

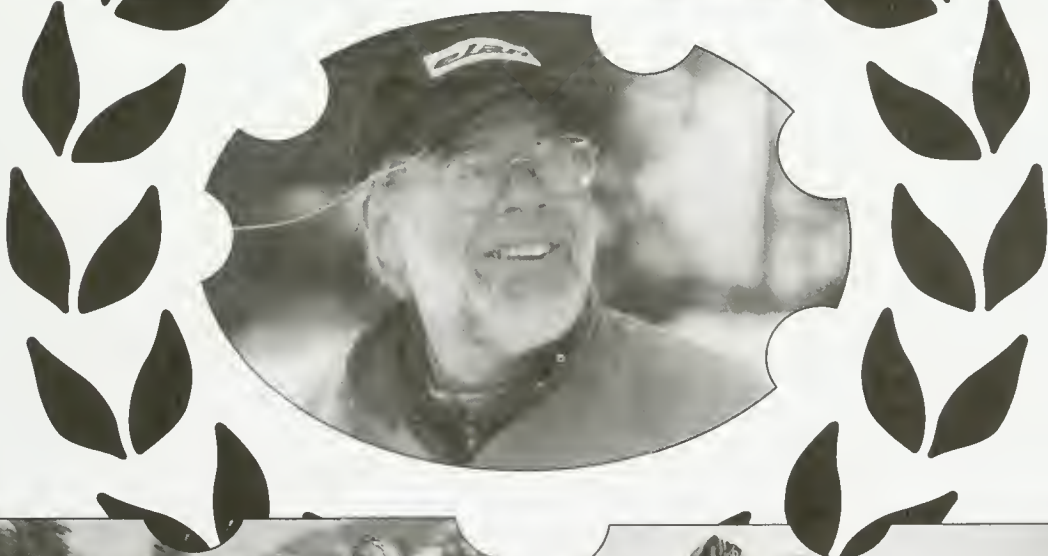
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TOWN CALENDAR

OFFICE HOURS

Town Clerk/Tax Collector

Tuesdays, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Thursdays, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Saturdays, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Selectmen's Office

Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.; Afternoons By Appointment

Building Inspector

Tuesdays, 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Transfer Station at 640 Main Street

Wednesdays, 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (until 5:00 p.m. during standard time months)

Saturdays, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

TOWN & SCHOOL DISTRICT 2006 MEETINGS

School - 7:00 p.m., Monday, March 6

Town - 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 14

Polls open for Town & School Elections - March 14, 11:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

PHELPS AUDITORIUM AT THE ELEMENTARY/MIDDLE SCHOOL

BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS

All meetings at Town Office unless otherwise noted

(All meetings are run by agendas. For scheduling call 735-5332)

Selectmen:

1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:00 p.m.

Planning Board:

2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.

Conservation Commission:

2nd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Cable TV Committee:

3rd Monday, 7:30 p.m.

Zoning Board of Adjustment:

3rd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.

Recycling Committee:

2nd Thursday, 7:00 p.m.

LIBRARY HOURS

Andover:

Mondays, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Wednesdays, 9:00 a.m. to noon &
6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Thursdays, 12:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Bachelder:

Tuesdays, 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

& 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Thursdays, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Fridays, 1:30 to 5:00 p.m.

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ANDOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE**LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVES**

Elected at 2004 Biennial Fall Election

Senator Peter H. Burling
 20 Lang Road
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 675-5625

Rep. James W. Danforth
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 735-6140

Rep. Joy K. Tilton
 4 Hill Street
 Northfield, NH 03276
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 286-8806

Rep. Frank A. Tupper
 PO Box 92
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 frank.tupper@leg.state.nh.us
 783-4110

Rep. Priscilla P. Lockwood
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 Canterbury, NH 03224
 783-4349

Rep. Roy D. Maxfield
 7126 School Street
 Loudon, NH 03307
 roymaxfield@comcast.net
 783-9842

Rep. Claire D. Clarke
 437 Daniel Webster Highway
 Boscawen, NH 03303
 796-2268

TOWN OFFICERS

Elected at March Town Meeting

MODERATOR: Edward C. Becker 2006

SELECTMEN

Roger B. Godwin
 Dennis E. Fenton, Chair
 Andrew P. Guptill

Term Expires 2006
 Term Expires 2007
 Term Expires 2008

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR*: Mark Stetson

ROAD AGENT

John Thompson

Term Expires 2006

POLICE DEPARTMENT*

Glenn E. Laramie, Chief
 David A. Hewitt

Joseph P. Mahoney, III

DOG OFFICER*
 Dennis Wright

BUILDING INSPECTOR*
 Edward A. Barton

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DIRECTOR*
 Edward C. Becker

DEPUTY E.M.D.'S*
 Phillip Hackmann
 Jane Hubbard

BOARD OF HEALTH
 Board of Selectmen

OVERSEER OF THE POOR
 Board of Selectmen

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

Arthur C. Urie
 Irene H. Jewett
 June E. (Betsy) McDonald

Term Expires 2006
 Term Expires 2008
 Term Expires 2010

TREASURER

Ann W. Clark Term Expires 2007

TOWN CLERK & TAX COLLECTOR

Lorraine Locke Terms Expire 2007

DEPUTY TOWN CLERK & TAX COLLECTOR:

Marjorie Roy
(Appointed by Town Clerk/Tax Collector)

BUDGET COMMITTEE

Wallace Scott	Term Expires 2006
Howard Wilson	Term Expires 2006
William Keyser	Term Expires 2007
Jeffrey Newcomb	Term Expires 2007
Willam Bardsley, Chair	Term Expires 2008
Edwin Hiller	Term Expires 2008
David Hewitt	Ex Officio
Andy Gup till	Ex Officio
Joseph "Mike" Vercellotti	Ex Officio

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Eileen Neville, Chair	Term Expires 2006
Brenda Jurta	Term Expires 2006
Sandra Graves	Term Expires 2007
Cheryl Blessing	Term Expires 2007
Marilyn Gould	Term Expires 2008

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Natalie Riker	Term Expires 2006
Alex Estin	Term Expires 2007
Mary Lou McCrave	Term Expires 2008

PLANNING BOARD*

Donald E. Gould, Chair	Term Expires 2006
Paul Currier	Term Expires 2006
Eric A. Johnson, Vice-Chair	Term Expires 2007
Keith Pfeifer	Term Expires 2007
Joseph Stearns	Term Expires 2008
Mark Cowdrey	Alternate
Stacey Viandier	Alternate
Edwin Hiller	Alternate
Wood Sutton	Alternate
Roger B. Godwin	Ex Officio

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT*

Susan Schnare	Term Expires 2006
Katherine B. Stearns, Chair	Term Expires 2006
Jeff Newcomb	Term Expires 2007
Charles McCrave	Term Expires 2007
Donald J. Gross	Term Expires 2008

Paul Fopiano	Alternate
CONSERVATION COMMISSION*	
Peter Zak	Term Expires 2006
Nancy "Nan" Kaplan	Term Expires 2006
Robert Ward	Term Expires 2006
Gerald Hersey, Chair	Term Expires 2007
Tina Cotton	Term Expires 2008
Petet H. Southworth	Term Expires 2008
Sandra Graves	Alternate
MaryAnn Broshek	Alternate

RECYCLING COMMITTEE*

Anne E. Hewitt	Lee Murray
Nancy "Nan" Kaplan	Susan Schnare
Nelson Lebo	Kenneth Tripp, Chair
Vicky Mishcon	

CABLE TELEVISION ADVISORY COMMITTEE*

Tina Cotton	Anne E. Hewitt
Charlie Darling	Richard Holzer
Roger Godwin, Ex Officio	Dane Loomer
Marilyn Gould	

CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Susan Schnare	Term Expires 2006
John Graves	Term Expires 2007
Patricia Cutter	Term Expires 2008

RECREATION COMMITTEE*

William Zimmerman	Term Expires 2006
Steve Nelson	Term Expires 2006
Ed Dansereau	Term Expires 2006
David Powers	Term Expires 2006
Mike Barton	Term Expires 2006
Howard George, Chair	Term Expires 2007
Tom Frantz	Term Expires 2007
Alan Hanscom	Term Expires 2007
Ellie George	Term Expires 2008
Roger G. Laro, Jr.	Term Expires 2008

SAFETY COMMITTEE*

Jay Fitzpatrick	Jacob Johnson, Chair
Rene Lefebvre	Jane Slayton
Mark Stetson	David Hewitt

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

(Appointed by State Forester)

Stephen A. J. Barton, Sr. (735-5984)

Deputy Wardens

Rene Lefebvre (934-2197)	John Thompson (735-6443)
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John Landry (735-6935)	Fred Lance (735-5122)
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Chuck Ellis (735-5025)	
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AUDITORS*

Plodzik & Sanderson

(* - Appointed by Board of Selectmen)

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

2006 will be a planning and renewal year. By far the most important job facing the Town is defining its future through the ongoing master plan update process and the zoning ordinance review and possible amendments to follow. The planning board is making progress on that front.

Nothing manmade lasts forever and the time has come to replace several expensive Town assets. Fortunately the Town has accumulated enough financial surplus to allow these replacements to be made without increasing the town portion of the tax rate.

MASTER PLANNING

Outlays authorized by the 2005 Town Meeting for professional help from the Lakes Region Planning Commission and the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests have been contracted to perform two important processes. One is a 'buildout analysis,' the likely pattern of town growth if no changes are made in local zoning law. The other is a resources inventory, which will make it much simpler for all of us to understand what it is we have and should take steps to preserve, thereby helping to guide any resulting zoning and regulatory changes.

The Town is under great time pressure to get this work done. Our growth management ordinance ends in 2007, unless extended by a future vote. That is not necessarily time to get both the master plan update completed and any zoning changes thought out, drafted, and voted on by a subsequent town meeting. The Master Plan Update Committee has been designed to solicit input from all parts of the community, with all local organizations having been asked to provide representatives as spokesmen and channels of communication. We believe it is vital to good planning that sincere and earnest efforts be made by all to help in the planning process.

BRIDGES, ROADS, AND TRANSFER STATION EXPENDITURES

Where physical assets are concerned, our road agents have done their best to keep the road grader working, but now it is worn out and is beginning to cost us much more to keep repaired than it is worth. We have to replace it. We must also replace the transfer station's trash trailer, purchased in 1989, at which time it was thought to have a life of 15 to 20 years. Now it too is used up.

And, as a result of a State engineering inspection, the lower Bradley Lake Road bridge was determined to be in immediate need of replacement. The State itself stepped in to perform temporary repairs on an emergency basis, with the understanding that the Town would decide whether to pay its \$8,600 share of a \$43,000 stopgap repair estimated to last for five to ten years, or its \$24,000 share of a full replacement estimated to cost \$118,000 and last about 50 years. The State will pay 80 per cent of either total, and in the latter case will contribute the necessary engineering. We think that common sense commends the latter.

In 2005 the Dyer's Crossing Road bridge was replaced and Bradley Lake Road received its first ever professional paving. A large culvert pipe was replaced on Switch Road and railway track removed on a portion of that road.

In 2006 we plan to reclaim, widen, and repave a significant part of Chase Hill Road and once again crush a large supply of gravel at the transfer station for the Town's needs. Our policy continues to be keeping the roads dry, the step which gets the longest life for the least investment, and substantial drainage work is also in prospect.

None of this is cheap, but this year it can be financed from the Town's surplus while still keeping the town part of the tax rate level.

Now we must begin planning for the replacement in 2010 of the Morrill Hill Road bridge and site selection and building plans for the sand shed which forthcoming U.S. Environmental Protection Agency regulations will require us to have.

Our projected total cost per ton for trash disposal at the Penacook facility is \$61.00, and it is plain that recycling makes both environmental and financial sense. Our transfer station now accepts #1 plastic, paper, glass, tin and aluminum cans, and cardboard for recycling; while metal debris may be disposed of free in its own bin and construction debris for a fee in another. The Town's recycling committee has done exemplary work and we commend them.

TOWN HALL OPERATIONS

We noted in last year's selectmen's report the expectation that available State assistance will enable quicker and more convenient vehicle registration, including mailed reminders and on-line service. Alongside these changes, which now can be made in the office of the tax collector and town clerk, we hope to introduce on-line service in areas served by other parts of town government. Local ordinances and regulations are already available at the Town's Web site along with a number of types of maps. Those maps will be supplemented by the new tax and zoning maps within the near future.

RESCUE SQUAD MEMBERSHIP

The special flavor of small-town life is largely a function of volunteerism in the community, and Andover has long been favored by an active and committed group of citizens functioning as our Rescue Squad. They have been ready to drop what they are doing at any time to come to the aid of a neighbor in need, whether by reason of accident, fire, or simple personal physical emergency, and there can be few higher forms of service to one another. Now, however, those active in neighbor-to-neighbor emergency assistance has shrunk to a critically small number.

With a demand of about three ambulance calls a week, the need is very much there, but the helpers are not. Residents inclined to public service of the most immediate and literally vital kind should consider becoming members of the Rescue Squad and are welcome to discuss the obligations and available training with any member or Squad leader Ed Becker at any time.

CABLE TELEVISION

Andover's present supplier Adelphia will be pieced out to Comcast and Time Warner upon completion of its present bankruptcy proceeding and we have had no final indication of which company will come to ownership of the Andover franchise.

Meanwhile, as our residents have likely noticed, the Town's own Web site is back, its URL being <http://www.andovernh.us>. In addition an Andover web log ('blog') site now exists at <http://andovernh.blogspot.com> for on-line opining and discussion of local issues. Our municipal CATV Committee has steadily upgraded its equipment to make participation by residents ever easier and welcomes their involvement.

Whether it is our military on the front lines around the world, our rescue squad and fire departments putting themselves at risk at home, or the time and effort of those of us who contribute in less strenuous and dramatic but nonetheless valuable ways, we find much meaning and lend significance to our personal and community lives by helping one another. In this increasingly depersonalized, increasingly self-focused world, those folks prepared to lend such efforts are ever harder to find.

Every community must buy new hardware from time to time, and we have discussed Andover's present requirements. But while we can't put a price on it, a greater need is that for contribution to the community, and there is no substitute for willing citizens to step up to memberships on municipal boards, fire department and rescue squad service, youth sports coaching, and all of the other human services which the communal health of our residents requires. We urge you to consider public service in your own town, and to join us in helping the community be all that it can be.

Respectfully submitted,
Dennis Fenton
Roger Godwin
Andy Guptill



Michaela Trefethen, Grade 6

TOWN OF ANDOVER
2006 WARRANT
State of New Hampshire

The polls for the election of officials and for questions on the official ballot will be open from 11:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. The business meeting will start at 7:30 p.m.

To the inhabitants of the Town of Andover, County of Merrimack, State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Phelps Auditorium in the Andover Elementary/Middle School on Tuesday, March 14, 2006 to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1: To choose the necessary officers for the ensuing year.

The business meeting to consider the following articles will start at 7:30 p.m.

ARTICLE 2: To see if the town will vote to establish a capital reserve fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of purchasing a new police cruiser and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000 to be placed in this fund and to designate the selectmen as agents to expend. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

ARTICLE 3: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$245,000 to purchase a new road grader and to authorize the withdrawal of \$165,000 from the capital reserve fund previously established for that purpose. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

ARTICLE 4: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 to be added to the bridge rehabilitation capital reserve fund previously established. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

ARTICLE 5: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$52,000 to purchase a new trash trailer for the transfer station and to authorize the withdrawal of the entire balance of approximately \$30,000 from the capital reserve fund previously established for that purpose. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

ARTICLE 6: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000 for the purpose of repairing monuments and fixtures in the Lake View and Lake Side Cemeteries. This will be a special non-lapsing appropriation per RSA 32:7, VI, and will not lapse until the restoration is completed or December 31, 2011, whichever is sooner. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

ARTICLE 7: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$24,000 as the town's share of the cost to rehabilitate the bridge on Bradley Lake Road over the Hameshop Brook. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

ARTICLE 8: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Million, One Hundred Forty Four Thousand, Two Hundred Thirty Nine Dollars (\$1,144,239.00) for general municipal operations. This article does not include appropriations voted in other warrant articles. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

ARTICLE 9: To see if the town will vote to establish a Police Safety Detail Revolving Fund pursuant to RSA 31:95-h. The revenue received from fees and charges for police detail services remaining after deducting all costs associated with providing those services shall be allowed to accumulate from year to year, shall not be considered to be part of the town's unreserved general fund balance, and shall be expended only after a vote of town meeting.

ARTICLE 10: To see if the town will vote, under the provisions of RSA 72:37-b to modify the exemption from property tax for the disabled in the Town of Andover, based on assessed value, for qualified taxpayers, to be \$30,000. To qualify, the person must be eligible under Title II or Title XVI of the federal Social Security Act, must occupy the property as his principal place of abode, must own the property individually or jointly, or if owned by such person's spouse, they must have been married for at least five years. In addition, the taxpayer must have a net income of nor more than \$19,300; or if married, a combined income of less than \$28,900; and own net assets not in excess of \$50,000, excluding the value of the person's residence.

ARTICLE 11: To see if the town will vote, under the provisions of RSA 72:39-a to modify the elderly exemption from property tax in the Town of Andover, based on assessed value, for qualified taxpayers, to be as follows: for a person 65 year of age up to 75 years, \$20,000; for a person 75 years of age up to 80 years, \$40,000; for a person 80 years of age or older, \$50,000. To qualify, the person must have been a New Hampshire resident for at least five years, own the real estate individually or jointly, or if the real estate is owned by such person's spouse, they must have been married for at least five years. In addition, the taxpayer must have a net income of nor more than \$20,800; or if married, a combined income of less than \$30,300; and own net assets not in excess of \$50,000, excluding the value of the person's residence.

ARTICLE 12: To see if the town will vote to designate all of Chase Hill Road as a Scenic Road under the provisions of RSA 231:157 & 158, for the purposes of protection and enhancing the scenic beauty of the Town of Andover. (Submitted by petition.)

ARTICLE 13: To see if the voters will vote to establish an ordinance restricting the taking of real property by eminent domain and the taking of personal property without a two thirds vote of the voters at a regular town meeting for each taking. (Submitted by petition.)

ARTICLE 14: To see if the town will vote to re-name the ball field at Blackwater Park the Howard George Ball Field. (Submitted by petition.)

ARTICLE 15: To see if the town will vote to reclassify 625 +/- feet of Hoyt Road from Class VI to a Class V conditioned on this section of road being brought up to current town road specifications. (Submitted by petition.)

ARTICLE 16: To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, the 6th day of February 2006.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

Dennis E. Fenton
Roger B. Godwin
Andrew P. Guptill

2006 PROPOSED BUDGET

Purposes of Appropriation (RSA 31:4)	Appropriations 2005	Expenditures 2005	Selectmen's Budget 2006	Budget Committee's 2006
General Government				
Town Officers' Salaries				
Selectmen	\$4,500	\$4,500	\$4,500	\$4,500
Building Inspector	8,000	5,370	7,000	7,000
Moderator	130	120	400	400
Town Clerk	950	950	950	950
Deputy Town Clerk	5,000	5,002	5,100	5,100
Town Clerk Fees	15,000	15,912	16,000	16,000
Deputy Town Clerk Fees	400	77	500	500
Treasurer	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
Tax Collector Salary	3,400	3,400	3,400	3,400
Tax Collector Fees	4,000	2,578	4,000	4,000
	<u>\$43,380</u>	<u>\$39,909</u>	<u>\$43,850</u>	<u>\$43,850</u>
Town Officers' Expenses				
Town Administrator Salary	\$41,000	\$41,000	\$43,000	\$43,000
Town Administrator Benefits	16,137	14,544	14,014	14,014
Secretary/Bookkeeper	13,500	13,277	15,000	15,000
Expenses, Supplies & Equipment	10,000	10,138	13,000	13,000
FICA for all Employees	18,000	21,135	16,000	16,000
Workers' Comp & U.C. Ins.	9,500	8,031	9,200	9,200
Postage	3,300	2,249	3,500	3,500
Town Report	3,700	3,391	3,700	3,700
NHMA Dues	1,486	1,486	1,606	1,606
Elections & Registration	1,600	1,101	1,800	1,800
Registry of Deeds	1,100	709	1,000	1,000
Reappraisal of Property	9,000	1,978	18,000	18,000
Tax Map Revisions	13,525	13,525	2,000	2,000
Audit	7,000	7,000	8,250	8,250
Conference Fees	1,600	370	2,300	2,300
Mileage	600	595	700	700
Cable TV	15,000	11,674	15,000	15,000
	<u>\$166,048</u>	<u>\$152,203</u>	<u>\$168,070</u>	<u>\$168,070</u>
Town Office Building				
Utilities	\$3,500	\$3,001	\$4,500	\$4,500
Telephone	2,100	1,851	2,100	2,100
Repairs, Maint. & Supplies	15,000	4,236	12,000	12,000
	<u>\$20,600</u>	<u>\$9,088</u>	<u>\$18,600</u>	<u>\$19,600</u>
Planning & Zoning	\$7,800	\$5,638	\$7,800	\$7,800
Property & Liability Insurance	\$21,000	\$20,122	\$21,500	\$21,000
Cemeteries	\$12,500	\$10,380	\$12,500	\$12,500
Legal Expenses	\$10,000	\$4,497	\$10,000	\$10,000

Public Safety**Police**

Labor (Part-time)	\$41,036	\$34,542	\$48,020	\$48,020
Labor (Full-time)	32,960	33,059	37,120	37,120
Benefits (Full-time officer)	9,120	9,317	10,415	10,415
Extra Detail Labor	49,000	71,516	1,000	1,000
Training	1,400	543	1,100	1,100
4th of July	1,400	1,240	1,300	1,300
Office Expenses	7,040	7,289	7,225	7,225
Telephone	4,000	3,780	4,000	4,000
Dispatch	8,400	8,400	8,400	8,400
Building Utilities	3,200	1,076	2,500	2,500
Uniforms	1,800	1,862	1,600	1,600
Equipment	3,500	1,870	3,500	3,500
Cruiser Expenses	4,000	3,784	5,000	5,000
Cruiser Fuel	<u>5,500</u>	<u>5,927</u>	<u>6,500</u>	<u>6,500</u>
	\$172,356	\$184,205	\$137,680	\$137,680

Hazard Mitigation Plan	\$5,000	\$9,500	\$ 0	\$ 0
Forest Fires	\$3,100	\$1,880	\$3,100	\$3,100

Highways & Bridges

Summer Labor	\$20,000	\$20,083	\$20,000	\$20,000
Summer Equipment Rental	40,000	21,773	45,000	45,000
Summer Materials & Misc.	40,000	8,497	40,000	40,000
Winter Labor	14,000	15,195	14,000	14,000
Winter Equipment Rental	94,460	160,061	105,000	105,000
Winter Materials & Misc.	34,000	31,949	34,000	34,000
Grader Operation & Maintenance	12,500	5,666	12,000	12,000
Bridges	7,500	378	7,500	7,500
Projects	164,000	183,218	186,000	186,000
Street Lights	7,200	5,545	7,200	7,200
Street Signs	750	595	750	750
DOT Drug Testing	<u>300</u>	<u>147</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>300</u>
	\$434,710	\$453,107	\$472,450	\$472,450

Solid Waste Disposal**Transfer Station**

Labor	\$31,247	\$24,179	\$32,000	\$32,000
Operating Expenses	11,000	19,173	15,000	15,000
Trucking to Penacook	24,856	24,856	26,616	26,616
Tipping Fees at Penacook	56,468	42,901	58,794	58,794
Metal Container Rental/Pickup	2,500	0	2,000	2,000
Capital Outlay	500	0	500	500
Construction Debris Disposal	14,000	16,547	16,000	16,000
Recycling Committee Expenses	900	824	500	500
Old Landfill H2O Testing, etc.	800	499	800	800
Hazardous Waste Collection	<u>3,000</u>	<u>1,573</u>	<u>5,700</u>	<u>5,700</u>
	\$145,271	\$130,552	\$157,910	\$157,910

Health & Welfare

Council on Aging	\$2,400	\$2,400	\$2,400	\$2,400
Lake Sunapee VNA	5,738	5,738	5,794	5,794
General Assistance	9,000	2,898	9,000	9,000
Community Action Program	2,240	2,240	2,330	2,330
Animal Control	<u>2,500</u>	<u>1,281</u>	<u>2,500</u>	<u>2,500</u>
	\$21,878	\$14,557	\$22,024	\$22,024

Culture & Recreation

Library	\$16,860	\$16,860	\$17,100	\$17,100
Parks & Recreation	26,620	23,998	26,555	26,555
Patriotic Purposes	600	457	600	600
Conservation Commission	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>
	\$44,580	\$41,815	\$44,755	\$44,755

Debt Service

Interest on Tax Anticipation	\$24,000	\$ 11,856	\$24,000	\$24,000
Highway Equip Capital Reserve	30,000	30,000	0	0
Dyers Crossing Rd Br. Const.	350,000	281,073	0	0
Bridge Rehab Capital Reserve	10,000	10,000	0	0
Purchase Police Cruiser	24,000	23,881	0	0
Transfer Station Capital Reserve	10,000	10,000	0	0
Cemetery Restoration Exp. Trust	4,000	4,000	0	0
Master Plan Update (Less tax maps)	<u>7,900</u>	<u>7,900</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	\$460,340	\$378,710	\$24,000	\$24,000

Total w/o Warrant Articles

\$1,144,239 \$1,144,239

2006 Warrant Articles

Police Cruiser Capital Reserve			6,000	6,000
Purchase New Road Grader			245,000	245,000
Bridge Rehab Capital Reserve			20,440	20,000
Purchase New Trash Trailer			52,000	52,000
Cemetery Restoration Expendable Trust			4,000	4,000
Bradley Lake Road Bridge Replacement			<u>24,000</u>	<u>24,000</u>
Total of Warrant Articles			\$351,000	\$351,000

Total Appropriations \$1,568,563 \$1,456,163 \$1,495,239 \$1,495,239**Less Estimated 2006 Revenues (Exclusive of Taxes)** \$1,191,017 \$1,191,017**Amount of 2006 Taxes to be Raised** \$304,222 \$304,222

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenues 2005	Actual Revenues 2005	Estimated Revenues 2006
Taxes:			
Current Use Penalty*	\$10,800	\$10,847	\$10,000
Interest & Penalties	44,950	23,871	20,000
Yield Taxes	44,000	51,097	20,000
Excavation Tax	<u>254</u>	<u>254</u>	<u>200</u>
	\$100,004	\$86,069	\$50,200
Revenues Received from State:			
Shared Revenue	\$ 11,962	\$ 11,962	\$ 11,962
Meals & Rooms Tax Distribution	79,445	79,445	60,000
Highway Block Grant	89,252	89,252	86,597
Witness Fees	0	240	50
Bridge Aid (Dyers Crossing Road)	269,852	266,818,	0
State Forest Land Reimbursement	<u>120</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>120</u>
	\$450,631	\$447,837	\$158,729
Licenses & Permits:			
Business Licenses & Permits	\$ 840	\$ 840	\$ 700
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	330,000	378,341	300,000
Building Permits	5,000	5,520	6,000
Other Licenses, Permits & Fees	<u>3,500</u>	<u>8,722</u>	<u>4,000</u>
	\$339,340	\$393,423	\$310,700
Charges for Services:			
Sale of Recycled Materials	\$10,000	\$11,842	\$10,000
Construction Debris Disposal Fees	11,000	12,507	16,000
Other Transfer Station Charges	1,000	1,455	1,700
Recreation Program - Fees	3,500	7,376	4,500
Recreation Program - Donations	1,000	1,452	0
Police Detail Charges	76,500	93,235	0
Miscellaneous (Planning, Office, etc.)	<u>3,000</u>	<u>3,281</u>	<u>3,000</u>
	\$106,000	\$131,148	\$35,200
Miscellaneous Revenues:			
Sale of Town Property	\$ 114,000	\$ 115,093	\$15,000
Interest on Deposits	5,000	20,220	10,000
Cable TV Income	11,700	11,780	11,000
Donation to Road Improvements	1,500	1,500	0
Other	<u>3,800</u>	<u>13,522</u>	<u>4,000</u>
	\$136,000	\$162,115	\$40,000
Other Financing Sources:			
Trust Funds	\$ 1,400	\$ 1,395	\$ 1,400
From Capital Reserve	64,800	64,800	195,000
FEMA	7,653	7,653	9,788
Emergency Management Grant	10,500	10,500	0
From Surplus	<u>72,148</u>	<u>72,148</u>	<u>390,000</u>
	\$156,501	\$156,496	\$596,188
Total Revenues	\$1,288,476	\$1,377,088	\$1,191,017

*Only one half of the actual current use change tax revenue is reported here. The balance is turned over directly to the conservation commission pursuant to a town meeting vote in March of 2000.

**ANDOVER TOWN MEETING
MARCH 8, 2005**

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by Moderator Edward Becker. Mr. Becker read the rules of conduct for the meeting and then closed the polls at 7:34PM.

ARTICLE 1: To choose the necessary officers for the ensuing year.

The following officers were elected:

Selectman for three years	Andrew P. Guptill
Library Trustee for three years	Marilyn Gould
Trustee of the Trust Funds for three years	Mary Lou McCave
Cemetery Trustee for three years	Pat Cutter
Budget Committee for three years	William A. Bardsley
Budget Committee for three years	Ed Hiller

ARTICLE 2: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 to pay for mapping and consulting services and other costs associated with updating the Andover Master Plan. (Recommended by the selectmen and not recommended by the budget committee.)

Moved to adopt by Paul Currier and seconded by Bob Ward. Selectman Roger Godwin spoke to the article and explained the many benefits to different aspects of town government of the mapping portion. Committee co-chair Paul Currier gave a breakdown of the costs for each part of the update. Don Gould moved and Pat Cutter seconded a motion to amend the sum to be appropriated to \$21,425.00. The motion to amend was approved. In response to Leighton Terwilliger's question, Godwin confirmed that the committee would not be asking for additional funding next year for this project. **Article 2 was adopted as amended.**

ARTICLE 3: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$30,000 to be added to the highway maintenance equipment capital reserve fund previously established. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

Moved to adopt by Paul Currier, seconded by Carol Guptill. Selectman Andy Guptill explained that the money is being set aside for the purchase of a new grader, currently planned for 2008. Peter Zak moved to amend the article to require that the \$30,000 be taken from the town's surplus. Bryant Adams seconded the motion to amend and by a show of hands the motion to amend was approved. **Article 3 adopted as amended.**

ARTICLE 4: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350,440 for the purpose of completing the rehabilitation of the Dyers Crossing Road Bridge and to authorize the withdrawal of the entire amount of approximately \$45,300 from the capital reserve fund and close the account previously established for that purpose. In conjunction with this appropriation, the selectmen anticipate

revenue from the State of New Hampshire in the amount of \$280,352. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

Moved to adopt by Armand Boisvert and seconded by Carol Guptill. Town Administrator Mark Stetson explained that engineering, preliminary and final design stages of the project were completed previously and that the selectmen propose to complete the actual construction this year. In response to a question from John Kinney, Stetson told the meeting that after being reimbursed by the State of New Hampshire for 80% of its share of the total cost, the town will have spent \$80,495, spread out over four years. After some further discussion and comments, **Article 4 was adopted.**

ARTICLE 5: To see if the town will vote to establish a capital reserve fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of rehabilitating town-owned and maintained bridges and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be placed in this fund and to designate the selectmen as agents to expend. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

Moved to adopt by Leighton Terwilliger and seconded by Toby Locke.

Stetson explained that the selectmen intend to continue the practice of repairing or replacing structurally deficient bridges over time, and that this amount will start the fund for the next one. In response to Locke's question, Stetson told the meeting that there are six town-owned bridges remaining to be rehabilitated. **Article 5 was adopted.**

ARTICLE 6: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$24,000 for the purchase of a new police cruiser and to authorize the withdrawal of the entire amount of approximately \$18,000 and close the capital reserve fund previously established for that purpose. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

Moved to adopt by Douglas Boisvert and seconded by Robin Boynton. After some clarification about the replacement schedule by Stetson, **Article 6 was adopted without dissent.**

ARTICLE 7: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be added to the transfer station equipment capital reserve fund previously established. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

Moved to adopt by John Cotton and seconded by Mary Ann Levesque. Stetson explained that the money would likely be used to purchase a new trailer to haul the trash to the Penacook incinerator for two reasons. The town's current trailer is now 16 years old and is subject to more and more mechanical problems. Also currently on busy Saturdays during the summer, the current trailer is nearing its capacity. A new trailer will be larger and therefore will accommodate a bigger load. **Article 7 was adopted.**

ARTICLE 8: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000 for the purpose of repairing monuments and fixtures in the Proctor, Lake View and Lake Side Cemeteries. This will be a special non-lapsing appropriation per RSA

32:7, VI, and will not lapse until the restoration is completed or December 31, 2010, whichever is sooner. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

Moved to adopt by Pat Cutter and seconded by Toby Locke. **Article 8 adopted unanimously.**

ARTICLE 9: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Million, One Hundred Eighteen Thousand, Six Hundred Ninety Eight Dollars (\$1,118,698.00) for general municipal operations. This article does not include appropriations voted in other warrant articles. (Recommended by the selectmen and by the budget committee.)

Moved to adopt by Carol Guptill and seconded by Toby Locke. Stetson told the meeting that the selectmen have committed to utilizing whatever portion of the town's surplus that will be necessary to keep the town portion of the 2005 tax rate the same as 2004.

Moderator Becker reviewed the budget section by section, with Stetson fielding questions regarding the building inspector and legal expense lines. Article 9 in the amount of \$1,118,698 was approved.

Les Fenton moved to limit reconsideration of the expenditure Articles up to Article 9; seconded by Paul Currier. **Motion approved.**

ARTICLE 10: To see if the town will vote to deposit 100% of the revenues collected pursuant to RSA 79-A (the land use change tax) into the conservation fund in accordance with RSA 36-A:5 III as authorized by RSA 79-A:25 II. (This article is inserted at the request of the conservation commission.)

Moved to adopt by Bob Ward and seconded by Paul Currier. Selectman Fenton spoke against the article, stating that the selectmen wouldn't support it until a plan to spend the money was prepared and accepted by the town. Ward spoke on behalf of the conservation commission in favor of the article. There was considerable discussion on both sides of the article. **Article 10 was defeated.**

The moderator called a recess at 8:50 PM. The meeting resumed at 9:05 PM.

ARTICLE 11: To see if the town will vote to modify the optional veteran's tax credit under the provisions of RSA 72:28 II. by increasing the credit for qualifying property owners from \$100 per year to \$500 per year. (This article is inserted at the request of the 2004 town meeting.)

Moved to adopt by Bob Ward and seconded by Judy Evans. Mark Stetson explained the fiscal impact, after which there was some discussion on both sides. Peter Zak made a motion to amend the article changing the amount to \$250. Carol Guptill seconded. The amendment failed. **Article 11 adopted as presented.**

Moderator Becker suggested that the meeting discuss articles 12 and 13 together.

ARTICLE 12: Cilleyville/Bog Bridge - To see if the town will adopt the provisions of RSA 31:95-c to restrict all revenues from donations to expenditures for the purpose of maintaining the Cilleyville/Bog Bridge? Such revenues and expenditures

shall be accounted for in a special revenue fund known as the Cilleyville/Bog Bridge fund, separate from the general fund. Any surplus in said fund shall not be deemed part of the general fund accumulated general surplus and shall be expended only after a vote by the legislative body to appropriate a specific amount from said fund for the specific purpose related to the purpose of the fund or source of the revenue. (BALLOT VOTE REQUIRED)

ARTICLE 13: Blackwater Park - To see if the town will adopt the provisions of RSA 31:95-c to restrict all revenues from donations to expenditures for the purpose of adding improvements to the Blackwater Park. Such revenues and expenditures shall be accounted for in a special revenue fund known as the Blackwater Park fund, separate from the general fund. Any surplus in said fund shall not be deemed part of the general fund accumulated general surplus and shall be expended only after a vote by the legislative body to appropriate a specific amount from said fund for the specific purpose related to the purpose of the fund or source of the revenue. (BALLOT VOTE REQUIRED)

It was moved by Leighton Terwilliger to discuss Articles 12 and 13 together. Moved by Toby Locke and seconded by James Danforth to vote on Articles 12 and 13 together.

The Moderator suggested that there be a voice vote to determine the sense of the meeting on these two articles, and if the meeting approved, one row of voters would cast the required paper ballots. This procedure would save about 45 minutes.

There being no objection, Town Administrator Stetson explained the purpose behind the articles. A voice vote was held and the sentiment of the meeting was unanimously in favor of the two articles. **The ensuing ballot vote for Articles 12 and 13 passed with all those voting casting yes votes.**

ARTICLE 14: To see if the town will vote, under the provisions of RSA 80:80-III, to authorize the selectmen to sell by negotiated sale or by listing on the real estate market a property consisting of approximately 17 acres with frontage on Chase Hill Road, identified as map 2, lot 559-140 on the Andover tax map. If approved, the selectmen are authorized to sell the property for no less than the current assessed valuation adjusted by the previous year's equalization ratio and the proceeds shall be used as revenue to reduce taxes. The property was acquired by tax deed in 1989.

Howard Wilson moved and Jim Danforth seconded to adopt this article.

Town Administrator Mark Stetson explained that the selectmen had a potential buyer for the property and a closing date on the transaction was scheduled in the near future.

Article 14 was adopted without dissent.

ARTICLE 15: To see if the town will vote, under the provisions of RSA 80:80-III, to authorize the selectmen to sell to an abutting landowner a parcel of land consisting of approximately 0.25 acres with frontage on Depot Street, identified as map 28, lot 225-557 on the Andover tax map. If approved, this parcel will be merged with the abutter's parcel, and shall not be considered a separate lot of record. The property was acquired by tax deed in June of 1995.

Moved to adopt by Howard Wilson, seconded by Toby Locke.

In response to Bill Keyser's question, Mark Stetson explained that the abutting landowner has agreed to pay \$2,000 for the parcel. To answer Bob Ward's inquiry, he confirmed that the assessment of the newly created lot will increase by the same amount.

Article 15 was adopted unanimously.

ARTICLE 16: As required by resolution of the 2004 town meeting, to see if the town will hear the report and recommendation of the selectmen and to vote to change the manner in which the Town Clerk/ Tax Collector is compensated from the current system of fees collected to a system of hourly pay and to authorize the selectmen to negotiate the rate of pay, hours of operation and other duties as needed. If approved this article would take effect in March of 2007.

Moved to adopt by James Danforth and seconded by Mary Ann Levesque.

Selectman Fenton cited the recommended changes, including changing the pay structure as outlined in the 2004 town report.

Article 16 was adopted.

ARTICLE 17: To see if the town will vote to abandon the town's right of way interest in the Class VI portion of Sam Hill Road.

Moved to adopt by Howard Wilson, seconded by Doug Boisvert. There was considerable discussion on both sides of the issue, after which the moderator called for a voice vote. Being too close to call, he then called for a show of hands in favor of the article. Before the show of hands for those opposed, Bryant Adams requested that there be a ballot vote and Doug Boisvert seconded that motion. Les Fenton opined that this was out of order since voting had already started.

The moderator ruled that the request was not out of order, based upon the closeness of the voice vote. The moderator's ruling was overturned by motion and voice vote. The show of hands voting on the original article proceeded, **and the article was defeated by a vote of 39 to 41.**

ARTICLE 18: To see if the town will vote to establish a Conservation Lands Advisory Committee for the purpose of determining the advisability for the Town of Andover to acquire fee title to or conservation easements on selected conservation lands, to determine the means for doing so, to develop a process for identifying such properties, to develop criteria for selection of such properties, and to develop a list of properties recommended to the Town for acquisition of fee title or conservation easement. This committee shall consist of seven members to be appointed by the board of selectmen as follows: one member each from the conservation commission, planning board, budget committee, recreation committee and three members at large from the Andover community. This committee shall report its findings and recommendations to the 2006 Town Meeting for consideration and appropriate action. (Submitted by petition.)

Motion to adopt by Mary Ann Levesque, seconded by Bob Ward.

Bob Ward, representing the conservation commission, spoke in favor of the article, stating his belief that passing this article would be complying with the selectmen's request made during discussion of article 10.

Toby Locke spoke against the article stating that it creates an appointed committee. Selectman Fenton pointed out that the article is advisory only and is not binding.

Article 18 was defeated.

ARTICLE 19: To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Bill Keyser moved to limit reconsideration of Articles 11 through 18, seconded by Peter Zak. **This motion was defeated.**

John Kinney voiced concern about the accuracy of the count of hands on Article 17.

The moderator read a thank you honoring the Andover Lions Club's 50th anniversary, and recognizing the Club members for all that they have done for the community during that time. James Danforth moved to adopt the recognition, Robin Boynton seconded. **The motion passed.**

John Kinney moved to reconsider Article 17 with voting to be conducted with a ballot vote; seconded by Leighton Terwilliger.

After discussion of the motion to reconsider, a voice vote was held and the moderator declared it too close for him to call. The moderator then held a vote by dividing the room, those in favor of reconsidering Article 17 stood on one side of the room, those opposed stood on the opposite side and those not wishing to vote remained seated. **The motion to reconsider Article 17 passed by a vote of 45 to 31.**

Further discussion was held on Article 17 and then a yes-no ballot vote was held. A yes vote was in favor of adopting Article 17 and no vote was in opposition to adopting Article 17.

Article 17 passed 46 to 35.

The meeting adjourned at 10:55 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Lorraine Locke
Town Clerk

PROPERTY INVENTORY SUMMARY

	2004	2005
Land	\$118,074,079	\$117,240,369
Buildings	113,490,070	117,815,600
Manufactured Housing	4,273,000	4,212,300
Commercial/Industrial	33,472,700	33,587,600
Public Utilities	<u>11,457,900</u>	<u>11,660,000</u>
Total Valuation	\$280,767,749	\$284,515,869
Less School Exemptions	25,435,482	25,437,282
Less Elderly, Blind & Disabled Ex.	<u>445,000</u>	<u>244,000</u>
Net Valuation	\$254,887,267	\$258,834,587

Net Valuation (without utilities) on which the 2005 tax rate for the state education tax is computed: \$247,174,587

PROPERTY TAX COMMITMENT

Approved Net Tax Amounts:	2004	2005
Town	\$ 362,335	\$ 372,226
School District (Town share)	1,387,686	1,684,744
School District (State share)	517,285	617,423
County	<u>472,962</u>	<u>594,009</u>
Total Town Taxes	\$ 2,740,268	\$3,268,402
Precinct Taxes:		
Andover Fire District No. 1	61,346	61,392
East Andover Fire Precinct	<u>48,916</u>	<u>48,936</u>
Total Gross Property Taxes	\$ 2,850,530	\$3,378,730
Less War Service Tax Credits	<u>15,800</u>	<u>60,900</u>
Net Property Tax Commitment	\$ 2,834,730	\$3,317,830

TAX RATE

	2004	2005
Town	\$ 1.44	\$ 1.44
School District (Town share)	5.48	6.51
School District (State share)	2.12	2.50
County	<u>1.87</u>	<u>2.29</u>
Total Tax Rate (per \$1,000.00)	\$10.91	\$12.74
Andover Fire District No. 1	\$ 0.59	\$ 0.58
East Andover Fire Precinct	\$ 0.33	\$ 0.32

STATEMENT OF OUTSTANDING DEBT

- None -

TREASURER'S REPORT
Year Ended December 31, 2005

Cash on Hand January 1, 2005	\$1,270,925.44
Received During Year*	<u>5,493,137.83</u>
Total Receipts	6,764,063.27
Less Selectmen's Orders Paid	<u>5,025,877.29</u>
Balance on Hand December 31, 2005	\$1,738,185.98
*Breakdown of Receipts:	
Tax Collector	\$3,446,427.00
Town Clerk	385,707.91
Selectmen	731,994.28
Building Inspector	5,370.00
Cilleyville/Bog Bridge Fund	131.00
Interest on Accounts	21,157.42
Line of Credit Proceeds	900,000.00
Transfer of Funds	(9,286.12)
U.S. Treasury (UCC Filings)	60.00
Blackwater Park	11,576.34
Total Receipts	\$5,493,137.83
Balance in Blackwater Park Fund	\$13,836.04
Balance in Andover Village Park Fund	\$ 2,285.68
Balance in Cilleyville/Bog Bridge Fund	\$ 6,087.64
Balance in Community TV Fund	\$ 448.28
Balance in Conservation Fund	\$47,783.64

These figures are correct to the best of my knowledge.
 Respectfully submitted,
 Ann W. Clark, Treasurer

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT
Year Ended December 31, 2005

Motor Vehicle Registrations	\$370,174.55
Dog Licenses	3,850.00
Penalties (Dogs)	342.00
Transfer Station & Beach Permits	559.00
Marriage Licenses	498.00
Vital Statistics	296.00
UCC & IRS Lien Filings	795.00
Candidate Filing Fees	5.00
Pole Licenses, Dredge & Fill Applications	20.00
Postage Reimbursement	9.76
Bad Checks Charges	175.00
Title Application Fees	1,210.00
Municipal Agent Fees	<u>7,100.00</u>
Total Receipts Remitted to Treasurer	\$385,034.31

These figures are correct to the best of my knowledge.
 Respectfully submitted,
 Lorraine Locke, Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
Year Ended December 31, 2005

	Levies of:	
Debits:	2005	Prior
Uncollected Taxes on January 1, 2005:		
Property Taxes		\$286,313.13
Land Use Change		7,360.00
Yield Taxes		24,469.62
Gravel Taxes		0.00
Taxes Committed During 2005:		
Property Taxes	\$3,322,908.00	22,198.50
Land Use Change	14,333.00	
Yield Taxes	37,068.98	
Gravel Taxes	273.00	
Overpayment of Property Taxes	21,436.92	
Interest/Penalties Collected on Delinquent Taxes	502.72	11,240.40
Total Debits	\$3,396,522.62	\$351,581.65
Credits:		
Remitted to Treasurer During 2005:		
Property Taxes	\$2,942,895.94	\$232,593.50
Land Use Change	14,333.00	0.00
Yield Taxes	30,677.14	24,469.62
Gravel Taxes	254.00	0.00
Interest/Penalties	502.72	111,240.40
Converted to Liens (Principal Only)	0.00	81,432.12
Abatements During 2005:		
Property Taxes	3,983.00	1,846.01
Land Use Change	0.00	0.00
Yield Taxes	6,070.20	0.00
Gravel Taxes	0.00	0.00
Overpayment of Property Taxes	0.00	0.00
Overpayment of Other Taxes	0.00	0.00
Uncollected Taxes as of December 31, 2005:		
Property Taxes	376,029.06	0.00
Land Use Change	0.00	0.00
Yield Taxes	321.64	0.00
Gravel Taxes	19.00	0.00
Total Credits	\$3,396,522.62	\$351,581.65

These figures are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

Lorraine Locke, Tax Collector

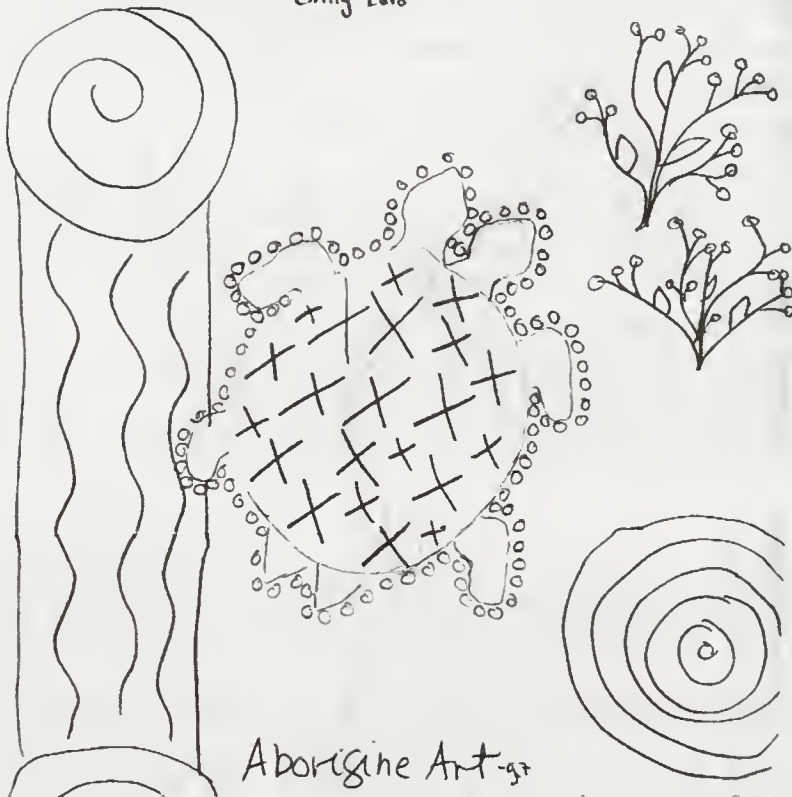
SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNTS
Year Ended December 31, 2005

	Tax Sale on Account on Levies of:		
	2004	2003	Prior
Debits:			
Unredeemed Taxes on January 1, 2005		\$30,542.82	\$19,622.61
Taxes Sold to Town during 2005	\$87,425.56		
Interest Collected After Tax Sale	<u>1,578.17</u>	<u>3,845.88</u>	<u>6,618.62</u>
Total Debits	\$89,003.73	\$34,388.70	\$26,241.23
Credits:			
Remittance to Treasurer during 2005:			
Redemptions	\$35,316.95	\$18,624.93	\$19,292.24
Interest & Costs After Tax Sale	1,578.17	3,845.88	6,618.62
Abatements During 2005:	0.00	0.00	0.00
Liens Deeded to the Town	0.00	0.00	0.00
Unredeemed Taxes as of December 31, 2005	<u>52,108.61</u>	<u>11,917.89</u>	<u>330.37</u>
Total Credits	\$89,003.73	\$34,388.70	\$26,241.23

These figures are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,
 Lorraine Locke, Tax Collector

Emily Laro



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Emily Laro, Grade 7

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
Beach land & bath house	\$404,100
Blackwater Park land	151,200
Transfer station land & buildings	180,000
Equipment	27,500*
Police Department building	76,500
Cruisers	45,000*
Equipment	12,400*
Town Office building	552,700
Town Office furnishings & equipment	35,600*
Road Grader	85,000*
Plows, york rake & street broom	37,500*
Miscellaneous road tools & equipment	2,600*
Cemetery tools & equipment	1,300*
**Library books & furnishings	58,000*
Proctor Cemetery land	233,900
Old Center Cemetery land	222,700
Lakeside/Lakeview Cemetery land	227,800
Old dump site land off of Monticello Drive	57,400
Village Green on Main Street	117,500
Land off south side of Currier Road	1,000
Land between Channel Road and Highland Lake	17,300
Land between Second Street and Highland Lake	17,300
Land at the corner of Switch Road and Blueberry Lane	7,500
Land near West Shore Drive and railroad bed	15,900
Land on north side of Route 11 near Monticello Drive	47,700
Land between Route 11 and railroad east of Dyers Crossing	28,200
Land below Highland Lake Dam	2,000
Property Acquired by Tax Collector's Deed:	
Land on Bradley Lake	57,900
Land on Bradley Lake	133,100
Land on Flaghole Road	15,300
Land north of Route 11 near Hogback	23,000
Land between Route 11 and Cilleyville Road	15,100
Land between Depot Street and railroad bed	3,000
Land between Route 4 and railroad bed	50,600
Land north of Route 11 near Agony Hill Road	6,900
Total	\$2,970,500

Figures are assessed valuations except for those marked with asterisks (*), which represent approximate costs.

**Land & buildings owned by the Andover School District.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

	Principal & Interest 12/31/04	Additions	Interest	Withdrawals	Market Value Changes	Principal & Interest 12/31/05
Capital Reserve Funds:						
Town (cruiser)	\$ 18,334	\$ 0	\$ 266	(\$18,588)		\$ 12
Town (road equipment)	135,087	30,000	3,052	0		168,139
Town (transfer equipment)	20,233	10,000	542	0		30,775
Town (bridge rehabilitation)	45,498	10,000	773	(46,212)		10,059
Village District (repairs)	52,999	3,000	1,509	0		57,508
Andover F/D (new truck)	4,046	2,000	97	0		6,143
Andover F/D (building renovations)	5,071	0	137	0		5,208
E Andover F/D (equipment)	<u>53,632</u>	<u>16,600</u>	<u>1,330</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>71,562</u>
Total	\$334,900	\$71,600	\$7,706	(\$64,800)		\$349,406
Library Expendable Trust Fund	\$10,774	0	\$289	0		\$11,063
Library Trust Funds	\$2,416	0	\$41	(\$25)		\$2,432
Conservation Fund	\$15,813	0	\$13	(15,826)		0
Cemetery Funds:						
Individual Trusts	\$53,354	\$ 0	\$1,705	(\$877)		\$54,182
Cy Pres Fund	3,940	0	106	0		4,046
Old Center Cemetery	166	0	4	0		170
Proctor 1976 P/C Fund	29,068	800	783	(387)		30,264
John Proctor Trust	<u>6,287</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>429</u>	<u>(429)</u>	(\$377)	<u>5,910</u>
Total	\$92,815	\$800	\$3,027	(\$1,693)	(\$377)	\$94,572
School District Funds:						
Van'f Hoff Art & Music	\$ 10,154	0	\$ 239	0		\$10,393
Village Park Repairs	2,335	0	63	0		2,398
Special Education	57,419	0	1,542	0		58,961
Building Repairs	<u>11,469</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>308</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>11,777</u>
Total	\$81,377	0	\$2,152	0		\$83,529

We certify that the statement of receipts and disbursements as shown is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.
 Respectfully submitted, TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS:
 Mary Lou McCrave, Natalie Riker, Alex Estin



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of the Board of Selectmen
Town of Andover
Andover, New Hampshire

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Andover, which collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statements as of December 31, 2005 as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Town's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

The government-wide statement of net assets does not include any of the Town's capital assets nor the accumulated depreciation on those assets; and the government-wide statement of activities does not include depreciation expense related to those assets. These amounts have not been determined. Therefore, in our opinion, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly the respective financial position of the governmental activities of the Town of Andover at December 31, 2005, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Also, in our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Andover, as of December 31, 2005, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As described in Note 2, as of January 1, 2005, the Town has implemented a new financial reporting model, as required by the provisions of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements - and Management's Discussion and Analysis - for State and Local Governments*.

The budgetary comparison information is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

The Town of Andover has not presented a management's discussion and analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America have determined is necessary to supplement, although not required to be part of, the basic financial statements.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Town of Andover's basic financial statements. The combining and individual fund statements and schedules are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. They have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

January 18, 2006

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Professional Association*

EXHIBIT A
TOWN OF ANDOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE
Statement of Net Assets
December 31, 2005

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
ASSETS	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,006,801
Investments	131,970
Due from other governmental units	122,447
Other receivables, net of allowances for uncollectible	<u>422,727</u>
Total assets	<u>2,683,945</u>
 LIABILITIES	
Intergovernmental payable	1,540,167
Retainage payable	<u>5,905</u>
Total liabilities	<u>1,546,072</u>
 NET ASSETS	
Restricted for perpetual care	93,458
Unrestricted	<u>1,044,415</u>
Total net assets	<u>\$ 1,137,873</u>

The notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

EXHIBIT C
TOWN OF ANDOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE
General Fund
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget and Actual (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis)
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2005

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Positive (Negative)</u>
Revenues:			
Taxes	\$ 371,808	\$ 397,272	\$ 25,464
Licenses and permits	339,340	389,923	50,583
Intergovernmental	477,067	430,473	(46,594)
Charges for services	106,000	132,936	26,936
Miscellaneous	136,000	146,108	10,108
Total revenues	<u>1,430,215</u>	<u>1,496,712</u>	<u>66,497</u>
Expenditures:			
Current:			
General government	275,348	241,514	33,834
Public safety	179,336	191,638	(12,302)
Highways and streets	434,710	453,262	(18,552)
Sanitation	145,271	130,552	14,719
Health	2,500	1,281	1,219
Welfare	19,378	13,276	6,102
Culture and recreation	42,220	36,129	6,091
Debt service	24,000	11,856	12,144
Capital outlay	378,440	314,858	63,582
Total expenditures	<u>1,501,203</u>	<u>1,394,366</u>	<u>106,837</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	<u>(70,988)</u>	<u>102,346</u>	<u>173,334</u>
Other financing sources (uses):			
Transfers in	66,200	66,195	(5)
Transfers out	<u>(67,360)</u>	<u>(67,360)</u>	<u>(5)</u>
Total other financing sources and uses	<u>(1,160)</u>	<u>(1,165)</u>	<u>(5)</u>
Net change in fund balances	<u>\$ (72,148)</u>	101,181	<u>\$ 173,329</u>
Unreserved fund balance, beginning, as restated, see Note 2-B		622,802	
Unreserved fund balance, ending		<u>\$ 723,983</u>	

EXHIBIT D-3
TOWN OF ANDOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE
Major General Fund
Statement of Changes in Unreserved - Undesignated Fund Balance (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis)
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2005

Unreserved, undesignated fund balance, beginning, as restated, see Note 2-B	\$ 622,802
Changes:	
Unreserved fund balance used to reduce 2005 tax rate	(72,148)
2005 Budget summary:	
Revenue surplus (Exhibit D-1)	\$ 66,492
Unexpended balance of appropriations (Exhibit D-2)	<u>106,837</u>
2005 Budget surplus	<u>173,329</u>
Unreserved, undesignated fund balance, ending	<u>\$ 723,983</u>

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REPORTABLE CONDITIONS AND OTHER MATTERS***

To the Members of the Board of Selectmen
Town of Andover
Andover, New Hampshire

In planning and performing our audit of the Town of Andover for the year ended December 31, 2005, we considered the Town's internal control structure in order to determine the scope of our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements. Our review of these systems was not intended to provide assurance on the internal control structure and should not be relied on for that purpose.

Under the standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, reportable conditions involve matters coming to our attention relating to significant deficiencies in the design or operation of the internal control structure that, in our judgment, could adversely affect the Town's ability to record, process, summarize, and report financial data consistent with the assertions of management in the financial statements. A material weakness is a reportable condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control structure elements does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements caused by error or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited, may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. Our consideration of the internal control structure would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control structure that might constitute reportable conditions and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all reportable conditions that are also considered to be material weaknesses as defined above.

During the course of our review of internal controls, no material weaknesses in the Town's accounting systems and records were identified. Minor weaknesses or other considerations coming to our attention were generally procedural in nature and dealt with administrative or recordkeeping practices. In these instances, we made specific recommendations or provided instruction to applicable individuals during the course of our audit fieldwork.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the board of selectmen, and others within the administration. This restriction is not intended to limit distribution of this report, which is a matter of public record.

January 18, 2006

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BUILDING INSPECTOR'S REPORT

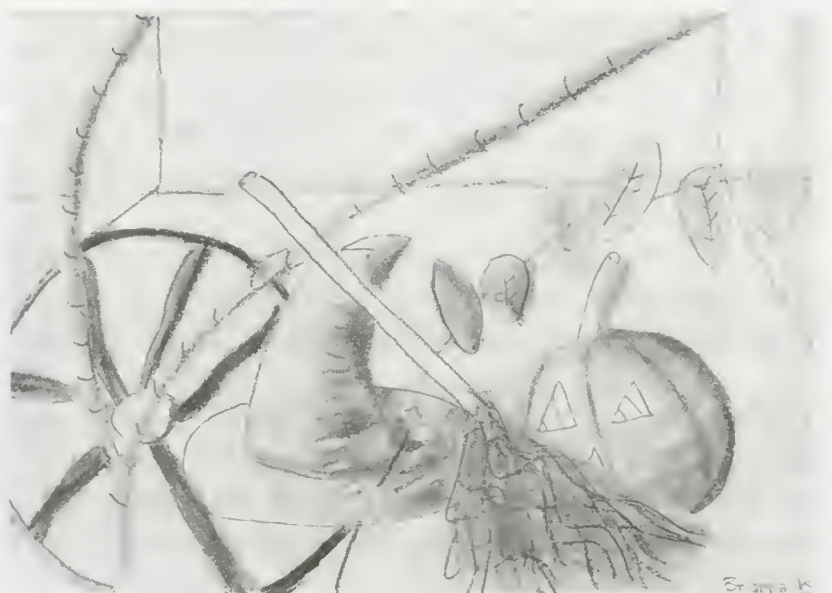
A total of 61 building permits were issued in 2005, 29 fewer than 2004, but about the same as the number issued in 2003. Fourteen permits were issued for new dwellings and an additional five were for replacement dwellings. The breakdown for the balance was as follows: one for a new commercial building, eight for additions, sixteen for garages or barns, and the rest were for the addition of decks, remodeling and the like.

Please remember that you need a permit for any type of renovation or remodeling work valued at over \$100.00. No permit is required for home repairs. My office hours are on Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:00.

Respectfully submitted,
Ted Barton



Katie Jo Keller, Grade 7



Brianna Keniston, Grade 7

CABLE TELEVISION ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT

The Cable Television Advisory Committee has the special privilege of operating Ragged Mountain Community Access Television on Channel 8. While many cable and satellite channels exist for the mass market, Channel 8 is run for our broadcast area of Andover, southern Danbury, and fringes of Wilmot and Salisbury.

Your local channel provides a vital link to news and events in Andover, including town government, history, school events, community events, regional programming, and more - and we present public television programming hard to find elsewhere. Even if you use a satellite link for your other viewing, you can contact Adelphia at 888-683-1000 and subscribe to their "Broadcast Basic" plan (which includes Channel 8 as well as regional network affiliates, independents, and two PBS stations) for around \$18 per month.

In 2005 we have been more diligent in trying to find ways to make it fun and easy for members of the community to create programming for Channel 8. We helped the Andover Middle School start a Video Club for middle school students interested in shooting or editing video programs about school and community activities. We've run two boot camps for students, one about videotaping and one about editing, and have worked with the students to film the Veterans Day celebration at AE/MS. We have also purchased editing equipment and donated it to the school to make it easier and more convenient for the students to edit their work.

In 2005 we also started the process of updating the public video editing suite in the basement of the Town Hall. Our goal is to have both an easy-to-use editing "appliance" and a more capable Apple Macintosh editing suite for Andover residents to use to edit their personal videos or copy them from tape to DVD, or to work on community videos for airing on Channel 8. Station volunteers are always available to show you how to use the equipment, even if you've never done any video editing before.

We have taken several steps this year to update and improve the technology we use to broadcast Channel 8 and to make it easier for our volunteers to use. Perhaps the most significant upgrade is replacing the equipment that queues up the programs and sends the right one to your TV at the right time. Station volunteers now control the process using modern, flexible software on a PC computer.

We've also added a sound equalizer so that all the programs on Channel 8 are at about the same volume, and we've moved all the broadcast equipment into an equipment rack that makes it much easier to organize and maintain.

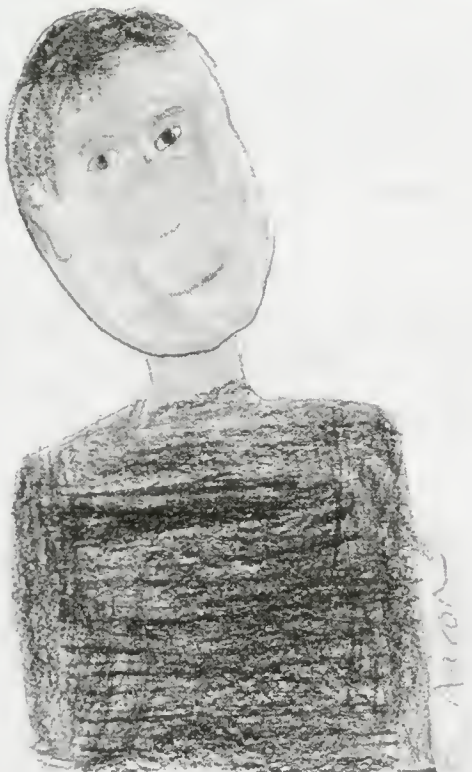
We continue to be very excited about the improvements to Channel 8 and invite you to stop by for a tour of the station. We're there most Thursday mornings; or contact us through the Town Office or Station@AndoverCableTV.com to arrange a tour for yourself or your group at your convenience.

Working with a public access cable channel in a small community like Andover is a very interesting, very rewarding pastime. There's so much more we could be doing with Channel 8, so many more interesting programs and exciting projects we could offer. If you'd like to help, please contact the station through the Town Office or at Station@AndoverCableTV.com.

Respectfully submitted,
Andover Cable Television Advisory Committee



Shana MacKinnon, Grade 6



Aaron Smith, Grade 3

CEMETERY TRUSTEES' REPORT

In 2005 the Cemetery Trustees continued to record and restore Andover cemeteries and provide them with general maintenance and upkeep. Tom Mullen again did the mowing.

Lakeview Cemetery was the focus of attention in 2005. Vermont stonemason, John Clegg Jr., and his workman started work repairing damaged stones and resetting those that were loose. In all, thirty-two lots received their services. Over the course of the summer Pat Cutter recorded the stones in Lakeview and John Graves created a computerized map.

Sometimes stones are damaged beyond repair. The headstone of Charles Fifield in the Rollins Cemetery, and that marking the grave of Frank Julius Robie in the Lakeside Cemetery in East Andover have been replaced.

The Trustees are still most interested in learning the names of people who were buried in the unmarked graves at the back of Lakeview. If you know of anyone who may have been buried there, we would greatly appreciate hearing from you.

The Lakeview Cemetery fence is in need of repairs and paint. We are holding off on this work because of anticipated changes to Route 11 in that area which may allow the cemetery to be enlarged. At that time the fence will be replaced.

The name of the "Indian Cemetery" has been changed to the "Walker Cemetery" in honor of the family which is most likely interred there.

Please remember to consider the path of the mower when planting flowers on Memorial Day, and help to keep the cemetery attractive throughout the year by weeding and watering throughout the summer and removing ornaments, dead plants, and flower pots in the fall. If this is not possible, consider making a donation toward special care for your plants.

Burial information for the ancient cemeteries and the Church Cemetery may be seen at the Town Office. We hope that you will make use of them.

Respectfully submitted,
The Cemetery Trustees

CONSERVATION COMMISSION REPORT

The Andover Conservation Commission serves the town as an advisory board on land preservation, wetlands and shore land protection, and other activities impacting the local environment. The Commission made several site visits, reviewed proposed projects, considered easement proposals, and started to prioritize areas of town with special and unique characteristics to incorporate in the conservation section of the Master Plan. Additionally, the Commission monitors several land easements, evaluates dredge and fill applications, gravel excavation sites, and possible violations of state laws protecting our natural resources.

Some of the areas of town we have reviewed this year include a possible boat ramp and building lot on Bradley Lake (one of our prime concerns because the lake is the municipal water-supply source), filling of land on Highland Lake, possible construction within prime wetlands on Flaghole Road and wetlands on Beech Hill Road, the extension of the Fenvale subdivision, and Route 11 construction.

This year we met with staff from the UNH Cooperative Extension Service regarding the use of new map technologies, starting a natural resources inventory, and creating a town conservation plan. This work will help in prioritizing the expenditure of Andover's conservation funds.

The Conservation Commission encourages property owners to consider placing their land in a conservation easement to protect their land, now and for future generations. A conservation easement is a voluntary agreement between the land owners and a conservation organization (such as the town Conservation Commission or a land trust) in which the property owners agree to place certain permanent restrictions on their land in order to protect it from certain kinds of development or uses. The terms of the easement are flexible and can be tailored to suit the landowner's property and situation. Once land is under easement, the landowners may live on and manage the land, sell it, or pass it on to their heirs. The Conservation Commission would be willing to discuss the terms and nature of conservation easements with any interested landowners. In addition, we have conservation funds available for assisting in surveying, appraisal, monitoring, or legal costs.

Finally, the Andover Conservation Commission would like to thank all of the private citizens, town officials, and state agency members for their cooperation in any matters coming before the Commission. The addition of new member Nan Kaplan and alternates Mary Anne Broshek and Sandra Graves has brought new commitment, enthusiasm and knowledge to the Commission, but we regret losing the expertise of Doug Goodin, Kathy Ordway and Derek Mansell.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerald Hersey, Chairman
Tina Cotton, Treasurer
Peter Southworth, Secretary
Peter Zak
Bob Ward
Nan Kaplan
Mary Anne Broshek, Alternate
Sandra Graves, Alternate

CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Financial Statement

Conservation Fund

January 1, 2005 Bank Balance	\$36,042.60
Interest income	895.04
Current Use Change Tax (in transit on 12/31/05)	10,846.00
December 31, 2005 Bank Balance	\$47,783.64

The Conservation Fund was created with a \$10,000 appropriation at the 1992 town meeting. Beginning in 2000, one half of the current use change tax revenue received by the town each year has been added to that fund with expenditures for conservation easement acquisition assistance and monitoring costs. This fund is in the custody of the Town Treasurer.

Land Conservation Fund

January 1, 2005 Bank Balance	\$1,353.70
Interest income	3.33
Maps, lamination and publications	(93.00)
December 31, 2005 Bank Balance	\$1,264.03

This fund originated from a private donation with the intention that it be used for land conservation purposes. During 2005, \$44 was for the purchase of copies of *Conserving Your Land-Options for New Hampshire Landowners*, which are available for loan (or replacement cost of \$5) at the Town Hall and \$49 was expended for maps that are being used for the conservation section of the master plan update.

Regular Savings

January 1, 2005 Bank Balance	\$1,251.94
Interest income	3.34
Town appropriation	500.00
NH Association of Conservation Commission Dues	(200.00)
Publications	(162.00)
December 31, 2005 Bank Balance	\$1,393.28

The annual town appropriation and regular savings account cover the conservation commission's annual operating expenses.

Total of all funds on December 31, 2005	\$50,440.95
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FOREST FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

The Andover and East Andover Fire Departments and the State of NH Division of Forests & Lands work collaboratively to reduce the frequency of wildland fires in New Hampshire. To help us assist you, we ask that you contact me or one of the deputy wardens listed below prior to initiating any outside burning. A fire permit is needed unless the ground has complete snow cover.

Fire activity was high during the first several weeks of the 2005 season, with red-flag conditions issued by the National Weather Service and extreme fire danger in the southern and central portions of the state. This period of increased fire activity prompted a 5-day ban on open burning, the first such ban in several years. Despite the dry conditions, the state's largest wildland fire was contained at 29 acres. Fires in the wildland urban interface damaged 10 structures, a constant reminder that forest fires burn more than just trees.

This year, Andover was fortunate in having very few outside fires. We were able to purchase a few more lengths of forestry hose and fittings, a chain saw, and two three-man mop-up kits. The low number of fires allowed us to spend the budget on equipment needed to do our job effectively.

Once again, we would like to thank the town's people for another successful burning season. To obtain a fire permit or seasonal camp permit, please contact me or one of the deputy wardens listed below.

Stephen Barton, Warden	735-5984
Rene Lefebvre	934-2197
John Thompson	735-6443
John Landry	735-6935
Chuck Ellis	735-5025
Fred Lance	735-5122

Respectfully Submitted,
Stephen A. J. Barton, Sr.
Forest Fire Warden

FOURTH OF JULY COMMITTEE REPORT

The Celebration

Monday July 4th, 2004 was clear, warm and beautiful. A great day for celebrating Independence Day!

As is the custom, the day started bright and early with the annual Lions Club pancake breakfast. This was followed by the opening ceremonies on the Village Green, including the flag raising by the Andover Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, an invocation by Reverend Ray Mitchell and the singing of the National Anthem. Other pre-parade activities on the Green were the flea market, music by the Kearsarge Community Band, a medley of patriotic songs by Margo Coolidge and a terrific performance by the Andover One Wheelers.

At noon the parade began. This year's parade theme was "Honoring Our Veterans" which was interpreted in the various parade floats prepared by Andover's community groups. The children marching in the Children's Parade did a wonderful job in following the parade theme.

This year's celebration had a couple of new additions to our Independence Day activities. First, there was a concert held immediately after the parade. This concert was provided by a combination of the Kearsarge Community Band and the Andover Elementary Middle School Band. It was held on the lawn next to Proctor's Holland Auditorium and was enjoyed by all. Also, in the evening just before the fireworks, the Andover Service Club put on an Ice Cream Social at the Andover Elementary Middle School gymnasium.

Dedication

The Fourth of July Committee decided to dedicate this year's parade to the Andover Lions Club in recognition of the Club's 50th anniversary. We all have appreciated the exceptional work which the Andover Lions Club has done for our community over the years.

The Finale

Andover's 63nd celebration of the 4th of July ended with the grand finale ... a terrific fireworks display!

Recognition

The work of organizing Andover's Fourth of July celebration is accomplished by a dedicated group of Andover residents who volunteer their time each year in order to make our community's celebration a success. Listed below are the officers and committee chairpeople who keep this Andover tradition alive.

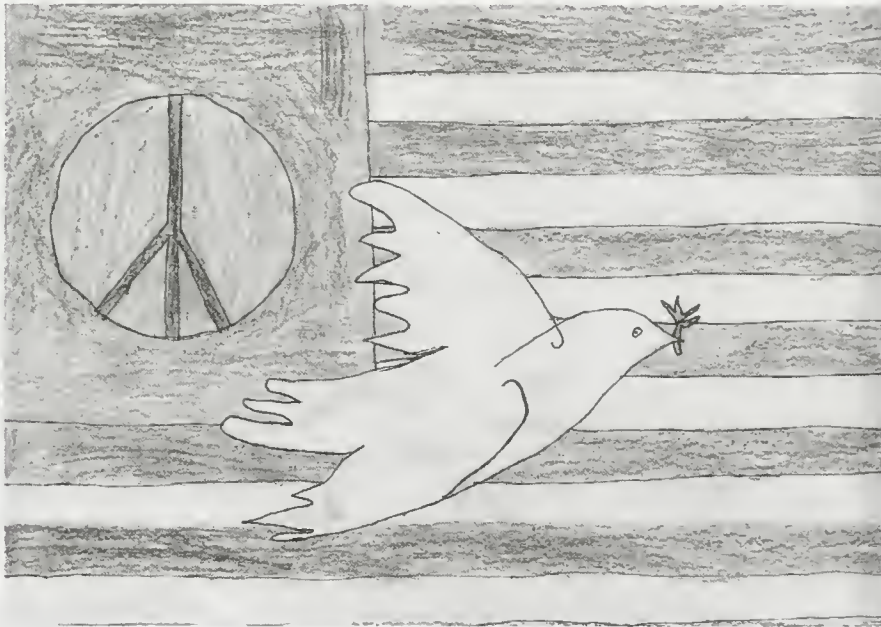
Chairman, Bob Ward
Vice Chair, Irene Jewett
Secretary, Elizabeth Elenowitz
Treasurer, Shirley Currier
Master of Ceremonies, Bill Leber and Wayne Nicoll
Parade Committee Chairs, Judy Perreault and Craig Perreault

Flea Market Chair, Howard Wilson
Children's Parade Chair, Sara Tracy-Arone
Clean-up Committee, Howard Wilson
Donations Committee, Irene Jewett
Children's Parade Chair, Sara Tracy-Arone
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Community Support

Our Committee would like to take this opportunity to thank the entire Andover community for its support. This very special event is both a celebration of our Nation's independence and a celebration of our own small community. Andover's Independence Day Celebration would not be possible without the continued enthusiastic support from all of you. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,
Andover Fourth of July Committee



D.J. Hawes, Grade 6

**ANDOVER FOURTH OF JULY COMMITTEE
TREASURER'S REPORT
Year Ended December 31, 2005**

Balance on hand January 1, 2005 \$12,083.82

Income:

After School Program	\$ 27.00
Andover Beacon	20.00
Andover Historical Society	63.40
Andover Lions Club	555.97
Andover Little League	160.00
Andover Snowmobile Club	132.76
Bank Interest	13.38
Barnyard Bingo	209.20
Booster Ads & Donations	8,672.00
Cotton Candy	34.82
Flea Market	1,782.00
Immaculate Conception Church	82.00
Libertarian Party	9.90
One Wheelers 2004	160.00
One Wheelers 2005	126.51
Rail Trail Committee	12.00
Total Income	<u>\$12,060.94</u>

Expenses:

Advertising	\$ 68.90
Children's Parade	100.00
Cleanup	157.16
Entertainment	350.00
Fireworks	5,000.00
Flea Market	68.47
Office	48.00
Parade	1,183.91
Parade Prizes	450.00
Programs & Signs	1,569.70
Ribbons	246.08
Sanitary Units	545.00
Signs	30.00
Veteran's Banner	125.00
Total Expenses	<u>\$9,942.22</u>

Balance on hand December 31, 2005 \$14,202.54

KEARSARGE AREA COUNCIL ON AGING, INC.

Since its beginning in 1992, the Kearsarge Area Council on Aging, Inc. (COA) mission has been to serve our nine communities by organizing volunteers to provide needed services, recreational opportunities and entertainment for those 55 years and older. In the thirteen years since its inception, COA has neither asked for, nor received, federal or state funds for the services it provides to the Towns of Andover, Danbury, Grantham, Newbury, New London, Sunapee, Springfield, Sutton, and Wilmot. We are grateful for the annual appropriations we receive from each of the towns that we serve. The balance of the operating expenses for maintaining and staffing our year round center on Pleasant Street in New London is covered by donations from individuals and businesses who recognize the ever growing need for the services we offer. COA does not require dues or fees for any of the more than 25 ongoing programs, with the exception of cost recovery for day or overnight trips

What many of us consider our most important service is providing door-to-door transportation for those unable to drive. Our volunteer drivers clocked 57,317 miles last year, 2,404 for Andover residents alone, delivering them to medical appointments as far away as Lebanon or Concord. In addition, appreciating that the quality of life is important for good health, COA provides transportation for grocery shopping, hair appointments, visits with friends and programs at the center. Friendly help is just a phone call away weekdays between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Most of our drivers are also seniors so there is always room for new volunteers to assure rides for anyone who needs one.

Hard though it may be to believe, the first of the “baby-boomers” are now classified as “seniors”. We know, and they know, that 55 is just a number and senior is just a word. Given good health, Act II can be more stimulating, less stressful and perhaps more fun than Act I. The need for the services and the social interaction offered by COA will only grow as the boomers and their parents live longer and healthier lives and find the charms of New Hampshire irresistible in spite of black flies, January cold and mud season.

We thank all of our supporters: towns, individuals and businesses, and we hope that anyone with suggestions for programs will present them to us. COA works in conjunction with all of the other service agencies in the area to improve the quality of life for all.

Respectfully submitted,
Marilyn Andrews, Chairman

LAKE SUNAPEE VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION

Lake Sunapee Region VNA is proud to provide home health, hospice and community services to residents of the Town of Andover, a member town of Lake Sunapee Region Visiting Nurse Association since 1970. We are committed to being able to meet the health care needs of residents of your community to the best of our ability. During the past year, 616 home care, and 54 hospice visits were made to adults and children needing skilled home health services. More than 300 hours of support services were provided for those with long-term care needs. Three residents used our Lifeline program and 7 individuals had their health status monitored daily using our telemedicine technology. Other services utilized include caregiver training and support, bereavement support, parent child program, and prevention and wellness services including screening clinics, foot care clinics, and immunization clinics.

Our mission remains at the heart of our care. LSRVNA provides many services that are integral to our mission but which are not reimbursed and are often provided at minimal or no cost. These include support groups (bereavement, caregiver, parent/child), community education, certain hospice services, telemonitoring of patient health status, clinics, health fairs and more.

Cost saving and efficiency measures are constantly explored. We believe that innovation is essential for a strong future. Thoughtful hiring and cross-training of staff, a growing volunteer base, and use of telemedicine and other technology like laptop computers for clinical staff are key to controlling costs. Our costs per episode of care are among the lowest in our region. We now have five years of experience in utilizing telemedicine. This tool helps us encourage patients and families to take an active role in managing their illness, reduce unplanned emergent visits to the hospital, schedule nursing visits with greater efficiency, and communicate useful trended data to physicians for improved disease management. LSRVNA's rate of unplanned hospitalization is 31% below the state average, and 21% below the national average. We know that it's important to you as a patient and consumer to manage your illnesses and avoid emergency situations that put you at increased risk.

Staff competence is highly valued and LSRVNA annually invests in education of staff to ensure their skills will meet our patients' needs. We have over 130 staff and more than 70 active volunteers. Nurses are certified in areas like wound care, hospice and palliative care, and advance care planning. Others specialize in cardiac care, diabetes, bereavement care and nutrition. Longevity of VNA staff means continuity of care for our patients. Twenty percent of the staff has worked for the VNA for over 10 years, with the average length of employment at over 6 years.

Lake Sunapee Region VNA depends on support from our communities.

Funds appropriated by the towns help us to care for more patients in the face of declining reimbursement and increasing costs. About 65% of our revenue comes from Medicare and Medicaid. Medicaid reimburses about 60% of what it costs us to care for a patient; and does not reimburse at all for mileage, care coordination or travel time. Our staff travels about 400,000 miles a year. In 2006, we expect the burden of high prices of gasoline alone to add as much as \$32,000 in expense to our budget for mileage. Other challenges include a growing and aging NH population, nursing and therapy shortages, costly Federal regulatory requirements, increasing fixed costs such as health care and other insurance, and high costs of technology upgrades.

When you, your family or neighbors need home care or hospice services, it is your right to choose the agency that provides that care. We are fortunate to have a strong base of support from towns, businesses and individuals and will strive to maintain our reputation in the community as an agency that is responsive, innovative, caring and worthy of your choice. Town support helps us maintain our commitment to our patients and the greater community to provide the care that you expect and deserve. Thank you for your confidence in our organization.

Sincerely,
Andrea Steel
President and CEO



Amy Wittel, Grade 3



Alicia Barry, Grade 3

FRIENDS OF THE ANDOVER/BACHELDER LIBRARIES

Are you a regular library patron? Would you like to help the librarians and trustees with book sales, cataloguing new books, shelving books, and whatever else is needed? Do you feel guilty about never paying fines like other libraries charge? Then become a library Friend. This group needs reactivating. It maintains a list of people willing to assist the librarians and meets only once or twice a year. The Friends have sponsored sing alongs, story hours for youngsters, helped with maintenance inside and out, and assisted with financial needs. Part time residents are welcome. If you would like to be a new Friend or head up the group, please tell your librarian, Tay Clark or Mary Sell, a trustee listed in the front of this town report, or Tina Cotton.



Danielle Adams, Grade 6

LIBRARY TRUSTEE'S REPORT

Andover and Bachelder Libraries have had a very busy 2005! Reports of increased patronage in both libraries show what important resources they are for the entire community.

Our librarians, Tay Clark and Mary Sell, work diligently to make sure that the libraries provide up-to-date books and available computer usage for all. Our trustees, Eileen Neville, Sandra Graves, Cheryl Blessing, Marilyn Gould and Brenda Jurta work with the librarians as a support system.

We cannot forget the volunteers who generously help throughout the year: Priscilla Poulin, Marilyn Gould, Barbara Doe, Eileen Neville, Matthew Coll, Josh Bennett, and Pam and Glorianna Brown.

In March of 2005, Polly Richards, a longtime librarian at the Bachelder Library and a trustee for many years retired. A very special thank you is sent to her for all of her years of dedication. Marilyn Gould has taken Polly's place as a trustee. Congratulations, Marilyn!

Donations are important to the ongoing existence of the libraries. Thank you to all who made the generous monetary donations including the Andover Service Club, as well as those who donated books, videos, and audiotapes. Our Fourth of July sales helped us raise \$1,248!

The Bachelder Library had a total roof replacement in October of this year. Thank you to George French, Jr. for its speedy replacement.

Having two libraries in town is a great convenience for all, so take advantage of this opportunity for yourselves and for your children. Anyone interested in attending any of our monthly meetings can find the time and dates in the Andover Beacon calendar.

We wish you all a good 2006 - keep on reading!

Respectfully submitted,
Brenda Jurta, Secretary, Library Trustee

ANDOVER PUBLIC LIBRARY
Financial Statement and 2006 Budget

	Estimated Revenues 2005	Actual Revenues 2005	Proposed Revenues 2006
Income:			
Cash on Hand January 1, 2005	\$ 10.00	\$ 699.45	\$ 10.00
Development Fund	250.00	0.00	250.00
Town Appropriation	16,599.50	16,860.00	17,099.50
Donations	0.00	425.00	0.00
Miscellaneous	<u>0.00</u>	<u>540.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Income	\$16,859.50	\$18,524.45	\$17,359.50
	Estimated Expenses 2005	Actual Expenses 2005	Proposed Expenses 2006
Expenditures:			
Salaries:			
Librarian	\$8,588.50	\$8,588.50	\$8,588.50
Substitute	264.00	300.00	264.00
Social Security	657.00	657.00	657.00
Bookkeeping	250.00	250.00	250.00
Janitor	150.00	150.00	150.00
Books, Magazines, etc.	5,200.00	6,509.17	5,200.00
Telephone	250.00	315.99	250.00
Maintenance	500.00	170.38	500.00
Development Fund	500.00	1,167.93	500.00
Miscellaneous	<u>500.00</u>	<u>405.48</u>	<u>1,000.00</u>
Total Expenditures	\$16,859.50	\$18,514.45	\$17,359.50

The Andover Library maintains a savings account that is comprised of general donations, proceeds from the Fourth of July and memorial donations. This money is used to purchase additional books and library supplies as well as to meet any unanticipated need that may arise in the library. The balance in this account as of 12/31/2005 was \$6,641.80. This fund is managed by the Library Trustees pursuant to New Hampshire State law.

WILLIAM ADAMS BACHELDER LIBRARY
Financial Statement and 2006 Budget

	Estimated Revenues 2005	Actual Revenues 2005	Estimated Revenues 2006
Income:			
Cash on Hand January 1, 2005	\$ 733.05	\$ 733.05	\$ 1,141.51
Savings Account	1,382.27	5,700.00	4,370.78
Trust Funds/Interest	15,574.08	15,197.11	15,197.11
Donations	0.00	525.00	0.00
Miscellaneous	<u>0.00</u>	<u>1,140.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Income	\$17,689.40	\$23,295.16	\$20,709.40
	Estimated Expenses 2005	Actual Expenses 2005	Estimated Expenses 2006
Expenditures:			
Salaries:			
Librarian	\$8,588.40	\$8,588.40	\$8,588.40
Substitute	264.00	237.00	264.00
Social Security	657.00	657.00	657.00
Janitor	150.00	150.00	150.00
Bookkeeper	250.00	250.00	250.00
Books, Magazines, etc.	5,200.00	2,881.88	5,200.00
Telephone	250.00	198.48	250.00
Electricity	450.00	529.86	550.00
Fuel	1,200.00	3,583.24	4,000.00
Maintenance	150.00	4,326.76	150.00
Insurance	330.00	430.78	450.00
Miscellaneous	<u>200.00</u>	<u>320.25</u>	<u>200.00</u>
Total Expenditures	\$17,689.40	\$22,153.65	\$20,709.40

2005 LIBRARY STATISTICS

	Andover Public Library	Bachelder Library
Circulation:		
Adult Non-Fiction	360	195
Adult Fiction	1,970	714
Juvenile Books	2,938	419
Magazines	379	86
Audios, Videos & Non-books	<u>1,933</u>	<u>338</u>
Total	7,580	1,752
Interlibrary Loaned	148	110
Interlibrary Borrowed	<u>319</u>	<u>98</u>
Total	8,047	1,960
New Acquisitions:		
Adult Books	268	127
Juvenile Books	293	66
Magazines	40	24
Audio & Videos	<u>52</u>	<u>109</u>
Total	653	326

The libraries are very appreciative of the many donations of books and videos.



Gary Mason, Grade 8

PLANNING BOARD REPORT

The planning board's primary responsibility is long-range planning. Andover's first master plan was adopted in 1972 and was the foundation for the original zoning ordinance. The zoning ordinance determines what our community will be and what it will look like decades into the future. Now, 32 years after adoption of Andover's zoning ordinance and with a few amendments along the way, a close look at our law will likely reveal more profound changes we need to make.

New Hampshire's continuing highest growth in New England will be intensified by the planned expansion of I-93 from the Massachusetts border to Manchester, with resulting increased traffic on I-89 and I-93 exerting pressure on Andover from both sides. Growth in Andover will continue and must be intelligently addressed in order to avoid both the financial and social stresses of substantial growth on the one hand and the 'pricing out' of those people who make our community work on the other.

A current master plan is the vital foundation for zoning ordinance updates. Our growth limitation ordinance has spared the town the need to act under pressure; but now we are running out of time and have to start thinking hard about such changes. To assure wide community input and consideration of all views, all town organizations have been asked to send delegates to master plan meetings and all members of the public are welcome.

Andover's Master Plan is many years overdue for an update. In 2005 a Master Plan Update Committee was formed, co-chaired by Paul Currier and Doug Boisvert. At the 2005 town meeting funds were authorized for contractor assistance to create digital tax maps, to conduct a build-out analysis, to do a natural resources co-occurrence inventory, and to facilitate a visioning process and town-wide survey to get input from residents. The digital tax maps are now done, the rest of these contracts are in place; and we expect to have major progress on the update by June 2006.

The Master Plan Update Committee met several times in 2005. They prepared a draft town-wide survey, heard a presentation from the Office of Energy and Planning on the legal aspects of master planning, listened to proposals from the Lakes Region Planning Commission for the build-out analysis and from the Society for Protection of NH Forests for a natural resources co-occurrence analysis. The committee decided to recruit volunteers from the community to draft the Master Plan update, and will be meeting on a monthly basis in 2006 to begin drafting the plan, reviewing the work of our contractors, and planning for community outreach. Anyone interested in being part of the Master Plan update process can get in touch with Paul Currier (735-5280) or Doug Boisvert (735-5218). The committee usually meets at Town Hall at 7 p.m. on the fourth Monday of every month.

The board is also charged with: acting on applications for permissions under state and town law concerning subdivisions and related land dimension changes, site plan reviews mostly involving business uses, excavation, and certain other land

issues. In 2005 it conducted 23 public meetings that included many public hearings and non-binding consultations to assist citizens and other applicants through procedures necessary to effect the desired land use changes consonant with applicable law. These included:

Site plan approvals for (1) a portable take-out ice cream window on Main Street adjacent to the Blackwater Diner - Billy and Karen Sanborn; (2) expansion of the Andover Fire Station to include office, meeting room and shower/decontamination facilities - Chief John Landry; (3) a seasonal farm stand on Main Street - Don Gross; (4) automotive service bays and seasonal sale structure at Foodstop on Main Street - Brian and Jean Molloy; (5) a music building on North Street - Proctor Academy; (6) a landscaping service facility at 448 Bay Road - Jon Champagne; (7) a seasonal rental of "Beech Lodge" at the former Camp Marlyn - ZIA Group; (8) a home occupation for sale of wood pellet stoves and fuel at 118 Main Street - Robert Ward; and (9) a highway fence and guardrail storage, assembly and distribution facility at 261 Franklin Highway/NH Route 11 - Craig and Lorrie Sliter.

Minor subdivisions (one lot into two) for (1) Dorothy Lorden (Bradley Lake Road), (2) Sheldon Family Revocable Trust (Elbow Pond Road), (3) John D'Andrea (South Short Street), (4) Billy and Karen Sanborn (Route 4A), (5) Tim and Susan Norris (Emery Road), and (6) Andover Thompson, LLC (Chase Hill Road).

Major subdivisions were approved for (1) Dan LaBonte (5 lots on Boston Hill and Currier Roads) and (2) Cersosimo Industries (4 lots with two residences in Andover and two in Salisbury on Flaghole Road). A major subdivision (4 lots) that was approved in July of 1990 was reviewed and a recommendation regarding the revision of approval conditions was made to the selectmen for Frank Baker (Thompson Point Lane).

Lot line adjustments were approved for (1) Linda Rayner (Third Lane) and (2) Howard Jelleme (Emery Road).

A merger of two lots on Depot Street was approved.

Suitability findings were made (1) for a single family residence in the Forest and Agriculture district on South Short Street (John D'Andrea) and (2) for a structure and lean-to for outdoor recreation on a lot fronting on Cilleyville Road (Leonard Caron).

Our Lakes Region Planning Commission membership and resulting access to its expertise continue to be very helpful, particularly in the update of the Master Plan.

Respectfully submitted,
Planning Board

POLICE CHIEF'S REPORT

The Andover Police Department responded to 1,681 calls for service during 2005. This is a 22% increase over 2004.

A partial summary of calls is as follows:

Accidents	44	Harassment Complaints	10
Assaults	7	Missing Persons	4
Assists to Rescue	28	Motor Vehicle Summons	62
Bad Check Investigations	15	Motor Vehicle Warning	500
Criminal Mischief Complaints	23	OHRV Complaints	14
Dog Bites	4	Parking Violations	14
Dog Complaints	110	Runaways	2
Domestic Disturbances	16	Theft Complaints	24
DUI	3	Unlocked Doors Found	11
Fatal Accident	1	Vehicle Thefts	2

The department issued slightly fewer motor vehicle summonses, however, the number of warnings given was up. Unfortunately, the number of accidents increased after a two-year decline. Other notable increases were in thefts and dog complaints. Remember there is a leash law in Andover and all dogs must be under the control of its owner or keeper. More civil fines for animal complaints were issued as a result of the increased number of complaints. A department goal for 2006 is to reduce the number of these complaints. Members of the public can assist by remembering to license their dogs.

The new station continues to work out just fine. The added space has allowed us to operate in a much more professional manner. If you have not already done so, please stop by for a tour.

Personnel changes during 2005 saw part-time Officer Forest resign to pursue other career options. Jon Evans was hired to fill the slot, but left due to a conflict with his full-time job.

As I do every year, I encourage suggestions from members of the public to help keep Andover a safe place to live and work. I also would like to thank Andover's officers for their hard work to insure that our community stays safe and remains a great town to live in.

Respectfully submitted,
Chief Glenn E. Laramie

PROCTOR LIAISON COMMITTEE 2005 Progress Report

INTRODUCTION:

The Proctor Liaison Committee meets on a regular basis three times a year, once each in the fall, winter and spring for the purpose of maintaining good relationships and communication between the town and the school. Meetings provide the opportunity to discuss topics of interest or concern to both the town and the school, including ways in which Proctor, in addition to paying taxes, might consider supporting the Town of Andover. Meetings also give us the chance to hear of the ways in which the town and the school benefit each other, some of which are listed below. A more inclusive list is available at the town office. Members of the committee include the following:

William Bardsley	Budget Committee Representative
John Cotton	Public Representative - Moderator
David Hewitt	School Board Representative
Ed Hiller	Budget Committee Representative
Dennis Fenton	Selectman
Laurie Ferguson	Public Representative - Secretary

Proctor Academy's delegation:

Michael Henriques	Head of School
Dani Hinkley	Student Activities Coordinator
Karl Methven	Dean of Faculty - Assistant Moderator
Chris Norris	Campus Master Plan Coordinator
Peter Southworth	Assistant Dean of Students
Chuck Will	Proctor Director of Communications

COMMUNITY SERVICE

This winter a group of Proctor students is spending a few afternoons a week at the Andover After School Program reading to young children and getting involved with games and activities. One student is volunteering at the Andover Thrift Shop. Four times each year Proctor picks up trash on the road from the junction of Routes 4 and 11 in east to the Potter Place historical marker. The Proctor Children's Theater group, a winter afternoon activity, has invited Andover Middle School groups to see two shows this winter. Last spring, AE/MS students were invited to audition and a few earned roles in Proctor's Spring Musical 'Oliver'. People with ideas for community service projects suitable for Proctor students should contact Dani Hinkley at 735-6000 or dani@proctornet.com.

COLLABORATIVE EFFORTS

1. Rail Trail - The completion of a 1.7 mile section of the Northern Rail Trail that will eventually connect Andover to Franklin and Lebanon was made possible by the joint efforts of several people in town. Proctor staff helped to coordinate the grading project, and Proctor provided a vehicle to shuttle observers from the start to the finish area on the day of the opening ceremony.
2. Emergency Planning - In the Town's 2005 Emergency Operations Plan, the town and Proctor have planned for joint use of facilities, equipment, vehicles, personnel and other resources. A section on planning for the Avian Flu Virus is currently being developed.

3. Eastern Equine Encephalitis - Andover and Proctor officials to meet with NH state representatives to coordinate a proactive plan both to educate people and to identify and treat the most problematic areas where mosquitoes breed.

FACILITIES and PROGRAMS

1. Woodlands - Proctor continues to welcome responsible use of its woodlands for hiking, camping, fishing, hunting and other appropriate activities. Proctor asks that people not leave trash on trails or at camping sites and to treat these beautiful resources with respect. Unauthorized use of vehicles on the property is prohibited. Any questions regarding use should be directed to David Pilla at 735-6255.

2. Athletic Facilities - The gymnasium is open daily for the Council on Aging walking program. The hockey rink is open for public skating on Sundays from 3 to 4 PM. The Blackwater Ski area hosts the Andover Outing Club jumping and Cross Country Ski Program, and the Buddy Werner Alpine Racing Program, two superior ski programs that are open to Andover and neighboring town's children. Roughly two dozen AE/MS students use the Blackwater cross country ski trails each Friday afternoon. AE/MS hosted a large soccer tournament in October on Proctor fields.

ANDOVER STUDENTS at PROCTOR

There are currently 28 Andover residents enrolled at Proctor. Nine of these students are not affiliated with Proctor faculty or staff and receive the Andover tuition discount. Of those nine, two receive additional financial aid, which totals \$16,000.

OTHER

In response to a report by Proctor representatives, the Andover Police Department recovered stolen bicycles and made arrests in conjunction with the theft. This effort was much appreciated by the school and the bike owners.

The next meeting is scheduled for May 8, 2006.



Megan Hanscom, Grade 6

RECREATION DEPARTMENT REPORT

The following list outlines the programs offered by the Andover Recreation Department.

The ski program includes conventional downhill skiing and snowboarding at Ragged Mountain Ski Area as well as cross-country skiing at Proctor's Blackwater Ski Area. The program runs for six weeks starting in January and is open to kindergarten through grade eight. Lessons are included to help not only the beginners learn the basics, but to help the advanced skiers master the expert trails in a safe and courteous manner. Proctor's Blackwater Ski Area hosts the sixth week with cross country skiing, ski jumping, snow boarding and, of course, alpine skiing. Skating was again offered this year at Blackwater Park.

The basketball program consists of four teams: two teams for girls grades three and four and grades five and six, and two teams for boys grades three and four and grades five and six. The school sponsors basketball for the higher grades. The basketball program runs from December through February with games on Saturdays.

The softball program sponsors two girl's junior teams in the American Softball Association Lassie League that consists of teams from Hill, Franklin and Andover. These players must be eight years old by December 31st (or in the second grade) and not eleven by June 30th of the year of sign up. There is also a senior team whose members must turn 11 years old before June 30th or not be 15 years old before December 31st of the year of sign up.

The swimming program at Highland Lake got back on track this year and ran for two weeks. We would like to see the program run for four weeks; however, we are in need of a certified instructor to make that happen. If you are interested in becoming certified, please stop by the town office or contact Howard or Ellie George for more information.

A soccer program is offered in the fall for girls and boys preschool to sixth grade. Seventh and eighth grade soccer is run by the school.

Plans are still being developed for a building and the pumping system planned for Blackwater Park. Once complete these facilities will provide much needed storage, bathroom facilities, space to operate a snack bar, and a source of water for irrigation of both Blackwater field and Corson field.

The fundraising program, which was started last year, has been successful. However, we still need more money to make it a reality. If you have not already done so and would like to donate, your tax-deductible donation can be mailed to Andover Recreation Fund, c/o Town of Andover, PO Box 61, Andover, NH 03216.

Thank you in advance for your support of Andover youth athletics and I hope to see you cheering on our teams!

Respectfully submitted,
Howard George, Chairman

RECYCLING COMMITTEE REPORT

Recycling paper products was made a whole lot easier for Andover residents and transfer station attendants in 2005. Co-mingling paper products in one container has eliminated the need to separate newspapers, magazines and office paper. This change also allowed the inclusion of paperboard and other rippable paper items that were not previously permitted. Due in large part to this new system, the amount of paper recycled in 2005 increased by about 30% over 2004. Removing this 20 tons of paper from the waste stream saved the town over \$1,000 in tipping and trucking costs!

Andover Recycling Committee members have been visiting other transfer station facilities in order to plan for the future of ours. The most impressive one seen to date is in Pittsfield, New Hampshire. The advice of the attendants there was to make recycling easy and profitable. They are so convinced of the profitability of recycling that they share the proceeds as pay incentives with the attendants at the facility.

Andover opened the door to recycling plastic in 2005. We are now recycling number one (PETE). We hope to add other plastics and simplify how plastics are sorted in the coming year.

Starting in 2006, electronics will be recycled in an effort to keep heavy metals from being incinerated. We anticipate that the fees charged when you drop off a TV, computer monitor, VCR, computer tower, printer or fax machine would cover the cost of recycling these items. Currently, the TV's and monitors are put down the hopper and subsequently incinerated in Penacook. Taking these out of the waste stream will help take toxins out of the air that we all breathe.

The town spent approximately \$500 to recycle standard fluorescent light bulbs this year. We urge residents to purchase low mercury-level bulbs that do not have to be recycled. Remember that many thermometers and thermostats also contain mercury and must be recycled. A hazardous waste collection event is planned for October of 2006. Save your toxic stuff for then!

The swap shop was closed by the selectmen in 2005, but with their permission, a "swap day" was held in September and again in October. Recycling committee members and other volunteers monitored all swaps, and at the end of the day, all leftover items were dealt with. These trial swap days seemed to satisfy customers, vendors, selectmen, and transfer station attendants. More are planned for non-winter months. We would like to thank the following volunteers for their help at the transfer station: Dolores Bare, Robin Boynton, Don Gould, Gerry Hutson, Eric Johnson, Sarah McIntyre, Sue Norris, Janet Plummer, Judy Poblentz Perreault, Belford and Gail Richards, Dorothy Skeels, Peter, Story and Halle Southworth, Joan Wallen and Betsy Woodman.

Recycled Materials 2005

<u>Materials</u>	<u># Tons</u>	<u>Income/ (Expense)</u>	<u>Savings</u>	<u>Net</u>
Aluminum cans	1.51	\$ 1,465.22	\$ 84.56	\$ 1,549.78
Cardboard	52.39	3,485.75	2,933.84	6,419.59
News, Mags, Mixed Paper	83.90	1,289.62	4,698.40	5,988.02
Glass	33.00	(330.00)	1,848.00	1,518.00
Tin Cans	3.18	51.15	178.08	229.23
Scrap Metal	<u>145.33</u>	<u>5,630.54</u>	<u>8,138.48</u>	<u>13,796.02</u>
Total	300.13	\$11,592.28	\$17,881.36	\$29,473.64

The above totals do not reflect the approximate 20 tons of cardboard and 1.5 tons of aluminum cans on hand on December 31, 2005. Those amounts will be reported in the 2006 tally.

A total of 136.47 tons of construction debris was disposed of with a net cost to the town (after deducting fees collected) of \$4,145.40. Two gaylord boxes of partially used cans of oil-based paint were collected and picked up by a hazardous waste collection company at a cost of \$1,573.45. Approximately 785 gallons of used motor oil was also shipped out, this however at no cost to the town.

Respectfully submitted,
Recycling Committee

Tyler Valley, Grade 8



RESCUE SQUAD REPORT

We invite anyone with an interest in joining the Andover Rescue Squad to contact any member listed at the end of this report; and we will gladly guide you to the path to become an EMT and share the work, burdens and joy of providing quality Emergency Medical Services to our community.

This past year the Rescue Squad was unable to respond to more than 10% of its calls. No members were available when the call was received. Instead, we relied upon mutual aid to cover those calls and to provide ambulance service. In those instances, services were delayed by the additional time for notifying mutual aid and the additional travel time they had to drive from either Franklin or New London. A 90% response rate is not good enough in EMS. Time can be crucial for prehospital care to prevent further disability, to improve the outcome, or even to save a life.

The cause of this problem boils down to not having enough members available at enough times to respond. Like all organizations a handful of people do a majority of the work. When four active members moved out of town this year, we lost some of our ability to respond. Our efforts with articles in the Beacon and personal pleas for recruiting new members have been ineffective, as not one person has indicated interest in joining. To solve the problem we need six to eight committed new members.

Faced with this problem, the Rescue Squad is taking two approaches to solving it. Short term, we are negotiating with our mutual aid providers to be notified earlier and to continue providing service for a year. This will be at some cost and the Rescue Squad will be looking at changing a basic principle of its founding and will start charging for ambulance transports sometime this year to cover those costs.

Long term we are searching for models to provide ambulance service to Andover, whether with paid personnel, a regionalized service, a private service, or through the fire service. As we explore these options and share them with the selectmen, fire commissioners, and public we will be looking to build a consensus to take to town meeting in 2007.

We send an annual appeal letter each spring as our only fundraising event so that we do not compete against other town organizations at the Fourth of July or throughout the year. Please help us maintain this outstanding level of support again in 2006.

Memorial contributions were received in memory of Virginia Hutchinson, Dorothy Patten, Ervin Patten, Marjorie Miller, Rodney Smith, Richard Stetson, Edward Leroux, Chris Smith, "Dot" Wentworth, and Fred Condon. Thank you to those families that remember their loved ones and honor them by supporting the Andover Rescue Squad.

Expenditures

Telephone	\$ 639
Fuel	748
Office Supplies/Annual Letter	607
Ambulance Maintenance	1,004
Equipment Maintenance/Radio	772
Education/Training	829
Medical Supplies/Oxygen	4,738
Maintenance Contract	1,350
Miscellaneous	25
Protective Clothing	2,044
Total	\$12,756

Revenues

Donations and Memorials	\$14,250
Ambulance Fund	2,000

	\$16,250
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\$10,000 was invested last year in a Certificate of Deposit toward the replacement cost of a new ambulance.

Emergency Response Activity

In 2005 the Andover Rescue Squad responded to 158 calls, a 7% decrease over 2004. Of those 158 calls, 112 were for medical emergencies, and 29 were for motor vehicle accidents. Only four responses were for service calls.

2005 Rescue Squad Roster

Ed Becker, NREMT, President	Amy Fecteau, NREMT-I
Steve Fecteau, NREMT-P	Phil Hackman, NREMT-I, Vice President
JoAnn Hicks, NREMT, Secretary	Brad Hardie, NREMT-P
Dave Hewitt, NREMT	Irene Jewett, Treasurer
Jason Jenkins, NREMT-I, Lieutenant	Scott Kidder, NREMT
Rene Lefebvre, NREMT	Brad Smith, NREMT-P, Captain
Greg Stetson, NREMT	Sue Tosh, NREMT
John Wagner, NREMT	Kim White, NREMT

Please remember to check your house identification number so that we will find you when you call. Best wishes for a safe 2006.

Respectfully submitted,
Andover Rescue Squad
Ed Becker, President

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

This year we were faced with several periods of very heavy rains that caused severe washouts on Tucker Mountain, Kearsarge Mountain and Raccoon Hill Roads. Approximately 3,500 yards of crushed gravel from the stockpile at the transfer station was used to repair these and washouts on other town roads. Due to these events, some of the scheduled maintenance work was postponed. Barring a repeat by Mother Nature, we should be back on track in 2006.

During the summer we reclaimed and repaved Bradley Lake Road from Lawrence Street to the bridge at the dam. This work included installation of new culverts, underdrain and significant ditching work. We also completed work on Switch Road which included removal of the old railroad rail near the intersection with Route 11 and replacement of an old stone culvert with a new four-foot diameter steel version. Approximately 2,000 feet of the old pavement was reclaimed and new pavement added in that area and to about 200 feet of Currier Road. With some financial assistance from property owners, a long standing drainage problem at the end of Pinewood Lane was corrected.

Planned projects for this upcoming summer include reclaiming and resurfacing the paved portion of Chase Hill Road. As part of that project, culverts will be replaced and drainage issues will be addressed. The plan also includes improving the blind spot at the top of the hill. We also intend to crush another 6,000 yards of gravel at the transfer station, some of which will be used for the Chase Hill Road project and the rest for normal maintenance for the next couple of years.

Those who have traveled our gravel roads this year undoubtedly noticed the fine work of our new grader operator, Bill Thurber.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has worked with me on the roads. Their hard work and dedication should not go unrecognized. As always, please feel free to call me anytime with your concerns, suggestions, or complaints.

Respectfully submitted,
John "Tiny" Thompson

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

The Town's zoning board heard numerous appeals in 2005 - of all types. When the Andover Zoning Ordinance does not permit a certain use in a particular district, or a landowner cannot meet the particular requirements of the ordinance, an appeal is sought. Appeals heard are: Special Exception, Additional Special Exception, and Variance. The "variance" appeal is further defined to include a "use" variance - or an "area" variance. Occasionally the Board also hears an "appeal from an administrative decision".

During 2005 the ZBA conducted eleven monthly meetings and a few site visits. Six variance applications were approved, and one was denied due to lack of information. Eight special exceptions were approved with one being denied because the applicant did not have owner authorization to appear before the ZBA. There was one request for reconsideration of a previous decision, which was denied. The board also approved a request from an Andover landowner to revise the conditions of a previously approved subdivision.

Members of the ZBA are:

Donald Gross
Charlie McCrave
Jeff Newcomb
Susan Schnare
Katherine Stearns
Paul Fopiano (dedicated alternate)



Mandie Gilchrist, Grade 8

Mandie Gilchrist
10/5/05

REPORTS OF:

ANDOVER VILLAGE DISTRICT

ANDOVER FIRE DISTRICT

EAST ANDOVER FIRE PRECINCT



Nathan Loveless, Grade 7

**ANDOVER VILLAGE DISTRICT
2006 WARRANT
State of New Hampshire**

To the inhabitants of the Andover Village District in the Town of Andover, County of Merrimack and the State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Andover Town Office in said district on Monday, the 6th day of March 2006, at 7:00 p.m. to act on the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1: To hear the report of the last annual meeting.

ARTICLE 2: To hear the reports of the commissioners, treasurer and auditor.

ARTICLE 3: To elect the necessary officers for the ensuing year:

Commissioner for three years
Moderator for one year

ARTICLE 4: To see if the district will vote to accept and expend any federal and/or state grants received by the district.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the district will vote to accept water rents totaling an estimated \$64,000.00 to be billed quarterly at a gallonage rate with a user fee.

ARTICLE 6: To see if the district will vote to accept the budget of \$75,960.00 as recommended by the commissioners and presented by the budget committee and to raise and appropriate such sums as may be necessary for the budget.

ARTICLE 7: To transact any further business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 18th day of January 2006.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE ANDOVER VILLAGE DISTRICT:

Kurt Meier

Joseph Vercellotti

Reginald Roy

**ANDOVER VILLAGE DISTRICT
2006 Proposed Budget**

	Appropriations 2005	Actual Expenditures 2005	Proposed* Budget 2006
Commissioners' Salaries	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,500
Clerk/Treasurer Salary	1,800	1,800	1,800
Office	500	99	500
Telephone	1,200	1,349	1,400
Fuel	5,000	2,851	3,500
Electricity	4,500	2,846	3,500
Chemical Treatment	2,200	1,901	2,200
Chlorine Plant Operator	7,500	6,820	7,000
Water Testing	2,000	1,684	2,000
Maintenance & Repair	12,500	12,514	14,000
Meter Reading	320	320	320
Insurance	1,000	771	1,000
Capital Reserve Deposit	3,000	3,000	2,000
Dam Maintenance	300	5,000	3,800
Bond Payment	31,990	31,990	30,940
Education	500	217	500
Watershed Protection	<u>3,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total	\$78,810	\$74,662	\$75,960

Source of Revenues

	Estimated Revenues 2005	Actual Revenues 2005	Proposed Revenues 2006
Water Rents	\$64,000	\$59,797	\$64,000
Interest	50	25	30
State Grant Program	9,440	9,440	9,125
Other Income	0	769	0
Cash Account Withdrawal	<u>5,320</u>	<u>4,631</u>	<u>2,805</u>
Total	\$78,810	\$74,662	\$75,960

Capital Reserve Account: Balance 1/1/05 - \$52,999, Balance 12/31/05 - \$57,508.

* This proposed 2006 budget was submitted by the commissioners and has been recommended by the budget committee.

**ANDOVER VILLAGE DISTRICT
ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES
MARCH 7, 2005**

Moderator Bill Zimmerman called the meeting to order on March 7, 2005 at 7:00 p.m. The following is a summary of the annual meeting minutes:

ARTICLE 1: To hear the report of the last annual meeting. The minutes of the March 1, 2004 meeting were read and accepted.

ARTICLE 2: To hear the reports of the commissioners, treasurer and auditor. The commissioners gave a brief summary of the work accomplished in 2004 including water line freeze-up on North Street, development on Bradley Lake, the old firehouse was turned over to the Lions Club. The commissioners' report was accepted. The treasurer's report was read and accepted. The auditor's report was read and accepted. The auditor used to review the financial records of the district for 2004 was Marge Roy of Andover.

ARTICLE 3: The following officers were elected:

Commissioner for three years:	Reginald Roy
Moderator for one year:	Bill Zimmerman

ARTICLE 4: To see if the district will vote to accept and expend any federal and/or state grants received by the district. Accepted.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the district will vote to accept water rents totaling an estimated \$64,000.00 to be billed quarterly at a gallonage rate with a user fee. Accepted.

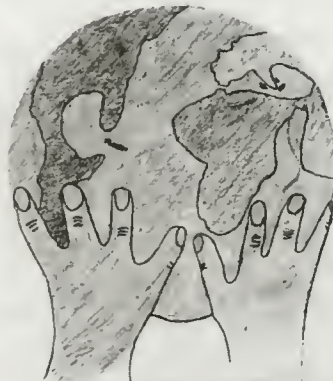
ARTICLE 6: To see if the district will vote to accept the budget of \$78,810.00 as recommended by the commissioners and presented by the budget committee and to raise and appropriate such sums as may be necessary for the budget. Accepted.

ARTICLE 7: To transact any further business that may legally come before this meeting.

- A. The necessity of doing deed research for property that the water main travels across.
- B. Howard George indicated that the recreation committee is working on getting the ball field at the town park off of the water system.
- C. Discussion took place regarding the state project, which will be taking place in the very near future, and the possibility of pumping water from the brook for its use.

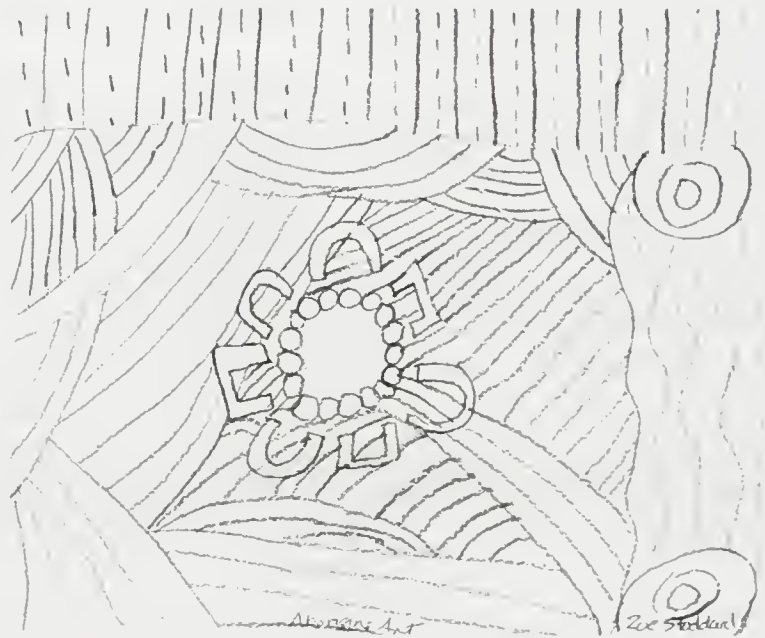
There being no further discussion, moderator Bill Zimmerman adjourned the meeting at 7:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Lisa Meier
Clerk / Treasurer





Kayla Dansereau, Grade 8



Zoe Stoddard, Grade 7

**ANDOVER FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1
2006 WARRANT
State of New Hampshire**

To the inhabitants of the Andover Fire District No. 1, in the Town of Andover, County of Merrimack and the State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote on district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Andover Fire Station in said district on Wednesday, the 15th day of March 2006, at 7:30 PM to act on the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1: To hear the report of the last meeting.

ARTICLE 2: To hear the report of the treasurer, auditor, commissioners and fire chief.

ARTICLE 3: To elect the necessary officers for the ensuing term:

Commissioner for three years, Clerk/Treasurer for one year, Moderator for one year

ARTICLE 4: To see if the district will vote to authorize the commissioners to borrow money in the anticipation of taxes in perpetuity or until rescinded.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the district will vote to accept and expend any grants or gifts to the district, whether federal, state or from private individuals in perpetuity or until rescinded..

ARTICLE 6: To see if the district will vote to authorize the use of the December 2005 fund balance of \$476 as revenue for the 2006 budget. That fund balance is composed of \$396, which is the surplus from the district taxes colleted by the Town, and \$80, which is the balance of the unexpended 2005 appropriation.

ARTICLE 7: To see if the district will vote to close the building capital reserve fund and to allow the balance of \$5,000 plus accumulated interest to be used as revenue for the 2006 budget.

ARTICLE 8: To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 to be added to the new fire truck capital reserve fund previously established. The commissioners and budget committee recommend this appropriation.

ARTICLE 9: To see if the district will vote to accept the total budget (inclusive of article 8) of \$71,376 as recommended by the commissioners and the budget committee and to raise and appropriate such sums.

ARTICLE 10: To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, the 27th day of January 2006.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE ANDOVER FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1:

Les Fenton

John McDonald

Ron Woods

ANDOVER FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1
2006 Proposed Budget

	Appropriations 2005	Actual Expenditures 2005	Proposed* Budget 2006
Fuel	\$3,200	\$2,248	\$3,200
Electricity	700	862	700
Telephone	900	665	900
Water	175	0	175
Dues	250	50	250
Maintenance & Repair	4,500	6,377	4,500
Miscellaneous	650	1,199	650
Insurance	4,000	4,546	4,000
Training	1,000	860	1,000
New Equipment	3,400	4,849	3,000
Clerk Salary	400	0	400
LRMA Association	6,500	7,251	6,500
Chief's Salary	500	500	500
New Truck Capital Reserve	2,000	2,000	2,000
Building & Site Repairs & Reno's	85,000	83,699	0
Bond Payment for Truck	700	1,436	17,378
S.C.B.A. Equipment	3,000	393	2,000
Motor Fuel	1,000	1,194	1,000
Turnout Gear	3,000	2,664	3,000
LRMA Debt Service	2,761	2,761	2,761
Bond Payment for Truck	<u>17,460</u>	<u>17,462</u>	<u>17,462</u>
Total	\$141,096	\$141,016	\$71,376
Amount to be raised by taxes	\$60,996	\$60,996	\$65,900
Proceeds from Bond Sale	75,000	75,000	0
From Capital Reserve Fund	265	265	5,000
Additional funds available	<u>4,835</u>	<u>4,835</u>	<u>476</u>
Total	\$141,096	\$141,096	\$71,376

Note: The additional funds available for 2006 includes \$396 which is the surplus from the district taxes collected by the town, and \$80 which is the balance of the unexpended 2005 appropriation.

* This proposed 2006 budget was submitted by the commissioners and has been recommended by the budget committee.

ANDOVER FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1 CHIEF'S REPORT

The department responded to approximately 115 calls in 2005, up substantially from prior years. While the number of calls to fires remained level, requests for medical assistance and the number of automobile accidents have increased dramatically.

Training during 2005 included two firefighters completing level I, and one completing level II training. We welcomed two new members to the department. Their enthusiasm and willingness to train and learn is greatly appreciated. If anyone is interested in joining please stop by or contact one of the members listed below. We have meetings every Monday evening at 7:00 PM.

As most of you are aware, we have been working on a major addition to the station. The addition includes a meeting room, kitchen, laundry, offices and the only decontamination facilities in town. Because much of the prep and finish work is being completed by the department members on a volunteer basis to save tax dollars, construction is ongoing. Once the addition is complete we will host an open house for Andover residents to tour these new and improved facilities. Special thanks to R.P. Johnson & Son for the generous pricing on our kitchen cabinets and to Doug Gay for his donation of labor installing our heating and plumbing.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the volunteers for all of the time and effort they donate to the community through the fire department. Much of the work is done under trying and dangerous conditions and their only compensation is the satisfaction of having helped someone in need.

The roster of members for 2005 includes:

Dennis Bartlett	Lisa Donnelly	Mike Donnelly - Lieutenant
Todd Donovan	Cathy Ellis	Chuck Ellis - Deputy Chief
Darren Gove - Captain	Jessica Grace	John Green
Glenn Haley	Fred Lance	John Landry - Chief
John McDonald	Joe Poulin	Tom Prentice
Justin Smith	Patrick Smith	Red Soucy
Eric Tilton	Justin Wells	

Remember, test your fire and CO detectors frequently and replace the batteries at least twice a year.

Respectfully Submitted,
John Landry - Chief

ANDOVER FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1 ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES

The annual meeting of the Andover Fire District No. 1 was held on March 16th, 2005. Moderator Mark Stetson called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM.

ARTICLE 1: A motion was made by Les Fenton and seconded by John McDonald that the minutes of the 2004 annual district meeting be accepted as published in the town report. The motion was approved, all in favor.

ARTICLE 2: The auditor's report was read by Fred Lance. Les Fenton gave a verbal report on behalf of the commissioners. He stated that the commissioners were glad to see the department flourishing again. Membership is up, the energy in the department is up, and building improvements have been made with more to follow. There have been noticeable and discernable improvements in the department. Thanks to John Landry and old and new members for all of their efforts. John McDonald made a motion to accept the commissioners' report as given, the auditors report as read and the chief's report as published in the town report. Les Fenton seconded the motion. The motion was approved, all in favor.

ARTICLE 3: The following officers were elected:

Commissioner for three years:	Les Fenton
Moderator for one year:	Mark Stetson
Clerk/Treasurer for one year:	Fred Lance

ARTICLE 4: A motion was made by Les Fenton and seconded by John McDonald to authorize the commissioners to borrow money in anticipation of taxes. It was so voted and accepted.

ARTICLE 5: A motion was made by John McDonald and seconded by Les Fenton to accept and expend any grants or gifts to the district, whether federal, state or from any private individuals. It was so voted and accepted.

ARTICLE 6: To see if the district will vote to authorize the use of the December 2004 fund balance of \$5,100 as revenue for the 2005 budget. That fund balance is composed of \$3,850 from the sale of the truck and the old fire station doors, \$898 which is the surplus from the district taxes collected by the Town, and \$352 which is the balance of the unexpended 2004 appropriation. Les Fenton moved the article and John McDonald seconded it. Les Fenton inquired about a hazardous material incident in town and if that affected this article. Discussion followed and it was determined that the incident did not impact this article. The motion was approved all in favor.

ARTICLE 7: To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 to be added to the "New Fire Truck" capital reserve fund previously established. This article was moved by John McDonald and seconded by Les Fenton. It was so voted and accepted.

ARTICLE 8: To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$85,000 for the purpose of constructing an addition to the Andover fire station and to authorize the issuance of not more than \$75,000 of bonds or notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA 33) and to authorize the commissioners to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon with the balance of \$10,000 to be raised by taxation. The

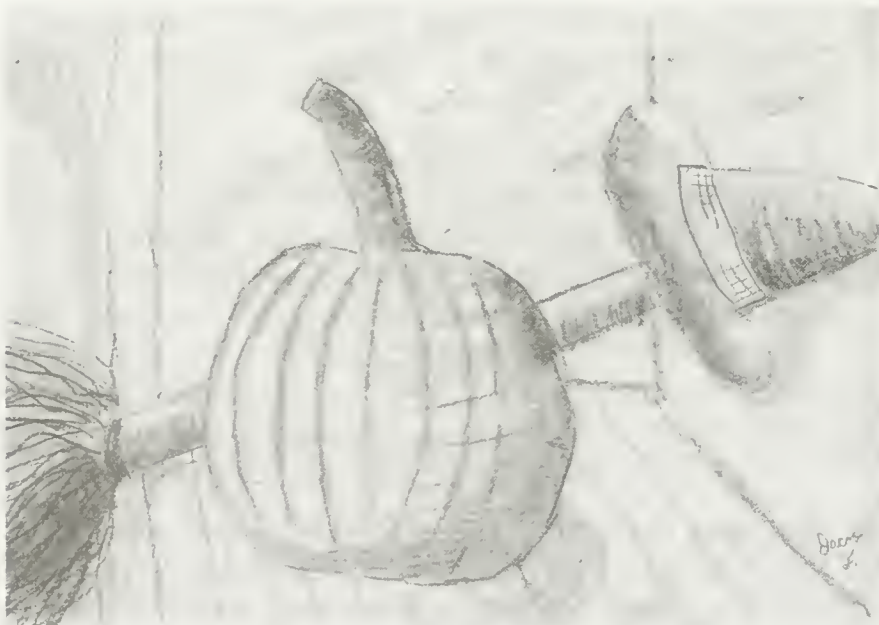
commissioners and the budget committee recommend this appropriation. (2/3 ballot vote required).

This article was moved by Les Fenton and seconded by John McDonald. John McDonald asked if this was a 'bare bones' plan or did it include space for future use. As an example he asked if space would be available for a fitness/exercise room. Copies of the plans were circulated and discussion followed on building costs, future needs and how long this building will meet the needs of the department. When discussion ended the moderator commenced the ballot vote. At the conclusion of balloting, the moderator announced that the article had passed.

ARTICLE 9: To see if the district will vote to accept the total budget (inclusive of articles 7 and 8) of \$141,096 as recommended by the commissioners and the budget committee and to raise and appropriate such sums. This article was moved by Les Fenton and seconded by John McDonald. It was so voted and accepted.

ARTICLE 10: To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting. Les Fenton moved that the meeting be adjourned. John McDonald seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Fred Lance, Clerk/Treasurer
Andover Fire Department



Jacob Frost, Grade 7

EAST ANDOVER FIRE DEPARTMENT CHIEF'S REPORT

We were a little surprised that the total number of runs for 2005 was 119. Though we were busy with projects at the fire station, it felt like a quiet year. We, like many small towns, are slowly ramping up the number of emergencies we must deal with.

This fall small, porch-style roofs were added to the side entrance doors of the fire station. New lighting has been added to make the walkway and parking lot safer. New overhead doors were installed for our three truck bays. The new doors are much lighter and provide better insulation from the cold. Radio controlled operators were installed to shorten the amount of time the doors would need to be open in cold weather. This spring we will be putting up a new flagpole that we purchased. The new pole replaces one that was donated by Tim Frost when the station was built. The ravages of wind and weather have taken its toll and the old pole is beyond repair. Fire fighters are proud to display our nations colors in front of their fire station. We are looking forward to flying Old Glory on its new standard in the spring.

This year brought reality to the dangers we face as emergency responders. One of our own was injured while performing his duties during an emergency. We are all very pleased that he is going to be okay. The healing time will be several weeks, but we were lucky that his injuries weren't more serious. This year you will see a vigorous effort from us to be seen and be safe.

Lastly, we again thank you for your continued support of the fire department. We like what we do, but it would become a more difficult task if we did not enjoy the wonderful support of our community.

Have a safe and happy year.
Chief Rene Lefebvre

Commissioners: Tim Frost
 Roger Kidder
 Mark Thompson

Members

Paul Barton	Scott Kidder	Joseph Russell
Stephen Barton	Mary Ann Levesque	Jeff Sweaney
Edward Becker	Rene Lefebvre	Jerry Thompson
Andrew Guptill	Diane Miller	Jim Thompson
JoAnn Hicks	Jeff Miller	John Thompson
Jacob Johnson	Mark Perry	William Walker (Retired)

**EAST ANDOVER FIRE PRECINCT
2006 WARRANT
State of New Hampshire**

To the inhabitants of the East Andover Fire Precinct in the Town of Andover, County of Merrimack and the State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in precinct affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the East Andover Fire Station in said precinct on Tuesday, the 21st day of March 2006, at 7:30 p.m. to act on the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1: To choose the necessary officers for the ensuing term:

Moderator for one year
Clerk for one year
Treasurer for one year
Auditor for one year
Commissioner for three years

ARTICLE 2: To hear the reports of the treasurer, auditor, commissioners and the fire chief.

ARTICLE 3: To see if the precinct will vote to apply the entire 2005 fund balance (surplus) of \$1,648 as revenue for the 2006 budget. That fund balance is composed of \$642 which is the 2005 surplus from precinct taxes collected by the Town of Andover, \$6 which is the 2005 checking account interest, and \$1,000 which is the insurance reserve.

ARTICLE 4: To see if the precinct will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 to be added to the capital reserve fund previously established for fire suppression equipment.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the precinct will vote to raise and appropriate the total budget (inclusive of warrant articles) of \$52,600 as recommended by the commissioners and by the budget committee.

ARTICLE 6: To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, the 1st day of February 2006.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE EAST ANDOVER FIRE PRECINCT:

Timothy H. Frost
Roger W. Kidder
Mark E. Thompson

**EAST ANDOVER FIRE PRECINCT
2006 Proposed Budget**

	Appropriations 2005	Actual Expenditures 2005	Proposed* Budget 2006
Heating Fuel	\$ 1,400	\$ 901	\$1,800
Electricity	800	667	900
Telephone	300	300	300
Fuel, Truck Maintenance	3,400	3,776	3,700
Equipment	5,500	3,636	5,000
Insurance	4,700	3,142	4,700
Administration/Training	1,200	1,159	1,200
Building Maintenance	10,000	12,168	2,500
LRMA Association	6,700	7,251	7,500
Truck Capital Reserve	<u>16,600</u>	<u>16,600</u>	<u>25,000</u>
Total	\$50,600	\$49,600	\$52,600

Sources of Revenue

Amount to be raised by taxes	\$ 48,294	\$48,936	\$50,952
Additional funds available	<u>2,306</u>	<u>2,306</u>	<u>1,648</u>
Total	\$50,600	\$51,242	\$52,600

* This proposed 2006 budget was submitted by the commissioners and has been recommended by the budget committee.

Additional funds available for 2006 are comprised of the \$1,000 insurance reserve, \$642 of extra 2005 Precinct taxes, and \$6 of bank interest.



Josh Bennett, Grade 7

**EAST ANDOVER FIRE PRECINCT
ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES
March 15, 2005**

The 72nd annual meeting of the East Andover Fire Precinct was called to order at 7:30 PM by moderator JoAnn Hicks on March 15, 2005 at the East Andover Fire Station.

The warrant was then read and the following action taken:

ARTICLE 1: A motion was made by Rene Lefebvre and seconded by Greg Stetson that the following slate of officers be elected:

Moderator for one year	JoAnn Hicks
Clerk for one year	Kathleen Kidder
Treasurer for one year	John Cotton
Auditor for one year	Mark Stetson
Commissioner for three years	Tim Frost

There were no other nominations. The above named individuals were elected unanimously to the respective positions.

ARTICLE 2: To hear and accept the reports of the treasurer, auditor, commissioners, and the fire chief. Each reported that there were no changes to the reports as printed. The Chief did note in addition to his report that a generator, which was donated by an anonymous patron, is being installed. He wished to note the department's appreciation of the generous donation.

ARTICLE 3: To see if the precinct will vote to apply the entire 2004 fund balance (surplus) of \$2,306 as revenue for the 2005 budget. That fund balance is composed of \$1,274 which is the 2004 surplus from precinct taxes collected by the Town of Andover, \$32 which is the 2004 checking account interest, and \$1,000 which is the insurance reserve. A motion was made by Howard Wilson and seconded by John Cotton. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously.

ARTICLE 4: To see if the precinct will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$16,600 to be added to the capital reserve fund previously established for fire suppression equipment. A motion was made by Mark Stetson, seconded by Howard Wilson and passed unanimously.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the precinct will vote to raise and appropriate the total budget (inclusive of warrant articles) of \$50,600 as recommended by the commissioners and by the budget committee. A motion to accept the article was made by Mark Stetson and seconded by Greg Stetson. There was no discussion and the motion passed unanimously.

ARTICLE 6: To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting. There was no other business and the meeting adjourned at 7:37 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathleen Kidder, Clerk

ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT REPORT



Kyle Wiley, Grade 6

ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT DIRECTORY

School Board

Douglas Boisvert, Chairperson	Term Expires 2007
Robin Boynton	Term Expires 2006
Ed Dansereau (resigned) - Renee Goodwin (appointed)	Term Expires 2006
David Hewitt	Term Expires 2007
Vicki Mishcon	Term Expires 2008

School District Officers

Ann W. Clark, Treasurer	William Bardsley, Moderator	Christie Coll, Clerk
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Central Office Personnel

Michael J. Martin	Superintendent of Schools
Christine Barry	Assistant Superintendent of Schools
Robin Heins	Business Administrator
Kathleen Boucher	Human Resources Manager
Dolores Moore	Secretary
Louise Dupre	Bookkeeper (ASD/SAU)
Karen MacGregor	Bookkeeper (MVSD)
Laurie Cowan	Accounts Payable

School Staff

Jane Slayton, Principal, Tel: 735-5494

Kristin Flaherty, Asst. Principal/Coord. of Special Education

Adams, Diane	Teacher Assistant
Anderson, William	Custodian
Bent, Jennifer	Grade 1 Teacher
Braley, Christine	Permanent Substitute
Chevarie, Melissa	Special Education Assistant
Coll, Christie	Special Education Assistant
Connor, Christine	Computer Teacher
DeMinico, Linda	Grade K-8 Art Teacher
Donaldson, Lee	Library Aide
Dowes, Robin	Cafeteria Director
Fadden, Cathy	Cafeteria Assistant/Special Education Assistant
Fitzpatrick, Gail	Grade 4 Teacher
Gagne, Holly	Special Education Teacher
Gray, Shannon	Grade 5 Teacher
Harkabus, Jennifer	Occupational Therapist
Hewitt, Anne	Classroom Assistant
Hildebrand, Gretchen	Grade 2 Teacher
Hill, Heather	School Nurse
Hubbard, Jay	Grade 3 Teacher
Hubert, Paul	Grade K-8 Music and Band Director
Jensen, Michael	Grade 2 Teacher
Keezer, Michelle	Middle School Math Teacher
Kidane, Molly	Grade 3 Teacher

Lance, Brenda	Reading Recovery Teacher
LaRoche, Kristy	Grade 6 Teacher
Lauster, Amanda	Title I Reading Teacher
Lemeris, Shari	Middle School Language Arts Teacher
Lorden, Tamara	Special Education Assistant
McDonald, Brenda	Cafeteria Assistant
Murah, Carolyn	Middle School Special Education Assistant
Murphy, Ryan	Middle School Science Teacher
Owen, Jane	Speech Assistant/Special Education Assistant
Parenteau, Gail	Administrative Assistant
Pellegrino, Audrey	Kindergarten Teacher
Peters, Stephanie	Grade 5 Teacher
Schultz, Susan	Counselor
Shaw, Shelli	Teacher Assistant/Title I Assistant
Silverstein, Michael	Grade K-8 Physical Education Teacher
Spillane, Jean	Speech Pathologist
Thompson, Anna	Special Education Assistant
Tiede, Lynn	Special Education Teacher
Tucker, Jim	Middle School Social Studies Teacher
Underdahl, Susanne	Middle School Special Education Assistant
Van Horn, Stephanie	Occupational Therapist Assistant
Wallace, Nicole	Grade 3 Teacher
Wiley, Michael	Grade 1 Teacher
Wright, Dennis	Head Custodian

CLASS TOTALS AS OF JANUARY 2005

Kindergarten	18
Grade 1	30
Grade 2	28
Grade 3	34
Grade 4	26
Grade 5	27
Grade 6	36
Grade 7	26
Grade 8	<u>36</u>
	261

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Pupils not absent, tardy or dismissed for the school year ended June 30, 2005

Grade 1: Maxwell Barrett

Grade 2: Nicholas Terwilliger
Lisa Callum

Grade 3: Damick Kinson
Nathan French

Grade 4: Ethan Barton
Shrief Elmasry
Marissa Laro

Grade 6: Norbu Dickinson

Grade 7: Katie Jo Keller
Amy Lamos
Maurice St. Jacques

HONOR ROLL STUDENTS

** High honors all four terms

* Honors or high honors all four terms

Grade 5:

Danielle Adams
 Chantal Caron*
 Brendan Coll*
 Breanna Davis*
 Adam Ellis
 Caleb Frantz*
 Jessica George
 Elsie Goodwin*
 Megan Hanscom*
 Steele Henderson*
 Ashley Lamson
 Katie Levesque
 Jeremy Mason
 Rhianna Newton
 Bridget O'Mara
 Maddy Pfeifer*
 Joey Rego
 Nick Shaw
 India Thompson
 Michaela Trefethen*
 Jonathan Wagner
 Kyle Wiley
 Andrew Young*

Grade 6:

Shawna Barton*
 Henry Bendel
 Joshua Bennett
 Emily Bentley
 Meredith Cline*
 Brianna Keniston
 Kassie Lamper*
 Rebecca Lance*
 Emily Laro
 Haley Peters*
 Zoe Stoddard
 Sookie Vercellotti

Grade 7:

Kayla Dansereau
 Ryan Davis
 Tenzin Dickinson
 Hannah Frantz*
 Amanda Gilchrist
 Brianne Graham
 James Hanlon*
 Greg Hewitt
 Roger Laro
 Gary Mason
 Tim McDaniel
 Lizzie Rego
 Adam Smith
 Elizabeth Stearns*
 Joshua Wagner
 Jessica West*
 Corey Wiley*

Grade 8:

John Bridgmon*
 Megan Coll
 Krystin Corliss*
 Abigail Lance*
 Lucas McGovern
 Rebecca McGovern
 Caroline Pond
 Lorna Smith
 Allegra Zimmerman

2005 ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT GRADUATES

Taylor Anderson
 Zachary Barton
 Lucas Benoit
 John Bridgmon
 Amanda Brule
 Megan Coll
 Krystin Corliss

Michael Eklund
 Travis French
 Justin Gasper
 Heth Graham
 Katie Haley
 Abigail Lance
 Haley Levesque

Lucas McGovern
 Rebecca McGovern
 Megan Nelson
 Caroline Pond
 Kevin Roark
 Lorna Smith
 Kellie St. Jacques
 Allegra Zimmerman

ATTENDANCE TABLE

School Year Ended June 30, 2004

Length of School in Weeks	36
Total Enrollment	268
Girls	129
Boys	139
Average Daily Attendance	241.83
Average Daily Absence	12.90
Average Daily Membership	254.73
# of Students Not Absent, Tardy or Dismissed	12

SCHOOL BOARD REPORT

The Andover School Board is honored to submit this report on behalf of the School District. Our district has always received the support of the entire Andover community, for which the Board is extremely grateful.

Our committed and enthusiastic faculty, support staff, administrators and students make Andover Elementary/Middle School the place to be. Walk into our school and you are immediately wrapped in the warmth of a child-friendly environment. The walls are covered with student work, the classrooms are busy with instruction and learning and the hum of excellence is evident everywhere in the school.

Some of this year's important highlights:

Gretchen Hildebrand was the runner-up for New Hampshire Teacher of the Year 2006. Gretchen has been teaching and inspiring our children for many years and shows no sign of slowing down. She is a true gem and we are immensely proud of her.

The budget process this year was very difficult as there is much that needs to be addressed yet we are very aware of the financial limitations and restrictions. Despite our best efforts the budget is up 8.38% exclusive of special warrant articles. Regular high school tuition is among the notable increases. This line is up due to the anticipated increase in the number of students that will be attending Merrimack Valley High School next year as well as the \$640 per-student, per-year increase that is part of the existing tuition agreement with Merrimack Valley. Special Education is also up due to the need for an additional support staff member and the rising cost of out-of-district tuitions. Another significant increase in the budget is the utilities line. Given the anticipated cost of heating oil and electricity, we had no choice but to increase these areas. Finally, we have also included year two of the teachers' collective bargaining agreement.

The facility study done by the NH School Administrators Association was well received by members of the community and our board. We are appreciative of those who took the time to attend the public meetings and actively participate in the process. The facility study reaffirmed the board's opinion that we need to look at a long-term fix for our school. The next logical step will be an architectural/engineering study. This study will evaluate the condition of the present building in its entirety, including such things as the aging roofs, gym floor, etc. The study will also enable us to determine possible locations for future expansions to the facility.

Our present high school tuition contract will expire in three years. It is time to start negotiations for a new contract. There are many new developments taking place at Merrimack Valley High School, which will impact the cost per pupil for Andover. Presently we are "underpaying" the calculated cost per pupil at Merrimack Valley High School, and we will need to make the appropriate adjustments to get back on track. We will keep you informed as we move forward.

As always, we welcome comments and suggestions about our progress and future plans.

Respectfully submitted,
Douglas Boisvert, Chairman

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

The 2004-2005 school year was a very good year and I want to thank everyone for their efforts.

Learning is always our main concern and in the 2004-2005 school year this emphasis was highlighted when one of our teachers, Gretchen Hildebrand, was a finalist for the New Hampshire Teacher of the Year. Gretchen represents the high quality of teachers at Andover Elementary/Middle School and we are all very proud of her accomplishments. I am pleased to report that our entire faculty continues to participate in ongoing professional development and that all of our teachers will be highly qualified as required by the federal law of No Child Left Behind.

During this past year we continued our efforts to make the Andover Elementary/Middle School a safe and nurturing environment where our students can learn at high levels. A program called Positive Behavior Intervention and Support (PBIS) was implemented to help us focus on this ongoing effort. Another initiative this year was developing a comprehensive K - 8 assessment system that would document the academic growth of each student. One result of this work was a change from a quarterly report card schedule to a trimester schedule. This new reporting system will better accommodate the current and varied assessment schedules being used to monitor student growth.

Last year I reported on the adoption of the Long Range Plan. During the 2004-2005 school year, we began implementing the plan and identifying strategies and an action plan to achieve our goals. The administration is maintaining a journal of our efforts and periodically reports to the school board. Of all the goals, the facility and grounds goal has received the most attention. At last year's (March 2005) annual meeting, the voters approved a warrant article to fund an independent facility and space needs study. The result of that study was officially presented at a public meeting in the school gym on January 10, 2006. Copies are available at the school for the community's review.

A special thanks goes to Charlie Darling, publisher of the Andover Beacon, and Tina Cotton from the Andover community television station for their continued support of the district. Mr. Darling has been extremely helpful by publishing stories, school news and relevant information in the Beacon. Mrs. Cotton has been volunteering her time for many years, video taping the monthly school board meetings and other meetings as well as preparing the tape for broadcast. Their efforts have helped the school to reach out to the community, supporting one of our five goals in the long-range plan. The administrative team greatly welcomes and appreciates their commitment to educating our children.

Finally, I wish to thank the community for electing five individuals to the school board who are extremely concerned with doing the right thing, who are committed to the education of the children in the community and who are strong advocates for your community. It has been my honor to have the opportunity to serve as your Superintendent of Schools. Thank you.

Submitted by,
Michael J. Martin
Superintendent of Schools

**ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT
2006 SCHOOL WARRANT
Annual School District Meeting
March 6, 2006**

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Andover qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Andover Elementary/Middle School Gymnasium in said district on Monday, the 6th day of March 2006, at 7:00 p.m. to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1: To see if the district will vote to accept the reports of officials, agents, auditors and/or committees as printed in the school district report.

ARTICLE 2: To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to make application for, to accept and expend on behalf of the district any and all advances, grants or other funds for educational purposes which may now or hereinafter be forthcoming from the United States of America and its agencies or from the State of New Hampshire and its agencies.

ARTICLE 3: To see if the district will authorize the school board to accept and expend on behalf of the district private gifts and contributions for educational purposes.

ARTICLE 4: To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Million, Five Hundred Five Thousand, One Hundred Twenty Nine Dollars (\$3,505,129.00) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries of school district officers and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of said district. The school board shall certify to the selectmen of Andover the amount to be raised by taxation of said town. (The school board and budget committee recommend passing this article.) [Majority vote required]

ARTICLE 5: To see if the school district will vote to approve to create an expendable trust fund under the provisions of RSA 192:20-c, to be known as the regular education high school tuition expendable trust fund, for the purpose of preparing for unanticipated increased tuition costs associated with current and future agreements. Furthermore, to name the Andover School Board as agents to expend from this trust fund. (The school board and budget committee recommend passing this article.) [Majority vote required]

ARTICLE 6: To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000) to fund the previously established Regular Education High School Tuition Expendable Trust Fund. (The school board and budget committee recommend passing this article.) [Majority vote required]

ARTICLE 7: To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate up to Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) for the payment of the cost of architect/engineering fees for renovations/additions to the Andover Elementary/ Middle School. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation as per RSA 32:7 and will not lapse until the Architect/Engineering Plans are completed or by June 30, 2007, whichever is first. (The school board and budget committee recommend passing this article.) [Majority vote required]

ARTICLE 8: To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate up to Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000) for the purpose of hiring a part-time teacher to teach Reading/Enrichment/ESL classes. (By petition.) [The school board and budget committee do not recommend passing this article.]

ARTICLE 9: To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Andover the 7th day of February 2006.

ANDOVER SCHOOL BOARD

Douglas Boisvert
David Hewitt
Victoria Mishcon
Robin Boynton
Renee Goodwin

**ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT
2006 ELECTION WARRANT
March 14, 2006
State of New Hampshire**

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Andover qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Andover Elementary/Middle School Gymnasium in said district on Tuesday, the 14th day of March 2006, at 11:30 a.m. to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1: To choose by nonpartisan ballot the following school district officers, with the polls open from 11:30 a.m. and remaining open continually until 7:30 p.m.

Moderator for the ensuing year
Clerk for the ensuing year
Treasurer for the ensuing year
Two (2) School Board Members for the ensuing three years (2009)

Given under our hands and seal, the 6th day of February 2006.

ANDOVER SCHOOL BOARD:

Douglas Boisvert
David Hewitt
Victoria Mishcon
Robin Boynton
Renee Goodwin



Bailey Powers, Grade 3

**ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT
2006-2007 PROPOSED BUDGET**

	Actual Expenditures 2004-05	Budget 2005-06	School Board Budget 2006-07	Budget Committee Recommended
1100 Regular Education Programs				
Salaries	\$763,903	\$779,293	\$780,114	\$780,114
Employee Benefits	276,832	296,119	296,324	296,324
Purch. Prof./Tech. Services	760	0	0	0
Purch. Property Services (R&M)	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Tuition (High School)	450,777	582,400	736,560	736,560
Supplies	26,216	27,782	27,782	27,782
Printed Materials	28,536	31,925	30,569	30,569
Electronic Information	1,513	3,190	1,890	1,890
Property (Furn. & Equip.)	6,801	5,697	3,922	3,922
Total	\$1,560,338	\$1,731,406	\$1,882,161	\$1,882,161
1200 Special Education				
Salaries	\$158,946	\$183,030	\$195,164	\$195,164
Employee Benefits	69,003	75,906	76,785	76,785
Other Purch. Services & Tuition	157,716	127,000	165,738	165,738
Travel	300	0	0	0
Supplies/Printed Materials, Etc.	3,177	4,991	5,076	5,076
Property (Furn. & Equip.)	87	195	195	195
Dues	290	425	425	425
Total	\$389,519	\$391,547	\$443,383	\$443,383
(includes summer programs)				
1290 Other Special Programs				
Salaries	\$16,845	\$17,832	\$17,832	\$17,832
Employee Benefits	2,391	2,746	2,631	2,631
Purch. Prof./Tech. Services	527	770	686	686
Total	\$19,763	\$21,348	\$21,149	\$21,149
1400 Co-Curricular Programs				
Salaries	\$10,350	\$9,450	\$10,200	\$10,200
Benefits	1,092	1,157	1,157	1,157
Purch. Prof./Tech. Services	1,800	1,740	2,520	2,520
Supplies	5,924	4,891	4,596	4,596
Dues	180	575	575	575
Total	\$19,346	\$17,813	\$19,048	\$19,048
2120 Guidance Services				
Salaries	\$28,647	\$29,534	\$29,534	\$29,534
Benefits	10,060	12,453	12,386	12,386
Supplies	0	512	350	350
Printed Media	0	362	362	362
Dues	0	125	125	125
Total	\$38,734	\$42,986	\$42,757	\$42,757
2130 Health Services				
Salaries	\$42,083	\$44,269	\$44,269	\$44,269
Benefits	7,603	8,713	8,520	8,520
Purch. Prof. Services (Physicals)	0	340	340	340
Supplies/Printed Media	2,607	3,000	3,000	3,000
Dues	0	125	125	125
Total	\$52,293	\$56,447	\$56,254	\$56,254
2140 Psychological Services	\$10,132	\$11,500	\$11,500	\$11,500
2150 Speech Services	\$35,530	\$38,000	\$38,000	\$38,000

2153 Vision Services	0	3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000
2162 Physical Therapy Services	0	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
2163 Occupational Therapy Serv.	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$17,000	\$17,000
2190 Other Support Serv - Student	\$626	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
2210 Staff Mentoring Services	\$2,511	\$3,368	\$3,368	\$3,368
2213 Instructional Staff Training				
Course Reimbursement	\$5,364	\$13,000	\$13,000	\$13,000
Workshops	4,398	7,980	7,980	7,980
Total	\$9,762	\$20,980	\$20,980	\$20,980
2220 Educational Media Services				
Salaries	\$13,359	\$14,060	\$14,411	\$14,411
Benefits	3,159	3,299	3,265	3,265
Repair and Maintenance	0	1,000	1,000	1,000
Supplies	563	550	650	650
Printed Materials	4,724	4,750	5,000	5,000
Electronic Information	342	350	650	650
New Equipment	170	400	400	400
Total	\$22,317	\$24,409	\$25,376	\$25,376
2310 School Board Services				
Salaries	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500
Benefits	7	11	11	11
Purch. Tech. Services (Liab. Ins.)	0	3,396	3,633	3,633
Supplies	426	1,600	1,600	1,600
NHSBA Dues	2,766	2,781	2,849	2,849
Total	\$3,699	\$8,288	\$8,593	\$8,593
2311 Supervision Services				
Annual Meeting Expenses	\$0	\$200	\$0	\$0
Fixed Asset Management	0	2,000	0	0
Total	\$0	\$2,200	\$0	\$0
2312 District Moderator/Clerk Serv.	\$0	\$60	\$150	\$150
2313 District Treasurer Services				
Salaries	\$840	\$840	\$1,000	\$1,000
Benefits	19	19	19	19
Supplies	317	400	400	400
Total	\$1,176	\$1,259	\$1,419	\$1,419
2317 Audit Services	\$5,445	\$5,300	\$5,500	\$5,500
2318 Legal Services	\$1,952	\$7,000	\$7,000	\$7,000
2319 Other School Board Services				
Fingerprinting/Census	\$670	\$500	\$700	\$700
Advertising	2,734	3,750	3,750	3,750
Total	\$3,404	\$4,250	\$4,450	\$4,450
2321 Superintendent's Office	\$75,513	\$79,096	\$77,996	\$77,996
2410 Office of the Principal Services				
Salaries	\$91,272	\$94,650	\$97,016	\$97,016
Benefits	15,096	21,863	21,803	21,803
Repairs and Maintenance	1,746	3,500	3,500	3,500

Purchased Technical Services	1,690	3,456	3,456	3,456
Conference/ Travel	969	700	700	700
Supplies	1,332	2,700	3,075	3,075
Property (Furn. & Equipment)	5,133	5,133	5,133	5,133
Dues	79	230	610	610
Total	\$117,317	\$132,232	\$135,293	\$135,293
2490 Graduation Expense	\$163	\$200	\$200	\$200
2620 Operating Buildings Services				
Salaries	\$53,576	\$53,504	\$54,842	\$54,842
Benefits	23,692	26,167	26,283	26,283
Repairs and Maintenance	8,572	21,071	15,000	15,000
Purch. Tech. (water, septic, etc.)	4,612	6,050	5,900	5,900
Insurance	1,561	9,490	9,490	9,490
Telephone	7,481	8,500	8,500	8,500
Supplies/Travel	11,519	14,089	14,089	14,089
Electricity	20,477	28,679	30,679	30,679
Propane/Fuel Oil	16,536	27,882	42,000	42,000
Total	\$148,026	\$195,432	\$206,783	\$260,783
2630 Care & Upkeep of Grounds				
Repairs and Maintenance	\$4,405	\$3,470	\$0	\$0
Supplies	3,136	3,080	3,105	3,105
Equipment	0	700	0	0
Total	\$7,541	\$7,250	\$3,105	\$3,150
2721 Student Trans. - Regular	\$185,885	\$191,000	\$195,000	\$195,000
2722 Student Trans. - Special	\$25,113	\$35,000	\$37,200	\$37,200
2724 Student Trans. - Athletic	\$3,093	\$2,720	\$3,000	\$3,000
2725 Student Trans. - Field Trips	\$4,099	\$3,500	\$3,600	\$3,600
2900 Support Services - Other				
Salary Pool - Teachers	\$0	\$0	\$60,864	\$60,864
4200 Site Improvement Services	\$8,299	\$5,500	\$0	\$0
5110 Debt Service	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
5221 Local Support - Food Serv.	\$14,000	\$20,000	\$15,000	\$15,000
Sub-Total General Fund	\$2,780,596	\$3,080,091	\$3,351,129	\$3,351,129
5221 Transfer to Food Service	\$77,427	\$72,000	\$72,000	\$72,000
5222 Transfer to Fed. Projects	\$141,565	\$82,000	\$82,000	\$82,000
5252 Transfer to Maint. Trust	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Tuition Trust Fund Warrant Article	\$0	\$0	\$25,000	\$25,000
Architect/Engineer Warrant Article	\$0	\$0	\$15,000	\$15,000
Total Expenditures	\$3,009,588	\$3,234,091	\$3,545,129	\$3,545,129

**ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT
2006-2007 ESTIMATED REVENUE**

	Actual 2004-05	Budgeted 2005-06	Estimated 2006-07	Budget Committee Recommended
General Fund:				
Catastrophic Aid	\$0	\$10,843	\$10,843	\$10,843
Tuition	6,720	0	0	0
Medicaid Distributions	8,148	3,000	3,000	3,000
Interest Revenue	3,748	0	0	0
Adequate Education Grant	694,301	681,397	681,397	681,397
State-wide Property Tax	517,582	617,423	617,423	617,423
Other Income	6,759	0	0	0
Sub-total General Fund	\$1,237,258	\$1,312,663	\$1,312,663	\$1,312,663
To Maintenance Trust	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Fund Balance	\$262,483	\$95,289	0	0
Total General Fund	\$1,509,741	\$1,407,952	\$1,312,663	\$1,312,663
Federal Funds:	\$141,565	\$82,000	\$82,000	\$82,000
Food Service Fund:				
Sale of Lunches	\$40,261	\$33,247	\$33,247	\$33,247
Federal Child Nutrition	17,587	22,000	22,000	22,000
State Child Nutrition	1,117	1,150	1,150	1,150
Total Food Service Fund	\$58,965	\$56,397	\$56,397	\$56,397
Rev. other than Assessments	\$1,710,271	\$1,546,349	\$1,451,060	\$1,451,060
Assessment	\$1,300,484	\$1,687,744	\$2,054,069	\$2,054,069
Tuition Trust Fund Warrant Article			\$25,000	\$25,000
Architect/Engineer Warrant Article			\$15,000	\$15,000
Total Budget	\$3,010,755	\$3,234,093	\$3,545,129	\$3,545,129

Per RSA 32:11-1, the following information is provided regarding Special Education Expenditures and Revenues for the past two fiscal years.

	2003-2004	2004-2005
Special Education Expenditures	\$308,379	\$476,937
Special Education Revenues	7,015	8,148
Net Special Education Costs	\$301,364	\$468,789

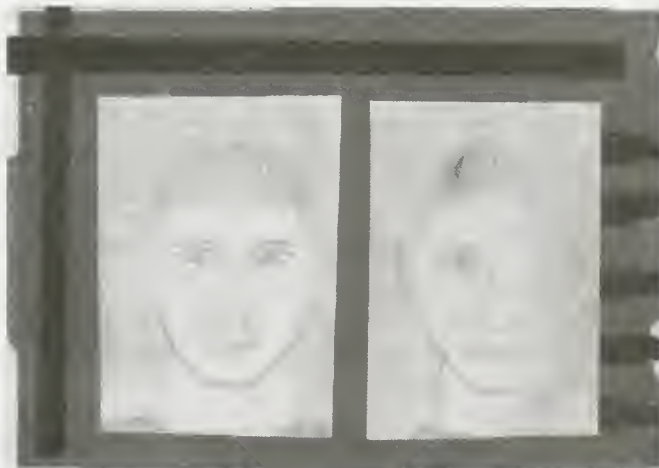
SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand July 1, 2004		\$345,239.66
Received from Selectmen	\$1,904,970.97	
Received from State Sources	808,344.06	
Received from All Other Sources	37,220.29	
Deposits in Transit	<u>43,981.16</u>	
Total Receipts	\$2,794,516.48	
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		3,139,756.14
Less School Board Orders Paid		<u>2,952,722.35</u>
Balance on Hand LSB & MBIA June 30, 2005		\$187,033.79

SUMMARY OF SALARIES OF SUPERINTENDENT AND ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

	Andover	Merrimack Valley	Total
Local Share Supt.	\$11,880.48	\$88,972.52	\$100,853.00
Local Share Asst. Supt.	<u>10,130.80</u>	<u>75,869.20</u>	<u>86,000.00</u>
Total	\$22,011.28	\$164,841.72	\$186,853.00

Andover's share is 11.78%, Merrimack Valley's share is 88.22%



Will Henriques, Grade 7

ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING
March 7, 2005

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm by substitute moderator Paul Fenton, Jr. Moderator William Bardsley was out of town. The AEMS Advance Band, led by music teacher Paul Hubert, played the Star Spangled Banner and America The Beautiful. The three eighth grade band members Megan Coll, Abigail Lance, and Kellie St. Jacques led the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance. Moderator Fenton introduced the school board members, those present from the superintendent's office and the AE/MS administration. He also reviewed the business rules for conducting the meeting. There were a total of 87 people present with 82 of those registered voters.

ARTICLE 1: To see if the district will vote to accept the reports of officials, agents, auditors and/or committees as printed in the school district report.

Arthur Urie moved to accept the reports as printed in the town report, Brenda Lance seconded. With no discussion, Article 1 was adopted.

ARTICLE 2: To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to make application for, to accept and expend on behalf of the district any and all advances, grants or other funds for educational purposes which may now or hereinafter be forthcoming from the United States of America and its agencies or from the State of New Hampshire and its agencies.

Vicki Mishcon moved to accept article 2; James Danforth seconded the motion. There was no discussion and Article 2 was adopted.

ARTICLE 3: To see if the district will authorize the school board to accept and expend on behalf of the District private gifts and contributions for educational purposes.

Howard Wilson moved to accept article 3; Vicki Mishcon seconded the motion. There was no discussion and Article 3 was adopted.

ARTICLE 4: To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Million, One Hundred Seventy Six Thousand, Seven Hundred Fourteen Dollars (\$3,176,714.00) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries of school district officers and agents, for the payment of statutory obligations of said district and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be raised from the state's equalization, together with other income; but that no such funds so raised and appropriated shall be used to fund any increase in salaries and cost items in district collective bargaining agreements for the year 2005-2006 over the salaries and cost items in the collective bargaining agreement for 2004-2005. The school board shall certify to the selectmen of Andover the amount to be raised by taxation of said town. (The school board and budget committee recommend passing this appropriation.) [Majority vote required]

Bill Keyser moved to accept the motion at the stated budget amount; Andy Guptil seconded the motion. Moderator Fenton stepped through the budget, category by category. David Hewitt explained that the rise in categories 1200 Special Education and 2722 Student Transportation - Special was due to an increase in special education needs. Article 4 was adopted.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the school district will vote to approve the cost items included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Andover

School Board and the Andover Education Association, which calls for the following estimated increases in salaries and benefits:

2005-2006	\$52,379
2006-2007	\$60,864
2007-2008	\$73,650

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$52,379 for the 2005-2006 fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those of the appropriation at current staff levels paid in the prior fiscal year. (The school board and budget committee recommend passing this appropriation.) [Majority vote required]

Paul Currier moved to accept the motion; Percy Hill seconded the motion. Moderator Fenton reminded the audience that a yes vote on this article only approved the 2005-2006 dollar amount. Both 2006-2007 and 2007-2008 dollar amounts would have to be approved in the following two years. There was no discussion and Article 5 was adopted.

ARTICLE 6: To see if the school district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) for the purpose of developing educational specifications, facility needs and space needs of the district. The study is being proposed in accordance with the district's long-range plan. (The school board and budget committee recommend passing this appropriation.) [Majority vote required]

Doug Boisvert moved to accept the motion; Brenda Lance seconded the motion. Board members Doug Boisvert, Vicki Mishcon, and Ed Dansereau explained in response to audience questions that the \$5,000.00 would be used to hire a consultant who, with community input and instructions, would conduct a study regarding what types of spaces the school needed to function efficiently, how to expand the current facility, and possible density issues affecting expansion. Article 6 was adopted.

ARTICLE 7: To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Andy Guptill moved to adopt the following motion: To request that the government of the United States to fully fund its share of federally mandated special education requirements. Howard Wilson seconded the motion. Dave Hewitt affirmed that all four of the congressional representatives would receive a letter requesting that special education be fully funded. The motion was adopted.

Howard Wilson moved to adopt the following motion: To require the Andover School Board to sue the NH Department of Education upon its adoption of extensive new education and staffing requirements while not funding these new mandates. James Delaney seconded the motion. David Hewitt stated that the school board and Mr. Martin, the district's superintendent, are aware of these proposed changes, have already expressed, and will continue to express opposition to these changes. However, if this article was to be adopted, legal costs would rise and urged the audience to not make legal action mandatory. The motion was denied.

There being no other business to come before the district, the meeting was adjourned at 7:39 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Carol Coll
School District Clerk

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the School Board
Andover School District
Andover, New Hampshire

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Andover School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2005, which collectively comprise the Andover School District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Andover School District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Andover School District as of June 30, 2005, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 3-16 and 40-43, respectively, are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Andover School District's basic financial statements. The combining nonmajor fund financial statements are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The combining nonmajor fund financial statements have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

GRZELAK AND COMPANY, P.C., CPA's
Laconia, New Hampshire
September 20, 2005

ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (MD&A) OF THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

The Superintendent of Schools and Business Administrator of New Hampshire School Administrative Unit (SAU) #46, as management of the Andover School District (the District), offer readers of the District's annual financial statements this narrative discussion and analysis of the financial activities of the District for the fiscal year which ended June 30, 2005. This discussion and analysis is prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement 34 (GASBS-34). We encourage readers to consider the information presented here in conjunction with additional information found within the body of the annual audit.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The District's total net assets for the year ending June 30, 2005, were \$1,651,445. Net assets decreased by \$222,776, or 12%, between July 1, 2004, and June 30, 2005. The District's total net assets consisted of \$1,498,947 in capital assets net of debt, \$71,829 in assets restricted for special purposes, and an unrestricted net asset balance of \$80,669.
- The District's only long-term obligation as of June 30, 2005, consists of \$24,433 in compensated absences. Under GASBS-34, these liabilities are reflected as a reduction in net assets.
- The District did not initiate any new construction projects nor issue any bonds in fiscal year 2005.
- During the year, the District's expenses of \$3,067,178 were \$222,776 more than the revenues of \$2,844,402. Revenues consist of: charges for services; operating grants and contributions; and general revenues (which consist of local and state property tax assessments, state and federal grants, and contributions not restricted to purpose).
- Transfers to the Special Revenue Funds were \$14,000 to the Food Service Fund which was used to correct a short-term operating deficit, and \$10,000 to the Trustee of Trust Funds.

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COMMENTS ON GENERAL FUND BUDGET COMPARISONS

- The beginning General Fund equity was \$261,305. General Fund revenues, consisting largely of local taxes and state aid, were \$2,882,459. General Fund expenditures, including fund transfers, were \$2,777,357. The ending unreserved fund equity for the General Fund was \$105,102.
- General Fund actual revenues were more than budgeted revenues by \$20,704, consisting of increased tuition and other local revenue, plus Medicaid reimbursements. These amounts can vary significantly from year-to-year and are traditionally not budgeted. General Fund expenditures were less than appropriations by \$69,398. These variances are absorbed in the general fund balance. It is important to remember that year-end fund balance is the net of many accounting transactions that cause year-to-year fluctuations depending on the timing of the various transactions. From a performance perspective, it is important that expenditures not exceed appropriations.
- Significant General Fund expenditures-to-net budget variances occurred in these functions:
 - Regular Programs were under-expended by \$70,896 due primarily to reduced high school tuition resulting from reduced student enrollment.
 - Special Programs were over-expended by \$55,458 due to unanticipated placements
 - Student Services were under-expended by \$5,469 due to reduced demand for services.
 - Staff Services were under-expended by \$10,399 due to reduction in course reimbursements.
 - Operation and Maintenance of Plant was under-expended by \$39,414 due to savings in heating oil and electricity and repairs & maintenance.
 - Transfers to the Special Revenue Funds were over budget by \$9,000 consisting largely from transfers to Fiduciary Funds per Warrant Article 5 of the March, 2004 Annual Meeting.

We are constantly making changes to our budget planning processes to improve the accuracy of our budget assessments and reduce the size and frequency of future budget variances. Since it is not possible to know in advance all of the circumstances that might create budget variances, we will continue to estimate future costs based on our experience, judgment, and actual expenditure data.

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Balance Sheet
Governmental Funds
June 30, 2005

Assets	General Fund	Grants Fund	Food Service Fund	Capital Reserves	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 175,679	\$ -	\$ 41,343	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 217,022
Investments	11,355	-	-	-	-	11,355
Receivables, net	14,669	-	-	-	-	14,669
Due from other governments	11,464	55,261	1,523	69,600	-	137,848
Due from other funds	92,897	-	-	-	259	93,156
Inventories	-	-	1,945	-	-	1,945
Other assets	1,266	-	-	-	-	1,266
Total assets	\$ 307,330	\$ 55,261	\$ 44,811	\$ 69,600	\$ 259	\$ 477,261
Liabilities and Fund Balances						
Liabilities:						
Accounts payable	\$ 44,707	\$ 2,430	\$ 1,668	\$ -	\$ 259	\$ 49,064
Accrued expenses	122,753	-	-	-	-	122,753
Due to other governments	34,768	589	-	-	-	35,357
Due to other funds	-	52,242	40,914	-	-	93,156
Total liabilities	202,228	55,261	42,582	-	259	300,330
Fund balances:						
Reserved for:						
Encumbrances	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inventories	-	-	1,945	-	-	1,945
Unreserved	105,102	-	284	69,600	-	174,986
Special revenue funds	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total fund balances	105,102	-	2,229	69,600	-	176,931
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$ 307,330	\$ 55,261	\$ 44,811	\$ 69,600	\$ 259	\$ 477,261

The accompanying notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT

**Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and
Changes in Fund Balances
Governmental Funds
Year Ended June 30, 2005**

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Grants Fund</u>	<u>Food Service Fund</u>	<u>Capital Reserves</u>	<u>Nonmajor Governmental Funds</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
Revenues						
School district assessment	\$ 1,387,686	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,387,686
Local sources	9,987	-	40,261	-	4,692	54,940
State of New Hampshire sources	1,225,443	-	4,160	-	-	1,229,603
Federal sources	8,148	141,565	17,587	-	-	167,300
Investment income	3,747	-	68	1,058	-	4,873
Total revenues	2,635,011	141,565	62,076	1,058	4,692	2,844,402
Expenditures						
Current:						
Instruction	1,981,034	141,565	-	-	2,494	2,125,093
Support services	186,239	-	-	-	-	186,239
General administration	24,920	-	-	-	-	24,920
Executive administration	566,722	-	-	-	-	566,722
Capital outlay	8,299	-	-	-	2,198	10,497
Food service program	-	-	80,281	-	-	80,281
Total expenditures	2,767,214	141,565	80,281	-	4,692	2,993,752
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	(132,203)	-	(18,205)	1,058	-	(149,350)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						
Transfers in	-	-	14,000	10,000	-	24,000
Transfers out	(24,000)	-	-	-	-	(24,000)
Net change in fund balances	(156,203)	-	(4,205)	11,058	-	(149,350)
Fund balances - beginning of year	261,305	-	6,434	58,542	-	326,281
Fund balances - end of year	\$ 105,102	\$ -	\$ 2,229	\$ 69,600	\$ -	\$ 176,931

The accompanying notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

ANDOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT**Budgetary Comparison Schedule - General Fund
Year Ended June 30, 2005**

	Original		Actual	Variance
	Budget	Final Budget		
Budgetary Fund Balance - Beginning	\$ 272,483	\$ 262,483	\$ 261,305	\$ (1,178)
Resources (inflows):				
School district assessment				
Local school tax	1,387,686	1,387,686	1,387,686	-
Local sources				
Tuition	-	-	6,720	6,720
Earnings on investments	-	-	3,747	3,747
Other	-	-	3,267	3,267
State of New Hampshire sources				
Adequacy grant	694,301	694,301	694,301	-
State education tax	517,285	517,285	517,285	-
Federal sources				
Medicaid distribution	-	-	8,148	8,148
Amounts available for appropriation	<u>2,871,755</u>	<u>2,861,755</u>	<u>2,882,459</u>	<u>20,704</u>
Charges to appropriations (outflows):				
Instruction				
Regular instruction	1,589,287	1,622,393	1,551,497	70,896
Special education instruction	343,193	340,940	396,398	(55,458)
Other instruction	20,182	20,182	19,282	900
Support services				
Student support services	143,280	157,243	151,774	5,469
Instructional staff services	45,282	44,864	34,465	10,399
General administration				
School board contingency	-	-	-	-
Other school board	25,925	30,925	24,920	6,005
Executive administration				
SAU management services	75,513	75,513	75,513	-
School administrative services	122,780	122,578	116,177	6,401
Operation and maintenance	202,664	196,255	156,841	39,414
Student transportation	212,250	212,250	218,191	(5,941)
Support services	50,899	112	-	112
Capital outlay				
Various	500	8,500	8,299	201
Operating transfers out				
Special revenue funds	30,000	30,000	14,000	16,000
Fiduciary funds	10,000	-	10,000	(10,000)
Total charges to appropriations	<u>2,871,755</u>	<u>2,861,755</u>	<u>2,777,357</u>	<u>84,398</u>
Budgetary Fund Balance - Ending	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 105,102	\$ 105,102

VITAL STATISTICS
Year Ended December 31, 2004
BIRTHS REGISTERED IN ANDOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Date	Name	Place of Birth	Father's Name	Mother's Name
01/02	Aiden Patrick Heller	Concord, NH	Mark Heller	Karri Heller
02/23	Brandon John Dukette	Concord, NH	Dale Dukette, Jr.	Bridgette Dukette
03/02	Kaylee Jean Keyser	Concord, NH	Charles Keyser	Katie Keyser
03/07	Lagan Gates Salathe	Lebanon, NH	David Salathe	Morgan Salathe
05/08	Morgaine Emma Harvey	Lebanon, NH	Elton Harvey	Suzanne Harvey
05/13	Elliott Powers Norris	Lebanon, NH	Joshua Norris	Susan Norris
05/25	Ethan Robert Fecteau	Concord, NH	Stephen Fecteau	Amy Fecteau
06/01	Liberty Morgan Spaulding	Concord, NH	Leonard Spaulding	Candice Spaulding
06/07	Clara Justice Swanson	Lebanon, NH	David Swanson	Caren Swanson
08/03	Camryn Roy Hoyt Perkins	Franklin, NH	Steven Perkins	Lynsey Hoyt
08/30	Tyler Aiden Lord	Franklin, NH	Brian Lord	Amy Loeser
09/15	Jane Katharine Anderson	Lebanon, NH	Erik Anderson	Sarah Anderson
09/28	Olivia May Glines	Concord, NH	Andrew Glines	Sarah Patuleia
10/01	Miles Frank Hurlbutt	Concord, NH	Robert Hurlbutt	Kimberly Hurlbutt
10/14	Cameron Richard Chevarie	Concord, NH	Joseph Chevarie	Melissa Chevarie
10/21	Nevaeh Kristen Stebbins	Concord, NH	Richard Stebbins	Meagan Haney
11/09	Kael Lawrence Forrestall	Concord, NH	John Forrestall	Naomi Forrestall
12/06	Ceianna Marie McDaniel	Franklin, NH		Maygan McDaniel
12/13	Christian Boisvert-Flanders	Franklin, NH	Kevin Flanders	Catherine Boisvert
12/25	Norah Rose Carlson	Concord, NH	Roy Carlson	Angela Carlson

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN ANDOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Date	Groom's Name	Residence	Bride's Name	Residence	Place of Marriage
02/21	Randy Sirard	Andover, NH	Dennie Goodwin	Andover, NH	Aruba
06/18	Donald S. Sweatt	Andover, NH	Tammy Wier	Andover, NH	Andover, NH
08/13	Derek Pelletier	Andover, NH	Johanna Woodworth	Andover, NH	Springfield, NH
08/19	Michael Rheau	Andover, NH	Amy Trefethen	Andover, NH	Andover, NH
08/20	James R. Graham	Andover, NH	Deborah D. Clement	Concord, NH	Concord, NH
09/24	Jeremy Menard	Andover, NH	Aimee Kelley	Andover, NH	Hampstead, NH
10/08	Jeffrey King	Andover, NH	Samantha Miller	Andover, NH	Salisbury, NH
10/08	Scott Desgroseilliers	Andover, NH	Laurie Caron	Andover, NH	Andover, NH
10/08	Mark Perry	Andover, NH	Elizabeth Boyd	Andover, NH	East Andover, NH
11/06	Ted W. Craigie	Andover, NH	Linda L. Daneault	Andover, NH	East Andover, NH

DEATHS REGISTERED IN ANDOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Date	Name	Place of Death	Father's Name	Mother's Name (Maiden)
01/21	Joseph M. Pumphret	New London, NH	John Pumphret	Margaret Sullivan
02/09	Douglas Gould	Andover, NH	Philander Gould	Doris Brown Nichols
03/13	Rodney A. Smith	Boscawen, NH	George R. Smith	Esther Hardy
04/08	Melvin S. Hollidge	Concord, NH	Edward M. Hollidge	Minnie Gudgin
04/09	Elizabeth F. Hamp	Cumberland Foreside, ME	Austin Ralls	Florence Moss
04/11	Marie Lavigne	Franklin, NH	John Silk	Irene Desilets
04/23	William J. Farrington, Sr.	Franklin, NH	Henry Farrington	Catherine Maloney
04/27	John Gregory	Concord, NH	Harold Gregory	Eleanor Myers
06/05	Robert N. Bennett, Sr.	East Andover, NH	Lewis H. Bennett	Geneva Pike
06/08	Louis J. Palatino	East Andover, NH	Louis Palatino	Adelia Palatino
07/07	Frederick H. Condon	Raleigh, NC	Frederick A. Condon	Mary H. Condon
07/13	Lovell E. Emery	East Andover, NH	Albert Emery	Lillian Craft
07/13	Christopher Breeding	Franklin, NH	Terry Breeding	Tamara Batchelder
07/27	C. Neil Parris	Franklin, NH	Clarence Parris	Dorothy Dodge
08/04	Wayne G. Harding	Andover, NH	George C. Harding	Kate W. Pepler
09/01	Edith R. Richards	Franklin, NH	G. Robert Robie	Blanche Hersey
10/27	Daniel D. Shedd	East Andover, NH	Deane Shedd	Karlene Skoldberg

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Calendar

ANDOVER School District

2006-2007 School Calendar

August/September

M	T	W	T	F
			(24)	(25)
(28)	29	30	31	(1)
X	5	6	7	8
22 Days	11	12	13	14
	18	19	20	21
	25	26	27	28
				29

February

M	T	W	T	F
			1	2
	5	6	7	8
17 Days	12	13	14	15
	19	20	21	22
	X	X	X	

October

M	T	W	T	F
	2	3	4	5
20 Days	X	10	11	12
	16	17	18	19
	23	24	25	26
	30	31		

March

M	T	W	T	F
			X	X
20 Days	5	6	7	8
	12	13	14	15
	19	20	21	22
	26	27	28	29
				30

November

M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
17 Days	6	7	8	(9)
	13	14	15	16
	20	21	X	X
	27	28	29	30

April

M	T	W	T	F
	2	3	4	5
16 Days	9	10	11	12
	16	17	18	19
	X	X	X	X
	30			

December

M	T	W	T	F
				1
16 Days	4	5	6	7
	11	12	13	14
	18	19	20	21
	X	X	X	X

May

M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
22 Days	7	8	9	10
	14	15	16	17
	21	22	23	24
	X	29	30	31

January

M	T	W	T	F
	X	2	3	4
21 Days	8	9	10	11
	X	16	17	18
	22	23	24	25
	29	30	31	

June

M	T	W	T	F
				1
9 Days	4	5	6	7
	11	12	13	(14)
	18	19	20	21
	25	26	27	28
				29

Aug 24, 25, 28.....Teacher Workshops
 Aug 29.....Students Start School
 Sept 1.....Teacher Workshop
 Sept 2-4.....Labor Day Weekend
 Oct 6.....NEA Conference Day
 Oct 9.....Columbus Day
 Nov 9.....Teacher's Workshop
 Nov 10.....Veteran's Day

Nov 22-24.....Thanksgiving Break
 Dec 25-Jan 2.....Holiday Vacation
 Jan 15.....Martin Luther King Day
 Feb 26-Mar 2.....Winter Vacation
 Apr 23-27.....Spring Vacation
 May 28.....Memorial Day
 June 13.....Last Day of School for All
 June 14.....Teacher Workshop

) = Teacher Workshops/No School for Students

X = Days Out for Students and Staff

Note: Additional school days needed due to inclement weather will be completed in June.

Approved January 3, 2006 by Andover School Board

Pictured on our front cover this year are five residents who have put the Andover Outing Club and the Town of Andover on the world map.

Justin and **Kris Freeman** are competing this year in the Winter Olympics in Torino, Italy. **Jed Hinkley** and **Kris Freeman** competed in the 2002 Winter Olympics in Salt Lake City. **Nicholas Fairall** competed this year in the Junior World Championship in Slovenia and is focusing on the World Cup and future Olympic games. **Tim Norris** started the Outing Club about 30 years ago and is still coaching dozens of future Olympic hopefuls today.

Top row, left to right:

Justin Freeman (photo: tokous.com), Kris Freeman (photo: fasterskier.com)

Center:

Tim Norris (photo: Marianne Fairall)

Bottom row, left to right:

Nicholas Fairall (photo: Tom Dodds), Jed Hinkley (photo: Bert Hinkley)



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