

# ANNUAL REPORTS

## 1998



# TOWN OF

# WAKEFIELD

# NEW HAMPSHIRE



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## Town of WAKEFIELD New Hampshire

For the fiscal year ending  
December 31, 1998

Vital Statistics for 1998

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# NOTICE

Due to the time constraints created by the SB2 process, some of the reports that have previously been included in the Wakefield Town Report or certain elements of reports could not be completed in time for printing. The information will be available at the Wakefield Town Hall prior to March 9th.

## LIST OF ELECTED OFFICERS

### MODERATOR

Bradley J. Hayes Term Expires 2000

### SELECTMEN

Christopher DesJardins Term Expires 1999  
Joseph Kenney Term Expires 2000  
John Blackwood Term Expires 2001

### TOWN CLERK

Teresa A. Williams Term Expires 2001

### TAX COLLECTOR

Sara A. Benner (resigned May 1998) Term Expires 2000  
Cynthia Bickford (appointed May to October 1998)  
Cathy Kinville (appointed October 1998 to March 1999)

### TREASURER

Winifred D. Nason Term Expires 1999

### SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

Shirley Sparks (resigned August 1998) Term Expires 2000  
Claire Partridge (appointed August 1998 to March 1999)  
Mary Richards Term Expires 2002  
Charlotte Homan Term Expires 2004

### TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUNDS

Amy Macedo (resigned July 1998) Term Expires 1999  
Mary Heartquist Term Expires 2000  
Dennis Miller Term Expires 2001

### ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

Henry Blanton Term Expires 1999

### ASSESSORS

Robert Glidden Term Expires 1999  
William Twombly Term Expires 2000  
Paul McNally Term Expires 2001

### BUDGET COMMITTEE

Dino Scala Term Expires 1999  
Mark Duffy Term Expires 1999  
Nancy Spencer Smith Term Expires 1999  
Kenneth Anderson Term Expires 2000  
Donald Lesperance Term Expires 2000  
David Stevens Term Expires 2000  
Nancy Bancroft Term Expires 2001  
Rodney Cools Term Expires 2001  
George Szirbik Term Expires 2001

PLANNING BOARD

Paul McNally	Term Expires 1999
Joe Fluet	Term Expires 2000
Charles McLaughlin	Term Expires 2001
Albert Vacaro	Term Expires 2001

FIRE COMMISSIONERS

Russell Loring - Union	Term Expires 1999
Fred Nason - Sanbornville	Term Expires 2000
Francis (Skip) Wolfe, Jr. - E. Wakefield	Term Expires 2001

TRUSTEE OF THE LIBRARY

Titia Bozuwa	Term Expires 1999
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CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Lyman Holmes	Term Expires 1999
Herbert Maleham, Jr.	Term Expires 2000
Robert Glidden	Term Expires 2001

## APPOINTED POSITIONS

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR  
Municipal Resources, Inc., Interim  
Gregory T. Doyon as of 11/20/98

CODES ENFORCEMENT & HEALTH OFFICER  
Maurice H. O'Donnell

POLICE CHIEF  
Timothy Merrill

ROAD AGENT  
Daniel Davis

FOREST FIRE WARDEN  
Todd Nason

FIRE CHIEF  
Todd Nason

### PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Priscilla Colbath	Term Expires 1999
Wayne Robinson	Term Expires 1999
Joe Oliveira	Term Expires 2000
David Stevens	Term Expires 2001
Lisa Kenney (Alternate)	Term Expires 1999

### CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

Richard Randall	Term Expires 1999
Mary Richards	Term Expires 2000
Joseph Donahue	Term Expires 2000
Alan Keller	Term Expires 2001
Nancy Spencer Smith	Term Expires 2001
Kenneth Paul (Alternate)	Term Expires 2001
Don Cormier (Alternate)	Term Expires 2001
Maureen Todd (Alternate)	Term Expires 2001

### ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Phil Colburn	Term Expires 1999
Michael Paradis	Term Expires 2000
Stan Hawthorne	Term Expires 2000
Richard Randall	Term Expires 2001
Penny Voyles	Term Expires 2001
Joe King (Alternate)	Term Expires 1999
Bert Rhodes (Alternate)	Term Expires 2001
Barry Bishop (Alternate)	Term Expires 2001

## HERITAGE COMMISSION

Elizabeth Fogg	Term Expires 1999
Pamela Judge	Term Expires 2000
Elizabeth MacRury	Term Expires 2000
Paul Gosselin	Term Expires 2001
Nancy Spencer Smith (Alternate)	Term Expires 1999
Peter Brown (Alternate)	Term Expires 2001

## WAKEFIELD ECONOMIC RESOURCE COMMITTEE

Andrew Moysenko	Term Expires 1999
Tess Garrett	Term Expires 1999
Roberta Goodrich	Term Expires 1999
Rodney Cools	Term Expires 2000
Lou Sisson	Term Expires 2000
Fred Hall	Term Expires 2001

## CABLE COMMITTEE

Albert Vacaro	Term Expires 1999
Bert Rhodes	Term Expires 1999
Richard White	Term Expires 2000
Robert Barnes	Term Expires 2000
David Tibbetts	Term Expires 2001
John Pallis	Term Expires 2001

**SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION  
Tax Year 1998**

	Acres	Assessed Valuation
<b>Value of Land Only</b>		
Current Use (at Current Use Values)	10,700	\$1,958,112
Residential	19,295	148,651,448
Commercial/Industrial	364	2,883,933
<b>TOTAL Taxable Land</b>	<b>23,360</b>	<b>\$151,796,707</b>
<b>Tax Exempt &amp; Non-Taxable (\$4,064,559)</b>		
<b>Value of Buildings Only</b>		
Residential		\$156,331,500
Manufactured Housing as defined in RSA 674:31		3,318,200
Commercial/Industrial		6,815,700
<b>TOTAL of taxable buildings</b>		<b>\$166,465,400</b>
<b>Tax Exempt &amp; Non-Taxable (\$5,665,800)</b>		
<b>Public Utilities</b>		
Electric		2,794,300
<b>Valuation before Exemptions</b>		<b>\$321,056,407</b>
<b>Exemptions</b>		
Blind Exemptions (2)		\$30,000
Elderly Exempt (55)		1,070,000
Physically Handicapped Exempt (1)		43,800
Totally & Permanently Disabled (1)		3,000
Solar/Windpower Exempt (2)		6,000
Wood Heating Energy System Exempt (29)		29,000
<b>TOTAL dollar amount of exemptions</b>		<b>\$1,181,800</b>
<b>NET VALUATION ON WHICH TAX RATE IS COMPUTED</b>		<b>\$319,874,607</b>

**PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES**

State & Federal Forest Land, Recreation, and/or Flood Control Land (MS-4, acct. 3356 & 3357)		\$76,300
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**EXCAVATION ACTIVITY TAX**

Valuation of Pit Area(s)		\$535,700
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## TAX CREDITS

	Limits	Number	Estimated Tax Credits
Paraplegic, double amputees owning specially adapted homesteads with V.A. assistance	Unlimited		EXEMPT
Totally and permanently disabled veterans, their spouses or widows, and the widows of veterans who died or were killed on active duty	1,400	4	\$5,600
Other war service credits	100	323	32,300
<b>TOTAL NUMBER AND AMOUNT</b>		<b>327</b>	<b>\$37,900</b>

## ELDERLY EXEMPTION REPORT

Number of applicants with INITIAL APPLICATIONS for elderly exemption for current year:

Age 65-74		1	\$15,000
Age 75-79		1	20,000
Age 80+		1	25,000

Total number of individuals GRANTED an elderly exemption for the current year:

Age 65-74	\$15,000	22	\$330,000
Age 75-79	\$20,000	17	340,000
Age 80+	\$25,000	16	400,000

<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>55</b>	<b>\$1,070,000</b>
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## UTILITY SUMMARY (ELECTRIC)

NH Electric Cooperative	\$558,600
Public Service Co. of NH	2,235,700
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,794,300</b>

## CURRENT USE REPORT

# acres receiving current use assessment

Farm Land	630
Forest Land	9,598
Unproductive Land	14
Wet Land	458
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10,700</b>

## CERTIFICATE

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

ROBERT GLIDDEN  
PAUL H. McNALLY  
WILLIAM J. TWOMBLEY  
Assessors of Wakefield

October 15, 1998

# STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS

## Tax Year 1998

Purpose of Appropriations (RSA 32:3,V)	Appropriations as Voted
<b>GENERAL GOVERNMENT</b>	
Executive	\$60,680
Election, Reg., & Vital Statistics	40,613
Financial Administration	49,955
Revaluation of Property	35,902
Legal Expense	25,000
Personnel Administration	161,196
Planning & Zoning	13,450
General Government Buildings	20,000
Cemeteries	7,000
Insurance	51,000
Other General Government	59,473
<b>PUBLIC SAFETY</b>	
Police	319,472
Fire	86,625
Building Inspection (Warrant Art. 22, 37)	15,600
Emergency Management	1
<b>HIGHWAYS AND STREETS</b>	
Highways and Streets	477,247
Street Lighting	25,725
<b>SANITATION</b>	
Solid Waste Disposal	98,812
Sewage Collection & Disposal & Other	7,000
<b>HEALTH</b>	
Administration	1,700
Pest Control	4,000
Health Agencies & Hospitals & Other (Warrant Art. 3,30,32,34,36)	13,144
<b>WELFARE</b>	
Administration & Direct Assistance (Warrant Art. 33, 37)	16,000
<b>CULTURE &amp; RECREATION</b>	
Parks & Recreation	43,026
Library	27,986
Patriotic Purposes	700
<b>CONSERVATION</b>	
Administration & Purchase of Natural Resources	500
<b>ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT</b>	
<b>DEBT SERVICE</b>	
Princ. - Long Term Bonds & Notes	28,937
Interest - Long Term Bonds & Notes	17,636
Interest on Tax Anticipation Notes	1

<b>CAPITAL OUTLAY</b>	
Land & Improvements (Warrant Article 19)	99,900
Machinery, Vehicles & Equip. (Warrant Art. 8,11,13)	64,920
Buildings (Warrant Art. 4,5,10,12,14,23)	201,190
Improvements Other Than Buildings (Warrant Art. 15,24)	26,200
<b>OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT</b>	
To Special Revenue Fund, Conservation (Art. 37)	793
To Enterprise Fund, Sewer (Art. 37)	64,088
To Capital Reserve Fund (Art. 9,17,18,25,26,28)	205,000
<b>TOTAL VOTED APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<b>\$2,384,472</b>

# 1998 TAX RATE CALCULATION

## TOWN OF WAKEFIELD

Tax  
Rates

Appropriations	\$2,549,472
Less: Revenues	1,444,361
Less: Shared Revenues	13,556
Add: Overlay	99,632
War Service Credits	<u>37,900</u>

Net Town Appropriation	\$1,229,087
Special Adjustment	<u>00</u>

Approved Town Tax Effort	\$1,229,087
Municipal Tax Rate	3.82

### SCHOOL PORTION

Due to Local School	\$3,923,007
Due to Regional School	00
Less: Shared Revenues	<u>23,175</u>

Net School Appropriation	\$3,899,832
Special Adjustment	<u>00</u>

Approved School(s) Tax Effort	\$3,899,832
School(s) Tax Rate	12.13

### COUNTY PORTION

Due to County	\$274,121
Less: Shared Revenues	<u>3,856</u>

Net County Appropriation	\$270,265
Special Adjustment	<u>00</u>

Approved County Tax Effort	\$270,265
County Tax Rate	<u>0.84</u>

COMBINED TAX RATE	16.79
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Total Property Taxes Assessed	\$5,399,184
Less: War Service Credits	(37,900)
Add: Village District Commitment(s)	00.00
Total Property Tax Commitment	\$5,361,284

### PROOF OF RATE

Net Assessed Valuation	Tax Rate	Assessment
\$321,571,393	16.79	\$5,399,184

Andrea M. Reid  
10/23/98

## TAX RATE BREAKDOWN

	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
TOWN	3.00	4.40	3.60	5.50	4.47	3.97	3.13	4.65	4.60	6.88
SCHOOL	7.50	7.90	10.40	8.70	13.67	11.09	14.99	17.71	22.02	25.00
COUNTY	1.40	1.50	1.90	1.90	2.12	1.77	1.48	1.39	1.58	1.42
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11.90</b>	<b>13.80</b>	<b>15.90</b>	<b>16.10</b>	<b>20.26</b>	<b>16.83</b>	<b>19.60</b>	<b>23.75</b>	<b>28.20</b>	<b>33.30</b>

### NET TOWN

TAX BASE	67,608,496	69,920,283	70,209,185	70,624,979	72,359,920	73,047,703	75,710,910	79,145,396	85,472,767	89,540,008
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### SALES ASSESSMENT RATIO

80%	70%	65%	62%	61%	64%	54%	42%	33%	27%
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### PRECINCTS TAX RATE

Sanbornville	0.20	0.30	0.54	0.63	0.45
Union	0.30	0.80	0.38	0.29	0.16
			0.20	0.20	0.18

## TAX RATE BREAKDOWN (continued)

	REVALUATION		LAND REVALUATION							
	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
TOWN	1.92	2.56	2.56	2.31	2.31	2.96	3.33	3.80	4.86	3.82
SCHOOL	6.41	6.41	6.56	7.87	8.93	11.03	13.34	12.27	11.00	12.13
COUNTY	0.47	0.47	0.60	0.80	0.79	0.89	0.86	0.93	0.93	0.84
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>8.80</b>	<b>9.44</b>	<b>9.72</b>	<b>10.98</b>	<b>11.94</b>	<b>14.88</b>	<b>17.53</b>	<b>17.00</b>	<b>16.79</b>	<b>16.79</b>

NET TOWN

TAX BASE 395,698,420 393,767,049 392,870,529 392,887,678 391,490,746 311,838,414 311,078,766 313,489,715 315,698,247 321,571,393

SALES

ASSESSMENT

RATIO 101% 102% 110% 127% 127% 100% 105% 102% 107%

PRECINCTS TAX RATE

Sanbornville

Union 0.05

## LIST OF VENDORS, 1998

Vendor	Payments	Vendor	Payments
Abbott Sanitation Service	\$800.00	Bureau of Education & Training	60.00
Advanced Recycling	58.24	Becky Burton, NREMT I/C	450.00
Department of Agricultural...	1,122.50	Cartographic Associates	15,791.50
Kimberly Allain	18.00	Tri-County Community Action	8,000.00
Armand Almeida	25.15	Carroll County Registry	984.00
Allstate Asphalt, Inc.	22,367.65	Central Tire Co., Inc.	3,130.41
American Fire Equipment	296.00	Carroll County Mental Health	2,120.00
The Ammo Dump	160.00	Carroll County Treasurer	274,121.00
John Ames	1,468.00	Darryl Cauchon	53.00
Amerigas	158.00	William Cardalino	6.00
Armstrong Medical Ind. Inc.	104.15	Ralph Cahalane	38.77
Atlantic	3,020.73	James Cain	236.64
Atlantic Engine Exchange	2,395.00	A.J. Cameron Sod Farm	1,776.00
Austin Machine & Fabrication	593.51	F.R. Carroll, Inc.	816.64
Avitar Assoc. of NE, Inc.	3,485.00	Carroll County Registry	115.00
AXL, Inc.	16,500.00	Central Tire Co., Inc.	3,130.41
BAC Killam, Inc.	19,475.90	Central Equipment Co., Inc.	245.00
Bay Street Discount	479.95	C & G Pizza	194.00
Mr. Mark Thomas Ball	602.40	Champagne's Propane & Oil Co.	178.00
Christopher Bancroft	685.00	Charter Trust Co.	77,133.56
Sara Benner	135.35	Chase Manhatten	249.00
Beauregard Equip., Inc.	943.39	Michael & Tanya Chesley	523.01
Bell Atlantic	7,697.30	Circuit City	689.96
Brian Bennington	140.00	Fred Clough	63.59
Bernadette Conley	8.41	John W. Clark	102.93
Joseph Benzing	160.36	Collins Sports Center, Inc.	1,230.80
Louis Berger & Assoc, Inc.	1,200.00	Conway Associates, Inc.	37,840.42
Beamhit, LLC	309.00	Elizabeth Coughlin	889.91
Bell-Herring, Inc.	75.03	Dave Cotreau	126.08
Cindy Bickford	151.75	Randy Colbath	165.00
Leola Blackwood	8.00	Ben Coates III	22.38
Henry Blanton	1,720.08	David Coutreau	19.80
Blue Seal Feeds	185.36	Rodney Cools	28.69
Blacksmith Printing	91.56	Patrick & Elaine Corcoran	1,280.00
Toni Bodah	102.53	Compensation Funds of NH	2,152.59
Bound Tree / North American	1,060.92	Cowburn Heating Co.	541.50
Victoria Bolton	229.48	Conway Office Products	2,663.70
Eric Boggs	199.99	Cohen Steel Company	689.73
Andrea Bodwell	500.00	CPI Printing Services	393.42
Bollinger Fowler Co.	113.00	Ron Crawford	5.00
The Boston Globe	353.20	Frank Crilley	41.91
BOCA International	120.00	Kenneth Crew	470.12
Brown's River Bindery, Inc.	1,593.00	Crowell's Towing & Repair	4,654.18
Walter A. Brown	9.02	Daniel D. Crean	1,355.47
Lynda Brushett	1,095.83	Kevin Crowley	77.70
Timothy Brackett	15.84	Daryl Crawford	1,815.00
Patricia Brackett	137.07	Jason Crowley	375.00
Walter Brown (B&H)	487.15	C & S Specialty, Inc.	6,250.00
Business Management	3,308.37	Anthony D'Amelio	13.32
Rodney Burke	10.92	D.A.R.E. America Merchandise	262.14
T. Buck Construction, Inc.	84,915.00	Day Timers, Inc.	41.93
Business Data Solutions	625.00	Daniel Webster Council, Inc.	40.80

Vendor	Payments	Vendor	Payments
Dave's Septic Service	1,059.18	Granite State Stamps	146.31
Teresa Decatur	41.03	G.S.M. Plumbing & Heating	2,500.00
Steven Decatur	192.58	George Hanchette	280.00
Design Ware, Inc.	54.00	Hathcock Originals Florist	60.00
DiPrizio's Garage, Inc.	6,494.08	Rhodes Haskell	210.92
Earleen DiPrizio	29.85	Hall's Used Hubcaps	132.00
Robert DiMatteo	10.00	Mark Haskell	23.76
DJ's Septic Pumping	1,280.00	Harcourt Brace & Company	67.47
Donbeck Sales	763.00	Ramona E. Hawkins	57.00
Dow Sand & Gravel	4,349.95	Marilyn Hays	369.00
Donovan Spring Co., Inc.	1,056.78	Louise Harper	977.00
Downeast Energy	1,531.01	Henry's Garage Door Co.	190.00
Gregory T. Doyon	1,000.00	Dan Hebert	240.45
Tom Drew	370.00	Henry's Tackle & Sporting Goods	108.38
A. Margaret Drake	10.92	Susan Cerulle Hettler	5.00
Kenneth Dudley	3,080.00	Hefferon Materials, Inc.	3,609.00
Denys Dupont	153.07	Higgins Wood Floors, Inc.	4,673.00
Eastern Analytical, Inc.	4,010.00	Fred Horstrotte	8.83
Eastern Propane	346.56	Vaun Horn	106.92
Raymond Ellis	266.00	Homeside Lending, Inc.	709.00
Inksy Corp.	25.00	Ida M. Hocking	15.25
Howard P. Fairfield, Inc.	1,041.40	Home Depot	1,104.09
Family Health Centre	422.00	Hollis Audio Video Repair	65.00
FBI National Academy Assoc.	45.00	Home Quarters	251.58
Fisher-James Company, Inc.	133.00	Charolette Homan	10.24
Fire Tech & Safety of ...	740.62	Huggins Hospital	45.60
Frank Fifield	71.28	IAABO Board 122	146.00
Mr. & Mrs. Leo Fillipon	111.07	I.C. Reed & Sons, Inc.	1000.00
Ruth E. Flint	564.74	IFSTA	215.67
Thomas Flockerzi	10.00	Image Builder, Inc.	43.95
Foster's Daily Democrat	2,867.24	Independent/Granite State News	394.64
Kenneth Fogg	902.50	Interiors Plus	2,362.52
Debbie Fogg	100.00	Independent Color Press	2,668.00
Donald Fowler	10.00	Information Management Corp.	500.00
Fox Survey Company	3,378.75	IPMA	170.00
Nathan Fogg	39.00	Irwin Motors, Inc.	19,557.00
Four Hundred Apartments	464.00	Irving Oil Corp (Ctr. Ossipee)	7,282.09
Form Systems, Inc.	84.50	Iroquois Manufacturing Co.	180.15
Alan Freedman	1,366.00	JAF Industries, Inc.	5,730.04
Ron Freely	100.00	J & B Auto	190.14
Gafney Library	15,900.00	JEMS	24.97
Gall's, Inc.	1,167.86	David Jeffers	48.00
Tess Garrett	42.60	Jeff Canters Car World	75.00
G.E.N.H.L.	100.00	Malcolm Joy	146.73
Gem Forms	359.55	Theodore Johnson Trustee	715.02
Glock, Inc.	170.00	Jason Johnson	91.08
Golden Rule Creations	308.32	John Johnson	67.32
Good Times Trust	56.57	Journal Transcript Newspapers	2,011.99
Matthew Golden	341.42	Kachoris's Repair Center	810.00
Great Western Supply Div.	167.84	Key-Day	100.00
Grappone Truck Center	67.72	Kenney Communications	3,337.95
Grappone Industrial, Inc.	1,983.79	Tom Keane	15.84
Grappone Auto Junction	426.91	The Kingswood Press	403.25
The Grand Summit Resort	303.00	J.S. King Engineering Co.	6,729.00

Vendor	Payments	Vendor	Payments
Kingswood Trophy	8.00	Minolta Business Systems	524.95
KJE Automotive Machine	3,839.83	Miller Engineering & Testing	873.50
K.L. Jack Co.	377.52	Mike's Lock & Key	675.00
K & M Realty Trust	78.30	Town of Milton	97.54
John Knight	270.00	Morton Salt	35,508.08
Warren "Scott" Kohl	1,510.29	MOSBY	59.90
KREMCO	4,000.00	Moore Medical Corp.	912.42
Kustom Signals, Inc.	38.86	Joanne Mooers	72.25
Laidlaw Transit, Inc. #614	3,249.68	The Morley Co.	1,388.33
Lab Source	55.75	The Mt. Washington Hotel ...	491.84
Lawson Products, Inc.	33.61	MOBILECOMM	282.61
Lakes Region Fire Apparatus	2,406.06	Munce's Superior, Inc.	1,890.49
Judith Lascelles	15.00	Municipal Resources, Inc.	38,579.98
Lakes Region Association	500.00	MWV Healthcare	125.50
Lakes Fuel Injection, Inc.	1,663.15	Eddie Nash & Sons, Inc.	2,500.00
Christian Lamb	72.95	Todd Nason	575.33
Mr. & Mrs. Rod Lanum	220.46	Robert Nason	11,201.00
Lance's Landscaping	4,128.99	Fred Nason	525.10
Lexis Law Publishing	1,245.99	Dean Nason	210.92
Albert & Carol Leighton	215.10	Winifred Nason	66.41
LHS Associates, Inc.	9,364.89	Walter Nason	8,235.00
Liberty International Trucks	500.06	National Fire Prot. Assoc.	628.70
Steven Libby	197.16	NASASP	35.00
John Lincoln	71.28	National Laboratory Center ...	49.75
Liquid Sun	100.00	National City Mortgage	933.00
Longmeadow Hardware	2,584.47	National Neighborhood Watch ...	130.00
Russell Loring	50.00	National Fence & Granite Co.	3,948.75
Lord & Keenan Co.	7,607.79	Neptune Uniform, Inc.	3,640.85
Barbara Lochiatto	106.00	New Hampshire Tractor & Equip.	14,170.00
Longmeadow Construction	90.00	New Hampshire Hydraulics, Inc.	1,120.00
Lovell Lake Food Center	454.78	NE Assoc of City/Town Clerks	15.00
Melissa Marston	66.32	New England Card Center	249.06
Maine Oxy	745.64	New England Institute of ...	395.00
Marcotte Trophies & Awards	248.35	Network Solutions, Inc.	70.00
Maine Technical Source	10,202.59	New Hampshire Med. Labs	3.00
Marshall & Swift	113.95	NHMA	46,946.52
Matthew Thornton Health Plan	86,026.86	NH Electric Cooperative	198.90
Doris Massetti	11.44	NH Retirement System P	29,402.94
Market Basket	900.00	NHTCA	75.00
Matthew Thornton Health Plan S	3,588.20	Treasurer, State of NH (Wetlands)	25.00
Lorraine Mansfield	99.90	NH Retirement System, Misc.	17.69
McLane Graf Raulerson & Middleton	70.00	The NH Travel Council	99.00
Patricia McDormand	325.00	NH Retirement System E	27,839.74
Scott McCarthy	9.00	NHMA Dental Insurance	7,758.52
John S. McClary	256.53	NHMMA	55.00
McCoy Miller of New England	158.15	Treasure, State of NH	285.00
S.A. McLean, Inc.	200.00	NH Assoc. of Chiefs of Police	75.00
Timothy Merrill	1,224.17	Treasurer State of NH (Forests)	172.80
Meals on Wheels	2,253.50	NH Certified Tax Collectors A	25.00
Middleton Building Supply	4,687.55	State of NH (DOS-Fire Stand ...)	216.00
Tom Mix	14.95	NH Job Training Council	100.00
Donald Michaud	46.60	Treasurer, State of NH (NP ...)	50.00
Millers Chevrolet, Buick, Geo	37.45	Treasurer, State of NH (fuel ...)	10,158.00
Mitchell & Bates	782.42	NH Office of State Planning	48.00

Vendor	Payments	Vendor	Payments
NH Public Deposit Invest. Pool	95,000.00	Lloyd Pike	50.00
NH Public Deposit Invest. Pool	25,000.00	The Pine Needle Embroidery	430.00
NH Public Deposit Invest. Pool	10,000.00	Piche's Ski & Sports Shop	399.50
NH Housing Finance Authority	904.00	Pine River Campground	375.00
Treasurer, State of NH (Supl ...)	10.24	Pine Grove North Apartments	138.00
Treasurer, State of NH (VS)	1,633.00	Plodzik & Sanderson, P.A.	6,356.00
Treasurer, State of NH DOT	31,306.45	Poor Farm Snacks	201.10
State of NH DES LA	236.00	Post Office - Union	2,358.00
NHOHA	41.00	Post Office - Sanbornville	3,135.40
NH City/Town Clerks Assoc.	81.50	Positive Promotions	218.28
State of NH Dept of Safety	254.75	Lance Power	434.40
NH Tax Collector's Assoc.	15.00	Protective Products	2,725.00
NHGFOA	25.00	R.E. Prescott Co., Inc.	3,024.25
Treasurer, State of NH (Signs ...)	726.03	Psychotherapy Assoc., Inc.	675.00
State of NH Dept of Labor	100.00	PSI Group, Inc.	63.00
NH Fish & Game Department	2,029.50	PSNH	36,204.29
NH Chiefs of Police Sec. Assoc.	25.00	Quill Corporation	1,702.20
Nissen Baking Co.	36.60	Rockingham Elec.	333.93
Evrett & Patricia Nichols	208.48	Ed Randall	1,147.50
North American Data Systems	65.00	RDG Specialties, Inc.	145.42
Northern NEPAC	50.00	Registry of Deeds	262.32
Northern New England PAC	100.00	Real Data Corp.	100.00
Northeast Resource Recovery As...	1,647.00	Rite Aid (Farmington)	14.69
NYNEX	554.61	Rite Aid (Ossipee)	632.81
NYSCA	360.00	James B. Riley	16.39
Nyberg, Purvis & Assoc., LLC	800.00	Jill Richards	200.00
Maurice H. O'Donnell	15,498.68	Karen Ringer	11.45
Thomas O'Donnell	20.00	RMC Mechanical Svcs.	317.50
Office Max	290.41	Royle Tree Company	10,265.00
Susan O'Keefe	187.75	Rochester Shop 'n Save	493.82
Brian & Janice O'Keefe	12.00	Route 153 Sales	156.80
Stephen O'Leary	25.45	Jerry Rowe	87.12
OneStar Long Distance, Inc.	6,691.63	Randy Roberts	12.36
Ossipee Valley Mutual	2,000.00	Roadside Farmer	436.00
Ossipee Valley Electronics	3,991.58	Rockingham Electric	151.69
Ossipee Aggregates Corps.	54,479.14	Route 125 Motel	194.40
Ossipee Insurance Agency	100.00	City of Rochester	404.01
Town of Ossipee	206.96	R & T Specialty	26.90
Office of State Planning	35.00	Jane Runnels	44.76
Glen Patch	118.80	Carol Rubin	17.24
Norman Panall	375.00	Sanbornville Auto Supply	7,717.43
Paey Construction	4,299.00	Sanel Auto Parts Co.	7,559.57
Denise M. Pappalardo	54.05	Sanbornville Water Dept.	534.58
Kenneth S. Paul	16,196.00	Sager, Sager & Wunder	35,370.82
Lloyd Parker	291.00	Sanbornville Fireman's Assoc.	645.71
CASH	49.87	J. Schwartz	1,223.10
Perfecta Camera	97.95	David Schweizer	100.00
George Pearce	172.53	Searway Ford Sales, Inc.	463.05
Pennine Computer Consulting	311.50	Seacoast League	220.00
Christine Peavey	10.00	Seacoast Overhead Door	418.00
Cassandra M. Pearce	68.57	Shop 'n Save Ossipee	390.88
Physio-Control Corporation	338.93	Richard Sheehan	9.68
Philatelic Fulfillment Service	3,423.00	Elizabeth Shattuck	101.00
Pike Industries, Inc.	230,141.76	Lou Sisson	723.60

Vendor	Payments	Vendor	Payments
Charles H. Smith	2,336.59	Viking Office Products	292.17
Southworth-Milton, Inc.	6,780.36	Wakefield School District	3,694,385.00
Souhegan Valley Aquaculture	130.00	Town of Wakefield, NH	443.07
Frank Spinale	510.64	Wakefield Library	7,086.00
Shirley Sparks	257.13	Ron Wallace Plumbing & Heat..	298.00
Steve Davis Office Machines	83.40	Wakefield Woman's Club	25.00
Step Two Medical	705.90	Waste Mgt. of NH-Rochester	17,560.76
State Street Bank & Trust Co.	25,840.00	Wakefield Paul School	45.00
Star Cellular	514.28	Patricia M. Waterman	36.00
St. Mary's Academy	80.00	Wakefield Arts Council	200.00
Janelle Stanley	128.24	Water Industries	347.74
S.R.P.C.	2,237.20	Walmart Stores, Inc. #2330	542.63
Staples Office Superstore	2,926.16	Walmart Store #01-1749	273.12
John D. Stevens	214.32	Wakefield Tax Collector	1,407.23
Mary Storer	99.00	Wakefield Conservation Fund	500.00
Starting Point	825.00	Ivan Washburne	320.00
Stroudwater Books	270.16	Whitemore Electrical Service	79.20
Strafford County Conservation	1,440.00	Wheeler Security System	4,885.00
Staples Copy Center	200.00	White Ribbon Spring Water Co.	347.19
Sullivan Tire Companies	939.65	Christopher Williams, Archt.	16,045.00
Richard Sullivan - Suburban	212.09	Windy Ridge Corporation	284.00
John Sweeney	60.21	John Williams Street	42.33
Syndistar, Inc.	65.00	Willow Brook Apartments	485.00
David G. Takis & Sons	470.00	Teresa Williams	152.68
Taylor's Janitorial	5,322.00	Woodard & Curran	50,172.65
Ted's Discount	135.00	WorldPath Internet Services	79.60
TeleTechniques, Inc.	535.00	Francis E.S. Wolfe, Jr.	671.50
Team Players, Inc.	1,000.00	Mr. & Mrs. John W. Worthley	358.91
Thumb Print	409.80	Wolf Auto Upholstery	665.00
William Timperly	350.50	Mike Young	19.80
Gordon Tibbetts	43.36	ZEP Manufacturing	196.65
TKO Printing, Inc.	46.00		
Donald Towle	12.00		
Nancy Tomasello	464.50		
Trend Business Forms, Inc.	192.85		
TriState Fire Protection	101.50		
The Twin County Bambino League	800.00		
Ultramax	694.00		
University of NH	180.00		
Union Leader Corporation	304.10		
Union Village Library	5,000.00		
Unifirst Corp.	4,443.75		
United Divers, Inc.	613.20		
University of NH	743.00		
Underground Press	1000.50		
Union Village Country Store	45.00		
USDA Rural Development	20,733.24		
US Dept. of Agriculture	649.06		
USGS Information Services	27.50		
Varsity Beverage Co.	113.25		
Mr. Douglas Vanderpool	101.21		
VFW-Burroughs-Drews	700.00		
Village Bouquet and Greenery	153.50		
Visiting Nurse Association	7,627.00		

# TREASURER'S REPORT 1998

## GENERAL FUND

Tax Levy 1998			
Property Tax	\$4,781,245.88		
Property Tax Interest	4,887.62		
Yield Tax	6,450.00		
Current Tax	11,715.39		
Current Tax Interest	<u>48.60</u>		
			\$4,804,347.49
Tax Levy 1997			
Property Tax	\$643,144.41		
Property Tax Interest	24,550.96		
Yield Tax	<u>15,364.39</u>		
			\$683,059.76
Tax Levy 1996			
Yield Tax	\$926.25		
Yield Tax Interest	<u>155.70</u>		
			\$1,081.95
Redeemed Taxes			
Property	\$185,973.08		
Interest	<u>42,991.00</u>		
			<u>\$228,964.08</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$5,717,453.28</b>

## TOWN CLERK

1998 Auto Permits	\$468,681.50		
Check Penalties	475.00		
Dog Licenses	5,701.00		
UCCs	1,761.00		
Vital Statistics	1,350.00		
Certified Copies	752.00		
Federal Tax Liens	225.00		
Wetland Fees	29.65		
Hunting and Fishing Licenses	2,121.50		
Landfill Permits	6,170.00		
Animal Control Fines	50.00		
Filing Fees	150.00		
Ambulance	5,750.11		
1997 Redeemed Auto Permits	14.50		
1997 Check Penalties	<u>50.00</u>		
			\$493,281.26

## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

State Shared Revenue	\$53,539.80
NH FEMA	28,107.00
Highway Block Grant	78,398.59
State Waste Water Aid	24,569.00

NH Bridge Construction	21,348.80	
NH Rooms & Meals Tax	47,404.39	
NH Ice Storm Aid	67,748.00	
NH Railroad Tax	2,585.33	
NH Forest Fire Reimbursement	906.82	
NH Forest Fire Training	<u>137.73</u>	
		\$324,745.46

#### **BANK INTEREST**

Farmington National Bank		\$106.652.24
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#### **OTHER SOURCES**

Charter Trust - Cemetery Expense	\$7,282.66	
Charter Trust - Bridge	4,726.62	
NH Charitable Trust		
Donation for Summer Youth	7,800.00	
NHRS Health Insurance	9,015.13	
NHMA Insurance Refunds	16,257.55	
CFNH Insurance Refund	4,873.48	
Brookfield - Forest Fire Refund	1,382.02	
NH NorthCoast Forest Fire Refund	158.18	
New Durham - Forest Fire Refund	309.83	
R. Pike - Forest Fire Refund	290.58	
Planning Board	7,910.00	
Zoning Board	1,800.00	
Landfill Revenue:		
Scrap Metal	5,718.03	
Batteries	442.72	
Glass	10.58	
Miscellaneous	18.00	
Shingles	4,543.00	
Bulky	5,576.00	
Demolition	1,420.00	
Tires	1,850.00	
White Metal	2,095.00	
Aluminum Cans	3,755.70	
(TOTAL LANDFILL REVENUE \$25,429.03)		
Tax Deed Redemptions/Sales	9,306.04	
Maps & Copies	1,920.24	
Soda Money	300.00	
Current Use	74.60	
Sale of Checklists	50.00	
V & C Mee Town Hall Rent	326.50	
Building Permits	20,393.64	
Parks & Recreation - Refund	145.92	
Boat Permits	8,338.98	
Welfare Reimbursements	324.00	
Wakefield School Dist. Fuel Reimb.	1,517.06	
Tri-Cap Refund	4,000.00	
Turntable Park Fund - Donation	1,000.00	

Bell Atlantic Paystation - Refund	213.58	
Town of Brookfield:		
Ambulance/Fire	22,336.00	
Police	47,111.00	
Landfill	35,106.00	
(TOTAL TOWN OF BROOKFIELD \$104,553.00)		
Police Department:		
Pistol Permits	1,020.00	
Insurance Reports	725.00	
Test Fees	218.00	
Fines/Restitution	808.38	
Detail	2,125.00	
Miscellaneous	45.00	
(TOTAL POLICE DEPARTMENT \$4,941.38)		
Billiard Tables Permit	50.50	
Void 1997 Checks	1,264.70	
WERC Programs & Brochures	900.00	
Wakefield Historic District	105.00	
Conservation Fund Payroll	131.86	
Sewer Fund - Debt Service	11,000.00	
Sewer Fund - Maintenance	53,304.54	
Miscellaneous	<u>636.00</u>	
		\$312,032.62
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>		\$6,954,164.86
BALANCE JANUARY 1, 1998		<u>2,428,733.00</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>		\$9,382,897.86
LESS SELECTMEN'S ORDERS PAID		<u>6,388,325.43</u>
BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 1998		\$2,994,572.43
BALANCE OWED SCHOOL DISTRICT		\$2,023,007.00
<b>PARKS &amp; RECREATION FUND</b>		
Balance December 31, 1997		\$1990.16
Receipts:		
Donations/Fund Raisers	\$22,510.50	
Interest	<u>118.66</u>	
		<u>\$22,629.16</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>		\$24,619.32
Payments:		
Returned Checks	\$210.00	
Commission's Orders Paid	<u>11,895.37</u>	
		<u>\$12,105.37</u>
Balance December 31, 1998		\$12,513.94
<b>WAKEFIELD CONSERVATION FUND</b>		
Balance December 31, 1997		\$1,286.74

Receipts:			
Town of Wakefield	\$500.00		
Interest	15.65		
Wetland Fees	<u>105.00</u>		
			<u>\$620.65</u>
TOTAL			\$1,907.39

Payments:			
Commission's Orders Paid			<u>\$1,116.74</u>
Balance December 31, 1998			\$790.64

**WAKEFIELD HERITAGE FUND**

Balance December 31, 1997 \$31,963.16

Receipts:			
Void Checks	\$217.54		
Interest	186.84		
Donations/Fund Raisers	14,770.58		
Rent	<u>10,242.00</u>		
			<u>\$25,416.96</u>
TOTAL			\$57,380.12

Payments:			
Commission's Orders Paid	\$46,699.17		
Returned Check	<u>40.00</u>		
			<u>\$46,739.17</u>
Balance December 31, 1998			\$10,640.95

**SEWER FUND**

Balance December 31, 1997 \$23,071.69

Receipts:			
Interest	\$374.86		
Lagoons	19,884.16		
Hookups	100.00		
1997 Sewer Tax	4,033.54		
1997 Sewer Tax Interest	355.17		
1998 Sewer Tax	23,085.34		
1998 Sewer Tax Interest	<u>184.82</u>		
			<u>\$48,017.89</u>
TOTAL			\$71,089.58

Payments:			
Debt Service	\$11,000.00		
Maintenance	<u>57,423.79</u>		
			<u>\$68,423.79</u>
Balance December 31, 1998			\$2,665.79

Respectfully submitted,  
Winifred D. Nason, Treasurer

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT - 1998

1998 was another year of change and transition for the Board of Selectmen. The Selectmen, along with the recommendation of the Town Administrative Selection Committee, hired a new full-time administrator. His name is Greg Doyon. Greg is from Tennessee, but was originally from Maine. Municipal Resources will no longer be servicing Wakefield. The Board of Selectmen would like to thank Don Jutton for doing a fine job as Interim Town Administrator. The Selectmen also hired a new Assessors' Secretary. Cindy Bickford was hired full-time; Cindy was already working at the Town Hall as a part-time secretary. The Selectmen also appointed a new Tax Collector, Cathy Kinville, to replace Sara Benner, who resigned this year. The Selectmen would like to thank Sara for her years of service to the Town. She will be missed. This year the Selectmen are introducing an article to make the Tax Collector position an appointed position and not an elected one. There are many positive reasons for this request, the biggest being they can be treated the same as the rest of the staff and not worry about the pressures of being a public official.

The Selectmen will also have an article requesting the Town hire a full-time Building Inspector/Code Enforcement Officer. The Selectmen receive complaints on a regular basis about the lack of enforcement, not just from residents—there are also complaints from department heads and committees. Bud O'Donnell is doing a fine job as part-time inspector, but Wakefield is growing, and it's time for a full-time position.

The Selectmen will have an article requesting the Town to hire a full-time Parks and Recreation Director. The Town needs to hire a full-time Director to run all the programs professionally. This cannot be done effectively with part-time staff. The increase in cost is minimal, compared to the service that will be provided to our Town. This is for our children, but also for adult and elderly programs, which we have not been able to service. The Parks and Recreation Department is unanimous in their support of the Selectmen for this full-time position. Once this is done, the Selectmen feel there will be more programs for all individuals in our Town as well as better communication and stability in Parks and Recreation. The Selectmen would like to thank Scott Kohl for serving as the part-time Parks and Recreation Director. He did a great job offering more programs and events for our children and adults.

This year the Wage and Classification Study Committee presented a new classification of wages and salaries to the Board of Selectmen. The Selectmen made the necessary changes to bring the rate of pay up to the proper level for some of the employees who have been underpaid. The new wage chart is condensed and has fewer wage increases. This will give a more realistic increase in wages as employees advance. The Board of Selectmen would like to thank the Wage and Classification Committee for their time and effort.

Town Hall improvements have been underway this year. The meeting room floor was sanded and refinished. The second floor multi-purpose area was sanded and refinished. The first floor hallway has new carpet. The furnace room is getting insulated, ceiling installed, new plumbing and electric, and much-needed new supports under the floor joists. The upstairs multi-purpose room plaster is getting repaired. We are not going to repair everything in the multi-purpose room area. Once this area is in compliance with ADA, then the Town of Wakefield can apply for a grant to renovate the entire auditorium.

The Transfer Station is scheduled to start construction this spring. The landfill will be at capacity in 1999. The Selectmen will make the decision to construct the transfer station using Town equipment or by private contractor. This will depend on bids received.

The Public Safety Building will be on a warrant this year. The Selectmen are proposing a new building to house the Fire Department and future Police Station. The Selectmen and Department Heads feel the Fire Department should be constructed first, with allowable space for a future Police Department. The Ambulance Service will be located with the Fire Station. This will put all public safety personnel and equipment in one location. The location of the proposed new public safety building will be where the current Sanbornville station is.

The sidewalks in downtown Wakefield were completed this year. They look great and add pride to the downtown area. The Selectmen would like to thank the Wakefield Economic Resource Committee (WERC) for doing a fine job on the project. A special thanks to Lou Sisson for her efforts and Dave Stevens for his supervision of the project. WERC also completed many other projects and should be commended for their dedication to the Town of Wakefield.

The Veterans' Square monument was completed this year. The VFW did a great job organizing and fund-raising for this much needed tribute to our Veterans. The new parking lot next to the Garvin Building was completed this year. The Selectmen decided to put AstroTurf down to avoid damage to the granite curbs. This is a much-needed parking lot for the Town of Wakefield. The shrubs will be put in this spring along with striping for parking. The Selectmen would like to again thank Dave and Beverly Stevens for the donation of the property.

The Copsps River Bridge on Canal Road was completed this year, and the road paving completed. The Selectmen will have an article this year requesting funding for the engineering of the Maple Street Bridge. This bridge is in need of replacement and is one of the State's red-listed bridges. The Town will receive 80 percent from the State Bridge Aid towards engineering and construction.

The Town ballfields are still under construction. The Town plans to have the fields seeded this summer and playable by the year 2000. Weather conditions have delayed construction of the fields.

The Selectmen would like to thank the Town Hall Staff for their help and dedication this year. The Selectmen would also like to commend all Department Heads and personnel for their dedication and hard work this year.

Our Town is facing many challenges in the next five to ten years. There will be decisions made, as there has been this year, which will change the future of our Town. The Selectmen feel this year has been a transitional year for more communication between the Selectmen, School Board, and boards and committees of the Town. The Town of Wakefield is growing. The Selectmen feel through cooperative efforts the growth can be balanced and managed.

John Blackwood  
Christopher Desjardins  
Joseph Kenney

# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT for the year ending December 31, 1998

## RECEIPTS

AUTO PERMITS	\$420,764.50
AMBULANCE	5,150.11
CERTIFIED COPIES	732.00
CHECK PENALTIES	475.00
DOG LICENSES	5,701.00
ANIMAL CONTROL FINES	50.00
FEDERAL TAX LIENS	180.00
FILING FEES	145.00
FISHING & HUNTING LICENSES	2,106.00
LANDFILL	6,019.00
MARRIAGE LICENSES	1,260.00
UCCs	1,622.00
WETLAND FEES	27.26
1997 REDEEMED CHECKS	14.50
1997 PENALTY FEES	50.00
 TOTAL PAYMENTS TO TREASURER	 \$444,296.37
AUTO PERMIT REFUNDS	-\$767.50
AMBULANCE REFUNDS	-\$10.00
 TOTAL	 \$443,518.87

This report is as of November 30th. All money collected in December will be in next year's report.

I certify that the above report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted,  
Teresa A. Williams  
Town Clerk

# TRUSTEES OF THE TRUST FUNDS

## 1998 Annual Report

The Trustees of the Trust Funds are charged with the obligation to safely invest the capital reserves and the trust funds of the Town of Wakefield.

The actions of the Trustees and the investment vehicles allowed are regulated by the State of New Hampshire. Investment goals include security of principal and earning interest safely.

The funds of Wakefield are held through the NH Public Deposit Investment Pool, and the Charter Trust Investment Company.

Due to the adoption of new regulations regarding municipal voting and elections in Wakefield - this report must be submitted prior to the availability of year end investment reports. The totals indicated below are current as of the end of the third quarter of 1998.

All additional contributions as voted in at the 1998 Town Meeting have been deposited into the appropriate funds and the balances indicated below include these contributions.

The Trustees are responsible for the safe investment of the Trust Funds of the Town of Wakefield. This is a large fund comprised of many individual funds for the care of individual cemetery plots. The Cemetery Trustees are responsible for the actual care and maintenance of these plots using the interest earned on the Trust Funds.

As of September 30, 1998 there was a balance of \$189,355 in this fund.

In 1997 the Carl Siemon Scholarship Fund was established. Because of the generosity of Wakefield resident Carl Siemon, two high school seniors from Wakefield were awarded over \$8,000.00 in 1998. As of September 30, 1998 there was a balance of \$ 158,379 in this fund.

The Trustees are responsible for the safe investment of the Capital Reserve Funds that the voters of Wakefield establish at each Town Meeting.

The following Capital Reserve Funds are currently in place, and their balances as of September 30, 1998 are indicated below.

Ballfield reserve	\$26,268
Highway Truck Reserve	\$79,437
Transfer Station Reserve	\$230,783
Fire Truck Reserve	\$92,410
Bridge Construction Reserve	\$44,707
Landfill Reserve	\$516,048
Total Cemetery Trust Funds	\$189,355
Total Scholarship Trust Fund	\$158,379
Total Capital Reserves	\$989,653
<b>TOTAL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$1,337,387</b>

The Trustees of the Trust Funds meet on a regular basis in Wakefield Town Hall to review the quarterly investment reports. Investment vehicles used by the investment companies are evaluated to ensure compliance with the regulations of the State of New Hampshire. Those interested in the complete 1998 year-end reports are welcome to attend the Trustees meeting in 1999.

Respectfully submitted,  
Mary Heartquist  
Dennis Miller  
Wakefield Trustees

# ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER'S REPORT

A record-breaking **800** licensed dogs in Wakefield. This has topped all previous years. With your pet wearing the license, we are able to return any lost dog without delay with a quick call and a phone call to the owner. All dogs are up-to-date on their shots.

Dogs **MUST** wear collars **WITH THE LICENSE ATTACHED**. We do understand the times that your dog accidentally gets loose without the collar and tag. Your phone calls have helped to get these animals home or identified in a timely manner.

A successful rabies clinic was held at the Wakefield Police Department in 1998. These clinics are for dogs and cats. There are plans for another to be held by Dr. Flood and the Animal Control Officer, come April. Watch for the date and time to be announced in the local paper.

Thanks again to the Wakefield Police Department in this endeavor. Many thanks to townspeople that have helped in the placement of strays. Many of these dogs or cats have been left by the wayside to fend for themselves, and your help in giving them homes is always appreciated.

A breakdown of activities for the year:

Miles Logged: 3,308	Phone Calls: 866	Warnings Served: 12
Summonses: 49	Bite Cases: 4 dogs	Other: 1 cat, 1 chipmunk
Horses: Loose/Abused/Hurt		15
Sheep: Running/Attacked/Loose		3
Chickens Killed		5
Rabbits: Attacked by dog		6
State Animal Killed/Nuisance		10
Dogs: Boarded/Stray/Accidents		27
Cats: Strays/Lost/Left Behind		63

This does not reflect calls and time performed through the Wakefield Police Department.

Remember **RABIES IS STILL IN THE AREA**. Keep up with shots, as this has helped to keep rabies under control.

**NOTICE! 1999 DOG LICENSE DUE BY APRIL 30, 1999!**

Respectfully submitted,  
Henry M. Blanton  
Wakefield Animal Control Officer  
473-2826

# CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER'S REPORT

## SUMMARY OF THE 1998 BUILDING PERMITS

MONTH	NEW HOUSE STARTS		MANUFACTURED HOMES		ADDITIONS, ALTERATIONS		FEES
	Permits	Value	Permits	Values	Permits	Values	
January	1	\$90,000	0	-	3	\$24,025	\$467.00
February	0	-	0	-	5	66,500	330.00
to date	1	90,000	0	-	8	90,525	797
March	2	319,000	1	94,000	1	8,000	1,498.38
to date	3	409,000	1	94,000	9	98,525	2,295.38
April	0	-	1	58,000	11	147,200	1,135.00
to date	3	409,000	2	152,000	20	245,725	3,430.38
May	4	274,000	0	-	20	219,000	2,259.00
to date	7	683,000	2	152,000	40	464,725	5,689.38
June	2	350,000	1	5,000	8	68,200	1,561.00
to date	9	1,033,000	3	157,000	48	532,925	7,250.38
July	5	429,000	0	-	12	117,500	2,386.00
to date	14	1,462,000	3	157,000	60	650,425	9,636.38
August	2	186,700	0	-	11	185,400	1,566.00
to date	16	1,648,700	3	157,000	71	835,825	11,202.38
September	5	559,000	2	110,000	17	184,600	3,554.00
to date	21	2,207,700	5	267,000	88	1,020,425	14,756.38
October	1	80,000	3	230,000	10	115,420	1,824.26
to date	22	2,287,700	8	497,000	98	1,135,845	16,560.64
November	0	-	2	86,000	5	62,500	709.00
to date	22	2,287,700	10	583,000	103	1,198,345	17,289.64
December	2	180,000	3	179,000	4	107,000	1,848.00
to date	24	2,467,700	13	762,000	107	1,305,345	19,137.64
<b>TOTAL FOR THE YEAR</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>\$2,467,700</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>\$762,000</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>\$1,305,345</b>	<b>\$19,137.64</b>

## 1998 HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT REPORT

Mother Nature dealt the town of Wakefield three severe blows in 1998; The "Ice Storm" and resulting power failure in January, the heavy rains in June (12.62"), and the flooding in August. The "Ice Storm" was the costliest in manpower, cleaning up downed trees, limbs, and debris. It was during this time that the Highway Department purchased a grappling claw for the rubber-tired excavator. This resulted in great savings in time and money. To offset the town's clean-up costs, FEMA authorized a distribution of \$71,000.00 for the "Ice Storm" and \$28,000.00 for the flooding.

Fortunately for this department, the crew members have remained the same, and for that I am grateful. Each with his own area of expertise, the following members of this department comprise an exemplary team:

Fred Clough, Assistant Road Agent  
Russell (Rusty) Loring, Chief Maintenance Engineer  
David Nason, Equipment Operator  
Gerry Pike, Equipment Operator

In addition to regular maintenance and road repair, snow, ice, and sleet control; and the winter care of the town's two schoolyards, the following roads in the various villages of Wakefield were tended to:

1. Whippoorwill Rd., Union - Paved- 2,650'
2. Maple St., Union - Rebuilt & Paved - 1,700'
3. Railroad Ave., Union - Rebuilt & Paved - 1,110'
4. Chappel St., Union - Rebuilt & Paved - 1,120'
5. Canal Rd., Wakefield- Hottop, Shim & Overlay - 2,800'
6. Perkins Hill (Segment 1), E. Wakefield - Rebuilt & Paved - 2,000'
7. Perkins Hill (Segment 2), E. Wakefield - Rebuilt & Paved - 3,300'
8. Acton Ridge Rd., E. Wakefield - Hottop, Shim & Overlay - 4,300'
9. Hilltop Dr., Wakefield - Rebuilt & Paved - 1,000'
10. Garney Rd., Wakefield - Rebuilt & Paved - 2,600'
11. Old Stage Road (Segment 1), Wakefield - Rebuilt & Paved - 5,000'
12. Bonneyman Rd. (Segment 3), E. Wakefield - Hottop, Shim & Overlay - 2,250'
13. Oak Hill Rd., Wakefield - *In Progress with Gravel Finish*

I would like to thank the people of the town of Wakefield for their patience while their roads were under construction and to those of you who are still waiting to have your roads improved or rebuilt.

It would have been impossible to cope with the year's unique weather phenomenon without the town's cooperation and the "God Sent" assistance of crews and teams from throughout New Hampshire and as far away as Ohio. We are greatly appreciative of their efforts in restoring daily life to normalcy.

I appreciate the support offered by our Selectman with a special thanks to Toni, Cassandra, and Cindi for all they do for this department.

It is with a great sense of pride and accomplishment that I conclude this report. A special "thank you" to each member of the Highway Department for their continuing support and team work. It is because of them and their hard work that the condition of the roads in Wakefield continues to improve.

Respectfully submitted,  
Daniel R. Davis, Road Agent

## WAKEFIELD PLANNING BOARD REPORT

The Planning Board had an excellent year dealing with site plan reviews, subdivisions, and initiating an update of the Town's Master Plan.

The Board makeup is excellent, and I personally would like to thank each and every one including Secretary Cindy Bickford for unlimited dedication with exuberance during many long hours of deliberative work. Our track record for attendance exceeded 99% of recent memory with a full board and a minimum of two of four alternate members. This dedication resulted in good and fair treatment of all plans and proposals submitted.

Special thanks to Town Counsel Richard D. Sager for timely advice and direction. The Board thanks the large number of citizens who came and participated in discussions concerning the good of the Town. The Board appreciates their valued input, and much was given.

Our tasks included review of approximately ten site plans, many of which required a minimum of two meetings while many were carried out over several meetings due to the complexity of the plan. Eight subdivision plans were accepted for review at public hearings, with all being approved except for one denial due to lack of sufficient engineering information. One gravel pit plan was approved as well as one subdivision recision per owners request.

Other major efforts underway this year included reviews of the Master Plan, as well as proposed changes in the Town's Zoning By Laws, and updates of the Boards site plan regulations, and subdivision regulations, tasks for which Vice Chairman Joe Fluet has volunteered to Chair. We are hopeful that zoning changes proposed will be presented at Town meeting in 1999.

Major Issues for 1998 include approval of a new Dunkin' Donuts facility to be located at the intersection of New Hampshire's Routes 109 and 16. To do it correctly for all concerned, the information input phase required nearly seven months. Three traffic studies and one economic impact study were required before it became clear that traffic would actually be improved for the next several years to the benefit of the Town and paid for by the developer. An economic study showed no impact on the Town due to a Dunkin' Donuts restaurant. The Board is cognizant of future growth at the site and owned by the same developer. Any new application for additional facilities construction will require a new site plan. Review of such will result in like methodologies being applied to make certain that all safety, traffic flow, and aesthetics will be taken care of by the developers. A more detailed and comprehensive economic impact study will be required. Approval of this one plan became an opportunity for the Town to have growth "done right" with the cooperation of the developer.

One major 19-lot subdivision was created. A plus in this case was the green belt area set aside around the periphery of all lots to be used by all owners in the subdivision for recreational purposes only. In addition, a walkway will be constructed as an integral part of the paved street construction. The Board thanks the developer for this kind of cooperation.

1999 issues include completion of the Master Plan update, preparing a Planning Board "Capital Improvement Plan" per RSA 674:5, creation of a "Growth Management Plan" for the Town to avoid unexpected economic impacts on its resources, and continued update of Zoning By Laws, site plan, and subdivision regulations as well as gravel pit regulations required by New Hampshire Law Chapter 155E.

Once again to the Planning Board members, thanks for the "Team Play Efforts" each and every meeting.

Respectfully submitted,  
Paul McNally, Chairman 1998  
John Blackwood, Selectman Representative  
Joe Fluet  
Charles McLaughlin  
Al Vacaro

Alternates:  
Dick Atwater  
Paul Gosselin  
Joe King  
Burt Rhodes

## ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

The Wakefield Zoning Board of Adjustment, guided by State Statutes, hears requests for variances from the Zoning Ordinance, Special Exceptions provided for in the Zoning Ordinance, and appeals for relief from Administrative Decisions made by town administrative officials. The Board also administers special provisions of the Zoning Ordinance.

As of this report, 18 applications were received by the Zoning Board of Adjustment. Of those, the following results occurred:

- 9 Variances were granted
- 3 Variances were denied
- 1 Variance was postponed
- 1 Variance was continued
- 1 Certificate of Compliance was granted
- 2 Special Exceptions were granted

The following resident volunteers served as your Board of Adjustment for 1998:

Michael Paradis, Chairman  
Phil Colburn  
Stan Hawthorne  
Richard Randall  
Penny Voyles  
Cindy Bickford and Toni Bodah served as Recording Secretary (non-voting members).

Respectfully submitted,  
Michael J. Paradis

# WAKEFIELD CONSERVATION COMMISSION REPORT

The Wakefield Conservation Commission was established in March 1988 by Town vote (RSA-36A), consisting of five members appointed by the Selectmen.

Meetings are held the second Monday of each month at 9:00 AM at Town Hall, and the public is welcome to attend.

The purpose of the Commission is to research the use of local land and water areas and establish an index of open space and wetland areas as part of public information. We also review the requests that are sent to the State Board for filling, dredging, and dock construction. We do not have decision-making powers but make recommendations to state and local agencies.

This year we have reviewed approximately 85 applications and made several onsite inspections. These inspections are in line with the policy of the Department of Environmental Services, Wetlands Division.

We are also available to assist the Paul School in any projects that involve conservation. This year we sponsored four Paul School students at 4H camp and we plan to continue this activity. It is our hope to sponsor other environmental programs to further inform the residents.

Any gifts of money may be put into a separate Conservation account and allowed to accumulate from year to year for the purchase of land and development rights or any project to do with conserving land. We are trying to protect the lakes, rivers, and wetlands and would welcome anyone who might be interested in joining us in this community project.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Joe Donahue, Chairman  
Mary Richards, Secretary  
Richard Randall  
Al Keller  
Nancy Spencer Smith

Alternates:  
Ken Paul  
Maureen Todd  
Don Cormier  
Ann Robbins  
Consultant: Dave Jeffers

# EXECUTIVE COUNCILOR'S REPORT

## Report to the Towns and Cities in District One

### by Councilor Ray Burton

As one of your elected officials, I am honored to report to you as a member of the New Hampshire Executive Council. This five-member elected body acts much like a board of directors of your New Hampshire State Government in the Executive Branch.

In my twentieth year representing this district with 98 towns and four cities, there are many changes I've seen and been a part of in the past. My focus in this report to you is toward the future and some suggestions on how you as citizens might be encouraged to participate in the future.

The following are some ideas and suggestions. The Governor and Council have a constitutional and lawful duty to fill dozens of boards and commissions with volunteer citizens. If you are interested in serving on one or more of these volunteer posts, please send me your resume at the State House and I'll see that it is passed on to Kathy Goode, Governor Shaheen's liaison to the Executive Council, or you may wish to send them directly to the Governor's Office, State House, 107 North Main Street, Concord, NH 03301

Other resources available to your town/city/county include 10 million dollars (\$10,000,000) through the Community Development Block Grant program at the **Office of State Planning**. Call Jeff Taylor at 271-2155 to see if your town or area qualifies.

Annually there is available some 10 million dollars (\$10,000,000) available through the **New Hampshire Attorney General's Office** for innovative programs for drug and law enforcement, stress programs dealing with youth at risk, assistance to victims, and special programs for victims of domestic violence. For information call Mark Thompson at 271-3658.

Communities may request assistance through the **NH National Guard Army**, General John Blair's Office, for services such as a Drug Detection Dog, Community Presentations on Drug Demand Education, and Career Direction Workshops. Telephone number is 225-1200.

The **Office of Emergency Management** at telephone number 1-800-852-3792 is the proper call when an emergency develops in your area such as floods, high winds, oil spills, and ice jams.

**State and Federal Surplus** items may be purchased at minimum cost. Call Art Haeussler at 271-2602 for a list and newsletter.

In **New Hampshire Correctional Industries**, there are many products and services of use to towns, cities, and counties such as street signs, vehicle decals, printing, car repair, furniture, and data entry services, including web page development. Call Peter McDonald at 271-1875.

People and businesses looking for work - vocational rehabilitation, job training programs should call **NH Employment Security** at 1-800-852-3400.

**NH Department of Environmental Services** has available 20% grants for water/waste water projects and landfill closure projects, revolving loans for water/waste water and landfill closure, and also money for Household Waste Collection days. Call 271-2905. State Revolving Loans has available around 35 to 50 million dollars (\$35,000,000 to \$50,000,000) per year. For information call 271-3505.

**Oil Funds** - There are five petroleum funds which cover oil spill cleanup and emergency response, reimbursement for cleanup by owners of motor fuel underground and above-ground tanks, heating oil facilities (primary home owners), and motor oil storage facilities (service stations and automobile dealers). For information call 271-3644. Further, there is a municipal grant fund for construction of used oil collection facilities and operator training. For information call 271-2942.

**Household Hazardous Waste Collection Days** - Annual grants to cities and towns for collection of household hazardous waste provide dollar-for-dollar matching funds up to a total of 50% of the costs incurred. For further information call 271-2047.

**NH Health & Human Services Department** has numerous divisions, providing a variety of services and assistance . . . mental health, public health, children and youth, etc. All of these may be obtained by calling 1-800-852-3345.

All of your New Hampshire State Government can be accessed by the general phone number at 271-1110 and through the State Webster Internet <http://www.state.nh.us>. Your New Hampshire Government is at your service, please call my office anytime I can be of help. (271-3632 and e-mail: [rburton@gov.state.nh.us](mailto:rburton@gov.state.nh.us)).

## WAKEFIELD HERITAGE COMMISSION

The Wakefield Heritage Commission has had a busy year in 1998. Many good things have happened and many others are developing as the days go on.

1998 brought many visitors to the Heritage Centre of the Branch River Valley in the J.W. Garvin Building. All summer long we were able to have the Centre open six days each week with the help of two willing AARP workers. They were from the Senior Community Service Employment Program of the AARP. These people went through a training period to familiarize themselves with artifacts and memorabilia exhibited there so that they were able to tell the visitors the story of the numerous displays we have arranged. At the end of the summer months we staffed the Centre with volunteers and were able to welcome visitors until Christmas week. As soon as the weather improves and folks are moving out and about again the Centre will reopen to the public as they come into town. Several hundred visitors spent time this year viewing the exhibits of ice harvesting, lumbering, railroading, home life, and commerce of Wakefield and the area's past. Residents, former residents, and family members of former residents were excited and thrilled to see pictures and artifacts depicting scenes and artifacts of their forebears.

Now we are awaiting word of a special grant for the Centre which will cover signage, the audio visual system of the Kiosk, and a descriptive booklet.

In addition to visits from our current residents we have had visitors from 19 other states as well as from England, Holland, and Spain. The comments have been not only positive but very appreciative as well. The Centre is truly a special place of which Wakefield can be very proud and which no other Town can match—a place where one can learn, reminisce and enjoy the past

On August 12, 1998 the Selectmen voted to give a new responsibility to the Heritage Commission—that of overseeing the older town-owned buildings, especially if they are rented and have the possibility of changes being made in the structure and their historic ambiance disappearing.

The initial responsibility of caring for the Wakefield Corner Historic District has also been a part of 1998 with several discussion sessions and one public hearing.

Our fund-raising activities of course have continued throughout 1998 and as before, as we received money it has gone directly into the Restoration. To date we have put well over \$200,000 into the Restoration. This year we have installed 48 new windows with latches, prepared the entire first floor for a new heating system with heaters in place in two of the units. This will eliminate frozen pipes and cold spaces. As other units are rented, new heaters will be installed.

The need continues to care for our historic sites and buildings. Through the kindness and generosity of the Forest Pump Company, the Town Pump was completely restored this year with the promise that they will continue to keep it in working order in the future as well. It's amazing to see the cars stop and the occupants get out and try the pump! They are so surprised to see that the water really flows.

Our ongoing fund-raising efforts for this year include:

Barn Tour	\$1,245.00
Fall Festival Walking Tour	75.00
Victorian Tea	230.00

Tulip Bulb Sale	280.00
Pancake Breakfast	475.38
Art & Craft Tables	1,120.00
"JW Bear"	873.00
Dance Recital	371.90
Plaques	1,973.75
Donations	5,261.00
Craft Fair Food	246.00
Big Jar	157.00
Penny Sale	144.55
Buttons	24.00
Raffle	205.00
Rockin' Ryans Root Beer	254.00
Rent	—

"J.W. Bear" was a sellout, and the walking tour in the Historic District was much enjoyed. Our sale of wooden collector plaques of the buildings in town continue to sell well. The District #12 School for 1998 has been especially popular, and we are planning a new plaque for 1999.

It has been a good year, and we are most grateful to all who have helped make it thus.

Very sincerely,  
Elizabeth B. MacRury, Chairperson  
Peter G. Brown  
Elizabeth Fogg  
Paul G. Gosselin  
Pamela A. Judge  
Joseph D. Kenney  
Nancy S. Smith

## PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

1998 was a busy year for the Parks and Recreation Commission. Previous programs that were continued were: Soccer, Indoor Soccer, Ice Skating, T-Ball, Little League, Babe Ruth, Softball, ASA Softball, Summer Day Camp, Summer Bus Trips, Movies In The Park, Football and Cheerleading. Basketball programs included: Beginner Basketball, Intramurals, Grades 4/5/6 and Grades 7/8 Travel Teams as well as two Adult programs: Volleyball and Basketball. All these programs were offered to the children and adults of Wakefield with a record number of each participating.

A highlight of the basketball program this year was the 7/8 grade girls team winning the Great Eastern New Hampshire League championship and tournament. Congratulations, girls!

We would like to thank all the volunteer coaches for their time; area business for their sponsorship; and all the volunteers who gave of their time to help run these programs. Without their selfless dedication these activities would not continue to grow, prosper, and be available to the community.

We would like to thank former Director Scott Kohl who resigned in November to pursue other employment. During his tenure, he worked diligently to see that the programs ran smoothly for the children, adults and the betterment of the community.

Upon Scott's resignation, Nicki Mercer assumed the position of interim Director with Maggie Nelson Assistant Director, aided by Annie Robbins, Ken Burkner and Donna McDougal as volunteers. With over fifteen years cumulative experience between them, we anticipate a continuation of our fine programs.

We feel that the time has come for a full-time Director to continue the programs already established and to formulate new recreational opportunities.

We are pleased to be members of the Parks and Recreation Commission and we are looking forward to continuing these programs and serving the community for another productive year in 1999.

Respectfully submitted,  
Wayne Robinson, Co-Chairman  
David Stevens, Co-Chairman  
Priscilla Colbath  
Joe Oliveira  
Chris Desjardens, Selectmen Liaison

## 1998 LANDFILL DEPARTMENT REPORT

As taxpayers of the Town of Wakefield, you are aware that the existing landfill (or the "dump" as it is affectionately referred to) is projected to run out of space mid-year 1999. The transfer station will be constructed and operating at that time.

The Solid Waste Advisory committee has accepted the preliminary design by King Engineering of Wakefield, and the necessary permits are being processed.

The western slope of the landfill has been shaped to pre-closure grade in compliance with long-range planning.

The Town of Wakefield has joined the Northeast Recycling Recovery Association; a company designed to maximize recycling revenues. Each household in the community can help this effort by separating and sorting at home. When you arrive at the landfill, your "trash" should be deposited according to the following categories: Aluminum, glass (brown, green, clear), paper, cardboard, and household garbage. Those of you who can are encouraged to start a compost pile at your home.

Please understand that a transfer station will be more expensive to operate than a landfill. Every item that you deposit has to be transferred or carried away. The more you bring in, the more it costs. The more you recycle the lower the cost of the transfer station, which directly affects your taxes.

Recycling costs and income in 1998:

ITEMS MARKETED: Aluminum cans, Batteries, Scrap metal, Glass, and Newspapers.

DISPOSAL COSTS\*: Freon removal, Tire disposal, Container rentals, Transportation, and Tipping fees.

\*Does not include labor and equipment cost or revenue payments.

DUMP FEES CHARGED: Tires, White metal, Bulky items, and Shingles.  
*We no longer accept DEMO material.*

I know that I share the sentiment of the townspeople when I extend a sincere thank you to the landfill crew. The existing "veteran" crew remains courteous and helpful at all times regardless of the weather.

It is with great appreciation and gratitude that we recognize:

Walter "Skip" Knight, Assistant Landfill Supervisor  
Robert "Bob Sr." Lemire, Landfill Attendant  
Robert "Bob" Halloran, Landfill Attendant

There is honor in labor, and you are honorable men. Thank you for the countless hours that you serve our public. Thank you for assisting them with a smile at all times, and thank you for contributing your expertise to the conversion from landfill to transfer station.

I know I speak for the crew when I thank those of you who once in a while bring hot coffee or a cold beverage to the job site.

Respectfully submitted,  
Daniel R. Davis, Landfill Supervisor

# WAKEFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT 1998

The Police Department welcomes two new police officers. Officers Michael Sanger and Eric Babine were appointed after a comprehensive and competitive selection process. Officer Sanger holds a Bachelors Degree in Criminal Justice, with a minor in Psychology, from the University of Massachusetts. He will be attending the 117th New Hampshire Police Academy beginning January 1999. Officer Babine holds a Bachelors Degree in Criminology and Business Management from the University of Southern Maine. He will attend the 118th Police Academy beginning in April 1999. We look forward to a long-term relationship with them.

Officers Sanger and Babine were hired to fill vacancies created when Cpl. Timothy Thompson went to the Carroll County Sheriff's Department and Officer Timothy Brackett accepted a position with the Attorney General's Office. Cpl. Thompson and Officer Brackett each served the town well for over 6 years. We wish them success in their new careers.

Thanks to extraordinary work by officers and substantial co-operation from citizens, we currently enjoy a remarkable 61% clearance rate for burglaries. For comparison, the state and national average runs 12 to 14%. Notwithstanding our investigative success, we still experience far too many burglaries. You are our eyes and ears. Please call if you see something suspicious or unusual.

In the statistics below I have included the year 1988 to give a 10-year snapshot of department activities. In those 10 years our calls for service have more than doubled, yet our staffing has remained level.

Lt. Kenneth Fifield was selected as the "1998 Officer of the Year" by department members, in recognition of his never-ending dedication to the department and the townspeople. Lt. Fifield oversees the management of case investigations, serves as the department prosecutor in the District Courts, and maintains patrol obligations. He brings an incredible energy, eagerness, and professionalism to the department. I personally extend my thanks and appreciation to Ken for his unequalled work ethic, loyalty and integrity.

I wish to thank the citizens and Select boards of the towns of Wakefield and Brookfield for their support through out the year. I especially wish to thank the members of the department for their continued dedication and service. You have made a substantial difference in the quality of life for so many people in the Wakefield area, and I am proud of my association with each of you.

## WAKEFIELD CRIME ANALYSIS

	1988	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Burglary	40	33	27	34	55	56	66	44
Criminal Trespass	20	23	12	16	26	31	59	26
Theft	72	60	99	79	92	73	81	73
Criminal Mischief	67	53	128	105	122	105	135	119
Arrests	539	284	336	317	387	356	270	445
Calls for Service	2161	2539	2782	2960	3247	3636	3801	4401

## ARRESTS 1998

Assault	32	Harassment	1
Burglary	34	Issue Bad Checks	1
CHINS (protective custody)	7	Miscellaneous	20
Conduct after Accident	3	Protective Custody	58
Criminal Threatening	9	Possession of Controlled Drugs	16
Criminal Mischief	26	Possession of Stolen Property	1
Criminal Trespass	19	Possession of Tobacco	1
Disobey Officer	2	Reckless Driving	5
Disorderly Conduct	5	Reckless Conduct	1
Driving after Susp./Rev.	27	Resisting Arrest	4
Driving without License	8	Sexual Assault	8
Domestic Prot. Order Violation	3	Shoplifting/Willful Concealment	3
DWI	39	Taking Without Consent	1
Fugitive from Justice	1	Theft	14
False Public Alarm	2	Transportation of Alcohol	23
Fire Permit Required	1	Unlawful Possession of Alcohol	39
Forgery	6	Violation of Probation	2
Habitual Offender	2	Warrants/Juvenile Petitions	21

## MOTOR VEHICLE ACTIVITY

Accidents Investigated	127
Arrests:	
DWI	39
Conduct after Accident	3
Drive after Susp./Rev.	27
Reckless Driving	5
Habitual Offender	2
Court Summonses	143
DE Tags/Warnings	<u>750</u>
	969

Respectfully submitted,  
Timothy J. Merrill, Chief of Police

## CABLE ADVISORY BOARD

The Advisory Board held two meetings during the year—July 23rd and November 12th.

At the July meeting Government Relations members from Frontiervision Cable, Peter Atherton and Shelly Winchenbach, were present and stated that the cable extension was on schedule and should be completed by the end of August. However, at this writing no apparent pole work has been started.

The Cable Advisory Board will continue to press the cable company to complete their contract with the town.

Respectfully submitted,  
John Pallis, Chairman  
Albert Vacaro, Secretary  
Robert Barnes  
Bert Rhodes  
David Tibbetts  
Richard White

## GAFNEY LIBRARY REPORT

Library hours for 1999 will be:

Sunday & Monday CLOSED	Thursday 1-7:30 pm
Tuesday 1-7:30 pm	Friday 10-12 noon
Wednesday 10-12 noon	Saturday 9-2 pm

This new schedule seems to better suit our patrons who come in for books as well as other services, including interlibrary loan, books on audio- and video tape, photocopying and faxing (for a small donation), federal tax information and forms, NH Works computer link for job opportunities, and our very popular summer reading program for children.

Regarding our budget, we are pleased to report that we are able to continue all our services at a funding level from the town identical to that of the last several years.

Our focus this year has been to achieve a means of access for handicapped people. The proposed construction design provides elevator service to all three floors of the town hall and both stories of the Gafney Library for a total project cost of \$250,000. It is anticipated that \$100,00 will be awarded through a Community Development Block Grant for which the County has applied. The Gafney Library is prepared to fund its share of the cost of the access corridor (\$65,000) through fund raising efforts and the Gafney Endowment Fund. Finally, in March of 1998 the voters of Wakefield overwhelmingly approved \$80,000 appropriation for the project.

A successful children's summer program involving 47 registered participants was held for six weeks in the basement of the Town Hall, due to the children's library being closed at the Gafney. Ann Gehring developed, coordinated and managed the program which was fully funded by a Saul O. Sidore Memorial Foundation grant in the amount of \$2300.00.

Each week Margaret Wentworth, a volunteer, continues the tradition of delivering books to the Mountain View Nursing Home.

The Directors and Trustees of the Gafney are Titia Bozuwa, President; Rebecca Keating, Vice-President; Lois Hall, Secretary; Dennis Miller, Treasurer; Ruth Fogelin, Lorraine Sager and Ruth Grant Smith. We welcome the newest member to the Board of Directors, Penny Voyles. We all miss Alden Young who passed away in November of 1997 after many years of dedication to the library. The Directors and Trustees of the library take this opportunity to thank Marilyn Covey for her twenty years of devoted and loyal service to the Gafney. As Marilyn retires, we pay special tribute to her for countless contributions and endless hours of serving the needs of our patrons.

Special thanks to the residents of Wakefield for their support of our access corridor needs, the Friends of the Wakefield Libraries for their outreach program and fundraising efforts, and to the many wonderful volunteers who continue to make our services available without additional costs to our communities.

# GAFNEY LIBRARY, INC.

## OPERATING INCOME

	December 31, 1997 Oct., Nov., and Dec.	November 30, 1998 11 Months Year-to-Date
<b>ENDOWMENT FUNDS</b>		
Charles B. Gafney	\$77.09	\$1,238.11
Limited Partnership Income	247.50	1,017.00
Dividends - Dean Witter	1,227.45	4,425.49
Money Market - Dean Witter	<u>251.54</u>	<u>1,138.49</u>
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,803.58</b>	<b>\$7,819.09</b>
<b>OPERATING &amp; GIFT FUNDS</b>		
Book Sales	\$125.34	\$562.36
Membership Donations	25.00	48.00
Fines	93.00	298.00
Copier	77.00	261.00
Fax	00.00	11.00
Gifts - Children's Book Fund	00.00	1,000.00
Gifts - Children's Summer Program	00.00	2,300.00
Library Expansion Donations	00.00	12,662.50
Undesignated Gift	<u>1,555.00</u>	<u>70.00</u>
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,875.34</b>	<b>\$17,212.86</b>
<b>TOTAL PRIVATE FUNDS</b>	<b>\$3,678.92</b>	<b>\$25,031.95</b>
<b>PUBLIC FUNDS</b>		
Town of Wakefield - 85%	00.00	\$7,950.00
Town of Brookfield - 15%	\$2,800.00	00.00
<b>TOTAL PUBLIC FUNDS</b>	<b>\$2,800.00</b>	<b>\$7,950.00</b>
<b>TOTAL OPERATING INCOME</b>	<b>\$6,478.92</b>	<b>\$32,981.95</b>
<b>TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE</b>	<b><u>14,541.62</u></b>	<b><u>26,976.81</u></b>
<b>NET CASH FLOW</b>	<b>(\$8,062.70)</b>	<b>\$6,005.14</b>

## OPERATING EXPENSE

	December 31, 1997 Oct., Nov., and Dec.	November 30, 1998 11 Months Year-to-Date
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
Salaries	\$3,136.28	\$10,859.00
IRS	246.37	917.03
State of NH - U Comp.	00.00	00.00
Books - Library	974.74	2,717.67
Books - Children's	00.00	1,493.18

Periodicals	00.00	469.19
Library Services & Supplies	73.95	267.14
Library Programs	00.00	400.00
Library Courses & Conferences	00.00	00.00
Children's Summer Program	00.00	1,500.00
General Supplies	38.94	107.39
Copier Repair & Supplies	30.53	110.15
Computer Expense	00.00	52.98
Accounting	300.00	1,100.00
Postage	2.00	71.90
Telephone.	187.41	789.93
Fuel	336.00	1,321.00
Electricity	251.62	1,032.57
Water	41.78	43.80
Sewer	00.00	70.35
Snow Removal	123.00	195.00
Insurance	00.00	1,256.00
Maintenance	3,355.00	816.79
Library Expansion	5,345.00	1,238.44
Miscellaneous, Net	<u>99.00</u>	<u>147.30</u>
<b>TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE</b>	<b>\$14,541.62</b>	<b>\$26,976.81</b>

# UNION VILLAGE LIBRARY

The Union Village Library is open Monday and Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 and Saturday afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00.

We are very pleased that our circulation has increased to 1,225 in 1998.

The Trustees of the Library are: Marion Nason, Chairman; Janet Shea, Treasurer; Priscilla Anderson; and Arlene Tibbetts.

Many thanks to the Trustees for all they do.

Respectfully submitted  
Kathie Damon, Librarian

## FINANCIAL REPORT FOR UNION VILLAGE LIBRARY 1998

### RECEIPTS

Town of Wakefield	\$2,500.00
R. Burtman fund	500.00
Interest	21.82
Union Congregational Church	<u>108.00</u>
	\$3,129.82
Balance on Hand 1/1/98	<u>3,094.92</u>
	\$6,224.74

### EXPENDITURES

Librarian's Salary	\$1,224.60
IRS	261.35
Rent Donation	1,200.00
Heat	630.45
Public Service Company	292.08
Insurance	379.00
Baker & Taylor (Books)	1,027.80
Books, Magazines, Periodicals	116.97
Supplies	19.45
Postage	9.60
Baron Windows Cleaning	125.00
Portland Glass	108.00
Rapid Sanitation	<u>60.00</u>
	\$5,454.30

Respectfully submitted,  
Janet Shea, Treasurer

**WAKEFIELD LIBRARY ASSOCIATION**  
**Treasurer's Report 1998**

INCOME

Town of Wakefield	\$7,086.00
Helen C. Spencer Fund	225.00
Ann Spencer Faris Fund	141.52
Wakefield Library Association	759.93
So. Indiana Gas & Electric	48.00
Interest - Checking	68.11
Donations	270.00
Book Sale	<u>95.05</u>
TOTAL	\$8,693.61

DISBURSEMENTS

Salary	\$1,230.00
Internal Revenue Service	183.07
State of New Hampshire	50.12
Books and Subscriptions	968.54
Public Service of New Hampshire	204.15
Maintenance	1,938.00
Insurance	1,232.00
Postage and Box Rental	39.20
Fuel Oil	579.78
Safe-Deposit Box Rental	25.00
Supplies	00.00
Telephone	390.11
Paint and Roof Fund	<u>1,100.00</u>
TOTAL	\$7,939.97

Respectfully submitted,  
Nancy Hall, Treasurer

## 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. 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 ten Forest Rangers who work for the New Hampshire Division of Forests and Lands, Forest Protection Bureau. State Forest Rangers are available to assist communities with forest fire suppression, prevention, and training programs, as well as the enforcement of forest fire and timber harvest laws. 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. Early in 1998 we experienced an ice storm, which caused severe damage to forests of New Hampshire. This damage created a greater potential fire hazard as well as safety hazards to many areas of the state. Your local fire warden and Forest Rangers need your assistance in preventing wildfires in these hard-hit areas and throughout the State. If you need assistance or information dealing with ice damaged woodlands, please call 1-800-444-8978.

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.

### 1998 FIRE STATISTICS (All Fires Reported thru December 23, 1998)

FIRES REPORTED BY COUNTY		CAUSES OF FIRES REPORTED	
Belknap	44	Smoking	59
Carroll	89	Debris Burning	38
Cheshire	67	Campfire	29
Coos	18	Power Line	14
Grafton	43	Railroad	9
Hillsborough	232	Equipment Use	24
Merrimack	108	Lightning	16
Rockingham	121	Children	95
Strafford	64	OHRV	6
Sullivan	12	Miscellaneous	53
		Unknown	140
		Fireworks	6
		Arson/Suspicious	16
		Illegal	231
TOTAL FIRES	798	Rekindle	43
TOTAL ACRES	442.86	Disposal of Ashes	19

Respectfully submitted,  
Todd Nason, Forest Fire Warden

# WAKEFIELD FIRE/AMBULANCE DEPARTMENT

## 1998 Town Report

1998 completed the first year for the Wakefield Fire/Ambulance Department as a combined agency. The officers and members of the department agree that this combining of the two agencies is working very well.

During the year, Wakefield's Engine 2 was sent down to Haverhill, Massachusetts for two months for a complete body refurbishment and repaint, as well as to have it's deteriorating steel water tank replaced with a modern, rust-proof, polyethylene tank. This engine, which is approaching 20 years of active service for the Town of Wakefield, once again looks like a new truck. This refurbishment will add many years of continued service to the life of this truck for the Town.

Emergency medical calls were down slightly though November, logging 263 runs for that period, with total mileage traveled of 7,407 miles. 136 of these calls were located around the village of Sanbornville, 75 in the area of East Wakefield, 21 in Union and 21 in Brookfield. An additional 10 calls were made outside of Wakefield for mutual aid to neighboring towns. The fewest emergency medical aid calls occurred during the month of October, with 14 runs logged, while the busiest month was May, with 35 runs logged.

Emergency Medical calls responded to:

Illness and trauma calls	192
Motor vehicle accidents	33
Motor vehicle accident (fatality)	1
Fire emergency	30
Untimely deaths	<u>7</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>263</b>

A shortage of available Emergency Medical personnel in Town at times this year resulted in the need to call in assistance from surrounding communities through our mutual aid agreements more than usual. Efforts to rectify this shortage by recruiting more volunteers for our Emergency Medical Service are ongoing.

Fire calls were slightly increased from the number of calls in 1997. Through November 165 responses were made by the Fire Department:

Fire alarm	22	Motor vehicle accident	21
Power line problem	16	Structural fire (5 in town, 7 mutual aid)	12
Illegal outdoor fire	11	Woods/Brush/Grass fire	10
Chimney fire	10	Smoke investigation	8
Carbon Monoxide alarm	7	Motor vehicle fire	6
Service call	6	Standby in quarters	4
Station cover (Mutual aid)	4	Electrical fire	3
Furnace problem	3	Ambulance assist	3
Unknown outdoor fire	3	Propane leak	3
Oil spill	3	Smoke in building	2
Gasoline spill	2	Assist motorist	1
Tree hazard	1	Oven fire	1
Woodstove problem	1	Snowmobile fire	1
Dump fire	1		
<b>TOTAL: 165</b>			

State & local fire officials are warning that the tree damage from the January, 1998 ice storm will result in an increase of available fuels in the area's woodlands which could result in more severe woods fires as well as a greater number of these types of fires during the coming fire seasons. The Wakefield Fire / Ambulance Department encourages everyone to be even more cautious than usual when dealing with any type of equipment or material that may provide a source of ignition for these fuels. A discarded glass bottle can magnify the sun's rays enough to ignite dry grass or leaves. Dirt bikes and ATVs, even chainsaws without proper spark arrestors are potential fire starters. Proper disposal of smoking materials and ashes from indoor fireplaces or woodstoves could prevent an accidental fire in your back yard. Proper extinguishment of outdoor fires by dousing with water until all coals are cold is essential, and don't forget that **a written State of NH fire permit is required by law for all outdoor fires.** Always think about the fire potential whenever dealing with these or any other ignition sources.

If you spot a fire, or see smoke in an area where it doesn't belong, report it immediately. Precious minutes lost in wondering if it is actually a fire or if you should report it can make a major difference in suppressing and extinguishing a fire. The Firefighters of the Wakefield Fire / Ambulance Department would much rather respond on a suspicion and find nothing, than to have a fire go unreported until it is much larger, causing widespread destruction and much more difficult to control.

Respectfully submitted,  
Rusty Loring  
Fred Nason  
Skip Wolfe  
Wakefield Fire Commissioners

# 1998 BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WAKEFIELD

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Father	Mother
January 24	Wolfeboro	Emily Elizabeth	Kenneth A. Crew	Michelle Ann Baillargeon
January 30	Rochester	Cali Joan	Fred Lloyd Newton	Janice Marie Irving
February 9	Wolfeboro	Sealyn Riley	Timothy Thompson	Ann Thompson
February 13	Wolfeboro	Sebastian Seymour	David Arthur Flood	Louise Anne Seymour
March 10	Lebanon	Lydia Kaye	Donald Collyns	Sandra K. Brooks
March 19	Rochester	Sera Rae	Troy Adam Boisvert	Mindy Jeanne Stark
April 16	Dover	Jaime Marie	Mark James Larsen	Holly Marie Hudak
April 18	Rochester	Benjamin Michael	Todd Titus	Lisa Titus
April 19	Dover	Tyler Robert	Robert Lee Mitchell, Jr.	Joyelle Hughson
April 26	Wolfeboro	Clayton Douglas	Jonathan Michael Cyr	Bonnie Christine Martell
May 8	Wolfeboro	Colby Tanner	Kenneth Hall Wilson, Jr.	Nicole Michelle Canney
May 23	Dover	Connor Sullivan	William Andrew Hermonat	Kimberly Sue Ross
May 27	Dover	Noah Michael	Christopher A. Ratliff	Jennifer Lynn Aimes
June 13	Wolfeboro	Haley Ann	Dennis Linwood Tyler	Marcia Ann Tutein
June 25	Dover	Kaylee Ann	Nathan Robert Fogg	Deborah Ann Otto
July 26	Wolfeboro	Kody Robert	Kenneth Robert Fogg, II	Dolores Veronica Hodge
September 22	Rochester	Cody Christopher	Christopher Miller	Jennifer Miller
October 16	Rochester	Victoria Nicole	Chellis William Smith	Cynthia Lynn Bibeault
November 9	Wolfeboro	Cyrus Alden	Dana Eagle Hull	Lolene Louise Palmer
November 10	Wolfeboro	Raina Emerentiana	Phil A. Gentile	Nicole Emerentiana Giacalone
November 15	Rochester	Sara Rose	Allen Joseph Brochu, Jr.	Kimberly Jo Gagnon

This report is as of November 30th. Any births in December will be recorded in next year's report. I certify that the above report is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Teresa A. Williams, Town Clerk

## 1998 MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WAKEFIELD

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Bride and Groom	Residence	By Whom Married
February 7	Wolfeboro	Jaime P. Poulin Lisa Ann Purple	East Wakefield East Wakefield	Linda M. Duffy, JP
February 8	Wolfeboro	Dennis R. Callahan Lenoah Jo May	Sanbornville Sanbornville	Philip J. Ganem, JP
February 14	Wakefield	Robert John Paletsky Groellen Nelson	Sanbornville Sanbornville	Linda M. Duffy, JP
April 25	Wakefield	Michael Alan Chesley Tanya Marie Eaton	Middleton East Wakefield	Rev. James G. Pirie
May 2	Rochester	Timothy W. Stevens Susan L. Miliner	Union Union	Frederick S. Leslie, Pastor
June 20	Wakefield	David Jack Watson Pamela Marie Rowe	Arlington, VA Arlington, VA	Linda M. Duffy, JP
June 27	Wolfeboro	Stuart Ralph Stinchfield Jule Ann Contois	Wakefield Wakefield	Patrick F. Irwin, Pastor
June 27	Rochester	Tobey Allen Hanscom Cheryl Tina Wentworth	Sanbornville Sanbornville	Rev. Paul D. Montminy
June 28	Rochester	David Allen Fortier Angela Dorothea Schettino	East Wakefield East Wakefield	Jeanette C. Gagne, JP
July 3	Wakefield	Kurt Peter Westfall Darlene Patricia Cheney	Ossipee Sanbornville	Linda M. Duffy, JP
July 11	Milton	Nathaniel Lawson Bynum Beth Ann Emerson	Sanbornville Milton	Barbara L. Gehres, JP
July 18	Sanbornville	Larry J. Osmer MaryEllen LaBelle	Weymouth, MA Weymouth, MA	Fr. Edmund A. Babicz, Priest
July 18	Wakefield	James A. Glidden Jill E. Long	Holden, MA Holden, MA	Charles A. Whitford, Pastor

July 25	Middleton	Philip Stephen Joy Ann Marie Patch	Wakefield	David W. Sargent, Reverend
July 25	Sanbornville	James Donald Thomas Denise Lorraine Turbitt	Wakefield Sanbornville	William E. Swift, Reverend
July 31	Wakefield	Vincent A. Chiaradonna, Jr. Cherie Greenfield	Sanbornville Sanbornville	Linda M. Duffy, JP
August 5	Wakefield	Michael John Davis Mary L. Fouty	Sanbornville Kitty Hawk, NC Kitty Hawk, NC	Linda M. Duffy, JP
August 8	Rochester	David Paul Martin Rita Anne Berry	Sanbornville Sanbornville	Carol L. Martin, JP
August 29	Freedom	Keith Gordon White Rebecca Anne Lupien	Wakefield Wakefield	Alan Stolz, JP
August 29	Wakefield	Justin Frank D'Ercole Sarah Amy Whitely	Wakefield Boston, MA	Rev. James G. Pirie
August 29	Wakefield	Joseph Gabriel Bockman Judith Ann Joslin	Boston, MA Beverly, MA Beverly, MA	Rev. George A. Harvey
August 29	Sanbornville	Steven Charles Shetler Leslie Gabrielle Jonas	Medford, MA Medford, MA	Linda M. Duffy, JP
August 29	Rochester	James Michael Poisson Amy Elizabeth Clarke	Sanbornville Sanbornville	Larry R. Brickner-Wood, Pastor
August 30	Union	Daniel Brian Sullivan Patricia Lynn Perry	Union Union	Linda M. Duffy, JP
September 13	Sanbornville	Clinton L. Labrabee III Gail M. Calderone	Sanbornville Sanbornville	Linda M. Duffy, JP
September 19	Union	Roland Robert Dodier April Kathleen Wilson	Union Union	Andrew D. Shagoury, JP
September 19	Tamworth	Charles Campbell Rhoades Susan Paulette Miller	Ft. Collins, CO Morgantown, WV	Linda M. Duffy, JP
September 21	Sanbornville	Waldron V. Cluett Anita M. Muise	Wolfeboro Sanbornville	Marilyn Lash Cluett
October 3	Chocorua	Timothy James Smith	Sanbornville	Linda M. Duffy, JP

October 3	Sanbornville	Joyce Elizabeth Randall Ronald Arthur Farr, Jr.	Sanbornville Westbrook, ME	Fr. Edmund A. Babicz, Priest
October 11	Exeter	Jane Yendituoli Bret Alan Page	Westbrook, Me Barrington	Rev. Maurice Rochefort, Priest
October 14	Sanbornville	Amy-Lyn Geraldine Macedo Vasilos Delintsiotis Barbara Karmiris	East Wakefield Sanbornville Sanbornville	Linda M. Duffy, JP

This report is as of November 30th. Any marriage in December will be recorded in next year's report.  
I certify that the above report is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Teresa A. Williams, Town Clerk

# 1998 DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WAKEFIELD

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name	Age	Father	Mother
January 5	Manchester	John Thomas Kenney, Sr.	83	William James Kenney	Josephine Gallant
January 7	Sanbornville	Doreen Beryl Winslade	77	William Hansen	Freda Manyer
January 24	Wolfeboro	Joseph Francis Gallagher	80	Joseph Gallagher	Mary Bedard
January 26	Rochester	Myrton Parker Kehoe	80	Frank Leslie Kehoe	Marguerite L. Hunter
February 4	Sanbornville	David Allen Goldstein	36	Abbot Goldstein	Ernestine Roth
February 9	Sanbornville	Basil A. Buzzell	85	Melvin Buzzell	Unknown
February 22	Sanbornville	Charles Edward Fielding	86	William Fielding	Elizabeth Ashton
March 31	Rochester	Theresa Saulnier	67	Thomas Saulnier	Lydia Melanson
April 6	Wakefield	Carlton Wentworth Spencer	91	Fred Spencer	Minnie Foss
April 14	Rochester	Douglas Harrison Grinnell	51	John Harrison Grinnell	Ruby Faye Hale
April 16	Wakefield	Richard R. Gagnon	58	Louis Gagnon	Helena Fraser
April 23	Dover	Phyllis Foss Godfrey	63	Samuel Foss	Geneva Diston
April 26	Milton	Jean C. Gray		Eugene Chretien	Madeline Hull
May 11	Rochester	Sadie J. Haskins		Clifton Goodwin	Ethel (Unknown)
May 12	Lebanon	Joseph William Brown	62	James G. Brown	Rebecca S. Synnott
May 24	Wolfeboro	Harold Percy Fisher, Jr.	82	Harold Percy Fisher, Sr.	Lottie Bell
May 31	Wakefield	Ralph Frank Blais, Jr.	52	Ralph Frank Blais, Sr.	Alice Comas
June 8	Nashua	Sandra Eikleboom	83	Paul Sterling	Rene Murdock
June 9	Sanbornville	Freeland Simmons Marston	68	Forrest Marston	Lola Simmons
June 10	Wakefield	Robert Alan Whittemore	54	Robert R. Gunder	Jeanne K. McKinnon
June 13	Wolfeboro	Newell Elibus Frost	83	E. Frost	Minnie Cronin
June 22	Wakefield	George E. Buckless	81	George G. Buckless	Louise Young
July 1	Wolfeboro	John Wendal Worthley	67	Willard Kent Worthley	Olive Knowlton Pace
August 4	Ossipee	Gertrude Mary Theresa Foley	81	Charles Mansfield	Lillian Buzzell
August 22	Sanbornville	Jessie-Ann Joy	66	Ralph Herbert	Leah Wiggins





## TOWN OF WAKEFIELD EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS

FIRE & AMBULANCE (emergency dispatch) .....	539-2261
AMBULANCE FROM 473 #s .....	800-552-8960
FIRE (stations only)	
SANBORNVILLE .....	522-8336
EAST WAKEFIELD .....	522-3363
UNION .....	473-2344
POLICE (24-hour dispatch) .....	800-832-2100
POLICE STATION (office only) .....	522-3232
ALL EMERGENCIES .....	911
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT .....	539-2284
POISON CONTROL CENTER .....	800-562-8236
HUGGINS HOSPITAL (Wolfeboro) .....	569-2150
FRISBIE HOSPITAL (Rochester) .....	332-5211
VISITING NURSE .....	569-2729
TOWN ADMINISTRATOR .....	522-6205
SELECTMEN'S OFFICE .....	522-6205
TOWN CLERK .....	522-6205
TAX COLLECTOR .....	522-6205
BUILDING INSPECTOR .....	522-6205
ROAD AGENT / HIGHWAY GARAGE .....	522-8266
LANDFILL .....	522-3590
ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER (call police station) .....	522-3232
WATER DEPARTMENT .....	522-3438

### SELECTMEN'S MEETING

**2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7:00 P.M.**

### SELECTMEN'S OFFICE HOURS

**Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8-4  
Wednesday 8-Noon**

### TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE HOURS

**Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8:30-4  
Wed. 8:30-12 & Sat. 8:30-1:30**

### TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE HOURS

**Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 9-2  
Wed. 9-12**

### LANDFILL HOURS

**Fri., Sat., Sun., Mon. 8-3**

### BOARD OF ASSESSORS

**By Appointment**

### BUILDING INSPECTOR / HEALTH OFFICER

**Fri. 9-12**

### PLANNING BOARD

**1st & 3rd Thursdays at 7:00 P.M.**