyde R. Coolidge

MAYOR'S REPORT

Nineteen seventy was another year of exciting progress and activity in the City of Somersworth.

The greatest community concern during 1970 has been our school system. Shortly before the end of 1969, both St. Martin's and Holy Trinity Roman Catholic Churches announced that economic conditions would force them to cut back on their parochial school educational systems which involved approximately one half of the elementary school children in Somersworth. The Parish Councils and School Boards from each church met with the Somersworth School Board and City Council on several occasions to attempt to resolve this severe crisis. Both parishes finally consolidated their school systems into one, closed grades seven and eight and entered into a dual enrollment program with the city for the shared education of parochial school children in grades five and six.

In all, approximately 335 children were transferred to the public school system in the fall of 1970. To house these new students, the city rented six classrooms from St. Martin's Parish and during the summer months completely renovated the

old Commercial School building located on Union Street at a cost of a little over \$100,000.

On another front, our legislative delegation in Concord worked hard at the special legislative session to obtain passage of a new dual enrollment program which was finally passed by the Legislature and which reduced our financial impact.

Under this dual enrollment program, parochial school students in grades five and six attended their school for one half of the day and then attended the public school for one half of the day. Total public costs for this program were borne by the state for the first year and one half of the costs will be borne during the second full year of this program.

Under the emergency circumstances which existed we were frankly amazed and pleased at the cooperation on the part of the members of both St. Martin's and Holy Trinity Churches, the Somersworth School Board and City Council, and our legislative delegation in Concord. The spirit shown during these tense months is certainly a tribute to the people of Somersworth. However it is evident that our parochial school system will gradually phase out during the next few years.

In February we received a \$837,300 grant from the Department of Housing & Urban Development for a new water expansion program and for additional aid for our sewage abatement program. City Engineer Norman Leclerc deserves much credit for his untiring efforts in applying for this grant and following it through for the year it took to actually receive the funds. A political boost was given by Senior Senator Norris Cotton, who moved Somersworth's application to the top of the pile at the last moment.

The City Council approved a new Urban Renewal study of the so-called Smokey Hollow area of Somersworth to determine whether or not an Urban Renewal project should be constructed there. The Somersworth Housing Authority at the same

time added 60 additional units of leased housing for our elderly citizens, bringing our total of leased housing units for senior citizens to 120.

The Somersworth Planning Board received funds for a complete study of the city's zoning and the contract was awarded to Cambridge Associates. This planning study should result in proposed zoning changes which should add to the growth of our community in an orderly fashion.

Deputy Fire Chief Joseph Lucier retired after serving as a member and officer of the Somersworth Fire Department for 44 years.

The City Council voted for a tax map for the city and made plans to re-assess the property which was something that had not been done since 1956. The State Tax Commission ordered the re-assessment since our tax rate had gone over the \$80 per thousand mark.

The traffic Safety Committee continued its fine work during 1970, and the city received a special safety award by the American Automobile Association for our community's fourth straight year without a pedestrian fatality. A new system of patrol guards for school children made up of students from grades five and six was established under the leadership of George Reid. Many new traffic safety films were also shown to our school children under the leadership of Irving Liebson. We wish to commend Chairman Richard M. Deshaies, Sr.'s Committee for a continued performance of high excellence in the traffic safety area.

The Somersworth Charter Commission, under the direction of Chairman Robert L. Cullinane, completed its work on the proposed new charter for Somersworth. A special election was held in October and although the charter revision proposal was defeated, it provided the citizens of our community with an excellent chance to examine their government in a meaningful fashion.

The Somersworth High Hilltoppers

won their first State Baseball Championship under the leadership of Coach John Cummings.

The accomplishments of 1970 could not have been possible without the tireless efforts of the Somersworth City Council, the School Board, the official members of the City family and the people of Somersworth. We salute them for their community interest and activity which improved and strengthened our City.

Clyde R Coolidge
Clyde R. Coolidge, Mayor



Somersworth, a fine place for business, industrial, and family living.



OFFICIALS WHO HELD OFFICE IN 1970**Mayor**

Clyde R. Coolidge Term Expires
January, 1972

Councilmen Ward 1

Kenneth W. Blaisdell Term Expires
January, 1972

Paul E. Spellman Term Expires
January, 1972

Ward 2

Richard M. Deshaies, Sr. Term
Expires January, 1972

Richard Harvey Term Expires
January, 1972

Ward 3

Norman Joy Term Expires January,
1972

Raymond Lehoullier Term Expires
January, 1972

Ward 4

Robert Heon Term Expires January,
1972

Rene Boucher Term Expires
January, 1972

Ward 5

Jules H. Bisson Term Expires
January, 1972

Antoine Fournier Term Expires
January, 1972

Assessor

Clovis G. Chabot Term Expires
January, 1972

Building Inspector

Jackson Chick Term Expires
January, 1972

City Clerk

Norbert J. Couture Term Expires
January, 1972

Clerk of Court

Laurier SansCartier Indefinite
Appointment

District Court Judge

Clovis I. Desmarais Appointed until
age 70

Fire Chief

Arthur J. Nadeau Indefinite
Appointment

First Deputy Engineer

William Twitchell Term Expires
January, 1972

Second Deputy Engineer

Bernard McCabe Term Expires
January, 1972

Health Officer

Roland Dube Term Expires January,
1972

Messenger

Albert Morin Term Expires January,
1972

Overseer of Welfare

Clovis G. Chabot Term Expires
January, 1972

Physician

Dr. D. G. Eastman Term Expires
January, 1972

Plumbing Inspector

George Dumais Term Expires
January, 1972

Probation Officer

Frank Kinsman Term Expires
January, 1972

**Public Works Director
and City Engineer**

Norman Leclerc Term Expires
January, 1972

Special Justice

Oliver F. Colburn, Appointed until
age 70

Solicitor

Robert L. Cullinane Term Expires
January, 1972

Street Commissioner

Claude Patterson Term Expires
January, 1972

Tax Collector

Richard Salinger Term Expires
January, 1972

Treasurer

Thomas F. Pratt Term Expires
January, 1972

Park Commissioners

No Salary: Term 4 years Appointed
by Council

Mayor Clyde R. Coolidge Term
expires Jan. 1972

Jeffrey Francoeur Term expires Jan.
1974

Lionel Fournier Term expires Jan.
1971

Bernard Hodsdon Term expires Jan.
1972

Joseph H. Couture Term expires
Jan. 1973

Paul Leclerc, Alternate member,
Term expires Jan. 1973.

Police Commissioners

Salary: Chairman \$150 Oth-
ers \$125 Yearly Appointed by Coun-
cil

Term 2 Years

George Dumais Term expires Sept.
1, 1972

Omer Deroy Term expires Sept. 1,
1971

Robert Landry Term expires Sept. 1,
1972

Water Commissioners

Salary: Chairman \$250 Oth-
ers \$200 Yearly Appointed by Coun-
cil Term 2 Years.

Clyde R. Coolidge Term expires Jan.
1972

Albert Cartier Term expires Jan. 1972

Lucien O. Blouin Term expires Jan.
1972

Trustee of Trust Funds

Appointed by Council

Term 3 Years No Salary

Albert E. Dion Term expires Jan.
1973

Joseph Dreinczyk Term expires Jan.
1971

Roland N. Hebert Term expires Jan.
1972



Somersworth City Council members for 1970 were, left to right seated: Paul E. Spellman, Richard C. Harvey, Norman Joy, Rene Boucher, Jules H. Bisson. Standing: Kenneth W. Blaisdell, Richard M. Deshaies, Sr., Raymond S. Lehoullier, Robert G. Heon, Antoine A. Fournier.

Planning Board

Appointed by Mayor

No Salary Term 6 Years
Mayor Clyde R. Coolidge
City Engineer Norman Leclerc
City Councilman Kenneth Blaisdell

Administrative Members

Thomas McLin, Chairman Term expires Mar. 23, 1976
Anita Flynn Term expires Mar. 23, 1971
Albert O. Fournier Term expires Mar. 23, 1972
Francis C. Vincent Term expires Mar. 23, 1973
Herman Horne Term expires Mar. 23, 1974
Eugene Barry Term expires Mar. 23, 1975

Board of Adjustment

Appointed by Mayor and City Council

No Salary Term 5 Years
Valmore Fournier Term expires July 28, 1975
Charles Adams Term expires July 28, 1971
Alphonse Cochrane Term expires July 28, 1972
Albert O. Fournier Term expires July 28, 1973
Norman Turgeon, Chairman Term expires July 28, 1974

Cemetery Trustees

Appointed by City Council Term 5 Years

Salary: Clerk \$500 Others no salary
Everett Graves Term expires Jan. 1975
Robert Hodsdon, Chairman Term expires Jan. 1971

Jacob Cohen Term expires Jan. 1972
Wendell Pinkham Term expires Jan. 1973
Garet Richardson Term expires Jan. 1974

Supervisors of Checklists

Appointed by Council

Salary: Chairman \$100 each session
Clerk \$100 each session
Others \$75 each session
Frank Stevens Term expires Sept. 1975
Jane Sears Term expires Sept. 1971
Jewel Hebert Term expires Sept. 1972
Mariette Letourneau Term expires Sept. 1973
Richard Warnke Term expires Sept. 1974

Traffic Safety Committee

Appointed by Council

Richard M. Deshaies Term expires Dec. 1970
John Goff Term expires Dec. 1970
Richard Perry Term expires Dec. 1971
Leo Gagnon Term expires Dec. 1971
Irving Liebson Term expires Dec. 1972
Ken Blaisdell Term expires Dec. 1972

Library Trustees

Appointed by City Council

No Salary Term 5 Years
Harold Sears Term expires Jan. 1975
Gladys A. Hayes Term expires Jan. 1971
Loretta Chadbourne Term expires Jan. 1972

Celopie Semitros Term expires Jan. 1973
Gerard Gaudreau Term expires Jan. 1974

Librarian Anne C. Crist

Assessors

Appointed by City Council

Term 3 years Salary \$300 Yearly
William Ball Term expires Mar. 1973
James Cowan Term expires Mar. 1971
Clovis G. Chabot Term expires Mar. 1972

Somersworth Housing Authority

Appointed by Mayor

Term 5 Years No Salary
Richard A. Willett Term expires Feb. 28, 1969
Edward C. Charpentier Term expires Feb. 28, 1970
Louis Chasse Term expires Feb. 28, 1971
Rene Breton Term expires Feb. 28, 1972
Eugene F. Barry Term expires Feb. 28, 1973

Industrial Development Authority

Appointed by Council

Richard M. Deshaies Sr. Term expires Dec. 1970
Max Isacoff Term expires Dec. 1971
Leo Gagnon Term expires Dec. 1971

Selectmen

Elected 2 Years Exp. Jan. 1972 No Salary

Ward 1-	Marie Papajohn Rose A. Lambert Ted Papajohn
Ward 2-	Alfred Valley Eugene Habel John Layton
Ward 3-	Frank Ricker Alfred Lavoie Ovide Levesque
Ward 4-	Thomas Hanagan Arthur Albert Joseph Payeur
Ward 5-	Ernest Tanguay Joseph Tanguay Joseph Couture

RECREATION PROGRAM

Minor League baseball continued to be uppermost in the minds of youngsters in the five to ten year age group with over 75 youngsters in daily attendance. Coca Cola copped the championship title having won 15 games and losing 12. Eight baseball games a week were played at the Noble Pines Playground to the delight of the youngsters. Track and Field competition held once a week also drew support from the youngsters, who enjoyed competing against one another in setting records for their individual age groups.

Over 255 youngsters took part in five swimming trips to Spring Hill. Special trips attracting over 180 youngsters were also sponsored to Canobe Lake, and Benson's Animal Farm.

A basketball program was initiated for the 13-15 age group with games played against Rochester, Dover, Camp Fatima, and Camp Greylag. Our basketball team won four and lost four.

To improve the physical feature of the Noble Pines Playground, the outfield baseball fence was given a fresh coat of paint. Major improvements include:

1. The baseball diamond was completely resurfaced
2. The outfield was sodded
3. The lower tennis court was repaved
4. Both playgrounds were limed, fertilized, and seeded
5. A time clock was installed 7:00-11:00 p.m.

At the Ward V playground a time clock was installed for the basketball and tennis courts and a shelter area was erected for the children. Work was continued on increasing the size of the playground by putting "fill" off Depot Street.

A one-week nutrition program at the high school was enjoyed by 6-15 age group. Hot dog cook-outs were held every Thursday with great support from the children. Recreation was in-

strumental in the formation of Somersworth's first adult softball league and in the drainage of water on the softball court so that the league could have a suitable place to play games.

Ping-Pong, fishing derby, tether ball, wiffle ball, tennis, softball and arts & crafts were among some of the varied activities provided for the children. Special features included recreation rodeo, gold rush day and a doll show. Two record hops were provided for the teenagers. Band concerts were featured for the older set. An adult and junior tennis tournament was sponsored and drew considerable support

In the winter, Recreation sponsored three fourteen-week basketball leagues. The "Celtics" won the junior

elementary championship, the "Warriors" won the senior elementary championship, the "Astronauts" won the adult city league elementary championship. The high school gymnasium was made available to our youths and adults on Saturday afternoon from December through March. A ten-week physical fitness program was initiated for the fairer sex. For the first time an adult art and sewing course was sponsored by Recreation and was proven to be most successful.

The playground season officially closed with the annual Field Day.

Robert Langelier
Recreation Director



Tennis is becoming a more popular sport with all age groups as result of interested adult leadership. Here, tennis clinic gives basic instruction by pro to Somersworth young people.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

The new library building continues to attract visitors and many of these become regular borrowers and friends of the library. The staff has conducted tours of the facility and the reaction of the community in general has been most gratifying.

In our first complete year of operation the circulation of books is well over all previous records. The library loaned 6302 more volumes in 1970 than it circulated in 1969. Patrons have also enjoyed the Listening Post for recordings and the welcome addition of a copy machine to our services.

Teachers in the local system have been introducing children to the library by scheduling weekly visits and by encouraging students to use the library on their own time. The staff has conducted seventeen story hours for various groups, given several adult book talks, and stimulated reading during the summer months by means of a Summer Book Club which was enthusiastically received by the children.

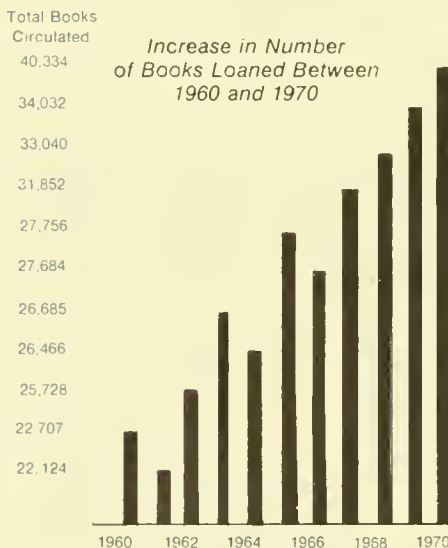
The functional design of the building has been an asset in handling this increased traffic in the library. On peak circulation days this fact has been both practical and effective in enabling the staff to process material being loaned or returned.

Statistics for 1970 are an encouraging indication of the direction of library growth in Somersworth.

Vol. Added	1116
Adult	1006
Juv.	110
Gifts	240
Vol. Discarded	84
Adult	41
Juv.	43
Registered borrowers	3467
Adult	1896
Juv.	1571
Circulation	40334
Adult	27706
Juv.	12628



Somersworth's Library - one year old



HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Through the help of everyone in this city, we have built a Health Department that compares favorably with that in any city in the state, regardless of size.

Here is an idea of the range of work and projects—not to mention the number of hours—that I put into this job during 1970:

- Travelled 2,810 miles on duty.
- Inspected businesses, reaching 40 more than last year.
- Worked with city physician and also informed all physicians in the city about changes ordered by the World Health Organization.
- I served on the Board of Directors of the Tri-Town Nursing Association.
- Held a clinic.
- Worked closely with the State Board of Health to improve the work of our own local department.

Our septic tank law is working very well and we have a tight control to assure that private citizens install their septic tank systems according to state and local laws. This is protection for everyone.

Breakdown of Activities

Issuing milk licenses exempt by law of fee	1
Inspection of business establishments	392
Complaints	52
Inspecting of areas	91
Inspecting homes to determine eligibility for state day care	2
Inspecting school cafeteria & school area	7
Inspecting milk plant	1
Measles clinic	1
Inspecting dairy farm	1

HEALTH DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

International Certificates of Vaccination	\$ 49.00
Restaurant license fees	\$615.00
Milk license fees	\$ 46.00
Septic tank permits	\$660.00
TOTAL	1370.00

PUBLIC WORKS & HIGHWAYS

During 1970 the City Council approved bonding of \$85,000 to finance the purchase of new equipment for the Highway Department. The items purchased included a three cubic yard front end loader, a Case 680 backhoe, three new 32,000 GVW dump trucks complete with bodies and plows and two new pickup trucks. The new equipment should prove to be a great help during both the summer maintenance programs and the winter snow removal operations. Some of the major items of work accomplished this year included the resurfacing with hottop of Grand Street from Rochester Street to Prospect Street, Prospect Street from Beacon Street to Grove Street, Beacon Street from High Street to Prospect Street and Highland Street from Grand Street to Prospect Street. In addition, Morning Street was partially reconstructed and totally resurfaced.

The Public Works Department surfaced with mix in place Cass Street and Oakridge Drive. The Public Works Department also undertook the gigantic task of reconstructing Blackwater Road which is 6700 feet long.

During the 1970 construction season approximately 10,000 cubic yards of peat were removed from the Bates Brook area to provide a stable base for the roadway and 5200 lineal feet of roadway was prepared for the base course of hottop which was applied in late September.

Nearly 6100 feet of 12" water line was constructed along with services to all possible lots across the roadway from the water main. In addition, approximately 3500 lineal feet of storm drain lines, together with the necessary catch basins were constructed on this section of the roadway. Three cross road culverts were constructed where brooks flowed across the roadway. It is anticipated that this project will be completed during 1971.

It is hoped that sometime in the near future the governing body of the city sees fit to provide the Highway Department with appropriate garage facilities.

Norman G. Leclerc,
Director



A Salmon Falls River clean-up was major Public Works project as part of pollution control work.



New apartment construction means extended water, sewage lines.



Public Works crews assist on park development project.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Student population growth continued to be the greatest problem facing the schools over the past year. From fifteen hundred and eighty-nine students in 1969, the population grew to two thousand and one students in 1970. This growth was caused by four factors:

1. The closing of Grades 7-8 at the parochial schools.
2. The enrolling of parochial school pupils from Grades 5-6 on a one-half time basis in the public schools.
3. The graduation of small Grade 12 classes being replaced by larger Grade 9 classes at the high school.
4. The replacement of small grade four classes in the Early Childhood Buildings with large classes of entering first graders.

The pinch in Grades 5-8 for classroom space was alleviated by the approval of a dual-enrollment program with the parochial schools, which resulted in the rental of four classrooms in the St. Martin's School building and the floating of a city bond to renovate the former Commercial School building.

In the early grades the incoming first grade classes have outnumbered the fourth grade classes that they have replaced, particularly at Hilltop School. This problem is being countered at Hilltop by the utilization of gymnasium space for classroom use. Unfortunately the increased number of students at the high school cannot be properly facilitated and consequently our high school is overcrowded. This is the biggest school problem facing the city.

With the student population of the system having increased by one-fourth in 1970, large budget increases have also resulted; but, under a calendar year system of budgeting (January 1 through December 31) only part of the increased cost for these students was budgeted in 1970. That is because only thirty percent of the 1970-71 school year occurs in 1970 (September through December).

Approximately thirty percent of a school year budget (September 1

through June 30) is expended between September 1 and December 31. Thus to complete the school year in a new calendar year there is a seventy percent cost factor remaining in the 1971 calendar year. The remaining thirty percent budgeted for the calendar school year beginning September 1 through December 31. The result is the so-called "built-in increase" in the school budget. That is, to continue a program begun in September of 1970 through June of 1971, seventy percent of the cost appears in the 1971 calendar year budget.

A leveling-off period in student growth should occur in Grades 1-8 beyond 1971, although this could change in the event of further parochial school closings or major increases in housing. The large numbers of students presently enrolled in the elementary schools will cause the high school to continue to grow to a peak of approximately nine hundred and fifty students by 1978. That represents some three hundred students more than the present facility is designed to handle.

The Joint Building Committee of the city council and school board in facing the high school building problem has focused primarily on increased cafeteria and kitchen space, increased library space, and increased vocational space for course offerings in the areas of the building and mechanical trades, home economics, and business education.

The designation of Somersworth High School as a Regional Vocational Center by the State Board of Education has caused the Joint Building Committee to study the implications of this designation before making recommendations on building at the high school.

The future development of the vocational center holds great promise for the people of Somersworth. We are proud of what we are doing in preparing the college bound students. The college bound students however represent only thirty percent of the high school population. We are frustrated by the limited program offerings for the larger seventy percent of our students.



Another prize-winning SHS "Echo" in production



Hilltoppers in action - another winning season



New quarters for Supervisory Union 56 on High St., Somersworth



Vocational education is intended to equip the high school student with a marketable trade or business skill upon graduation. The student may or may not choose to refine that skill through further attendance at a state vocational-technical school.

What is at stake in our continuing development of the high school program is the dignity of each student as he makes the transition into the adult world and as a contributing member of his community. The vocational program, when developed, should increase the holding power of the school through greater student interest and further reduce the drop-out rate which too often drops unskilled persons into society.

Along with his vocational studies it should be possible to tailor other courses to the individual's needs. Mathematics can be applied to most trade and business skills and such aspects of the English program as speech and communications will have more meaning to the student as he readies himself for the world of work.

The development of responsible citizenship should also increase among those students who wish to become responsible workers upon graduation and who wish to properly exercise their right to vote at the age of eighteen. It is necessary for the business community and all of the people of Somersworth to understand the nature of vocational education, what it can mean to our community and to support its development over the next several years.

The concept of vocational education is consistent with the goals of individualized instruction which we have been developing in our elementary schools over the past several years. Through individualized instruction we attempt to help each student learn to his maximum capacity, giving special attention to his specific interests, needs, and rate of learning.

The process of individualizing each student's program should begin in Grade 1 and continue throughout his school years with continuous monitor-

ing for his own information and for that of his parents.

An attitude for adults to foster is that the schools are a place to which we should return for our own purposes. With the change in job skills needed today, our vocational program, when developed, should include an evening program for adults which can either sharpen their old skills or develop new skills according to the needs of local industry.

A program for adults which has gained strength over the last three years has been the Adult Basic Education Program sponsored by the school board with funds from the federal government. This program is designed for adults who wish to improve their basic ability in such areas as reading, math, and language skills. The program has been held at both the high school and the newly renovated Middle School Annex.

Renovation of the Middle School Annex has been only a part of the improvements made in our school facilities. The endorsement by the city council and the school board of a supervisor of housekeeping and maintenance for all city buildings shows promise of more efficient utilization of personnel and for improved maintenance of our school buildings.

Safety improvements and much needed additional space has been provided at both Hilltop and Chandler schools. At Hilltop the cafeteria has been relocated in the basement from its gymnasium location. In the gymnasium three classrooms have been developed, two of which are being utilized by classes which were previously held in the basement and a third by a class which last year was held in the gymnasium, in competition with the lunch program. A second classroom which was in the gymnasium last year is being relocated in Chandler School in what was previously the kitchen and cafeteria area. The cafeteria at Chandler School is being relocated in that school's basement in an area previously used for food storage. Lunch will now be transported to the Chandler School from

the Middle School rather than continue the kitchen service at Chandler.

The transportation of hot lunch has proven successful at Hilltop, the Middle School Annex, and at Holy Trinity. Foods previously stored in the Chandler basement are now being stored in rented quarters. Food storage and kitchen facilities for the cooking of foods to be transported to the schools is one of the concerns of the Joint Building Committee as it considers its proposal for additional building space at the high school. Central storage and central cooking is one of the goals of our lunch program in order to be more efficient, economic, and to better serve the increasing volume of students.

The changes made in cafeteria location at Hilltop and Chandler have served not only to improve our lunch program but also to improve the conditions under which our early childhood students will learn. We are gaining one classroom for our Early Childhood Program at Chandler School through the renovation of further basement space, also previously used for storage purposes. Additional classroom space is necessary to accommodate the expansion of the dual-enrollment program to Grade 4.

The Early Childhood teaching staffs at Hilltop and Chandler schools are continuing to develop a more refined program of individualized instruction. Particular progress is being made in the vital areas of math and reading which will improve the learning opportunities of each child, providing him with a solid learning foundation in his early school years.

In the middle grades excellent staff work is going into the success of the dual-enrollment program at Grades 5-6 and to the continued development of a continuous progress curriculum. This process of curriculum revision is near completion in Grades 7-8.

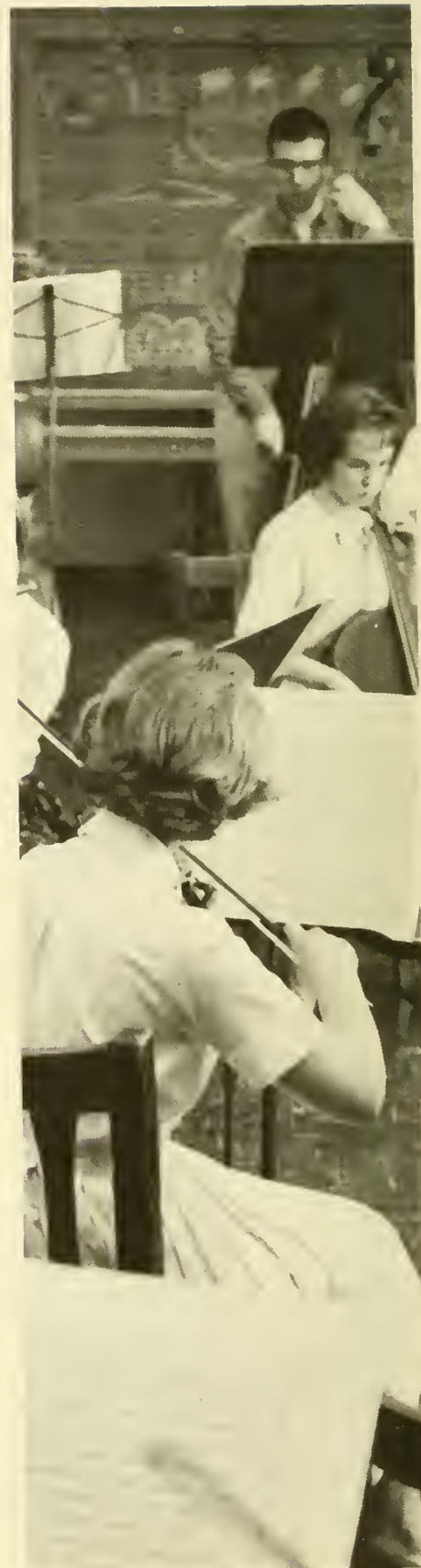
The progress in Grades 7-8 has been enhanced through the support of federal monies under Project SOLVE. This project is in support of the development of open schools and has contributed much to the development

by our own staff of the increased solidarity of the middle school program.

Another federal program which has enhanced the learning opportunities of our students is the Education Professions Development Act in our early childhood program at Chandler and Hilltop. Under this program federal monies are utilized for the training of college graduates in the techniques of early childhood education. These college graduates work along with our teachers and in this way provide additional assistance in the classroom resulting in more individual attention for the students. Monies under this program are also used for purposes of curriculum development and for the employment of consultants with early childhood expertise. Monies under Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act are also being meaningfully utilized in the early grades for counseling, speech, and learning disabilities specialists.

Federal money under the Peer Instruction Program encompasses the high school and the middle school. Under this program high school students may enroll in a course in which they become assistants to classroom teachers at the middle school, again enhancing the learning opportunities of our students through more persons from whom they can gain help. The high school student taking part in this program benefits considerably by the experience of helping others.

The Somersworth schools are emerging from a period of growth over the past few years during a period of educational change and social unrest across the nation. The challenge of growth and change has been met by the leadership in the community and we can now look forward to a period of stability and refinements of educational programs which will assure more learning for more students under the concept of individualization in which each student's education is as important as the next.



FIRE DEPARTMENT

Box Alarms	35
Engineer Alarms	51
Brush and Wood Alarms	20
Still Alarms	154
Sent Aid to other Depts.	5
Called in Aid from other Depts.	5
Total Alarms	270

Inspections and fire drills were held in all the city's schools and inspections were made in all industries and business places as a result of this Department's continuing fire prevention program.

Brush and grass permits issued: 322

Permits to install oil burners: 31

I wish to thank every one who helped me in the performance of my duties.

Arthur Nadeau
Chief



Two serious fires in 1970 were these — top, Green Street house blaze which resulted in fatality; bottom, Route 16 abandoned home which produced spectacular mid-night conflagration.



New truck added to the Fire Department to assure it keeps abreast of growing city's needs, was this 1,000 gallon LaFrance pumper. It replaced a smaller, obsolete unit.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

CRIMINAL OFFENSES

Abusive and derisive language	9
Accessory to Burglary	2
Assault	19
Attempted Larceny	2
Bastardy	3
Being present where narcotics were kept	2
Brawl and Tumult	3
Burglary	4
Carrying a concealed weapon	2
Contempt of Court	1
Contributing to the delinquency of a minor	1
Destruction of private property	4
Disorderly Conduct	2
Drinking on a public street	2
Drunk	45
Failure to answer summons	6
Failure to comply with Court Order	1
Failure to have child attend school	1
False report of a crime (Bomb Threat)	1
Illegal possession of liquor	11
Indecent Exposure	1
Petty Larceny	14
Grand Larceny	1
Misrepresenting age to procure liquor	1
Non-support of wife and children	3
Passing counterfeit bank bills	1
Possession of controlled drugs	5
Procuring liquor for a minor	1
Receiving stolen property	1
Refusing to assist a police officer	2
Robbery	2

Selling beer to a minor	1
Shoplifting	4
Surety of the peace	3
TOTAL	161

MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES

Allowing an unlicensed person to operate	3
Allowing an uninspected vehicle to be operated	1
Carrying a passenger on motorcycle without a helmet	1
Conduct after an accident	1
Driving motorcycle without safety equipment	4
Driving without corrective glasses	13
Driving without a license	32
Driving without proof of financial responsibility	5
Driving with defective equipment	65
Driving with improper license	1
Driving over a fire hose	7
Driving while under the influence of liquor	29
Driving to endanger	1
Driving after revocation of license	7
Driving an unregistered vehicle	5
Driving with a spot light on	1
Driving passenger vehicle with overwidth load	1
Driving truck with overlength load without a warning flag	1
Displaying fictitious license	1
Driving sno-mobile on a public way	1
Failure to answer parking tickets	79
Failure to answer summons	6
Failure to stop at stop sign	14
Failure to stop at red light	9
Failure to stop for school bus	6
Failure to stop for a police officer	11
Failure to have car inspected	20
Failure to dim lights	1
Failure to notify Commissioner of change of address	1
Failure to keep to the right of highway	3
Leaving the scene of an accident	5
Leaving unattended vehicle on traveled portion of highway	1
Misuse of plates	3

Misuse of power	1
Parking too close to fire hydrant	1
Passing at an intersection	1
Passing on the right	1
Reckless Driving	4
Speeding	233
Taking vehicle without owner's consent	5
Throwing refuse on highway	1
Unnecessary noises	23
Yellow line violation	14
TOTAL	623

JUVENILE OFFENSES

Delinquent Child	3
Assault	3
Attempted Larceny	1
Burglary	3
Drunk and disorderly	10
Failure to attend school	2
Illegal possession of liquor	1
Petty Larceny	8
Grand Larceny	1
Possession of liquor	1
Brawl and Tumult	1
Driving without a license	2
Leaving the scene of an accident	1
Shoplifting	1
Taking a vehicle without owner's consent	1
Truant from School	4
Neglected Child	1
TOTAL	44

DISPOSITION OF CASES

Appealed to Superior Court	22
Case Dismissed by Court	9
Committed to Industrial School	1
Continued for sentence	1
Indicted	1
Fined & committed to House of Correction for failure to pay fine	19
Found not guilty	3
Forfeited Bail	1
Nolle Prossed	38
Ordered to make restitution	1
Paid Fines to Court	656
Placed in custody of parents and Probation Dept.	38
Placed in custody of Welfare Dept.	1

Placed on File	23
Probable cause found — Held for High Court	7
Sent to State Hospital	1
Sentence suspended	2
Waived hearing — Held for High Court	4
TOTAL	828
Total Criminal Cases	161
Total Motor Vehicle Cases	623
Total Juvenile Cases	44

TOTAL CASES 828



Reflecting national trends, motor vehicle accidents and offenses climbed in Somersworth in 1970 over the previous year.



Assist to other Police Departments	533
Assist to other Departments	339
Assist to other persons	1044
Accidents reported at station	386
Autos damaged in accidents	663
Adults injured in accidents	88
Minors injured in accidents	19
Adults killed in accidents	3
Minor killed in accident	1
Pedestrians injured in accidents	9
Private property damaged in accidents	59
Attempted Burglary	3
Burglary	45

Larceny by Check	24
Petty Larceny	72
Grand Larceny	15
Dogs killed by autos	44
Fire Alarms answered by police	58
Goods reported lost or stolen at station	96
Goods found and turned in at station	109
Police Escorts to business concerns	735
Street lights reported out to Public Service Co.	16
Doors & Windows found unlocked & locked by police	573
Persons in for lodging	22
Persons in for safekeeping	31
Complaints received and taken care of by police	3041
Autos reported stolen	19
Autos recovered	16
Bicycles reported stolen	33
Bicycles recovered	16
Attempted Rape	1
Rape	1
Motorcycles reported stolen	3
Motorcycles recovered	1
Shoplifters	4
Suicide	1
Vandalism	40

CASH AND REFUNDS

Parking Tickets	\$918.75
Beano permits	120.00
Copy Machine	234.00
Telephone Refund	16.17
Gun Permits	50.00
Gas Tax Refund	74.20
Explosive License	10.00
Junk License	5.00
Bicycle Licenses	119.25
TOTAL	\$1,547.37

Somersworth Police Department Report on Criminal, Motor Vehicle and Juvenile Offenses.

CRIMINAL OFFENSES	1969	1970		
January	12	15	20.0%	Increase
February	10	12	16.6%	Increase
March	15	26	43.2%	Increase
April	17	13	23.5%	Decrease
May	8	12	33.3%	Increase
June	11	11	---	---
July	10	8	20.0%	Decrease
August	15	11	26.6%	Decrease
September	30	15	50.0%	Decrease
October	25	18	28.0%	Decrease
November	7	12	41.7%	Increase
December	15	8	46.6%	Decrease
TOTAL	175	161	8.0%	Decrease

MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES

January	16	29	44.0%	Increase
February	11	41	73.1%	Increase
March	22	37	40.5%	Increase
April	60	36	40.0%	Decrease
May	38	105	63.8%	Increase
June	18	43	58.1%	Increase
July	27	73	63.0%	Increase
August	35	64	45.3%	Increase
September	22	75	69.3%	Increase
October	37	37	---	---
November	20	53	62.3%	Increase
December	55	30	45.5%	Decrease
TOTAL	361	623	72.6%	Increase

JUVENILE OFFENSES

January	2	4	50.0%	Increase
February	2	4	50.0%	Increase
March	7	9	22.2%	Increase
April	1	1	---	---
May	2	6	66.6%	Increase
June	-	-	---	---
July	-	-	---	---
August	2	4	50.0%	Increase
September	1	3	66.6%	Increase
October	3	2	33.3%	Decrease
November	-	1	100.0%	Increase
December	2	10	80.0%	Increase
TOTAL	22	44	100%	Increase

OFFENSES COMMITTED (IN THE LAST 5 YEARS)

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970
CRIMINAL OFFENSES:	113	109	132	175	161
MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES:	236	318	292	361	623
JUVENILE OFFENSES:	23	21	30	22	44
TOTAL OFFENSES	372	448	454	558	828

There is a 12.5% increase in Court Cases to present date in comparison to year 1970.

DISTRICT COURT

RECEIPTS

Fines collected in Court	\$13,879.00
Bails (Appealed or Probable Cause for Superior Court)	1,585.00
Bails forfeited	300.00
Sale of legal forms to lawyers	77.65
Small Claims Fees (25¢ each)	46.00
Civil Cases (entry fees) \$1.00 each	23.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$15,910.65
Balance on hand December 31, 1969:	23.58
GRAND TOTAL:	\$15,934.23

EXPENDITURES

Department of Safety (State's Share of fines for Traffic Violations)	\$ 4,285.20
Fish & Game Department (Share of \$100.00 fine)	72.00
Witness Fees	385.40
Bails to Superior Court	1,585.00
Office Supplies (Legal forms, carbon paper, staples, etc.)	239.24
Special Justice	40.00
Audit of books	30.00
Doctors' Fees (Blood drawing in D.W.I. cases)	129.00
Bond for clerk	14.00
Stamps and Postage	18.60
Law books (Pocket Supplement)	25.00
City of Somersworth	9,100.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES:	\$15,923.44
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1970:	10.79
TOTAL:	\$15,934.23

Laurier W. Sans-Cartier,
Clerk of Court



Pedestrian Safety Citation was earned in Somersworth in 1970. For five years without a pedestrian fatality, the American Automobile Association presented its plaque which states: "Somersworth N.H., is cited for its record of no pedestrian deaths as reported in the AAA Pedestrian Safety Inventory while meeting AAA standards of program performance." Chief Charles J. Boucher, left, received the impressive award in ceremonies held by the sponsors in Concord.

POLICE DEPARTMENT EXPENDITURES

	APPROPRIATION	SPENT	BALANCE	OVER-SPENT
Salaries	109,119.80	\$109,328.90	\$---	\$209.10 *
Retirement	6,225.00	5,864.58	360.42	---
Electricity	350.00	433.89	---	83.89 *
N.E. Telephone	750.00	876.03	---	126.03 *
General Expenses	800.00	1,148.58	---	348.50 *
School Expenses	187.00	140.00	47.00	---
Clothing Allowance	2,600.00	2,491.30	108.70	---
New Equipment	1,000.00	1,061.51	---	61.50 *
Radio Repairs	500.00	389.03	110.97	---
Gasoline	1,600.00	1,448.60	151.40	---
Cruiser Rental	1,215.00	1,217.32	---	2.32 *
Cruiser Expenses	6,260.00	5,561.04	698.96	---
Insurance:	5,204.87	5,278.85	---	73.98 *
Workmen Comp.				
B.C.B.S.				
Cruiser Ins.				
F.I.C.A.	165.73	177.27	---	11.54 *
TOTAL	\$135,977.40	\$135,416.90	\$1,477.45	916.95 *
Total Appropriation:	\$135,977.40			
Total Spent:	135,416.90			
BALANCE FOR 1970:	\$560.50			

ORDINANCES ENACTED IN 1970

- Chapter 6
Physical exams, city employees, city vehicles. Passed Mar. 3
- Chapter 8.15e
Testing water meters. Tabled Mar. 3
- Chapter 7:7.12
Easement and land taking. Passed Mar. 31
- Chapter 8.15e
Testing water meters. Passed Apr. 7
- Chapter 13:22
Doctor of medicine, Referred to the traffic safety commissioner. Passed Apr. 16
- Chapter 13:11
Strike out the present sentence and insert the following: Franklin St. on the southerly side from Union St. to 24 Franklin St. Passed Apr. 16
- Chapter 13:13.12
By adding the following: Market St.: on the westerly side from Winter St. to 13 Market St.; Market St.: on the easterly side from Winter St. to Main St.; High St.: on the westerly side from Highland St. to 57 High St.; Market St.: on the westerly side from 45 Market St. between signs; Market St.: on the easterly side from Prospect St. and Beacon St. between the signs. Passed Apr. 16
- Chapter 13:7
Strike out: Cemetery Rd. eastbound traffic at West High
Cemetery Rd. westbound traffic at Maple St. ext.
and insert: West High for eastbound traffic at Cemetery Rd.
Maple St. ext. for westbound traffic at Cemetery Rd. Passed Apr. 16
- Chapter 13:13
Police car on the westerly side of Green St. Passed Apr. 16
- Chapter 13:12
Strike out: 2 hour parking on Walnut St. on the southerly side between Union and Main St.; Fore St. on the northerly side; Main St. on the westerly side from Market St. on the easterly side; Market St. to Fore St. from Winter St. to Prospect St.; Main St. on the westerly side from 37 Main St. to 61 Main St. Passed Apr. 16
- Chapter 13:7A
Traffic light control. Passed Apr. 16
- Chapter 13:13
(Joe's City Cab) Church St. Passed Apr. 16

Chapter 13:17
Strike out the present section and add a new section. Passed Apr. 16

Chapter 13:13.9
No parking (G.E. entrance) Passed Apr. 16

Chapter 4
Salaries Passed 7/1970

Chapter 13:12
Plaza parking lot, 2 hour parking. Passed Sept. 30

Chapter 13:10
Adding thereto: Somersworth Plaza Lane. Passed May 5

Chapter 13:13.23
Bicycles ordinance. Passed May 5

Chapter 13:13/14A
Parking regulations. Passed Apr. 16

Chapter 13
Dog leash law. Passed June 16

Chapter 13:22
Memorial Drive. Passed Sept. 9

Chapter 13:7
Adding thereto: In a westerly direction on Somersworth High School property at the corner of the road which intersects Cemetery Rd. and the Somersworth School Dr. Passed Sept. 9

Chapter 12:13.9
directly in front of the stores along the sidewalk at the downtown shopping center known as Somersworth Plaza. Passed Sept. 30

Chapter 13:25
Library area two parking spaces. Passed

Chapter 13:13.12
Delete the following: On the easterly side from Franklin St. to 50 Green St. On the westerly side from Franklin St. to 53 Green St. Passed Oct. 6

Chapter 13:9
On Pleasant St. on the south side of Pleasant St. where it intersects with High St. and proceeding in an easterly direction of 120 feet. Passed Oct. 6

Chapter 13:9
Rte. 16 (Industrial Park) Passed Oct. 6

Chapter 26
Tabled Jan. 1

Chapter 13:12
Strike out Plaza parking lot, and Section 13.9: Directly in front of stores along Somersworth Plaza. Insert a new section.

Chapter 12:13.25/13.26
Passed Jan. 1

PETITIONS AND POLE LICENSES

Public Service	22319
Memorial Drive	2/3/1970
Public Service	22093
Gonic Rd.	3/3/1970
New England Tel. conduit location	934921
Tri-City Rd.	3/3/1970
Public Service	22451
Bernier St.	4/7/1970
Public Service	22452
Bernier St.	4/7/1970
Public Service	22453
Brick St.	5/5/1970
Public Service	22582
Guy St.	7/23/1970
New England Tel. conduit location	93070
Blkwtr. Rd.	10/6/1970
Public Service	22695
Blkwtr. Rd.	10/6/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Approving Application of the Housing U.R. 9/39/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Fire 124 Green St. 12/1/1970

RESOLUTIONS

To Issue Tax Anticipation Notes. 1970 Jan 1970

Urban Renewal Study Tabled 2/1970 Tabled 3/1970

Pertaining to Parochial School 3/1970

Data Processing 3/1970

Resolution Renovation of Council Chambers 3/31/1970

Pertaining to Tax Maps 4/7/1970 passed 4/28/1970 a contract on the tax map with John O'Donnell, Assoc., Inc.

Pertaining to Highway Equipment 4/7/1970 (Fire Truck Included)

Pertaining to Urban Renewal Study 4/7/1970

Resolution Parking Lot (Urban Renewal) 4/16/1970

Resolution Supervisory Union 56 School Office Bldg. tabled 4/16/1970 passed 6/16/1970

Resolution pertaining to Refuse Collection Area. 5/5/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Audit 5/5/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Regional Planning Commission 5/5/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Authorizing Mayor to execute Grants for Water and Sewer Projects 5/21/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Commercial School Building. 5/21/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Leasing Housing 6/21/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Workable Program Recertification 7/23/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Water Bond Issue 7/23/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Urban Renewal Study 7/23/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Equipment Bond Issue 7/23/1970

Resolution Pertaining to Traffic Safety Study 7/23/1970



URBAN RENEWAL

During the fiscal year ended on December 31, 1970, the Somersworth Housing Authority—acting upon the request made by the Mayor and City Council following a public hearing—successfully completed negotiations with the New York Regional Office of the Department of Housing and Urban Development which brought about changes in the Triangle Urban Renewal Plan.

These changes have made possible the retention of the Grant Building and its sale to the City of Somersworth for municipal purposes.

They have also made it possible for the Getty Oil Co. to regain possession of the site of Val's Tydol Station and to purchase additional land for the purpose of constructing a modern and attractive service station.

Under the original Urban Renewal Plan, the existing structures in this area were to be demolished and the land was to be acquired by the City for the purpose of establishing a municipal center of which the new public library is a part.

The Mayor and City Council, after re-studying the matter, decided that the Grant Building—which is structurally

sound—can be successfully remodeled and be converted for use as a courtroom, police station and municipal offices.

It was the decision of the Mayor and Council also that the area presently occupied by Val's Tydol Station could more profitably be used for commercial purposes.

The Somersworth Housing Authority cooperated with the Mayor and Council and conducted the negotiations with HUD to bring about the necessary plan changes.

As a result, the land required for the erection of a new, larger and more attractive service station has been purchased by the Getty Oil Co. and the Somersworth Housing Authority is seeking long-awaited action by the Mayor and Council relating to the acquisition of the Grant Building by the City.

The Getty Oil Company has shown elaborate plans for its new station, which is to be beautifully landscaped. Construction is scheduled to start early in the spring.

Smokey Hollow Survey

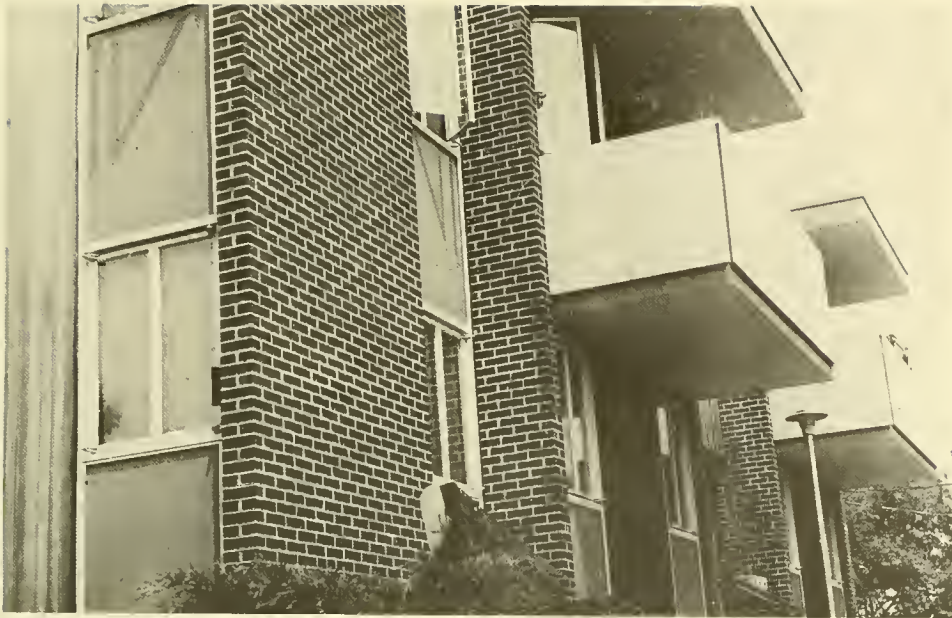
The Somersworth Housing Authority

—in 1970—submitted to the Department of Housing and Urban Development an application for surveying and planning funds in the sum of \$155,000 to be used in preparing plans for a new urban renewal project in the Smokey Hollow area.

The proposed survey, which was approved by the City Council, would cover an area having tentative boundaries as follows: — Being at the corner of Main and Fayette Streets near City Hall, up Fayette to Green, down Green to School, through School to Union to Summer, through Summer to Main, up Main to the corner of Fayette.

This Survey and Planning Application is now being reviewed in the new Manchester Area Office of HUD. Because the new Area Office has not yet become fully organized and staffed and because of a presidential veto of a bill which would have provided needed funds, definite action has been delayed.

If, and when, this application is approved and the funds provided, survey and planning action will get under way and a renewal plan will be prepared and submitted to the Mayor and City Council for approval.



Housing for Somersworth's elder citizens — 154 units were in use in Somersworth through 1970.

The proposed project is predominantly residential and would involve the acquisition and demolition of sub-standard buildings, the rehabilitation of structurally sound buildings to meet code requirements, new construction, and improvements to public utilities and facilities.

This area was recommended for treatment in the Somersworth Development Plan prepared for the Somersworth Planning Board by the Planning Services Group, Cambridge, Mass. back in 1960.

Workable Program Recertified

Early in the year, the Somersworth Housing Authority prepared for the Somersworth Planning Board a Workable Program for Community Improvement which is required by the Department of Housing and Urban Development before Somersworth can apply for certain federal projects involving financial assistance.

The previously submitted Workable Program had been permitted to expire with the result that Somersworth had not been recertified since 1965.

After approving the new Program, the Planning Board submitted it to the Mayor and City Council. Following Council approval, the Mayor submitted the Workable Program to HUD requesting recertification, which was later obtained.

Somersworth's Workable Program has

now been recertified for the next two years and, as a result, the City will be eligible for certain federal projects and grants for which it could not previously have been considered.

Final Major Improvement Project Completed

The final major improvement project in the Triangle Urban Renewal Area was completed this year.

This was in the form of new road and sidewalk construction and granite curb installation on Washington Street between Orange and High Streets.

This work was performed by the Iafola Construction Company at a cost of \$34,000.

Urban Renewal Action in 1971

Triangle Urban Renewal action in 1971 will be centered in the area which is bounded by Main, High and Fore Streets.

If present plans materialize and existing commitments are met, the Getty Oil Company will, early in the spring, demolish its old service station on High Street and begin the construction of a new and larger building.

Shortly thereafter, the City of Somersworth is scheduled to acquire, renovate and remodel the Grant Building for use as a courtroom, police station and municipal offices.

In the meantime, the Somersworth

Conservation Committee is expected to formulate plans for the beautification of the open space in the area.

Triangle Project in Closing Stages

With the disposition of the area in which the Getty Oil Company station and Grant Building are located, Triangle Urban Renewal Plan action is slowly drawing into the closing stages.

The Somersworth Housing Authority is striving for a closing by the end of 1971 but it is doubtful that this objective can be reached.

There is still some land to be disposed of in the Somersworth Plaza. Although a large percentage of this area land has been sold and developed, disposition of the remainder has been made somewhat difficult by the competition resulting from the development of the Tri-City Plaza and the continued threat of additional competition in the development of another major shopping center nearby.

An important factor bearing upon the completion date of the Triangle Project will be the action taken by the City Council relating to the Central Fire Station.

In the Cooperation Agreement between the Somersworth Housing Authority and the City of Somersworth for the Triangle Project, the City agreed that, "When the Authority shall require possession," it would convey the Central Fire Station to the Authority in return for which "The City shall receive full credit on its obligations hereunder for the appraised fair market value thereof as approved by the Government." The approved fair market value has been set at \$40,000.

It is evident that the conveyance of the fire station to the Authority cannot be made until the Mayor and City Council make some provision for a new fire station.

Leased Housing

The Somersworth Housing Authority operated sixty units of leased housing under the Section 23 Program during 1970 in what is known as our Project N.H. 6-3.

The Leasing Program has become very popular and has been highly successful and beneficial to many people and from many viewpoints.

It has provided improved living conditions to scores of citizens at rents

which they can afford to pay. Through new construction and major rehabilitation, it has added to Somersworth's total housing supply. And this action has been of real value to the City as it has substantially broadened the tax base and increased the tax income.

The results of the Leasing Program are also favorable and satisfactory from the operational viewpoint.

The Project is being operated well within the limitations of the Annual Contributions Contract with the Department of Housing and Urban Development—a fact which is made clearly evident in the Statement of Operating Receipts and Expenditures and Annual Contributions Earned which is presented on the following page.

The commissioners of the Somersworth Housing Authority—in accordance with established custom—submit herewith to the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Somersworth a narrative account of the Authority's activities, together with financial statements, covering the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1970 and ending December 31, 1970.

Because of the nature of this report, it is obvious that it cannot be all-inclusive and cannot provide the fullest measure of detailed and defined information.

Therefore, the services of the executive director are being made available to the Mayor and Council members—individually or collectively—for the purpose of providing such explanation, clarification and additional information as may be desired.

Housing Totals 240 Units

The Somersworth Housing Authority's Housing Program—as a result of the recent addition of 60 leased units—now involves a total of 240 units.

These 240 units are divided among three projects as follows:

Albert J. Nadeau Homes — Project N.H. 6-1

56 units for low-income families.

Robert H. Filion Terrace — Project N.H. 6-2

64 units for the elderly

Leased Housing — Project N.H. 6-3

90 units for the elderly

30 units for low-income families

The breakdown of the unit total by occupancy is as follows:

Elderly	154 units
Low-Income Families	86 units

Request Sidewalk on Bartlett Avenue

On previous occasions, the Somersworth Housing Authority has called to the attention of the Mayor and City Council the fact that a dangerous situation exists in the area of the Bartlett Avenue Housing Project because the City has taken no action to provide a sidewalk from High Street to Cass Street as requested.

It has been pointed out that traffic in this area is comparatively heavy; that there are more than 125 children residing there; that it is a common thing to see mothers—forced by necessity to do so—wheeling baby carriages in the road; and that this is a matter worthy of immediate attention to prevent what could well be a serious or fatal accident.

The request by the Somersworth Housing Authority that such a sidewalk be constructed in the interests of public safety is justified on the basis of Section 6(B) of the Cooperation Agreement between the Authority and the City of Somersworth.

At the risk of being repetitious, the Somersworth Housing Authority again requests that the City Council take necessary action to the end that there might be no need for any future regrets.

Acknowledgements

The Somersworth Housing Authority publicly acknowledges the excellent cooperation and assistance received throughout the past year from the officials and staff members of the New York Regional Office and the Manchester Area Office of the Department of Housing and Urban Development and hereby expresses thanks and appreciation.

The Authority is also grateful to the Mayor, members of the City Council, and all of the other City Officials of Somersworth who have cooperated with and assisted us in our efforts to build a better, more beautiful and more prosperous community.

Martin J. Flanagan,
Executive Director

SOMERSWORTH HOUSING AUTHORITY

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Richard A. Willett	

Staff

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Ann M. St. Laurent	Secretary
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Financial Status

The Statement of Operating Income and Expenditures for 1970—which follows—clearly presents the financial status of the Somersworth Housing Authority's conventional housing projects, Albert J. Nadeau Homes (N.H. 6-1) and Robert H. Filion Terrace (N.H. 6-2).

This statement points up the fact that—although 1970 was a year in which large expenditures for extraordinary maintenance were required—both projects remained in sound financial condition and continued to maintain reserves at the maximum allowed. The extraordinary expenditures for maintenance were for painting and for major repairs and replacements in the heat and hot water distribution systems in Project N.H. 6-1 and totaled \$11,800.33

The Somersworth Housing Authority completed the fiscal year for these projects with total operating receipts of \$84,571.37 and total operating expenses of \$83,654.47.

There was a capital expenditure of \$486.00 for replacement of non-expendable equipment and prior year adjustments amounting to \$430.90.

As noted, the reserves in the amount of \$20,300 represent the maximum which the Department of Housing and Urban Development permits the Somersworth Housing Authority to accumulate.

Statement of Operating Income and Expenditures January 1, 1970 - December 31, 1970 Projects N.H. 6-1 & N.H. 6-2

Operating Income:	
Dwelling Rentals	\$75,002.25
Interest on Investments	1,013.44
Other Income	43.50
Total Operating Income	76,059.19
P.H.A. Contribution Earned	8,512.18
Total Operating Receipts	\$84,571.37
Operating Expense:	
Administration	10,931.71
Utilities	38,255.39
Ordinary Maintenance and Operation	14,548.90
General Expense	8,118.14
Total Routine Expense	71,854.14
Extraordinary Maintenance	11,800.33
Total Operating Expense	\$83,654.47
Capital Expenditures:	
Replacement of Non-Expendable Equipment	486.00
	\$84,140.47
Residual Receipts:	
Before Prior Year Adjustments, etc.	430.90
Prior Year Adjustments	430.90
Residual Receipts	
* Before Provision for Reserve	-0-
Provision for Operating Reserve	-0-
Residual Receipts	-0-
* Reserves are at maximum allowed	\$20,300.00

**TAX COLLECTOR'S
SUMMARY OF
WARRANT - PROPERTY
POLL AND YIELD TAXES**

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$1,241,087.64
Poll Taxes	7,634.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	2,402.40

Total Warrant \$1,251,124.04

Yield Taxes

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$
Poll Taxes	20.00

Interest Collected

TOTAL DEBITS \$1,251,144.04

Remittances to Treasurer

Property Taxes	\$1,021,387.67
Poll Taxes	4,988.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	2,402.40
Yield Taxes	
Interest Collected	
	\$1,028,778.07

Discount Allowed

Abatements:

Property Taxes	\$4,842.41
Poll Taxes	522.00
Yield Taxes	
	5,364.41

Uncollected Taxes - As Per Collector's List:

Property Taxes	\$215,121.14
Poll Taxes	2,124.00
Yield Taxes	

TOTAL CREDITS \$217,245.14

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Original Warrant	\$23,895.00
Added Taxes	210.00
Total Commitment	\$24,105.00
Penalties Collected	49.00

TOTAL DEBITS \$24,154.00

Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$16,220.00
Penalties	49.00
	\$16,269.00
Abatements	1,355.00

Uncollected Head Taxes - As Per Collector's List	6,530.00
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TOTAL CREDITS \$24,154.00

**RE-VALUATION
STARTED IN 1970**

A complete revaluation of all property in Somersworth was started in late 1970. It was to continue well into the following year as teams from the State Tax Commission joined with the local assessing office in the important city-wide job of equalizing property values.



Chief Appraiser Donat Roy was part of the State's team who brought his many years of assessing experience to work on setting realistic value for Somersworth property. Richard Ethier is Supervisor of the revaluation and here takes measurements of a home in order to arrive at a fair value for it.



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COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET - BOND INDEBTEDNESS**ASSETS**

BOND REQUIREMENT	1970	
School		1,115,000.00
Interceptor Sewer		510,000.00
Sewer		150,000.00
Library		105,000.00
Urban Renewal		88,000.00
Water		50,000.00
Bridge		30,000.00
Highway		100,000.00
Improvement & Equipment		130,000.00
	TOTAL ASSETS	2,278,000.00

LIABILITIES**SCHOOL BONDS OUTSTANDING**

12/1/55-12/1/74	2.75%	100,000.00
11/1/61-11/1/81	3.50	110,000.00
12/1/63-12/1/83	3.20	260,000.00
8/1/68-8/1/88	4.70	465,000.00
10/1/70-10/1/78	5.40	80,000.00
10/1/70-10/1/80	5.40	100,000.00
		1,115,000.00

INTERCEPTOR SEWER BONDS OUTSTANDING

11/1/64-11/1/87	3.10%	510,000.00
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SEWER BONDS OUTSTANDING

11/1/61-11/1/81	3.50%	150,000.00
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LIBRARY BONDS OUTSTANDING

8/1/68-8/1/81	4.70%	105,000.00
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URBAN RENEWAL BONDS OUTSTANDING

8/1/64-8/1/74	3.10%	40,000.00
12/1/67-12/1/75	4.30	48,000.00
		88,000.00

WATER BONDS OUTSTANDING

12/1/72-12/1/72	2.00%	10,000.00
7/1/59-7/1/74	3.60	40,000.00
		50,000.00

BRIDGE BONDS OUTSTANDING

8/1/68-8/1/76	4.70%	30,000.00
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HIGHWAY BONDS OUTSTANDING

3/1/70-3/1/80	6.00%	100,000.00
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IMPROVEMENT & EQUIP. BONDS OUTSTANDING

3/1/56-3/1/71	2.50%	5,000.00
10/1/70-10/1/75	5.40	125,000.00

	TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,278,000.00
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FUNDS HELD IN TRUST BY THE CITY

	Balance at Beginning of Year	New Funds	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance
CEMETERY TRUST FUND	\$64,817.32	\$762.66	\$3,955.18	\$3,955.18	\$65,079.98
Created January, 1887 Invested in Somersworth-Rollinsford Savings Bank					
CHANDLER TRUST FUND (LIBRARY)	2,291.80		147.18		2,438.98
Created June, 1894 Invested in Somersworth-Rollinsford Savings Bank					
HARRY STEIN-SOMERSWORTH SHOE, INC.	14,317.55	1,000.00	585.33	6,000.00	15,302.88
Scholarship Fund Created December, 1962 Invested in Somersworth National Bank					
HARRY STEIN-SOMERSWORTH SHOE, INC.	17,366.27	815.00	1,022.45	700.00	18,199.95
Scholarship Fund Created December, 1962 Invested in Somersworth-Rollinsford Bank					
TOTAL	98,792.94	2,077.66	5,710.14	5,255.18	101,325.56

LOCAL REVENUE, 1970

	ESTIMATED	ACTUAL	BALANCE
AUTO PERMIT	80,000.00	84,177.09	4,177.09-
HEAD TAX ABATEMENTS	3,005.00		3,005.00cr
HEAD TAX INCOME	2,250.00	1,995.29	254.71cr
UNCOLL. TAXES PROP. INT.	3,500.00	5,737.82	2,237.82-
INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS	50,000.00	39,835.06	10,164.94cr
INTEREST AND DIVIDEND TAX	9,498.21	9,498.21	.00
MISC. LICENSES	2,500.00	2,375.80	124.20cr
NATIONAL BANK STOCK	2,402.40	2,402.40	.00
OVERLAY (g.l.)	11,473.79		11,473.79
POLICE COURT FEES	6,500.00	9,100.00	2,600.00-
POLL TAX (g.l.)	7,634.00		7,634.00
POLICE DEPT. FEES	1,000.00	1,547.37	547.37-
POLL TAX PENALTY	200.00	199.15	.85
PROFIT TAX	372,545.00	372,545.01	.01-
RENT	1,200.00		1,200.00
ROOMS AND MEALS	39,200.00	39,980.62	780.62-
SAVINGS BANK TAX	6,805.08	6,805.08	.00
SCHOOL DEPT.	415,820.66	327,766.18	88,054.48 cr
SOMER. HOUSING (TAXES)	3,750.00		3,750.00
SOMER. HOUSING FORCE ACCOUNT	4,500.00		4,500.00
TOTAL	\$1,023,784.14	903,965.08	119,819.06

**BALANCE SHEET, AS
OF DECEMBER 1970**

ACCOUNT	APPROP.	RECEIPTS	TOTAL	TOTAL EXPENDED	BALANCE
ADMINISTRATION					
City Treasurer 300.00					
Plumbing Inspector 50.00					
City Solicitor 3,000.					
Council payroll 2,496.00					
Legal supplies and misc. expenses, services 1,298.61					
Audit 4,037.74					
Councilman Monthly 1,800.	14,570.00	.00	14,570.00	12,982.35	1,587.65
ASSESSOR	21,228.82	213.40	21,442.22	22,108.19	665.97cr
BUILDING CODE		1,058.50	1,058.50	1,058.50	.00
CEMETERY	7,858.10	6,380.18	14,238.28	13,890.47	347.81
CITY CLERK	17,606.86	.00	17,606.86	17,833.43	226.57cr
CIVIL DEF.	500.00	.00	500.00	432.84	67.16
CHRISTMAS LIGHTING	500.00	.00	500.00	500.00	.00
INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMM	750.00	.00	750.00	55.00	695.00
MEMORIAL DAY	750.00	.00	750.00	750.00	.00
NH MUNICIPAL ASSOC.	600.00	.00	600.00	461.74	138.26
REGIONAL PLAN COMM.	3,600.00	.00	3,600.00	2,840.00	760.00
TRAFFIC SAFETY COMM.	800.00	50.00	850.00	4,035.82	3,185.82cr
ELECTION	4,755.00	.00	4,755.00	5,503.03	748.03cr
FICA	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
FIRE	48,036.07	1,236.02	49,272.09	51,783.48	2,511.39cr
DISTRICT COURT	4,090.00	.00	4,090.00	4,286.32	196.32cr
BONDS AND BOND SERV. (Int.)	.00	.00	.00	1,555.00	1,555.00cr
BONDS	11,550.00	.00	11,550.00	10,000.00	1,550.00
TRUSTEE OF TR FUNDS	.00	.00	.00	143.00	143.00cr
BONDS / INSURANCE	.00	.00	.00	5.00	5.00cr
NOTES PAYABLE	80,741.17	.00	80,741.17	80,754.17	13.00cr
FICA OLD. AGE INS. PLAN	.00	.00	.00	19.99	19.99cr
COUNTY TAX	93,318.40	.00	93,318.40	93,318.40	.00
HYDRANTS	4,320.00	.00	4,320.00	4,320.00	.00
MUNICIPAL PARKING LOT	12,494.00	.00	12,494.00	12,556.40	62.40cr
PRINTING	2,000.00	.00	2,000.00	2,473.77	473.77cr
STREET LIGHTS	35,795.84	.00	35,795.84	35,500.45	295.39
TAXES BERWICK DAM	450.00	.00	450.00	515.00	65.00cr
VET EXEMPTION	38,709.61-	.00	38,709.61-	.00	38,709.61
GROUP INSURANCE	237.98	118.99	356.97	356.97cr	713.94
HEALTH DEPT.	8,000.00	1,470.00	9,445.00	9,590.96	120.96cr
LIBRARY	32,321.34	93.14	32,414.48	33,876.73	1,462.25cr
MAYOR OFFICE	13,367.91	45.00	13,412.91	14,413.29	1,000.38cr
MUN BLDG	15,009.92	.00	15,009.92	15,375.34	365.42cr
PARKS / PLAYGROUNDS	13,000.00	25.00	13,025.00	13,321.17	296.17cr
POLICE DEPT.	135,977.40	755.14	136,732.54	136,154.90	577.64
PUBLIC WORKS					
P.W. expended 72,339.98					
Hgw. 140,517.43					
Refuse 38,124.13	241,614.45	11,896.32	253,510.77	250,981.54	2,529.23
SCHOOL DEPT. **	1,361,703.35	.00	1,361,703.35	1,362,264.57	561.22cr
TAX COLLECTOR	16,254.49	.00	16,254.49	15,955.70	298.79
ZONING	8,300.00	60.00	8,360.00	6,793.04	1,566.96
WELFARE	27,768.28	775.03	28,523.31	34,471.96	5,948.65cr
WORK. COMP.	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
	2,239,869.38	24,156.72	2,264,026.10	2,272,525.08	8,498.98-

** SCHOOL DEPT. \$100,000 Imp. bond
1970 account payable 7,243.37

**SOMERSWORTH SCHOOL DISTRICT
BALANCE SHEET FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1970**

	1970 ADOPTED BUDGET	EXPENDITURES	BALANCE
ADMINISTRATION			
Salaries	\$75.00	\$75.00	
Contracted Services	1,431.73	1,431.73	
Other Expenses	180.00	596.39	(\$416.39)
INSTRUCTION			
Salaries	752,844.50	744,319.93	8,524.57
Textbooks — Elementary	8,040.00	3,009.56	5,030.44
Textbooks — High	8,700.00	8,597.54	102.46
Library & Audiovisual — Elementary	2,370.00	1,416.66	953.34
Library & Audiovisual — High	3,556.50	4,143.66	(587.16)
Teaching Supplies — Elementary	10,192.00	20,512.34	(10,320.34)
Teaching Supplies — High	12,000.00	12,290.16	(290.16)
Contracted Services	3,011.00	4,462.76	(1,451.76)
Other Expenses — Elementary	2,600.00	1,878.26	721.74
Other Expenses — High	5,178.50	2,252.71	2,925.79
Teacher Tuition Reimbursement	3,000.00	1,545.00	1,455.00
HEALTH SERVICES	11,372.00	10,833.76	538.24
PUPIL TRANSPORTATION	37,159.20	36,901.80	257.40
OPERATION OF PLANT			
Salaries	21,305.00	20,588.38	716.62
Supplies	6,300.55	5,773.58	526.97
Contracted Services	25,374.08	26,161.31	(787.23)
Heat	20,200.00	20,628.81	787.23)
Utilities	16,600.00	17,792.69	(1,192.69)
Other		52.64	(52.64)
MAINTENANCE OF PLANT	14,000.00	12,548.59	1,451.41
FIXED CHARGES			
Employee Retirement and FICA	38,225.00	37,771.43	453.57
Insurance	8,996.00	8,665.47	330.53
Blue Cross	5,465.60	4,489.49	976.11
Life Insurance	1,330.00	585.00	745.00
Rental	4,000.00	4,000.00	
SCHOOL LUNCH & SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM	5,546.00	7,848.75	(2,302.75)
STUDENT-BODY ACTIVITIES	17,423.00	14,918.12	2,504.88
COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES	1,000.00	2,206.14	(1,206.14)
CAPITAL OUTLAY			
Sites	2,500.00	3,297.01	(797.01)
Buildings		2,210.45	(2,210.45)
Equipment	16,858.00	23,072.19	(6,214.19)
Library Stock	4,000.00	3,539.20	460.80
DEBT SERVICE			
Principal of Debt	85,000.00	85,000.00	
Interest on Debt	39,862.50	39,862.50	
Other (Coupons)	100.00	70.85	29.15
OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS			
Supervisory Union No. 56	32,076.19	32,076.19	
Tuition and Transportation — Intel Retarded	12,300.00	12,743.32	(443.32)
	\$1,240,172.35	\$1,240,169.37	\$2.98

	1970 ADOPTED BUDGET	RECEIPTS	BALANCE
RECEIPTS			
REVENUE FROM STATE			
Foundation Aid	\$65,302.09	\$65,302.09*	
School Building Aid	34,134.48	34,134.48	
Sweepstakes	9,074.96	9,202.67	(127.71)
Intellectually Retarded	1,000.00	1,330.44	(330.44)

Reorganization Incentive Aid	12,882.19	12,882.19	
Dual Enrollment	39,605.00	39,000.00	605.00
Special Services to Non-Public Schools	4,258.00	3,748.99	509.01
Physically Handicapped		269.98	(269.98)

REVENUE FROM FEDERAL SOURCES

NDEA — Title III	2,000.00	1,094.05	905.95
Vocational Education	500.00	830.00	(330.00)
Public Law 874	30,000.00	33,618.76*	(3,618.76)

**AMOUNTS RECEIVED FROM
OTHER SCHOOL DISTRICTS**

Tuition	95,532.94	92,288.94*	3,244.00
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REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES

Other, Rent, etc.		1,074.17	(1,074.17)
Total Revenue	\$294,289.66	\$294,776.76	(\$487.10)
District Assessment	945,882.69	945,392.61	490.08
	\$1,240,172.35	\$1,240,169.37	\$2.98

*Receipts due in 1970 but received in 1971 are:

**SOMERSWORTH SCHOOL BOARD
1970-71**

Hon. Clyde R. Coolidge

Ward 1: Alexander Loika
Ward 2: Maureen Leclerc,
Secretary

Ward 3: Ruth Cullinane
Ward 4: Leo Bernier

Appointed by City Council: Louis Bograkos
William Chick, Paul Cronshaw
Glenn Davis, Paul Gagnon

Chairman: Glen Davis

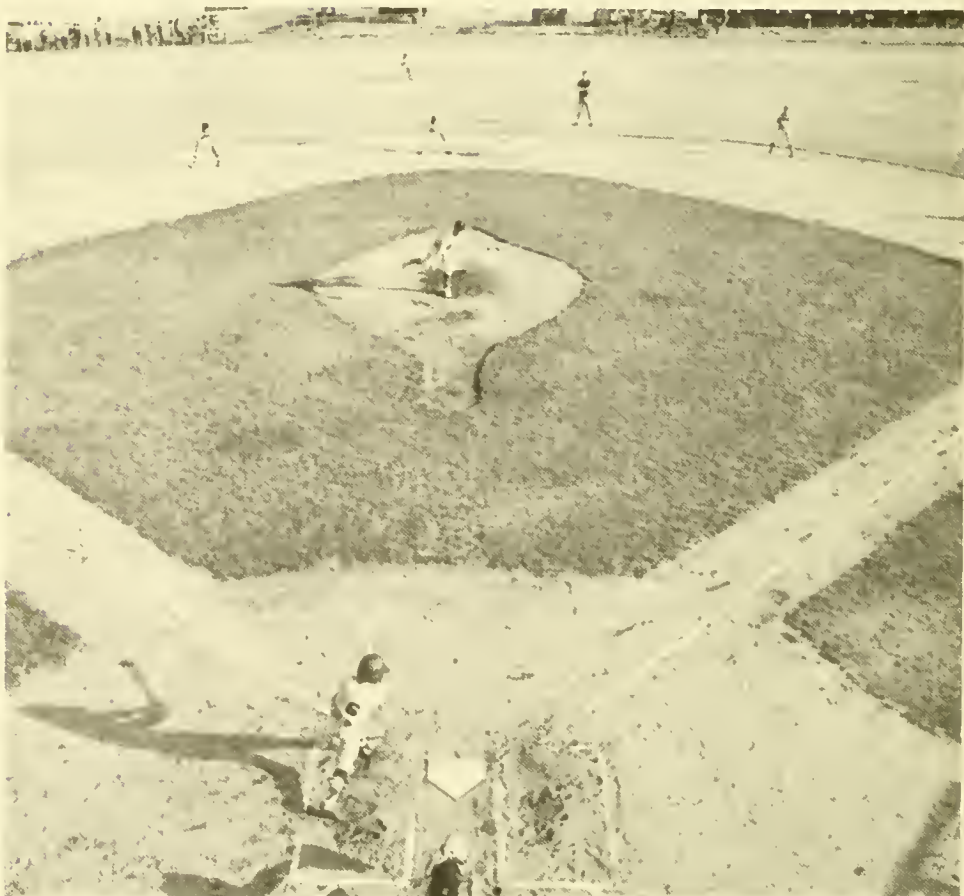
**STANDING COMMITTEES
1970-71**

Finance: Gagnon, Loika, Davis
Parochial School Committee: Davis,
Loika, Gagnon
High School: Chick, Cronshaw,
Bograkos
Middle School: Gagnon, Bernier,
Leclerc
Elementary School: Loika,
Cronshaw, Cullinane
Joint Building: Bernier, Loika,
Cronshaw
Policy: Cullinane, Cronshaw,
Gagnon
Transportation: Bernier, Cullinane,
Loika
Athletic: Bograkos, LeHoullier,
Chick
Budget: Davis, Loika, Gagnon,
Cronshaw, Chick
Supervisory Union Board: Gagnon,
Leclerc, LeHoullier, Cronshaw,
Cullinane, Chick

Surplus:

Total Receipts	\$294,776.76
Anticipated Receipts	294,289.66
Surplus	\$487.10

	Amount
Foundation Aid	\$32,651.04
Tuition	1,467.97
Public Law 874	3,479.76
	\$37,598.77



Somersworth has a fine Little League field and a full summer baseball schedule.

**SOMERSWORTH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
EXPLANATION OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN NET (ACTUAL) EXPENDITURES
AND GROSS TRANSACTIONS CALENDAR YEAR 1970**

	AMOUNT
RECEIPTS	
Total Net Income (not including receipts from City Appropriation) per Balance Sheet attached	\$294,776.76
Plus total refunds received during year (see list attached)	49,218.33
Plus Refund from Federal Government on School Lunch Program	19,578.15
Plus Refund on overpayment of tuition by Rollinsford School District (6/30/70)	901.93
TOTAL GROSS RECEIPTS	<u>\$364,475.17</u>
RECONCILIATION	
Treasurer's Receipts 1/1/70-6/30/70	\$119,069.46
Treasurer's Receipts 7/1/70-12/31/70	216,543.44
	<u>335,612.90</u>
Plus Receipts due in 1970 but Received in 1971:	
Public Law 874	3,479.76
Foundation Aid	32,651.04
Tuition	1,467.97
Less Receipts Received in 1970 but due in 1969:	
Public Law 874 (1/30/70)	(5,189.00)
Public Service Co. (2/13/70)	(3,547.50)
TOTAL GROSS RECEIPTS	<u>\$364,475.17</u>
DISBURSEMENTS	
Total Net Disbursements (per attached balance sheet)	\$1,240,169.37
Plus Disbursements Refunded during Year (see attached list)	49,218.33
Plus Refunds on Overpayment of Tuition (see above)	901.93
Plus Refunds from Federal Government on School Lunch Program	19,578.15
Pre-Payment of Payroll Deductions by school district:	
Teacher dues — to be reimbursed from teachers' salaries in 1971	1,184.00
Less Payroll Deductions received in 1970 from teachers on teacher dues which had been prepaid by district in 1969	(1,334.00)
Plus Refunds due but not Received until 1971:	
Interstate \$625.10	
Middle School 152.50	
	777.60
TOTAL GROSS DISBURSEMENTS	<u>\$1,310,495.38</u>
RECONCILIATION	
Treasurer's Disbursements 1/1/70-6/30/70	\$724,220.37
Treasurer's Disbursements 7/1/70-12/31/70	586,275.01
	<u>\$1,310,495.38</u>

**SOMERSWORTH SCHOOL
DEPARTMENT REFUNDS
CALENDAR YEAR 1970**

DATE	NAME	EXPLANATION	AMOUNT
1/9/70	Cash (Rec'd from H. Gagne)	Refund on Heater, Ralph Pill Co.	\$38.70
1/19/70	Cash	Books sold & reimbursement on telephone calls	268.34
1/19/70	Cash - Independent Book Company	Sale of books	3.00
1/19/70	EPDA-Early Childhood	Refund on phone calls	24.23
1/26/70	Rochester School Department	Refund on transportation	112.50
1/29/70	Cash - Independent Book Company	Sale of books	58.50
1/29/70	Cash - Independent Book Company	Sale of books	1.50
2/6/70	Somersworth Driver Ed Program	Refund on salary — R. Brunelle	580.24
2/13/70	Jr. High Addition Construction Acct	Setting up gym	10.00
2/16/70	Cash	Refund on phone calls	6.00
2/26/70	Cash - Independent Book Company	Science Books sold	36.01
3/13/70	Somersworth High Student Fund	Refund for books	50.41
3/17/70	Somersworth Driver Ed Program	Refund on Salaries	1,160.49
3/25/70	Cash	Reimb. on books, telephone, Arts & Crafts, art supplies	79.18
4/6/70	EPDA-Early Childhood	Refund on phone calls	20.84
4/29/70	Willett Insurance Co., Inc.	Vandalism	101.00
5/4/70	Project SOLVE	Reimb. for conference attended by P. Ballentine	25.00
5/11/70	SAD No. 60	Refund on transportation	879.00
5/12/70	Oyster River Cooperative	Refund on transportation	135.00
5/14/70	Acton School District	Refund on transportation	135.00
5/20/70	Somersworth High Student Fund	Refund for glass from PPG	50.83
5/20/70	New American Library	Discount on Invoice	4.65
5/21/70	EPDA-Early Childhood	Refund on phone calls	28.09
5/26/70	Christian Day School	Refund on Nurses' Services	27.00
6/3/70	UNH	Balance of Wm. Ewert's Salary	1,454.16
6/12/70	Cash	Refund on phone calls	4.00
6/18/70	Cash	Refund on phone calls	20.05
6/18/70	Daniel Beamis	Purchased used typewriter	65.00
6/18/70	Eddy Bourque	Purchased used typewriter	60.00
6/19/70	Beverly Hotaling	Purchased used typewriter	60.00
6/22/70	Wells School District	Refund on transportation	135.00
6/23/70	EPDA-Early Childhood	Refund on phone calls	33.17
6/30/70	Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.	Reimbursement — Annuities	120.00
6/30/70	Somersworth Driver Ed. Program	Refund on Salaries	2,844.63
6/30/70	State of New Hampshire	(Non food assistance) School Lunch Program	13,416.75
7/13/70	Rollinsford School District	Balance of Music Teacher's Salary	1,022.99
7/21/70	Newington School District	Balance of Music Teacher's Salary	528.86
7/21/70	State of New Hampshire	N. Yeaton attending Area Vocational Workshop	60.00
7/27/70	Somersworth Title I Project	Reimbursement — Teachers' Salaries	4,394.91
7/30/70	EPDA-Early Childhood	Jan-June Salary Reimbursement	6,521.47
7/30/70	Granite State Insurance	Vandalism	192.00
7/31/70	Doubleday & Company, Inc.	Reimb. on publications cancelled	1.14
7/31/70	Somersworth Middle School Annex	Advance of Funds to Gray & Lehoullier	970.00
8/5/70	City of Rochester	Refund on Transportation	112.50
8/19/70	Ray Brunelle	Reimb. for Invoices paid to Rockingham Electric & Ralph Pill	72.35

9/4/70	Richard Sweeney	Refund on Insurance	10.00
9/23/70	Milton School District	Refund on Transportation	456.00
9/24/70	UNH	Refund on phone calls-summer school	29.20
10/15/70	Somersworth Title I Project	Reimbursement of Teachers' Salary	471.60
10/15/70	Somersworth Hilltop Recreation Fund	Reimbursement — Towards playground equipment	209.68
10/28/70	Somersworth Driver Ed. Program	Refund on salary — R. Brunelle	1,200.00
11/10/70	EPDA-Early Childhood	Refund on phone calls	20.26
11/20/70	Somersworth Driver Ed. Program	Refund on salary — R. Brunelle	840.00
11/23/70	Rollinsford School District	Reimb. for Music Teacher's Salary	511.99
11/23/70	Newington School District	Reimb. for Music Teacher's Salary	260.07
11/23/70	Oyster River Cooperative	Refund on Transportation	108.00
12/3/70	Somersworth Title I Project	Refund on phone calls	6.67
12/3/70	Somersworth Title I Project	Refund on salary	2,709.90
12/4/70	National Education Association	Overpayment on Invoice	3.29
12/18/70	EPDA-Early Childhood	Reimbursement — G. Puffer's Salary	3,218.18
12/28/70	Somersworth Driver Ed. Program	Refund on salary — R. Brunelle	2,921.00
12/30/70	Wells School District	Refund on Transportation	108.00
12/31/70	Somersworth Driver Ed. Program	Refund on Salary — E. Labbe	210.00
		TOTAL	\$49,218.33

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