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TOWN OFFICERS – 1979

MODERATOR . . . . . Robert Johnson

SELECTMEN

Richard C. Hartford, Chairman . . . . . Term Expires 1982  
Richard G. Sweatt . . . . . Term Expires 1980  
David R. Plourde . . . . . Term Expires 1981

SELECTMEN’S SECRETARY . . . . . Virginia K. Deragon

TOWN CLERK . . . . . Barbara Holmes – 1979

TREASURER . . . . . Patricia Knight – 1979

COLLECTOR OF TAXES . . . . . Marian Houston – Appointed

OVERSEER OF PUBLIC WELFARE . . . . . To Be Appointed

AUDITORS

Mark Lorden . . . . . Term Expires 1980  
Frances Rostron . . . . . Term Expires 1980

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

Amos P. Merchant, Jr.                      Robert G. Kevevel                      William Walz

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Chief Carl D. Russell                      Spec. Officer Carl Glover, Jr.  
Officer Mark Pepler                      Spec. Officer Bruce Battye  
Officer Brian Estee                      Spec. Officer Frank Gray  
Cpl. George Taylor  
School Crossing Guard – Vernon Merchant

Police Department Secretary . . . . . Sandra Loughery

HEALTH OFFICER . . . . . Selectmen

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Dorothy Sanborn                      Grace Creaser  
Beulah Nardini                      Joy Sloane  
Joseph Bowes                      Norma Heinz

FOREST FIRE WARDEN . . . . . Roland Bartlett – Appointed

## DEPUTY FIRE WARDENS

Daniel Carey	Robert York
Roger W. Sanborn	Donald Welcome
Honorary: Arthur Bartlett	Ray Fisher

## OFFICIAL WEIGHERS

Roger C. Sanborn	Fred Supry
Charles Scheys	Abbott Lawrence
Robert A. Davis	Agnes M. Marshall

## SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND LUMBER

Abbott Lawrence	Arthur E. Bartlett
Charles Brown	William Bailey, Jr.

## FENCE VIEWERS

Robert Kenevel	Ernest Cummings
James Steenbeke, Jr.	

## TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Alice Kingsbury	Doris Silver, Treas.	Henrietta Kenney
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## BUDGET COMMITTEE

John Hollins. . . . .	Term Expires 1981
Robert Knowlton . . . . .	Term Expires 1981
Fred Supry. . . . .	Term Expires 1982
Daniel Carey. . . . .	Term Expires 1982
Raymond Steenbeke . . . . .	Term Expires 1980
Florence Danko . . . . .	Term Expires 1980

ROAD AGENT. . . . . Richard Hollins — Appointed

SEXTON OF CEMETERIES . . . . . Richard Hollins — Appointed

TRAILER PARK INSPECTORS . . . . . Board of Selectmen

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR. . . . . Earl Houston

## BOSCAWEN PLANNING BOARD

Kevin McCarthy . . . . .	Term Expires March 31, 1980
Rhoda Hardy . . . . .	Term Expires March 31, 1981
James Steenbeke, Jr. . . . .	Term Expires March 31, 1982
Rebecca Gauthier . . . . .	Term Expires March 31, 1984
Ronald Romer* . . . . .	Term Expires March 31, 1985
Ellsworth Morton, Chairman . . . . .	Term Expires March 31, 1983
Richard C. Hartford. . . . .	Member ex officio

\*Town representative on the Central New Hampshire Planning Commission.



ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Frank Mazur. . . . .	Term Expires April 17, 1980
Claudia Damon, Chairman. . . . .	Term Expires April 17, 1981
Richard Cole . . . . .	Term Expires April 17, 1982
Kenneth Marshall . . . . .	Term Expires April 17, 1983
Thomas F. Considine . . . . .	Term Expires April 17, 1984

ZONING OFFICER. . . . . David R. Plourde

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE

Raymond Steenbeke	Carl Russell
Thomas Danko	Betsy Crete
William Weir	

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Matthew McKerley . . . . .	Term Expires 1982
Douglas Supry . . . . .	Term Expires 1982
Bruce Sloane . . . . .	Term Expires 1980
Bradford Marshall . . . . .	Term Expires 1980
Lois Hartford . . . . .	Term Expires 1981
Rhoda Hardy . . . . .	Term Expires 1982

POLICE COMMISSION

Daniel Carey, Chairman	Frederick Langlais
Lionel Gauthier	Norma Heinz
Gary Deragon	Richard C. Hartford, Ex Officio

BOSCAWEN FIRE DEPARTMENT

CHIEF

Roland D. Bartlett

DEPUTY CHIEFS

Ray Fisher      Donald Welcome, Sr.

ENGINE CO. NO. 1

Robert York  
Alan Perkins  
Harold Lamb  
Vernon Merchant, Jr.  
Vernon Merchant, Jr.

Captains  
Lieutenants  
Engineers  
Clerks  
Treasurers

ENGINE CO. NO. 2

Roger Sanborn  
Fred Egounis  
Jack Pillsbury  
Warren Kingsbury  
Lester Colby

## Firemen

David Boudrias  
 Thomas Gullage  
 Harold Hamilton  
 James Hoyt  
 Harold Lamb  
 Ronald McDaniels  
 Douglas McGrail  
 Asa Maynard  
 Alan Miner  
 Terrance Perkins  
 Lorenzo Pouliot  
 Edward Rule  
 John Supry  
 Robert Welcome, Jr.

Doug Egounis  
 Frank Jurta  
 Ernest Cummings  
 David McKerley  
 Mike Perry  
 Derek Hartford  
 Mark Harbour  
 Craig Nixon  
 Roland Folsom

## Fire Ward Committee

Chairman, Kenneth Marshall

Daniel Carey  
 Patricia Stefanides

Ray Steenbeke  
 Fred Supry

**BOSCAWEN'S REPRESENTATIVES TO GENERAL COURT**

James Colby  
 RFD 5, Penacook  
 796-2857

Gloria Randlett  
 RFD 7, Penacook  
 796-2507

Rick Trombly  
 7 Park St., Penacook  
 753-4163

**OFFICE HOURS OF TOWN OFFICERS**

Town Clerk Barbara Holmes — 796-2368  
 Wednesday and Friday — 9 am to 12 noon AND 4 pm to 6 pm  
 Saturday — 9 am to 12 noon

Tax Collector Marian Houston — 796-2421  
 Wednesday — 2 pm to 5 pm (or by appointment)

Selectmen's Office 796-2426  
 Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm  
 Selectmen meet 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month at 7:00 pm.



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 Boscawen in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Boscawen on Tuesday, the Eleventh day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
- 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
- 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act for use as a setoff against the following departments.

APPROPRIATION	Amount
Police Department . . . . .	\$10,000
Fire Department . . . . .	10,000
Highway Department . . . . .	11,886

- 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$380 to reimburse HUD for the Town's share of a planning grant for sewer facilities.
- 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$4,514 to the Concord Regional Visiting Nurse Association.
- 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$3,500 to help support the Penacook Rescue Squad for its emergency medical services and rescue operations for the Town.
- 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$6,800 to purchase a new police cruiser for the Police Department.
- 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$18,000 to purchase a new highway dump truck for the Highway Department.
- 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$1,500 for the Penacook Youth Center.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,523.41 for services to low-income residents of Boscawen through the Concord Area Center, Community Action Program, Belknap-Merrimack Counties, Inc.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$3,500 to purchase an office copier.

12. To see if the Town will vote to extend the term of the five-member Study Committee on Town Offices Building until the next annual meeting.

13. To see if the Town will vote to empower the Selectmen to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary to meet current expenses of the Town until the taxes are paid to the Treasurer.

14. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to transfer or sell property taken by the Town in default of Redemption from the Tax Sale or otherwise acquired and such sale to be at public auction with Selectmen reserving the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

15. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the Haase property located south of Walker Pond to Martin T. and Alan H. Haase for all back taxes, interest and costs. The Boscawen Conservation Commission has recommended that this property be disposed of in this manner.

16. To see if the Town will vote to request the Selectmen to reconsider the rent rates they set on the Town Hall, and their policy on dump collection, and other concerns of the Town Hall facilities. (By Petition)

17. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this nineteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighty.

Richard C. Hartford  
David R. Plourde  
Richard G. Sweatt  
SELECTMEN OF BOSCAWEN

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

Richard C. Hartford  
David R. Plourde  
Richard G. Sweatt  
SELECTMEN OF BOSCAWEN

## 1980 BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BOSCAWEN

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Expenditures Previous Fiscal Year	Appropriations Ensuing Fiscal Year 1980
<b>GENERAL GOVERNMENT:</b>			
Town officers' salaries	\$7,650.00	\$7,816.62	\$8,125.00
Town officers' expenses	19,503.00	20,392.71	23,143.00
Election and Registration expenses	500.00	580.95	600.00
Expenses town hall and other buildings	6,771.00	4,405.10	7,300.00
*CPA Audit	3,000.00		
<b>PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:</b>			
Police Department	60,468.00	58,817.75	69,785.00
Fire department, including forest fires	24,151.00	24,336.82	21,948.00
Blister rust and care of trees	1,000.00	718.45	500.00
Planning and Zoning	3,995.00	3,262.82	3,948.00
Insurance	14,800.00	13,199.00	15,800.00
Civil Defense	100.00	190.92	700.00
Conservation Commission	184.20	90.93	271.00
<b>HEALTH DEPARTMENT:</b>			
Health Dept. — Hospital — Ambulance	3,500.00	3,500.00	
Vital Statistics	50.00	48.07	50.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	6,775.00	6,451.26	7,465.00
Visiting Nurse Association	4,219.00	4,219.00	
<b>HIGHWAYS &amp; BRIDGES:</b>			
Town Road Aid	500.00	499.02	553.60
Town Maintenance	60,976.02	63,445.99	70,560.00
Street Lighting	6,000.00	5,681.59	6,000.00
<b>LIBRARIES:</b>			
Library	5,674.00	5,674.00	5,463.00
<b>PUBLIC WELFARE:</b>			
Town Poor	8,000.00	1,713.28	8,000.00
Old Age Assistance		3,131.22	
<b>PATRIOTIC PURPOSES</b>			
Memorial Day — Old Home Day	250.00	75.00	
<b>RECREATION:</b>			
Parks & Playgrounds, inc. band concerts	5,135.00	4,380.95	5,035.00
<b>PUBLIC SERVICES ENTERPRISES:</b>			
Municipal Sewer Dept.	94,421.98	803.47	94,421.98
Cemeteries	1,400.00	1,379.04	1,400.00
Sidewalks	700.00	105.84	500.00
<b>UNCLASSIFIED:</b>			
Damages and Legal Expenses	3,000.00	6,237.10	3,000.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	17,600.00	14,507.47	16,600.00
<b>DEBT SERVICE:</b>			
Principal — long term notes & bonds	55,360.00	55,360.00	41,360.00
Interest — long term notes & bonds	10,989.20	10,989.20	8,364.36
Interest on temporary loans	6,000.00	7,458.33	7,458.33

## CAPITAL OUTLAY:

Police Cruiser	5,665.00	5,364.97
*Baseball Field	25,000.00	

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$463,337.40	\$334,836.87	\$428,351.27
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\*Special Appropriations to be carried over

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Fiscal Year 1980
FROM LOCAL TAXES:			
Resident Taxes	\$17,010.00	\$16,102.00	\$17,010.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	1,082.70	1,234.90	1,234.90
Yield Taxes	6,305.00	5,943.59	5,944.00
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	7,300.00	5,862.85	5,863.00
Resident Tax Penalties	334.00	311.00	311.00
Land Use Change Taxes	1,650.00	6,774.70	6,774.00
FROM STATE:			
Meals and Rooms Tax	26,131.00		26,131.00
Interest and Dividends Tax	19,802.45	19,802.45	19,802.00
Savings Bank Tax	1,374.51	1,374.51	1,375.00
Highway Subsidy	14,286.15	14,298.53	14,539.68
Railroad Tax	134.00	133.67	134.00
Town Road Aid	3,326.81		
Class V Highway Maintenance	8,832.00	8,832.56	12,469.69
State Aid Water Pollution Projects	38,454.00	28,454.00	27,501.00
Reimb. a/c State-Federal Forest Land	567.85	567.85	567.85
Reimb. a/c Road Toll Refund		550.00	
FROM LOCAL SOURCES, EXCEPT TAXES:			
Motor Vehicle Permits Fees	58,300.00	60,416.00	60,416.00
Dog Licenses	1,066.00	1,263.50	1,263.50
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	100.00	72.50	72.50
Rent of Town Property	915.00	1,020.00	1,500.00
Interest Received on Deposits	4,000.00	7,174.45	4,000.00
Income From Trust Funds	600.00	1,580.48	600.00
Income From Departments	1,500.00	814.37	814.00
Income From Sewer Department	94,421.98	65,666.12	94,421.98
Surplus	88,000.00	88,000.00	
Payment In Lieu of Taxes	12,132.00	12,952.05	12,952.02
Sale of Town Property		1,000.00	
Federal Grants	12,500.00		
Reimb. Concord Sewer Project	3,428.20	3,428.20	3,304.56
Reimb. Interceptor Sewer Project	3,747.61	3,747.61	3,612.51
RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE:			
Revenue Sharing Fund	34,500.00	32,541.00	31,886.00
Anti Recession Fund	18.00		20.00
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	\$451,819.26	\$389,918.89	\$354,519.49

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

For the third year in a row, we have been able to pass along to our taxpayers a substantial tax reduction. This was caused in part by a concerted effort to maintain a level of services to the Town without drastically increasing the various budgets. It was also caused in part by a gain in tax base as a result of new construction. It should be pointed out, however, that our base has been eroded by various exemptions allowed by statute. It is the feeling of the Selectmen that this situation has peaked out and that new construction should help us considerably in maintaining a respectable base.

Unlike many towns and municipalities throughout our area, we are still in a good position to provide a level of services commensurate with the size of the Town. It is significant that through good management practice the Town is virtually debt free. The only remaining debt at the present time are the interceptor sewer bonds which will be paid in full in February of 1984. At the present time, the Selectmen do not anticipate a need for bonded indebtedness other than your normal tax anticipation notes.

The combination of inflation and high cost of energy have again had an impact on the Town and all phases of the budgetary process. Through the full cooperation of our dedicated Town employees, we have been able to keep the Town on an even keel. During the year, the Selectmen initiated a program to conserve energy by tightening up town buildings, adding insulation, storm windows and maintaining lower temperatures in all buildings. In the last quarter of 1979, we were advised by our fuel suppliers that we were again placed on an allocation for both gasoline and diesel fuel. Immediate steps were taken to maintain a level of supply that should prevent any shortage problems in an emergency.

We continue to have problems maintaining a reasonable operating cost for our sewer users. The Selectmen have worked very closely with the City of Concord on obtaining a reduction in operating cost of the treatment plant. However, during the year, two major industrial users cancelled the use of this system which in turn may have a considerable impact on the overall cost to operate the plant. We are continuing to work with the City of Concord on this subject, and it is our hope that we can minimize the impact.

As a result of recent legislation, it has become necessary for the Town to provide unemployment compensation benefits which are an added expense to the Town. Through the N. H. Municipal Association, we have joined in with other municipalities in the state in a self-insurance fund for both unemployment benefits and workmen's compensation. This should provide significant savings in the future.

As a result of the action by the voters of the 1979 annual meeting, the Parks and Recreation Committee proceeded to apply for Federal matching funds for the development of the Town park located on Depot Street. As of this writing, the project has been approved and we should be in a position to start construction this spring.



During the fall, we cleaned up the building to be used for recreational purposes at the site and painted the exterior. In addition, considerable outside clearing work was completed including: cutting brush and grading the field. We appreciate the considerable effort and time spent by the Parks and Recreation Committee in undertaking this project, and we feel certain that the townspeople will be proud of this facility.

Also, in accordance with the vote of the 1979 annual meeting, a certified public accounting firm has been retained to conduct the year-end audit. This will not be completed until late spring and the results will be made available to interested parties. This will be a complete audit of all Town financial records and will be available in the Selectmen's Office when complete.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard G. Sweatt  
David R. Plourde  
Richard C. Hartford, Chairman



## AUDITORS' REPORT

May 14, 1979

Board of Selectmen  
Town of Boscawen  
Post Office Box 24  
Penacook, New Hampshire 03303

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Boscawen, certify that we have examined, checked and verified the records of Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Treasurer of the Library Trustees, and Treasurer of the Trust Funds in accordance with the guidelines furnished by Municipal Services Division, Department of Revenue Administration. Some corrections were noted.

We did not complete our audit of the records of the Selectmen and Treasurer because the records were removed from the Town Offices on February 27th contrary to our agreement with Mr. Plourde. Prior to this date we were delayed on February 16 and again on the 23rd because not all the Treasurer's records were available in the office as promised. We have waited two and one-half months for word from you that the records have been returned for us to complete our audit but to no avail.

We would call your attention to RSA 41:29 Duties (Town Treasurer) "... He shall furnish to the selectmen statements from his books, and submit his books and vouchers to them and to the town auditors for examination, whenever so requested." This is the second year we have encountered difficulties auditing the Treasurer's records.

Under RSA 41:31 Choice; Duties (Town Auditors) "... shall at the annual meeting choose one or more auditors who shall carefully examine the accounts of the selectmen, town treasurer, town clerk, clerk or other person acting as clerk of a municipal court, collector, of taxes and *any other officer or agent handling funds* of a town, at the close of each fiscal year and at other times whenever necessary, and report to the town whether the same are correctly cast and well vouched." Our report for the year 1977 called your attention to the fact that the person responsible for collecting Trailer Park fees should keep a separate ledger showing amounts received. This is still not being done. We did find a few paid invoices in the Treasurer's receipts showing collection of trailer park fees but these receipts were far short of the total amount collected as shown in the Treasurer's statement.

We found again that all bills were not paid by invoice nor approved by a majority of the Selectmen which is contrary to RSA 24:29 and guidelines issued by Bureau of Business Administration.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mark R. Lorden  
Frances C. Rostron

**TOWN OF BOSCAWEN 69-0120324 001**

June 8, 1979

On June 6, 1979 I talked to Mrs. Patricia Knight (Bookkeeper) for the Town of Boscawen and audited the books for Calendar Year 1978.

The accounting and record keeping system is set up that the (Highway Dept., Cemetery, Town Dump, Special Police, Volunteer Firemen, Elected & Appointed Officers, Janitor, Clerical Help, Part-time Help, Employees of the Town) submit time sheets to Mrs. Knight, who figures the gross wages and deductions. Then she posts to the payroll sheets, which are tallied quarterly and the OAR-S3 Wage Reports are made out and submitted to the State with the contribution. At the end of the year, W-2 Forms are made out. Records are readily available and maintained in a safe place for at least four years. Spot checked the payroll sheets, OAR-S3 Reports, and W-2 Forms. Wage Reports are completed properly and a-1 covered employees are reported with the following exceptions:

Summary of Findings:

No exceptions to correct wage reporting.

Recommendations for Action:

None

GEORGE GATZOULIS 6/15/79  
N. H. Division of Welfare  
Hazen Drive  
Concord, N. H. 03301

## BOSCAWEN TOWN MEETING March 13, 1979

The annual town meeting was called to order at 10:07 A.M.

The moderator read the warrant and declared the polls were open until 6 P.M.

Mr Hartford moved that Articles 2 through 19 be delayed until after the ballots are counted. Tellers were Donald LaValley, Della Merchant, Florence Mullin and Vincent Vigue.

The polls closed at 6:30 P.M. after all in the hall had voted. Results were:

Selectman:	Kevin J McCarthy	176
	John C Hollins	180
	Richard C Hartford	270--writin votes
Town Clerk:	Barbara M Holmes	339
	Doris S Silver	276--writin votes
Treasurer:	Patricia C Knight	561
Auditors:	Frances C Rostron	480
	Mark R Lorden	480
Trustee, Trust Funds:	Henrietta I Kenney	555
Trustees		
Library:	Grace Creaser	505
	Joseph Bowes	474

All floodplain amendments were passed with 626 ballots cast

The meeting opened at 8:35 P.M. with the first item of business choosing other officers for the ensuing year.

### Official weighers:

Amos Merchant moved that the clerk cast one ballot for the incumbants: Roger C Sanborn, Charles Scheys, Robert A Davis, Fred Supry, Abbott Lawrence, Agnes M Marshall.

2nd by Fred Supry, passed on vv

### **Surveyors of wood and lumber**

Amos Merchant moved that the clerk cast one ballot for the incumbants: Abbott Lawrence, Charles Brown, Arthur E Bartlett, William Bailey Jr.

2nd by Fred Supry, passed on vv

### **Fence viewers**

Fred Supry moved the present incumbants be reelected on one ballot cast by the clerk.

2nd by Richard Sweatt passed by vv

They are Robert Kenevel, James Steenbeke Jr , Ernest Cummings.

**Article 2:** Richard Sweatt moved the budget as printed in the town report.

2nd by David Plourde

Richard Rineer offered an amendment, 2nd by Donna MacIvor to amend Article 2 to include \$400.00 to be added to Recreation and Parks to be divided as follows: \$250.00 for Penacook Youth Center and \$150.00 to Rolfe Park. Mr Rineer stated this had alwayd been in the budget previously. The amendment was passed on vv

**Article 3:** Moved by Fred Supry, 2nd by Richard Sweatt

passed on vv

**Article 4:** Moved by David Plourde, 2nd by Richard Sweatt

passed on vv

**Article 5:** moved by Melodye Currier, 2nd by Richard Sweatt

passed on vv

**Article 6:** Moved by Daniel Carey, 2nd by Richard Sweatt.

Slight discussion as to where the old cruiser was going.

Chief Russell: It will be traded in or put out for bid and money in the General Fund

Edward Damon: What kind of car will be purchased?

Chief Russell: A buickleSabre. this is through a state bid. The old one was a lemon, we should stay with state bids.

Mr Hartford: This is a special police package.

Chief Russell: It has a 350 engine, and heavy duty equipment, recommended by the State Police.

passed on vv

**Article 7:** Moved by David Plourde, 2nd by Richard Sweatt.

passed on vv

**Article 8:** Moved by Richard Hartford, 2nd by Richard Sweatt.

passed on vv

**Article 9:** Moved by Richard Hartford, 2nd by Richard Sweatt.

Douglas Hayes offered the following amendment to Art 9

“To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate seventy five hundred dollars to be placed in an escrow account to be used for the construction of town offices and further; that a five (5) member study committee be established and appointed by the town moderator to investigate the use of existing town property and arrive at a firm, cost effective proposal for town offices to be presented by article for voter approval at the nineteen eighty (1980) annual town meeting.”

this was seconded.

Mr Sloane objected that this was point of order--a new motion.

Question: Does this change the intent of the original motion?

Mr Plourde stated it changed the intent of the article.

The moderator ruled to accept it as a valid amendment

Mr Sweatt stated it was to raise \$7500 to move the building not to provide----

Mr Hayes: The purpose to effectively study the feasibility of moving a building across the street should be studied by a committee.

Mr Sweatt: What is not feasible?

Mr Hayes: Putting good money after bad, why move it?

Mr Sweatt: we should have asked for \$150,000

? : Let the town people stand up and decide, not let three people decide (applause)

Mr Supry: The time to come to a head, Is the proposed building big enough? use judgment.

(at this point Mr Hartford stated the addition would be 12x24. This was not in the article)

Herbert Huckins: There are enough places instead of adding shacks.

? How was the \$7500. arrived at?

Mr Sweatt: At the budget meeting Ray Steenbeke gave the figure.

Frances Rostron: What about the cellar hole?

Mr Sweatt: fill it in.

Kenneth Marshall: Does this article supercede Article 9?

Mr Hartford: I respect Mr Hayes but the amendment overlooks the town officials. They know what the needs are, whether move or build a new one. A new building would cost \$75,000 to \$100,000 but to pass an amendment to tell what the needs of the town are--it needs to be accessible to accomodate the public, more space is needed.

? What would it cost to fix it up?

? Not more than \$7500.

Glenda Hill: If you put on a 12x12 addition to include two bathrooms, and you want more space, do you have it?

Mr Hartford: we have a double door safe that came out of the old police station.---we may be able to tie into the police station septic tank.

Mr Johnson: May I speak as a citizen? (no objection)

Five years ago I thought we should be providing full time offices. The clerk, tax collector should be full time. A study committee is not a bad idea. For convenience officers should be full time. ?We better consider a place for the selectmen to meet and entertain.

Bruce MacIvor: The amendment is not voting down the article, it is putting it in proper perspective. There is nothing that the committee would dictate.

Mr Plourde: Yes we would like all town offices in one building. It would enhance (?) times the building would be open.

Melodye Currier: It would be crowded.

Craig Nixon: For \$7500 would there be a septic system the state would approve.

Roger W Sanborn: For \$7500 all this? everything or nothing?

Rusty Colby: Cant fix tennis courts, they are on private property.

Mr Hayes: How long have they been there and now need more physical space. Why are the Selectmen on the defensive. You should study this and have more foresight.

Mr Plourde: We should have asked for \$100,000

Mr Supry: In case the amendment is defeated what are they going to do?

Moderator: The amendment is substituted for Article 9



**Article 10:** moved by Richard Sweatt to to table  
2nd by David Plourde.

passed on vv

**Article 11** Moved by Roger C Sanborn to accept as printed  
2nd by David Plourde

Claudia Damon: What was the plan between the Selectmen and the Planning board?

Mr Hartford: The subject goes back 4-5 years. The street was not built according to plan, less than sub-division requirements. Talking from memory, probably Bob Kenevel can remember. They needed a 50foot ROW; 2 drainage--, a culvert at the intersection, a T on both ends. The town did the work and it was paid by Donald and William Welcome. The selectmen agreed to make the recommendation before the town. Is that correct?

Robert Kenevel: they did require the surfacing of roadway.

passed on vv

**Article 12:** Moved by Richard Hartford  
2nd by Richard Sweatt

George Mullins: "hat is the dollar value associated with this article?

Mr Plourde: It does not have a dollar value

Mr Hartford: Workmens compensation is getting to a point where the rates are going up The Municipal Association has set up a fund and made a guarantee it will not be more than the existing premium. It is an increasingly large part of the budget.

Mr Supry: Will the town workmen get more benefits?

? Are the firemen covered?

? Yes.

passed on vv

**Article 13:** Rhoda Hardy moved the article, 2nd by David Plourde.

Roger W Sanborn: What is the purpose?

Richard Sweatt: to save paper work

Doris Silver commented

passed on vv

**Article 14:** Moved by Fred Supry, 2nd by Marion Houston  
passed on vv

**Article 15:** Moved by David Plourde

seconded

Edward Damon: moved to amend the article to strike “or otherwise acquired” this was seconded

passed on vv

The article was passed with amendment by vv

**Article 16:** (petition article)

Richard Sweatt moved to table the article

2nd by David Plourde

voted down

Claudia Damon moved the article, 2nd by Roger W Sanborn

It was moved by Bruce Sloane that it be voted with a show of hands.

Maxwell Millard: Moved to amend the article to strike out “or otherwise acquired” 2nd by Donna MacIvor.

Claudia Damon: The right to sell property given to the town would be removed. Article 16 says the property will come before the Conservation Commission before they can sell it. Article 15 relates to property the town owns.

Selectman: What happens if the bank owns the property?

Claudia: Before disposition the Conservation commission would have to see it. They will be in the unique position to use their expertise.

the amendment was defeated.

Douglas Supry moved to amend the article “....of the next annual town...to add the words “or special” meeting. To read next annual meeting or special meeting

2nd by Rick Trombley

Mr Hartford: The Conservation Commission was adopted two years ago under RDS 42A they have full power to act. This article by petition requires it be mandatory rather than may.

Mr Sweatt: The Selectmen have never sold property by tax sale. The petition is mandating.

Marion Houston: If property is not redeemed in 2 years it is deeded to the town. Explanation of legal proceeding for unredeemed property

Douglas Suprys amended defeated

Article 16 was adopted as read with 146 yes votes (standing)

**Article 17:** moved by Fred Supry, 2nd by ?

Carl Russell explained the intent of the article and the work to be done

Glenda Hill: \$1300.00 has been raised for the tennis court and work to be done this year. new bleachers at the new field are needed.

John Hollins: This has not gone out on bid, hopefully can be shaved.

Viola Knowlton commented on too much emphasis on baseball.

Kenneth Marshall: The safety of the children must be a concern.

Penny Nixon: What happened to the survey?

Carl Russell: I don't know where it is.

Fred Supry: no need to be concerned with safety. He mowed the field last summer and no children were down there before the trucks left and they go when they come back.

Carl Russell: the most concern is with the river.

Richard Sweatt moved an amendment that the words "raise and appropriate" be added to the article, David Plourde 2nd amendment passed

Bruce Sloane said move the question

Article passed on vv

**Article 18:** David Plourde moved, Richard Hartford 2nd passed on vv

**Article 19:** Frances Rostron took issue with the selectmen's report regarding the auditors. They did not have the books for a proper time to finish the auditing. the report was misleading.

Donna MacIvor: why no report this year?

Mrs Rostron: We did not receive the books.

Dorothy Sanborn questioned discrepancies between trust fund receipts to town treasurer and amount trustees dispersed. Doris Silver explained, but no one could explain the discrepancy in the library trust fund disbursement and receipts

Bruce Sloane moved to adjourn

2nd by Richard Hartford

Meeting adjourned at 10:34 P.M.

resp sub.

Dorothy Sanborn

Deputy clerk

## BALANCE SHEET

## Assets

## Cash:

## In hands of treasurer:

Bank of N. H. (General Fund)	\$207,500.23	
Bank of N. H. (CETA Ckg. Acct.)	3.37	
Concord National Bank Savings	5,242.27	
N. H. Savings Bank (Rev. Sharing)	530.32	
N. H. Savings Bank (Anti-Rec.)	18.00	
Concord National Bank (Sewer Rent Ckg. Acct.)	85,690.86	
Concord National Bank (Sewer Rent Savings Acct.)	125,264.69	\$424,249.74

## In hands of Officials:

## Petty Cash:

Tax Collector	100.00	
Selectmen	35.00	
Police Dept.	25.00	
Planning & Zoning Board	50.00	210.00

TOTAL \$424,459.74

## Accounts Due to the Town

## Due from State:

Rooms & Meals Tax 1979	26,131.61
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## Other bills due Town:

Extension of Sewer Line Accounts	1,412.63
CETA Program	1,720.65
1978 Precinct Tax — City of Concord	2,877.90

## Unredeemed Taxes (from tax sale on account of

Levy of 1978	33,704.58
Levy of 1977	11,266.07

## Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1979, Including Resident Taxes	130,040.46
Levy of 1978	1,270.00
Previous Years	364.09

TOTAL \$208,787.99

TOTAL ASSETS \$633,247.73

Current Surplus, December 31, 1979 \$24,533.15

## Liabilities

## Accounts Owed by the Town:

Unexpended Balances of Special Appropriations:	\$28,000.00
Sewer Fund	84,526.02
Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds	530.32
Unexpended Anti-Recession Fund	18.00
Yield Tax Deposits (Escrow Acc't)	5,442.27
School District Tax Payable	340,168.44
Trust Funds	600.00
City of Concord – Sewer Costs	149,429.53

TOTAL ACCOUNTS OWED BY THE TOWN	\$608,714.58
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$608,714.58
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Current Surplus, (Excess of assets over liabilities)	24,533.15
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	\$633,247.73
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## RECEIPTS

## Current Revenue:

## From Local Taxes:

Property Taxes – 1979	\$511,616.57
Resident Taxes – 1979	13,632.00
National Bank Stock Taxes – 1979	1,234.90
Yield Taxes – 1979	3,195.11

Total Current Year's Taxes Collected and Remitted	\$529,678.58
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Property Taxes & Yield Taxes – Prev. Years	123,165.46
Resident Taxes – Previous Years	2,470.00
Interest received on Delinquent Taxes	5,862.85
Penalties: Resident Taxes	311.00
Tax sales redeemed	100,781.69
Land Use Taxes	6,774.70
Sewer Assessment	730.30

Total Previous Year's Taxes Collected and Remitted	\$240,096.00
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TOTAL TAXES COLLECTED AND REMITTED	\$769,774.58
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## From State:

Interest and Dividends Tax	19,802.45
Savings Bank Tax	1,374.51
Highway Subsidy	14,298.53
Railroad Tax	133.67
Class V Highway Maintenance	8,832.56

State Aid Water Pollution Projects	28,454.00	
Reimb. a/c State-Federal Forest Land	567.85	
Reimb. a/c Road Toll Refund	550.00	
Reimb. a/c Business Profits Tax	98,183.47	
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM STATE</b>		<b>\$172,197.04</b>
From Local Sources, except Taxes		
Motor Vehicle Permits Fees	\$60,416.00	
Dog Licenses	1,263.50	
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	802.50	
Rent of Town Property	1,020.00	
Interest Received on Deposits	6,488.23	
Income From Trust Funds	1,580.48	
Income From Departments	814.37	
Income From Sewer Department	65,666.12	
<b>TOTAL INCOME FROM LOCAL SOURCES</b>		<b>\$138,051.20</b>
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	\$250,000.00	
Refunds	7,540.98	
New Trust Funds received during year	600.00	
Payments in Lieu of Taxes	12,952.05	
Sale of Town Property	1,000.00	
Yield Tax Security Deposits	5,200.00	
Share of Basic Costs – Intercept. Sewer	3,428.20	
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE</b>		<b>\$280,721.23</b>
Grants From Federal Government		
Revenue Sharing	32,541.00	
Interest on Investments of Revenue Sharing Funds	534.08	
Emergency Employment Act (CETA)	645.75	
<b>TOTAL GRANTS FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT</b>		<b>\$33,720.83</b>
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE</b>		<b>\$280,721.23</b>
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES</b>		<b>\$1,394,464.88</b>
Cash on hand, January 1, 1979		333,398.42
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>\$1,727,863.30</b>

### PAYMENTS

#### Current Maintenance Expenses:

##### General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$7,816.62
Town officers' expenses	20,392.71



Election and Registration Expenses	580.95	
Town Hall and Other Buildings Expenses	4,405.10	
Other General Governmental Expenses	5,592.01	
Trailer Permit Fees	730.00	
Motor Veh. & Dog. Lic Fees	2,956.50	
Resident Tax Fees	1,002.00	
<b>TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENTAL EXPENSES</b>		<b>\$38,787.39</b>

<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>		
Police Department	\$58,817.75	
Fire Department, inc. forest fires	24,336.82	
Blister rust and care of trees	718.45	
Planning and Zoning		3,262.82
Insurance	13,199.00	
Civil Defense	190.92	
Conservation Commission	90.93	
<b>TOTAL PROTECTION OF PERSONS &amp; PROPERTY EXPENSES</b>		<b>\$100,616.69</b>

<b>Health;</b>		
Ambulance	\$3,500.00	
Vital Statistics	48.07	
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	6,451.26	
Visiting Nurse	4,219.00	
<b>TOTAL HEALTH EXPENSES</b>		<b>\$14,218.33</b>

<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>		
Town Road Aid	\$499.02	
Town Maintenance	63,445.99	
Street Lighting	5,681.59	
<b>TOTAL HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES EXPENSES</b>		<b>\$69,626.60</b>

<b>LIBRARIES:</b>		<b>\$5,674.00</b>
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<b>Public Welfare:</b>		
Town Poor	1,713.28	
Old Age Assistance	3,131.22	
<b>TOTAL PUBLIC WELFARE EXPENSES</b>		<b>\$4,844.50</b>

<b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>		
Memorial Day — Old Home Day	\$75.00	
<b>TOTAL PATRIOTIC PURPOSE EXPENSES</b>		<b>\$75.00</b>

<b>Recreation:</b>		
Parks & Playground, inc. band concerts	4,380.95	
<b>TOTAL RECREATIONAL EXPENSES</b>		<b>\$4,380.95</b>

## Public Services Enterprises:

Municipal Sewer Dept.	\$803.47	
Cemeteries	1,379.04	
Sidewalks	105.84	
<b>TOTAL PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE EXPENSES</b>		<b>\$2,288.35</b>

## Unclassified:

Damages and Legal Expenses	\$6,237.10	
Employees' retirement and Social Security	14,508.47	
Taxes bought by Town	94,082.48	
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	1,440.63	
Payments to Trustees of Trust Funds (New Trust Funds)	400.00	
CETA Program	2,176.00	
<b>TOTAL UNCLASSIFIED EXPENSES</b>		<b>\$118,843.68</b>

## Debt Service:

Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	\$250,000.00	
Principal — long term notes and bonds	55,360.00	
Interest — long term notes and bonds	10,989.20	
Interest on temporary loans	7,458.33	
<b>TOTAL DEBT SERVICE PAYMENTS</b>		<b>\$323,807.53</b>

## Capital Outlay:

Police Cruiser	\$5,364.97	
<b>TOTAL OUTLAY PAYMENTS</b>		<b>\$5,364.97</b>

## Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

Payment to State a/c Dog License Fees	\$119.50	
Payments to State a/c 2% Bond and Debt Retirement Taxes	417.31	
Taxes paid to County	62,398.00	
Payments to Precincts	35,452.00	
Payments to School Districts (1979 Tax) \$249,000.60 (1980 Tax) \$267,488.16	516,488.76	
<b>TOTAL PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS</b>		<b>\$614,875.57</b>

<b>TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES</b>	<b>\$1,303,403.56</b>
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Cash on hand December 31, 1979	424,459.74
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<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,727,863.30</b>
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**SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS**

As of December 31, 1979

Long Term Notes Outstanding:		
City of Concord for Interceptor Sewer	\$25,440.00	
Total Long Term Notes Outstanding		\$25,440.00
Bonds Outstanding:		
National Shawmut Bank for Sewer	\$175,000.00	
Total Long Term Indebtedness		\$200,440.00

**RECONCILIATION OF OUTSTANDING LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS**

Outstanding Long Term Debt —January 1, 1979		\$255,800.00
Debt Retirement During Fiscal Year:		
Long Term Notes Paid	\$20,360.00	
Bonds Paid	35,000.00	
Total Debt Retirement		\$55,360.00
Outstanding Long Term Debt — December 31, 1979		\$200,440.00

**STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT**

Showing Annual Maturities of Principal and Interest as of December 31, 1979

The principal and interest costs of these sewer bonds are shared by the State, City of Concord, Penacook Fibre, Brezner Tannery.

The reimbursement schedule from the above parties is as follows:

Due Date				State (Revised)			City of Concord			Prin.
	Prin.	Int.	Total	Prin.	Int.	Total	Prin.	Int.	Total	
2/1/80	35,000.00	4,025.00	39,025.00	22,736.00	4,765.00	27,501.00	795.00	182.85	977.85	307.00
8/1/80		3,220.00	3,220.00							
2/1/81	35,000.00	3,220.00	38,220.00	22,736.00	3,812.00	26,548.00	795.00	146.28	941.28	307.00
8/1/81		2,415.00	2,415.00							
2/1/82	35,000.00	2,415.00	37,415.00	22,736.00	2,859.00	25,595.00	795.00	109.71	904.71	307.00
8/1/82		1,610.00	1,610.00							
2/1/83	35,000.00	1,610.00	36,610.00	22,736.00	1,906.00	24,643.00	795.00	73.14	868.14	307.00
8/1/83		805.00	805.00							
2/1/84	35,000.00	805.00	35,805.00	22,736.00	953.00	23,689.00	795.00	36.57	831.57	307.00

\*Town Paid First Interest Payment \$8,050.00 on August 1, 1974

**STATEMENT OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS**

Showing Annual Maturities of Principal and Interest as of December 31, 1979

City of Concord — Town's Share

of Cost of Construction of Water Treatment Facilities

The principal and interest costs of this issue are shared by the Fibre Company and Brezner Tannery. The reimbursement schedule is as follows:

Due Date				Penacook Fibre			Prin.
	Prin.	Int.	Total	Prin.	Int.	Total	
5/15/80	6,360.00	1,119.36	7,479.36	988.00	173.89	1,161.89	1,822.00
5/15/81	6,360.00	839.52	7,199.52	988.00	130.42	1,118.42	1,822.00
5/15/82	6,360.00	559.68	6,919.68	988.00	86.94	1,074.94	1,822.00
5/15/83	6,360.00	279.84	6,639.84	988.00	43.47	1,031.47	1,822.00
	25,440.00	2,798.40	28,238.40	3,952.00	434.72	4,386.72	7,288.00

Amount of Issue: \$350,000.00 — 4.6%  
 Date of Issue: February 4, 1974  
 Principal Payment Date: February 1  
 Interest Payment Dates: February 1, August 1  
 Payable at National Shawmut Bank of Boston

Fibre Int.	Total	Tannery			Recap. of Reimbursements (Rev.)			Net Actually Pd. by Town (Rev.)		
		Prin.	Int.	Total	Prin.	Int.	Total	Prin.	Int.	Total
70.61	377.61	1,835.00	422.05	2,257.05	25,673.00	5,440.51	31,113.51	9,327.00	1,804.49	11,131.49
56.49	363.49	1,835.00	337.64	2,172.64	25,673.00	4,352.41	30,025.41	9,327.00	1,282.59	10,609.59
42.37	349.37	1,835.00	253.23	2,088.23	25,673.00	3,264.31	28,937.31	9,327.00	760.69	10,087.69
28.24	335.24	1,835.00	168.82	2,003.82	25,673.00	2,176.20	27,849.20	9,327.00	238.80	9,565.80
14.12	321.12	1,835.00	84.41	1,191.41	25,673.00	1,088.10	26,761.10	9,327.00	(283.10)*	9,043.90

Town's Share Estimated Basic Costs  
 (Less Federal and State Grants)

\$57,500.00

Town's Share Estimated Cost of Concord Interceptor  
 (Less Federal and State Grants)

6,100.00  
 \$63,600.00

Brezner Int.	Tannery Total	Recap. of Reimbursements (Rev.)			Net Actually Pd. by Town (Rev.)		
		Prin.	Int.	Total	Prin.	Int.	Total
320.67	2,142.67	2,810.00	494.56	3,304.56	3,550.00	624.80	4,174.80
240.50	2,062.50	2,810.00	370.92	3,180.92	3,550.00	468.60	4,018.60
160.34	1,982.34	2,810.00	247.28	3,057.28	3,550.00	312.40	3,862.40
80.17	1,902.17	2,810.00	123.64	2,933.64	3,550.00	156.20	3,706.20
801.68	8,089.68	11,240.00	1,236.40	12,476.40	14,200.00	1,562.00	15,762.00

**SELECTMEN'S STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS****TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES**

Richard Hartford, Selectman	\$983.30	
Richard Sweatt, Selectman	900.00	
David Plourde, Selectman	916.66	
Marian Houston, Tax Collector	2,700.00	
Patricia Knight, Treas.	566.66	
Lucia Reed, Town Clerk (2 Mos.)	50.00	
Barbara Holmes, Town Clerk (10 Mos.)	250.00	
Robert Johnson, Moderator	75.00	
Amos Merchant, Supervisor	75.00	
William Walz, Supervisor	50.00	
Robert Kenevel, Supervisor	50.00	
Frances Rostron, Auditor	100.00	
Mark Lorden, Auditor	100.00	
David Plourde, Zoning Officer	200.00	
Richard Hartford, Overseer of Poor	266.66	
Richard Sweatt, Overseer of Poor	266.67	
David Plourde, Overseer of Poor	266.67	
Total		\$7,816.62

**TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES**

Virginia Deragon, Secretary	\$6,502.50	
Patricia Knight, Accountant	3,985.00	
Claire Merchant, Clerk	172.50	
Telephone	444.91	
Postage	380.50	
Office Supplies	1,356.57	
Equipment	362.00	
Dues	440.28	
Town Report Printing	2,101.05	
Municipal Meetings	359.03	
Computerization (Includes Postage)	1,078.40	
Re-val Pickups	2,191.79	
Heat	586.46	
Electricity	96.72	
Repairs to Equipment	90.00	
Total		\$20,147.71

**ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSES**

Meals, Town Meetings	\$150.00
Printing ballots	298.95
Della Merchant	30.00



Florence Mullin	20.00	
Katherine Bush	10.00	
Joy Sloane	20.00	
Donald LaValley	30.00	
Vincent Vigue	10.00	
Chair Rental	12.00	
Total		\$580.95

TOWN HALL AND OTHER TOWN BUILDINGS

Harold M. Hardy, Janitor	\$906.76	
Electricity	922.70	
Heat	497.09	
Less: Refund (Grange)	- 150.00	347.09
Repairs		1,615.55
Telephone	61.36	
Supplies	256.55	
Water	52.00	
Gas	93.09	
Total		\$4,255.10

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

General Fund — Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1979

	1979 Appro- priations	Receipts and Reimb.	Total Amount Available	Expen- ditures 1979	BALANCES Unex- pended	Over- drafts
GENERAL GOVERNMENT						
Town Officers' Salaries	\$7,650.00		\$7,650.00	\$7,816.62		\$166.62
Town Officers' Expenses	19,503.00	\$245.00	19,748.00	20,392.71		644.71
Election and Registration	500.00		500.00	580.95		80.95
Town Hall, and Other Town Buildings	6,771.00	150.00	6,921.00	4,405.10	2,515.90	
Employees Retirement, S.S. BC	17,600.00	1,684.95	19,284.95	14,507.47	4,777.48	
*CPA Audit	3,000.00		3,000.00		3,000.00	
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY						
Police Dept.	60,468.00	22.50	60,490.50	58,817.75	1,672.75	
Fire Dept.	24,151.00	1,146.77	25,297.77	24,336.82	960.95	
Care of Trees	1,000.00		1,000.00	718.45	281.55	
Insurance	14,800.00	624.00	15,424.00	13,199.00	2,225.00	
Planning and Zoning	3,995.00		3,995.00	3,262.82	732.18	
Damages and Legal Expenses	3,000.00		3,000.00	6,237.10		3,237.10
Civil Defense	100.00		100.00	190.92		90.92
Conservation Commission	184.20		184.20	90.93	93.27	
HEALTH DEPARTMENT, INCL. HOSPITALS						
Vital Statistics	50.00		50.00	48.07	1.93	
Town Dump	6,775.00		6,775.00	6,451.26	323.74	
Visiting Nurse Assn.	4,219.00		4,219.00	4,219.00		
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES						
Town Maintenance	60,976.02	3,517.76	64,493.78	63,445.99	1,047.79	
Street Lighting	6,000.00		6,000.00	5,681.59	318.41	
Town Road Aid	500.00		500.00	499.02	.98	

LIBRARIES	5,674.00	5,674.00	5,674.00	
PUBLIC WELFARE	8,000.00	150.00	8,150.00	3,305.50
Town Poor				
Old Age Assistance				
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES				
Memorial Day	75.00		75.00	175.00
Old Home Day	175.00		175.00	
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES				
**Sewer Users Operating Costs	94,421.98		94,421.98	93,618.51
Cemeteries	1,400.00		1,400.00	20.96
Sidewalks	700.00		700.00	594.16
Penacook Rescue Squad	3,500.00		3,500.00	
RECREATION	4,735.00		4,735.00	754.05
Penacook Youth Center	250.00		250.00	
Rolfe Park	150.00		150.00	
DEBT SERVICE				
Princ. L/T Notes, Bonds	55,360.00		55,360.00	
Interest L/T Notes, Bonds	10,989.20		10,989.20	
Interest — Temporary Loans	6,000.00		6,000.00	1,458.33
CAPITAL OUTLAY				
Police Cruiser	5,665.00		5,364.97	300.03
*Baseball Field	25,000.00		25,000.00	25,000.00
TOTALS	\$463,337.40	\$7,540.98	\$470,878.38	\$141,720.14
				\$5,678.63
Minus Overdrafts				—5,678.63
Net Balance of Appropriation				\$136,041.51

\* Special Appropriations to be carried over to 1980.  
\*\* Sewer Users Operating Costs paid to City of Concord in January of 1980.

**TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT**

January 1, 1979 – December 31, 1979

**PART I**

General Fund Checking Account Balance, January 1, 1979	\$192,246.71
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**REVENUE**

## Received from Marian Houston, Tax Collector

Property Taxes — 1979	\$511,616.57
Resident Taxes — 1979	13,632.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	1,234.90
Yield Taxes — 1979	3,195.11
Property Taxes, Yield taxes, Prev. years	123,165.46
Resident Taxes — Previous years	2,470.00
Interest Rec'd on Delinquent Taxes	5,862.85
Penalties — Resident Taxes	311.00
Tax Sales Redeemed	100,781.69
Land Use Taxes	6,774.70
Sewer Assessment	730.30

## Received from Lucia Reed, Town Clerk

Dog License Fees	160.50
Business Licenses, Permits, Filing Fees, Dump Stickers	10.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	8,602.00

## Received from Barbara Holmes, Town Clerk

Dog License Fees	1,103.00
Business Licenses, Permits, Filing Fees, Dump Stickers	62.50
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	51,814.00
Rent of Town Property	1,020.00
Trailer Permit Fees	730.00
Interest on Deposits (Rev. Sharing)	1,959.00
Income from Trust Funds	1,580.48
Income from Departments	814.37

## Received from State:

Interest and Dividends Tax	19,802.45
Savings Bank Tax	1,374.51
Highway Subsidy	14,298.53
Railroad Tax	133.67
Class V Highway Maintenance	8,832.56

State Aid Water Pollution Projects	28,454.00
Reimb. a/c State-Federal Forest Land	567.85
Reimb. a/c Road Toll Refund	550.00
Reimb. a/c Business Profits Tax	98,183.47

## Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

Proceeds Tax Anticipation Notes	\$250,000.00
Refunds (various)	7,540.98
New Trust Funds	600.00
Payments in Lieu of Taxes	12,952.05
Sale of Town Property	1,000.00
Yield Tax Security Deposits	5,200.00
Basic Costs — Sewer — City of Concord	3,428.20

## Grants from Federal Government

Revenue Sharing Funds	32,541.00
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TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$1,323,089.70
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TOTAL AVAILABLE	\$1,515,336.41
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## EXPENDITURES — Per Order of Selectmen:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$7,816.62
Town Officers' Expenses	20,392.71
Election and Registration Expenses	580.95
Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	4,405.10
Motor Vehicle and Dog License Fees	2,956.50
Trailer Permit Fees	730.00
Advertising and Posting Costs	903.51
Resident Tax Fees	1,002.00
Police Department	58,817.75
Fire Department	24,336.82
Care of Trees	718.45
Planning and Zoning	3,262.82
Insurance	13,199.00
Civil Defense	190.92
Conservation Commission	90.93
Penacook Rescue Squad	3,500.00
Vital Statistics	48.07
Sanitary Landfill	6,451.26
Visiting Nurse Association	4,219.00
Town Road Aid	499.02
Town Maintenance	63,445.99
Street Lighting	5,681.59

Town Poor	1,713.28
Old Age Assistance	3,131.22
Memorial Day	75.00
Parks and Playgrounds	4,380.95
Sewer Department	803.47
Town Library	5,674.00
Cemeteries	1,379.04
Sidewalk Plowing	105.84
Damages and Legal Expenses	6,237.10
Employees Retirement, Social Security, Blue Cross and Unemployment Fund	14,507.47
Taxes Bought by Town	94,082.48
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	1,440.63
Payments to Trustees of Trust Funds	400.00
CETA Program Wages (to be reimbursed)	1,533.62
Payment on Tax Anticipation Note	250,000.00
Principal – L/T Notes & Bonds	55,360.00
Interest – L/T Notes & Bonds	10,989.20
Interest on Temporary Loans	7,458.33
Police Cruiser	5,364.97
Dog License Fees to State	119.50
Bond and Debt Retirement Taxes	417.31
County Tax	62,398.00
Penacook-Boscawen Water Precinct	35,452.00
Merrimack Valley School District	516,488.76
Establishment of Petty Cash Fund – Police Dept.	25.00
Establishment of Petty Cash Fund – Plan. & Zoning	50.00
Yield Tax Security Deposit to Savings	5,000.00

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$1,307,836.18
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Balance in Checkbook, December 31, 1979	\$207,500.23
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The Revenue Sharing Expenditure of \$34,500 was used as an offset as voted on and approved under Article No. 3 of the 1979 Town Meeting.

OFFSET	AMOUNT
Police Department	\$11,500.00
Fire Department	11,500.00
Highway Department	11,500.00

Patricia C. Knight  
Treasurer



**TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT**

January 1 — December 31, 1979

**PART II**

Balance in Sewer Users' Checking Account, January 1, 1979	\$20,024.74
Received from Marian Houston	65,666.12
Check Book Balance, December 31, 1979	85,690.86
Balance in Savings Account January 1, 1979	\$119,018.73
Interest Earned	6,245.96
Balance in Savings Account December 31, 1979	\$125,264.69
TOTAL AVAILABLE, December 31, 1979	\$210,955.55

**1979 STATEMENT OF REVENUE SHARING FUNDS**

Available Funds, January 1, 1979	\$1,955.24
Add: Revenues	
U. S. Government	\$32,541.00
Interest Earned	534.08
Total Available Funds	\$35,030.32
Less: Expenditures	34,500.00
AVAILABLE UNOBLIGATED FUNDS, December 31, 1979	\$530.32

**LOANS IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES**

AMOUNT	NO.	DATE	DUE DATE	BANK
\$250,000.00	1	6/22/79	12/17/79	Bank of N. H.
Paid in Full 12/14/79				

**TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT**

January 1 — December 31, 1979

**PART III**

**CETA Account**

Received from County of Merrimack Department of Employment & Training	\$645.75
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**Expenses:**

Wages	2,176.00	
Social Security, Workman's Comp.	190.40	
Total Expenses		\$2,366.40
Overdraft		\$1,720.65
Due from County of Merrimack Dept. of Employ. & Train.		\$1,720.65

Patricia C. Knight  
Treasurer

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS  
TAXES ASSESSED, AND TAX RATE

Net Town Appropriations	\$ 11,518.00
Net School Appropriations	607,656.00
County Tax Assessment	62,398.00
Total Town, School and County Assessments	\$681,572.00
Deduct: Total Business Profits Tax Reimbursements	— 98,183.00
Add: War Service Credits	+ 16,250.00
Add: Overlay	10,882.00
Property Taxes to be Raised	\$610,521.00
Gross Precinct Taxes	\$35,452.00
Less: War Service Credits — 16,250.00	— \$16,250.00
TOTAL TAX COMMITMENT	\$629,723.00

TAX RATE

Town	\$ .09	
School District	1.92	
County	.21	
Precinct	.15	
Total		\$2.37

**SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY**

December 31, 1979

DESCRIPTION	VALUE
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$50,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	7,000.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	53,800.00
Furniture and Equipment	4,000.00
Police Department, Lands and Buildings	27,700.00
Equipment and Furniture	24,500.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	106,900.00
Equipment	164,500.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	30,900.00
Equipment	57,400.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	1,050.00
Sanitary Landfill	11,450.00
All Land and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's Deeds	
Davis Lot	5,050.00
LeBlanc Lot	2,000.00
Weir Property	40,650.00
Forest Industry Property	11,900.00
Barnard/Eastman Lot	27,300.00
Dorval Property	14,250.00
Alan Haase Lot	1,800.00
Donald Ham Property	33,250.00
Owners Unknown, Map 183 C/lot 38, Land, South Side Eel Street	1,500.00
Owners Unknown, Map 49/Lot 13, Land Between Railroad and River	200.00
Owners Unknown, Map 81/Lot 32, Land, Queen St.	5,250.00
Owners Unknown, Map 49/Lot 14, Land, E/S Rt. 3	500.00
Owners Unknown, Map 49, Lot 15, Land E/S Rt. 3	1,900.00
Owners Unknown, Map 81/Lot 17, Land, off E/S Queen St.	2,250.00
Owners Unknown, Map 81/D, Lot 89, Land, off King & Queen Sts	2,550.00
Owners Unknown, Map 83/Lot 21, Land, off N/S Lower Queen St.	1,250.00
Owners Unknown Map 83/Lot 58, Land, off W/S Queen St.	1,400.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$692,200.00</b>

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY	1979 VALUATION	
Land, Improved and Unimproved	\$7,680,771.00	
Buildings	16,451,700.00	
Factory Buildings	1,945,450.00	
Public Utilities:		
Gas	100,200.00	
Electric	1,221,800.00	
House Trailers, Mobile Homes & Travel Trailers		
Assessed as Personal Property	776,000.00	
TOTAL VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS ALLOWED	\$28,175,921.00	
Blind Exemptions — 4	\$20,000.00	
Elderly Exemptions — 84	655,000.00	
Total Exemptions Allowed		\$675,000.00
NET VALUATION ON WHICH TAX RATE IS COMPUTED	\$27,500,921.00	
Electric, Gas and Pipeline Company Operating Plant	-	
Name of Company	Gas	Electric
Public Service Co. of N.H.	\$	8,800.00
Concord Electric Co.		1,213,000.00
Concord Gas	\$100,200.00	
Total	\$100,200.00	\$1,221,800.00
Number of Inventories Distributed in 1979	1,172	
Number of Inventories Properly Completed and Filed in 1979	1,110	
Number of Individuals Applying for an Elderly Exemption in 1979	53 @	\$ 5,000.00
	23 @	\$10,000.00
	8 @	\$20,000.00

Same Granted

Number of Property Owners Who Were Granted Current Use Exemption in 1979		90
Total Number of Acres Exempted Under Current Use in 1979		11,758
	No. of Owners	No. of Acres
a/c Farm Land	58	1,363
a/c Wetland	22	636
a/c Forest Land	10	1,915
a/c Flood Plain	--	- - - -
a/c Recreational Land	23	2,700
a/c Wild Land	69	5,144
a/c Discretionary Easement	--	- - - -
Total Assessed Value of Land Under Current Use		\$2,451,408.00



TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

1979

January 1 through March 13, 1979

449 Auto Permits . . . . .	\$8,602.00
6 Filing Fees . . . . .	6.00
10 Dump Stickers . . . . .	4.00
35 Dog Licenses . . . . .	160.50
Paid to Treasurer. . . . .	\$8,772.50

Lucia G. Reed  
Town Clerk

March 16 through December 31, 1979

2,363 Auto Permits . . . . .	\$51,859.00
102 Dump Stickers . . . . .	25.50
209 Dog Licenses . . . . .	1,103.00
2 Penalties . . . . .	10.00
Paid to Treasurer. . . . .	\$52,997.50

Vital Statistics

Births . . . . .	46
Marriages . . . . .	35
Deaths. . . . .	85

Barbara M. Holmes  
Town Clerk

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS  
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1979  
— DR. —

## Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$633,201.11
Resident Taxes	17,010.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	1,234.90
Land Use Change Taxes	6,774.70
Special Sewer Assessment	325.74

Total Warrants	\$658,546.45
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Yield Taxes	8,492.97
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## Added Taxes

Property Taxes	\$ 61.82	
Resident Taxes	1,110.00	
		1,171.82

## Overpayments During Year:

a/c Property Taxes	\$ 78.70	
a/c Resident Taxes	12.00	
Special Sewer Assessment	50.57	
		141.27

Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes	64.50
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Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	64.00
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$668,481.01
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— CR. —

## Remittances to Treasurer:

Special Sewer Assessment	\$ 325.74
Property Taxes	511,616.57
Resident Taxes	13,632.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	1,234.90
Yield Taxes	4,261.29
Land Use Change Taxes	6,774.70
Interest Collected	64.50

Penalties on Resident Taxes	64.00	
		\$537,973.70
Abatements Made During Year:		
Special Sewer Assessment	\$ 50.57	
Property Taxes	416.28	
		466.85
Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1979:		
Property Taxes	\$121,308.78	
Resident Taxes	4,500.00	
Yield Taxes	4,231.68	
		130,040.46
TOTAL CREDITS		\$668,481.01

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS  
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1978  
— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1979:		
Property Taxes	\$121,536.26	
Resident Taxes	3,280.00	
Yield Taxes	1,744.94	
		\$126,561.20
Added Taxes:		
Resident Taxes	\$ 420.00	
		420.00
Overpayments:		
a/c Property Taxes	\$ 396.39	
a/c Resident Taxes	11.00	
		407.39
Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes		4,791.10
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes		243.00
TOTAL DEBITS		\$132,422.69

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year	
Ended December 31, 1979:	
Property Taxes	\$120,401.98
Resident Taxes	2,441.00

Yield Taxes	1,682.30	
Interest Collected During Year	4,791.10	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	243.00	
		\$129,559.38

## Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes	\$ 1,530.67	
Yield Taxes	62.64	
		1,593.31

## Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1979:

Resident Taxes	\$ 1,270.00	
		1,270.00

TOTAL CREDITS		\$132,422.69
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SUMMARY OF WARRANTS  
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1977

— DR. —

## Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1979:

Yield Tax	\$ 131.04	
Resident Taxes	210.00	
		341.04

Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	2.00	
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TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 343.04
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— CR. —

## Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year

Ended December 31, 1979:

Resident Taxes	\$ 20.00	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	2.00	
		\$ 22.00

## Abatements Made During Year:

Resident Taxes	\$ 190.00	
		190.00

## Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1979:

Yield Taxes		131.04
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TOTAL CREDITS		\$ 343.04
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SUMMARY OF WARRANTS  
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1976

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1979:

Property Taxes	\$	153.45	
Resident Taxes		10.00	
	\$		163.45

Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	1.00
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$	164.45
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— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year

Ended December 31, 1979:

Resident Taxes	10.00	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	1.00	
	\$	11.00

Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1979:

Property Taxes	\$	153.45
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TOTAL CREDITS	\$	164.45
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SUMMARY OF WARRANTS  
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1975

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1979:

Property Taxes	\$	94.60	
			\$ 94.60

TOTAL DEBITS			\$ 94.60
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— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year

Ended December 31, 1979:

Property Taxes	\$	15.00	
			\$ 15.00

Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1979:

Property Taxes	\$	79.60	
			79.60

TOTAL CREDITS			\$ 94.60
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## SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1979

— DR. —

	Tax Sales on Account of Levies of:			
	1978	1977	1976	Previous Years
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes January 1, 1979		\$71,716.80	\$54,417.67	\$ 1,122.83
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	\$94,082.48			
Overpayments	146.80	148.91	159.92	
Interest Collected After Sale	227.00	1,673.24	11,651.19	1,117.55
Redemption Costs	105.70	105.28	63.90	3.15
<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>	<b>\$94,561.98</b>	<b>\$73,644.23</b>	<b>\$66,292.68</b>	<b>\$ 2,243.53</b>

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer During Year:				
Redemptions	\$13,925.02	\$17,395.25	\$53,391.58	\$ 1,122.83
Interest & Costs After Sale	332.70	1,778.52	11,715.09	1,120.70
Abatements During Year	45,513.48	41,514.62	222.93	
Deeded to Town During Year	1,086.20	1,689.77	963.08	
Unredeemed Taxes — December 31, 1979	33,704.58	11,266.07		
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>\$94,561.98</b>	<b>\$73,644.23</b>	<b>\$66,292.68</b>	<b>\$ 2,243.53</b>

**SEWER ASSESSMENT FOR 1978**

## Summary of Warrants

Uncollected — January 1, 1979	\$62,954.25	
Interest Collected on Delinquent Sewer Assessment	2,542.87	
<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>		<b>\$65,497.12</b>

Remittance to Treasurer during Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1979	\$62,954.25	
Interest Collected	2,542.87	
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		<b>\$65,497.12</b>

MARIAN HOUSTON,  
Tax Coll.

**SEWER 1979**

Collected Estimated Sewer	\$ 169.00
Remitted to Treasurer during Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1979	\$ 169.00

## BOSCAWEN PUBLIC LIBRARY

In 1979 the Trustees hired Roger Guay and Company to make repairs to the Main Library. They repaired the columns in front and painted them, replaced tiles on the roof, built a set of glass doors for the histories in the back room, built shelves in a closet and repaired the back door of the Library which had been broken. They started replacing the mortar and the bricks on the outside of the building until cold weather set in, and the work will be finished in the spring.

We have gotten a lot of new and interesting books including all those on the best seller list. We have also received a set of income tax forms which may be seen at the Library.

In the spring of 1979 we engaged Alan Blanchard, a CPA from Penacook, who audited the books of Joy Sloane, Treasurer for 1978, and certified the figures as being correct.

Buelah C. Nardini, Chairman  
Library Board of Trustees

## 1980 LIBRARY BUDGET

Salaries	\$2,500.00
HEW	275.00
Electricity	240.00
Oil	900.00
Insurance (workmens comp.)	90.00
Treasurers bond	15.00
Trustees assn.	18.00
Torrent Co. for oil	200.00
Treasurers expense	25.00
Maintenance and mis.	200.00
Books	1,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$5,463.00</b>

**BOSCAWEN LIBRARY TRUSTEES**

ALAN F. BLANCHARD  
Certified Public Accountant

June 26, 1979

Boscawen Library Trustees  
Boscawen  
New Hampshire

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have reviewed the records of the Treasurer of the Boscawen Library Trustees for the Year Ended December 31, 1978 and the period ended March 16, 1979 and I submit a Statement of Revenue, Expenditures and Fund Balances—General Fund, and Special Funds and Notes to Financial Statements for the periods then ended.

My examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as are considered necessary. No records of physical assets and book inventories have been maintained and, accordingly, no report of them is included. The funds reported are as set up by your Board.

Prior years audits have not been relied upon and adjustments were located which affected the beginning fund balances and a summary of those adjustments is included in the Notes.

A cash method of accounting has been used by the library and there was no way to verify encumbered amounts and, therefore, these statements are prepared on a cash basis.

In my opinion, subject to the comments in the above paragraph, the accompanying statements and the books and records properly reflect the revenue, expenses and fund balances of the Boscawen Library Trustees for the period involved.

Sincerely,

Alan F. Blanchard

Enclosures

**BOSCAWEN LIBRARY TRUSTEES**  
**Statement of Revenue, Expenditures and Fund Balances**  
**General Fund**

For The Year Ended December 31, 1978

GENERAL FUND

	General	Book Account	Total
<b>REVENUE</b>			
Town Treasurer	\$4,474.45	\$1,000.00	\$5,474.45
Trust Funds	158.02	1,019.93	1,177.95
Interest	195.60		195.60
Thornton Fund		50.00	50.00
Church Fund	300.00		300.00
Land Rent	200.00		200.00
Other Revenues	15.25	12.00	27.25
Total Revenues	\$5,343.32	\$2,081.93	\$7,425.25
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>			
Purchase of Books		3,552.70	3,552.70
Salaries and Taxes	2,612.85		2,612.85
Electricity	263.02		263.02
Fuel Oil	674.17		674.17
Insurance and Bond	135.00		135.00
Book Supplies	109.80		109.80
Maintenance and Repair	53.73		53.73
Office Supplies & Postage	62.02		62.02
Association Dues	18.00		18.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	33.73		33.73
Total Expenditures	3,962.32	3,552.70	7,515.02
Net Increase (Decrease) in Fund Balance	1,381.00	(1,470.77)	(89.77)
Fund Balance, January 1, 1978	1,203.92	2,129.04	3,332.96
Fund Balance, December 31, 1978	2,584.92	658.27	3,243.19

Comprised of Cash in Checking Account —  
Bank of New Hampshire, N.A.

**BOSCAWEN LIBRARY TRUSTEES**  
**Statement of Revenue, Expenditures and Fund Balances**  
**Special Funds**

For The Year Ended December 31, 1978

	Gerrish Trust	Grimes Trust	Knowles Fund	Lessard Fund	Womens Club FloorFd
<b>REVENUE</b>					
Trust Funds	316.03	85.43			
Interest Income	27.42		4.80	1.66	12.02
Other			121.92		
Due From Floor Fund	125.00				
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>468.45</b>	<b>85.43</b>	<b>126.72</b>	<b>1.66</b>	<b>12.02</b>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>					
Maintenance and Repair	190.00				
Memorial	80.00				
Due To Gerrish Trust					125.00
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>270.00</b>				<b>125.00</b>
<b>Increase (Decrease) in Fund Balance</b>	<b>198.45</b>	<b>85.43</b>	<b>126.72</b>	<b>1.66</b>	<b>(112.98)</b>
<b>Fund Balance, January 1, 1978</b>	<b>884.28</b>	<b>171.76</b>	<b>- 0 -</b>	<b>30.16</b>	<b>202.00</b>
<b>Fund Balance, December 31, 1978</b>	<b>1,082.73</b>	<b>257.19</b>	<b>126.72</b>	<b>31.82</b>	<b>89.02</b>
Comprised of Cash in Bank of New Hampshire, N.H.					
Checking Accounts	554.18	257.19			
Savings Account #01-00-36087-6					89.02
New Hampshire Savings Bank					
Account #199045				31.82	
Account #166803	528.55				
Account #216708			126.72		
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,082.73</b>	<b>257.19</b>	<b>126.72</b>	<b>31.82</b>	<b>89.02</b>



**BOSCAWEN LIBRARY TRUSTEES**  
**Statement of Revenue, Expenditures and Fund Balances**  
**General Fund**

For The Year Ended March 16, 1979

	GENERAL FUND		
	General	Book Account	Total
<b>REVENUE</b>			
Trust Funds	\$163.56	\$919.04	\$1,082.60
Interest Income	62.83		62.83
Thornton Fund		50.00	50.00
Transfer From Knowles Fund		127.85	127.85
Other		40.91	40.91
Total Revenue	226.39	1,137.80	1,364.19
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>			
Purchase of Books		370.61	370.61
Salaries and Taxes	383.28		383.28
Electricity	59.02		59.02
Fuel Oil	338.63		338.63
Book Supplies	50.31		50.31
Maintenance and Repair	8.04		8.04
Office Supplies and Postage	.70		.70
Total Expenditures	839.98	370.61	1,210.59
Increase (Decrease) in Fund Balance	(613.59)	767.19	153.60
Fund Balance, January 1, 1979	2,584.92	658.27	3,243.19
Fund Balance, March 16, 1979	1,971.33	1,425.46	3,396.79

Comprised of Cash in Checking Account —  
 Bank of New Hampshire, N.A.

**BOSCAWEN LIBRARY TRUSTEES**  
**Statement of Revenue, Expenditures and Fund Balances**  
**Special Funds**  
For The Year Ended March 16, 1979

	Gerrish Trust	Grimes Trust	Knowles Fund	Lessard Fund	Womens Club Floor Fd
<b>REVENUE</b>					
Trust Funds	\$327.08	\$74.71			
Interest Income	7.08		1.13	.42	2.23
Total Revenue	334.16	74.71	1.13	.42	2.23
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>					
Transfer To Book Account			127.85		
Increase (Decrease) in Fund Balance	334.16	74.71	(126.72)	.42	2.23
Fund Balance, January 1, 1979	1,082.73	257.19	126.72	31.82	89.02
Fund Balance, March 16, 1979	1,416.89	331.90	- 0 -	32.24	91.25
Comprised of Cash in					
Bank of New Hampshire, N.A.					
Checking Account	881.26	331.90			
Savings Account #01-00-36087-6					91.25
New Hampshire Savings Bank					
Account #199045				32.24	
Account #166803	535.63				
Total	1,416.89	331.90		32.24	91.25

**BOSCAWEN LIBRARY TRUSTEES**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**  
December 31, 1978 and March 16, 1979

The books of the Boscawen Library are kept on the cash basis representing a record of the receipts and disbursements of the general fund checking account. Each entry is allocated to a particular trust or general fund balance. In addition, certain funds are maintained in savings accounts which are included in these financial statements.

The fund balances at January 1, 1978 have been adjusted and the following summary reconciles the balance reported in the 1977 Annual Town Report to the books as well as reflects the proper adjustments.

	General Fund	Book Account	Grimes Trust
Fund Balances, December 31, 1977 (Per Annual Report)	\$1,753.50	\$2,063.04	\$172.21
Adjust — To Balance Above	(3.00)		
Town Auditor — Adjustments	(18.86)		
1977 Interest — Not Recorded	10.98		
Balance Per Books	1,742.62	2,063.04	172.21
Adjustments — 1976		66.00	
Adjustments — 1977	(6.00)		(.45)
Encumbered Funds	(532.70)		
Adjusted Fund Balances December 31, 1977	1,203.92	2,129.04	171.76

No record of plant, equipment and library books has been maintained or recorded and, therefore, the Balance Sheet does not reflect value of them. The responsibility for the maintenance of these assets, however, resides with the Trustees.

**BOSCAWEN PUBLIC LIBRARY ANNUAL REPORT**

Balance April 1, 1979	\$4,609.95
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**BOOK ACCOUNT**

Balance April 1, 1979	1,425.46
Book sales	21.75
Book fines	44.70
Town	1,000.00
Total income	\$2,491.91
Total expenditures	2,613.19
Deficit	— \$121.28

**GENERAL ACCOUNT**

Balance April 1, 1979	\$1,971.33
Town	4,674.00
Interest, NOW account	177.90
Church	150.00
Total Income	\$6,973.23
Total Expenditures	5,592.63
Balance, December 31, 1979	\$1,380.60

**GENERAL ACCOUNT EXPENDITURES**

Salaries	\$1,655.07
HEW	259.15
Electricity	146.86
Oil	452.94
Water	9.30
Insurance	76.00
Treasurer's Bond	15.00
Trustees Association	18.00
Torrent Hose Co. (oil)	200.00
Allan Blanchard CPA (auditing 1/1/78 through 3/31/79)	489.50
Roger Guay repairs *	2,016.64
Maintenance, supplies, etc.	233.72
Treasurer's expense	20.45
	\$5,592.63

\*See Gerrish Account

**GERRISH ACCOUNT**

Balance, April 1, 1979	\$881.26
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Expenditures painting windows & paint Roger Guay Company, repairs	881.26
Balance December 31, 1979	- 0 -
Savings Bank to January 1980	\$560.62
GRIMES ACCOUNT	
Balance December 31, 1979	\$331.90
LESSARD ACCOUNT	
Savings to January 1980	\$33.73
FLOOR ACCOUNT	
Savings to January 1980	\$92.77

## REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1979

Date	Name of Fund	Purpose	How Invested	Balance Beg. Year	New Funds
<b>CEMETERY FUNDS</b>					
Various		Perpetual Care	Various	\$15,102.69	
1978	Barbara Holmes	Perpetual Care	NH Sav. Bk.		125.00
1978	Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Schneider	Perpetual Care	NH Sav. Bk.		125.00
1978	Charlotte Hutchinson	Perpetual Care	NH Sav. Bk.		125.00
1971	Uninvested Capital Gain on 46 shs. Mass. Inv. Tr.	Perpetual Care	NH Sav. Bk.	183.63	
	Town of Boscawen	Cem. Lot Sales	NH Sav. Bk.	3,560.30	125.00
	Town of Boscawen	Cem. Lot Sales	80 shs. George Putnam Fund	1,052.00	
<b>TOTAL A/C CEMETERY FUNDS</b>				<b>\$19,898.62</b>	<b>\$500.00</b>
<b>LIBRARY FUNDS</b>					
1916	Mrs. John Kimball		Man. Fed. Sav. Bk.	\$100.00	
1925	Harry K. White		*Man. Fed. Sav. Bk.	2,000.00	
1928	Martha Knowles		*NH Sav. Bk.	9,559.89	
1940	Frank L. Gerrish		*Man. Fed. Sav. Bk.	4,000.00	
1946	Lizzie Choate		*Man. Fed. Sav. Bk.	920.00	
1947	Willis G. Buxton		*Man. Fed. Sav. Bk.	1,000.00	
1948	Martha Buxton		*Man. Fed. Sav. Bk.	1,000.00	
1962	Mary K. Colby		*NH Sav. Bk.	500.00	
1971	Isabelle Grimes		*NH Sav. Bk.	1,000.00	
<b>TOTAL A/C LIBRARY FUNDS</b>				<b>\$20,079.89</b>	
<b>CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS</b>					
1954	Town of Boscawen	School Fund	Man. Fed. Sav. Bk.	\$618.45	
	Town of Boscawen	Sewer Fund	Man. Fed. Sav. Bk.	725.00	
<b>TOTAL A/C CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS:</b>				<b>\$1,343.45</b>	
<b>MERRIMACK VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT:</b>					
1973	Tuttle Fund	f/b/o Boscawen School	NH Sav. Bk.	\$1,223.95	
<b>TOTALS</b>				<b>\$42,545.91</b>	<b>\$500.00</b>

\*Term Amount Savings Certificates

PRINCIPAL Capital Gain Dividend	Balance End Year	Balance Beg. Year	INCOME		Balance End Year
			Amount	Expended	
	\$15,102.69 125.00	\$1,005.45	\$1,038.63	\$1,519.68	\$ 524.40
	125.00 125.00				
7.13	190.76	70.07	14.46		84.53
32.80	3,718.10	2,896.67	367.21		3,263.88
	1,052.00		60.80	60.80	
\$39.93	\$20,438.55	\$3,972.19	\$1,481.10	\$1,580.48	\$3,872.81
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	\$100.00		\$5.65	\$5.65	
	2,000.00		164.09	164.09	
	9,559.89		781.45	781.45	
	4,000.00		328.16	328.16	
	920.00		65.40	65.40	
	1,000.00		82.05	82.05	
	1,000.00		82.05	82.05	
	500.00		35.42	35.42	
	1,000.00		81.74	81.74	
	\$20,079.89		\$1,626.01	\$1,626.01	
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	\$618.45	\$1,762.70	\$133.36		\$1,896.06
	725.00	1,399.36	118.96		1,518.32
	\$1,343.45	\$3,162.06	\$252.32		\$3,414.38
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	\$1,223.95		\$68.79	\$68.79	
\$39.93	\$43,085.84	\$7,134.25	\$3,428.22	\$3,275.28	\$7,287.19

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

Henrietta I. Kenney  
Doris C. Silver  
Alice Kingsbury  
TRUSTEES

January 31, 1980



## BOSCAWEN HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

## BUDGET 1980

## I. HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:

Town Maintenance — Summer & Winter	1979	1980
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## A. Salaries

1. Road Agent	\$7,000.00	\$7,700.00
2. Employee #1	9,630.00	10,430.00
Employee #2	9,630.00	10,430.00
Employee #3	8,346.00	9,200.00
3. Part Time Help	6,500.00	7,500.00
4. Overtime	2,500.00	2,500.00

TOTAL	\$43,606.00	\$47,760.00
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Less one man charged to Water Dept.	— 9,630.00	— 10,430.00
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Less cost charged to landfill	— 4,775.00	— 5,215.00
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TOTAL	\$29,201.00	\$32,115.00
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## II. MAINTENANCE — SUMMER &amp; WINTER

A. Gasoline	\$3,000.00	\$3,800.00
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## B. Utilities

1. Fuel for Town Shed	800.00	900.00
2. Lights	400.00	450.00
3. Telephone	150.00	150.00

C. Salt	5,200.00	6,000.00
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## D. Materials and Supplies

1. Road Oil	4,000.00	5,000.00
2. Cold Patch	1,000.00	1,300.00
3. Street Signs	400.00	400.00

## III. EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE

## A. Loader

1. Diesel Fuel	\$1,700.00	\$2,500.00
2. Repairs	1,000.00	1,500.00

## B. Plows

Repairs	400.00	600.00
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## C. Trucks and other Equipment

1. Repairs and Tune-up	2,800.00	3,000.00
2. Tires	- 0 -	375.00

D. New Construction	10,462.52	12,470.00*
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TOTAL OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT BUDGET	\$60,588.52	\$70,560.00
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\* This amount is reimbursable through State Highway Funds

## FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

In 1979, the Boscawen Fire Department responded to 145 calls; this is a decrease of 14 calls over last year.

Chimney fires have decreased; I feel this is due to increased public awareness in using woodburning devices. If you are planning to install a woodstove, the Fire Department recommends that a minimum of 36 inches clear space on all sides of the stove be maintained. A properly installed stove that is used with common sense can be a safe and economical source of supplemental heat. The Mutual Fire Insurance Association of New England has a brochure entitled, "Don't Lose Lives Saving Energy" which covers stove installation; copies of this brochure are available at the Selectmens' Office.

Training for fire personnel is being conducted one night per week in addition to special training sessions at Fitzwilliams Drill Yard, Capital Area Compact and Twin Rivers Mutual Aid.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all fire personnel for their cooperation and effort during the past year.

If at any time you have any fire-related problems, please do not hesitate to call us.

Respectfully submitted,

Roland D. Bartlett  
Fire Chief

FIRE PHONE (1) 225-3355  
796-2222

**BOSCAWEN FIRE DEPARTMENT****BUDGET 1980**

<b>OPERATING BUDGET</b>	<b>Budgeted 1979</b>	<b>Proposed 1980</b>
Salaries (36 men)	\$ 6,440.00	\$ 6,440.00
Utilities: Electric	845.00	( 972.00
Telephone	1,288.00	15% (1,482.00
Heat	2,656.00	(3,055.00
Water Prec.	32.00	32.00
Radio Maintenance	550.00	550.00
Alarm System	100.00	100.00
Truck Maintenance & Gas	2,500.00	2,500.00
Training	400.00	400.00
Building Maint. & Supplies	250.00	250.00
Assn. Dues & Dispatch	2,306.00	2,485.00
Turn Out Gear Maintenance	750.00	750.00
	\$18,117.00	\$19,017.00
Forestry	500.00	500.00
Total Operating Budget	\$18,617.00	\$19,517.00
<b>NEW EQUIPMENT</b>		
600' — 1¾" Hose @		
\$2.90½/ft.		1,743.00
(1) — Breathing Apparatus		
@ \$688 ea.		688.00
<b>TOTAL 1980 BUDGET</b>		<b>\$21,948.00</b>

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND  
STATE FOREST FIRE SERVICE

Prevention and control of forest fires is handled through a cooperative effort between town/city fire organizations and the State Forest Fire Service.

Since 1903, when the first forest fire laws were passed by our Legislature, the State Forester has appointed someone in each municipality as a Forest Fire Warden and charged him with the responsibility of forest fire prevention and control within his town/city. This person may ask the State Forester to appoint as many Deputy Forest Fire Wardens as may be necessary to efficiently carry out his charge.

The State Forester has divided the State into ten forest fire districts with a full time District Forest Fire Chief in each district. The State organization is charged with assisting the municipal forest fire organization in any way possible.

State personnel conduct fire training schools, assist with forest fire suppression, fire cause investigation, prosecution of fire law violators and forest fire prevention programs. Forest fire suppression equipment is purchased through State bulk purchasing ability and sold to local forest fire organizations at one-half cost. Excess military property is obtained and turned over to town/city fire departments at no cost to local departments for conversion into fire suppression units. This cooperative arrangement between State and municipality has resulted in one of the best forest fire records in the United States with less than one-half acre of woodland burned in each fire reported.

1979 Forest Fire Statistics

	No. of Fires	No. of Acres
State	1,099	318
District	118	36
Town	1	5

Richard Chase  
District Fire Chief  
Roland Bartlett  
Forest Fire Warden

## CHIEF'S MESSAGE

Another year has passed and my department has experienced a greatly increased work load beginning in the later months of the year. The combination of the economic problems linked with a more complex judicial system has moved me to request an additional full-time officer in my 1980 proposed budget.

This officer will be used to maintain a full-time department year round instead of utilizing part-time personnel to fill in for vacations, schools, sick leave etc. which now takes up approximately five months of the year.

Thinking along those lines of being shorthanded for almost half a year to begin with and the State mandating us to train part-time personnel as well as full-time personnel, the Police Commission agrees with me that the full-time position would be money well spent and cost effective for the town in the long run.

My budget has passed the budget committee as of this writing and will be before you at the annual meeting for your approval.

The only other major item proposed for my department will be entered under a special article to buy a new cruiser. This cruiser will be to replace the 1975 Pontiac which has approximately 115,000 miles on it.

During the year Brian Estee was appointed to a full-time patrolman due to a vacancy created by the resignation of Thomas Edney. Brian had worked for the department on a part-time basis for approximately four years and is a graduate of St. Anselm's College where he majored in Criminal Justice.

The department also co-sponsored a Bicycle Safety Rodeo along with the Parks and Recreation Department, the Boy Scouts and the Cub Scouts at the Boscawen Main Street School this past year. This program was fully funded by the local merchants and was a great success. Hopefully this program can continue to be run annually and with a little luck the attendance could be even greater if somehow we could work it around all the other summer activities. (Thank you merchants for a worth-while program.)

In closing, I would like to thank you, the citizens, for your continued cooperation with my department and would like to stress to you that if something looks out of place, don't hesitate to call — no matter how small the problem might seem.

When the economic problem grows, so does the crime rate!

Carl D. Russell  
Chief of Police

**BOSCAWEN POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
BUDGET 1980

Acct. No.	Item.	1979	1980
01.	Chief's Salary	\$15,972.00	\$17,250.00
02.	Patrolmen's Salaries		
	A.	10,639.00	11,600.00
	B.	9,588.00	10,400.00
	C.		6,036.00
03.	Part-time & Overtime	5,700.00	3,700.00
04.	Cruiser Operating Expense	4,500.00	4,500.00
05.	Radio Equipment Expense	400.00	400.00
06.	Training & Dues	150.00	200.00
07.	Photography	200.00	200.00
08.	Telephone	2,600.00	2,700.00
09.	Uniform Expense	500.00	750.00
10.	Office Expense	700.00	800.00
11.	Equipment	0	500.00
12.	Building Maint.	1,800.00	1,800.00
13.	Police Clerk	3,840.00	4,150.00
14.	County Dispatch	4,279.00	4,799.00
		\$60,868.00	\$69,785.00
		*400.00	
		\$60,468.00	

\*Budget Committee decreased this item by \$400.00 and recommended that \$400.00 be put into Town Hall & Other Buildings for capital improvements to the steps and rain gutters.

SPECIAL ARTICLE — NEW CRUISER \$6,800.00



**OVERSEERS' REPORT**

January 1 to December 31, 1979

Direct Aid	\$1,563.28	
Old Age Assistance	3,131.22	
Total		\$4,694.50
Town Welfare Budget 1979:	\$8,000.00	
Amount Expended:	4,694.50	
Surplus:		\$3,305.50

In preparing this report, we found that the Town aided 11 families on direct aid, which represents one more than last year. The amount of hours, the telephoning, the paper work and the listening would indicate that many more people had been aided. Actually, the number that applied for aid is considerably larger than the actual number assisted. Unfortunately, the selectmen receive requests for aid more frequently now from those who appear to believe "it's their right" that the town foot the bills which result from family quarrels or disagreements.

The Selectmen have resisted these pressures and have, instead, followed the laws and welfare guidelines. In some cases, our resistance has helped families remain together and to salvage the family pride.

We anticipated a deficit budget for welfare this year because of the skyrocketing cost of home heating supplies. Fortunately, our winter was a record-breaking mild one. Also many more federal and private programs have been initiated to aid in this area. This, obviously, has helped the towns in their welfare endeavors. One of your selectmen is directly involved with a religious group that has set up a private and personal attempt at aiding people. Also, C.A.P. and other programs have expanded budgets to spend in aiding our poor and needy.

The temptation to reduce the welfare budget was very great indeed, but we realize that next year could very easily be a typical winter and this could easily deplete our available funds. We are therefore asking for the same amount and hoping for a prosperous economy and a mild winter.

David R. Plourde  
 Richard G. Sweatt  
 Richard C. Hartford



## CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Conservation Commission has been relatively active this past year, addressing itself in several areas. We have received most all our inventory of cataloguing material, and are presently working on a use map of the Weir property.

During the summer two members met with a representative of the Bureau of Solid Waste Management concerning the tannery waste site on the Weir property; this proved to be a very informative session in that we had the opportunity to view and understand the site closure plan set forth by that State agency. To date, one site has been closed in accordance with the plan, with the second being prepared for closing.

The Commission feels that the Weir property should be retained by the town as open space for future development as recreational and educational use. We have so recommended this to the Selectmen.

The Commission also discussed the possibility of transplanting wild turkeys in Boscawen and was in the process of talking with Fish and Game officials about our town land. It appears that the Fish & Game Department had also been looking at Boscawen and we now have a transplant in the N. Water St. area.

The coming year should be both challenging and informative; challenging for us in that we would like to become more visible in the community. By being informative, I believe we can accomplish this. There are areas of conservation education that can be brought to schools and public meetings, workshops can be developed and presented. Working closely with other groups can consolidate efforts and gain a more constructive use of our labors . . . i.e. we have met with the Recreation Committee discussing the possibility of a boat launching area on the Merrimack River as a cooperative venture.

In other plans for the year ahead is a survey of wet land in the town; noting location, size and uses. If anyone knows of an area they feel should be specifically noted or one that may have unique features, terrain, plant or animals, etc., please feel free to contact anyone on the Commission. Any amount will be helpful and greatly appreciated.

In closing, I would like to thank all the Commission members for their time, cooperation and the interest they have shown. I would also like to welcome our new member Rhoda Hardy, her ideas and participation have enhanced our group.

At the present time we are still lacking one member of the Commission, if you have a desire to get involved and you feel you have something to offer or if you know someone who may, contact the Selectmen's office or a member of the Commission. Thank you.

Respectfully Submitted,

Douglas R. Supry, Chairman	Brad Marshall
Lois Hartford, Secretary	Matthew McKerley
Rhoda Hardy	Bruce Sloane

## PLANNING BOARD

The Boscawen Planning Board met almost monthly during 1979 to act upon subdivision requests and requests for lot line adjustments. In addition, the Board held public hearings for the flood plain zoning amendment which was accepted by vote of the Town.

The Board is presently in the initial stages of updating the Master Plan for the future plan of the Town. We would welcome citizen volunteers to help with this important work. A questionnaire will be sent to each resident during the coming months in order to gather more information and input for the Master Plan.

The Board is working with the Selectmen and a space needs committee to help establish a plan for future town officers space.

The Planning Board will be republishing the subdivision and zoning regulations this year and will incorporate into them the recently passed regulations and other changes.

Because of recently passed state legislation, the time frame and procedures for subdivision requests have been noticeably altered. Citizens should be advised that subdivision deliberations require more time and expense than in the past.

We were fortunate to acquire the services of a capable and experienced planning board secretary, Carmen Osgood. She also is secretary for the Zoning Board of Adjustment, which makes for good communications between the two Boards.

The large increase in the Planning Board Proposed Budget is due to the inclusion this year of the dues of the Central N. H. Regional Planning Commission and printing costs.

Ellsworth R. Morton, Chairman  
Rebecca Gauthier  
Rhoda Hardy  
Kevin McCarthy  
Ronald Romer  
James Steenbeke  
Richard C. Hartford, Selectman

## PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE

In 1979 your recreation committee for the Town of Boscawen applied to the United States Department of Interior for a 50-50 Grant to develop the old New England Forestry Property. With this grant we plan to construct 2 Tennis Courts, 1 Basketball Court and a Parking Lot. As of this printing the project has not received final approval but the approval should be forthcoming. After approval we hope to see the project completed during the Spring of 1980.

A grant was also applied for and received from the CETA project to clean up the old Dorval property. With these funds the existing building on the property was cleaned of all refuse and a new coat of paint was applied to the exterior. The land was cleared of brush and debris and is ready for additional improvements over the next few years. This will depend on our ability to obtain financial help from government programs.

Bill Weir who directed our Summer Recreation Program reported that 1979's park program was successful with over 100 children enrolled and taking part in various summer activities. We are hoping with a little luck that we can have our summer program at our new facility in 1980.

The suggestion was made and approved by our committee that we name the Little League diamond after Jamie Welch. We sent a letter to the Selectmen with our recommendation upon which it was voted on and approved.

We, the committee for the Parks and Recreation for the Town of Boscawen, are pleased with the progress to date. We would also welcome any questions or suggestions that any of our townspeople may have. Please feel free to contact any of the following members of the committee.

Respectfully Submitted,  
RAYMOND STEENBEKE, Chairman  
CARL RUSSELL  
THOMAS DANKO  
WILLIAM WEIR  
BETSY CRETE

## BOSCAWEN TOWN PARK – SUMMER 1979

Park Director – William Weir   Ass't Director – Mary Moore

### I – Total of Registrations: 117

Highest Attendance Day: June 28, 1979   52 a.m.   63 p.m.

Average Attendance Day: 35

### II – Activities completed this Summer:

Tennis	Hiking
4 square	Swimming
Softball	Croquet
Quiet games	Coloring
Arts & Crafts	Wiffleball
Frisbee	Soccer
Cookouts	Home Run Derby
Library & Story telling	Skate Board
Scavenger Hunt	

### III – Special Events and Participation

Hike & Swim – 51

Home Run Derby – 25      5 winners to Red Sox Game.

Tennis Tourney – 20      5 winners to Volvo

Skateboard Contest – 15

Pet Show – 10 pets

4 Square Tourney – 25

Hikes to Windy Goul – Whole Park

Frisbee – 12

Hula-Hoop – 7

Bubble gum contest – 30

Bike Hikes – 30

### IV – Special Park Trips

July 23 – Little Red Wagon and Swim at Rolfe Park

30 children   4 adults   (no charge)

July 25\* – Wellington State Park – Picnic & Swim

30 children   5 adults   (no charge)

August 13\* – Franconia Notch Trip – Tramway, Flume, Clark's Bears

20 children   4 adults   (no charge)

August 22 – Swim at Rolfe Park

25 children   5 adults   (no charge)

August 23\* – Wellington State Park – Picnic, Swim and Hike to island

45 children   6 adults   (no charge)

\* – 2 Mini Busses from Mrs. Drown

30¢ per mile & Driver

In conclusion it was a very successful summer for both Mary and myself. I hope that attendance will increase next year on a more constant daily basis. I also recommend:

1. More transportation to swimming areas (Rolfe Park, Newfound)
2. Rental of a small bus for weekly trips
3. More cooperative activities for children (5-10) and increase in Motor Skill games and activities (Hikes, small games, art)

Sincerely,  
WILLIAM WEIR, JR.  
Park Director

## STUDY COMMISSION FOR MUNICIPAL OFFICES

The Study Commission on town office space has concluded that it would not be cost effective to utilize any existing town building for town offices and meeting rooms and proposes a building be erected at the site of the Police Station and Much-I-Do Fire Station. This being town owned land, it would not necessitate the purchase of additional property. Additionally, according to the latest Regional Planning Study, it is within  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile of the center of population of Boscawen.

The Commission recommends the construction of a full basement building, large enough to house all town offices and meeting rooms under one roof.

A site study was requested of several architectural firms and at least one should be available to present at town meeting. This is intended to illustrate the best site for the building in relationship to other structures presently located on the property.

Due to the financial impact of an expenditure of this magnitude, the Commission requests an additional year to complete this study including energy efficiency, to come forth with a proposal.

Donna MacIvor, Chairman

Daniel Carey

Douglas Hayes

Ellsworth Morton

Roger W. Sanborn

Richard C. Hartford, Selectman, Ex officio

James Steenbeke, Jr., Planning Board, Ex officio



## CONCORD REGIONAL VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION

Visits made during the year beginning October 1, 1978 to September 30, 1979

Nursing . . . . .	373 visits
Home Health Aide . . . . .	24 visits 24½ hours
Physical Therapist . . . . .	113 visits
Homemaker . . . . .	29 units
Nutritionist . . . . .	1 visit
Occupational Therapist . . . . .	28 visits

The Concord Regional Visiting Nurse Association, Inc., continued to service Boscawen for the fourth year. They have provided skilled nursing care for anyone sick in the home, especially those needing continuity of care after discharge from the hospital. They are available to give hypodermic injections, change surgical dressings, and do other treatments prescribed by the attending physician. When indicated, family members have been instructed to give care between the nurse's visits.

Special services such as, physical therapy, speech therapy, occupational therapy, and nutritional guidance have been given the special staff and consultants in order to assist with the rehabilitation of an acute or chronic illness.

When family members are unable to supply all the needed care, a staff of homemaker — home health aides are available to give physical care, do light housekeeping, and assist with meal planning and meal preparation.

The nurses are delighted to advise new and expectant mothers in the care of themselves and their babies. They are also glad to work with families and individuals on normal nutrition, sickness, and accident prevention.

Anyone in Boscawen may request these services — doctor, family, pastor, friend, or the patient himself. Patients are also referred by clinics and other agencies. All calls are answered, but continuing care can be provided under a doctor's orders.

A call to the Concord Regional Visiting Nurse Association, Inc., (224-4093) between the hours of 8 a.m. and 10:30 p.m., seven days a week is all that is necessary to start services or make inquiries. Fees may be scaled to those unable to pay the entire amount.

Sincerely,  
LUTIE K. PIPER,  
Executive Director



## BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BOSCAWEN, NEW HAMPSHIRE FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1979

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	S	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of Father
1978								
Nov. 16	Concord	Theresa Lynn	F	Carl Sidney Glover	Patricia Ann Cummings	Boscawen	NH	NH
Dec. 31	Boscawen	Tara Kristine	F	Frederick Jan Schmidt	Brenda Marlene Bard	Boscawen	Penn.	Penn.
1979								
Jan. 4	Concord	McColl Jennifer	F	Carl Daniel Russell	Agnes Theresa Boulton	Boscawen	Mass.	NH
Jan. 5	Concord	Ralph Walter III	M	Ralph Walter Lewis, Jr.	Karen Ann Copp	Boscawen	NH	NH
Jan. 9	Concord	Elizabeth Sharon	F	Michael Martin Dunn	Pamela G. Bartlett	Boscawen	NH	NY
Jan. 12	Concord	Jennifer Kathleen	F	Thomas Leroy Marsh	Kathleen Ellen Keeney	Boscawen	NH	NH
Feb. 6	Concord	Erin Melissa	F	Richard Sidney Beard	Deborah Audrey Merrill	Boscawen	NH	NH
Feb. 12	Concord	Michelle Lynn	F	James Saunderson Dunlop	Joyce Maureen Clough	Boscawen	NH	NH
Mar. 6	Concord	Nathen Allen	M	Rory Kingsbury	Joni Lynn Fawley	Boscawen	NH	NH
Mar. 7	Concord	Rachel Ann	F	Timothy James Welch	Annette Denoncourt	Boscawen	Conn.	NH
Mar. 19	Concord	David Rene	M	David Arnold Rule	Debra-Jean Michael Scott	Boscawen	Mass.	NH
Mar. 29	Concord	Christopher Foster	M	Roger Wheeler Sanborn	Adele Victor	Boscawen	NY	NH
May 2	Concord	Kristie Lynn	F	Ronald Paul Drapeau	Dona Jean Welcome	Boscawen	NH	NH
May 6	Concord	Meghan Christina	F	Alan Harold Hardy	Rosella Elizabeth Burk	Boscawen	MD	NH
May 7	Concord	Kerstin Leigh	F	Bernhard Kiebbe	Barbara Ann Jones	Boscawen	ALA	NH
May 23	Concord	Bobbi-Jo Ann	F	Glen Robert Shattuck	Jo-Ann Lorraine Miner	Boscawen	NH	NH
May 24	Concord	Raun Michael	M	Robert James Welcome, Jr.	Donna Marie Miner	Boscawen	NH	NH
May 24	Concord	Kristi Lee	F	Robert Dennis Brown	Paulette Ann Arsenault	Boscawen	NH	NH
June 2	Concord	Jamie Corrine	F	David Hubbard Booth	Debra Rae Stone	Boscawen	NH	NH
June 14	Concord	Kate Michelle	F	Robert Arthur Jones, Jr.	Carol Marcia Stanley	Boscawen	NH	Mass.
June 19	Concord	Michael David	M	Peter Jeffrey Rau	Jeanne Sue Hess	Boscawen	NH	NY
June 22	Concord	Catherine Mary	F	Ronald Wareing	Mary Ann Morrill	Boscawen	NH	Mass.
June 28	Concord	Daniele May	F	Richard Dennis Wombolt	Sherri Lynn Ordway	Boscawen	NH	NH
July 2	Concord	Heather Lynn	F	Robert Allan Chandler	Catherine Evelyn Dowling	Boscawen	Conn.	NH
July 2	Concord	Shannon Lynn	F	David Parker McKerley	Tina Marie LeClair	Boscawen	NH	NH
July 16	Concord	William Paul	M	Paul Douglas Matott	Pamela Lee Cowan	Boscawen	Ariz.	NH
July 17	Concord	Caroline Cords	F	Edward Nielson Damon	Claudia Eva Cords	Boscawen	W. Germany	Conn.
July 27	Concord	Kerry Anne	F	John Peter Flannery, Jr.	Beverly Ann Villanueva	Boscawen	MD	Mass.
Aug. 17	Concord	Kristy Leigh	F	Gary Lawrence Kidder	Susan Denise Johns	Boscawen	NH	NH
Aug. 26	Concord	Amanda Claire	F	Leo Simeon Raymond	Constance Louise Duprez	Boscawen	Maine	NH
Sept. 13	Concord	Karla Grace	F	Karl Edward Ceci	Mary Margaret McNally	Boscawen	D.C.	Penn.
Sept. 25	Concord	Daniki Sue	F	William Franklin Griffus	Dianne Gladys Levesque	Boscawen	NH	Cal.
Oct. 14	Concord	Laura Lynne	F	James Murray Colby	Lynn Ann Parkinson	Boscawen	NH	NH
Oct. 14	Concord	Allison Elizabeth	F	Frankie Walter Laro	Jacqueline Rae Ford	Boscawen	NH	NH

Oct. 16	Concord	Tegan Marie	F	Gregory Paul Marquis	Marie Ann Hayes	Boscawen	Mass.	NH
Oct. 19	Concord	Marcy Ann	F	Stacy Wayne Frew	Lou-Ann Frances McClintock	Boscawen	NH	NH
Oct. 19	Portsmouth	Jennifer Rebecca	F	John Michael Sutherland	Judith Ann Mullin	Boscawen	MD	Va.
Oct. 21	Concord	Harmony Lynn	F	F Howard Ivory Brown, Jr.	Deborah Lee Bouchard	Boscawen	NY	NH
Oct. 21	Concord	Reagan Anne	F	Russell Martin Wilson	Eve Ann Kingsbury	Boscawen	NH	NH
Nov. 17	Concord	Dawn Christine	F	George John Sartarelli, Jr.	Patricia Ann Burkholder	Boscawen	Mass.	NH
Nov. 20	Concord	Kathleen	F	William Henry Redmond	Maureen Theresa McSweeney	Boscawen	Mass.	Fla.
Nov. 29	Concord	Benjamin Adam	M	Dennis James Burgess	Bonnie Lee Abbott	Boscawen	Mass.	Mass.
Dec. 2	Concord	Catherine Mary	F	Donald Paul Steenbeke	Janice Elaine Frost	Boscawen	NH	NY
Dec. 12	Concord	Beth Ellen	F	Thomas James Gatherum	Paula Jane LaClair	Boscawen	NH	NH
Dec. 27	Concord	Angela Marie	F	Larry Anthony LaValley	Patricia Ann Labrie	Boscawen	NH	NH
Dec. 28	Concord	Michael McClough	M	Bruce James Battye	Patricia Ann Pickel	Boscawen	Maine	NH

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

BARBARA M. HOLMES, Town Clerk

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BOSCAWEN, NEW HAMPSHIRE FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1979

## TOWN OF BOSCAWEN

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of Each	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and Status of Officiant by Whom Married
Jan. 6	Concord	Dana H. VanDemark	Concord	25	Mass.	Richard D. VanDemark Alice Hopkins	NH Mass.	Robert J. Mitchell Justice of the Peace Concord
		Cynthia G. Barchey	Boscawen	28	NH	Raymond C. Place Eleanor M. Nye	NY Conn.	
Feb. 11	Concord	Lawrence S. Young	Boscawen	42	NH	Lawrence A. Young Bertha Beauchaine	NH NH	Brenda F. Flanders Justice of the Peace Concord
		Susan E. Musarra	Boscawen	30	NY	Albert C. Mussara Edith Wikander	NY NY	
Feb. 24	Webster	Jeffrey D. LaCoy	Penacook	23	NH	Bernard W. LaCoy Pauline Fenton	NH NH	John F. Richford Justice of the Peace Boscawen
		Brenda L. Welcome	Boscawen	19	NH	Robert J. Welcome, Sr. Frances Blodgett	NH NH	
Mar. 3	Boscawen	Paul D. Hathaway	Boscawen	21	NH	William E. Hathaway Eleanor Mary Hanson	Mass. NH	Christopher V. Pappas Justice of the Peace Concord
		Nada M. Locke	Boscawen	21	NH	Norman Locke Florence E. Greenlaw	NH NH	
Mar. 10	Concord	Rand F. Poirier	Boscawen	27	Conn.	Raymond Poirier Alice Smith	Conn. Conn.	John J. Johnson Minister Concord
		Carol (Page) Glover	Boscawen	25	NH	Lee Page Vilma Taylor	NH Canada	
Mar. 10	Boscawen	David W. Daniels, IV	Boscawen	39	NH	David W. Daniels, III Harriet Lawrence	Mass. Mass.	Rev. Frank Thurston, Jr. Minister Boscawen
		Binnie Ann McKenzie	Salisbury	20	NH	Clarence McKenzie Ellen Read	NJ NH	
Mar. 17	Penacook	Michael T. Drew	Boscawen	18	Texas	Stuart H. Drew Carolyn Blakey	NH NH	Rev. Barry Cass Minister Penacook
		Karen L. Longver	Boscawen	18	NH	Clayton Longver Phyllis O. Smith	NH Mass.	
Mar. 24	Penacook	Dennis Ralph Sargent	Boscawen	31	NH	Earl Sargent Nora Schlesinger	NH NH	Kennedy R. Shibles, Sr. Justice of the Peace Boscawen
		Stacie E. Souza	Boscawen	21	Conn.	John F. Walsh Josephine M. Dyer	NH Vt	
Mar. 25	Andover	Gary R. Chaffee	Boscawen	20	Italy	John W. Chaffee Antaina Piccado	Mass. Mass.	Donald A. Ayrtton Justice of the Peace Andover
		Mary M. Nickerson	Salisbury	19	Mass.	Charles Nickerson Estelle Chamberlain	Mass. Mass.	

Apr. 7	Boscawen	Kyle T. Demers	Boscawen	19	NH	Philip Demers	NH	Rev. Frank Thurston
		Catherine M. Allen	Boscawen	19	Mass.	Robin McKenzie	NH	Minister
Apr. 25	Boscawen	Donald Davis Chase	Boscawen	29	NH	Betsy Allen	Mass.	Boscawen
		Robin (McKenzie) Noyes	Boscawen	40	NH	Donald Davis Chase, Sr.	NH	William R. Potter
Apr. 28	Loudon	Herbert Brewster Huckins, Jr.	Boscawen	30	NH	Patricia Hayes	NH	Justice of the Peace
		Nancy Holmes Ford	Hooksett	28	NH	John McKenzie	Scotland	Charlestown
May 5	Concord	Bruce W. Simoneau	Penacook	22	NH	Lawrene Montgomery	NH	Linda J. Mitchell
		Shirley A. Maynard	Boscawen	19	NH	Herbert B. Huckins, Sr.	NH	Justice of the Peace
May 19	Concord	Wilfred C. Banfill	Boscawen	28	NH	Evelyn Newcomb	NH	Concord
		Susan M. Benson	Penacook	27	NH	William G. Ford	NJ	
May 26	Penacook	Paul A. Weeks	Boscawen	25	Conn.	Jane Whitaker	NJ	
		Mary E. Holmes	Boscawen	21	NH	Albert Simoneau	NH	Arolyn S. Sargent
May 26	Warner	Thomas J. Gatherum	Boscawen	32	NH	Phyllis Lowell	Mass.	Justice of the Peace
		Paula J. LaClair	Concord	21	NH	Asa Maynard	NH	Concord
June 9	Epsom	James W. Hoyt	Boscawen	23	NH	Marcia Burnham	NH	Myrl M. Ford
		Sylvia A. Brown	Penacook	23	NH	Elizabeth Preve	NH	Pastor
June 23	Boscawen	George J. Sartorelli, Jr.	Boscawen	24	NH	Royal D. Benson	NH	Boscawen
		Patricia A. Burkholder	Webster	21	Mass.	Jacquelyn Scott	NH	
June 23	Webster	Howard I. Brown, Jr.	Boscawen	20	NH	Kenneth S. Weeks	Mass.	Rev. Francis A. Callahan
		Deborah L. Bouchard	Boscawen	17	NH	Margaret N. Pierson	Conn.	Priest
June 29	Concord	Robert P. Hatch	Boscawen	24	NH	Richard F. Holmes	NH	Penacook
		Carol (MacArthur) Saltmarsh	Boscawen	23	NH	Barbara M. Colby	NH	
						James A. Gatherum	NH	Rev. Allen Goodwin, Sr.
						Marjorie Bates	NH	Minister
						Paul A. LaClair	NH	Penacook
						Fabyan Florence	NH	
						Frederick M. Hoyt, Jr.	Conn.	Rev. Allen Goodwin, Sr.
						Elsie Lane	NH	Minister
						Raleigh M. Brown	NH	Penacook
						Nancy M. Witham	NH	
						George J. Sartorelli, Sr.	NH	Kennedy R. Shibbes, Sr.
						Jean Gaige	NH	Justice of the Peace
						John F. Burkholder	Mass.	Boscawen
						Elaine Purcell	Mass.	
						Howard Brown, Sr.	NH	Rev. Arlington E. Wry
						Nancy Wetherbee	Mass.	Minister
						Kenneth Ohlson, Sr.	NY	Webster
						Mary Ann Rogers	NY	
						Paul O. Hatch	NH	Rev. John B. McColl
						Faith C. Wilson	NH	Minister
						Eugene P. MacArthur	NH	Concord
						Joan P. Matott	NH	



July 4	Boscawen	William H. Redmond	Boscawen	32	Fla.	William H. Redmond, Sr. Ireland Majestic Belle Conrad W. V. Daniel Joseph McSweeney Mass. Esther Goos Mass.	John F. Richford Justice of the Peace Boscawen
July 6	Boscawen	Maureen (McSweeney) Mueller	Boscawen	31	Mass.	Floyd J. Foote NH Barbara L. Dearth Mass. Raymond Geer Vt.	William Weir Justice of the Peace Boscawen
July 7	N. Conway	Sherman F. Foote	Boscawen	38	NH	Jennie Zimmerman Canada John H. Mudge NH Sarah Harrell Ga.	Raymond Stineford Minister Madison, N.H.
July 20	Goffstown	Rose (Geer) Benoit	Boscawen	41	NH	Walter S. Collins, Jr. NH Sylvia J. Beecher NH Albert LaRoche NH Eleanor Armstrong NH Ruel D. Hall NH	Rev. Edward Young Minister Goffstown
July 21	Penacook	John Hart Mudge, Jr.	Concord	25	NY	Clara E. Woder Mich. John F. Supry, Jr. NH Evelyn L. Cleveland NH Clarence E. Glover, Jr. NH Arlene Barrett NH	Rev. Barry Cass Minister Penacook
Aug. 4	Hillsboro	Sanda G. Collins	Boscawen	21	NH	Charles W. Fancey Vt. Thelma Shattuck Vt. Howard E. Flanders NH Doris Davis NH	William E. Edwards Minister Hillsboro
Aug. 18	Boscawen	Francis A. Laroche	Boscawen	41	NH	Ben C. Adams NH Maurine Thisell NH Arnold H. Paradis RI Margaret M. Duval NH Murray A. Howard ME Virginia R. Johnson ME Morris Hodgman NH Erma J. Eldridge NH	Rev. Frank Thurston, Jr. Minister Boscawen
Sept. 15	Concord	Susan (Hall) Drew	Boscawen	30	NH	Joseph E. Rostrom Mass. Nancy M. Plourde Mich. Theodore T. West Fla. Mary K. Williford Fla. Earl C. Champagne Vt. Shirley Boynton NH Ida Haskins Vt.	Walter Lawson Minister Concord
Sept. 15	Concord	John F. Supry III	Boscawen	25	NH	Edgar R. Crete Canada Beverly J. Murn NH George C. Cilley, Jr. NH Sarah V. Smith NH	Jerry C. West Elder Concord
Oct. 6	Penacook	Donna M. Glover	Boscawen	19	NH		Rev. Allen F. Goodwin, Sr. Minister Penacook
Oct. 27	Concord	Roy A. Fancey	Boscawen	31	NH		Rev. John McCall Minister Concord
		Lori A. Flanders	Boscawen	25	NH		
		Michael W. Adams	Boscawen	19	NH		
		Lisa J. Paradis	Boscawen	18	NH		
		Dan S. Howard	Boscawen	30	ME		
		Gloria (Hodgman) Trager	Boscawen	33	NH		
		David J. Rostrom	Boscawen	23	NH		
		Cindy K. West	Concord	23	Fla.		
		Earl R. Champagne	Concord	18	NH		
		Sherry L. Smith	Boscawen	18	Vt.		
		Bruce A. Crete	Boscawen	24	NH		
		Sarah M. Cilley	Concord	22	NH		

Nov. 17	Laconia	Paul A. Ouellette	Boscawen	28	NH	Oliver Ouellette	NH	Paul D. Montminy
		Mary Luann Walsh	Laconia	25	NH	Lucille Bourque	NH	Priest
						Vernon T. Walsh	Mass.	Laconia
Nov. 23	Concord	Stephen P. Call	Boscawen	20	NH	Mary L. Lyman	NH	
		Cindy (Hollins) Frost	Boscawen	19	NH	Charles E. Call	NH	Sandra G. Chagnon
						Marjorie Howard	NH	Justice of the Peace
						Harvey Hollins, Jr.	NH	Concord
						Alma Krugar	Rumania	
Nov. 24	Penacook	Richard R. Cortier	Boscawen	29	NH	Gerard O. Cartier	NH	Rev. Francis A. Callahan
		Cathleen Ann Breau	Penacook	22	NH	Margot R. Fisher	Germany	Priest
						Rene A. Breau	ME	Penacook
Dec. 8	Salisbury	William A. Farrell, Jr.	Boscawen	28	NH	Eleanor L. Duguay	ME	
		Lynn A. Fortier	Boscawen	20	NH	William A. Farrell, Sr.	NH	Lawrence A. Martel
						Mary Lesperance	NH	Justice of the Peace
						Albert T. Fortier	NH	Concord
						Carol E. Whitehead	Mass.	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
BARBARA M. HOLMES, Town Clerk

## DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BOSCAWEN, NEW HAMPSHIRE FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1979

## TOWN OF BOSCAWEN

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex	Occupation	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Jan. 1	Boscawen	Ruth Folsom	83	Mass.	F	Housewife	I. E. Coulson	----
Jan. 1	Boscawen	Ethel Girardet	93	NH	F	Housewife	Walton Aldrich	Eliza Jane Wilder
Jan. 4	Boscawen	Henry Lavoie	81	NH	M	Machinist	Damase Lavoie	Denise Dionne
Jan. 5	Boscawen	Mary Smith	77	NH	F	Sep. Housekeeper	Horace Saunders	Laura Cutting
Jan. 5	Boscawen	Rhenda B. Paquette	74	NH	F	Housewife	Joseph Lucier	Alphonse LaRochele
Jan. 11	Boscawen	Aimes Bourassa	79	Canada	M	Window Cleaner	Alphonse Bourassa	Elizabeth Mattott
Jan. 15	Boscawen	Daisy M. Eddy	83	Mo.	F	----	----	----
Jan. 16	Boscawen	Albert Richard	78	NH	M	Laborer	Joseph Richard	Delina Blais
Jan. 18	Boscawen	John Cordts	72	NY	M	Milkman	Charles Cordts	Motha Schmidt
Jan. 19	Boscawen	Annie L. Locke	62	Mass.	F	Aide	Nomis Eldridge	Lucy Kinney
Jan. 23	Boscawen	Victoria LaBarn	88	NH	F	----	Frank Lagasse	Alma Dumas
Jan. 23	Boscawen	Helen Cram	95	Mass.	F	Bookkeeper	Arthur Clement	Elvar Marston
Jan. 26	Boscawen	William Harper	88	Mass.	M	Salesman	William H. Harper	Frances Harrison
Jan. 28	Boscawen	Eva E. Cote	83	NH	F	Factory	George M. Main	Nellie M. Bemis
Jan. 30	Boscawen	Dora Bissonnette	79	NH	F	----	Henry Seymour	Mary Roy
Feb. 3	Concord	Pearl Batchelder	72	Maine	F	Reg. Nurse	Clarence Hilyard	Mary Parker
Feb. 9	Boscawen	Laura Dionne	71	NH	F	----	John Morse	Bertha ----
Feb. 15	Boscawen	Lester Fletcher	69	NH	M	Service Oil Burners	Bert Fletcher	Emma Wilson
Feb. 17	Boscawen	Robert Downs	32	NH	M	Student	Theodore R. Downs	Ruth Dow
Feb. 19	Boscawen	Eleanor Perriello	78	Mass.	F	----	Louigi Cataldo	Nancy ----
Feb. 19	Boscawen	Joseph Fournier	74	NH	M	Contractor	Joseph Fournier	Elizabeth LaCasse
Feb. 23	Boscawen	Van W. Heath	76	NH	M	Contractor	Fred Heath	Alice Dennis
Feb. 25	Boscawen	Maude E. Allen	81	NH	F	----	Fred Blackburn	Maria Cross
Feb. 28	Boscawen	Martin Holland	84	NY	M	Carpenter	Wiley Holland	Norah Burke
Mar. 8	Boscawen	Madeline Tetreault	73	NH	F	Reg. Nurse	Alphonse Tetreault	Sarah McGuire
Mar. 11	Boscawen	Maybelle C. McComb	83	NH	F	Stenographer	Herbert S. Dow	Ida Robbins
Mar. 12	Boscawen	Nora M. Miner	69	NH	F	Assembler	William Chenette	Sarah Dennis
Mar. 18	Boscawen	Clairevina Renaud	78	Canada	F	Laborer	Thomas Crevier	----
Mar. 21	Boscawen	Etta Wheeler	62	NH	F	Housewife	Elroy Hickey	Bessie Warcup
Mar. 23	Concord	Burton S. Colman	100	NH	M	Cab. Maker	Eswin Colman	Eliza Ordway
Apr. 5	Concord	Richard F. Holmes	59	NH	M	Ret. Machinist	Frank E. Holmes	Lizzie A. Folsom
Apr. 8	Concord	Bessie G. Marshall	81	Mass.	F	Housewife	John O. Bowlby	Eleanor B. Hawksworth
Apr. 23	Boscawen	Emmanuel Odet	69	NH	M	Trucker	Henri Odet	Marie-Ann Fortier
Apr. 25	Concord	Amedee Cote	89	NH	M	----	Joseph Cote	Nathalie Manseau
Apr. 27	Boscawen	Georgia Sloane	94	Mass.	F	Seamstress	---- Scott	Lucy ----



May 3	Boscawen	Bessie Cummings	90	Canada	F	W	----	James Shillito	Florence Jenkinson
May 4	Boscawen	Esther Duffield	75	NH	F	W	----	James Russell	Esther ----
May 7	Boscawen	Joseph Walsh	81	NY	M	M	Financial Promoter	Charles Walsh	Alice ----
May 8	Boscawen	Laura Freeman	96	VT	F	W	----	Charles Hemingway	Marion Coe
May 17	Boscawen	Mary (Molly) Sullivan	71	NH	F	W	Telegraph Opr.	Martin Cunningham	Ethel Davis
May 18	Boscawen	Isabelle Bagley	96	NH	F	W	Housewife	Andrew Downs	Sybil Durgin
May 21	Boscawen	Evelina Langlois	83	Canada	F	W	Housewife	Honore DuFresne	Georgiana LaJoie
May 24	Boscawen	Ruth A. Carr	83	NY	F	W	Housewife	Nelson F. Matott	Ida Blinn
May 29	Boscawen	Dorothy Hascall	77	Mass.	F	W	Off. Worker	Percy Weeks	Florence York
June 12	Concord	Bruce L. Bartlett	31	NH	M	S	Foreman	Elwyn L. Bartlett	Hazel Church
June 12	Concord	Wanda Shank	45	KY	F	M	Laborer	----	Pearl ----
June 14	Boscawen	Dorothy Sanborn	72	NH	F	S	----	Joseph Sanborn	Mary Charlotte
June 14	Boscawen	Bertha Terrien	83	NH	F	W	Shoe Worker	Onesiphore Gauthier	Jonne Garneau
July 1	Boscawen	Ida Rowell	90	NH	F	W	Housewife	----	----
July 12	Boscawen	Charles H. Cummings	91	NY	M	W	----	Melville Bryon	----
								Cummings	Minnie Eva Eldridge
July 13	Boscawen	Rose L. Sherburne	83	NH	F	W	Housewife	Joseph Lavoie	Dinah Plourde
July 17	Concord	James D. Welch	12	NH	M	S	Student	Gilbert Wiech	Evalyn French
July 21	Boscawen	Clara Melina Roy	96	NH	F	W	Housewife	Francois X. LaFlamme	Melina Heroux
July 26	Boscawen	Delia Mulder	89	NJ	F	W	Housewife	Garret Fabben	Delia Voorman
Aug. 6	Boscawen	Lloyd Venne	77	NH	M	D	Race Track Inspector	George Venne	----
Aug. 13	Boscawen	Elmer Stevens	87	NH	M	S	Farmer	Albion P. Stevens	Mary J. Loverin
Aug. 17	Boscawen	Mildred E. Denton	72	NH	F	W	Bookkeeper	Herbert Scott Chase	Emily Libby
Aug. 18	Concord	Harry L. Palmer	82	NH	M	S	Truck Driver	Linden Palmer	---- Flanders
Aug. 27	Boscawen	Marion Wright	100	VT	F	W	Housewife	Harvey Olmstead	Phebe Pearson
Aug. 28	Boscawen	Flossie Woodward	81	VT	F	W	Factory Worker	Edward Heath	Maggie ----
Sept. 12	Boscawen	Margaret Veazie	88	Mass.	F	W	Housewife	Zacharia Lambert	Ida Corneau
Sept. 13	Boscawen	Dorothy Bergstrom	70	NH	F	D	----	William Watters	Emma ----
Sept. 16	Boscawen	Grace Martin	87	NH	F	W	Teacher	Albea Sweat	Melissa Knapp
Sept. 23	Concord	Donald L. Ham	65	NH	M	D	Yardman	William Ham	Harriett Thistle
Sept. 26	Boscawen	Ben Marsh	74	NH	M	D	Laborer	Charles Marsh	Grace Pierce
Sept. 27	Boscawen	Ada Nichols	86	NH	F	D	Hairdresser	Kirk Smith	Nellie Annis
Oct. 3	Boscawen	Gilman Scribner	86	NH	M	S	Laborer	George Scribner	Mary Bennett
Oct. 6	Boscawen	Cornelius DuBois	75	NJ	M	M	Executive	Floyd B. Du Bois	Rosilla Marshall
Oct. 13	Boscawen	John J. LeBlanc	79	Canada	M	M	Cab Driver	Gaspard LeBlanc	Winnie ----
Oct. 27	Boscawen	Hannah Gilbert	94	Ireland	F	W	Housewife	Ernest O'Brien	----
Nov. 6	Boscawen	Gertrude LaFleur	89	Canada	F	W	Housewife	---- Stevens	----
Nov. 11	Boscawen	Marguerite E. Grant	74	NH	F	W	Assembler	Adolphus Barney	Mary Banker
Nov. 11	Boscawen	Florence Thomas	94	Mass.	F	W	Housewife	Moses Flint	Mary Abby Richards
Nov. 16	Concord	Katherine Toomey	84	NH	F	W	Teacher	David Toomey	---- Coackley
Nov. 18	Boscawen	Leah Beauchemir	91	Maine	F	W	Weaver	Napoleon Mercier	Celanice Fortier

Nov. 19,	Boscawen	Elmer Olsen	78	Mass.	M	Manager	Herman Olsen	Edith Sykes
Nov. 25	Boscawen	Bertha E. Eustis	89	NH	F	Housewife	Robert W. Barton	Mabel Thompson
Dec. 11	Boscawen	Augustine P. Blodgett	86	NH	M	Dairy Rte Man	Fred Blodgett	Elizabeth Heath
Dec. 14	Boscawen	Clara Dubrevil	86	Canada	F	Mill Worker	Jules LeBlanc	Leocadie Vellillot
Dec. 19	Concord	Irving G. Demerse	74	NH	M	Machinist	Willie C. Demerse	Mary E. White
Dec. 21	Boscawen	Herbert Bythrow	85	NH	M	Tool Maker	Charles Bythrow	Lucy Nash
Dec. 24	Boscawen	Marie Foley	74	NH	F	----	Joseph Johnson	----
Dec. 24	Boscawen	Sara Hodgdon	87	NH	F	Attendant	Thomas Clark	Hannah Sullivan
Dec. 31	Boscawen	Blanche Cole	97	NH	F	Factory Worker	Alexander Stevens	Mary ----
Dec. 31	Boscawen	Sidney Lester Tibbetts, Jr.	67	Maine	M	Ret. Farm Manager	Sidney L. Tibbetts, Sr.	Camela Seeking

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

BARBARA M. HOLMES, Town Clerk

**WARRANT FOR ANNUAL MEETING OF  
PENACOOK-BOSCAWEN WATER PRECINCT**

To the inhabitants of Penacook-Boscawen Water Precinct in the County of Merrimack and the State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in Precinct affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Boscawen Town Hall in Boscawen in said Precinct on the 25th day of March, 1980, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To hear the reports of the Precinct officers and pass any vote relating thereto.
2. To choose all necessary Precinct officers for the ensuing year.
3. To see if the Precinct will vote to raise and appropriate the amounts listed in the budget for 1980.
4. To authorize the Precinct Commissioners to borrow money in anticipation of Precinct Taxes and other revenues for the year and to issue notes therefor at such time within one year and at such place as the Precinct Commissioners shall determine.
5. To see if the Precinct will vote to give the Commissioners authority to transfer any unexpended balances of money from one appropriation to another.
6. To transact any other business which may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 4th day of February, 1980.

K. Colby Knight  
James Hewey, Sr.  
Maxwell Millard, Jr.

A true copy of Warrant: Attest

K. Colby Knight  
James Hewey, Sr.  
Maxwell Millard, Jr.

## COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

The most significant event in 1979 as far as the Penacook-Boscawen Water Precinct is concerned was the completion of Environmental Engineers' study. The study covered many areas, but a few are particularly important as the Precinct faces the requirements of the Safe Drinking Water Act.

An extensive groundwater exploration program was carried out to determine if groundwater were a viable source of good water. Although many holes were drilled, only one hole appeared to have enough water to be of any interest. Unfortunately, the little water the hole did produce contained too much iron to be useable. Therefore, the study recommends improving the situation at Walker Pond.

The main drawback to Walker Pond is suspended organic matter in the water. Fortunately, this defect is considered a violation of a secondary standard and not a severe threat to health. The suspended organic matter does inhibit the effectiveness of the chlorine used for purification and therefor must be dealt with. The study recommends installing a compressor and extending air lines to the intake area to both increase turbulence and oxygen in the water.

Another recommendation is upgrading safety aspects of the new pumping station. We cannot stress strongly enough the importance of carrying this out: chlorine gas is deadly even in small concentrations. By placing the ventilation fans on the same switch as the lights, any chlorine would be vented when the lights were turned on. The present fans are badly corroded because of their exposure to chlorine and therefore must be taken care of.

The replacement of the chlorination system is being held in abeyance until the Precinct can determine whether it has any legal recourse against the suppliers of the present equipment which has never performed satisfactorily.

The study contains other suggestions as to how the Precinct can improve its operations and these will be explained at the annual meeting.

Again the Precinct is faced with inflationary pressures on its costs. Salaries and wages have been increased in an attempt to soften the impact of rising prices on the Precinct employees. The Commissioners feel that these people have carried out their tasks very well. The cost for materials are anticipated to increase markedly this year so the Commissioners have increased budget items accordingly.

K. Colby Knight  
James Hewey, Sr.  
Maxwell Millard, Jr.

**PENACOOK-BOSCAWEN WATER PRECINCT**

1980 Budget

	Actual Expenditures Prior Year	Commissioners Budget Current Year
Expenditures		
Superintendent's Salary	\$ 7,269.48	\$ 7,996.00
Clerical Salary	2,750.04	3,325.00
Commissioners Salary	599.25	600.00
Pumping Station Supplies & Expense	1,132.68	2,500.00
Commissioners Supplies & Expense	20.00	50.00
Pumping Station Labor	2,183.32	2,500.00
Purification Supplies & Expense	1,734.60	2,400.00
Propane & Fuel	669.52	800.00
Power Purchased	9,364.24	10,200.00
Telephone	486.64	600.00
Distribution Labor	3,128.20	3,200.00
Distribution Supplies & Expense	94.14	150.00
Repairs to Mains	1,011.99	2,000.00
Services	1,965.73	2,000.00
Hydrants	778.70	900.00
Meters	116.55	300.00
Commercial Supplies & Expense	852.63	1,000.00
Payroll Expenses	2,799.80	3,200.00
Property Taxes	332.05	375.00
Legal & Audit	522.00	600.00
Insurance	2,354.00	3,500.00
Truck & Equipment Expense	1,588.65	2,000.00
Group Insurance	1,684.95	1,900.00
Repairs to Structure	694.72	1,000.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY — Pumping Sta.		8,700.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY — Equipment	184.90	200.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY — Engineering	6,660.00	
Hydrants & Meters	629.97	700.00
Principal of Debt	19,500.00	19,500.00
Interest on Debt	13,509.67	12,655.00
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS OR EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$84,558.42</b>	<b>\$94,851.00</b>



Source of Revenue	Actual Revenue for Prior Year	Estimated Revenue For Current Year
Surplus Available to Reduce Precinct Taxes	\$13,000.00	\$15,000.00
Water Rents	40,997.98	36,000.00
Merchandise Sales and Job Work	367.14	150.00
Fines	112.57	150.00
Reimbursement State Profits Tax	7,358.09	7,358.00
Interest on Investments	1,611.35	
<b>TOTAL REVENUES EXCEPT PRECINCT TAXES</b>	<b>63,447.13</b>	<b>58,658.00</b>
<b>AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PRECINCT TAXES</b>		<b>36,193.00</b>
<b>TOTAL REVENUES AND PRECINCT TAXES</b>		<b>\$94,851.00</b>

**JOHN E. RICH & COMPANY**  
Accountants and Auditors

February 7, 1980

Board of Water Commissioners  
Penacook and Boscawen Water Precinct  
Boscawen, New Hampshire 03301

Gentlemen:

We have examined the balance sheet of the Penacook and Boscawen Water Precinct as at December 31, 1979 and the related statements of income and retained earnings and changes in financial position for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, 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 aforementioned statements present fairly the financial position of the Penacook and Boscawen Water Precinct at December 31, 1979 and the results of its operations and changes in financial position for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles for municipalities applied on a consistent basis.

Respectfully submitted,

David L. Connors  
Certified Public Accountant  
JOHN E. RICH & COMPANY  
Accountants and Auditors

## Exhibit A

# **BALANCE SHEET**

As At December 31, 1979

**ASSETS**

<b>Current Assets</b>		
Cash	\$29,604	
Accounts Receivable	5,939	
Inventory, At Lower of Cost (FIFO Basis) or Market	4,014	
Prepaid Insurance	4,014	
Deposits on Cylinders	916	
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>\$40,873</b>	
<b>Utility Plant in Service</b>		
Water Supply Land	16,967	
Water Supply Structures	3,592	
Pumping Station Structures	57,044	
Water Storage Structures	278,501	
Stores Department Structures	18,248	
Pumping Station Equipment	47,615	
Mains	478,526	
Services	17,516	
Hydrants	22,421	
Meters	2,978	
Other Equipment	17,309	
New Construction, Prospect Street	6,805	
New Construction, Marlboro Road	1,872	
Construction in Progress	10,000	
Engineering	16,600	
<b>Total</b>	<b>995,994</b>	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	293,434	
<b>Net Depreciated Value</b>		<b>702,560</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b>\$743,433</b>

**LIABILITIES, CONTRIBUTIONS AND RETAINED EARNINGS**

<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Accounts Payable	\$ 970	
Unexpended Balance of Special Appropriation Carried Forward: Construction	10,000	
Long-Term Debt, Portion Due Within One Year, Schedule A-1	19,500	
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>		<b>\$30,470</b>
Long-Term Debt	263,500	
Less: Portion Due Within One Year, Schedule A-1	19,500	



Contributions	
In Aid to Construction	5,611
Municipal Investment	186,600
Total Contributions	192,211
Retained Earnings, Exhibit B	276,752

**TOTAL LIABILITIES, CONTRIBUTIONS & RETAINED EARNINGS \$743,433**

The Accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements  
are an Integral Part of this Statement.

**Exhibit B**

**STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENSES AND RETAINED EARNINGS**  
For the Year Ended December 31, 1979

	Actual Budget	Actual	Budget
Revenue, Schedule B-1	\$90,650	\$99,104	\$ 8,454
Operating Expenses, Schedule B-2	62,650	80,949	18,299
Other Non-Expense Budgeted Items*			
Payment of Debt	19,500	—	(19,500)
Capital Outlay	8,500	—	8,500)
Total Operating and Budgeted Expenses	90,650	80,949	(9,701)
Net Income, Exhibit C	\$ —	18,155	\$18,155
Retained Earnings, Beginning of the Year, Adjusted, (Note 6)		269,597	
Retained Earnings Used to Reduce 1978 Tax Rate		(11,000)	
Retained Earnings, End of Year, Exhibit A		\$276,752	

\*Expenditures Included in Dispositions of Working Capital, Exhibit C

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Schedule A-1

PENACOOK AND BOSCAWEN WATER PRECINCT  
SCHEDULE OF LONG-TERM INDEBTEDNESS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1979

	Balance 1/1/79	Additions	Retirements	Balance 12/31/79	1980 Payments Principal	Interest
Bond Issue of 1974	\$200,000	\$ --	\$12,500	\$187,500	\$12,500	\$ 9,565
Bond Issue of 1967	65,000	--	5,000	60,000	5,000	675
Bond Issue of 1967	18,000	--	2,000	16,000	2,000	2,415
TOTALS	\$283,000	\$ --	\$19,500	263,500	\$19,500	\$12,655

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## Schedule B-1

**SCHEDULE OF REVENUE**  
for the year ended December 31, 1979

Revenue	Budget	Actual	Actual Over/(Under) Budget
Taxes	\$38,675	\$37,642	\$(1,033)
Rental	18,000	18,841	841
Meters	17,490	22,157	4,667
Miscellaneous Job Work, Net	150	367	217
Fines	150	113	(37)
Interest	—	1,626	1,626
New Hampshire Business Profits Tax	5,185	7,348	2,173
Total	79,650	88,104	8,454
Retained Earnings Used to Reduce 1978 Tax Rate	11,000	11,000	—
TOTAL REVENUE, Exhibit B	\$90,650	\$99,104	\$8,454

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## Schedule B-2

**SCHEDULE OF EXPENSES**

for the year ended December 31, 1979

Expenses	Budget	Actual	Actual Over/(Under) Budget
Superintendent's Salary	\$ 7,000	\$ 7,269	\$ 269
Clerical Salary	2,750	2,750	—
Commissioners' Salaries	600	599	(1)
Commissioners' Supplies and Expense	50	20	(30)
Pumping Station Labor	2,500	2,183	(317)
Pumping Station Supplies and Expense	2,500	1,133	(1,367)
Purification Supplies and Expenses	2,400	1,735	(665)
Power Purchased	10,040	9,364	(676)
Telephone	600	487	(113)
Propane, Gas and Fuel Oil	700	670	(30)
Distribution Labor	2,600	3,128	528
Distribution Supplies and Expenses	150	94	(56)
Repairs to Distribution Structures	1,000	695	(305)
Repairs to Mains	2,000	1,012	(988)
Repairs to Services	2,000	1,966	(34)
Repairs to Hydrants	900	779	(121)
Repairs to Meters	300	116	(184)
Commercial Supplies and Expenses	1,000	853	(147)
Social Security, Retirement and Unemployment Tax	3,200	2,799	(401)
Taxes on Property	350	332	(18)
Group Insurance	1,750	1,685	(65)
Legal and Audit	600	522	(78)
Insurance	2,650	1,438	(1,212)
Truck and Backhoe Expense	1,500	1,588	88
Interest, Bonds and Notes	13,510	13,510	—
 Total Expenses Before Depreciation	 62,650	 56,727	 (5,923)
 Depreciation, A Non-Cash Item	 —	 24,222	 24,222
 TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES, Exhibit B	 \$62,650	 \$80,949	 \$18,299

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## Exhibit C

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION**

for the year ended December 31, 1979

Additions to Working Capital		
From Operations		
Net Income, Exhibit B	\$18,155	
Add: Depreciation, A Non-Cash Item	24,222	
Total From Operations	43,377	
Dispositions of Working Capital		
Net Additions to Utility Plant in Service	17,014	
Payment on Long-Term Debt	19,500	
Retained Earnings Used to Reduce 1978 Tax Rate	11,000	
Total Dispositions of Working Capital		47,514
INCREASE IN WORKING CAPITAL		\$ 4,863

**COMPOSITION OF WORKING CAPITAL**

	December 31, 1979	1978	Increase or (Decrease)
Current Assets	\$40,873	\$46,237	\$ (5,364)
Current Liabilities	30,470	40,697	(10,227)
Working Capital	\$10,403	\$ 5,540	
INCREASE IN WORKING CAPITAL			\$ 4,863

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 1979

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Assets, Liabilities, Income and Expenses

The above are recognized on the accrual basis of accounting. Inventories are stated at cost (first-in, first-out basis).

Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are recorded at cost. Assets acquired by the Penacook and Boscawen Water Precinct are depreciated on the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives. The range of annual depreciation rates is as follows:

Buildings and Structures . . . . .	.40 Years
Standpipes . . . . .	.30 Years
Mains, hydrants, Services . . . . .	.30-50 Years
Other Equipment . . . . .	5-20 Years

Although still in use, assets that are fully depreciated are removed from the accounts.

NOTE 2 – PENSION FUNDS

The water precinct provides for pension benefits to substantially all employees through a contributory retirement system under New Hampshire law. The law prescribes the formula for computing retirement allowances and presently does not permit advance funding of pension liabilities. Retirement allowances are paid from water precinct funding and employee contributions, based on age and date of entry. Employee contributions constitute an annuity savings fund from which a portion of the retirement allowances is paid. Pension expense for the year totaled \$1,425 determined on an actuarial basis. The unfunded past service liability of the entire retirement system was approximately 19 million dollars (approximately 17 million dollars state liability) and is being amortized over a twenty year period terminating in 1993. The value of vested benefits has not been determined.

NOTE 3 – ACCUMULATED UNUSED EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

Accumulated unused vacation and sick leave at year end is quite small and does not exceed a normal years accumulation.

NOTE 4 – LONG-TERM INDEBTEDNESS

Future long-term indebtedness requirements are as follows:

Year	Principal	Interest	Total
1980	\$19,500	\$12,655	\$32,155
1981	19,500	11,722	31,222
1982	19,500	10,816	30,316
1983	19,500	9,909	29,409
1984	19,500	9,004	28,504

Subtotal

1985 & thereafter

Total

NOTE 5 – LITIGATION

As of the time of this report, no litigation is pending in the precinct.

NOTE 6 – ADJUSTMENT TO OF RETAINED EARNINGS

The beginning balance of the retained earnings account as a result of a reclassification of expenses is immaterial.

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