# **ANNUAL REPORT**

for the

# Town

VIEW

of

# HEBRON

# **New Hampshire**



# For the Fiscal Year Ending

# **DECEMBER 31, 1999**

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#### **1999 ANNUAL REPORT**

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**TOWN OF HEBRON** 

#### **TOWN OFFICERS**

*Moderator* Everett Begor

Selectmen

Bruce D. MacDougall (00), Chairman William W. Gabler (01) Bruce A. Barnard (02)

> *Town Clerk* Jane H. Ramsay

*Treasurer* Tracey H. Steenbergen *Tax Collector* John Dunklee

Highway Supervisor Edward N. Smith

> *Police Chief* Harold T. Reilly

Fire Chief & Emergency Management John M. Fischer

> Forest Fire Warden William Robertie

Deputy Fire Wardens Bruce Barnard John Fischer

Roger Comeau Edward Smith

*Librarian* Donna Esty

*Library Trustees* Dianne Klabechek (01) Georgean Hopwood (02)

Anne Esty (00)

Donna Esty (00)

Nelson Adams

Mark Connor

Trustees of Trust Funds Kelli Braconier (01)

Robert O. Alenson (02)

Auditors

Edward Gempka Mary Jane Derochea

School Budget Committee Member William Gabler (00)

School Board Member Newfound Area School District Mary E. Campbell (00)

Zoning Inspector Selectmen Health Officer Selectmen

Barbara Matthews (00)

Supervisors of the Checklist Barbara Brooks (01)

Nancy Howard (02)

Cemetery Sexton Edward Smith

#### APPOINTED TOWN COMMITTEES

Planning Board Meeting the first Wednesday of every month at 7:30 P.M. in the Selectmen's Office

John Matthews (00), Chairman Bill Gabler (02) Henry Lynch (00) Jay Matthews (01) Curtis R. Mooney (01) Jeff Somers (02) (Alternate)

Bruce A. Barnard (Selectmen's Representative)

*Board of Adjustment* Ed Gempka (02), Chairman

Norton Braley (00) Peter Fortescue (02) Madeleine MacDougall (02) (Alternate) John W. Matthews (01) (Alternate) Bill White (01) Don Merrill (01) Paul Hazelton (02) (Alternate)

> *Conservation Committee* Ronald Johns (02), Chairman

Bruce Barnard (00)

John Dunklee (01)

Historic District Commission Bill Robertie (00), Chairman 1) Ann Bryant (01) John ruce MacDougall (Selectmen's Representative)

David Settele (01) Ann Bryant (01) John Downey (02) Bruce MacDougall (Selectmen's Representative)

Edward Gempka Paul White

Bruce Barnard

Everett Begor (00)

Beach Committee Virginia Barnard, Chairman Andrea Goldthwaite James Albamont

Elizabeth Gabler Everett Begor

Gazebo Committee

Jane Ramsay (00)

*Rogers Recreation Committee* Norton Braley Lee A

Lee Alexander

Hebron-Groton Athletic Association Committee Doug Merrill

Norton Braley

#### **TOWN WARRANT**

To the inhabitants of the Town of Hebron, in Grafton County, in the State of New Hampshire, you who are qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Community Hall in Hebron on Tuesday the 14th day of March, 2000 next, at 11 A.M. to act upon the following subjects:

#### ARTICLE:

- 1. To choose all Town Officers for the ensuing year by official ballot: The polls will open at 11 A.M. and close at 9:00 P.M., and the business meeting will commence at 7:00 P.M.
- 2. To see if the Town will authorize a two percent discount on property taxes if paid within thirty days of the date of the tax bill.
- 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$79,000 for the following Capital Reserve Funds: (Recommended by the Selectmen)

Police	\$6,000
Fire	. \$12,000
Highway	
Communication	
EMS	. \$12,000
Bridges	. \$10,000
Town Hall (Rogers Property)	
Town Highway Shed	

- 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,000 for the Police Department to purchase a Police Cruiser and to authorize the Selectmen to make payment from the CRF entitled "Police". (Recommended by the Selectmen)
- 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to withhold the Statewide Property Tax payment to The State of New Hampshire and to place the same in escrow until the final disposition of the so called Portsmouth Court Case challenging said tax.
- 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 for Hobart Hill Improvements. (Recommended by the Selectmen)
- 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,105 to be administered by the coordinators and to purchase a PA System and provide programming in the Gazebo on the Hebron Common for fiscal year 2000. (Recommended by the Selectmen)
- 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to establish an Assessment/Reassessment Capital Reserve Fund per RSA 35:1 and designate the Selectmen as Agents to expend from this fund per RSA 35:15. (Recommended by the Selectmen)
- 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$108,000 for an Ambulance and to authorize the Selectmen to (1) use \$40,000 from the CRF entitled "EMS" and (2) finance the remaining \$68,000 by a five year note. (Recommended by the Selectmen)
- 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 for the Perambulation of the Groton/Hebron Town Line. Set amount is not to

be expended unless Groton appropriates an equal amount. (Recommended by the Selectmen)

- 11. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the affirmative vote on Article 5 from the March 1999 Town Warrant Article which appropriated Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) for the removal of the house from the Rogers property.
- 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize a subdivision of the Rogers property and make an appropriation of \$2,500 for expenses. Options will be presented. (Recommended by the Selectmen & Needs Committee)
- 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 for future Design work for Town Buildings. (Recommended by the Selectmen & Needs Committee)
- 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to establish a Police/Fire/Public Service Building Capital Reserve Fund per RSA 35:1 (Recommended by the Selectmen & Needs Committee)
- 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000 for Renovations to The Schoolhouse (Selectmen's Office & Land Use Bds). (Recommended by the Selectmen & Needs Committee)
- 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$56,000 for Renovations to Memorial Hall/Library Complex (Recommended by the Selectmen & Needs Committee)
- 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500 for a Storage Shed at the Beach. (Recommended by the Selectmen & Needs Committee)
- 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray charges for the ensuing year. This article will exclude all previous warrant articles. (Recommended by the Selectmen)

Given under our hands and seals this 25th day of February, 2000.

Bruce D. MacDougall William W. Gabler Bruce A. Barnard Board of Selectmen

#### TOWN OF HEBRON

	Appropriations 1999	Actual Expenditures 1999	Appropriations Ensuing Fiscal Year 2000
GENERAL GOVERNMENT		····· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Executive	\$ 13,200	\$ 15,112	\$ 15,800
Election, Registration & Vital Statistics	1,200	1,818	3,500
Financial Administration	19,500	27,243	23,000
Legal Expense	2,500	2,232	3,000
Planning & Zoning	2,000	469	2,000
General Government Buildings	13,000	9,777	13,000
Cemeteries	2,000	2,023	2,500
Insurance	16,000	14,537	15,500
Advertising and Regional Associations	1,100	1,099	1,100
Abatements, Refunds Disc.		1;118	
PUBLIC SAFETY			
Police Department	26,100	27,728	30,000
Fire	26,300	27,441	29,700
Emergency Management	200	208	200
Other (Including Communications)		41,892	
HIGHWAYS & STREETS		,	
Highways and Streets	75,000	70,037	75,000
Flood Damage		5,381	
SANITATION			
Solid Waste Disposal	40,200	40,651	50,200
HEALTH			
Pest Control	300	-0-	300
Health Agencies and Hospital and Other	3,500	3,401	3,500
WELFARE			
Administration & Direct Assist.	2,500	1,112	2,500
CULTURE AND RECREATION			
Parks and Recreation	6,000	4,555	6,000
Library	4,500	4,356	5,000
Patriotic Purposes	100	107	125
DEBT SERVICE			
Principal of Long-term Bonds & Notes	14,000	14,000	14,000
Interest - Long-term Bonds & Notes	3,800	3,749	2,916
Interest -Tax Anticipation Notes	5,500	-0-	500
CAPITAL OUTLAY			
Improvements Other Than Buildings	196,210	104,451	-0-
OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT			
To Capital Reserve Fund	76,000	76,000	79,000
SUBTOTAL 1	\$ 550,710	\$ 500,479	\$ 378,341

# BUDGET

	Appropriations 1999	Actual Expenditures 1999	Appropriations Ensuing Fiscal Year 2000
SPECIAL WARRANT ARTICLES	,		
Warrant Article #4			\$ 35,000
Warrant Article #6			20,000
Warrant Article #7			4,105
Warrant Article #8			10,000
Warrant Article #9			108,000
Warrant Article #10			3,000
Warrant Article #12			2,500
Warrant Article #13			10,000
Warrant Article #14			10,000
Warrant Article #15			50,000
Warrant Article #16			56,000
Warrant Article #17			1,500
SUBTOTAL 2			\$ 310,105

#### **BUDGET**

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#### **BUDGET**

	Estimated Revenue 1999	Actual Revenue 1999	Estimated Revenue 2000
TAXES			
Timber Taxes	\$ 5,000	\$ 17,781	\$ 5,000
Payment in Lieu of Taxes	-0-	800	800
Other Taxes (Boat)	5,000	5,244	
Interest and Penalties on Delinquent Taxes	3,500	5,460	4,500
Excavation Tax (\$.02 center per cu. yd.)	40	145	-0-
LICENSES, PERMITS AND FEES			
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	65,000	84,348	75,000
Building Permits	600	785	1,000
Other Licenses, Permits & Fees	2,000	3,199	2,500
FROM STATE		-	
Shared Revenues	16,839	9,525	4,000
Meals & Rooms Tax Distribution	5,000	8,024	8,000
Highway Block Grant	15,101	14,801	14,800
Other (FEMA)	41,250	-0-	-0-
FROM OTHER GOVERNMENTS CHARGES FOR SERVICES	7,000	-0-	7,000
Income from Departments		4,290	2,000
Other Charges (snowplowing)	18,200	20,353	19,000
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES			
Interest on Investments	1,200	- 863	900
INTERFUND OPERATING TRANSFERS IN	_/		
From Capital Projects Funds	20,000	20,000	
From Capital Reserve Funds	-0-	_0,000	76,800
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES			,
Fund Balance ("Surplus") to Reduce Taxes			15,000
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUES & CREDITS	\$205,730	\$195,618	\$241,300
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Appropriations Recommended			\$378,341
Special Warrant Articles Recommended			\$310,105
Total Appropriations Recommended			\$688,446
Less: Amount of Estimated Revenues & Cred	lits		\$241,300
Estimated Amount of Taxes to be Raised			\$447,146
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			Tax Rates
Appropriations	550,710		
Less: Revenues	201,299		
Less: Shared Revenues	2,872		
Add: Overlay	48,620		
War Service Credits	3,400		
Net Town Appropriation	398,559		
Special Adjustment	-0-		
Approved Town/City Tax Effo	ort	398,559	
Municipal Tax Rate			3.35
	— School Portion —		
Due to Local School	-0-		
Due to Regional School	381,439		
Less: Adequate Education Gran			
State Education Taxes	(245,537)	125 002	
Approved School(s) Tax Effort		135,902	1 1 4
Local Education Tax Rate			1.14
State Education Taxes	es) \$6.60 less Phased-out	t A mount	
Equalized Valuation (no utilitie 104,608,612	es) po.oo iess i haseu-oui	690,417	
Divide by Local Assessed Valu	ation (no utilities)	070,417	5.96
115,754,025	anon (no admites)		5.70
	o be Remitted to State		
Excess State Education Taxes to			
	444,880		
Excess State Education Taxes to	444,880 — County Portion —		
	444,880 — County Portion — 168,720		
Excess State Education Taxes to Due to County Less: Shared Revenues	444,880 — County Portion —	166,141	
Excess State Education Taxes to Due to County	444,880 — County Portion — 168,720	166,141	1.39
Excess State Education Taxes to Due to County Less: Shared Revenues Approved County Tax Effort	444,880 — County Portion — 168,720	166,141	1.39 11.84
Excess State Education Taxes to Due to County Less: Shared Revenues Approved County Tax Effort County Tax Rate	444,880 — County Portion — 168,720	166,141 1,391,019	
Excess State Education Taxes to Due to County Less: Shared Revenues Approved County Tax Effort County Tax Rate Combined Tax Rate	444,880 — County Portion — 168,720		
Excess State Education Taxes to Due to County Less: Shared Revenues Approved County Tax Effort County Tax Rate Combined Tax Rate Total Property Taxes Assessed	444,880 — County Portion — 168,720 (2,579)	1,391,019	
Excess State Education Taxes to Due to County Less: Shared Revenues Approved County Tax Effort County Tax Rate Combined Tax Rate Total Property Taxes Assessed Less: War Service Credits Add: Village District Commitm	444,880 — County Portion — 168,720 (2,579)	1,391,019 (3,400) 101,353*	
Excess State Education Taxes to Due to County Less: Shared Revenues Approved County Tax Effort County Tax Rate Combined Tax Rate Total Property Taxes Assessed Less: War Service Credits	444,880 — County Portion — 168,720 (2,579)	1,391,019 (3,400)	
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# SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Land after current use	\$ 61,897,225
Buildings	53,856,800
Electric Transmission Lines	3,484,971
TOTAL VALUATION	\$119,238,996

## TAX EXEMPT VALUATION

Current Use	\$ 653,375
Camp Berea	2,321,000
Audubon Society	3,010,000
TOTAL TAX EXEMPT VALUATION	\$ 5,984,375

# HISTORY OF TAX RATE

Year		Rate per \$1,000 of Valuation
1990		6.34
1991		5.98
1992		6.23
1993		6.08
1994		6.11
1995		6.15
1996		6.18
1997		6.29
1998	2	7.09
1999		12.69

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# TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

UNCOLLECTED TAXES Beginning of Fiscal Year:			1999			1998
Property Taxes					\$	28,590.14
Taxes Committed This Year:					·	
Property Taxes		1,	489,446.00			
Yield Taxes			18,232.48			
Interest Collected on Delinquent Ta	xe	S	549.93			1,390.68
Penalities -Bad Check			25.00			
TOTAL DEBITS		\$1,	508,298.41		\$	29,980.82
Remitted to Treasurer:						
Property Taxes		\$1,	334,926.34		\$	28,194.14
Yield Taxes			17,780.71			
Interest			594.93			1,390.68
Penalities Discounts Allowed:			25.00			
Abatements Made:			24,680.82			
Property Taxes			555.55			
Uncollected Taxes End of Fiscal Yea	r:		000.00			
Property Taxes			129,839.04			396.00
Yield Taxes			451.77			
TOTAL CREDITS		\$1,	508,298.41		\$	29,980.82
		1998	1992	7		1996
Balance Unredeemed Liens						
Beginning of Year	\$		\$ 8,276	5.98		\$ 6,781.93
Liens Executed During Year Interest & Costs Collected		7,777.01	406			2 2 2 0 8 2
		49.76	498			2,239.82
TOTAL DEBITS	\$	7,826.77	\$ 8,775	5.21		\$ 9,021.75
Remitted to Treasurer:						
Redemptions	\$	435.22	\$ 2,767	.97		\$ 6,221.72
Interest/Costs (After Lien Execution)		49.76	498			2,239.89
Unredeemed Liens Bal. End of Year		7,341.79	5,590	0.01		560.21
TOTAL CREDITS	\$	484.98	\$ 3,366	.20		\$ 8,461.54

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR 1999	TEMENT OF A	PPROPRI	ATIONS A	ND EXPEND	<b>DITURES F</b>	OR 1999
TITLE OF APPROPRIATION	Appropriation	Added Revenues	Total Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Executive	\$ 13,200.00	\$ 1,871.00	\$ 15,071.00	\$ 15,112.00		\$ 41.00
Financial Administration	19,500.00	12,000.00	31,500.00	27,243.00	4,257.00	
Election and Registration	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,818.00		618.00
General Governmental Building	13,000.00		13,000.00	9,777.00	3,223.00	
Cemeteries	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,023.00		23.00
Planning, Zoning & Historic	2,000.00		2,000.00	469.00	1,531.00	
Legal Expenses	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,232.00	268.00	
Welfare	2,500.00		2,500.00	1,112.00	1,388.00	
Regional Associations	1,100.00		1,100.00	1,099.00	1.00	
Insurance	16,000.00		16,000.00	14,537.00	1,463.00	
Police Department	26,100.00	725.00	26,825.00	26,742.00	83.00	
Fire Department including Ambulance	26,300.00	3,564.00	29,864.00	27,441.00	2,423.00	
Emergency Management	200.00		200.00	208.00		8.00
Highways and Streets	75,000.00	2,153.00	77,153.00	70,037.00	7,116.00	
Solid Waste Disposal	40,200.00		40,200.00	40,651.00		451.00
Health & Dog Control	3,800.00		3,800.00	3,401.00	399.00	
Library	4,500.00		4,500.00	4,356.00	144.00	
Park & Recreation	6,000.00		6,000.00	4,555.00	1,445.00	
- Patriotic	100.00		100.00	107.00		7.00
Interest - Bond	3,800.00		3,800.00	3,749.00	51.00	
Interest - Tan	5,500.00		5,500.00		5,500.00	
Principal on Long-term Note	14,000.00		14,000.00	14,000.00		
TOTALS	\$278,500.00	\$20,313.00	\$298,813.00	\$270,669.00	\$29,292.00	\$1,148.00
Net Unexpended of Appropriations				28,144.00		
GRAND TOTALS			\$298,813.00	\$298,813.00		

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# **BALANCE SHEET**

	— Assets —	
Cash, Checking Account Cash, Money Market Account as of	· \$ 821,308.00	¢ 937 202 00
Uncollected Yield Taxes Uncollected Property Taxes Unredeemed Taxes	\$ 452.00 130,235.00 13,492.00	\$ 826,283.00
TOTAL		<u>144,179.00</u> \$ 970,462.00
From other Governments: State of NH - Forestry Grant Federal Government - FEMA (Geo:	s 41,892.00 rge Rd.) 41,250.00	
TOTAL TOTAL ASSETS		<u>83,142.00</u> \$1,053,604.00
Unaverse de d'Anaria à Annue mistice	— Liabilities —	
Unexpended Special Appropriation	ns:	
From 1995 Town Meeting WA #		
11 Rogers Prop. 12 E911	\$ 3,671.00 1,770.00	
		\$ 5,441.00
From 1997 Town Meeting WA #		
11 Tax Mapping	\$ 3,500.00	3,500.00
From 1998 Town Meeting WA #		
<ul><li>11 H-G Athletic Field</li><li>14 Files (Fireproof)</li></ul>	\$ 3,000.00 361.00	
		3,361.00
From 1999 Town Meeting WA #		
5 Rogers House	\$ 9,507.00	
7 Gazebo 8 Tax Software	426.00 1,545.00	
10 Hobart Hill Road	33,423.00	
12 Butternut Ridge Road	3,159.00	
13 George Road (b) 14 George Road Bridge	1,000.00 53,186.00	
14 George Road Dridge		102,246.00
Total Unexpended Appropriations		\$114,548.00
Balance of Unexpended State Educ	ational Funding	\$ 4,257.00
School Tax Payable State Property Tax Payable		\$219,537.00 \$444,880.00
Total Liabilities		\$783,222.00
Fund Balance 12/31/99		\$270,382.00
TOTAL		\$ 1,053,604.00
Fund Balance Comparison Fund Balance 12/31/99		\$270,382.00
Fund Balance 12/31/99		\$157,708.00
CHANGE		(+) \$112,674.00

SCHEDULE	<b>OF TOWN</b>	PROPERTY
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Description	Tax Map Number	Value
Town Office, Land	17.026	\$ 15,000.00
Buildings		35,000.00
Furniture and Equipment		14,000.00
Libraries, Land	17.026	15,000.00
Buildings		40,000.00
Furniture and Equipment		50,000.00
Police Department, Equipment		8,000.00
Fire Department, Land	17.029	45,000.00
Building		100,000.00
Equipment		130,000.00
Highway Department, Land	8.015	30,000.00
Building		3,000.00
Equipment		17,000.00
Town Common	17.021	100,000.00
Memorial Beach	17A.012	400,000.00
Charles L. Bean Sanctuary	17.002	<u> </u>
Rogers Property, Land	17.056	65,000.00
Building		120,000.00
19ALVP Lots 106 & 130, Land		2,000.00
19 ALVP Lot 231, Land		1,000.00
School House, Land		15,000.00
Building		100,000.00
Equipment		30,000.00
TOTAL		\$1,485,000.00

# **BOND PAYMENTS**

Rogers Property	Principal '	. Interest
2000	14,000	2,915.50
2001	14,000	2,082.50
2002	14,000	1,249.50
2003	14,000	416.50
TOTAL DUE	\$56,000	\$ 6,664.00

### **REPORT OF TOWN CLERK 1999**

824	Motor Vehicles		\$84,330.00
99	Dog Licenses		539.50
15	Dog Penalties		36.00
	Marriage/Vital Record Copies		285.00
	UCC Filings		385.32
278	Dump Permits		278.00
4	Filing fees		4.00
1	Bad Čheck Fee	· ·	25.00
2	Wetland Permits		20.00
	Postage		.33
107	Beach Permits		1070.00
	Title Fees		18.00
TOTALS	FOR 1999 '		\$86,991.15

#### **1999 ANNUAL REPORT**

# TREASURER'S REPORT & DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS For Year Ending December 31, 1999

FROM LOCAL TAXES:		
Property Taxes - 1998	\$ 52,517.68	
Property Taxes - 1999	1,333,957.15	
Tax Liens Paid - 1997	8,989.69	
Tax Liens Paid - 1998	435.22	
Gravel Tax - 1999	47.74	
Yield Taxes - 1999	17,780.71	
Interest - 1997	2,738.05	
Interest - 1998	1,778.51	
Interest - 1999	590.78	
Costs & Fees - 1997	67.00	
Costs & Fees - 1998	235.50	
Costs & Fees - 1999	147.59	
Insufficient Funds Fees	50.00	
TOTAL		\$ 1,419,335.62
FROM THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE:		
Revenue Sharing	\$ 9,525.00	
Education Funding Payment		
(to offset "one-time town costs)	12,000.00	
Highway Block Grant	14,801.32	
Rooms & Meals Tax	8,024.02	
TOTAL		\$ 44,350.34
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FROM LICENSES AND PERMITS:		
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	\$ 84,348.00	
Dog Licenses & Penalties	582.00	
Marriage Licenses	175.00	
Wetlands Permits Fees	20.00	
UCC Fees	385.32	
Beach Permits	1,550.00	
HB Incinerator District Fees	447.00	
Boat Tax	5,243.94	
Building Permits	785.00	
Pistol Permits	100.00	
TOTAL		\$ 93,636.26
CHARGES FOR SERVICES:		
Snowplowing Fees	\$ 20,352.86	
Fire Protection	2,933.65	

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Police Department Services Ambulance Services	725.33 630.83	
TOTAL		\$ 24,642.67
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES:		
Interest on Money Market Account \$	863.31	
Current Use Recording Fees	12.33	
Sale of Planning Books	37.00	
Filing Fees	4.00	-
Vital Statistics	110.00	
Insurance Refund & Dividend	2,172.91	
Postage	.33	
Payment in Lieu of Taxes (Audubon)	800.00	
Purchase of Stockpiled Sand	310.00	
Voter Checklist	22.00	
School District Reimbursement - SB2 Voting	694.27	
Gazebo Program - NH Arts Grant	175.00	
Gazebo Program Donations	129.40	
Gazebo Program - Sale of Soda	51.28	
Photocopier Fees	75.60	
TOTAL		\$ 5,457.43
NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS		
.FEMA Funds	5,058.62	
Capital Reserve - Cemetery	600.00	
Reimbursement of Legal Fees	2,447.63	
Insufficient Funds Fees	25.00	
Reimbursement of Overpayments/Refunds	248.40	
Reimbursement of Overpayments		
(School District)	26,000.00	
Underpayment - Town Clerk	(.50)	
Planning Board Reimbursement - Secretary	161.48	
TOTAL		\$ 34,540.63
TOTAL RECEIPTS		\$1,621,962.95
Cash in Commercial Checking Account January	1, 1999	214,674.14
Cash in Money Market Account January 1, 1999		64,111.59
TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE		\$1,900,748.68
Less Selectmen's Orders Paid		(1,074,465.73)
CASH BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 1999		\$ 826,282.95
		<u> </u>
Cash in Commercial Checking Account Decemb	oer 31, 1999	\$ 821,308.05
Cash in Money Market Account December 31, 1		4,974.90
,		\$ 826 282 95

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#### **DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS**

EXECUTIVE		
Selectmen, Chairman	2,500.00	
Selectmen (2)	4,800.00	
Treasurer	2,000.00	
Tax Collector	2,000.00	
Town Clerk	2,871.32	
Payroll Related Taxes	891.49	
State of NH - UC	49.46	
		\$ 15,112.27
FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION		,
Secretaries	12,352.50	
State of NH - UC	49.46	
Seminars	436.36	
Associations	945.00	
Postage	1,544.76	
Books & Related Items	1,515.05	
Notices	444.55	
Telephone	927.28	
Supplies	810.28	
Copies	160.82	
Dept. of Agriculture	160.00	
Treasurer, State of NH	203.00	
Mileage	137.07	
Copier Expenses	493.07	
Asst. Town Clerk	198.00	
James Ashworth	1,137.67	
Payroll Related Taxes	981.53	
Bank Charges	45.00	
New Equipment	4,350.00	
Grafton County	71.76	
Auditors	280.00	
		\$ 27,243.16
<b>ELECTION &amp; REGISTRATION</b>		
Ballot Clerks	274.75	
Moderator	128.25	
Supervisors	477.75	
Notices	356.86	
Supplies	290.72	
Postage	25.51	
State of NH - UC	1.52	
James Ashworth	206.59	
Payroll Related Taxes	55.79	
,		\$ 1.817.74

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GENERAL GOVERNMENT BUILDING		
	2 0(2 17	
Electricity	3,863.17	
Heating	2,614.61	
Equipment Rental	363.00	
Building Repairs & Maintenance	768.14	
Custodian	497.33	
State of NH - UC	.95	
Supplies & Materials	274.18	
Payroll Related Taxes	22.95	
Union Congregational Church	600.00	-
Security System	85.20	
Waste Removal	136.00	
Mowing	551.00	
mounty		\$ 9,776.53
POLICE DEPARTMENT		
Harold Reilly, Police Chief	1,476.00	
Police Officers	7,694.00	
Special Duty	526.00	
Clerical	55.00	
Animal Control	33.00	
Payroll Related Taxes	748.48	
State of NH - UC	142.03	
Medical	325.00	
Telephone	1,207.42 30.60	
· Postage		
Supplies	587.17	
Communications	6,136.96	
Associations	175.00	
Seminars & Training	70.00	
Equipment Maintenance	20.00	
Mileage	365.50	
Security Storage	360.00	
Cruiser Maintenance	879.98	
Photography	143.53	
Ammunition	240.00	
Fuel	167.60	
Equipment	577.53	
Prosecutor	2,852.08	
Dispatching	2,914.63	
		\$ 27,727.51
FIRE DEPARTMENT		
Firefighters & EMS	7,540.52	
Seminars & Training	1,037.31 •	
Communications & Maintenance	565.47	
Equipment	3,295.73	
Inoculations	340.50	
Medical Supplies	982.84	
Fuel '	726.93	
i uci	120.70	

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Materials & Supplies	689.87	
Equipment Maintenance	3,855.20	
Telephone	622.73	
Dispatching	7,783.53	
		\$27,440.63
FOREST GRANT (ICE DAMAGE)	41,891.56	
		\$41,891.56
PLANNING, ZONING & HISTORIC		ψ11,071.50
Secretary	120.00	
Payroll Related Taxes	9.18	
State of NH - UC	.45	
Notices	49.85	
Postage	24.00	
Legal	266.00	
		\$469.48
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT		¢107110
Material & Supplies	208.28	
Material & Supplies		\$208.28
INSURANCE		Ψ200.20
CFNH	2 170 26	
NHMA Property Liability	3,179.26 11,358.00	
Mining Topeny Liability		\$14,537.26
RECIONAL ACCOCLATIONS		\$14, <i>337.2</i> 0
REGIONAL ASSOCIATIONS	040.00	
Lakes Region Planning	943.00	
Newfound Lakes Chamber of Commerce	156.00	¢1 000 00
		\$1,099.00
HEALTH DEPARTMENT	200.00	
NH Humane Society	309.00	
Home Health Care	2,192.30	
Hospitals	900.00	¢2 401 20
		\$3,401.30
SOLID WASTE		
H-B Refuse	40,478.00	
Hazardous Waste	173.00	¢40.451.00
		\$40,651.00
HIGHWAYS & STREETS		
Payroll	7,889.50	
Payroll Related Taxes	1,030.51	
State of NH-UC	92.25	
Subcontractors	15,407.98	
Salt	790.80	
Fuel	776.18	
Sand	3,544.57	
Equipment Maintenance	3,468.12	
Communications & Maintenance	737.85	
Gravel	687.85	

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Mowing	1,357.00	
Supplies	9,911.46	
Equipment Rental	20,236.83	
Culverts	2,816.00	
Portable Toilet	900.00	
Telephone	390.00	
receptione		\$ 70,036.90
FLOOD DAMAGE (9/16-9/.17/99)	5,380.98	\$ 7 0,000000
·		\$ 5,380.98
		. <i>Ф 3,3</i> 00.90
LIBRARY	2 ((5 00	
Librarian	2,665.00	
State of NH-UC	86.99	
Yearly Appropriation	1,400.25	
Payroll Related Taxes	203.87	¢ 4 057 11
		\$ 4,356.11
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES	-	
Flags	107.30	
		\$ 107.30
WELFARE		
Grafton County Senior Citizen	275.00	
Youth & Family Services	400.00	
Direct Assistance	437.00	
		\$ 1,112.00
PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS		
Subcontractors	1,087.02	
Equipment Rental	220.50	
Supplies & Materials	20.00	
Bridgewater - Hebron School	350.00	
Community Center	1,867.00	
		\$ 3,544.52
TOWN BEACH		
Stickers	62.50	
Waste Removal	112.80	
Portable Toilet	835.00	
		\$ 1,010.30
CEMETERIES		
Subcontractors	1,582.00	
Equipment Rental	441.00	
Equipment Kentur		\$ 2,023.00
LEGAL EXPENSES		+ =,======
Deachman & Cowie	2,231.54	
Deachman & Cowle	4,401.04	\$ 2,231.54
		$\psi 2,201.04$
TAXES BOUGHT BY THE TOWN	7 241 70	
Tax Collector	7,341.79	

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Tax Collector, Expenses	383.00	
Carol Elliott, Deed Research	80.00	
		\$ 7,804.79
ABATEMENTS, REFUNDS, & DISCOUNTS	1,117.74	4 • ) • • • • • •
MDATEMENTS, REPONDS, & DISCOUNTS	1,11/./4	¢ 1 117 74
		\$ 1,117.74
INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS		
Bond, Rogers Property	14,000.00	
Interest on Bond Note	3,748.50	
		\$ 17,748.50
CAPITAL OUTLAY		
Capital Reserve - Communication	3,000.00	
Capital Reserve - Police	6,000.00	
Capital Reserve - Highway	6,000.00	
Capital Reserve - Fire	12,000.00	
Capital Reserve - EMS	12,000.00	
Capital Reserve - Bridges	10,000.00	
Capital Reserve - Hwy Town Shed	7,000.00	
Capital Reserve - Town Hall	20,000.00	
WA 12 (95) E911	67.30	
WA11 (95) Rogers Property	145.00	
WA 6 (98) Hobart Hill	19,974.16	
WA 5 (98) George Road Repair	157.50	
WA10 (98) Painting	6,800.00	
WA14 (98) Fireproof Files	1,439.00	
WA16 (98) George Road Study	2,400.00	
WA15 (99) Office Equipment	2,000.00	
WA14 (99) George Road Bridge	1,831.13	
WA10 (99) Hobart Hill Improvements	21,602.99	
WA13 (99) George Road	21,464.52	
WA 5 (99) Rogers Property	493.00	
WA12 (99) Butternut Ridge	11,021.09	
WA 7 (99) Gazebo	1,724.05	
WA 6 (99) Fire Dept. Pagers	8,704.00	
WA 8 (99) Tax Software	4,455.00	
WA 4 (98) Gazebo	172.26	
		\$ 180,451.00
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL	DIVISION	4
Grafton County		
Newfound Area School District	168,720.00	
	296,393.00	
B-H Village District	101,052.93	¢ =(( 1(= 0)
		\$ 566,165.93
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TOTAL TOWN PAYMENTS		\$1,074,466.33

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# **REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HEBRON - MS9**

TRUST FL	JNDS	orrendo	or the rot	111 01		cipal	
DATE OF CREATION	NAME OF FUND	Purpose of Fund	HOW INVESTED	PCT.	BALANCE BEGINNING OF YEAR	NEW FUNDS CREATED	
СОММО	N TRUST 3 & 4 - CEMETER	Y			•		LINE
1977	Adams, Rodney	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	1.79	300:00		1
1981	Adams, Stella	General	NHPDIP-9 & 18	5.36	900.00	_	2
1943	Barnard, Lue	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.60	100.00	_	3
1923	Coburn, Fred	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	1.49	250.00	_	4
1997	Cowern, Allen, DeVo	General	NHPDIP-9 & 18	11.92	2,000.00	·	5
1961	Creamer, Charles	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.60	100.00	_	6
1938	Flint, Arthur	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.15	25.00	-	7
1904	George, Ellen	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.60	100.00	_	8
1949	Gurney, Elizabeth	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.60	100.00		9
1910	Hammond, Susan	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.15	25.00	_	10
1936	Hazelton, Hattie	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.60	100.00	_	11
1896	Hemphill, Ester	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.30	50.00		12
1957	Jesseman, Viola	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.60	100.00	_	13
1972	Jewell, Frank	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.89	150.00	_	14
1942	Jewell, Celia & M	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.30	50.00	_	15
1896	Kemp, D.N.	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	2.29	385.00	_	16
1969	Lane, Agnes	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.60	100.00		10
1927	McClure, Justin	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	1.19	200.00	_	18
1960	Morgan, Harry	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	2.98	500.00	_	10
1900	Morgan, Harry Morse, William	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.30	50.00		20
1914	Noyes, David & Is		NHPDIP-9 & 18			-	
		Perpetual		5.96	1,000.00	.—	21
1896	Powers, Deborah	General	NHPDIP-9 & 18	5.96	1,000.00	-	22
1965	Rogers and Nutting	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	5.96	1,000.00	_	23
1965	Rogers, Mary	General	NHPDIP-9 & 18	17.85	3,000.00	_	24
1965	Ross, William & M	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	1.19	200.00	-	25
1989	Russell, Mary & R	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	17.85	3,000.00	—	26
1989	Russell, Mary & R	General		- 5.96	1,000.00	_	27
1990	Sanborn, N.W. & G	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	2.98	500.00	—	28
-1918	Stanyon, Annie	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	1.19	200.00	—	29
1935	Walker, Laura	Perpetual	NHPDIP-9 & 18	1.19	200.00	-	30
1916	Woodbury, Sabina	General	NHPDIP-9 & 18	0.60	100.00		31
	TOTAL COMMON TRUS	[ 3 & 4 - CEMETE	RY	100.00	16,785.00	0.00	32
COMMO	N TRUST 1 - LIBRARY						33
1985	Bancroft, Charles	Books	NHPDIP-10	45.45	2,000.00	_	34
1940	Emerson, Thomas	Books	NHPDIP-10	4.55	200.00	_	35
1904	George, Ellen	Books	NHPDIP-10	4.55	200.00	_	36
1965	Rogers, Mary	Books	NHPDIP-10	45.45	2,000.00		37
	TOTAL COMMON TRUS	T 1 - LIBRARY	A CARLENGER CONTRACTOR	100.00	4,400.00	0.00	38
COMMO	N TRUST 2 - CHURCH						39
	Baptist Society	Church	NHPDIP-11	4.08	176.00	<u> </u>	40
1896	Perkin, Sally	Church	NHPDIP-11	79.69	3,438.00	_	41
1896	Powers, C.W.	Church	NHPDIP-11	16.23	700.00	_	42
	TOTAL COMMON TRUS			100.00	4,314.00	0.00	43
1896	Baptist Parsonage School		NHPDIP-17	100.00	458.71	_	44
1909	Franklin Fogg	Town Common	NHPDIP-12		500.00		45
	LL TRUST FUNDS	Town Common		100.00		0.00	
TOTAL A	LL IKUSI FUNDS	•			26,457.71	0.00	46

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# For Year Ending December 31, 1999

					ror	Tear End	ng Decemb	er 31, 1999
	Pri WITH- DRAWALS	ncipal BALANCE END OF YEAR	BALANCE BEGINNING OF YEAR	PCT.	Income INCOME DURING YEAR	EXPENDED DURING YEAR	BALANCE END OF YEAR	Grand Total YEAR-END PRINCIPAL & INCOME
LIN	E							
1	_	300.00	438.29	2.05	35.69	12.30	461.68	761.68
2	_	900.00	1,013.60	5.32	92.62	31.92	1,074.30	1,974.30
3	_	100.00	228.47	0.91	15.84	5.46	238.85	338.85
4	_	250.00	681.39	2.59	45.09	15.54	710.94	960.94
5		2,000.00	101.12	5.84	101.67	35.04	167.75	
6	_	100.00	79.52	0.50	8.71	3.00		2,167.75
7	_	25.00			3.83		85.23	185.23
8	_		52.96	0.22		1.32	55.47	80.47
	-	100.00	215.06	0.88	15.32	5.28	225.10	325.10
9	-	100.00	79.52	0.50	8.71	3.00	85.23	185.23
10	-	25.00	46.17	0.20	3.48	1.20	48.45	73.45
11	_	100.00	221.73	0.89	15.49	5.34	231.88	331.88
12	—	50.00	78.73	0.36	6.27	2.16	82.84	132.84
13	_	100.00	265.81	1.02	17.76	6.12	277.45	377.45
14	-	150.00	270.01	1.17	20.37	7.02	283.36	433.36
15	—	50.00	143.12	0.54	9.40	3.24	149.28	199.28
16	—	_ 385.00	634.44	2.83	49.27	16.98	666.73	1,051.73
17	-	100.00	201.47	0.84	14.62	5.04	211.05	311.05
18	-	200.00	558.68	2.11	36.74	12.66	582.76	782.76
19	_	500.00	404.29	2.51	43.70	15.06	432.93	932.93
20	_	50.00	112.53	0.45	7.83	2.70	117.66	167.66
21	—	1,000.00	3,152.31	11.54	200.91	69.24	3,283.98	4,283.98
22	—	1,000.00	1,157.49	6.00	104.46	36.00	1,225.95	2,225.95
23	_	1,000.00	3,311.58	11.99	208.75	71.94	3,448.39	4,448.39
24	_	3,000.00	3,475.71	18.00	313.38	108.00	3,681.09	6,681.09
25	_	200.00	280.99	1.34	23.33	8.04	296.28	496.28
26	_	3,000.00	855.85	10.72	186.64	64.32	978.17	3,978.17
27		1,000.00	285.49	3.57	62.15	21.42	326.22	1,326.22
28		500.00	157.13	1.83	31.86	10.98	178.01	678.01
29	_	200.00	77.69	0.77	13.41	4.62	86.48	286.48
30	_	200.00	436.74	1.77	30.82	10.62	456.94	656.94
31	_	100.00	167.49	- 0.74	12.88	4.44	175.93	275.93
$\frac{31}{32}$	0.00	16,785.00	19,185.38	100.00	1741.00	600.00	20,326.38	37,111.38
_								
33								
34	_	2,000.00	109.22	45.45	102.08	0.00	211.30	2,211.30
35	_	200.00	10.93	4.55	10.22	0.00	21.15	221.15
36	_	200.00	10.93	4.55	10.22	0.00	21.15	221.15
37		2,000.00	109.22	45.45	102.07	0.00	211.29	2,211.29
38	0.00	4,400.00	240.30	100.00	224.59	0.00	464.89	4,864.89
20								
39		17( 00	0.(1	4.00	0.00	0.00	10 (0	104 (0
40	_	176.00	9.61	4.08	8.99	0.00	18.60	194.60
41	—	3,438.00	187.87	79.69	175.66	0.00	363.53	3,801.53
42	_	700.00	38.27	16.23	35.78	0.00	74.05	774.05
43	0.00	4,314.00	235.75	100.00	220.43	0.00	456.18	4,770.18
44	_	458.71	110.90	100.00	27.32	0.00	138.22	596.93
45	_	500.00	1,129.11	100.00	78.70	0.00	1,207.81	1,707.81
46	0.00	26,457.71	20,901.44	_	2,292.04	600.00	22,593.48	49,051.19

# REPORT OF COMMON TRUST FUND INVESTMENTS OF THE TOWN OF HEBRON

COMMON	TRUST FUNDS	3		F BALANCE	Principal	LINE
NO. SHARES OR UNITS	DESCRIPTION	OF INVESTMENT		BEGINNING OF YEAR	PURCHASES	
4	Library	Common Trust 1 NHPDIP-10	MBLA	4,400.00		1
3	Church	Common Trust 2 NHPDIP-11	MBIA	4,314.00	_	2
31	Cemetery	Common Trust 3 NHPDIP-18	MBIA	12,927.50		3
	Cemetery	Common Trust 4 NHPDIP-09	MBLA	3,856.75	. –	4
TOTAL ALL	COMMON T	RUST FUNDS		25,498.25	0.00	5

### **REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HEBRON-MS9**

	Principal LIN								
DATE OF CREATION	NAME OF FUND	PURPOSE OF FUND	HOW INVESTED		BALANCE BEGINNING OF YEAR	NEW FUNDS CREATED			
CAPITAL	CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS								
1990	Police	Cruiser re	NHPDIP-01	MBIA	21,383.63	6,000.00	6		
1981	Capital Eqp, Highway	Eqp purch	NHPDIP-02	MBIA	28,785.32	6,000.00	7		
1980	Fire	Cap. expense	NHPDIP-03	MBLA	51,234.68	12,000.00	8		
1945	Lake Shore Memorial	Lake lot	NHPDIP-04	MBLA	2,895.21	_	9		
1995	EMS	Ambulance	NHPDIP-05	MBLA	17,000.00	12,000.00	10		
1995	Communications	Cap. expense	. NHPDIP-06	MBLA	7,756.64	3,000.00	11		
1995	Wetlands Mapping	Costs	NHPDIP-07	MBLA	0.00	-	12		
1992	Cockersmth/GeoBrook	Bridges	NHPDIP-08	MBLA	67,602.72	10,000.00	13		
1996	Town Hall	Construction	NHPDIP-13	MBIA	60,000.00	20,000.00	14		
1996	Hobart Hill Rd.	Rebuilding	NHPDIP-14	MBIA	25,359.21	_	15		
1970	Common Tree	Tree Care	NHPDIP-15	MBLA	888.87	-	16		
1977	Tricentennial	Celebration	NHPDIP-16	MBIA	- 525.10	_	17		
1999	Town Shed	Building	NHPDIP-19	MBIA	0.00	7,000.00	18		
See note below									
TOTAL CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS         283,431.38         76,000.00         19									
	TOTAL ALL <u>TRUST</u> FUN	DS			26,457.71	0.00	20		
	GRAND TOTAL - CAPIT	AL RESERVES &	TRUST FUNDS		309,889.09	76,000.00	21		

Note: 1998 New funds of \$66,500.00 were received in check form on 12/30/98, mailed on 12/30/98 and deposited in NHPDIP on 1/5/99, and are included here in the Balances Beginning of Year 1999.

## For Year Ending December 31, 1999

LINE	Prin	ncipal		Inco	ome		Grand Totals
	SALES	BALANCE END OF YEAR	BALANCE BEGINNING OF YEAR	INCOME DURING YEAR	EXPENDED DURING YEAR	BALANCE END OF YEAR	YEAR-END PRINCIPAL & INCOME
1	·	4,400.00	240.30	224.59	0.00	464.89	4,864.89
2	-	4,314.00	235.75	220.43	0.00	456.18	4,770.18
3	_	12,927.50	19,698.79	**** 1,579.58	0.00	21,278.37	34,205.87
4	-	3,856.75	(512.66)	**** 161.42	600.00	(951.24)	2,905.51
5	0.00	25,498.25	19,662.18	2,186.02	600.00	21,248.20	46,746.45

\*\*\*\*NHPDIP 18 & 9 shared expenditure.

#### For Year Ending December 31, 1999

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LINE	Prin	cipal			Inc	ome		Grand Totals
	WITH-	BALANCE	BALANCE		INCOME	EXPENDED	BALANCE	YEAR-END
	DRAWALS	END	BEGINNING		DURING	DURING	END	PRINCIPAL
	DIDITINEO	OF YEAR	OF YEAR		YEAR	YEAR	OF YEAR	& INCOME
		01 12/01	01 12/01				OFFERI	
6	- ~	27,383.63	2,304.82	_	1,146.63	-	3,451.45	30,835.08
7	_	34,785.32	6,540.62		1,710.00	-	8,250.62	43,035.94
8	_	63,234.68	7,288.93	_	2,833.34		10,122.27	73,356.95
9	_	2,895.21	800.69		179.01	_	979.70	3,874.91
10	_	29,000.00	525.50	—	848.67	_	1,374.17	30,374.17
11	_	10,756.64	285.72	—	389.21	_	674.93	11,431.57
12	-	0.00	, 79.96	-	3.66		83.62	83.62
13		77,602.72	13,764.21		3,939.01	_	17,703.22	95,305.94
14		80,000.00	3,285.54	-	3,063.00	_	6,348.54	86,348.54
15		25,359.21	2,487.32	—	1,348.43	—	3,835.75	29,194.96
16	-	888.87	216.68	—	53.88	—	270.56	1,159.43
17	—	525.10	128.57	-	31.51		160.08	685.18
18	_	7,000.00	0.00		3.70		3.70	7,003.70
19	0.00	359,431.38	37,708.56	_	15,550.05	0.00	53,258.61	412,689.99
20	0.00	26,457.71	20,901.44	_	2,292.04	600.00	22,593.48	49,051.19
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21	0.00	385,889.09	58,610.00	—	17,842.09	600.00	75,852.09	461,741.18

Questions regarding the individual funds may be addressed to the trustees. Trustees of Trust Funds: Donna Esty, Kellie Braconier, Robert Alenson

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# HEBRON LIBRARY FINANCIAL REPORT

Beginning Balance January 1, 1999	\$ 796.25
INCOME: Town of Hebron Interest Trust Funds Gifts Book and Bake Sale and other sales Misc. Credit Total Income for 1999	$ \begin{array}{c} 1,400.25\\ 9.90\\ 0.00\\ 400.00\\ 402.06\\ 0.00\\ \hline 2,212.41 \end{array} $
EXPENDITURES: Books Magazines Audio/Video Supplies Furniture/Fixtures Travel (Large Print) Postage Dues/Memberships Petty Cash Misc. Debit* Total Expended in 1999	\$ 1,348.11 282.32 50.00 162.49 19.96 100.00 24.00 0.00 20.00 64.55 \$ 2,068.43
Total Income Total Expended Balance on hand December 31, 1999	2,212.41 2,068.43 940.23
Other Assets: Petty Cash Carry *Includes check charge, window boxes, etc.	4.09

#### HEBRON POLICE DEPARTMENT Annual Report for 1999

For the year of 1999 the Hebron Police Department received over four hundred and fifty calls for services and information through the Grafton County Sheriff's dispatching services as well as calls to the Chief's home, Lt. White's residence and Officer Gabler's home. There were over six hundred radio calls and there were forty-six emergency 911 calls resulting in almost one emergency run every week.

Domestic Violence calls were again our biggest problem which resulted in over a dozen criminal complaints and arrests of both adult and juvenile offenders. Three of our officers were assaulted and injured in effecting arrests in one of these domestic encounters which resulted in one juvenile arrested and two adults arrested and all jailed. Motor vehicle accidents were down as well as other violations but court time was up due to backlogs and offenders given postponements of their trials.

The members of the Hebron Police Department will continue to provide the necessary services to the citizens of Hebron to the best of our abilities and resources to make sure Hebron remains a safe place to live and raise a family. I thank the citizens and selectmen for their past support and hope they will continue in the future.

Respectfully submitted, Harold T. Reilly Sr. Chief of Police

Lieut. Wm. White Off. Wm. Gabler Off. J. Somers

I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to all the people, selectmen and members of the Police Department for their sympathy, understanding and help they showed and gave me this past year in which I lost my wife and two other members of my family. Your support and kindness was greatly appreciated by my family and me. Thank you again, very much.

H. T. Reilly Sr.

#### HEBRON FIRE DEPARTMENT Annual Report for 1999

In 1999 the Hebron Fire Department responded to 135 calls. This compares with 122 calls in 1998, 110 calls in 1997, 116 calls in 1996.

The type of incidents breaks down as follows: 79 medical emergencies, 18 requests for mutual aid, 6 alarm activations, 3 chimney fires, 2 smoke investigations, 7 trees on wires, 3 transformer fires, 2 trees down, 2 carbon monoxide investigations, 1 brush fire, 1 oven fire, 1 heavy equipment fire, 2 hazardous material incidents, and 8 service calls. I am happy to report that there were no major fires in the town during 1999.

The trend of the last few years continued, as we experienced an increase in emergency medical calls. These ran the gamut from illness to all manner of accidents involving personal injury.

I reported last year that we were engaged in extensive planning for a new radio communication system throughout our mutual aid association. During 1999 the Hebron Fire Department began acquiring the equipment for the upgrade. Our plan is to complete our purchases for upgrade during 2000, well before the December 2001 deadline. This new system necessitates that we share in the cost of the new dispatch center and associated hardware with thirty-four other towns. This increase will be in the order of \$2,700 a year. This is a reasonable fee, considering what we are getting for the money: a state-of-the-art communication center for handling emergencies and a radio transmitter on the new tower atop Tenny Mountain. This will eliminate the shortcomings of our current system and fill in all the dead spots we have to deal with now.

As of 1999 we have completed four years of ambulance service in the town. Your support for this service has been most gratifying, and in hindsight it is clear we made the right decision in implementing it. When one considers what towns without their own ambulance are now being charged for service, we have a bargain.

In the fall of 1999 we contracted with Comstar, Inc. to do our ambulance billing. The complexity of billing insurance companies and the follow-up of denied claims were more than we could do in-house. Now, with our billing being handled by this professional service, we should expect \$12,000 to \$14,000 a year income (I'll let you know how good my estimate is next town meeting).

Our 1984 ambulance is now 16 years old, and while it still answers the call of duty, it is time to replace it. Safety standards have changed, built-in systems have changed, and we want to provide our citizenry the best in emergency medical care.

Finally, I want to thank the community for the support it has given the department. Our success reflects your concern for the safety and well-being of our town and its people.

Respectfully submitted, John M. Fischer, Chief

## HEBRON FIRE DEPARTMENT IMPROVEMENT FUND 1/1/99 through 12/31/99

INCOME			
Opening Balance		\$7,506.24	
Donations		595.00	
Fund-raising		517.01	
Interest Earned		82.66	
Medical Service		120.00	
Memorial Gifts		760.00	
Pool Fill		1,150.00	
Rabies Clinic		218.00	
Reimbursement:			
Medical Supplies	211.85		
Pager Service	358.16		
Training	75.00		
Reimbursement - Other	912.04		
Total Reimbursement		1,557.05	
Scrap Aluminum		40.52	
TOTAL INCOME			\$ 12,546.48
EXPENSES			
Bank Charges		5.00	
Food Supplies		18.86	
Med. Coverage		99.98	
Med. Supplies		252.98	
Miscellaneous		137.00	
New Equipment		1,128.57	
Pager Service		476.64	
Surplus Prop.		135.00	
Training:			
Fire-Res.	105.00		
Medical	180.00		
Training - Other	75.00		
Total Training		360.00	
0		360.00	\$ 2,614.03

#### PEMI-BAKER HOME HEALTH AGENCY An Agency Review: 1999

#### Town Representative: Enid Reed

1999 has continued to be a challenging year for home care providers. The biggest obstacle for all home care agencies, was around the issue of Medicare cuts to the home health benefit. The Balanced Budget Act of 1997 was designed to curb the growth of the benefit by reducing spending over a five-year period by \$16.1 billion. In actuality, that figure is actually closer to \$47 billion. In 1997, approximately 9 percent of Medicare healthcare spending went to pay for home care. In 1998, after passage of the Balanced Budget Act, only 6.2 percent of the Medicare budget went to home care. The figures projected for 1999 and 2000 indicate an even lower amount. Over the past two years, more than 2,000 home health agencies across the country have been forced to close, and hundreds of thousands of Medicare beneficiaries are no longer receiving home health services.

Pemi-Baker Home Health took a proactive approach to their business and instituted case management for clinical services. Like most agencies preparing for further reductions, Pemi-Baker also made significant reductions in clinical and administrative staff in an effort to contain costs under the Medicare cuts. Conservative in their visit frequency, the home care staff spend additional time performing multiple tasks that were once associated with additional visits. Well thought out business strategies, and shear determination, were key to Pemi-Baker's ability to survive many changes in healthcare and to sustain short- as well as long-term viability.

1999 was another successful fund-raising year. For all town residents who made a contribution to the agency—thank you. The agency works extremely hard to bring in money for programs that are not funded by traditional sources. Pemi-Baker is also a member of the Rural Home Care Network and, together with eleven other central NH agencies, managed to secure five major healthcare contracts.

The Hospice Program remains active and vital to patients and families facing terminal illness. Diane Arsenault, MD, assumed the position of Medical Director for the program after Joseph Rotella, MD, moved from the area. The agency holds blood pressure clinics, immunization clinics, foot care clinics, diabetic screening as well as their annual Flu Clinic. Health promotion and newborn visits are performed on a regular basis. The agency represents home care by participating in the Wellness Series sponsored by Speare Memorial Hospital. Be sure to read their newsletter that comes out three times a year—it's full of good information.

In closing, Pemi-Baker Home Health remains your local, nonprofit agency, dedicated to providing in-home health care and supportive services to residents of all ages who need to recover from surgery or illness, have chronic or terminal illnesses, or need other supportive services. Home care staff work as a team of caring professionals, providing a benefit for all involved. Home care takes place where people want to be taken care of—in their homes. By remaining dedicated supporters, we will enable Pemi-Baker Home Health to take care of people who need and deserve it.

#### Hebron Visit Statistics

Skilled Nursing: 69 • Physical Therapy: 36 • Home Health Aide: 97

#### REPORT TO THE PEOPLE OF DISTRICT ONE by Executive Councilor Ray Burton

It is a pleasure to report to you as one of your elected officials serving on the five-member Executive Council within the Executive Branch of your NH State Government. This five-member elected group acts much like a board of directors for your very large NH State Government carrying out the law and budget as passed by the NH House & Senate and signed into law by the Governor. We also act upon gubernatorial nominations to the entire Judicial Branch of your Government, State Supreme Court, Superior Court, Probate Court, District Court—all are nominated by the Governor, a posted public hearing must be held by the Council and then a vote to deny or confirm the nomination is held. Persons interested in serving on a volunteer board of commission should contact Kathy Goode at the Governor's Office, 271-2121.

This is a brief list & quick reference of some of the available services from NH State Government for citizens looking for financial and technical assistance and general information.

- Adjutant General John Blair (Army & Air Guard of NH) 271-1200. Community Presentations on Drug Demand Education.
- **Director Bruce Cheney of the NH Emergency E-911 Office** 271-6900. Mapping Services to towns, tours, and presentations available.
- Director Art Haeussler of the State & Federal Surplus 271 -2602. Informative newsletter about surplus foods, products, etc.
- **Commissioner Steve Taylor, NH Dept. of Agriculture** 271-2561. Information on restoring old barns, controlling pests, has NH Weekly Market Bulletin available.
- Attorney General Phil McLaughlin 271-3658. Financial grants for domestic violence victim assistance, consumer protection bureau. Call Mark Thompson for listing.
- **Consumer Advocate Mike Holmes** (Public Utilities) 1-800-852-3793. Handles complaints about electric bills, phone bills, etc.
- NH Director of Prison Industries Dennis Race 271-1875. Available products in furniture, data entry, signs, decals, car repair, printing and web page development.
- NH Director of Historical Resources Nancy Dutton 271-3558. Consults, has information about, historic structures, preservation, and appropriate laws and regulations.
- NH State Librarian Mike York 1-800-499-1232. Has services for persons with disabilities, electronic information, archives and political library.
- NH Director of Emergency Management Woodbury Fogg 1-800-852-3792. Is ready to respond to inquiries about ice jams, floods, high winds, oil spills, big fires, etc.
- NH Employment Security Comm. John Ratoff 1-800-852-3400. Finds employees, trains them, keeps them working.
- NH Environmental Services Comm. Robert Varney 271-3503. Air Resources, Waste Management (dumps/landfills) water/sewers, wetlands permits, river management.

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- NH Fish & Game Dept. Director Wayne Vetter 271-3421. Hunter Education, public boat launches, wildlife centers.
- NH Health & Human Services Comm. Don Shumway 1-800-852-3345. Public Health, AIDS info, mental health, youth & families, long-term care, disabilities, elderly services, ombudsman.
- NH Insurance Dept./Comm. Paula Rogers 1-800-852-3416. Processes complaints about insurance fraud.
- NH Labor Department Comm. Jim Casey 1-800-272-4353. Handles complaints about wage and hours, workers' compensation, and vocational rehabilitation.

NH Community Technical College System Comm. Glenn DuBois 1-800-247-3420. Info on programs for college credit, scholarships, at the seven-campus system throughout the State.

NH Dept. of Resources & Economic Development Comm. George Bald 271-2411. Info on all State parks, economic development, ski operations, trails bureau, tourism maps, State forestry nursery and international commerce, and camping reservations.

- NH Department of Safety Comm. Richard Flynn 271-2791. Fire safety standards/training, motor vehicle registration, boating safety, State Police.
- NH Secretary of State William Gardner 1-800-562-4300. Corporate name department, records management & archives, securities regulation.
- NH Transportation Dept. Comm. Leon Kenison 271-3734. NH Airports, bridges, highway design, public transportation, railroads, public works—all are part of this key department.
- NH Veterans Council Director Dennis Viola 1-800-622-9230. Advocate for veterans and their families.
- NH Veterans Home in Tilton, Commandant Barry Conway 286-4412. A very suitable home for veterans with approved care and rehabilitative services.
- NH Youth Services Dept. Comm. Peter Favreau 271-5942. Youth Center in Manchester, Detention Center in Concord, and the Tobey School for Youth. All of NH State Government is accessible through 271-1110 and through the NH Webster System at http://www.state.nh.us, or call my office anytime at 271-3632, or e-mail to rburton.@gov.state.nh.us

Respectfully submitted, Raymond S. Burton State House Room 207 Concord, NH 03301

#### **BRISTOL COMMUNITY CENTER 1999 Report to the Town of Hebron**

The Staff of the BCC wishes everyone a Happy & Healthy New Year. This year has been a great year at the BCC. We had a new ceiling and lights installed in Tapply Hall and the nursery school room. This has made a tremendous difference. We had some major furnace problems this year and had to have these attended to. We would like to thank Shirley Yorks for the wonderful landscaping work that she has done on the outside of the building. She has put in endless hours and made the outside of the building a place to be proud of. We also thank Doug Lamos for the time he put in repairing the stone wall in the front of the building. We are in the process of applying for grants and fundraising money to fix the outside wall of the archery range to stop the leaking we have experienced in the downstairs for many years.

The BCC has been a busy place with record numbers attending our programs in 1999. We added a Pre-Camp Open House Program to assist working parents. We continue to offer our Teen Open House Program on Tuesday evenings with a growing number of teens attending each week to play pool, basketball, ping pong, computers or watch movies. We have also begun a Cooking Time during this program where the teens can cook a meal to serve all participants. Also new this year was yoga, beginner wrestling, ballroom & line dancing, acting programs and guitar lessons. During the course of a normal week at the BCC over 1,000 people come through our doors for the many programs offered.

Hebron residents participated in many programs offered during 1999. They were offered archery, baseball, basketball, dances, Teen Open House, After School Open House, karate, junior high basketball, baseball & softball, umpire clinics, Red Cross First Aid & CPR, hunter safety, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Tot Time, SHARE, volleyball, summer programs, Haunted House, Ghost Walk, Easter Egg Hunt, Father & Daughter Valentines Dance, Carnival Queen, Jack Frost & Miss Snowflake, soccer, gymnastics, TOPS, Tai Chi, craft classes, senior citizen lunches and trips, Santa's Village, yoga, softball pitching clinics, acting classes, wrestling, guitar classes, dance classes and more.

We want to thank the Newfound Area School District for their continued support of the BCC and its programs. We hold many of our programs and practices at the local schools to accommodate our growing numbers. We are now using the Bridgewater Hebron Village School for our basketball program and it is a wonderful facility to have available for the kids and adults. Our soccer program has more than doubled in the last few years. We are grateful for their appreciation of the importance of recreation in the Newfound Area.

In ending the BCC wishes to thank the many Hebron volunteers who have donated their time and energies by working in our sports leagues, helping with our Haunted House, Santa's Village and our numerous other fund-raising and youth activities. Thank you all!! We couldn't do it without you.

> Respectfully submitted, Leslie Dion, Director of Recreation

#### GRAFTON COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS COUNCIL, INC. 1999 ANNUAL REPORT

Grafton County Senior Citizens Council, Inc. is a private nonprofit organization that provides programs and services to support the health and wellbeing of our older citizens. The Council's programs enable elderly individuals to remain independent in their own homes and communities for as long as possible.

The Council operates eight senior centers in Plymouth, Littleton, Canaan, Lebanon, Bristol, Orford, Haverhill and Lincoln and also sponsors the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program of the Upper Valley and White Mountains (RSVP). Through the centers and RSVP, older adults and their families take part in a range of community-based long-term services including home delivered meals, congregate dining programs, transportation, adult day care, chore/ home repair services, recreational and educational programs, and volunteer opportunities.

During 1999, 41 older residents of Hebron were served by one or more of the Council's programs offered through the Plymouth Regional Senior Center:

- Older adults from Hebron enjoyed 852 balanced meals in the company of friends in the Plymouth Center's dining room.
- They received 906 hot, nourishing meals delivered to their homes by caring volunteers.
- They received assistance with problems, crises or issues of long-term care through 89 visits by a trained social worker.
- Hebron's citizens also volunteered to put their talents and skills to work for a better community through 98 hours of volunteer service.

The cost to provide Council services for Hebron residents in 1999 was \$10,918.

Such services can be critical to elderly individuals who want to remain in their own homes and out of institutional care in spite of chronic health problems and increasing physical frailty. They also contribute to a higher quality of life for our older friends and neighbors. In addition, communitybased services offered by the Council save tax dollars over nursing home care or other long-term care options. As our population grows older, supportive services such as those offered by the Council become even more critical.

Grafton County Senior Citizens Council very much appreciates Hebron's support for our programs that enhance the independence and dignity of older citizens and enable them to meet the challenges of aging in the security and comfort of their own communities and homes.

Carol W. Dustin Executive Director

# PEMI-BAKER YOUTH & FAMILY SERVICES COUNCIL, INC. 1999 Annual Report

The Council is an organization dedicated to promoting community-wide approaches that support the development of healthy youths and their families. The Council currently coordinates five programs that are available to people in Eastern Grafton County:

- 1. Juvenile Court Diversion a voluntary program for first-time juvenile offenders which holds them accountable for their actions. Volunteers from the community develop a contract with each youth and family. Contracts may include community service, referrals to other agencies and programs, personal development tasks, etc. We have found that, of the youths who graduated from Diversion in 1996 through 1998, 92% have not committed a subsequent offense since, saving tens of thousands of dollars in court-ordered services.
- 2. Plymouth District Court Community Service Program coordinates and tracks youths through productive community service projects in their own home towns.
- 3. The OPTIONS Program a 12-hour early intervention program for teens which focuses on alcohol, tobacco and other drugs. Courses are nonjudgmental and confidential. Teens in the small groups are asked to assess their relationships with these substances and learn what they can do to reduce their use or stop using entirely. Of all the youths who successfully completed the program in 1996 through 1998, not one, 0%, has re-offended.
- 4. OCTAA (On Campus Talking About Alcohol & Other Drugs) offered in cooperation with local police departments and Plymouth State College, OCTAA provides an effective educational opportunity for anyone age 18+. This is also a lifetime risk-reduction program on the use and abuse of drugs, and is self-funded.
- 5. Information and Referral provides area residents with a clearinghouse of information on regional human service agencies and programs. People calling the **PEMI-BAKER RESOURCE LINE** (a collaborative program with Speare Hospital and the Whole Village) can receive free and confidential assistance on how to access these resources. Callers ask how to report child abuse, how to access public assistance or counseling services, where to find after school activities for children, etc. The Council will distribute over 3000 comprehensive *Grafton County Resource Guides* in 2000 to help towns, police, schools and other human service providers find services for the people they work with.

Total service figures for the Council are as follows:	1998	1999		
Juvenile Court Diversion/Teen Court				
OPTIONS Program				
Information and Referral calls and visits				
Grafton County Resource Guides.		3000		
OCTAA (no summer course)				
Respectfully submitted,				

Steven P. Bradley, Executive Director

## GAZEBO PROGRAMS 1999

Using money appropriated at the March Town Meeting, donations collected at the programs and made directly to the Gazebo Fund, a grant from the New Hampshire State Council on the Arts, and the sponsorship of a program by the Hebron Historical Society, we were able to bring a variety of events to the Gazebo in 1999.

The first program was the 39th Army Band which performed to an audience of over 200 people who turned out on a sweltering evening to hear the music played by the members of the New Hampshire National Guard. There have been many requests to hear this group again.

We tried another format for the Camp Program by having "Two Fiddles", Dudley and Jacqueline Laufman, who were to teach and play country dance music which we hoped the campers and audience would enjoy. Unfortunately, due to inclement weather, scheduling conflicts and the problems of moving the program to the Camp Berea gym, the campers were not able to attend. However, there were other people in attendance who enjoyed the commentary and music the Laufmans provided.

The Hebron Historical Society sponsored "The Carter Mountain Boys" who entertained with their popular toe-tapping bluegrass music.

A new kind of concert took place when John Faggiano from the Concord School of Music got over 80 people involved in playing percussion instruments. Young and old had a chance to make music playing drums, cymbals, bells, tambourines and sticks. Even after the "official" concert ended, John led people in some more of that ancient art form.

The Family Fun Day was a great success with more activities and events. The cribbage, basketball and frisbee throw competitions were popular, B.J. Hickman, the magician, delighted all who saw his show, and the State Police canine demonstration was interesting. A new addition to the day was a fund-raising barbecue put on by the Fire Department and a dessert making competition. After the desserts were judged, they were served for all to enjoy at the supper. The folk singers, David Colburn and Deborah Stuart, gave a concert which had been sponsored in part by a grant from the New Hampshire Council on the Arts and The National Endowment for the Arts. The day ended with a display of fireworks put on by Jack Bradley that drew applause from all.

The trumpeter who performed for the Salute to Veterans program put on by the Hebron Historical Society on Veterans Day, November 11, was also sponsored by the Gazebo Programing Fund.

At least 100 people attended each of the Gazebo events this past year, and the coordinators would like to thank the people who made donations and voted to support the programs, Bill White Realty for providing the free popcorn at each event, Camp Berea for providing ice and a backup hall, The Hebron Historical Society and The New Hampshire Council on the Arts for sponsoring programs, and the people who helped make and serve popcorn and drinks.

We look forward to another year of fine family programing at the Gazebo on the Hebron Common in 2000 and appreciate suggestions for possible programs and artists.

> Jane H. Ramsay and Everett N. Begor Coordinators

# REPORT OF TOWN FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND STATE FOREST RANGER

To aid your Forest Fire Warden, Fire Department and State Forest Ranger, contact your local Warden or Fire Department to find out if a permit is required before doing ANY outside burning. Fire permits are required for any open burning unless the ground is completely covered with snow where the burning will be done. Violations of RSA 227-L:17, the fire permit law, and the other burning laws of the State of New Hampshire are misdemeanors punishable by fines of up to \$2,000 and/or a year in jail. Violators are also liable for all fire suppression costs.

There are eleven Forest Rangers who work for the New Hampshire Division of Forests and Lands, Forest Protection Bureau. During the 1999 season Forest Rangers were busy assisting communities with suppression of difficult and remote multi-day fires. Forest Rangers have also investigated numerous complaints regarding violations of the timber harvest and forest fire laws, and taken enforcement action to ensure compliance. If you have any questions regarding forest fire or timber harvest laws, please call our office at 271-2217.

There are 2400 Forest Fire Wardens and Deputy Forest Fire Wardens throughout the state. Each town has a Forest Fire Warden and several Deputy Wardens who assist the Forest Rangers with forest fire suppression, prevention, and law enforcement. The 1999 fire season was a challenging but safe year for wildland firefighters in New Hampshire. The severe drought conditions throughout the spring and summer months, combined with residual effects of the 1998 Ice Storm, resulted in a dramatic increase in wildland fires. In addition to burning in excess of 452 acres, 35 structures were also impacted by wildfire. Wildland fires in the urban interface is a serious concern for both landowners and firefighters. Homeowners can help protect their structures by maintaining adequate green space around them and making sure that houses are properly identified with street numbers.

The State of New Hampshire operates 15 fire towers, 2 mobile patrols and 3 contract aircraft patrols. This early detection and reports from citizens aid in the quick response from local fire departments. This is a critical factor in controlling the size of wildland fires and keeping the loss of property and suppression costs as low as possible.

Please contact your local fire department before doing ANY outside burning.

# Remember, only you can prevent forest fires!!

(4	All Fires R	eported ti	rough December 10, 1999)	
Totals by County	Numbers	Acres	Causes of Fires Reported	
Hillsborough	271	50	Debris Burning	352
Rockingham	218	111	Miscellaneous <sup>*</sup>	279
Merrimack	213	115	Smoking	188
Belknap	139	66	Children	176
Cheshire	131	28	Campfire	161
Strafford	98	26	Arson/Suspicious	54
Carroll	81	17	Equipment Use	43
Grafton	70	18	Lightning	42
Sullivan	62	17	Railroad	6
Coos	18	3.25		
	Total Fires	Total Acres	*Miscellaneous (powerlin	nes, fireworks
1999	1301	452.28	structures, OHRV)	
1998	798	442.86	· · · ·	

## 1999 Fire Statistics (All Fires Reported through December 10, 1999)

## **BRIDGEWATER-HEBRON VILLAGE DISTRICT REPORT**

This year witnessed the opening of the new school. This event went very smoothly thanks to the community efforts of all. Likewise, the transition for the children went equally well due to the efforts of parents and teachers.

#### Finances

The Village District seems to be on target based on current analysis and future projections The present tax of .85 is below our initial predictions of \$1.25/1000. Next year's rate will increase by less than \$.05. Remember, the bond issue will be retired in early 2004!

Thanks to private donations and community labor, the new playground was installed late fall (savings: \$30,000). To those who donated and/or helped, thank you! The school computer network is underway. The network infrastructure is completed and the individual computers will be installed shortly. We plan to start installing computers in the library and complete the computer lab later this year.

# Bridgewater-Hebron Village District Receives a Charitable Nonprofit Status [501(c)(3)]

We have raised about \$25,000 of private funds for this project. About half has been expended thus far. We are currently working on additional grants to complete the lab. We have received a challenge grant of \$5000 in the memory of Frank O'Neil. We have also received about \$2000 toward that portion of that grant. If you are interested, please consider a tax deductible contribution toward this project. This lab will also be used as a community resource to conduct adult classes in technology. For information on a tax deductible contribution, please call the Treasurer, Hank Woolner, at 744-5055.

For those interested, the lab uses an IBM Netfinity server using MS Windows NT networked to Apple iMacs which can run as native Macs or use Windows 98. In short, the infrastructure in the building can support either Apple or PCs, which will give the greatest flexibility for the future. All can access the Internet.

#### Additional News

Mr. & Mrs. King donated another parcel of property to the Town of Bridgewater to be donated to the Village District. We are proposing to purchase the Westcott property which is now surrounded by the school on both sides and the building towers over her property in the rear. The land and building are on Route 3A across from the store and in the commercial zone. Because of the fields, lots, pond, and state restrictions, the existing campus has very little room for additional parking, outbuildings and the like.

This proposal will require a deposit of \$24,000 and a final payment of \$75,000 in 2005. The owner will remain on the property and will retain the mortgage for that period for a 2% per year interest rate. *We have also received a* \$20,000 *donation for this purpose*. It is a good investment for the district. The location of the school building relative to Mrs. Westcott's home was unfortunate but required by the State. In addition, this summer we had to install a drilled well on this property, as the construction of the roads may have drained the existing surface well.

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Please support this article at the District Meeting on March 21, 2000.

#### School Building Collaborations

Our community school has offered space to a number of activities. The BCC has used the Gym for a basketball league, volleyball for adults has started and other activities have been initiated in the evenings. Community members have commented on how nice it is to have a neighborhood school.

It has been a great year due to the efforts of both communities.

Terence Murphy, Bridgewater Derry Riddle, Hebron William White, Hebron Commissioners

### **REPORT OF THE FACILITY NEEDS COMMITTEE**

As result of the petition that was circulated to ask for a special town meeting, at which the Board of Selectmen and the voters were asked to delay removal of the Rogers house until further consideration at the next annual Town Meeting in March 2000 and have the Selectmen appoint a Facility Needs Committee to make recommendations. Being approved by the voters at said special meeting. The following is being submitted to the voters at the 2000 Town Meeting.

We've studied the needs for town facilities—including office space for the Board of Selectmen, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Police, Library, Planning Board, Board of Adjustment, Historic District Commission, Conservation Commission, an improved facility for the Highway Department, a new Meeting Hall and an expanded or new Safety complex to house the Fire, Police and EMS functions.

Recommendations are as follows:

#### The Rogers Property:

Background: Seven years ago (March 1993) the town bought the Rogers property. The eight (approx.) acres, was seen as being close to the town center, with sufficient room for town offices and a town hall. Since establishing a capital reserve fund in 1995 "for the purpose of constructing a future town hall at the Rogers property," the Town has set aside \$20,000 each year, and if this year's Article is approved, the Town will have approximately \$105,000 in the fund including interest.

At the 1999 meeting, the Board placed Article 5 in the warrant to remove the house from the property. There was no presentation of the intent of the Board as to how the Town would use the property. They announced at the meeting that if the town took their recommendation and removed the house, they would get back to the town with a plan. The meeting approved the Article.

The Needs Committee recommends that the meeting discuss Articles 11 and 12 together before voting on Article 11.

#### Article 11 - to rescind the vote for Article 5 from the 1999 meeting.

At the 1999 annual meeting, Article 5 was passed to remove the house from the Rogers property and carried an amount of \$10,000 for that purpose. As a

result of the special town meeting decision, the Selectmen encumbered the \$10,000 so that, if the 2000 meeting decided to remove the building, the money would be available. A yes vote on this Article is a vote to keep the house, a no vote is a vote to remove the house and reaffirm the decision of the 1999 meeting. The Committee recommends that the meeting revisits this issue as old business and vote yea or nay on this issue.

## Article 12 - subdivision of the Rogers property

If the vote is to remove the house in Article 11, the Needs Committee recommends passing over Article 12. If the vote is to keep the house, then consideration of Article 12 is recommended. Under Article 12, the Committee would ask the meeting to vote:

- a. Subdivide the property and sell the house with approximately 2 acres, the town keeping the remaining (approx.) six (6) acres for town use.
- b. Not subdivide the property, keep the house and land for town use.
- c. Sell the entire property as is.

## Article 13 - Raise necessary money for Design work for Town Buildings.

## Article 14 - Police/Fire/Public Safety Building - Capital Reserve Fund.

The Committee estimates the need for this building is approximately 5–10 years off. In our opinion such a building will cost in the range of \$200,000–\$300,000 (this is only an estimate by the committee). We recommend setting aside \$10,000 this year, with possible increases in future years such that approximately half of the necessary funds will be available when the town decides to build.

## Town Offices

### Article 15 -Renovations to the Schoolhouse

The Selectmen, Selectmen's secretary, tax maps, etc., will occupy the first floor of the school, with room for open meetings. The Land Use Boards (Planning Board, Board of Adjustment, Conservation Commission, and Historic District Commission) will occupy the second floor. To make the building handicapped accessible, a lift, similar to that in the church, will be installed to the right of the entry, removing most of the existing interior wall on the right of the entry. On the second floor the lift would exit directly into the meeting room and not be accessible from the hall. The double bathrooms on each floor are to be changed to single unisex handicapped accessible bathrooms. The existing electrical service would be moved to allow for the lift and changed to a 200 amp. service. Some of the existing wiring would be replaced or removed as necessary, and some circuits would be added. The handicapped access through the front door necessitates that a ramp with a 12:1 ratio be added across the right front of the building, and the two stepping stones that currently exist would be moved farther from the building allowing for a platform. A railing would be added to the ramp. Stabilizing the steeple and installing new carpeting.

## Article 16 - Renovations to the Memorial Hall/Library complex

Memorial Hall (old Selectmen's office) would be modified to allow front door access to the Town Clerk and Tax Collector (currently with office in home), with separate access to an expanded police office in the rear. The plans

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include two new bathrooms (removing the existing bathroom) and an expansion of the existing enclosed bridge to the adjoining library. This will allow for a separate entrance for the police offices, a police bathroom and bathroom access for the library. A new heating system would eliminate the electric heat in the library and the same furnace will service the Memorial Hall. The existing septic would be filled in and a new field added under the Common.

#### Article 17 - Beach Storage and Change Shed

The Committee recommends an appropriation of \$1500 for the purpose of storing tools and providing a place to change other than using the temporary toilets rented by the town.

#### Article 18 - Budget Article

If the Towns People vote to keep the Rogers house, the Committee would recommend amending General Government Buildings to include an amount for immediate repairs to the property.

#### Town Highway Department -Article 7

Although the Committee recommends no action other than to approve the increase in the Capital Reserve Fund for the Highway Department, the needs of the Highway Department were evaluated as follows: a heated building with water and sewage that would serve as a garage for storage and repairs of equipment. The proposed building would be 50x65' with an attached carriage shed 30x50'. The existing sand/salt storage shed would be demolished and replaced with a pole barn 32x60' constructed on the 3.58 acre lot.

The final recommendation is that a permanent Capital Outlay Committee appointed by and reporting annually to the Selectmen continues the work of this Committee. The report should include a schedule of all future capital expenditures, responding to the needs of the town and in keeping with the fiscal policy set by the Board.

> The Facility Needs Committee Alan Barnard, Chairman Lee Alexander Bruce Barnard William Gabler Carol Gillery Bruce MacDougall Phil Twombly Paul White

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# **IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS**

FIRE - LAKES REGION DISPATCH CENTER	
AMBULANCE - LAKES REGION DISPATCH CENTER	
POLICE - HEBRON	911 or 744-5509
Grafton County Sheriff	. 1-800-564-6911
NH State Police	1-800-525-5555
Poison Center	1-800-562-8236
Speare Memorial Hospital	536-1120
Family Doctor	
Hebron Selectmen - 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:00 P.M.	744-2631
Appointments call 744-2631 Mon. & Wed. 9 A.M.–Noon	
Town Clerk - Tuesdays 6-8 P.M. & Saturday 9:30-11:30 A.M	744-7999
Library - Mon. 7–9 P.M. (summer only), Wed. 1–5 P.M., Sat. 9:30–11:30	А.М744-7998
Tax Collector	744-2631
H-B Refuse Disposal Facility - Dick Brown Road, Bridgewater	744-8938
Wed. & Sat. 9 А.М.–4:45 Р.М., Sun. 12 Noon–3:45 Р.М.	
Closed on some holidays	
Bristol Community Center	744-2713
Pemi-Baker Home Health	536-2232
Fish & Game	. 1-800-332-5018
Planning Board meets 1st Wednesday each month at 7:30 Р.М.	
Contact John Matthews, Chairman	744-2675
Board of Adjustment meets 1st Thursday when required	
Contact Ed Gempka, Chairman	744-5770
Outdoor burning permits are required - contact Fire Warden	
William Robertie - Warden Days	
Nights	

# **BUILDING PROJECT/ADDITION?**

If you are not sure if your project needs a building permit, please check with the Selectmen.

# DO YOU OWN A BOAT?

Register with the town and not the state. The town receives all tax money on boats when they are registered in Hebron at the marina.

# **SNOWPLOWING DRIVEWAYS**

Fees are to be paid to "Town of Hebron" no later than November 1st. *NO bills* will be sent.

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