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ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

TOWN OF

New Durham

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st

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SELECTMEN

TOWN CLERK

TAX COLLECTOR

TOWN TREASURER

FIRE DEPARTMENT

POLICE DEPARTMENT

DIRECTOR OF CIVIL DEFENSE

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

of

NEW DURHAM

NEW HAMPSHIRE

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EMERGENCY PHONES

FIRE DEPARTMENT	1-524-1545
POLICE	1-800-582-7240
SELECTMEN'S OFFICE	859-2091
ALTON VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE SERVICE	875-3752

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator
WILLIAM H. NEHRING

Town Clerk
MARY V. FULLER

Selectmen

HARRY NUTTER Term Expires 1976
THOMAS MYATT (resigned)

Replaced By:

PAUL O'CONNELL Term Expires 1976
DEAN STIMPSON Term Expires 1978

Tax Collector
MARY V. FULLER

Town Treasurer
FREDA M. CHAMBERLIN

Police Chief
PAUL R. GELINAS

Auditors

ERNEST C. JEWELL ROBERT A. NIXON

Supervisors of the Check List

JAMES H. PARSHLEY Term Expires 1976
MARION M. SMITH Term Expires 1978
ELLEN C. DADURA Term Expires 1980

Budget Committee

CHARLES H. DENNEHY Term Expires 1976
WILLIAM H. NEHRING Term Expires 1976
FREDERICK W. LEATHE (resigned)

Replaced By:

HERVE' LOISELLE, JR. Term Expires 1977
PAUL A. BLAISDELL Term Expires 1977
JOHN BARNET, JR. Term Expires 1978
WILLIAM C. WYATT Term Expires 1978
HARRY NUTTER Selectman Member

Health Officer
PAUL R. GELINAS

Fire Chief
GEORGE E. BICKFORD

Fire Commissioners
ROBERT W. BERRY Term Expires 1976
WILLIAM C. WYATT Term Expires 1977
PAUL A. BLAISDELL Term Expires 1978

Road Agent
NELSON E. CHAMBERLIN

Overseer of Poor
PAUL R. GELINAS

Library Trustees
ELOISE W. BICKFORD Term Expires 1976
PATRICIA PRINCE Term Expires 1976
ESTELLE C. LOISELLE Term Expires 1976
DAVID L. MUNROE Term Expires 1976
ELAINE T. SCOTT Term Expires 1977
ALICE C. DAVIS Term Expires 1978

Librarian
DORIS M. ROLLINS

Trustees of Trust Funds
ROBERT E. BICKFORD Term Expires 1976
BEATRICE A. LEATHE (resigned)
Replaced By:
RICHARD H. HERSAM Term Expires 1977
EDITH N. HERSAM Term Expires 1978

Forest Fire Warden
LEON F. HAYES

Director of Civil Defense
RICHARD A. LaPOINTE

Janitor of Town Hall
FLORENCE E. RAND

Building and Zoning Inspector
WILLIAM C. WYATT

Conservation Commission

WILLIAM H. NEHRING, CHMN. . . Term Expires 1976
KENNETH A. HUNTER Term Expires 1977
PAUL V. O'CONNELL Term Expires 1978

Planning Board

RICHARD D. JONES Term Expires 1976
DAVID G. PRINCE Term Expires 1977
THOMAS M. McCARTHY (resigned)

Replaced By:

ELMER C. SMITH Term Expires 1978
STANLEY M. TAYLOR, CHMN. . . Term Expires 1979
PAUL V. O'CONNELL Selectman Member

Board of Adjustment

PAUL A. BLAISDELL, CHMN. . . Term Expires 1976
FREDERICK W. LEATHE (resigned)

Replaced By:

WILLIAM B. CULLIMORE Term Expires 1976
EDMUND W. MILES Term Expires 1978
ERWIN H. LARRABEE Term Expires 1979
JAMES L. KENDER Term Expires 1980

TOWN WARRANT
THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of New Durham in the County of Strafford, in said State qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said New Durham on Tuesday, the second (2nd) day of March, next at twelve of the clock, to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1. a. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

b. To vote on the proposed amendment to the Zoning and Land Use Ordinance and Zoning Map for the Town of New Durham, N. H.

c. To vote on whether the provisions for absentee ballot for the election of town officers be adopted by this town.

And you are hereby further notified to meet at said Town Hall in said New Durham at seven-thirty (7:30) o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 2. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary to pay current expenses in anticipation of taxes.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$980.10 from the Shirley Timber Trust Fund for the Visiting Nurse (RDHC).

ARTICLE 4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 to build a vault in the cemetery.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the town will vote to accept anonymous contributions of \$5,040.00 to build a vault at the Town Hall to be used in same manner as present vault, for storage of records and artifacts, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,040.00 from the savings account established for same.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the town will vote to open the Valley Road from Ridge Road to William H. Davenhall driveway; he or his heirs or assigns to furnish turn-around.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000.00 from Surplus for a new police cruiser.

ARTICLE 8. 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 set-offs against budgeted appropriations for the following priority purposes and in amounts indicated:

<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Truck (To Replace 1961 Ford)	\$12,000.00
Revaluation	4,000.00
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	\$16,000.00

ARTICLE 9. To see if the town will vote to dissolve the interest received on Capital Reserve Funds established for the Fire Truck, Town Dump and Town Shed and apply same to estimated revenue.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the town will vote to rescind any previous action regarding election of a Road Agent and vote to instruct the Selectmen to appoint a Road Agent when a vacancy occurs, said Agent shall be in charge of all municipal operations such as cemetery, dump and dams. Said appointment shall be in force until removed for just cause by the Selectmen after a hearing.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the town will vote to establish a Common Trust Fund for the Shirley Memorial Cemetery and to put 1/2 of the lot money received into said fund, the interest to be expended to provide Perpetual Care for same by the Trustees, the balance to be put into general funds.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the town will vote to raise from Surplus the \$5,000.00 to be appropriated to the Capital Reserve Fund for Tax Map, said appropriation authorized by Article 6 of the March 4, 1975 Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the town will vote to require that any developer or development shall furnish a cash bond of 125% of the estimated cost of any roads and such roads shall be built to State TRA specifications and surfaced with penetrating and sealer coats of asphalt. After completion of same, 100% will be returned with interest at prevailing savings account rates and the balance, if any, will be returned after 2 years if none of same has to be used for repairs.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the town will vote to require that anyone installing a driveway will do so in a manner approved by the Road Agent.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the town will vote to rescind any previous action regarding the election of a town hall janitor and authorize the Selectmen to hire one.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 to restore oldest town record book.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the town will vote to adopt the Resolution Approving Application of the Provisions of Chapter 204-A of the New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated and the Provision of Section 8 of the U. S. Housing Act of 1937, as amended.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the town agrees to participate in the National Flood Insurance Program by directing the Board of Selectmen to complete the eligibility application and submit the required information to the Federal Insurance Administration; and to adopt such resolutions as may be necessary.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as are necessary to defray the expenses of town government for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 20. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 14th day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and seventy-six.

HARRY NUTTER, L.S.
DEAN STIMPSON, L.S.
PAUL O'CONNELL, L.S.
Selectmen of New Durham

A True Copy of Warrant — Attest:

HARRY NUTTER, L.S.
DEAN STIMPSON, L.S.
PAUL O'CONNELL, L.S.
Selectmen of New Durham

THE SELECTMEN WILL OFFER THE FOLLOWING
RESOLUTION UNDER ARTICLE 17 OF THE WARRANT

RESOLUTION APPROVING APPLICATION
OF THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 204-A
OF THE NEW HAMPSHIRE
REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED
AND THE PROVISION OF SECTION 8
OF THE U. S. HOUSING ACT OF 1937, AS AMENDED

WHEREAS, That there continues to exist within the state a serious shortage of safe and sanitary dwelling accommodations at rents which elderly and low income persons can afford, and that such persons are forced to occupy sub-standard dwelling accommodations; and

WHEREAS, the General Court of the State of New Hampshire has enacted Chapter 204-A of the New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated establishing the New Hampshire Housing Commission; and

WHEREAS, RSA 204-A:9 provides that in a municipality where there is no local housing authority operating, the Commission shall not operate without the consent of the governing body of a municipality; and

WHEREAS, said RSA 204-A:9 provides that consent of the governing body must be given for each project; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Section 8 of the U. S. Housing Act of 1937, as amended, the United States of America, acting through the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, is authorized to enter into annual contributions contracts with public housing agencies pursuant to which such agencies may enter into contracts to make assistance payments to owners;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the TOWN MEETING OF THE TOWN OF NEW DURHAM as follows:

That the New Hampshire Housing Commission be and is authorized to operate in the Town of New Durham, Strafford County, State of New Hampshire.

That said New Hampshire Housing Commission is authorized to sponsor a project, under Section 8 of the U. S. Housing Act of 1937, as amended, for any of the following dwelling accommodations or a combination thereof: (a) existing standard housing; (b) rehabilitated housing; (c) newly constructed housing; the total amount of the foregoing not to exceed 5 dwelling units.

THE SELECTMEN WILL OFFER THE FOLLOWING
RESOLUTION UNDER ARTICLE 18 OF THE WARRANT

NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM
RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, certain areas of NEW DURHAM are subject to periodic flooding from STREAMS, RIVERS or LAKES, causing serious damages to properties within these areas; and

WHEREAS, relief is available in the form of Federally subsidized flood insurance as authorized by the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of this Town Meeting to require the recognition and evaluation of flood hazards in all official actions relating to land use in the floodplain areas having special flood hazards; and

WHEREAS, this body has the legal authority to adopt land use and control measures to reduce future flood losses pursuant to New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapters 31, 36, 156 and 156A;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this Town Meeting hereby:

1. Assures the Federal Insurance Administration that it intends to enact and maintain in force for those areas having defined flood hazards, adequate land use and control measures with effective enforcement provisions consistent with the Criteria set forth in Section 1910 of the National Flood Insurance Program Regulations; and

2. Vests the Selectmen, or in their absence the Planning Board with the responsibility, authority, and means to:

a. Delineate or assist the Administrator, at his request, in delineating the limits of the areas having special flood hazards on available local maps of sufficient scale to identify the location of building sites.

b. Provide such information as the Administrator may request concerning present uses and occupancy of the floodplain.

c. Cooperate with Federal, State, and local agencies and private firms which undertake to study, survey, map, and identify floodplain areas, and cooperate with neighboring communities with respect to management of adjoining floodplains in order to prevent aggravation of existing hazards.

d. Submit on the anniversary date of the community's initial eligibility an annual report to the Administrator on the progress made during the past year within the community in the development and implementation of floodplain management measures.

3. Appoints the Building Inspector to maintain for public inspection and to furnish upon request a record of elevations (in relation to mean sea level) of the lowest floor (including basement) of all new or substantially improved structures located in the special flood hazard areas. If the lowest floor is below grade on one or more sides, the elevation of the floor immediately above must also be recorded.

4. Intends to take such other official action within its powers as may be reasonably necessary to carry out the objectives of the program.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF NEW DURHAM, N. H.

Sources of Revenue

	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Fiscal Year 1976
From State:			
Interest & Dividends Tax	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,365.74	\$ 3,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	400.00	608.50	600.00
Meals & Rooms Tax	3,000.00	5,525.01	5,000.00
Highway Subsidy (Cl. IV & V)	13,647.73	13,647.73	13,592.82
Reim. A/C Business Profits Tax (Town Portion)	854.00	3,209.36	897.00
Class V Highways	2,069.07	2,069.07	2,000.00
From Local Sources:			
Dog Licenses	500.00	564.00	550.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	50.00	11.00	15.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	10,000.00	12,138.83	10,000.00
Interest on Taxes & Deposits	2,000.00	4,492.35	2,000.00
Income from Trust Funds	903.00	902.00	980.10
Withdrawal Capital Reserve Funds	20,000.00	62,000.00	4,200.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	15.05	11.55	11.55
Resident Taxes Retained	3,000.00	4,700.00	4,500.00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed	500.00	3,034.38	500.00
Rent of Town Property	1,000.00	1,680.60	1,000.00
Sale of Town Property	.....	250.00	.....
Storage Vault Savings Account	.....	.....	5,040.00
Surplus	8,000.00	7,308.62	9,000.00
Revenue Sharing	19,000.00	12,424.69	16,000.00
*TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES			
EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$ 87,938.85	\$ 137,943.43	\$ 78,886.47
Amount To Be Raised by Property Taxes	120,130.26	116,800.01	130,817.01
TOTAL REVENUES	\$208,069.11	\$254,743.44	\$209,703.48

■ Interest from Dissolved Capital Reserve Funds ♦ Tax Map & Cruiser

● Truck & Revaluation

*Total estimated "Revenues from all sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total "Appropriations recommended by Budget Committee" gives estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes," exclusive of County and School Taxes.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF NEW DURHAM, N. H.

Purpose of Appropriation	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Budget Committee Recommended 1976	Budget Committee Submitted Without Recommendation
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 7,000.00	
Town Officers' Expenses	5,500.00	6,500.00	
Election & Registration Expenses	250.00	400.00	
Expenses of Appraisal	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	3,500.00	3,500.00	
Employees' Retirement & Social Security	4,000.00	5,000.00	
Care & Disposal of Dogs	100.00	100.00	
Building & Zoning Inspector's Expenses	900.00	900.00	
Protection of Persons & Property			
Forest Fires	700.00	1,500.00	
Police Department	20,000.00	22,700.00	
Fire Department	7,050.00	8,700.00	
Care of Trees	226.00	.....
Insurance	7,000.00	10,000.00	
Planning & Zoning	200.00	200.00	
Legal Expense	400.00	1,000.00	
Civil Defense	50.00	50.00	
Health Department	400.00	400.00	
Vital Statistics	20.00	20.00	
Visiting Nurse (RDHC)	902.00	980.10	
Town Dump	5,000.00	6,635.20	
New Dump	20,000.00	.....
Highways & Bridges			
Town Maintenance — Summer & Winter	61,000.00	69,000.00	
Street Lighting	2,200.00	2,200.00	
General Expenses of Highway Department	2,500.00	3,500.00	
Town Road Aid	1,112.36	1,099.43	
Libraries	750.00	800.00	

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF NEW DURHAM, N. H.

Purpose of Appropriation	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Budget Committee Recommended 1976	Budget Committee Submitted Without Recommendation
Public Welfare (Administration of)	\$ 1,000.00	100.00	
Town Poor	10,001.00	6,500.00	
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00	800.00	
Aid to Permanently & Totally Disabled	2,500.00	2,500.00	
Patriotic Purposes (Memorial Day & Bicentennial)	130.00	50.00	
Conservation Commission	100.00	100.00	
Paid Holidays	1,100.00	1,200.00	
Maintenance of Dams	100.00	1,000.00	
Cemeteries	3,500.00	2,500.00	
Perambulation Town Lines	250.00	250.00	
Disability Insurance	508.50	800.00	
Storage Boxes for Town Records	100.00	.....
Debt Services			
Principal & Long Term Notes & Bonds	7,500.00	4,500.00	
Interest — Long Term Notes & Bonds	519.25	178.75	
Interest on Temporary Loans	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Capital Outlay			
Road Sander	4,000.00	.....
Typewriter & Office Equipment	500.00	.....
Town Shed	10,000.00	.....
Fuel Costs — Anticipated Increase	1,000.00	.....
Storage Vault — Town Records . . . . .	.....	5,040.00	
Truck . . . . .	.....	12,000.00	
Cruiser . . . . .	.....	4,000.00	
Possible Purchase of Land by New Dump . . . . .	.....	2,000.00	
Restoration of Old Book . . . . .	.....	.....	\$ 400.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Fund			
Revaluation	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Tax Map	5,000.00	5,000.00	
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$208,069.11	\$209,703.48	\$ 400.00

**TAX YEAR 1975
SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION**

Land	\$5,375,200.00
Buildings	6,694,800.00
Factory Buildings	22,750.00
Public Utilities – Electric	235,150.00
Boats (51)	<u>28,900.00</u>
Total Valuation Before Exemptions	
Allowed	12,356,800.00
Less Elderly Exemptions (33)	70,950.00
Less Blind Exemption (1)	<u>5,000.00</u>
Net Valuation on Which Tax Rate is Computed	<u>\$12,280,850.00</u>

ELECTRIC COMPANIES

N. H. Electric Cooperative, Inc.	\$ 83,900.00
Public Service Co. of N. H.	<u>151,250.00</u>
Total	\$ 235,150.00

Number of Inventories Distributed
in 1975 1,230
Number of Inventories Returned in 1975 855
Date 1975 Inventories Were Mailed .. March 13, 1975

CERTIFICATE

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

HARRY NUTTER
DEAN STIMPSON
PAUL O'CONNELL

Selectmen of New Durham

September 24, 1975

**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS
AND TAXES ASSESSED AND TAX RATE
FOR TAX YEAR 1975**

APPROPRIATIONS:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 6,500.00
Town Officers' Expenses	5,500.00
Election & Registration Expenses	250.00
Appraisal of Property	2,000.00
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	3,500.00
Employees' Retirement & Social Security	4,000.00
Police Department	20,000.00
Care & Disposal of Dogs	100.00
Fire Department	7,050.00
Forest Fires	700.00
Care of Trees	226.00
Building & Zoning Inspector's Expense	900.00
Insurance	7,000.00
Planning & Zoning	200.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	400.00
Civil Defense	50.00
Health Department	400.00
Vital Statistics	20.00
Visiting Nurse (RDHC)	902.00
Dump	5,000.00
Town Maintenance – Summer & Winter	61,000.00
Street Lighting	2,200.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	2,500.00
Town Road Aid	1,112.36
Library	750.00
Town Poor (including Soldier's Aid)	10,001.00
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00
Aid to Permanently & Totally Disabled	2,500.00
Memorial Day & Bicentennial	130.00
New Dump	20,000.00
Conservation Commission	100.00
Cemetery	3,500.00
Public Welfare, Administration of	1,000.00
Paid Holidays	1,100.00
Principal – Long Term Notes	7,500.00
Interest – Long Term Notes	519.25
Interest on Temporary Loans	3,000.00

Capital Outlay		
Road Sander	\$4,000.00	
Office Equipment	<u>500.00</u>	4,500.00
Perambulation of Town Lines		250.00
Town Shed		10,000.00
Disability Insurance		508.50
Storage Boxes for Town Records		100.00
Fuel Costs (anticipated increase)		1,000.00
Maintenance of Dams		100.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds:		
Revaluation	\$4,000.00	
Tax Map	<u>5,000.00</u>	9,000.00
TOTAL TOWN APPROPRIATIONS		<u>\$208,069.11</u>

LESS ESTIMATED REVENUES AND CREDITS:

Interest & Dividends Tax	\$ 3,365.00
Savings Bank Tax	608.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	5,525.00
Class V Highways	2,069.00
Revenue from Yield Tax	
Sources	2,921.00
Interest Received on Taxes	3,400.00
Interest Received on Deposits	767.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	11.00
Dog Licenses	551.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	12,000.00
Rent of Town Property & Equipment	600.00
Income from Trust Funds	902.00
Sale of Tax Deeded Property	250.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	4.00
Resident Taxes	5,030.00
Surplus	10,176.00
Revenue Sharing Funds	19,000.00
Highway Subsidy	13,647.00
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds	<u>20,000.00</u>
TOTAL REVENUES & CREDITS	\$100,826.00

TOTAL TOWN APPROPRIATIONS	\$208,069.11
LESS TOTAL REVENUES & CREDITS	<u>100,826.00</u>
NET TOWN APPROPRIATIONS	\$107,243.11
NET SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS	256,195.55
COUNTY TAX ASSESSMENT	<u>63,711.88</u>
TOTAL OF TOWN, SCHOOL AND COUNTY	\$427,150.54
LESS REIMB. a/c BUSINESS PROFITS TAX	- 3,210.00
PLUS WAR SERVICE TAX CREDITS	+ 4,400.00
PLUS OVERLAY	<u>+1,489.21</u>
PROPERTY TAXES TO BE RAISED	\$429,829.75

**PROPERTY TAXES TO BE
COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR**

TAX RATE APPROVED - \$3.50

Gross Property Taxes	\$429,829.75
Less War Service Tax Credits	<u>- 4,400.00</u>
TOTAL TAX COMMITMENT	\$425,429.75

WAR SERVICE TAX CREDITS

Totally and permanently disabled veterans, their spouses or widows, and the widows of veterans who died or were killed on active duty		
2	\$	650.00
All other qualified persons	87	<u>4,350.00</u>
TOTAL NUMBER & AMOUNT	89	\$ 4,400.00
RESIDENT TAXES ASSESSED	503	\$ 5,030.00

CERTIFICATE

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HARRY NUTTER
DEAN STIMPSON
PAUL O'CONNELL
Selectmen of New Durham

September 24, 1975

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1975

Title of Appropriation	Amount Appropriated	Receipts and Reimb.	Total Amount Available	Expenditures		Overdrafts	Unexpended Balances
				\$	\$		
Town Officers' Salaries	6,500.00		6,500.00	6,799.06	299.06		
Town Officers' Expenses	5,500.00	302.00	5,802.00	5,874.37	72.37		
Expense of Appraisal	2,000.00		2,000.00	835.56			1,164.44
Fleet and Registration Expenses	250.00		250.00	290.98	40.98		
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	3,500.00	120.00	3,620.00	3,077.56			542.44
Employees Retirement & Social Security	4,000.00	687.69	4,687.69	4,769.33	81.64		
Care and Disposal of Dogs	100.00		100.00	100.00			
Building & Zoning Inspector's Exp.	900.00		900.00	900.00			
Police Department	20,000.00	5,417.50*	25,417.50	25,657.34**	239.84***		
Fire Department	7,050.00		7,050.00	7,034.40			15.60
Forest Fires	700.00	1,248.63	1,948.63	1,948.21			.42
Insurance	7,000.00	227.37	7,227.37	6,898.05			329.32
Planning and Zoning	200.00		200.00	13.20			186.80
Damages and Legal Expenses	400.00		400.00	232.20			167.80
Civil Defense	50.00		50.00	60.86	10.86		
Health Department	400.00		400.00				400.00
Vital Statistics	20.00		20.00	20.50	.50		
Visiting Nurse (RDHC)	902.00		902.00	902.00			
Town Dump	5,000.00		5,000.00	4,996.59*			3.41
Town Maintenance - Summer & Winter	61,000.00	10,323.22**	71,323.22	69,680.74			1,642.48
Street Lighting	2,200.00		2,200.00	1,897.82			302.18
General Expense of Highway Dept.	2,500.00	48.00	2,548.00	3,777.38	1,229.38		
Town Road Aid	1,112.36		1,112.36	1,112.36			
Library	750.00	784.60	1,534.60	1,921.05	386.45***		
Public Welfare, Administration of	1,000.00		1,000.00				1,000.00
Town Poor (including Soldiers' Aid)	10,001.00	358.12	10,359.12	6,519.04			3,840.08
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00		1,000.00	603.25			396.75
Aid to Permanently & Totally Disabled	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,256.25			243.75
Memorial Day & Bicentennial	130.00	100.00	230.00	144.85			85.15
Fire Truck		40,000.00***	40,000.00	40,000.00			
New Dump	20,000.00#		13,424.69	13,424.69			
Conservation Commission	100.00		100.00				100.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES (cont.)

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1975

Title of Appropriation	Amount Appropriated	Receipts and Reimb.	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Overdrafts	Unexpended Balances
Cemetery	\$ 3,500.00	\$.....	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 2,808.62	\$.....	\$ 691.38
Paid Holidays	1,100.00	.....	1,100.00	1,115.04**	15.04	100.00
Maintenance of Dams	100.00	.....	100.00	.....	.....	.....
Principal - Long Term Notes	7,500.00	.....	7,500.00	7,500.00	.....	.....
Interest - Long Term Notes	519.25	.....	519.25	519.25	.....	.....
Interest - Temporary Loans	3,000.00	.....	3,000.00	4,097.85	1,097.85	.....
Road Sander	4,000.00	.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	.....	.....
Typewriter & Office Equipment	500.00	74.00***	574.00	574.00	.....	.....
Perambulation Town Lines	250.00	.....	250.00	192.00	.....	58.00
Town Shed	10,000.00	.....	10,000.00	10,095.00	95.00	.....
Disability Insurance	508.50	31.64	540.14	768.04	227.90	.....
Storage Boxes for Town Records	100.00	.....	100.00	100.00	.....	.....
Blister Rust	226.00	.....	226.00	226.00	.....	.....
Fuel Costs (anticipated increase)	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00	.....	.....	1,000.00
Capital Reserve Fund - Revaluation	4,000.00	.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	.....	.....
Capital Reserve Fund -- Tax Map	5,000.00	.....	5,000.00	5,000.00	.....	.....
	\$208,069.11	\$ 59,722.77	\$261,216.57	\$252,743.44	\$ 3,796.87	\$ 12,270.00
	- 6,575.31		-252,743.44			- 3,796.87
	\$201,493.80		\$ 8,473.13			\$ 8,473.13

* Includes \$201.92 from Paid Holidays Appropriation

** Includes \$74.00 Transferred to Office Equipment Appropriations for used typewriter

*** Reimbursement due from Manpower

**** From Capital Reserve Fund

♦ Includes \$4,302.00 transferred to Highway Department - F. Gray's salary

♦♦ Includes \$4,302.00 Transferred from Dump Appropriations and \$913.12 from Paid Holidays Appropriation

♦♦♦ \$386.33 Reimbursement for Assistant Librarian's Salary due from Manpower

♦♦♦ Voted Appropriation of \$20,000.00 (\$10,000.00 from Capital Reserve Fund & \$10,000.00 from Revenue Sharing Funds)

♦♦♦ Took \$3,424.69 from Revenue Sharing Funds and \$10,000.00 from Capital Reserve Fund - Amount Expended)

♦♦ \$201.92 Transferred to Police and \$913.12 to Highway

♦♦♦ Transferred from Police Department for Used Typewriter

**BALANCE SHEET
FISCAL YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1975**

ASSETS

Cash in Hands of Treasurer		\$68,438.59*
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Fire Truck	\$ 2,610.35	
New Dump	891.28	
Town Shed	677.71	
Revaluation	4,007.12	
Tax Map	<u>3,008.63</u>	11,195.09
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1974	\$ 2,676.76	
Levy of 1973	<u>337.86</u>	3,014.62
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1975, Including Resident Taxes and Yield		82,514.50
Levy of 1974 — Resident Taxes		40.00
Levy of 1973 — Resident Taxes		<u>20.00</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		\$165,222.80
GRAND TOTAL		\$165,222.80

LIABILITIES

Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds		\$ 15,594.27
Bond & Debt Retirement Taxes, due State		78.48
School District Tax — Balance		<u>113,195.55</u>
TOTAL ACCOUNTS OWED BY TOWN		\$128,868.30
Capital Reserve Funds (Offsets similar Asset Account)		<u>11,195.09</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$140,063.39
CURRENT SURPLUS (EXCESS OF ASSETS OVER LIABILITIES)		<u>25,159.41</u>
GRAND TOTAL		\$165,222.80

*Includes \$15,594.27 in Revenue Sharing Funds Savings Account

BOND SCHEDULE

Serial Notes Held by Farmington National Bank

1. Issue of March 25, 1966 — \$17,000.00 at 3½% interest
 Balance Dec. 31, 1975 3,500.00

AUSTIN-WESTERN GRADER

Dates Due	Maturities Due	Interest Due	Total Amt. for Year
March 25, 1976	\$1,500.00	\$61.25	
Sept. 25, 1976		35.00	\$1,596.25
March 25, 1977	1,500.00	35.00	
Sept. 25, 1977		8.75	1,543.75
March 25, 1978	500.00	8.75	508.75

2. Issue of March 23, 1970 — \$18,000.00 at 5½% interest
 Balance Dec. 31, 1975 3,000.00

MICHIGAN LOADER and PLOW

March 23, 1976	\$3,000.00	\$82.50	\$3,082.50
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**SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1975**

DESCRIPTION	VALUE
Town Hall, Land and Building	\$100,000.00
Town Hall, Furniture and Equipment	10,000.00
Library, Furniture and Equipment	15,000.00
Police Department, Equipment	10,900.00
Fire Department, Land and Building	35,000.00
Fire Department, Equipment	65,000.00
Highway Department, Lands, Buildings and Equipment	100,000.00
"200" Youth Club Land	10,000.00
Old Dump Lot	100.00
Present Dump Lot	2,000.00
New Dump Lot	15,000.00
New Dump Equipment	14,000.00
Shirley Lot	35,000.00
Old School House, Land and Building	15,000.00
W. Gannon Property, Land	3,050.00
N. Gray Property, Land	500.00
R. Randall Property, Land and Building	300.00
G. & J. Knight Property, Land	<u>2,850.00</u>
TOTAL	\$432,800.00

**STATEMENT OF REVENUE SHARING FUNDS
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1975**

Receipts

Balance in Savings Account	
January 1, 1975	\$12,176.08
Revenue Sharing Funds	
Received During 1975	\$14,773.00
Interest Received 1975	<u>\$ 1,069.88</u>
	\$28,018.96

Payments

Paid Out to Capital Reserve	
FUND —Town Revaluation . . .	\$4,000.00
Tax Map	5,000.00
New Dump	<u>3,424.69</u>
TOTAL PAID OUT TO CAPITAL RESERVE FUND	\$12,424.69
 BALANCE IN SAVINGS ACCOUNT	
December 31, 1975	<u>\$15,594.27</u>
	\$28,018.96

Respectfully submitted,
FREDA M. CHAMBERLIN
Town Treasurer

**REPORT OF TOWN CLERK
FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1975**

MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS

1974 Permits:	
Including Transfers, Issued in 1975:	
20	\$ 220.24
1975 Permits,	
Including Transfers, Issued in 1975:	
852	<u>11,918.59</u>
TOTAL	\$12,138.83
PAID TO TOWN TREASURER	\$12,138.83

LICENSED DOGS

190 Males and Spayed Females @ \$2.00 each	\$380.00
18 Females @ \$5.00 each	90.00
5 Kennels @ \$12.00 each	60.00
34 Penalties @ 1.00 each	34.00
1 License (Seeing Eye Dog)	<u>No Charge</u>
TOTAL	\$564.00
PAID TO TOWN TREASURER	\$564.00

Respectfully submitted,
MARY V. FULLER
Town Clerk

**REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR
FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1975**

**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1975**

— DR. —

TAXES COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR:

Property Taxes	\$424,849.75
Resident Taxes	5,030.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	<u>11.55</u>

TOTAL WARRANTS \$429,891.30

YIELD TAXES 3,505.21

ADDED TAXES:

Property Taxes	\$ 61.25
Resident Taxes	<u>40.00</u>

TOTAL ADDED TAXES 101.25

INTEREST COLLECTED ON

DELINQUENT PROPERTY TAXES 27.00

PENALTIES COLLECTED ON

RESIDENT TAXES 18.00

TOTAL DEBITS \$433,542.76

— CR. —

REMITTANCES TO TREASURER:

Property Taxes	\$344,425.58
Resident Taxes	3,260.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	11.55
Yield Taxes	3,034.38
Interest Collected	27.00
Penalties on Resident Taxes	<u>18.00</u>

TOTAL REMITTANCES \$350,776.51

ABATEMENTS MADE DURING YEAR:

Property Taxes	\$ 211.75
Resident Taxes	<u>40.00</u>

TOTAL ABATEMENTS \$ 251.75

UNCOLLECTED TAXES — DECEMBER 31, 1975:

Property Taxes	\$ 80,273.67
Resident Taxes	1,770.00
Yield Taxes	<u>470.83</u>

TOTAL UNCOLLECTED TAXES \$ 82,514.50

TOTAL CREDITS \$433,542.76

**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1974**

— DR. —

UNCOLLECTED TAXES — AS OF JANUARY 1, 1975:	
Property Taxes	\$60,465.15
Resident Taxes	<u>1,590.00</u>
TOTAL UNCOLLECTED TAXES	\$62,055.15
ADDED TAXES — Resident Taxes	120.00
INTEREST COLLECTED ON DELINQUENT	
PROPERTY TAXES	2,882.56
PENALTIES COLLECTED ON	
RESIDENT TAXES	<u>138.00</u>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$65,195.71

— CR. —

REMITTANCES TO TREASURER During Fiscal Year Ended	
December 31, 1975:	
Property Taxes	\$60,465.15
Resident Taxes	1,440.00
Interest Collected During Year	2,882.56
Penalties on Resident Taxes	<u>138.00</u>
TOTAL REMITTANCES	\$64,925.71
ABATEMENTS MADE DURING YEAR:	
Resident Taxes	<u>230.00</u>
TOTAL ABATEMENTS	\$230.00
UNCOLLECTED TAXES — Resident Taxes	<u>40.00</u>
TOTAL CREDITS	\$65,195.71

LEVY OF 1973

— DR. —

UNCOLLECTED TAXES — AS OF JANUARY 1, 1975:	
Resident Taxes	<u>\$ 20.00</u>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 20.00

— CR. —

REMITTANCES TO TREASURER During Fiscal Year Ended	
December 31, 1975:	
UNCOLLECTED TAXES	
Resident Taxes	<u>\$ 20.00</u>
TOTAL CREDITS	\$ 20.00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS — AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1975

TAX SALE ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:	1974	1973	1972
— DR. —			
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes January 1, 1975 .....	.....	\$2,557.98	\$1,455.25
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	\$3,940.49	.....	.....
Interest and Costs Collected After Sale	<u>9.48</u>	<u>233.75</u>	<u>298.91</u>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$3,949.97	\$2,791.73	\$1,754.16
— CR. —			
Remittances to Treasurer During Year	\$1,161.40	\$2,129.17	\$1,364.65
Interest and Costs Collected After Sale	9.48	233.75	298.91
Deeded to Town During Year	102.33	90.95	90.60
Unredeemed Taxes — December 31, 1975	<u>2,676.76</u>	<u>337.86</u>	<u>.....</u>
TOTAL CREDITS	\$3,949.97	\$2,791.73	\$1,754.16

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF

	1974	1973
Berry, Elmer N. and Ellen E.	\$ 582.21	\$
Berry, Elmer N. & Ellen E.	59.48	.....
Cameron, Albert J., Jr.	246.80	.....
Dobbins, James J. & Dorothy	10.36	.....
Emerson, Carleton J. & Theresa R.	527.42	.....
Gray, Frank P.	354.75	293.71
Kimball, George	77.45	.....
McGloin, Barbara L.	55.87	.....
Perkins, Robert D. & Joan	Bal. 269.36	.....
Rines, John E.	316.53	Bal. 3.65
Staples, Charles & Doris (Heirs)	82.45	Bal. 40.50
Terriacca, Michael & Concetta	94.08	.....
	\$2,676.76	\$337.86

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER
Year Ending December 31, 1975

Receipts

Cash Balance January 1, 1975	\$ 65,959.62
Received During 1975	<u>752,048.83*</u>
	\$818,008.45

Payments

Paid Out Per Selectmen's Orders	\$765,164.13
Balance On Hand December 31, 1975	<u>52,844.32*</u>
	\$818,008.45

Respectfully submitted,
FREDA M. CHAMBERLIN
Town Treasurer

*Does not include Interest Received in 1975 of \$1,069.88 on Revenue Sharing Funds Savings Account.

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION
For the Year Ending December 31, 1975

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

CURRENT REVENUE:

FROM LOCAL TAXES:

Property Taxes	\$344,425.58
Resident Taxes	3,260.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	11.55
Yield Taxes	<u>3,034.38</u>
Total Current Year's Taxes Collected and Remitted	\$350,731.51

PREVIOUS YEARS:

Property Taxes	\$ 60,465.15
Resident Taxes	1,440.00
Interest Received on Delinquent Taxes	2,909.56
Resident Tax Penalties	156.00
Tax Sales Redeemed	<u>5,197.36</u>
Total Previous Year's Taxes Collected and Remitted	<u>\$ 70,168.07</u>
Total Taxes Collected and Remitted	\$420,899.58

FROM STATE:

Town Road Aid	\$ 1,680.60
Class V Highway Maintenance	2,069.07
Highway Subsidy	13,647.73
Interest and Dividends Tax	3,365.74
Savings Bank Tax	608.50
Fighting Forest Fires	506.34
Reimbursement a-c Special Police Officers	300.00
Reimbursement a-c Motor Vehicle Road Toll	1,050.03
Meals and Rooms Tax	5,525.01
Reimbursement a-c Business Profits Tax	<u>3,209.36</u>
Total Receipts from State	\$ 31,962.38

FROM LOCAL SOURCES, EXCEPT TAXES:

Dog Licenses	\$ 564.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	272.00
Rent of Town Property	563.00
Interest Received on Deposits	1,582.79
Income from Trust Funds	902.00
Income from Departments	2,199.91
Motor Vehicle Permits	<u>12,138.83</u>
Total Receipts from Local Sources	<u>\$ 18,222.53</u>
Total Receipts from Current Revenue	\$471,084.49

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION
For the Year Ending December 31, 1975

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS (cont.)

RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE:

Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	\$175,000.00	
Insurance Adjustments	167.00	
Gifts — Anonymous donations for Storage Vault	5,040.00	
Withdrawal from Capital Reserve Fund	62,000.00	
Sale of Town Property	846.74	
Revenue Sharing Funds	14,773.00	
Interest on Investment of Revenue Sharing Funds	1,069.88	
Law Enforcement Assistance Act (Governor's Commission on Crime & Delinquency)	1,243.00	
Emergency Employment Act	9,195.31	
Manpower — Reimbursement for Recreation Equipment	269.40	
Fed. Rev. Sharing Funds Savings Account		
Cr. Capital Reserve Fund	9,000.00	
Cr. Town Dump	3,424.69	
Voided 1974 Ck. #12433	5.20	
Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue		\$282,034.22
Total Receipts from All Sources		\$753,118.71
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1975		65,959.62
GRAND TOTAL		\$819,078.33

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION
For the Year Ending December 31, 1975

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 6,799.06
Town Officers' Expenses	5,874.37
Election and Registration Expenses	290.98
Building and Zoning Inspector's Expense	900.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	3,077.56
Appraisal of Property	835.56

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

Police Department	25,583.34*
Disability Insurance	768.04
Care and Disposal of Dogs	100.00
Fire Department, Including Forest Fires	8,982.61
Planning and Zoning	13.20
Insurance	6,898.05
Civil Defense	60.86
Blister Rust and Care of Trees	226.00

HEALTH:

New Dump	13,424.69
Vital Statistics	20.50
Visiting Nurse (RDHC)	902.00
Town Dump	694.59**

HIGHWAYS:

Town Road Aid	1,112.36
Town Maintenance: Summer and Winter	69,680.74
Street Lighting	1,897.82
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	3,777.38

* Does not include \$74.00 Transferred to Office Equipment Appropriation -- For Used Typewriter

** Does not include \$4,302.00 Transferred to Highway Department for F. Gray's Salary

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION
For the Year Ending December 31, 1975

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS (cont.)

CETA SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAM:	\$ 1,965.60
LIBRARY:	1,921.05
PUBLIC WELFARE:	
Old Age Assistance	603.25
Town Poor (including Soldier's Aid)	6,519.04
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	2,256.25
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:	
Memorial Day & Bicentennial	144.85
RECREATION:	
Equipment	269.40
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:	
Storage Boxes — Town Records	100.00
Cemetery	2,808.62
Perambulation Town Lines	192.00
UNCLASSIFIED:	
Legal Expenses	232.20
Federal Revenue Sharing Funds — Savings Account	14,773.00
Taxes Bought By Town	3,940.49
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	4,769.33
Savings Acct. — Storage Vault	<u>5,040.00</u>
Total Current Maintenance Expenses	\$197,454.79
INTEREST ON DEBT:	
Paid on Tax Anticipation Notes	\$ 4,097.85
Paid on Long Term Notes	<u>519.25</u>
Total Interest Payments	\$ 4,617.10
PRINCIPAL OF DEBT:	
Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	\$175,000.00
Payments on Long Term Notes	<u>7,500.00</u>
Total Principal Payments	\$182,500.00

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION
For the Year Ending December 31, 1975

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS (cont.)

CAPITAL OUTLAY:

Town Shed	\$	10,095.00
Road Sander		4,000.00
Typewriter & Office Equipment		574.00
Fire Truck		40,000.00
Payments to Capital Reserve Funds		9,000.00
Tax Maps		2,000.00
		2,000.00
Total Capital Outlay Payments	\$	65,669.00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:

Bond & Debt Retirement Taxes	\$	505.73
County Taxes		63,711.88
Payments to School District:		
1974	\$107,705.63	
1975	143,000.00	
		\$250,705.63
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		\$314,923.24
Total Payments for all Purposes		\$765,164.13
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1975		53,914.20*
GRAND TOTAL		\$819,078.33

* Includes \$1,069.88 Interest for 1975 in Revenue Sharing Funds Savings Account.

CERTIFICATE

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

HARRY NUTTER
 DEAN STIMPSON
 PAUL O'CONNELL
 Selectmen of New Durham

FREDA M. CHAMBERLIN
 Treasurer

January 26, 1976

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

FROM LOCAL TAXES:

Property -- 1975	\$344,425.58
Resident -- 1975	3,260.00
Resident Tax Penalties -- 1975	18.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	11.55
Yield Taxes -- 1975	3,034.38
Property -- 1974	60,465.15
Resident -- 1974	1,440.00
Resident Tax Penalties -- 1974	138.00
Interest Rec'd. on Delinquent Taxes	2,909.56
Tax Sales Redeemed	5,197.36
	\$420,899.58

\$420,899.58

FROM STATE:

Town Road Aid	\$ 1,680.60
Class V Highway Maintenance	2,069.07
Highway Subsidy	13,647.73
Interest and Dividends Tax	3,365.74
Savings Bank Tax	608.50
Fighting Forest Fires	506.34
Reim. a-c Motor Vehicle Rd. Toll	1,050.03
Reim. a-c Special Police Officers	300.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	5,525.01
Reim. a-c Business Profits Tax	3,209.36
	\$31,962.38

\$31,962.38

FROM LOCAL SOURCES

EXCEPT TAXES:

Dog Licenses	\$ 530.00
Dog Penalties	34.00
W. C. Wyatt, Building Permits	227.00
Pistol Permits	32.00
Explosive License	2.00
Filing Fees	11.00
Grange -- Rent for Town Hall	75.00
Misc. Rent for Town Hall	45.00
Copplecrown Dev. Reim. for Plowing	1.00
MM East Shore Association -- Rental of man and grader	110.00
Tarmey -- rental of grader	12.00
Mt. Caverly Shore Association Rental of man and grader	80.00
Town of Middleton -- plowing and sanding	160.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES (cont.):

A. Ginaitt — Installing pipe under road	\$ 45.00
D. Neyland — scraping road	10.00
W. Davenhall — repairs to closed road	25.00
Farmington Bank — Interest Rec'd on Tax Anticipation Notes	1,582.79
Shirley Timber Trust Fund Cr. Visiting Nurse	902.00
Bicentennial Committee —	
Reimb. for Postage	25.00
Reimb. for Appropriation	100.00
Insurance Companies — Copies of Accident & Investigation Reports	83.50
Rodean, Inc. — Reimb. for Special Police	840.00
Town of Alton — Reimb. for Special Police	51.00
R. Benner — Reimb. for Forest Fire	62.70
Town of Alton — Reimb. for Forest Fire	472.81
N. H. Electric Coop. — Reimb. for Forest Fires	206.78
Strafford County —	
Reimb. for Soldier Aid	66.12
Reimb. for Town Poor	292.00
Motor Vehicle Registrations:	
1974	220.24
1975	11,918.59
	\$ 18,222.53

RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE:

Farmington National Bank — Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes	\$175,000.00
Insurance Adjustments:	
J. Clifton Avery — Ins. Agency	167.00
Anonymous Donations for Storage Vault	5,040.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE (cont.):

Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds:

Fire Truck	\$ 40,000.00
Town Shed	10,000.00
New Dump	10,000.00
Tax Map	2,000.00
S. Aubrey Crawford -- Sale of Wilkins Lot	250.00
Kingswood Bank -- Sale of Mailing List	50.00
Sale of Town Charter (copy)	1.75
Copplecrown Development -- Sale of Salt	330.00
L. Weinstein -- Sale of Scrap Metal	48.00
C. McKay -- Sale of Culvert	66.99
Town of Middleton -- Sale of Radar Unit	100.00
Federal Revenue Sharing Funds -- Cr. Savings Account	14,773.00
Interest -- Federal Revenue Sharing Funds Savings Acct.	1,069.88
Governor's Commission on Crime & Delinquency -- Fed. Grant for Police Radio Equipment	1,243.00
Emergency Employment Act:	
C.E.T.A. (Summer Youth Program)	1,980.54
C.E.T.A. (Public Employment Program) Frank W. Parsons, Jr.	4,061.48
C.E.T.A. (Title II) George A. Smith	2,324.00
C.E.T.A. (Title VI) Barbara J. Bickford	829.29
Manpower -- Reimb. for Recrea- tional Equipment	269.40
Federal Revenue Sharing Funds Savings Account -- Cr. Capital Reserve Funds:	
Town Revaluation	4,000.00
Tax Map	5,000.00
Cr. New Dump	3,424.69
Voided 1974 Ck. #12433	5.20
	<u>\$282,034.22</u>
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL RECEIPTS	\$753,118.71

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES:

Harry Nutter, Head Selectman	\$	500.00
M. Dean Stimpson, Selectman		250.00
Thomas N. Myatt, Selectman		130.56
Paul V. O'Connell, Selectman		119.44
Freda M. Chamberlin, Treas.		125.00
Mary V. Fuller, Town Clerk		622.39
Jessie W. Nutter, Dep. Town Clerk		481.91
Mary V. Fuller, Tax Collector		4,394.76
Ernest C. Jewell, Auditor		37.50
M. Dean Stimpson, Auditor		37.50
Richard H. Hersam, Trustee of Trust Funds		100.00
		\$ 6,799.06

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES:

Mary V. Fuller, Bookkeeper	\$	2,402.60
Jessie W. Nutter, Bookkeeping		24.15
Maureen P. Fuller, Bookkeeping		58.80
William C. Wyatt, Bldg. Inspector's Fees		227.00
Selectmen's Travel Expenses		82.01
Town Officers' Supplies		193.99
Selectmen, Town Clerk and Tax Collector Association Dues		135.00
Town Clerk's Auto Reference Books		9.95
Town Clerk's Dog Tags & License		33.75
Printing:		
Town Reports		800.00
Property and Resident Tax Bills and Envelopes		100.52
Town Checks		203.60
Town Letterhead Paper		18.95
Postage:		
Stamped Envelopes for Town, Inventories, Auditor's Verification Notices and Dog Notices		413.55
Property Tax Bills		120.00
Resident Tax Bills and Tax Delinquent Notices		64.77
Town Postage		110.00
Certified Mail — Tax Sale Notices		19.80
Bicentennial Comm.		25.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES (cont.):

Telephones	\$	331.27
Register of Deeds		77.50
Copying Machine — Guarantee		57.00
Copying Machine — Paper		33.61
1975 Boat Inventories		66.22
Repairs to Office Equipment		13.50
Newspaper Ads —		
Revenue Sharing Funds		57.00
Town Hall Expenses		62.33
Used Adding Machine		25.00
Title Report —		
Downing Mill Privilege		75.00
RSA Cumulative Supplements		32.50
		\$ 5,874.37

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSES:

Moderator	\$	25.00
Supervisors of Check List		110.00
Dep. Town Clerk		5.00
Town Meeting Minutes		5.00
Town Clerk		15.00
Ballot Clerks		40.00
Printing Ballots		49.00
Newspaper Ad — Special Election		12.00
Lunches		29.98
		\$ 290.98

BUILDING AND ZONING INSPECTOR'S EXPENSES:

\$ 900.00

EXPENSES OF TOWN HALL AND OTHER TOWN BUILDINGS:

Florence E. Rand, Janitor	\$	653.47
Lawrence R. Corson — Hauling Rubbish and Winding Clock		156.00
Fuel Oil		1,138.13
Paint, Stain & Repairs		197.70
Electricity		514.67
Wiring Mat'l Town Shed		135.22
Supplies		101.49
Furnace Repairs		104.00
Fire Extinguisher		42.00
Emergency Light Batteries		34.88
		\$ 3,077.56

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

APPRAISAL OF PROPERTY
 BY STATE TAX COMMISSION: \$ 835.56

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Paul R. Gelinas, Salary	\$ 10,597.65*
Paul A. Blaisdell, Salary	209.18
George A. Smith, Salary	4,429.39
Frank W. Parsons, Jr., Salary	419.84
Edmund W. Miles, Salary	524.90
Robert Ingham, Salary	380.12
Robert L. Snell, Salary	278.61
Elaine T. Scott, Transcript Work	12.50
Town of Middleton — Reim. for Spec. Police & Mileage Expense	1,512.00
Ruby Shaw, Salary (Monitoring Radio)	400.00
Evelyn C. Davis, Typing	13.75
Elizabeth G. Plante, Typing	8.40
Radio Repairs	336.89
Strafford County Dispatch Center	725.00
Telephones	477.40
Supplies and Misc.	244.95
Uniforms	266.82
Cruiser Equipment — Parts and Repairs	1,395.80
Radios	1,379.00
Gasoline	1,332.72
Tires	374.16
Speed Limit and Stop Signs	29.26
RSA Law Books	33.00
Used Radar Unit	202.00
	\$ 25,583.34**

* Includes \$201.92 transferred from Paid Holiday Appro.

** Does not include \$74.00 transferred to office equipment appropriation for Used Typewriter.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

FIRE DEPARTMENT:

Firemen's Salaries	\$	887.42
Janitorial Services		110.00
Dispatchers' Salary		50.00
Lakes Region Mutual Aid		2,085.50
Radio Receivers		1,045.36
Meeting Room		800.00
Electricity		224.68
Telephone		273.81
Fuel Oil		806.08
Supplies, Equipment, and Repairs		569.48
Tires and Tubes		91.57
Plowing		80.50
Physical		10.00
		\$ 7,034.40

FOREST FIRES: 1,948.21

BLISTER RUST: 226.00

PLANNING AND ZONING:

Newspaper Ads 13.20

CARE AND DISPOSAL OF DOGS: 100.00

INSURANCE: 6,898.05

CIVIL DEFENSE: 60.86

DISABILITY INSURANCE: 768.04

VISITING NURSE: 902.00

VITAL STATISTICS: 20.50

NEW DUMP:

Brush Cutter	\$	3,700.00
Dozer w/ Bucket		9,500.00
Lumber		180.60
Chain & Oil		26.50
Fence Nails		17.59
		\$ 13,424.69

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

DUMP:

Frank P. Gray, Salary	\$	402.00
Grader Fuel		233.97*
Oil — Dump Tractor		16.39
Roofing Mat'l — Dump Shed		15.68
Dump Supplies		26.55
		694.59**

TOWN ROAD AID (PAID TO STATE):

\$ 1,112.36

TOWN MAINTENANCE — SUMMER AND WINTER:

Nelson E. Chamberlin, Salary	\$	11,357.18†
Leon F. Hayes, Salary		9,333.28†
Robert W. Berry, Salary		8,509.74†
Frank P. Gray, Salary		6,918.30†
Frank W. Parsons, Jr., Salary		6,489.22†
Gasoline		4,567.88
Diesel Fuel		875.57
Asphalt & Cold Patch		6,281.95
Culverts and Collars		2,108.14
Tires and Tubes		1,471.74
Sand and Gravel		750.00
Salt		4,061.86
Grader Axle & Blades		1,332.93
Rental Equipment		35.00
Road Oil		1,026.00
Surveying Davis Crossing Rd.		205.00
Chain Saw		216.95
Town of Middleton — Plowing, Sanding and Salting		2,980.00
Charles McKay — Plowing Martin Rd.		140.00
Warren A. Hayes — Plowing, Salting & Sanding No. Shore Rd.		990.00
Warren A. Hayes — Plowing at Copplecrown		30.00
		69,680.74

STREET LIGHTING:

1,897.82

* Charged to Dump Approp. by Error

** Does not include \$4,302.00 Transferred to Highway Dept.
for F. Gray's Salary.

† Includes \$913.12 transferred from Paid Holidays Approp.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

Supplies, Equipment, Repairs, Parts and Labor	\$ 2,721.37	
Grader Repairs and Parts	208.29	
Repairs Intn'l Engine	187.76	
Repairs to Tractor Pump	150.00	
Glass for Ford Truck	154.62	
Snow Plow Deflector	96.49	
Welding Gas	47.99	
Telephone	165.86	
Sharpening Saws	<u>45.00</u>	
		\$ 3,777.38

C.E.T.A. (Summer Youth Program)

Daniel G. Hillsgrove	\$ 491.40	
Charles R. Hillsgrove	491.40	
Mary Ann Berry	491.40	
Arthur P. Berry	<u>491.40</u>	
		1,965.60

LIBRARY:

Doris M. Rollins, Salary	\$ 327.60	
Barbara J. Bickford, Salary	1,169.18	
Petty Cash Acct.	15.00	
Books	334.64	
Supplies	59.63	
1975 Library Dues	<u>15.00</u>	
		1,921.05

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE: 603.25

TOWN POOR
(Including Soldiers' Aid): 6,519.04

AID TO PERMANENTLY AND
TOTALLY DISABLED: 2,256.25

MEMORIAL DAY & BICENTENNIAL: 144.85

RECREATIONAL EQUIPMENT: 269.40

STORAGE BOXES — TOWN RECORDS: 100.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

CEMETER Y:		
Clearing Lot	\$	592.00
Lay-Out of Cemetery		415.50
Artesian Well — Pump Pit & Wiring		1,322.72
Lawn Mower, Seed & Fertilizer		465.51
Electricity		12.89
		\$ 2,808.62
PERAMBULATION TOWN LINES:		192.00
LEGAL EXPENSES:		232.20
TAXES BOUGHT BY THE TOWN:		3,940.49
FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING FUNDS — INVESTED IN SAVINGS ACCOUNT:		14,773.00
SAVINGS ACCT. — STORAGE VAULT:		5,040.00
EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY:		4,769.33
INTEREST PAID ON TEMPORARY LOANS:		4,097.85
INTEREST PAID ON LONG TERM NOTES:		519.25
PAYMENT ON TEMPORARY LOANS:		175,000.00
PAYMENT ON LONG TERM NOTES:		7,500.00
TOWN SHED:		10,095.00
ROAD SANDER:		4,000.00
TYPEWRITER & OFFICE EQUIPMENT:		574.00
FIRE TRUCK:		40,000.00
PAYMENTS TO CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS:		
Revaluation	\$	4,000.00
Tax Map		5,000.00
		9,000.00
TAX MAP:		2,000.00
YIELD TAX DEBT RETIREMENT:		505.73
COUNTY TAXES:		63,711.88
PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICT:		
1974 Tax	\$	107,705.63
1975 Tax		143,000.00
		250,705.63
GRAND TOTAL OF ALL EXPENDITURES:		\$765,164.13

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEW DURHAM, N. H.
For the Year Ending December 31, 1975

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	PRINCIPAL				INCOME				
				Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Gains or (Losses) on Sale of Securities	Balance End Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End Year		
4-1-1900												
3-15-66	Cemetery	Perpetual Care	Common	\$ 1,675.00			\$ 1,675.00	\$ 1,782.37	\$ 214.07	\$ 208.00	\$ 1,788.44	
7-19-57	John C. Shirley	Charity	Rochester Svgs.	1,335.70			339.17					
	John C. Shirley	Charity	Manchester Fed. Svgs.	1,630.20			21.86					
	John C. Shirley	Charity	Strafford Svgs.	3,624.51			434.08					
	John C. Shirley	Charity	First Nat'l, Rochester	420.00			1,219.80					
			*Sold 36 Shares First Nat'l Bank, Rochester @ \$45.00 = \$1,620.00				104.46					
			Replaced 1974 Principal Expenditures	<u>7,010.41</u>			<u>6,757.79</u>	<u>2,119.37</u>	<u>8,369.80</u>		<u>507.36</u>	
6- 4-61	John C. Shirley	Timber Fund Governed by Will	Strafford Svgs.	3,257.71		Spent 902.00	2,518.61		162.90			
8- 8-67	Seth W. Hayes	Library	Strafford Svgs.	1,000.00			1,000.00		71.69	71.69		
12-27-72	Capital Reserve Fund	Fire Truck	Rochester Svgs.	40,957.41		Spent 40,000.00	2,610.35		1,652.94			
1- 2-74	Capital Reserve Fund	Town Dump	Farmington Nat'l.	10,314.94		Spent 10,000.00	891.28		576.34			
5-14-74	Capital Reserve Fund	Town Shed	Farmington Nat'l.	10,112.00		Spent 10,000.00	677.71		565.71			
12-19-75	Capital Reserve Fund	Revaluation	Farmington Nat'l.		4,000.00		4,007.12		7.12			
12-19-75	Capital Reserve Fund	Tax Maps	Farmington Nat'l.		5,000.00	Spent 2,000.00	3,008.63		8.63			

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the above information is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.
January 14, 1976

ROBERT E. BICKFORD, EDITH N. HERSAM and RICHARD H. HERSAM
Trustees of Trust Funds

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds, and Revenue Sharing Funds and find the same to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

ERNEST C. JEWELL
ROBERT A. NIXON
Auditors

February 11, 1976

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES
New Durham Public Library
December 27, 1975

As voted at the 1975 town election the library board of trustees was enlarged by three, making the board a body of six members. Three new members were appointed to serve until the 1976 election. They were Mrs. Patricia Prince, Mr. David Munroe, and Mrs. Estelle Loiselle. Mrs. Alice Davis was duly elected to fill the vacated post left when Mrs. Ellen Jennings decided to relinquish the responsibility she had so ably carried for the past thirteen years. We are happy to report she has used her experience since by remaining active in all phases of library volunteer service.

The trustee board has been divided into several committees in an attempt to apportion the work load and entertain new ideas. A committee to buy books, another for finances, an employment committee and a program committee have been formed.

The volunteers have not had to work as librarians this summer as the town was the recipient of funds to enable the library to employ a full time secretary for the archives, housed in the library. Mrs. Barbara Bickford is the secretary engaged in the process of preparing the old town records and other New Durham memorabilia for restoration and preservation. While working on this activity the library has been open to the public five days a week until the winter schedule went into effect in December.

The school is continuing its program of using the town library. Thursday mornings Mrs. Dorothy Ham and Mrs. Joan Willis escort the children to and from the library. Mrs. Cheryl Cullimore is working with the Kindergarten. When the new school addition is completed a well equipped library will be included. There is some consideration being given to combining the *Children's* town and school library at this time. It would free needed space for the adult library at the town hall.

There are many avenues to be explored here, and Mr. David Munroe has been appointed coordinator to work with the school library on this future possibility.

The *Friends of the Library* had a busy year and gave the library some new pieces of equipment and also added to the Children's Book collection. Several books have been given in memory of friends and relatives. The library has a small trust left as a memorial fund some years ago in memory of Seth Hayes of New Durham. This has been very useful for special occasions and purchases. There have been donations of puzzles and books both old and new. All these help to stretch the library budget and are much appreciated. With this assistance the library has managed to maintain the minimum services and standards with a town appropriation among the smallest per capita in the state.

The library should grow with the community and offer useful and appropriate services in accord with the concept of libraries today. It will be up to the people of New Durham to decide the future of the library whether it is to be a token or a live, vital part of the community.

In the meantime the library has many friends and a hard working staff to do their best to serve you.

A new group of volunteers will help man the library for the winter months enabling the archive secretary to spend more time at her work. The winter hours are: Monday, Tuesday and Friday, 9:00 to 12:00 noon and 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Saturdays from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. with Librarian Mrs. Doris Rollins in attendance.

Submitted by:
ELOISE BICKFORD
ELAINE SCOTT
ALICE DAVIS
ESTELLE LOISELLE
DAVID MUNROE
PATRICIA PRINCE
Library Trustees

LIBRARY REPORT

RECEIPTS

Town Appropriation		\$750.00
Sale of Town Charters		<u>1.75</u>
	TOTAL	\$751.75
Balance on Hand December 31, 1975		-.12

EXPENDITURES

Librarian's Salary		\$327.60
Books Purchased		334.64
Supplies -- Demco		59.63
Petty Cash		15.00
Trustee Dues -- N.E.T.A.		<u>15.00</u>
	TOTAL	\$751.87

Books in Library January 1, 1975	2,632
Books Added	<u>430</u>
TOTAL	3,062

Books Issued in 1975

Adult Fiction	2,481
Adult Non-Fiction	849
Juvenile Fiction	1,663
Juvenile Non-Fiction	<u>702</u>
TOTAL	5,695

Magazines	101
Records	68

Respectfully submitted,
DORIS M. ROLLINS
Librarian

NEW DURHAM ARCHIVES
and
HISTORICAL COLLECTIONS REPORT

After finding many early town records stored in a shed of the town hall, deteriorating from exposure and age, a committee was formed to organize and preserve these records, dating from the 1700's to the early 1900's. They have been cleaned, sorted and prepared for storage and micro-filming.

In addition the committee obtained a grant from the *N. H. Council for the Humanities* which paid a historian-humanist to carry out a very interesting program concerning *New Durham In Change*. While working on this project he has also been available as a consultant to supervise the organization of the archives.

The town officials gave the Archive Committee permission to organize, restore and preserve town records, and a secretary was hired through Manpower to inventory and index the materials.

The town Bicentennial Committee has selected this as their official project, and as such, has made available a grant from the Bicentennial Commission in Concord. At present the Archive Committee is attempting to raise the matching funds needed by sales, a raffle and an original New Durham Cook-book, now at the printer's.

The town has supplied acid free storage boxes and the Mormon Genealogical Society is planning to micro-film a portion of the records and will give a free copy of each roll of film to the archives.

Included in the project will be a complete record of family cemeteries in New Durham and the location of each on a map. As documenting homes has become a popular pastime, a picture catalog of homes in New Durham with background information concerning them will be compiled. A large Genealogical collection has been prepared encompassing many New Durham families. An album of current events and newspaper clippings will also be compiled.

Eventually an inventory of the contents of the collection will be on file at the State Library, the N. H. Historical Society, and the State Archives. This will make possible a wider use of valuable material to historians, genealogists, surveyors, lawyers and other interested parties.

The next step in the program will be a planned schedule of restoration. Many of the earliest and most valuable ledgers are in a state of deterioration, crumbling and fading. At the present time the books are completely recoverable but restoration must start soon. The materials will be sent to N. Andover, Ma. to the N. E. Document Conservation Center for this highly specialized work, as the funds become available. It would be appropriate to preserve the earliest ledger which includes the Revolutionary War years, for the Bicentennial celebration of 1976. The future of the original accounts of the founding of a N. H. frontier town would be assured.

Respectfully submitted,
ELOISE BICKFORD
Director

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT
****Health and Welfare**
January 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975

1975 was a busy year for the Police Department. We were fortunate to get extra full-time help from the Rockingham/Strafford Manpower Administration for part of the year. With their funding, we were able to keep up with the increased work load and were able to have our Sergeant certified by sending him to the State Police Training Academy, without any added cost to the Town.

During 1975, in the performance of their duties, the officers worked 5,066 hours and traveled 45,780 miles. 95% of their time was on police, 2% on health and 3% on welfare.

Of this, 55% was spent on patrol, 20% in the office, 3% in court, 6% on special details, 2% on aids rendered, 5% on complaint investigations, 1% on accident investigations and 8% on criminal investigations.

They received 2,700 calls for services, investigated 27 accidents, checked 6,361 buildings and summoned or arrested 45 persons.

Nearly 50% of police work was criminal cases due to the large number of break-ins, compared to possibly only 5% criminal cases in 1974.

A total of 18 sewage systems were inspected. Now we take persons down to qualify for food stamps and pick up the stamps, if they have no transportation. We handled 17 cases on Public Welfare.

Respectfully submitted,
PAUL R. GELINAS
Chief of Police
Health Officer
Overseer of the Poor

**Included in Police Budget

**REPORT OF
NEW DURHAM FIRE DEPARTMENT
New Durham, New Hampshire**

Appreciation and thanks are extended to Mrs. Ruby Shaw who ably carried out the communications dispatch work in the past.

A two-way radio was installed in the Chief's car, and the old base radio converted and installed in the Fire Station. The red net phones which have been in effect for many years have been removed, as all calls go directly to the Lakes Region Dispatch Center. A tone alert fire alarm system has been installed at the fire station. A radio receiver activates the fire alarm by a tone transmitted from the dispatch center. This is done immediately after the receivers have been activated in the fire fighters homes to alert firemen that are not within sound of their own receivers.

The high point of the year was the delivery of the new truck, a combination tank and pumper. It features a 35' section ladder, a 16' roof ladder, a 10' fold ladder, 1 electric rewind booster reel with 200' of 1" hose, hoses and nozzels, a 750 gallon booster tank, and it pumps 1,000 gallons per minute. Since delivery an intensive pump class has been completed to teach firemen how to use the new equipment efficiently.

Construction is underway on a training tower for ladder and rescue work. The twenty foot floor has been put in place and two walls and a roof will be added. Twelve sets of hats, coats and boots have also been

purchased this year.

The basic fire fighters course began in April, at which time a building was burned with neighboring towns participating in the practice of entering smoke filled buildings safely. An all day inter-department drill was held with four other towns in Alton. Experience was gained at relay pumping, ventilation, ladder and attack work. Another emergency drill was held with five neighboring departments at the elementary school with the intention of learning how fast water could be transported by tank truck to the scene of the fire.

The *Firebelles* fair and Firemen's Auction supplied some extra funds to stretch the budget. One of the projects nearing completion this year is a meeting and classroom in the fire-station.

Calls responded to in 1975 are:

1 resuscitator	1 grass
5 chimney fires	1 dump
2 car fires	1 smoke investigation
3 calls for downed power lines	2 road-side fires
2 Mutual Aid assists,	2 woods
(1 structural, 1 woods)	1 blanket

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE E. BICKFORD
Chief

**REPORT OF
BUILDING AND ZONING INSPECTOR
January 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975**

Permits Issued	71
Fees Collected	\$ 227.00
Building and Zoning Inspectors' Expenses	\$ 900.00
Estimated Value	\$315,975.00
New Durham School	\$600,000.00

Respectfully submitted
WILLIAM C. WYATT
Building Inspector
Zoning Inspector

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND DISTRICT CHIEF

Report to Towns

Upon the recommendation of town selectmen and city councils, the Division of Forests and Lands appoints a forest fire warden and several deputy forest fire wardens in each town and city every three years. The town or city warden is responsible for maintaining a force of men and adequate equipment to suppress any wildfire that occurs in his town or city during his term of appointment. The fire warden must authorize all open burning when the ground is not covered with snow. No open fires can be authorized between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., unless it is raining, without the additional permission of the state district fire chief.

Any person wishing to kindle an open fire when the ground is not covered with snow must first obtain the written permission of the forest fire warden. Camp and cooking fires also require the warden's permission.

The Division of Forests and Lands, through its Forest Fire Service, assists all cities and towns in meeting these requirements by training the warden and deputy forces in wildfire suppression tactics, making hand tool suppression equipment available at fifty percent of cost, supplying pieces of Federal excess property for use as fire attack vehicles and sharing up to fifty percent of the cost of wildfire suppression costs.

Wildfire prevention is also a joint state, city or town program. Smokey Bear is available from the Forest Fire Service for local fire prevention programs. Posters and Junior Ranger kits are available for distribution by local fire departments upon request to the Forest Fire Service. Each forest fire warden is expected to carry on a continuous wildfire prevention program within his town or city.

1975 FOREST FIRE STATISTICS

	<u>No. of Fires</u>	<u>No. of Acres</u>
State	718	800
District	271	80.53
Town	6	6.25

CLARK M. DAVIS
District Fire Chief

LEON F. HAYES
Forest Fire Warden

RURAL DISTRICT HEALTH COUNCIL, INC. ANNUAL REPORT 1975

The past year has seen an increase in the services provided by the Rural District Health Council coupled with an increase in the requests for service. As the federal government studies the cost of health care there is increased interest in home care and preventive medicine as methods of reducing costs and improving health services. The Rural District Health Council continues to qualify as a certified home health agency, implementing procedures to continue to provide quality care.

In January 1975, Mrs. Marie Dexter, R.N. joined the staff in a dual role as Referral Coordinator at the Frisbie Memorial Hospital where she is a member of the Utilization Review Committee, and also as staff nurse for the agency providing skilled care for the towns of Barrington and Strafford. The addition of a Health Aide, Mrs. Joan Menez, has enabled the Council to better utilize the professional staff while continuing to provide quality care.

Along with the regular skilled nursing services provided in the home, members of the agency staff conduct adult screening clinics monthly in Northwood and Farmington which was requested by senior citizen groups in those towns. They also participate in the after-care program in cooperation with the Strafford County Guidance Center and the Seacoast Counseling Center, assist local groups with area screening programs, participate in health planning and, by contract, supervise health aides in the Strafford County Homemaker - Home Health Aide Program. The Maternal and Child Health Program is very active providing regular physical examinations, immunizations and dental care for

children 0-6 years enrolled in the Well Child Clinics. The agency staff also does home visiting to the patients participating in the Strafford County Prenatal and Family Planning Program and the Exeter Area Family Planning Program.

The strength of the Council lies in the efficiency and dedication of its staff. In addition to the two persons mentioned above, members of the professional staff are Mrs. Ardala Houle, R.N. Agency Supervisor; Miss Arlene Thorne, R.N., Maternal and Child Health nurse; Mrs. Barbara Drew, R.N.; Mrs. Myrtle Walsh, R.N.; Mrs. Lucy Myers, R.N.B.S.; Mrs. Bernadette Cameron, R.N.; and Mrs. Kathleen Hansen, RPT. The office duties are ably handled by Mrs. Norma Davis and Mrs. Eleanor Eaton.

The Rural District Health Council has been requesting \$1.00 per capita from member towns since 1969. As a result of the recent inflationary times and increase in services provided, it has been necessary, therefore, to increase the per capita request from each town by 10¢ to enable the Council to continue to provide these services.

During the past year the Council has made 282 home visits and 96 well child visits making a grand total of 378 for the town of New Durham.

Anyone interested in additional information is urged to contact the Rural District Health Council, P.O. Box 563, 6 South Main Street, Farmington, N. H. Telephone 755-2989 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

CYNTHIA BLOOD, R.N.
Executive Director

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT
Town of New Durham, New Hampshire
BY-LAWS

AUTHORITY

1. These By-Laws are adopted under the authority of New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955, Chapter 31:66-76, and the Zoning Ordinance of the Town of New Durham.

OFFICERS

1. A Chairman shall be elected annually in the month of April by a majority vote of the Board. Said Chairman shall serve for one year and shall be eligible for re-election. He shall preside over meetings and hearings, appoint such committees as directed by the Board, and shall affix his signature in the name of the Board.
2. A Vice-Chairman shall be elected annually in the month of April by a majority vote of the Board. Said Vice-Chairman shall preside in the absence of the Chairman and shall have the full powers of the Chairman on matters which come before the Board during the absence of the Chairman.
3. A Clerk shall be elected annually in the month of April by a majority vote of the Board. Said Clerk shall serve for one year and shall be eligible for re-election. He shall maintain a record of all meetings, transactions, and findings of the Board, and perform such other duties as the Board may direct by resolution.

MEETINGS

1. Regular meetings shall be held at the Town Hall, at 7:00 p.m. on the 2nd Thursday of each month. Other meetings may be held on call of the Chairman provided notice is given each member at least 48 hours prior to the time of such meeting.
2. QUORUM. A quorum for regular business shall consist of three members. A quorum for hearing and deciding an appeal shall consist of five members. If a member disqualifies himself or cannot act in a particular case he shall so notify the chairman who shall request the appointing authority to appoint an alternate who shall have all the powers and duties of a regular member in regard to the appeal or appeals under consideration on which the regular member is unable to act.
3. CHAIRMAN. The Chairman shall preside over all meetings. In the absence of the Chairman the Vice-Chairman shall preside.

4. **ORDER OF BUSINESS.** The order of business for regular meetings shall be as follows:
- a. Roll call by the Clerk
 - b. Minutes of previous meeting
 - c. Disposition of appeals under consideration
 - d. Hearing of appeals
 - e. Executive session

(Note: although this is the usual order of business the board may wish to hold the hearings immediately after the roll call in order to accommodate the public.)

5. **PUBLIC HEARING.** The conduct of public hearings shall be governed by the following rules:
- a. The Chairman shall call the meeting to order and call for the Clerk's report on the first case.
 - b. The Clerk shall read the application and report on the manner in which public notice and personal notice were given.
 - c. The applicant shall be called to present his appeal and those appearing in favor of the appeal shall be allowed to speak.
 - d. Those in opposition to the appeal shall be allowed to speak.
 - e. The applicant and those in favor shall be allowed to speak in rebuttal.
 - f. Those in opposition to the appeal shall be allowed to speak in rebuttal.
 - g. The Chairman shall present a summary setting forth the facts of the case and the claims made for each side. Opportunity shall be given for correction from the floor.
 - h. The hearing on the appeal shall be declared closed and the next case called up.

General Rules

- i. Members of the Board may ask questions at any point during testimony.
- j. Any member of the Board, through the Chairman, may request any party to the case to reappear.
- k. Each person who appears shall be required to state his name and address and indicate whether he is a party to the case or an agent or counsel of a party to the case.
- l. Any party to the case who desires to ask a question of another party to the case must do so through the Chairman.

APPEALS

1. Each application for an appeal shall be made on forms provided by the Board and shall be presented to the Clerk of the Board of Adjustment who shall record the date of receipt over his signature. At each meeting the Clerk shall present to

the Board all applications received by him prior to the beginning of the meeting.

2. An appeal to the Board on any administrative decision or requirement shall be taken within 45 days of the date of such decision or requirement.
3. The Board shall reject any petition not properly filled out and will post the time of hearing for all other petitions when received.
4. The Board will decide all cases within 45 days of hearing. Notification of the decision shall be made on a form provided by the Board and shall be sent to the applicant, the Town Clerk, and filed in the records of the Board.

FORMS

1. All forms and revisions thereof shall be adopted by resolution and shall become a part of these by-laws.

PUBLIC NOTICE

1. Public notice of public hearings on each appeal shall be given in the _____ and shall be posted at the Town Hall at least ten days prior to said hearing. Such notice shall include the name of the applicant, description of property, action desired by the applicant, provision of the zoning ordinance concerned, the type of appeal being made, and the time and place of the hearing.
2. Personal notice shall be made by regular mail to owners of record of property adjacent and/or within 200 feet of the applicant's property. Notice shall also be given to the Planning Board, the Town Clerk, and other parties deemed by the Board to have special interest. Said notice shall contain the same information as the public notice and shall be made on forms provided for this purpose.

AMENDMENT

1. These by-laws may be amended by majority vote of the members provided that such amendment is read at two successive meetings.

VITAL STATISTICS
FOR THE TOWN OF NEW DURHAM, N. H.
For the Year 1975

Births

- Jan. 17 SHAYNE AARON LEGASSIE, Dayne A. Legassie and Bonnie L. Boston, at Rochester.
- Feb. 16 BETHANY NANCY McKAY, Charles E. McKay and Nancy A. Goodwin, at Wolfeboro.
- Feb. 17 JESSICA ANN BLAIR, Bernard A. Blair and June E. Neaves, at Rochester.
- Feb. 25 PETER AARON SWETT, John E. Swett and Marion A. Bierweiler, at Wolfeboro.
- Apr. 14 ROBERT JOHN PELLETIER, Robert A. Pelletier and Susan L. Barnet, at Rochester.
- Apr. 26 STEVE EDWARD McLELLAN, Ronald A. McLellan and Louise A. Soldano, at Wolfeboro.
- June 6 JEFFREY GEORGE WORSTER, Carlton R. Worster and Sharon A. Cameron, at Wolfeboro.
- Aug. 18 MICHELLE LEDA PICOTT, Frederick E. Picott and Patricia L. Poulin, at Dover.
- Aug. 21 DAVID ALLEN GRAY, JR., David A. Gray and Sheryl M. Parsons, at Rochester.
- Aug. 21 KATHRYN EDITH GAGNON, Hilaire V. Gagnon and Elsie D. Lussier, at Rochester.
- Sept. 11 MATTHEW MARTIN GILMAN, Michael V. Gilman and Brenda L. Varney, at Rochester.
- Oct. 22 AMY LYNN BENNER, Richard E. Benner and Sara A. Downs, at Rochester.

Marriages

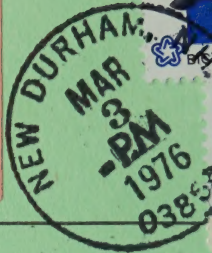
- Feb. 1 CHARLES MARTIN BICKFORD and DEBORAH JEANNE JORDAN by Gerard T. Allard, Justice of the Peace, at Rochester.
- Feb. 1 JAMES MICHAEL WHIFFEN and CHRISTINA MARIE MILBURY by Rev. John Healy, Priest, at Rochester.
- June 11 WILLIAM SHELDON RICHEY, JR. and JUDITH LEE BRYAN by Frederick Greenleage, Justice of the Peace, at Concord.
- June 20 JAMES EDWARD SWETT and CLAIRE MARION DEANE by John S. Buccina, Justice of the Peace, at Portsmouth.
- June 21 JOHN M. KELLER and DESIREE E. KNIBBS by Rev. John E. Akehurst, Minister, at New Durham.
- July 5 FRANKLIN ALLEN ALDEN, JR. and LYNNE ANN BERRY by Rev. Horatio J. Chase, Minister, at New Durham.
- Aug. 9 WAYNE GUY HARRIS and LONEEDA FAY HUSSON by Rev. Horatio J. Chase, Minister, at New Durham.
- Aug. 9 THOMAS NATHAN MYATT and GERALDINE WHEELER MURRAY by William A. Zechhauser, Clergyman, at Laconia.
- Aug. 23 RYAN D. HEBERT and RITA E. BOMBARD by Marshall W. Struble, Presiding Overseer Jehovah's Witnesses, at Laconia.
- Oct. 3 ROBERT GEORGE BENNER and EVELYN ANN BLAMY by Rev. Horatio J. Chase, Minister, at New Durham.
- Oct. 17 EDWARD PAUL HIGGINS and JANE PATRICIA WEBB by Harry W. Nutter, Justice of the Peace at New Durham.
- Nov. 1 GEORGE TERRY HILLSGROVE and MARLA MAY ESTABROOK by Rev. Dwight V. Meader, Minister, at New Durham.
- Nov. 1 PETER ROBERT THOMPSON and JANICE JANINE HILLSGROVE by Rev. Dwight V. Meader, Minister at New Durham.

Deaths

- Jan. 10 CHARLOTTE A. CLARK, age 80, at Rochester.
- Feb. 7 WILLIAM E. ANDERSEN, age 63, at Rochester.
- Mar. 10 WILSON CLYDE BENNER, age 56, at Manchester.
- May 19 FREDERICK G. GOLLER, age 62, at Rochester.
- June 21 MILDRED V. GRAY, age 79, at New Durham
- June 26 NINA O. BERRY, age 70, at Wolfeboro.
- Aug. 3 BERTHA M. BULLIS, age 57, at Wolfeboro.
- Aug. 12 JEANNE M. DYER, age 76, at New Durham.
- Nov. 21 VIOLET E. NICKERSON, age 60, at Wolfeboro.
- Dec. 30 SAMUEL N. CARDINAL, age 53, at Rochester.

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TOWN CLERK & TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE TOWN HALL	859-2091

Office Hours — TOWN HALL

Monday and Saturday	9:00 — 12:00 A.M.
Wednesday	12:00 — 3:00 P.M.
Friday	1:00 — 5:00 P.M.

Selectmen Meet Each Monday at 6:30 P.M.
Planning Board Meets First Thursday Each Month
at 7:30 P.M.

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