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LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

EDWARD R. WHITTEN, Chairman
CHARLES F. WHITTEN
ROY L. JOHNSON

Town Clerk

MARY B. CRAIGUE

Town Treasurer

SUSAN H. RAMSBOTHAM

Collector of Taxes

ETHELWYN STEADMAN

Road Agent

WALTER R. SMITH

Budget Committee

THOMAS W. HUNTER, Chairman	Term Expires 1978
ROGER L. WILLIAMS	Term Expires 1978
ROGER CONANT	Term Expires 1979
REGINALD COLBY	Term Expires 1979
MARY E. CELLARIUS	Term Expires 1980
JOHN S. WARREN	Term Expires 1980
CHARLES F. WHITTEN	Selectman

Constable

KENNETH DUNN

Trustees of Trust Funds

WARD B. WILLIAMS	Term Expires 1978
ROLAND T. SEVERANCE	Term Expires 1979
ROBERT STRAW	Term Expires 1980

Library Trustees

EDITH CLINTON	Term Expires 1978
JANE M. CONANT	Term Expires 1979
C. NORMAN SVENSON	Term Expires 1980

Health Officer

EDWARD R. WHITTEN

Dog Warden
WILLIAM C. KEYES

Fire Department
REGINALD COLBY, Chief

Fire Wards
ROBERT W. STRAW
MILTON E. HODGES, Deceased
BRADBURY E. HUNTER

Civil Defense Director
PAUL BENARD

Police Department
WILLIAM KEYES, Acting Sergeant
NATT LESLIE HODGDON
CARL HANSEN, JR.

Auditors
JOHN P. BOLTON
CAROL APPLETON

Moderator
RICHARD H. LESTER

Representatives to the General Court
RUSSELL CLAFLIN
KENNETH MACDONALD

Supervisors of the Checklist

ROLAND T. SEVERANCE	Term Expires 1982
ELIZABETH COLEMAN	Term Expires 1980
THELMA WIGGIN	Term Expires 1978
CAROL APPLETON	Alternate

Planning Board

PAUL APPLETON, Chairman	Term Expires 1982
SUSAN H, RAMSBOTHAM, Secretary	Term Expires 1979
PROF. LINCOLN R. PAGE	Term Expires 1978
WILLIAM STOCKMAN	Term Expires 1980
CHESTER CHELLMAN	Term Expires 1981

ROGER A. KREY
EDMOND DAGNINO
DAVID LADD
ROY L. JOHNSON

Term Expires 1982
Alternate
Alternate
Selectman

Ballot Clerks

TEKLA HODGDON
LUELLA BAIN
FLORENCE HAM
PRESTON PIPER
MARY E. CELLARIUS

Board of Adjustment

WILLIAM ROOME, Chairman
PAMELA D. ALBEE, Clerk
THEODORE BENSE
CHESTER C. FERNALD
CONSTANCE MISSUD
EDMOND F. DAGNINO

Term Expires 1981
Term Expires 1979
Term Expires 1977
Term Expires 1978
Term Expires 1980
Alternate

Conservation Commission

FRANCES HOWE
JOSEPH FELIX CAPIZZI
BLAIR D. RUDOLPH

Recreation Committee

JOHN REDMOND
LOUIS DEARBORN, JR.
FRANCIS LAASE

TOWN WARRANT
The State of New Hampshire

The Polls will be open from 10:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Tuftonboro in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Tuftonboro Town House in said Tuftonboro on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, next at 10:00 of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing. (By Official Town Ballot).

2. To see if the Town will vote to adopt a non-partisan ballot system pursuant to RSA 59:73, for the election of Town Officers. Approval of this article will eliminate the Caucus which is the present Town procedure. Under this system a plurality vote shall elect and the Town Clerk shall prepare the ballots and all candidates for office shall file their declarations of candidacy or petitions of nomination with the Town Clerk. If accepted, this article will become effective with the next Town Meeting. (This item on warrant by voter petition. It will appear as a question on the Official Town Ballot).

3. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 466:30-a which makes it unlawful for an owner of any dog licensed or unlicensed to permit such dog to run at large, except when accompanied by the owner or custodian and when used for hunting, herding, supervised competition and exhibition or training for such. (This item on warrant by voter petition. It will appear as a question on the Official Town Ballot).

4. To see if the Town will vote to prohibit dogs from town-owned beaches, piers, and docks during the period from June 1 to October 1 each year. (This item on warrant by voter petition. It will appear as a question on the Official Town Ballot).

5. To determine what action the Town will take on the Amendments to the Zoning Ordinances prepared by the Planning Board. The Amendments to the Zoning Ordinances will appear in the form of questions on the Official Town Ballot.

The following nine (9) amendments are a complete list of all proposed changes and will be on file and available at the Office of the Town Clerk and on the day of the Town Meeting, will be available for inspection at the Town House:

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 11 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amendment No. 11. Article 1B - Definitions (to be inserted alphabetically)
Home Occupation - Any individual business or profession conducted entirely within a dwelling or accessory building which is incidental to the dwelling and which does not substantially change either its character or that of the neighborhood in which it is established and which is conducted by the resident owner or lessee of the dwelling.

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 12 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amendment No. 12. Article 1B - Definitions (to be inserted alphabetically)
Nonconforming Use - Any use which lawfully existed prior to planning or zoning regulations with which it is now in conflict.

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 13 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amendment No. 13. Article 1B - Definitions (to be inserted alphabetically)
Residence - A building designed for residential occupancy by one or two families, but excluding hotels, motels, tourist homes, overnight cabins and condominiums?

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 14 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amendment No. 14. Change in Article III E 5 as follows: Signs erected after the effective date of this ordinance not exceeding twelve (12) square feet used only to advertise products, facilities or services offered for sale within the Town of Tuftonboro are permitted, subject to the approval of the Planning Board and provided that no person, firm or business is permitted to erect more than four (4) such signs, exclusive of those on the premises where such product, facility or service is offered. A public hearing may be required.

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 15 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amendment No. 15. Change in Article III P as follows: Mobile homes shall be permitted only if located within an approved Mobile Home Park.

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 16 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amendment No. 16. Addition for Article III Q as follows: In Zones 1 and 2, there shall be a minimum distance of thirty (30) feet between any road right-of-way and lake or pond and any building. No building shall be located within twenty-five (25) feet of any other lot line. In Zone 3 there shall be a minimum distance of thirty (30) feet between any road right-of-way and any lake or pond and any building. No building shall be located within ten (10) feet of any other lot line.

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 17 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amendment No. 17. Addition to Article IV A as follows: Uses permitted are forestry, agriculture, mining, recreation, research, home occupation, education and primarily single residences.

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 18 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amendment No. 18. Addition to Article V as follows: No. 5 - A 600 foot strip measured from the outer road boundary along the north side of Route 109, from High Street, westward to the point of intersection of a line 600 feet long perpendicular to the Route 109 right-of-way with the southerly side of the County Road right-of-way.

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 19 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows?

Amendment No. 19. To extend the limits of Zone 3 from Melvin River to High Street.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Fifty (\$750.00) Dollars to aid the Abenaki Tower and Trail Association, a non-profit corporation of the State of New Hampshire, in the reconstruction of Abenaki Tower. (This item on warrant by voter petition).

7. To see if the Town will vote to empower the Selectmen to enact town ordinances or bylaws as provided by State statutes, relating to public safety, health and welfare, which ordinances or bylaws shall continue in effect until altered or annulled by town vote or amendment, or until the next annual Town Meeting when such ordinances or bylaws shall be placed on the warrant for voter consideration. (By statute, Selectmen may **not** adopt ordinances appropriating funds or promulgating zoning changes).

8. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell Lot No. 11 on Little Bear Island and the six (6) acre Edgerly Lot on Union Wharf Road. If approved,

such sales would be made at public auction or by advertised sealed bids, with the Selectmen authorized to determine the minimum amounts for which the properties would be sold and the terms and conditions of the sales. Net proceeds of these sales would be deposited in a separate interest-bearing account or certificate of deposit to be expended only upon approval by a Town Meeting.

9. To see if the Town will vote to require the printing of the report of the trustees of trust funds in summary form only, rather than in full detail in the Annual Town Report. The detailed report will continue to be available for inspection at the Town House. In the year in which trusts are created, the names of donors and the value of the trust corpus would be printed in the Town Report.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars, plus expenses, to acquire a certain parcel of land, known as Lot No. 2, in Tufonboro Colony, abutting the Town House property, for the purpose of possible future expansion such as access area, parking, septic system drainage, driven well, etc., and authorize the withdrawal of Six Thousand (\$6,000.00) Dollars for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972. This item has the approval of the Budget Committee.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Five and 51 / 100 (\$705.51) Dollars for town road aid as approved by the Budget Committee. The State, in turn, will contribute Four Thousand Seven Hundred Three and 41 / 100 (\$4,703.41) Dollars.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-two and 50 / 100 (\$10,332.50) Dollars as approved by the Budget Committee, and authorize its withdrawal from State Highway Subsidy (Chapter 241, Section 14). This money is to be applied to maintenance, construction and reconstruction of class IV and V highways in the town.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount forthcoming from the State Additional Highway Subsidy (Chapter 241, Section 15) and authorize its withdrawal from said fund as approved by the Budget Committee. This amount is currently estimated at Five Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-one and 19 / 100 (\$5,921.19) Dollars. This money is to be used only for construction or reconstruction of class IV and V highways in the town.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars for interest charges and authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current year and issue notes therefore, said notes to be repaid from taxes.

15. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and 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 ap-

propriations for the following specific purposes and in amounts indicated herewith as approved by the Budget Committee:

Bridge Maintenance	\$ 500.00
Dock Maintenance	500.00
Office and fire department equipment	4,200.00
Special for tar	800.00 *
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	\$6,000.00

* remainder of \$19,200.00 to be raised by taxation.

16. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and authorize the withdrawal of One Thousand Two Hundred Forty-one (\$1,241.00) Dollars, plus such other monies as may be received during 1978, from the Antirecession Fiscal Assistance Program Fund established under the provisions of the Public Works Employment Act of 1976 for use for improvements to and expansion of police department services. This item has the approval of the Budget Committee.

17. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same; the sum of Two Hundred Thirty-Seven Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-seven (\$237,827.00) Dollars as approved by the Budget Committee. If item No. 6 is approved, this sum will increase to Two Hundred Thirty-eight Thousand Five Hundred Seventy-seven (\$238,577.00) Dollars.

18. To see if the Town will vote to ratify and approve the action of the Selectmen in expending funds during 1978 to repay notes taken in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the year 1977 and to have been repaid during 1977. The inability of the Selectmen to repay said notes during 1977 was occasioned by the failure of the State to enact its budget.

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

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty first day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy eight.

EDWARD R. WHITTEN
CHARLES F. WHITTEN
R. L. JOHNSON
Selectmen of Tuftonboro

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF TUFTONBORO, N. H.
Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue
for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978

Purpose of Appropriation	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Recommended by Budget Committee 1978
General Government		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 9,100.00
Town Officers' Expenses	13,000.00	12,000.00
Election & Registration Expenses	.00	1,500.00
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	1,000.00	1,700.00
Contingency Fund	.00	2,000.00
Protection of Persons & Property		
Police Department	17,000.00	26,000.00
Fire Department	7,845.00	8,100.00
Forest Fire and Blister Rust	1,035.00	1,365.00
Insurance	11,000.00	13,435.00
Planning & Zoning	2,800.00	2,860.00
Damages & Legal Expense	3,500.00	5,375.00
Conservation	700.00	300.00
Health Dept. (Incl. Hospitals & Ambulance)		
Vital Statistics	8,600.00	8,990.00
Carroll County Mental Health	75.00	75.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	725.00	725.00
Highways & Bridges - Subsidies	18,000.00	16,500.00
Town Maintenance — Summer & Winter	10,376.00	16,254.00 (a)
Bushes	36,500.00	42,000.00
General Expenses & Highway Department	1,300.00	1,200.00
Town Road Aid	2,500.00	2,500.00
Libraries	710.00	706.00
Public Welfare	4,500.00	4,500.00
Town Poor	1,500.00	3,000.00
Old Age Assistance	3,600.00	3,600.00
Meals on Wheels	500.00	225.00
Patriotic Purposes - Memorial Day, etc.	75.00	75.00
Recreation - Parks and Playgrounds	1,600.00	2,250.00
Public Service Enterprises		
N. H. Humane Society	300.00	300.00
Cemeteries	1,300.00	1,500.00
Lakes Region Planning Commission	1,630.00	1,587.00
Lakes Region Assn.	55.00	55.00
Debt Service		
Principal & Long Term Notes & Bonds	15,000.00	15,000.00
Interest — Long Term Notes & Bonds and temp. Loans	1,750.00	1,850.00
Capital Outlay		
Bridge Maintenance	500.00	500.00
Dock Maintenance	1,000.00	500.00
Acquisition of Land	.00	6,000.00
Office and Fire Department Equipment	.00	4,200.00
Special for Tar	20,000.00	20,000.00
Fire Department	150.00	
Assessors' Map	35,000.00	
High Street Bridge	51,000.00	
Lang Pond Road	3,000.00	
Cross Neck Road	1,000.00	
Abenaki Tower	750.00	
Fire Department Tanker	30,000.00	
Total Appropriations	\$319,876.00	\$237,827.00

(a - Includes \$5,921.00 Additional Highway Subsidy - New in 1978)

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Fiscal Year 1978
From State			
Interest & Dividends Tax	\$47,000.00	\$56,660.00	\$47,500.00
Savings Bank Tax	2,700.00	3,905.00	3,000.00
Meals & Rooms Tax	8,000.00	8,358.00	8,358.00
Highway Subsidy (Cl. IV & V)	10,376.00	10,376.00	16,254.00 (a)
Reim. A/C Business Profits Tax (Town Portion)	632.00	547.00	664.00
From Local Sources			
Dog Licenses	500.00	600.00	500.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	1,500.00	1,398.00	1,400.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	25,000.00	31,863.00	28,000.00
Interest on Taxes & Deposits	3,000.00	5,014.00	3,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	30.00	16.00	15.00
Resident Taxes Retained	8,000.00	8,253.00	8,000.00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed	3,000.00	10,619.00	4,000.00
Rent of Town Property	600.00	600.00	.00
Income from Departments	300.00	.00	.00
Bond & Note Issues (Contra)	45,000.00	45,000.00	.00
Surplus	45,493.00	33,025.00 (Net)	.00
From Federal Sources			
Revenue Sharing	35,000.00	35,000.00	12,000.00 (b)
Anti-Recession Fiscal Assistance			1,241.00 (c)
*Total Revenues from all sources except Property Taxes	\$236,131.00	\$251,234.00	\$133,932.00
Amount to be raised by Property Taxes [Exclusive of County and School Taxes]			\$103,895.00
Total Revenues			\$237,827.00

(b - Revenue Sharing Funds proposed to be used for acquisition of Land, purchase of equipment items, bridge and dock maintenance and a portion of Tar expense (See Capital Outlay)

(c - Anti-Recession Fiscal Assistance Funds proposed to be used to improve and expand Police Department Services.)

*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.

Feb. 3, 1978

Budget Committee:
 THOMAS W. HUNTER
 JOHN S. WARREN
 MARY E. CELLARIUS
 REGINALD C. COLBY
 ROGER L. WILLIAMS
 R. L. JOHNSON

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Land — Improved and Unimproved	\$4,996,810
Buildings	4,748,400.00
Public Utilities	
Telephone — Continental Telephone of N.H.	1,500.00
Electric	
Public Service Co. of N.H.	45,000.00
New Hampshire Electric Coop.	151,000.00
House Trailers and Mobile Homes (284)	187,800
Boats and Launches (454)	214,600
	\$10,345,110.00
Total Valuation before Exemption Allowed	
Exemptions	
Blind (2)	\$7,250.00
Elderly (14)	11,200.00
Melvin Village Com. Church	1,000.00
University of New Hampshire	500.00
	\$19,950.00
Total	
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is Computed	\$10,325,160.00

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED For the Tax Year 1977

Appropriations	
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 9,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	13,000.00
Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	1,000.00
Police Department	17,000.00
Fire Department	7,845.00
Forest Fire & Blister Rust	1,035.00
Insurance	11,000.00
Planning and Zoning	2,800.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	3,500.00
Health Dept., incl. Hospital & Ambulance	8,600.00
Vital Statistics	75.00
Carroll County Mental Health	724.73
Town Dump & Garbage Collection	18,000.00
Town Maintenance — Summer & Winter	36,500.00
Bushes	1,300.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	2,500.00
Town Road Aid	710.05
Highway Subsidy	10,375.52
Libraries	4,500.00
Town Poor	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	3,600.00
Meals on Wheels	500.00
Patriotic Purposes	75.00
Recreation	1,600.00
Conservation	700.00

Cemeteries	1,300.00
N. H. Humane Society	300.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	1,685.13
Principal - Long Term Notes	15,000.00
Interest - Long Term Notes	1,500.00
Interest on Temporary Loans - Tax Anticipation	250.00
Capital Outlay:	
Bridge Maintenance	500.00
Special for Tar	20,000.00
Dock Maintenance	1,000.00
Fire Department	150.09
Assessors' Map	35,000.00
High Street Bridge	51,000.00
Lang Pond Road	3,000.00
Tuftonboro Cross Neck Road	1,000.00
Abenaki Tower	750.00
Fire Truck	30,000.00
Total Appropriations	\$319,875.52
Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits	
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$56,660.00
Savings Bank Tax	3,905.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	8,357.00
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	9,315.00
Interest Received on Taxes	1,100.00
Interest Received on Deposits	2,750.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	800.00
Dog Licenses	535.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	30,000.00
Rent of Town Property & Equipment	600.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	16.00
Resident Taxes	8,940.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Highway Subsidy	10,376.00
Reimbursement Fighting Forest Fires	150.00
Resident Tax Penalties	48.00
Income from Departments	300.00
Proceeds of Long Term Notes	45,000.00
Revenue Sharing Funds	35,000.00
Total Revenues and Credits	\$263,852.00
Net Town Appropriations	\$56,023.52
Net School Appropriations	417,564.39
County Tax Assessment	69,956.13
Total of Town, School and County	\$543,544.04
Deduct: Total Bus. Profits Tax Reimbursement	4,565.00
Add: War Service Tax Credits	7,900.00

Add Overlay	4,484.50
Property Taxes to be Raised	<u>\$551,363.54</u>
Less: W / Serv. Tax. Cr.	<u>7,900.00</u>
TOTAL Tax Commitment	\$543,463.54

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF
APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES**

	Appropriated	Expended *
General Government		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$9,000.00	\$9,138.00
Town Officers' Expenses	13,000.00	13,327.82
Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	1,000.00	1,079.75
Protection of Persons and Property		
Police Department	17,000.00	17,034.15
Fire Department	7,845.00	6,896.39
Forest Fire & Blister Rust	1,035.00	553.32
Insurance	11,000.00	12,860.30
Planning & Zoning	2,800.00	2,391.07
Damages & Legal Expense	3,500.00	5,374.20
Conservation	700.00	601.00
Health and Sanitation		
Health Dept., Hospital & Ambulance	8,600.00	8,600.00
Vital Statistics	75.00	46.00
Carroll County Mental Health	724.73	724.73
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	18,000.00	14,765.17
Highways		
Subsidy	10,375.52	10,375.52
Town Maintenance - Summer & Winter	36,500.00	35,218.43
Bushes	1,300.00	848.10
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	2,500.00	2,072.24
Town Road Aid	710.05	710.05
Town Library	4,500.00	4,500.00
Public Welfare		
Town Poor	1,500.00	1,254.95
Old Age Assistance	3,600.00	3,295.04
Meals on Wheels	500.00	500.00
Patriotic Purposes		
Memorial Day, etc.	75.00	74.00
Recreation		
Parks & Playgrounds	1,600.00	1,621.50
Public Service Enterprises		
N.H. Humane Society	300.00	300.00
Cemeteries	1,300.00	1,664.07
Lakes Region Planning Comm.	1,630.00	1,630.00
Lakes Region Assn.	55.13	55.13
Debt Service		
Principal & Long Term Notes & Bonds	15,000.00	15,000.00
Interest - Long Term Notes & Bonds	1,500.00	1,485.00
Interest - Temporary Loans	250.00	594.03
Capital Outlay		
Dock & Bridge Maintenance	1,500.00	1,363.78
Special for Tar	20,000.00	13,607.10

Fire Department	150.09	0.00
Assessors' Map	35,000.00	35,000.00
High Street Bridge	51,000.00	48,911.83
Lang Pond Road	3,000.00	3,000.00
Cross Neck Road	1,000.00	974.10
Abenaki Tower	750.00	750.00
Fire Department Tanker	30,000.00	30,000.00
Totals	\$319,875.52	\$308,196.77
Excess of Appropriations over Expenditures		\$11,678.75

* Includes Accounts Payable at December 31, 1977. See Financial Report.

FINANCIAL REPORT

For The Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1977

ASSETS

Cash:		
In hands of treasurer	\$213,310.81	
Total		\$213,310.81
Accounts Due to the Town		
Due from State:		
Business Profits Tax	\$2,173.26	
Total		\$2,173.26
Unredeemed Taxes:		
(from tax sale on account of)		
Levy of 1976	\$455.28	
Levy of 1975	633.03	
Levy of 1974	607.38	
Previous Years	215.38	
Total:		\$1,911.07
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1977,		
including Resident Taxes	\$224,272.62	
Total		\$224,272.62
Grand Total		\$441,667.76
Current Surplus, December 31, 1976		\$111,568.58
Current Surplus, December 31, 1977		\$94,507.45
Change in Financial Condition		\$17,061.13

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Unexpended Balances of		
Special Appropriations	\$2,238.26	

Unexpended Balances of		
Bond & Note Funds	23,000.00	
Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds	8,698.23	
Unexpended State Highway Subsidy Funds	.00	
Due to State:		
2 % Bond & Debt Retirement Taxes	1,769.89	
School District(s) Tax(es) Payable	189,564.39	
Tax Anticipation Notes Outstanding:	110,000.00	
Interest	228.40	
Other Liabilities		
Lang Pond Road	1,921.40	
Old Age Assistance	253.37	
Conservation	1,563.37	
Insurance	2,623.00	
Town Poor	300.00	
Canaan Road	5,000.00	
Total Accounts Owed by the Town		\$347,160.31
Total Liabilities		\$347,160.31
Current Surplus		
(Excess of assets over liabilities)		\$ 94,507.45
Grand Total		\$441,667.76

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:-

(Collected and remitted to Treasurer)

Property Taxes-Current Year-1977	\$322,986.08	
Resident Taxes-Current Year-1977	8,320.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes-Current Year-1977	15.80	
Yield Taxes-Current Year-1977	10,619.33	
Total Current Year's Taxes		341,941.21
Collected and Remitted		
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes-		
Previous Years		47,821.07
Resident Taxes-Previous Years		610.00
Interest received on Delinquent Taxes		1,301.25
Penalties: Resident Taxes		65.00
Tax sales redeemed		1,037.33

From State:

For Town Road Aid	217.15	
Highway Subsidy	10,375.52	
Interest and dividends tax	56,659.84	
Savings Bank Tax	3,905.30	
Fighting forest fires	162.42	
Meals and Rooms Tax	8,357.98	

Reimbursements a-c Business Profits Tax		2,390.58
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
Dog Licenses		599.80
Business licenses, permits and filing fees		1,435.50
Rent of town property		600.00
Interest received on deposits		3,761.98
Income from departments (In and Out)		1,290.52
Motor vehicle permits		36,808.00
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	110,000.00	
Proceeds of Long Term Notes	45,000.00	
Certificates of Deposit	205,000.00	
Refunds	690.17	
Payments in Lieu of Taxes (Water Resources Board)	101.46	
Yield Tax Security Deposits	1,347.96	
Grants from U.S.A.		
Revenue Sharing	26,301.77	
All Other Grants from U.S.A.	1,241.00	
Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue		389,682.36
Total Receipts from All Sources		\$909,022.81
Cash on hand January 1, 1977- (July 1, 1977)		136,660.52
Grand Total		1,045,683.33

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	9,138.00	
Town officers' expenses	13,327.82	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	1,079.75	23,545.57
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police department	17,034.15	
Fire department	6,896.39	
Blister Rust and Care of Trees & Forest Fire	553.32	
Planning and Zoning	2,391.07	
Insurance	10,237.30	
Conservation Commission	601.00	37,713.23
Health:		
Health department, including hospitals & ambulance	9,824.73	
Vital statistics	46.00	
Town dumps and garbage removal	14,765.17	24,635.90

Highways and Bridges:		
Town Road Aid		710.05
Town Maintenance		
(Summer	\$10,734.46)	
(Winter	\$24,483.97)	
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		35,218.43
Bushes		848.10
General Expenses of Highway Department		2,072.24
		38,848.82
Libraries:		
Libraries		4,500.00
		4,500.00
Public Welfare:		
Old age assistance		3,041.67
Town poor		954.95
N.H. Humane Society		300.00
		4,296.62
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day, Veteran's Associations and Old Home Day		74.00
		74.00
Recreation:		
Parks and playgrounds,		1,621.50
		1,621.50
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries, including hearse hire		1,664.07
		1,664.07
Unclassified:		
Damages and legal expenses		5,374.20
Advertising and Regional Associations		1,685.13
Taxes bought by town		413.91
Discounts, Abatements and refunds		3,938.59
Payments to Tax Col. (yield deposit)		1,347.96
Anti-Recession Payments to Treasurer		1,241.00
Certificates of Deposit		135,000.00
		143,626.59
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		\$285,900.50
Debt Service:		
Interest on Debt:		
Paid on tax anticipation notes		594.03
Paid on long term notes		1,485.00
Total Interest Payments		\$2,079.03
Principal of Debt:		
Payments on long term notes		15,000.00
Total Principal Payments		\$15,000.00
Capital Outlay:		
Highways and Bridges-State Aid construction Subsidy		10,375.52
Highways and Bridges-Town construction		1,363.78
Tuftonboro Cross Neck Road		974.10
Lang Pond Road		1,078.60

Abenaki Tower	750.00	
Special for Tar	13,607.10	
Lands and buildings (High St. Bridge)	48,911.83	
New equipment (Fire Dept.)	7,000.00	
Tax Map	26,301.77	
Total Outlay Payments		\$110,362.70
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		
Payments to State a-c 2 %		
Bond & Debt Retirement Taxes	766.99	
Taxes paid to County	69,956.13	
Payments to School Districts	387,005.40	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		\$457,728.52
Total Payments for all Purposes		\$871,070.75
Cash on hand December 31, 1977-(June 30, 1978)		\$174,612.58
Grand Total		\$1,045,683.33

SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

As of December 31, 1977

Long Term Notes Outstanding:	Amount.	
Fire Department & High Street Bridge	\$30,000.00	
Total Long Term Notes Outstanding		\$30,000.00
Total Long Term Indebtedness- December 31, 1977		\$30,000.00

RECONCILIATION OF OUTSTANDING LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

Outstanding Long Term Debt- December 31, 1976		00
New Debt Created During Fiscal Year:		
Long Term Notes Issued	\$45,000.00	
Total		\$45,000.00
Debt Retirement During Fiscal Year:		
Long Term Notes Paid	\$15,000.00	
Total		\$15,000.00
Outstanding Long Term Debt- December 31, 1977		\$30,000.00

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.
Feb. 6, 1978

EDWARD R. WHITTEN
R.L. JOHNSON
Selectmen

SUSAN H. RAMSBOTHAM
Treasurer

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$9,138.00		
Town Officers' Expenses	13,327.82		
Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	1,079.75		\$23,545.57
Protection of Person & Property			
Police Department	17,034.15		
Fire Department	6,896.39		
Forest Fire & Blister Rust	553.32		
Insurance	10,237.30		
Planning & Zoning	2,391.07		
Legal Expenses	5,374.20		
Conservation	601.00		43,087.43
Health Department			
Vital Statistics	46.00		
Huggins Hospital	600.00		
Ambulance	6,200.00		
Public Health Nursing	1,800.00		
Carroll County Mental Health	724.73		
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	14,765.17		24,135.90
Highways and Bridges			
Highway Subsidy	10,375.52		
Summer Maintenance	10,734.46		
Winter Maintenance	24,483.97		
Bushes	848.10		
General Expenses	2,072.24		
Town Road Aid	710.05		49,224.34
Library	4,500.00		4,500.00
Public Welfare			
Old Age Assistance	3,041.67		
Town Poor	954.95		
Meals on Wheels	500.00		4,496.62
Patriotic Purposes			
Memorial Day	24.00		
Harriman Hale Post 18	50.00		74.00
Public Service Enterprises			
N.H. Humane Society	300.00		
Cemeteries	1,664.07		1,964.07
Recreation			
Parks & Playgrounds	1,621.50		1,621.50
Unclassified			
Lakes Region Planning Comm.	1,630.00		
Lakes Region Assoc.	55.13		
Taxes Bought by Town	413.91		
Yield Taxes (In & Out)	1,347.96		
Discounts, Abatements & Refunds	3,938.59		
Certificates of Deposit	135,000.00		
Anti-Recession	1,241.00		143,626.59

Debt Service		
Interest Paid on Bonded Debt	1,485.00	
Principal Paid on Bonded Debt	15,000.00	
Interest on Temporary Loans	594.03	17,079.03
Capital Outlay		
Bridge & Dock Maintenance	1,363.78	
Special for Tar	13,607.10	
Assessors' Map	26,301.77	
High Street Bridge	48,911.83	
Lang Pond Road	1,078.60	
Cross Neck Road	974.10	
Abenaki Tower	750.00	
Fire Department	7,000.00	99,987.18
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		
Yield Taxes (Bond & Debt)	766.99	
County Taxes	69,956.13	
School District Payments	387,005.40	457,728.52
1977 Total - Selectmen's Payments		\$871,070.75

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$20,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	5,000.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	60,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	20,000.00
Police Department, Lands and Buildings	3,500.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	60,000.00
Equipment	65,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	1,000.00
Equipment	3,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	500.00
Land Fill Site and Buildings	10,000.00
Land Fill Equipment	30,000.00
325A Cow Is., acquired thru Tax Collector's Deed	5,000.00
Lot 11 Little Bear Island	1,200.00
Ula Bean Lot 15 Acres	1,000.00
Edgerly Lot 6 Acres	500.00
C.A. Lamprey Lot 43 Acres	6,000.00
J. McKenzie Lot 1/2 Acre	100.00
Blaisdell Lot 15 Acres Great Meadow	100.00
Caverly Lot 28 Acres Great Meadow	100.00
Hersey Lot 20 Acres Great Meadow	100.00
Davis Field 22 Acres	5,000.00
Total	\$297,100.00

**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MARCH 8, 1977
TUFTONBORO, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Tuftonboro, County of Carroll, State of New Hampshire on Tuesday the eighth day of March, 1977 in said Town at ten of the clock in the forenoon. The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Richard H. Lester. The motion was made and seconded to dispense with reading the entire Warrant at this time. Voted. It was moved and seconded to act on Article 1: with the polls to open at 10:02 A.M. and remain open until 6 P.M.; the remaining articles in the Warrant to be acted on at the Tuftonboro Central School at seven forty-five. Voted.

RECESSED TOWN MEETING

Tuftonboro Central School

March 8, 1977 7:45 P.M.

The recessed Town Meeting of the Town of Tuftonboro was called to order at the Tuftonboro Central School at 7:45 P.M. by the Moderator, Richard H. Lester, with a Salute to the Flag. Prayer was offered by the Rev. William Stickle. The results of the Voting under Article 1 were announced by the Moderator. There were 221 Ballots Cast; with 201 Straight Republican Ballots. There were no write-in votes.

Town Clerk for One Year	Mary B. Craigue	219
Selectmen for Three Years	Roy L. Johnson	215
Treasurer for One Year	Susan H. Ramsbotham	217
Tax Collector for One Year	Ethelwyn L. Steadman	221
Road Agent for One Year	Walter R. Smith	220
Budget Committee for Three Years	John S. Warren	212
	Mary E. Cellarius	213
Trustee of Trust Funds for Three Yrs.	Robert W. Straw	220
Library Trustee for Three Years	C. Norman Svenson	215
Auditors for One Year	John P. Bolton	213
	Jean H. Whitehead	213

The proceeding having a majority of all the votes given in were declared elected to their respective offices by the Moderator. The following officers were sworn in by the Moderator in open meeting; Selectman, Roy L. Johnson; Treasurer, Susan H. Ramsbotham; Tax Collector, Ethelwyn L. Steadman; Road Agent, Walter R. Smith; Budget Committee, John S. Warren and Mary E. Cellarius; Library Trustee, C. Norman Svenson.

The motion was made by Donald Wright to pass over Article 2 until a vote had been taken on Article 13. Seconded. This was a voice vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred, ten dollars and five cents (\$710.05) for Town Road Aid, as approved by the Budget Committee. The State to contribute the sum of four thousand, seven hundred, thirty-three dollars and sixty-eight cents (\$4,733.68).

The motion was made by Marjorie Stickle and seconded by Roger Conant, Jr. to accept article three as read. Voice vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate fifty-one thousand dollars to be used for the construction of a road starting at the fire station in Melvin Village and extending to the intersection of the New Road with the County Road and in the event that this road cannot be constructed for the amount specified in the location specified, the said fifty-one thousand dollars (\$51,000.00) to be used for the construction of a multi-plate arch culvert with mortar rubble masonry headers over Melvin River on High Street as approved by the Budget Committee. Twenty-one thousand dollars (\$21,000.00) to be withdrawn from Surplus and the Selectmen to borrow thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000.00) and to issue notes therefor, said notes to be repaid from taxes in the fiscal years 1977, 1978, and 1979. And further, to see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) to pay interest on said notes for the year 1977.

The motion was made by John Redmond and seconded by Wills Clinton to accept article four as read. Voice Vote in the Affirmative. The Moderator declared the parliamentary procedure legal.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00) for an Assessors map of the Town of Tufonboro as approved by the Budget Committee. Said thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) to be withdrawn from Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provision of State and Local Assistance Act of 1972. In the event that this article is not accepted at Town Meeting, twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) of said Revenue Sharing Fund shall be applied to the General Funds of the Town.

The motion was made by Edward R. Whitten and seconded by Charles Whitten to accept article five as read. Voice Vote in the Affirmative.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) to be used for the purchase of a fire truck, as approved by the Budget Committee. Fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) to be withdrawn from Surplus and the Selectmen to borrow fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) and to issue notes therefor, said notes to be repaid from taxes in the fiscal years 1977, 1978 and 1979. And further, to see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) to pay interest on said notes for the year 1977.

The motion was made by John Lester and seconded by William Wood to accept article six as read. Voice Vote in the Affirmative.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred, fifty dollars (\$750.00) to aid the Abenaki Tower and Trail Association to repair Abenaki Tower.

The motion was made by Marjorie Stickle to accept article seven as read. Seconded by Anne Roome. Voice Vote in the Affirmative.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of ten thousand, three hundred, seventy-five dollars and fifty-two cents (\$10,375.52) and authorize its withdrawal from State Highway Subsidy (Chapter 241, Section 14). This money to be applied toward the general repair and betterment of Town roads and bridges for the ensuing year, as approved by the Budget Committee.

The motion was made by Edward R. Whitten to accept article 8 as read. Seconded by Daniel Lewis. There was an unanimous voice vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to give The Hikers permission to utilize five (5) acres of the land commonly known as the Carroll Lamprey Lot, located on Route 109 at Nineteen-Mile Bay for the purpose of building a tax-free community center for the benefit of the townspeople; the building to be for the use of the people of the Town under the supervision of The Hikers. The Hikers to assume maintenance and repair costs and to assume the costs of operation including, but not limited to, insurance, heating and other utilities, etc. This to be done with the understanding that the land is to remain the property of the Town of Tuftonboro and the building would revert to the Town of Tuftonboro in fee simple if The Hikers should abandon the building. The building would be deemed abandoned if maintenance of the building is violated for a period of one (1) year.

The motion was made by James Stormont to accept article nine as read. Seconded by Merry Lester. Ellen Lasse moved that article nine be tabled. Seconded by Rev. William Stickle. There was a standing vote taken on article nine. Yes 86 No 66. The affirmative tabled article nine.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for repairs to Lang Pond Road and Bassett Road which are necessary due to the construction of a new house on Bassett Road, as approved by the Budget Committee.

The motion was made by Daniel Lewis to accept article ten as read. Seconded by John Lester. Thomas Hunter made the motion to amend article ten; the amount to be three thousand dollars and to eliminate the inclusion of repairs to Bassett Road. The amendment was seconded and passed by a voice vote in the affirmative. Article 10 as amended reads: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) for repairs to Lang Pond Road, as approved by the Budget Committee. Passed by a voice vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for repairs to Tuftonboro Cross Neck Road from the cemetery to Winter Harbor, as approved by the Budget Committee.

The motion was made by Roger Krey to accept article eleven as read. Seconded by John Warren. Voice vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand, six hundred, thirty dollars (\$1,630.00) to pay to the Lakes Region Planning Commission in order for the Town to retain its voting membership in the said commission.

The motion was made by Roger Krey to accept article twelve as read. Seconded by Roland Severance. Voice vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of two hundred, fifty dollars (\$250.00) and authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current year, and issue notes therefor, said notes to be repaid during the current municipal year.

The motion was made by Marjorie Stickle to accept article thirteen as read. Seconded by Daniel Lewis. Voice vote in the Affirmative.

ARTICLE 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same, the sum of three hundred eleven thousand dollars (\$311,000.00) as approved by the Budget Committee.

The motion was made by William Wood to accept article two as read reflecting the addition of article eight and changes made in article ten. Seconded by Lincoln Page. The article was amended by Elizabeth Coleman to increase the Library Appropriation by five hundred dollars (\$500.00). The amendment passed by a voice vote in the affirmative. It was then voted to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred nineteen thousand, eight hundred seventy-five dollars and fifty-two cents (\$319,875.52) to defray town charges for the ensuing year. Voice vote in the Affirmative.

ARTICLE 14. Under this article William Wood moved that it go on record: That the past and present Selectmen along with townspeople be commended for securing a Surplus of \$105,000.00

The motion was made to adjourn the meeting. Meeting closed at 10 P.M. with a prayer by Rev. William Stickle. There were approximately 160 people in attendance.

A true record of meeting by
M. KATHYRN MENDENHALL, Deputy Town Clerk
March 8, 1977

Recorded by
MARY B. CRAIGUE, Town Clerk
March 14, 1977

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For The Year Ending December 31, 1977

Receipts:

Automobile Permits:	1,698 Issued	\$36,808.00
Dog Licenses:	259 Issued	648.40
Bowling Lane License		80.00

Total Receipts \$37,536.40

Remittances to the Treasurer:

Auto Permits	\$36,808.00
Dog Licenses	599.80
Bowling Lane License	80.00

Total Remitted to the Treasurer \$37,487.80

Dog Fees Retained by Clerk

48.60

Total Receipts

\$37,536.40

Respectfully submitted,
MARY B. CRAIGUE
Town Clerk

Telephone:

544-2705

Other Hours can
be arranged.

Hours:

Mon. 9-12 2-4

Wed. 2-4

Fri. 9-12 2-4

DETAILED REPORT

Automobiles:

Permits on Hand January 1, 1977

1,202

Permits rec'd. in 1976:

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Preprinted:

Jan. 1444231-1444297 67

Mar. 1567006-1567281 276

Available 1976 Permits 281

Unused Aug.-Dec. Permits 78

1,202

Permits Received in 1977:

Jan. 24 1604527-1604598 72

Feb. 23 1646351-1646429 79

Mar. 15 1683559-1683628 70

Apr. 21 1735676-1735738 63

May 21 1807102-1807188 87

Jun. 24 1921812-1921899 88 1921900-1961 62

Jul. 7 1993437-3636 200

Jul. 20 1990637-1990739 103 1990740-0786 47

Aug. 23 2063137-2063211 75 2063212-3236 25

Sept. 23 2125387-2125462 76 2125463-5486 24

Oct. 22 2188187-2188253 67 2188254-8286 33

Nov. 16 2264787-2264847 61 2264848-4886 39

Dec. 15 2510787-2510862 76 2510863-0886 24

Preprinted 917 Blank 454 1,371
One Moultonboro Permit 1

Total Available Permits

2,574

Total Permits Issued

1,698

Unused Permits

876

624 Void Permits

252 Unused Permits

Dog Licenses:

Through August 29, 1977:

134 Males at 2.00	\$268.00	
92 Spayed Female at 2.00	184.00	
17 Female at 5.00	85.00	
41 Penalties at 1.00	41.00	
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	\$578.00	\$578.00
Clerks Fees 243 at .20	- 48.60	
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Balance to Treasurer August 30	\$529.40	
16 Licenses	\$ 50.40	
June-July Penalty 6	6.00	
1.00 Per Month	14.00	
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Paid to Treasurer	\$ 70.40	\$ 70.40
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Total for Dog Licenses 1977		\$648.40
Clerks Fees for 243		- 48.60
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Paid to Treasurer		\$599.80

Respectfully submitted,
MARY B. CRAIGUE
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
SUMMARY OF WARRANTS
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES

LEVY OF 1977

- DR. -

Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	\$543,635.15	
Resident Taxes	8,940.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	30.80	
Total Warrants		\$552,605.95
Yield Taxes		11,156.81
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	\$4,568.82	
Resident Taxes	420.00	
		\$4,988.82
Land Use Change Taxes		—
Overpayments During Year:		
a / c Property Taxes	—	
a / c Resident Taxes	—	
		—
Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes		1,185.55
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes		19.00
TOTAL DEBITS		\$569,956.13

- CR. -

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	\$322,986.08	
Resident Taxes	8,320.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	15.80	
Yield Taxes	10,619.33	
Land Use Change Taxes	—	
Interest Collected	1,185.55	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	19.00	
		\$343,145.76
Discounts Allowed		—
Abatements Made During Year:		
National Bank Stock	\$15.00	
Property Taxes	1,295.27	
Resident Taxes	690.00	
Yield Taxes	—	
		\$2,000.27

Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1977:

(As Per Collector's List)

Property Taxes	\$223,922.62	
Resident Taxes	350.00	
Yield Taxes	537.48	
		<u>\$224,810.10</u>

TOTAL CREDITS

\$569,956.13

LEVY OF 1976**- DR. -****Uncollected Taxes - As of January 1, 1977:**

Property Taxes	\$47,822.46	
Resident Taxes	440.00	
		<u>\$48,262.46</u>

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$747.36	
Resident Taxes	230.00	
		<u>\$977.36</u>

Land Use Change Taxes**Overpayments:**

a / c Property Taxes	—	
a / c Resident Taxes	—	
		<u>—</u>

Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes

1,185.55

Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes

46.00

TOTAL DEBITS\$50,471.37**- CR. -****Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year****Ended December 31, 1977:**

Property Taxes	\$47,663.47	
Resident Taxes	610.00	
Yield Taxes	—	
Land Use Change Taxes	—	
Interest Collected During Year	1,185.55	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	46.00	
		<u>\$49,505.02</u>

Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes	\$906.35	
Resident Taxes	60.00	
Yield Taxes	—	
		<u>966.35</u>

Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1977:

(As Per Collector's List)

Property Taxes

Resident Taxes

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—

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TOTAL CREDITS

\$50,471.37

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977**

- DR. -

Tax Sales of Account of Levies of:

	1976	1975	1974	Previous Years 1973
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes January 1, 1977		\$590.51	\$545.44	\$215.38
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	\$384.06			
Interest Collected After Sale	20.23			
	39.75			
Redemption Costs	11.24	42.52	61.94	
TOTAL DEBITS	\$455.28	\$633.03	\$607.38	\$215.38

- CR. -

Remittances to Treasurer During Year:				
Redemptions	\$351.03	\$350.10	\$336.20	
Interest & Costs After Sale	11.24	42.52	61.94	
Abatements During Year Deeded to Town During Year		240.41	209.24	215.38
Unredeemed Taxes - December 31, 1977	93.01			
TOTAL CREDITS	\$455.28	\$633.03	\$607.38	\$215.38

TREASURER'S REPORT - SUMMARY

Balance December 31, 1976	\$136,660.52
State of New Hampshire	
Highway Subsidy	10,375.52
Forest Fire	162.42
Town Road Aid	217.15
Bank Tax	3,905.30
Interest and Dividends Tax	56,659.84
Meals and Rooms Tax	8,357.98
Business Profits Tax	2,390.58
Water Resources Board	101.46
Grants from U.S.A.	
Anti-Recession Funds	1,241.00
Revenue Sharing	26,301.77
Town of Tuftonboro	
Planning Board	176.00
Building Permits	1,141.50
Income from Departments (In and Out)	2,638.48
Rent of Town Property	600.00
Permits, Licenses and Fees	118.00
Refunds	690.17
Wolfeboro National Bank	
Certificates of Deposit	115,000.00
Interest	2,913.18
Long Term Loan	45,000.00
Tax Anticipation Loan	110,000.00
Kingswood Bank and Trust	
Certificate of Deposit	90,000.00
Interest	848.80
Mary B. Craigue, Town Clerk	
Motor Vehicle Permits	36,808.00
Dog Licenses	599.80
Ethelwyn Steadman, Tax Collector	
Property Tax 1976	47,821.07
Property Tax 1977	322,986.08
Yield Taxes 1977	10,619.33
Bank Stock Tax	15.80
Interest	1,301.25
Resident Tax 1976	610.00
Resident Tax 1977	8,320.00
Resident Tax Penalties	65.00
Tax Sales Redeemed	1,037.33
Receipts for 1977	909,022.81
Total Income	\$1,045,683.33

Expenditures	
Special Account - Anti-Recession	1,241.00
Returned to Tax Collector	157.60
Selectmen's Orders	734,672.15
Certificates	135,000.00
Total Expenditures	871,070.75
Balance, December 31, 1977	174,612.58

SUSAN H. RAMSBOTHAM
Town Treasurer

REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

Deposited in Wolfeboro National Bank Passbook No. 30868	
Balance as of January 1, 1977	\$27,499.34
Received - U. S. Government	12,053.00
Interest - 1977	1,444.07
Balance	40,996.41
Expenditures - 1977	-26,301.77
Balance as of December 31, 1977	14,694.64
Committed for 1978	-8,698.23
Unappropriated Balance	\$5,996.41

Actual Usage Report

1977 expenditures of \$26,301.77 and the amount of \$8,698.23 committed for 1978, a total of \$35,000.00, were or will be utilized for an Assessors Map as approved at the Town Meeting on March 8, 1977.

PLANNING BOARD REPORT

This year the Planning Board approved sixteen different subdivision plans creating a total of nineteen new lots. We also approved eighty-five new mobile home sites at North Country Village. The Board had eleven Plan of Lands received and approved four boundary line adjustments. We received approval of the preliminary flood hazard maps from agents of the Federal Government. The year ended with our proposed changes to the Tuftonboro zoning regulations. We wish to thank all who participated in these hearings.

PAUL APPLETON
Chairman

RECREATION COMMITTEE REPORT

In cooperation with the Red Cross, a short course in swimming was offered during the summer at the Melvin Village Dock. We would like to see this expanded to a longer course next year.

The Nineteen Mile Bay Picnic Area is being improved gradually and is being used by an increasing number of people. The usual buoys were put in for the summer season. Through the efforts of the Selectmen, two portable rest rooms and a dumpster were placed in the Area.

The Committee recommends that in 1978 the picnic tables be repaired and possibly one or two new ones be provided.

Our appreciation goes to the Selectmen, Walter Smith, Road Agent, and the various individuals who have assisted us this year.

LOUIS DEARBORN, JR.
FRANCIS LAASE
JOHN A. REDMOND

February 8, 1978

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

This past year we improved about sixteen hundred feet of Sodom Road. We plan to apply a second coat of asphalt to it in 1978. We widened and gravelled Tufonboro Cross Neck Road. We installed new culverts on Lang Pond Road and widened the entrance from Route 109A to the top of the hill. It is ready for gravel this summer. We also widened and put some gravel on Oak Hill Road, thanks to the loan of a bulldozer from Camp Sentinel. A section of Union Wharf Road was built up and widened using some of both TRA and Town funds. We replaced several culverts in town and gave extra attention to cleaning culverts and ditches this year. In addition, we installed a new cement boat launching ramp in Melvin River. We hope that the ice will not be such a problem with the ramp in this new location.

WALTER R. SMITH
Road Agent

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We have examined the accounts of the various Town Officers as of December 31, 1977. Our examination was made in accordance with the auditing standards as prescribed by the State Tax Commission, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion the statements herein present fairly the results of the operation of the Town Officers for the year 1977.

CAROL APPLETON
JOHN P. BOLTON
Auditors
Town of Tufonboro, New Hampshire
February 10, 1978

TUFTONBORO FREE LIBRARY 1977

Receipts and Expenditures

Receipts

Appropriation by Town of Tuftonboro	\$4500.00	
Fines	108.93	
Books purchased by individuals	140.53	
Gifts (Memorial & Individuals)	1047.70	
		\$6504.26

Expenditures

Salary	\$2522.90	
Electricity	827.98	
Telephone	205.20	
Books & Magazines	1212.80	
Supplies	113.61	
Transfer to Trustees account (Memorial gift & Charitable fund)	225.00	
		\$5107.49

Balance \$1396.77

Bank Balance December 31, 1976	\$ 670.67	
Bank Balance December 31, 1977	\$1758.53	
Uncashed checks	\$ 361.76	
Balance		\$1396.77

During 1977 492 adult books and 59 juvenile books were added to the collection for a total of 551.

In 1976 the circulation totaled 5202 and in 1977 the circulation was 6946 being an increase of 1744 or 30 percent. The increase of attendance and circulation can be attributed to the many new books added as well as the increase of hours open to 15.

Respectfully submitted,
Trustees of the Library
JANE CONANT
NORMAN SVENSON
EDITH CLINTON

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Tuftonboro Library as of December 31, 1977, and found them correct and properly vouched for.

CAROL APPLETON
JOHN P. BOLTON
Auditors
Town of Tuftonboro, New Hampshire
February 10, 1978

REPORT OF THE TUFTONBORO FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Tuftonboro Fire Department is a volunteer, non-profit organization for the protection of life and property in the town. We wish to thank all who have assisted us in any way. This past year we purchased a 750 gallon mini-pumper which will be very useful in many ways to the department. Smoke alarms were also installed in many homes in Tuftonboro, and it is recommended that each residence have at least one. The department responded to many fire calls and requests for mutual aid throughout the year. Many officers and members have also attended State Fire Training School. The Fire Chief wishes to express his sincere thanks to the members of the department and its officers for the professional manner of conduct in the suppression of fires.

Respectfully submitted,
REGINALD COLBY
Chief

REPORT OF DISTRICT FIRE CHIEF AND TOWN FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Forest fire control in New Hampshire is a joint state and town / city responsibility (RSA 224).

The Director, Division of Forests and Lands (State Forester) appoints a forest fire warden and several deputy forest fire wardens in each town / city upon the recommendation of local authorities.

The local forest fire warden is responsible for forest fire prevention and suppression activities in his town. He regulates the kindling of outside fires when the ground is not covered with snow by the issuance of written permits only when conditions are safe. He is responsible for suppression with the town / city and state sharing the cost. Suppression costs in excess of $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 % of the assessed valuation of the town are assumed by the state.

The state provides training for the local fire organization and helps coordinate activities between towns / cities. The state also supports local forces with backup personnel, equipment, and supplies for suppression and prevention.

This combination of state and local cooperation, started in 1893, works well, for New Hampshire has enjoyed one of the smallest acreage losses due to forest fires in the United States for the past 25 years.

1977 Forest Fire Statistics

	No. of Fires	No. of Acres Burned
State	1,091	2,386
District	124	65½
Town	4	8¼

Respectfully submitted,
E. SVEN CARLSON
District Fire Chief
WALTER R. SMITH
Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF MEALS-ON-WHEELS, INC.

Expenditures and Receipts — Tuftonboro — 1977

Received:

Town of Tuftonboro 1977 Appropriation	\$500.00
Private Donations	375.00
From Tuftonboro Clients for food costs - (Paid directly to Huggins Hospital)	69.00
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	\$944.00

Expenses:

69 meals - food costs pd. by clients	\$ 69.00
179 meals - food costs not pd. by clients	179.00
Totals 248 meals served at \$1.20 ea. (Administrative costs)	297.60
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	\$545.60

248 meals were served to 6 clients in 1977.

REPORT OF THE VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION OF WOLFEBORO AND VICINITY

1977

Again, as in past years our agency is showing expansion of services in the seven towns we are visiting.

3,111 Nursing visits and 623 Physical Therapy visits were made. Our contract with Carroll County Health and Home Care Services continues in effect and 3,934 hours were spent in the homes giving personal care and doing homemaking and light housekeeping duties. Adult Health Screening Clinics for detection of High Blood Pressure and Diabetes are now being held quarterly in several towns, as well as at our table in the Rescue Squad tent at the Huggins Hospital Street Fair. Our planned Immunization Clinics are increasing in number and are being well attended.

One of our biggest changes has been that of our name from Public Health Nursing Ass'n of Wolfeboro and Vicinity, Inc. to Visiting Nurse Ass'n of Wolfeboro & Vicinity, Inc. since Visiting Nurse better describes our function.

We again gratefully acknowledge all contributions to our Fund Drive,

Memorial Fund and other donations. Your support is vital for the continuation of our services. It has been pleasant knowing and serving everyone and we are looking forward to continuing health care services in your homes.

Respectfully submitted,
M. VIRGINIA DOLAN, R. N.

**ALLOCATION OF INCOME &
EXPENSES - 1977**

Fees paid nurses		\$410.60
Medicare		\$1,405.20
Medicaid		72.00
Blue Cross / Blue Shield		-
Carroll County H.H.A.		26.00
Veterans Administration		378.00
Appropriations		2,000.00
Membership Drive		330.00
Donations		-
Reimbursements		-
Other		-
Interest		-
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Total Revenues		\$4,621.80
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Direct Costs - Salaries, Mileage & P.T.		2,393.66
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Allocating percentage		9.074
Indirect Costs		
Nurses salaries	14,389.45	
Office salaries	3,814.75	
Payroll taxes	2,384.48	
Other expenses	7,535.17	
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Total	\$26,123.83	
Less Indirect income		
Interest	1,321.97	
Reimbursements	394.84	
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Total unallocated income	\$1,716.81	
Allocated costs		2,214.69
Total costs		4,608.35
Excess expenses over receipts		13.45
Appropriation Request		\$2,000.00

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS 1977

During this year we have consolidated the funds now on hand and have transferred most of these funds into certificates that produce from seven and one half per cent interest to seven and three quarters per cent. The surplus amount is in a saving account at 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ per cent, which is being used as a working fund to pay all bills.

We have also set up a bookkeeping program that shows the exact expenditure from each account, which shortly will be available to interested citizens.

This past year there was an appropriation for \$500.00 to repair stones and straighten many others. This money was all used and the repair areas was at the discretion of the trustees. There is more to be done as access is made to many of the outlying cemeteries.

This year we had removed three trees that were dead from the Remick - Ladd Cemetery.

During this year trustees Robert Straw and Roland Severance personally visited 46 of the 47 cemeteries and in the process located another one known as the Leathers Cemetery.

The mowing and care of all cemeteries has had better attention this year and will be improved this coming year. As our program developed a lot of cleaning out that was years behind along with cutting all access brush so in the future all care should be more economical as well as much improved.

The balance left in Town Treasury is to be used this coming year to start repairing various gates and painting them. There are several small cemeteries we hope to enclose with cedar fences. Also, we are getting cost of signs for all cemeteries. This last item may be several years to complete, due to costs.

Respectfully submitted,
Trustee of Trust Funds
Town of Tuftonboro
ROLAND T. SEVERANCE
ROBERT STRAW
WARD WILLIAMS

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF TUFTONBORO, N.H.

On December 31, 1977

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	PRINCIPAL			INCOME			Percent	Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Yr.
				Balance Beg. Yr.	Balance End Yr.	Per Cent	Balance Beg. Yr.	Balance End Yr.					
1958	Bean Stevens	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.0	\$100.00	\$100.00	1.0	\$36.78	.9	\$ 8.88	\$ 6.50	\$39.16	
1972	Ralph V. Bennett	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	4.7	500.00	500.00	4.7	71.49	3.7	36.49	26.72	81.26	
1953	Joseph C. Blake	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.4	150.00	150.00	1.4	172.63	2.1	20.71	15.17	178.17	
1918	Frances J. Chamberlain	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	2.8	300.00	300.00	2.8	44.88	2.2	21.70	15.89	50.69	
1954	Clara P. Copp	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.9	200.00	200.00	1.9	203.97	2.6	25.64	18.78	210.83	
1966	Emery Family	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	2.8	300.00	300.00	2.8	211.22	3.7	32.55	23.83	219.94	
1942	Mrs. Frank S. Fields	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	2.8	300.00	300.00	2.8	173.56	3.1	30.58	22.39	181.75	
1889	George C. Fox	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	2.8	300.00	300.00	2.8	313.96	4.0	39.45	28.89	324.52	
1926	J. McKenzie Haley	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	2.8	300.00	300.00	2.8	98.40	2.5	24.66	18.06	95.00	
1951	Mary C. Hersey	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.9	200.00	200.00	1.9	145.77	2.3	22.69	16.61	151.85	
1950	Samuel D. Hodgdon	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	2.8	300.00	300.00	2.8	220.00	3.4	33.53	24.56	228.97	
1943	Charles Horne	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.0	100.00	100.00	1.0	39.61	.9	8.88	6.50	41.99	
1955	Hoyt Plot	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.0	100.00	100.00	1.0	21.70	.8	7.89	5.78	23.81	
1965	Bertha M. Johnson	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	2.8	300.00	300.00	2.8	84.54	2.5	24.66	18.06	91.14	
1961	Grace S. Johnson	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.9	200.00	200.00	1.9	191.14	2.5	24.66	18.06	197.74	
1930	Chas. & Amos Kimball	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.0	100.00	100.00	1.0	169.56	1.8	17.75	13.00	174.31	
1976	Byron A. Ladd	Cemetery	C.D. #6908	19.0	2,000.00	2,000.00	19.0	61.12	13.4	132.17	96.78	96.51	
1942	Jonathan & Julia Morrison	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.0	100.00	100.00	1.0	5.79	.8	7.89	5.78	7.90	
1961	Frederick W. Neal	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	9.5	1,000.00	1,000.00	9.5	749.02	11.4	112.44	82.34	779.12	
1976	Ralph G. Piper	Cemetery	C.D. #7031	9.5	1,000.00	1,000.00	9.5	6.18	6.6	65.10	47.67	23.61	
1921	Rendall Family	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.0	100.00	100.00	1.0	112.83	1.4	13.81	10.11	116.53	
1945	Florence Richardson	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.4	150.00	150.00	1.4	52.69	1.3	12.82	9.39	56.12	
1972	Dana Swift	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.9	200.00	200.00	1.9	54.96	1.7	16.77	12.28	59.45	
1950	Howard B. Swift	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	2.8	300.00	300.00	2.8	331.29	4.1	40.44	29.61	342.12	
1933	Anabelle Thompson	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	.7	75.00	75.00	.7	63.93	.9	8.88	6.50	66.31	
1962	Roy Thompson	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.0	100.00	100.00	1.0	83.15	1.2	11.83	8.67	86.31	
1964	Simon Thompson	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.9	200.00	200.00	1.9	166.96	2.4	23.67	17.33	173.30	
1976	Cecile Watson	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	2.8	300.00	300.00	2.8	2.23	2.0	19.72	14.44	7.51	
1929	Susan A. Thompson-Whidden	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	4.7	500.00	500.00	4.7	807.87	8.5	83.84	61.39	830.32	
1920	Tuftonboro Neck Cemetery	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	2.4	250.00	250.00	2.4	(4.19)	1.6	15.78	11.55	.04	
1929	Tuftonboro Neck Cemetery	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.2	125.00	125.00	1.2	(2.09)	.8	7.89	5.78	.02	
1940	Horace S. Wiggins	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.0	100.00	100.00	1.0	47.33	.9	8.88	6.50	49.71	
1976	Beverly Willard	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	1.9	200.00	200.00	1.9	2.48	1.3	12.82	9.39	5.91	
1953	Royal P. Young	Cemetery	C.D. #75001122	.9	100.00	100.00	.9	76.14	1.1	10.85	7.94	79.05	

SUB-TOTALS - CEMETERIES

100.00 \$10,550.00 \$10,550.00

\$4,806.90

100.0

\$986.32

\$5,070.97

1973	Leon F. Shepherd	Scholarship	100.0	\$14,200.00	\$14,200.00	100.0	1,633.66	1,300.00	1,703.90
1974	Leon F. Shepherd	Scholarship	100.0	5,800.00	5,800.00	1,370.24			
				\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$1,370.24	\$1,633.66	1,300.00	\$1,703.90
		SUB-TOTALS - SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS		\$30,550.00	\$30,550.00	\$6,177.14	\$2,619.98	\$2,022.25	\$6,774.87

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.
Jan. 16, 1978

ROLAND T. SEVERANCE
ROBERT W. STRAW
Trustees

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the foregoing account and found it correct and properly vouched for.

CAROL J. APPLETON
JOHN P. BOLTON
Auditors, Town of Tuffonboro
January 9, 1978

**REPORT OF THE COMMON TRUST FUND INVESTMENTS OF THE TOWN OF TUFTONBORO
ON DECEMBER 31, 1977**

HOW INVESTED DESCRIPTION OF INVESTMENT	PRINCIPAL		INCOME		Balance End Year	Balance End Year
	Balance Beg. Yr.	Purchases	Balance Beg. Yr. (Included in Passbook Account below)	Income During Yr. (Included in Passbook Account below)		
Meredith Village Savings Bank: Certificate of Deposit No. 6908	\$2,000.00			986.32	722.25	5,070.97
Certificate of Deposit No. 7031	1,000.00					
Passbook Savings Account No. 48276			4,806.90			
New Hampshire Savings Bank: Certificate of Deposit No. 74 001700	5,800.00		1,370.24	1,633.66	1,300.00	1,703.90
Certificate of Deposit No. 75 001659	14,200.00					
Certificate of Deposit No. 75 001122		7,550.00				
Individual Passbook Savings Accounts		7,550.00				
TOTALS	\$30,550.00		\$6,177.14	\$2,619.98	\$2,022.25	\$6,774.87

Note:
Balances in individual savings
accounts consolidated
into one Certificate of Deposit.

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the foregoing account and found it correct and properly vouched for.

CAROL J. APPLETON
JOHN P. BOLTON
Auditors - Town of Tuftonboro
January 9, 1978

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Jan. 16, 1978
ROLAND T. SEVERANCE
ROBERT W. STRAW
Trustees

TUFTONBORO BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

A brief report pertaining to the activities of the Tuftonboro Bicentennial Committee for the past year.

The official certificate stating we were a Bicentennial Community was properly framed and hung in the Town House. Three plaques were engraved and presented at the Memorial Day exercises when the Memorial Stonewall was dedicated. Tad Hunter and Steve Hunter's plaques read "In appreciation for building part of the memorial stone wall" and one for Bill Severance reading "For supervising the building of the memorial stone wall" Signed the Tuftonboro Bicentennial Committee, May 30, 1977.

Peat moss was purchased as well as Mugho Pines, *Taxus Densiformis*, *Globe Arborvitae*, *Crimson Pygmy Barberrys*, *petunias* and bulbs. Many perennials have been given to this project and it will be interesting to see how many survived the winter. In the late spring and summer we will be able to judge how much more planting is needed. The committee is indeed grateful for those who sent us money to help with the landscaping.

As of January 31, 1977 we had \$139.71, income during 1977 of \$95.97, expenses of \$179.30, balance on hand, \$56.38 as of this date. Some of this will be used on the stone wall project. Anyone who would like to donate annual seedlings, low to medium height we will accept for we would like to put some in areas where needed. Also the scrapbooks have not been completed and the dating of houses still goes on.

ELIZABETH COLEMAN, Chairman
Tuftonboro Bicentennial Committee

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TUFTONBORO
For the Year Ending December 31, 1977

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence
January 25	Wolfeboro	Cory Melville	Bradbury E. Hunter, Jr.	Marsha J. Belknap	Tuftonboro
February 3	Laconia	Aubri Lisa	Wayne A. Dow	Marilyn L. McGloin	Tuftonboro
March 7	Wolfeboro	Dick Thomas, Jr.	Dick Thomas Newcomb	Marcia L. Patriguin	Tuftonboro
March 16	Laconia	Ariana C.	Donald S. Johnson	Gail S. Enwright	Tuftonboro
May 3	Wolfeboro	Joseph James	Chester E. Chellman III	Jerildine M. Rines	Tuftonboro
June 2	Wolfeboro	Joy	Robert W. Ramsbotham	Susan Hunter	Tuftonboro
July 7	Rochester	Roger Lester	Bruce A. Williams	Cheryl A. McLaughlin	Tuftonboro
August 16	Tuftonboro	Jesse Robert	Stephen R. Hale	Leslie F. Carr	Tuftonboro
August 20	Wolfeboro	Sarah Marie	Christopher S. Damon	Dorcas A. Margeson	Tuftonboro
August 22	Tuftonboro	Oceanna Jeanne	Michael T. O'Donnell	Linda J. Brinkman	Medway, Mass.
August 27	Wolfeboro	Jeremy Alex	Raymond E. LaPlante	Jane M. Calkins	Tuftonboro
August 30	Wolfeboro	Daniel Owen	David O. Chase	Arlene G. Nesbitt	Tuftonboro
September 16	Wolfeboro	Brian Thomas	Thomas F. Kennedy	Eileen M. Conway	Tuftonboro
September 21	Wolfeboro	Keith Justin	Edwin R. Garrett	Penelope Stevens	Tuftonboro
September 23	Wolfeboro	Laura Diane	Bruce A. Johnson	Linda A. Farmer	Tuftonboro
December 15	Wolfeboro	Stacy Elizabeth	Herbert G. Kendal	Linda M. Dore	Tuftonboro

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

MARY B. CRAIGUE
Town Clerk

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TUFTONBORO
For the Year Ending December 31, 1977

Date	Place	Name of Groom	Name of Bride	Person Performing Ceremony
February 26	Tuftonboro	William H. Hayes	Suzanne E. Kish	Rev. David B. Howe, Ord. Minister
February 26	Tuftonboro	Robert C. Whiting	Judith P. Morgan	Russell F. Whiting, Sr., J.P.
March 11	Wolfeboro	Edwin R. Garrett	Penelope Stevens	Rev. Leo St. Pierre, Cath. Priest
March 12	Wolfeboro	Christopher S. Damon	Dorcas A. Margeson	Rev. Leo St. Pierre, Cath. Priest
March 18	Tuftonboro	Rolland D. Ames	Peggy Joan Smith	Robert Anderson, Jr., J.P.
May 7	Tuftonboro	Lincoln R. Page	Shirley G. Tarbell	Rev. William W. Stickle, Episcopal Priest
May 15	Brookfield	Roderick Urquhart	Helen Bofromley	Rev. David B. Howe, Ord. Minister
June 4	Tuftonboro	Jeffrey A. Wingate	Janice J. Kauer	Rev. David B. Howe, Ord. Minister
June 18	Wolfeboro	Keith D. Haney	Eva M. O'Grady	Rev. Leo St. Pierre, Cath. Priest
June 18	Wolfeboro	Stephen W. Hunter	Robin Emerson	Donald R. Wilson, Rector
July 25	Tuftonboro	George M. Falk	Marjorie A. Metz	Rev. David B. Howe, Ord. Minister
August 6	Wolfeboro	Dennis J. Ryan	Kristin E. Jones	Rev. Donald R. Wilson, Rector
September 2	Tuftonboro	William Antonucci	Mary Antonucci	Donald R. Duchano, J.P.
September 3	Tuftonboro	William H. Christian, Jr.	Gertrude E. O'Neil	John F. W. Howell, Minister
September 17	Tuftonboro	Dwight W. Pennell	Carolyn Phelps	Rev. David B. Howe, Ord. Minister
September 22	Madison	Roger Kent	Marlene M. Thibault	Margery J. MacDonald, J.P.
September 24	Tuftonboro	John E. Craigue	Carol L. Baxter	Dr. Roger A. Plummer, Ord. Clergyman
November 11	Tuftonboro	Sidney E. Cheney	Vicki L. Johnson	Rev. David B. Howe, Ord. Minister
November 20	Tamworth	Nelson R. Glidden	Alice Schmidt	Charles V. Sturdivant, J.P.
December 3	Wolfeboro	Russell G. Tupeck	Bernadette M. Johnson	William W. Stickle, Priest
December 16	Wolfeboro	Wilfred R. Daignault	Joan D. Frye	Rev. Greta M. Dow, Ord. Clergyman
December 28	Wolfeboro	Frederick J. Dolloff	Donna E. Phelps	Rev. Leo St. Pierre, Cath. Priest

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TUFTONBORO
For the Year Ending December 31, 1977

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname	Age	Birthplace
January 19	Tuftonboro	Clarence Scott	75	Newfoundland
January 23	Tuftonboro	Ethel L. Gray	83	Cambridge, Mass.
March 3	Wolfeboro	Lena H. Allen	85	Salem, Mass.
April 1	Tuftonboro	Robert D. Howe	80	Southboro, Mass.
April 12	Tuftonboro	Frederick L. Smith	79	Massachusetts
July 4	Tuftonboro	James R. Bradburn	66	Los Angeles, Calif.
August 20	Tuftonboro	Saverio Capizzi	80	New York
September 9	Wolfeboro	Kenneth B. King	82	Georgia
October 9	Tuftonboro	Dorothy L. Hunt	70	Saugus, Mass.
October 19	Wolfeboro	Andrew Crawford	80	London, England
October 29	Wolfeboro	Milton E. Hodges	75	Waterbury, Conn.
November 29	Tuftonboro	Lena B. Parker	89	Townsend, Mass.
December 26	Wolfeboro	Alice E. Lester	53	North Carolina

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