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Town of Bedford, N.H. ANNUAL REPORTS YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1980



**SCHOOL DISTRICT REPORTS
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1980**

1981

PULPIT ROCK PHOTOGRAPH

Pulpit Rock is a unique geological and historical feature located south of New Boston Rd. near the New Boston town line. Swirling rock action during the glacial runoff carved a gorge through solid bedrock. Although the bulk of Pulpit Brook presently flows around Pulpit Rock, there is a 75 foot waterfall, as well as smaller waterfalls, pools and caves in the vicinity. Along Pulpit Brook there are wetlands, ledges, wildlife dens and vegetation of special interest.

The *History of Bedford, N.H. 1737-1903* reports that Clinton French built a road from his farm on Pulpit Road eleven sixteenths of a mile to Pulpit Rock. Summer travelers (as many as 2000 per season) would pay a fee to visit the area. French built the boardwalks, stairways and signs that were photographed by E.E. Hubbard in 1892. A dance pavilion overlooking the gorge was constructed and signs labelled "Elephant Ear", "Boiling Pot", and "The Oven". The 1938 hurricane destroyed the stairs and walks.

Formed in 1965, the Bedford Conservation Commission outlined goals which included protection and utilization of the Pulpit Rock area. After the 1977 town assessment, the owners notified the Bedford Historical Society of their interest in selling. The Historical Society, beginning its Schoolhouse #7 restoration project felt it could not undertake this project and suggested that the Conservation Commission was interested. The subsequent years have been spent doing appraisals, holding public meetings and walds, and negotiations.

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ANNUAL REPORT

Of the

SELECTMEN and other TOWN OFFICERS

of the

Town of Bedford New Hampshire

of TOWN AFFAIRS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1980

and SCHOOL AFFAIRS

For the Year Ending June 30, 1980

Population, Official 1980 Census	9,355
Estimated 1980 Population	9,355
Valuation for Tax Rate	\$227,270,643

Town Tax Rate	\$ 3.70
County	1.60
School District	18.60

\$23.90 per thousand

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**TOWN OF BEDFORD
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

To the inhabitants of the Town of Bedford in the County of Hillsborough in said State of New Hampshire; qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Town on Tuesday the tenth of March, at 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles, numbers 1 to 3 which shall be by written ballot. Polls are to close no earlier than 6:00 p.m. Action on the remaining articles commencing with Article 4 will be at the Town Meeting on March 17, 1981, and will be at the McKelvie School at 7:30 p.m.

ARTICLE 1. To elect necessary Town Officers and School District officers for the ensuing year and ensuing three years.

**ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENTS
Tuesday, March 10, 1981**

VOTING ON PRECEDING ARTICLES SHALL BE BY WRITTEN BALLOT. POLLS ARE TO OPEN AT 7:00 A.M. AND ARE NOT TO CLOSE EARLIER THAN 6:00 P.M.

ARTICLE 2. Are you in favor of the Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Bedford Planning Board with the attached maps delineating the zoning districts as presented at the public hearings held on Jan. 8, and Feb. 5, 1981.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to change the zoning classification of the following tract of land from Residential - Agricultural to Limited Commercial (by petition).

A parcel of land approximately 13 acres designed as Tax Map No. 13, parcel 38, from Residential - Agricultural to Limited Commercial. The land known as the Fletcher property, is further described as bounded 1280' on the south by Rt. 101; 860' on the west by Old Bedford Road; 1162' on the north and 184' on the east by Riddle Spring Realty Co.

(The Planning Board is in favor of this petition)

ACTION ON THE REMAINING ARTICLES WILL BE AT THE MCKELVIE SCHOOL ON MARCH 17, 1981 at 7:30 p.m.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$1,229,000 for the local and state share of the cost of constructing municipal sewage treatment and disposal facilities, including sewers, sewage treatment facilities, interceptor sewers, pumping facilities, and for the acquisition of land, easements and rights of way and such other incidental expenses as may be required: to authorize the Town Treasurer and Selectmen to issue bonds or notes under and pursuant to the Municipal Finance Act, RSA 33, in order to raise this appropriation; to authorize the Selectmen to contract for, accept and expend any and all Federal or other aid that may be available for said project, the amount of which aid is \$2,550,000 and to appropriate such aid for Project costs; and to authorize the Selectmen or their designees to take any and all action necessary to carry out and finance the aforesaid Project.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town of Bedford will vote to accept voluntary contributions up to the amount of \$60,000 from non residential users of the proposed Phase I sewage and wastewater disposal system for the Town of Bedford and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$60,000, said sum to be paid to the City of Manchester for pre-financing costs (for Bond principal and interest payments for Bedford's share of the Manchester Wastewater Treatment Facility) as required by and pursuant to the "Intermunicipal Agreement Between the Town of Bedford and the City of Manchester for Wastewater Service" dated July 1, 1980.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of Sections 4 through 25 of the New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated Ch. 252, relating to, among other things, the construction, maintenance and operation of and establishment and collection of assessments for a Town sewer system and to ratify and confirm the previous action of the Town in establishing a Board of Sewer Commissioners, consisting of three members, which Board shall perform all the duties and possess all the powers of the Town otherwise conferred upon the Selectmen by Sections 4 through 25 of said Ch. 252.

ARTICLE 7. Petition to see if the people of the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire will vote to use all commercial dumping fees collected at the Bedford Landfill Area to be added to the Capital Reserve Fund at the end of each year December 31. The revenue collected should be used for trading or buying a new bulldozer or front end loader for the purpose of the landfill area starting with the year 1981. (By Petition).

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to delete the wording "while during the month of December only" in the paragraph IV of the Sunday ordinances. This deletion would lift the restriction of the sale of Christmas trees and wreaths in the month of December only.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to elect the seven members of the Planning Board, (as opposed to the present system of appointing them), pursuant to the provisions of RSA 36:4-II(b). (By Petition).

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to petition the Representatives and Senators who represent the Town in the General Court to support in the current session of the General Court, the concurrent resolution to amend the State Constitution to limit the annual increase in property taxes to five percent and to limit the annual increase in spending by the state or any city, town, or other governmental unit of the state to five percent. (By Petition).

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will move the gates and bars, which currently close Pulpit Road, approximately two hundred (200') feet in a northerly direction. So that Pulpit Road would be closed from the northerly boundry of the property of Lorraine Bishop being shown as lot 11 map 5, to the New Boston Line (By Petition).

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to levy a civil penalty of \$25.00 for each false alarm in excess of four in a calendar year originating from a property. The owner of said property shall be liable for the penalty.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town of Bedford will adopt the 101 Life Safety Code which has been adopted by the National Fire Protection Association and the State of New Hampshire. This Code is for safety to life from fire in buildings and structures.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to accept a parcel of land in the amount of 8.6 acres contiguous to the cemetery and now known as the Burleigh land. Tax Map 14-26.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.

Town Officers' Salaries	27,154.00
Town Officers' Expenses	59,327.00
Election and Registration	3,400.00

Expenses of Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	57,463.00
Assessing	16,200.00
Town Clock	100.00
Tax Map	1,200.00
Historic District Commission	50.00
Police Department	326,219.00
Fire Department	101,159.00
Planning and Zoning	12,550.00
Insurance	134,711.00
Civil Defense	100.00
Conservation Commission	300.00
Special Police	90,000.00
Dispatch	46,599.00
Board of Adjustment	870.00
Health Officer/Building Inspector	31,774.00
Vital Statistics	200.00
Landfill	49,136.00
Sewer Commission	64,000.00
Sewer Construction	3,779,000.00
Town Road Aid	2,781.15
Resurfacing and Rebuilding	110,000.00
Street Lighting	12,824.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	250,182.00
Highway Subsidy	43,266.16
Additional Highway Subsidy	33,250.83
Bridge Repairs and Engineering	15,500.00
Library	72,599.00
Town Poor	26,010.00
Old Age Assistance	15,010.00
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	2,010.00
Memorial Day	400.00
Parks and Recreation	44,687.00
Municipal Water	19,325.00
Cemeteries	18,305.00
Manchester Transit	24,700.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	30,800.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	5,375.92
Employees Retirement and Social Security	57,457.00
Principal-Long Term Notes and Bonds	18,600.00
Interest-Long Term Notes and Bonds	1,145.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	38,000.00
Mosquito Control program	5,149.85
Pulpit Rock	110,000.00

Barnard Land	60,000.00
Cemetery Additional Land	30,000.00
Office Equipment	6,556.00
Bulldozer	90,000.00
Ambulance Purchase	31,000.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	68,000.00
Grader - 15,000; Dozer - 20,000;	
Dump Truck - 8,000; Loader - 10,000;	
Fire Truck - 15,000.	
	\$ 6,044,445.91

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate the purchase of approximately 1.8 acres, Lot 15 of the Riddle Farms Estate Sub-division, for the sum of \$30,000, \$5,000 which is to be paid by donation, \$20,000 from Revenue Sharing funds, and the balance of \$5,000 to be raised by taxes. This parcel would be in addition to the 8.5 acres being donated by the Heirs of the Burleigh Estate, and is necessary to provide for a north access in the future.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase for the sum of \$60,000 the land on Bedford Center Road from Isabelle Barnard, said land being shown as Lots, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 on Plan of Frank Barnard, by Thomas Moran, Inc., Civil Engineers, dated June 1974, and revised Sept. 1974, containing a total of 8.3 acres, and said lots also being shown on the Tax Map of the Town of Bedford as lots 020-015-004, 020-015-005, 020-015-006, 020-015-007, and 020-015-008. Said sum of \$60,000 to be withdrawn from the Revenue Sharing Fund.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase 150 - 175 acres of the so called Pulpit Rock property on New Boston Road and to appropriate \$110,000 for this purpose. This said purchase contingent upon Planning Board approval of the subdivision and funding of 50% of the appraised value by the Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service. Total expenditure, including Federal funding shall not exceed \$110,000.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes if needed, and raise and appropriate a sum of Thirty eight Thousand Dollars (\$38,000) for the payment of interest on such borrowing.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to withdraw from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972, \$123,000 for use as setoffs against budgeted appropriations for the following priority purposes and in amounts indicated or take any other action herein:

Appropriation	Amount
Purchase of Bulldozer at Landfill	\$ 12,000
New Rescue Ambulance	31,000
Barnard Land, Bedford Ctr. Rd.	60,000
Cemetery Land, additional	20,000

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to withdraw from the Capital Reserve Fund \$78,000 to be applied to the purchase of the bulldozer at the Sanitary Landfill.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase a new ambulance not to exceed \$31,000 of which monies are to be withdrawn from the Revenue Sharing Fund.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to withdraw from the Federal Antirecession Fund established under the provisions of the Intergovernmental Antirecession Assistance Act of 1977, \$1031.00 to be used as offsets against Highway General expenses.

To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees and other Officers heretofore chosen, and to transact any other business that may legally come before said meetings.

Given under our hands and seal, this 9th day of February in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty One.

Aubrey G. Robinson, Jr.
Alfred J. Lambert
Clifford H. Clark
Selectmen of Bedford, N.H.

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

Aubrey G. Robinson, Jr.
Alfred J. Lambert
Clifford H. Clark
Selectmen of Bedford, N.H.

TOWN OFFICERS

Representatives to the General Court

MARJORIE PETERS
ANNA S. VAN LOAN
JEAN DUFFETT

Moderator

EUGENE VAN LOAN III

Selectmen

THOMAS R. LESLIE, Chairman (Resigned)	Term Expires 1981
CLIFFORD H. CLARK (Appointed)	Term Expires 1981
AUBREY G. ROBINSON, JR. (Appointed Chairman)	Term Expires 1982
ALFRED J. LAMBERT	Term Expires 1983

Secretary to Selectmen

BEVERLY J. BAHARA

Welfare Officer

THOMAS R. LESLIE (Resigned)
AUBREY G. ROBINSON, JR. (Appointed)

Treasurer

GEORGE T. WIGGIN, JR.
Term Expires 1981

Town Clerk and Tax Collector

EDITH P. SCHMIDTCHEN
Term Expires 1981

Director of Public Works

ARMAND A. DUGAS

Supervisors of Check List

BETTY FOLSOM	Term Expires 1982
ROBERT J. BULLOCK	Term Expires 1984
MARY FOSTER	Term Expires 1986

Trustee of Trust Funds

ROBERT J. BULLOCK	Term Expires 1981
BYRON D. PECK	Term Expires 1982
JOHN R. HILCHEY	Term Expires 1983

Librarian

FRANCES M. WIGGIN

Library Trustees

JAMES SCOTLAND	Term Expires 1981
PATRICIA HOLLAND (Appointed)	Term Expires 1981
HARRY SCOFIELD (Resigned)	Term Expires 1982
GEORGE J. FOURNIER	Term Expires 1983

Trustees of Cemeteries

ROBERT J. BULLOCK	Term Expires 1981
JOHN R. HILCHEY	Term Expires 1982
CHARLES HARDY	Term Expires 1983

Planning Board

ALFRED J. LAMBERT (Ex Officio Member)	Term Expires 1981
EUGENE VAN LOAN, JR., Chairman	Term Expires 1981
RAYMOND KIESTLINGER	Term Expires 1982
MICHAEL INGRAM	Term Expires 1983
PAUL GOLDBERG	Term Expires 1984
EUGENE MORGAN	Term Expires 1984
PAUL HARRINGTON	Term Expires 1985
MARTHA P. HARRIS, Clerk	

Board of Adjustment

ROBERT EATON	Term Expires 1981
BRUCE BISCORNET (Alternate)	Term Expires 1981
CHARLES L. ABBE	Term Expires 1982
RICHARD COMO (Alternate)	Term Expires 1982
H. RICHARD SPURWAY	Term Expires 1983
DONALD FOLSOM (Alternate)	Term Expires 1983
JOHN REILLY	Term Expires 1984
EARLE TRYDER	Term Expires 1985
MARTHA HARRIS, Clerk	

Parks & Recreation Commission

ED BARNUM	Term Expires 1981
CLIFFORD H. CLARK (Ex Officio Member)	Term Expires 1981
JAMES BOSELLI	Term Expires 1982
BURTON HYMAN	Term Expires 1982
DONALD G. MARCH	Term Expires 1983

Sewer Commission

ALEX PATRYN	Term Expires 1981
JOHN JACOBSON, JR.	Term Expires 1982
PAUL GOLDBERG	Term Expires 1983

Conservation Commission

CLIFFORD H. CLARK	Term Expires 1981
CLARK GOTT	Term Expires 1981
PETER FREEDMAN	Term Expires 1981
RAY LANDRY	Term Expires 1982
WILLIAM STAGMER (Resigned)	Term Expires 1982
HARRY N. TUFTS (Appointed)	Term Expires 1982
JOSEPH KOMISAREK	Term Expires 1983
JOHN KENNARD	Term Expires 1983

Mosquito Control Board

PAULA J. CREEKMORE	Term Expires 1981
JEAN MONESMITH	Term Expires 1982
ROBERT COLL	Term Expires 1983

Historic District Commission

AUBREY G. ROBINSON, JR. (Ex Officio Member)	Term Expires 1981
EUGENE VAN LOAN, JR. (Planning Board)	Term Expires 1981
NORMAN STAHL	Term Expires 1981
URBAN LANDINI	Term Expires 1981
ANN REMUS	Term Expires 1982
DAVID BAILEY	Term Expires 1983
ERNEST COUPE	Term Expires 1983

Police Department

RICHARD D. AUDETTE, Chief

Auditors

ROBERT WHEELER
H. RICHARD SPURWAY

Budget Committee

AUBREY G. ROBINSON, JR., Board of Selectmen
LYDIA McINTIRE, School Board

JOHN JACOBSON, JR.	Term Expires 1981
ROBERT ALLAN	Term Expires 1981
THOMAS RILEY	Term Expires 1982
LILLIAN CHANDLER	Term Expires 1982
EDWARD MORAN, JR.	Term Expires 1983
ROBERT WHEELER	Term Expires 1983

Building Inspector & Health Officer

ROBERT J. MARCEAU

Judges of District Court

CHARLES F. MORRILL, Justice
JACK B. MIDDLETON, Associate Justice

Town Constable

ALFRED J. LAMBERT

Forest Fire Warden and Fire Chief

RALPH M. WIGGIN, JR.

Civil Defense Director

ROBERT J. BULLOCK

School Board

KEN SHUTTS	Term Expires 1981
N. SUZANNE TYRIE	Term Expires 1981
MARC JOLICOEUR	Term Expires 1982
LYDIA McINTIRE	Term Expires 1982
MARGARET COMISKEY	Term Expires 1983

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BEDFORD, N.H.

	Appropriations	Selectmen's Budget	Budget Committee
	1980 (1980-81)	1981 (1981-82)	Recommended 1981 (1981-82)
			Not Recommended
PURPOSES OF APPROPRIATION (RSA 31:4)			
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:			
Town officers' salaries	\$ 24,987.00	\$ 26,976.00	\$ 27,154.00
Town officers' expenses	53,414.00	61,793.00	59,327.00
Election and Registration expenses	8,710.00	3,750.00	3,400.00
Expenses town hall and other buildings	33,703.00	63,508.00	57,463.00
Reappraisal of property	16,500.00	16,200.00	16,200.00
Town Clock	100.00	100.00	100.00
Tax Map	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Historic District Commission	50.00	100.00	50.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:			
Police Department	307,906.00	342,719.00	326,219.00
Fire Department, inc. forest fires	89,952.00	103,542.00	101,159.00
Planning and Zoning	6,150.00	12,750.00	12,550.00
Insurance	115,182.00	134,711.00	134,711.00
Civil Defense	500.00	500.00	100.00
Conservation Commission	282.00	414.00	300.00
Special Police	80,000.00	90,000.00	90,000.00
Dispatch	42,541.00	46,599.00	46,599.00
Board of Adjustment	1,100.00	870.00	870.00
HEALTH DEPARTMENT:			
Health Dept. - Bldg. Insp.	25,890.00	31,774.00	31,774.00
Vital Statistics	200.00	200.00	200.00

Town Dump and Garbage Removal	44,697.00	51,289.00	49,136.00
Sewer Commission	2,500.00	64,000.00	64,000.00
Sewer Construction - State & Local		1,229,000.00	1,229,000.00
Sewer Construction - Fed. share		2,550,000.00	2,550,000.00

HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES:

Town road aid	2,662.29	2,781.15	2,781.15
Town Maintenance Resurf. & Rebid.	100,000.00	110,000.00	110,000.00
Street Lighting	9,215.00	12,824.00	12,824.00
General expenses of highway department	227,654.00	270,662.00	250,182.00
Highway Subsidy	42,592.00	43,266.00	43,266.16
Additional Highway Subsidy	36,002.00	33,250.83	33,250.83
Bridge Repairs & Engineering		15,500.00	15,500.00
Boynton St. Drainage, Back River Rd.	88,100.00		

LIBRARIES:

Library	61,867.00	77,153.00	72,599.00
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PUBLIC WELFARE:

Town poor	10,000.00	36,010.00	26,010.00
Old age assistance	11,000.00	15,010.00	15,010.00
Aid to permanently and totally disabled	1,000.00	2,010.00	2,010.00

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:

Memorial Day - Old home day	400.00	400.00	400.00
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RECREATION:

Parks & Playground	30,086.00	54,587.14	44,687.00
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PUBLIC SERVICES ENTERPRISES:

Municipal Water	17,637.00	19,325.00	19,325.00
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Cemeteries	20,500.00	24,055.00	18,305.00
Manchester Transit	22,660.00	24,700.00	24,700.00
UNCLASSIFIED:			
Damages and Legal expenses	20,500.00	30,800.00	30,800.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	4,786.00	5,375.92	5,375.92
Employees' retirement and Social Security	37,790.00	57,457.00	57,457.00
Mosquito Control Program		5,149.85	5,149.85
DEBT SERVICE:			
Principal - long term notes & bonds	24,600.00	18,600.00	18,600.00
Interest - long term notes & bonds	2,310.00	1,145.00	1,145.00
Interest on temporary loans	38,000.00	38,000.00	38,000.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY:			
Office Equipment	6,153.00	6,556.00	6,556.00
Pulpit Rock purchase		110,000.00	110,000.00
Bulldozer		90,000.00	90,000.00
Barnard Land, Bedford Ctr. Rd.		60,000.00	60,000.00
Cemetery additional land		30,000.00	30,000.00
Ambulance		31,000.00	31,000.00
PAYMENT TO CAPITAL RESERVE FUND	68,000.00	68,000.00	68,000.00
Grader - 15,000; Dozer - 20,000			
Dump truck - 8,000; Loader - 10,000			
Fire Truck - 15,000			
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	<u>\$1,739,078.29</u>	<u>\$6,125,613.05</u>	<u>\$5,839,296.06</u>
Less: Amount of Estimated Revenues, Exclusive of Taxes (Line 137)			4,900,449.00
Amount of Taxes to be Raised (Exclusive of School and County Taxes)			938,847.06

	Estimated Revenues 1980 (1980-81)	Actual Revenues 1980 (1980-81)	Selectment's Budget 1981 (1981-82)	Estimated Revenues 1981 (1981-82)
SOURCES OF REVENUE				
FROM LOCAL TAXES:				
Resident Taxes	\$ 55,000.00	\$ 57,190.00	\$ 58,500.00	\$ 58,500.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	500.00	460.00	500.00	500.00
Yield Taxes		11,758.38	10,000.00	10,000.00
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	15,000.00	22,191.00	17,000.00	17,000.00
Resident Tax Penalties	500.00	594.00	500.00	500.00
FROM STATE:				
Meals and Rooms Tax	60,000.00	74,134.00	70,000.00	70,000.00
Interest and Dividends Tax	60,000.00	74,635.00	70,000.00	70,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	30,000.00	35,768.00	32,000.00	32,000.00
Highway Subsidy	78,594.55	74,994.00	76,576.00	76,576.00
Reimb. a/c Fighting Forest Fires	400.00	602.00	400.00	400.00
Reimb. a/c Business Profits tax	35,273.00	35,273.00	35,273.00	35,273.00
Gas Tax Refund	1,500.00	1,635.00		
Crime Prevention & Radar		11,475.40		
Federal Grant - Sewer			2,550,000.00	2,550,000.00
FROM LOCAL SOURCES, EXCEPT TAXES				
Motor Vehicle Permits Fees	300,000.00	302,245.00	305,000.00	305,000.00
Dog Licenses	6,500.00	6,774.00	6,800.00	6,800.00
Business Licensed, Permits & Filing Fees	20,000.00	30,895.00	31,000.00	31,000.00
Fines & Forfeits, Municipal & District Court	16,000.00	12,280.00	13,000.00	13,000.00
Rent of Town Property	3,500.00	3,445.00	500.00	500.00
Interest Received on Deposits	65,000.00	61,560.00	60,000.00	60,000.00
Income From Trust Funds	3,441.00	3,796.00	4,400.00	4,400.00
Income From Departments	43,000.00	26,145.00	25,000.00	25,000.00

Current Use	18,235.00			
Special Police Duty	85,430.00		90,000.00	90,000.00
Ambulance Fees		80,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00
Federal Grants Manchester Transit	7,616.09		11,000.00	11,000.00
Heritage Pulpit			55,000.00	
Donation for Cemetery			5,000.00	

RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE:

Proceeds of Bonds and Long Term Notes			1,229,000.00	1,229,000.00
Withdrawal From Capital Reserve			78,000.00	78,000.00
Revenue Sharing Fund			122,000.00	122,000.00
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	\$ 874,208.55	\$ 959,130.87	\$4,960,449.00	\$4,900,449.00

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Land Valuation	\$ 61,005,609
Buildings	155,089,825
Trailers (16)	125,810
Manchester Gas Co.	160,280
Public Service Co.	<u>3,896,160</u>
Total Valuation (Gross)	220,277,684
Less: Exemption, Elderly and Blind	<u>923,630</u>
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is computed	219,354,054
Resident Taxes:	57,190
Number of Inventories Distributed	5,000
Number of Inventories Returned	4,130

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 24,987.00
Town Officers' Expenses	53,414.00
Election and Registration	8,710.00
Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	33,703.00
Reappraisal of Property	16,500.00
Town Clock	100.00
Tax Map	1,200.00
Historic District Commission	50.00
Police Department	307,906.00
Dispatch	42,541.00
Fire Department	89,952.00
Special Police	80,000.00
Planning and Zoning	3,650.00
Insurance	115,182.00
Civil Defense	500.00
Conservation Commission	282.00
Planning Tech. Services	2,500.00
Board of Adjustment	1,000.00
Building and Health Department	25,890.00
Vital Statistics	200.00
Landfill	44,697.00
Sewer Commission	2,500.00
Town Road Aid	2,662.29
Resurfacing	100,000.00
Street Lighting	9,215.00
General Expenses of the Highway Dept.	227,654.45
Special Drainage Projects	14,100.00
Highway Subsidy	42,592.36
Highway Subsidy Add.	36,002.19
Back River Road Relocation	42,000.00
Library	61,867.38
Town Poor	10,000.00
Old Age Assistance	11,000.00
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	1,000.00
Patriotic Purposes (Memorial Day, etc.)	400.00
Recreation (Parks, Playground, etc.)	30,086.00
Municipal Water Dept.	17,637.86
Cemeteries	20,500.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	20,500.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	4,786.26

Employees Retirement and Social Security	37,790.00
Manchester Transit	22,660.00
Principal - Long Term notes and bonds	24,600.00
Interest - Long term notes and bonds	2,310.00
Interest on temporary loans	38,000.00
Capital Outlay	
Office Equipment	6,153.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	
Grader-15,000; Dozer-20,000; Dump Truck-8,000;	
Fire Truck-15,000; Loader-10,000	68,000.00
TOTAL	<u>\$1,707,080.79</u>
Special Town Meeting Boynton St. Drainage	<u>32,000.00</u>
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	<u>\$1,739,080.79</u>

Less Estimated Revenues and Credits	
Residents Taxes	\$ 57,190.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	500.00
Yield Taxes	12,462.00
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	26,111.60
Resident Tax Penalties	500.00
Inventory Penalties	1,500.00
Change of Use Tax	18,235.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	74,134.00
Interest and Dividends Tax	74,635.28
Savings Bank Tax	35,768.23
Highway Subsidy	74,994.00
Reimb. Fighting Forest Fires	500.00
Gas Tax	1,635.00
Crime Prevention	9,000.00
Parks and Recreation	1,654.19
Manchester Transit	7,616.09
Special Police	80,000.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	315,000.00
Dog Licenses	5,600.00
Business Licenses, Permits, Filing Fees and Building Permits	25,000.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal & District Court	15,000.00
Rent of Town Property and Sale	2,800.00
Interest Received on Deposits	40,000.00
Income from Trust Funds	3,796.94

Income from Departments	43,000.00
Surplus	90,000.00
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	\$1,016,632.33
Net Town Appropriations	\$ 722,449.00
Net School Appropriations	4,280,501.00
County Tax Assessment	370,744.00
Total of Town, School and County	5,373,694.00
Deduct Total Business Profits Tax Reimb.	270,702.00
Add War Service Tax Credits	51,800.00
Add Overlay	87,770.00
Property Taxes to be Raised	5,242,562.00
Taxes to be committed to Collector	5,242,562.00
Less: War Service Credits	51,800.00
TOTAL TAX COMMITMENT	\$5,190,762.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1980

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION	Appropriation	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Over-drafts
Town Officers' Salaries	24,987.00	650.00	25,637.00	25,713.49		76.49
Town Officers' Expenses	53,414.00	175.00	53,589.00	54,114.67		525.67
Election and Registration	8,710.00	1,821.00	10,531.00	12,165.96		1,634.96
Reappraisal of Property	16,500.00		16,500.00	16,576.21		76.21
Expenses Town Hall and Other Buildings	33,703.00	3,445.00	37,148.00	36,230.25	917.75	
Town Clock	100.00		100.00	100.00		
Tax Map	1,200.00	652.00	1,852.00	1,218.75	633.25	
Building Inspector-Health Dept.	25,890.00		25,890.00	26,386.66		496.66
Police Department	307,906.00	11,475.00	319,381.00	321,913.72		2,532.72
Dispatch	42,541.00		42,541.00	41,471.42	1,069.58	
Fire Department	89,952.00	1,096.60	91,048.60	92,864.14		1,815.54
Planning and Zoning	3,650.00	1,173.20	4,823.00	3,779.74	1,043.46	
Planning Tech. Services	2,500.00	5,389.75	7,889.75	4,953.18	2,936.57	
Special Police	80,000.00		80,000.00	85,430.05		5,430.05
Insurance	115,182.00		115,182.00	113,352.98	1,829.02	
Civil Defense	500.00		500.00	429.00	71.00	
Conservation Commission	282.00		282.00	228.59	53.41	
Board of Adjustment	1,000.00		1,100.00	660.65	439.35	
Vital Statistics	200.00		200.00	--	200.00	
Landfill	44,697.00		44,697.00	46,448.90		1,751.90
Sewer Commission	2,500.00		2,500.00	1,177.10	1,322.90	
Town Road Aid	2,662.29		2,662.29	2,662.29		
Rebuilding and Resurfacing	100,000.00		100,000.00	96,203.66	3,796.34	
Street Lighting	9,215.00		9,215.00	9,429.12		214.12

Highway Department	227,654.45	2,463.23	230,117.68	208,118.73	21,998.95
Special Drainage Projects	14,100.00		14,100.00	14,100.00	
Highway Subsidy	42,592.36		42,592.36	42,592.36	
Highway Subsidy Add.	36,002.19		36,002.19	32,401.64	3,600.55
Back River Road Relocation	42,000.00		42,000.00	40,002.72	1,997.28
Spec. Town Meeting - Boynton St. Drainage	32,400.00		32,400.00	32,400.00	
Library	61,867.38		61,867.38	61,971.23	103.85
Town Welfare	10,000.00		10,000.00	26,634.30	16,634.30
Old Age Assistance	11,000.00		11,000.00	12,566.53	1,566.53
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	1,000.00		1,000.00	100.00	900.00
Patriotic Purposes					
Memorial Day, etc.	400.00		400.00	400.00	
Recreation	30,086.00		30,086.00	28,717.88	1,368.12
Historic District	50.00		50.00	30.85	19.15
Municipal Water Dept.	17,637.86		17,637.86	17,637.86	
Cemeteries	20,500.00		20,500.00	19,748.10	751.90
Damages and Legal Expenses	20,500.00		20,500.00	28,878.48	8,378.48
Advertising and Regional Assoc.	4,786.26		4,786.26	4,786.26	
Employees Retirement and Social Security	37,790.00		37,790.00	51,376.05	13,586.05
Manchester Transit	22,660.00		22,660.00	21,857.38	802.62
Principal - Long Term Notes and Bonds	24,600.00		24,600.00	24,600.00	
Interest - Long Term Notes and Bonds	2,310.00		2,310.00	2,310.00	
Interest on Temporary Loans	38,000.00		38,000.00	34,422.92	3,577.08
Office Equipment	6,153.00		6,153.00	5,813.48	339.52
Capital Reserve	68,000.00		68,000.00	68,000.00	
TOTALS	\$1,739,480.79	28,340.78	1,767,821.57	1,772,977.30	49,667.80
					54,823.53

BALANCE SHEET

Cash		
In hand of Treasurer, Dec. 31, 1980		\$1,456,251.58
Bonds or Long Term Notes - Authorized Unissued		
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Conservation Commission		2,277.19
Loader		39,185.66
Grader		85,631.40
Fire Truck		44,908.20
Bulldozer		62,741.00
Dump Truck		10,945.05
School District		8,635.21
		\$ 254,323.71
Accounts due to the Town:		
Manchester Transit	\$	11,000.00
Septic Bills		5,120.82
		\$ 16,120.82
Unredeemed Taxes (from tax sale account)		
Levy of 1979	\$	39,049.19
Levy of 1978		11,451.37
		\$ 50,500.56
Uncollected Taxes		
Levy of 1980	\$	675,484.63
Levy of 1979		444.11
Levy of 1978		40.00
		\$ 675,968.74
TOTAL ASSETS		
Current Surplus, Dec. 31, 1979		102,548.44
Current Surplus, Dec. 31, 1980		907.16
Decrease of Surplus		101,578.62

LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the Town:	
Master Growth Plan	\$ 122.00
Sewer Fund	28,000.00
Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds	69,634.43
Escrow deposits	34,648.02
Due to State	
Yield Tax Deposits	8,921.09
School Districts	<u>2,056,609.00</u>
TOTAL Accounts owed by the Town	\$2,197,934.54
Capital Reserve Funds (offsets similar assets account)	<u>254,323.71</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$2,452,258.25
Current Surplus (Excess of assets over liabiltiies)	<u>907.16</u>
GRAND TOTAL	\$2,453,165.41

**TOWN OF BEDFORD
AMORTIZATION SCHEDULE FOR NOTE
DATED JUNE 15, 1976
HIGHWAY EQUIPMENT**

Principal Amount — \$30,000

Interest Rate — 5%

Due	Principal	Interest	Total
* December 15, 1976	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 750.00	\$ 6,750.00
* June 15, 1977		600.00	600.00
* December 15, 1977	6,000.00	600.00	6,600.00
* June 15, 1978		450.00	450.00
* December 15, 1978	6,000.00	450.00	6,450.00
* June 15, 1979		300.00	300.00
* December 15, 1979	6,000.00	300.00	6,300.00
* June 15, 1980		150.00	150.00
* December 15, 1980	<u>6,000.00</u>	<u>150.00</u>	<u>6,150.00</u>
Totals	\$30,000.00	\$ 3,750.00	\$33,750.00

* Notes have been retired

**TOWN OF BEDFORD
AMORTIZATION SCHEDULE FOR NOTE
DATED NOVEMBER 1, 1976
REVALUATION**

Principal Amount — \$65,000

Interest Rate — 4½ %

Due	Principal	Interest	Total
* June 15, 1977		\$ 1,820.00	\$ 1,820.00
* December 15, 1977	\$13,000.00	1,462.50	14,462.50
* June 15, 1978		1,170.00	1,170.00
* December 15, 1978	13,000.00	1,170.00	14,170.00
* June 15, 1979		877.50	877.50
* December 15, 1979	13,000.00	877.50	13,877.50
* June 15, 1980		585.00	585.00
* December 15, 1980	13,000.00	585.00	13,585.00
June 15, 1981		292.50	292.50
December 15, 1981	<u>13,000.00</u>	<u>292.50</u>	<u>13,292.50</u>
Totals	\$65,000.00	\$ 9,132.50	\$74,132.50

* Notes have been retired

**AMOSKEAG NATIONAL BANK & TRUST CO.
TOWN OF BEDFORD
AMORTIZATION SCHEDULE FOR NOTE
DATED JANUARY 30, 1978
FIRE TRUCK**

Principal Amount — \$28,000.00

Interest Rate — 5%

Due	Principal	Interest	Total
* June 15, 1978		\$ 525.00	\$ 525.00
* December 15, 1978	\$ 5,600.00	700.00	6,300.00
* June 15, 1979		560.00	560.00
* December 15, 1979	5,600.00	560.00	6,160.00
* June 15, 1980		420.00	420.00
* December 15, 1980	5,600.00	420.00	6,020.00
June 15, 1981		280.00	280.00
December 15, 1981	5,600.00	280.00	5,880.00
June 15, 1982		140.00	140.00
December 15, 1982	<u>5,600.00</u>	<u>140.00</u>	<u>5,740.00</u>
Totals	\$28,000.00	\$ 4,025.00	\$32,025.00

* Notes have been retired

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY
As of December 31, 1980; June 30, 1981

Description	Value
1. Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 447,700.00
Furniture and Equipment	19,965.00
2. Libraries, Lands and Buildings	199,650.00
Furniture and Equipment	133,100.00
3. Police Department, Lands and Buildings	
Equipment	44,770.00
Parking Meters	
4. Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	114,950.00
Equipment	205,700.00
5. Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	42,350.00
Equipment	193,600.00
Materials and Supplies	90,750.00
6. Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	266,200.00
7. Water Supply Facilities, if owned by Town	
8. Electric Light Plant, if owned by Town	
9. Sewer Plant & Facilities, if owned by Town	
10. Schools, Lands and Buildings, Equipment	3,769,936.00
11. Airports, if owned by Town	
12. All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds (Give assessed valuation of property so taken listing each piece separately)	
Richards Lots on Worthley Rd.	1,350.00
31 Acres Liberty Hill Rd.	15,500.00
Land on Nashua and Beals Road	6,750.00
2 Acres Fitts Land, Back River Road	750.00
1 Acre Hemlock Drive	2,400.00
13. All Other Property and Equipment: (Give description)	
Land Route 114	1,000.00
Land Tirrell Hill Rd.	2,400.00
TOTAL	\$5,558,821.00

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have examined the balance sheet of the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire as of December 31, 1980 and the related statements of revenues and fund equities for the year then ended. Our examination was conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and other auditing procedures as we considered necessary under the circumstances. Our audit included examination of the accounting records of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Treasurer of the Public Library, and Trustees of the Trust Funds.

The schedule of town property and the related schedule of note payments on notes payable are presented separately instead of as an integral part of the balance sheet.

In our opinion, except as noted in the preceeding paragraph, the balance sheet and related statements of revenues and expenses and fund equities fairly present the financial position of the various funds of the Town of Bedford, N.H. on December 31, 1980, and the results of operations for the year then ended in conformity with accounting practices used by municipalities on a basis consistent with that of preceeding years.

H. Richard Spurway
Town Auditor

Robert N. Wheeler
Town Auditor

REPORT OF TOWN AUDITORS
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1980 (June 30, 1981)

**STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND FUND BALANCES**

	Revenue Sharing Fund
Available Funds - January 1, 1980 (July 1, 1980)	\$19,185.12
Add Revenues:	
Entitlement Payments	47,782.00
Interest	<u>2,667.31</u>
	\$50,449.31
TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS	\$69,634.43
Less Expenditures:	- 0 -
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	- 0 -
Available Funds - December 31, 1980 (June 31, 1981)	<u><u>\$69,634.43</u></u>

H. Richard Spurway
Robert N. Wheeler
Town Auditors

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

Automobile Account

— DR. —

1980 Auto Permits Issued	<u>\$302,245.00</u>	
TOTAL DEBITS		\$302,245.00

— CR. —

Remitted to Treasurer		\$302,245.00
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Miscellaneous Account

— DR. —

Auto Titles	\$ 2,065.00	
UCC Filings	1,629.00	
Certified Copies	702.00	
Marriage Licenses	215.00	
Pole Licenses	31.00	
Dredge & Fill	24.00	
Liquor IDs	1.00	
Organizational Fees	4.00	
Miscellaneous	<u>78.75</u>	
TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 4,749.75

— CR. —

Remitted to Treasurer		\$ 4,749.75
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Dog License Account

— DR. —

1979 Dog Licenses Issued	\$ 32.25	
1980 Dog Licenses Issued	5,811.15	
1979 Penalties Collected	10.00	
1980 Penalties Collected	796.00	
Dog Violations	<u>125.00</u>	
TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 6,774.40

— CR. —

Remitted to Treasurer		\$ 6,774.40
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Building Permits

— DR. —

78	New dwellings	\$ 6,452.00	
102	Additions & Small Bldgs.	1,686.00	
5	Commercial Buildings	3,417.00	
23	Commercial Add. & Renovations	1,141.00	
29	Pools & Tennis Courts	605.00	
128	Miscellaneous	<u>1,603.50</u>	
	TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 14,904.50

— CR. —

Remitted to Treasurer \$ 14,904.50

Filing Fees

— DR. —

March Town Meeting	\$ 8.00	
September Primary	<u>14.00</u>	
TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 22.00

— CR. —

Remitted to Treasurer \$ 22.00

Respectfully submitted,
Edith P. Schmidtchen
Town Clerk-Tax Collector

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

Levy of 1980

— DR. —

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$5,195,586.85
Resident Taxes	57,190.00
National Bank Stock	460.00
Land Use Change Tax	18,235.00

TOTAL WARRANTS

\$5,271,471.85

Yield Taxes 29,582.04

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$ 1,637.39
Resident Taxes	3,200.00

4,837.39

Overpayments:

Property Taxes	1,160.95
Resident Taxes	30.00

1,190.95

Interest collected on Yield Taxes 14.79

Interest collected on Delinquent Property Taxes 761.47

Penalties collected on Resident Taxes 133.00

TOTAL DEBITS

\$5,307,991.49

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$4,442,348.55
Resident Taxes	54,870.00
National Bank Stock taxes	460.00
Yield Taxes	11,758.38
Land Use Change Taxes	17,124.00
Interest collected on Yield Taxes	14.79
Interest collected on Property Taxes	761.47
Penalties collected on Resident Taxes	133.00

\$4,527,470.19

Discounts Allowed \$ 72,120.83

Abatements made during year:

Property Taxes	\$ 12,521.18	
Resident Taxes	1,460.00	
Yield Taxes	<u>3,750.00</u>	
		17,731.18

Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1980
(As per Collector's List)

Property taxes	\$ 671,394.63	
Resident Taxes	4,090.00	
Land Use Change Taxes	1,111.00	
Yield Taxes	<u>14,073.66</u>	
		690,669.29
TOTAL CREDITS		<u>\$5,307,991.49</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Edith P. Schmidtchen
Town Clerk-Tax Collector

Levy of 1979

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1980:

Property Taxes	\$589,870.50	
Resident Taxes	<u>5,400.00</u>	\$595,270.50

Added Taxes:

Resident Taxes		810.00
Overpayment Resident Taxes		10.00
Interest collected on Delinquent Property Taxes		21,429.73
Penalties collected on Resident Taxes		<u>448.00</u>
TOTAL DEBITS		\$617,968.23

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$579,097.28	
Resident Taxes	4,510.00	
Interest collected on Prop. Tax	21,429.73	
Penalties collected on Res. Tax	<u>448.00</u>	605,485.01

Abatements made during year:

Property Taxes	\$ 10,619.11	
Resident Taxes	<u>1,420.00</u>	12,039.11

Uncollected Taxes—December 31, 1980
(As per Collector's List)

Property Taxes	\$ 154.11	
Resident Taxes	<u>290.00</u>	444.11
TOTAL CREDITS		<u>\$617,968.23</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Edith P. Schmidtchen
Town Clerk-Tax Collector

Levy of 1978

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1980:

Resident Taxes	<u>\$280.00</u>	\$280.00
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Added Taxes:

Resident Taxes	10.00	
Penalties collected on Res. Tax	<u>13.00</u>	
		<u>23.00</u>

TOTAL DEBITS		\$303.00
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— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer:

Resident Taxes	\$130.00	
Penalties collected on Res. Tax	<u>13.00</u>	
		\$143.00

Abatements made during year:

Resident Taxes:		120.00
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Uncollected Taxes—December 31, 1980

(As per Collector's List)

Resident taxes:		<u>40.00</u>
TOTAL CREDITS		\$303.00

Respectfully submitted,
Edith P. Schmidtchen
Town Clerk-Tax Collector

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
As of December 31, 1980

Tax Sales on Account of Levies of:

	1979	1978	1977	1976
— DR. —				
Taxes Sold to Town during year	\$ 123,911.20			
Balance Unredeemed Taxes on January 1, 1980		\$ 40,102.85	\$ 10,712.79	\$ 71.36
Interest collected during year	<u>2,445.21</u>	<u>3,102.53</u>	<u>2,349.56</u>	
TOTAL DEBITS	<u>\$ 126,356.41</u>	<u>\$ 43,205.38</u>	<u>\$ 13,062.35</u>	<u>\$ 71.36</u>

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer:

Taxes Redeemed during year	\$ 84,575.72	\$ 28,031.41	\$ 10,622.58	
Interest collected during year	2,445.21	3,102.53	2,349.56	
Abatements during year	220.07	559.55	34.02	71.36
Deeded to Town during year	66.22	60.52	56.19	
Unredeemed Taxes December 31, 1980	<u>39,049.19</u>	<u>11,451.37</u>		
TOTAL CREDITS	<u>\$ 126,356.41</u>	<u>\$ 43,205.38</u>	<u>\$ 13,062.35</u>	<u>\$ 71.36</u>

**UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES
ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:**

	1979	1978
AFG Enterprises	155.85	141.26
Animal Rescue League	3,872.80	
Bankert, Anthony & S.	1,135.93	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	195.39	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	676.89	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	152.79	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	145.11	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	135.05	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	136.48	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	136.48	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	133.84	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	150.86	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	157.58	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	133.84	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	132.65	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	131.45	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	130.01	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	112.05	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	133.84	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	182.98	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	186.81	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	137.68	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	139.60	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	143.20	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	152.30	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	171.96	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	164.77	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	155.41	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	249.12	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	150.39	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	164.77	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	145.36	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	146.79	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	263.49	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	129.53	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	132.41	
Dinsmore, Leonard F., Jr.	119.46	
Edelberg, Mark & M. (Partial)	496.99	
Enterprise Dev. Corp.	217.96	
Fournier, George & C.	1,497.35	1,284.76
Gaukstern, Juris & F.	1,749.51	1,577.03
Healy Tree Trimming		60.52

Healy Tree Trimming			75.55
Healy Tree Trimming			58.28
Healy Tree Trimming			54.82
A. P. Horne Corp.	(Partial)	914.56	
Jordan, Steven & K.		1,064.98	
Lawrence, Roger & T.		23.32	
Lawrence, Roger & T.		44.94	
Manning, Paul C.	(Partial)	1,499.43	
Marchut, John		428.08	
Martin Heirs		228.70	206.90
Martin, Raynald & R.	(Partial)	1,551.71	
McBrearty, Robert & G.		814.09	(Partial) 240.42
Michaels, Michael			458.00
Par Four Inc.		5,776.08	5,204.67
Piet, R.G. & E.A.		166.87	
Piet, R.G. & E.A.		178.42	
Piet, R.G. & E.A.		173.63	
Piet, R.G. & E.A.		245.04	
Piet, R.G. & E.A.		230.67	
Piet, R.G. & E.A.		245.04	
Raiche, Marilyn		77.65	
Rider, Walter & Cheryl	(Partial)	72.21	
Sidebotham, Irene		2,317.95	2,089.16
Srebnick, David M.		885.81	
Elliot, Barber F. &			
State St. Bank & Trust Co.		1,169.08	
Sullivan, John & M.		3,778.28	
Unknown Owner		445.58	
Williamson, Donald & J.	(Partial)	466.07	
Zerinsky, Jean		1,394.27	
		<u>\$39,049.19</u>	<u>\$11,451.37</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Edith P. Schmidtchen
Town Clerk-Tax Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

Received of:
EDITH P. SCHMIDTCHEN, Tax Collector

Current Year's Taxes:

Property	\$4,442,348.55	
Resident	54,870.00	
Interest	761.47	
Penalties	133.00	
National Bank Stock	460.00	
Yield Taxes and Interest	11,773.17	
Current Use	17,124.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,527,470.19

Previous Year's Taxes:

Property	\$ 579,097.28	
Resident	4,640.00	
Interest	21,429.73	
Penalties	461.00	
Taxes Redeemed Plus Interest	131,127.01	
	<hr/>	\$ 736,755.02

Edith P. Schmidtchen, Clerk:

Automobile Permits	\$ 302,245.00	
Dog Licenses and Penalties	6,774.40	
Building Permits	14,904.50	
Filing Fees	22.00	
Miscellaneous Fees	4,749.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 328,695.65

Nancy MacKenzie, Clerk of Court:

Court Fees	\$ 12,240.00
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State Treasurer:

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 74,635.28
Savings Bank Tax	35,768.23
Rooms and Meals Tax	74,133.83
Highway Subsidy	74,902.93
Business Profits Tax	270,702.39
Gasoline Tax Refunds	1,635.00
Police Department	9,752.90
Fire Department	602.00
Parks & Recreation	1,654.19

Highway Safety	1,722.50	
Aid to Disabled	<u>.63</u>	\$ 545,509.88
Selectmen:		
Rent of Hall	\$ 3,445.00	
Business Licenses and Permits	10,556.50	
Parking Fines	585.00	
Landfill and Dump Fees	8,256.25	
Sale of Tax Maps	547.00	
Sale of Check List	435.00	
Planning Board	7,059.00	
Board of Adjustment	655.00	
Police Department	2,741.25	
Fire Department	494.60	
Cemetery Trust Funds	3,796.94	
Highway Department	1,045.47	
Special Police Work	92,394.90	
Telephone Commission	7.92	
United Cable	2,003.01	
Parks and Recreation	13,031.39	
Sewer Payment	75.00	
Manchester Transit	7,616.09	
Office	1,292.61	
Town Histories	<u>256.00</u>	\$ 156,293.93
Refunds — Damages — Adjustments:		
Insurance Credit	\$ 5,435.63	
Payroll Adjustments	2,047.28	
Yield Tax Refund	189.87	
Habs	1,500.00	
Berg	1,000.00	
Leslie	825.00	
Lost Checks	<u>4,185.40</u>	\$ 15,183.18
Other Sources:		
Tax Anticipation Notes	\$1,150,000.00	
Interest Income	<u>61,560.88</u>	\$1,211,560.88
Total Receipts		\$7,533,708.73
Balance January 1, 1980		<u>1,348,062.67</u>
Total		\$8,881,771.40
Total Checks Issued		7,538,723.36

Cash on Hand December 31, 1980 \$1,343,048.04
(Includes General Checking Account Balance of
\$443,048.04 and a Certificate of Deposit of
\$900,000.00.)

Revenue Sharing:

Account ASB #502539

Balance January 1, 1980	\$ 19,185.12
Received from US Treasury	47,782.00
Interest on Account	<u>2,667.31</u>

\$ 69,634.43

Parks and Recreation Escrow:

Account BB #0024503

Balance January 1, 1980	\$ 12,201.84
Interest on Account	<u>659.50</u>

\$ 12,861.34

Yield Tax:

Account BB #0025429

Balance January 1, 1980	\$ 7,569.24
Received 1980	10,973.50
Interest on Account	303.35
To tax Collector	<u>-9,925.00</u>

\$ 8,921.09

Funds Held in Escrow:

Account BB #0024538

101 Realty

Balance January 1, 1980	\$ 10,206.04
Interest on Account	<u>551.64</u>

\$ 10,757.68

Account BB #0024511

Bruce Biscornett

Balance January 1, 1980	\$ 10,463.45
Interest on Account	<u>565.55</u>

\$ 11,029.00

Balance on Hand December 31, 1980 \$1,456,251.58

Respectfully Submitted,
George T. Wiggin, Jr.
Treasurer

TREASURER'S REPORT

PERMANENT POLICEMEN RETIREMENT

	Wages	Withheld
January	\$24,134.27	\$ 2,244.36
February	19,190.36	1,781.00
March	19,946.28	1,854.81
April	26,744.32	2,486.77
May	15,920.76	1,480.69
June	21,084.44	1,977.59
July	33,029.33	3,071.87
August	15,459.09	1,433.33
September	20,444.13	1,897.70
October	26,392.54	2,454.59
November	20,608.98	1,916.68
December	26,205.72	2,437.23
	<u>\$269,160.22</u>	<u>\$25,036.62</u>
Town's Share 7.61% plus .25% administrative cost		<u>21,206.74</u>
Paid to New Hampshire Retirement System		<u>\$46,243.36</u>

Respectfully Submitted,
George T. Wiggin, Jr.
Treasurer

TREASURER'S REPORT

PERMANENT FIREMEN RETIREMENT

	Wages	Withheld
January	\$ 5,064.38	\$ 470.93
February	4,249.31	395.13
March	4,048.47	376.44
April	5,511.97	512.55
May	3,561.96	331.28
June	4,696.72	436.82
July	7,580.74	719.19
August	2,908.28	270.49
September	4,696.72	447.41
October	5,719.96	531.99
November	4,947.72	460.16
December	<u>8,662.99</u>	<u>806.58</u>
	\$61,649.22	\$ 5,758.97
Town's Share 8.54% plus .25% administrative cost		<u>5,356.83</u>
Paid to New Hampshire Retirement System		\$11,115.80

Respectfully Submitted,
George T. Wiggin, Jr.
Treasurer

TREASURER'S REPORT

SOCIAL SECURITY

Withheld

January - February - March First Quarter Report	\$ 5,391.06	
April - May - June Second Quarter Report	4,465.97	
July - August - September Third Quarter Report	5,474.31	
October - November - December Fourth Quarter Report	6,445.45	
Town's Share 6.13%	<u>20,849.64</u>	
Paid to:		
Treasurer, State of NH		\$42,626.43

Respectfully Submitted,
George T. Wiggin, Jr.
Treasurer

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS
For Year Ending December 1980

CURRENT REVENUE:

From Local Taxes:

Property Taxes - 1980	\$4,442,348.55	
Resident Taxes - 1980	54,870.00	
National Bank Stock Tax	460.00	
Yield Taxes and Interest	11,773.17	
Penalties	133.00	
Interest	761.47	
Current Use Tax	17,124.00	
Total Current Year's Taxes Collected and Remitted		\$4,527,470.19

Property Taxes - Previous Years	\$ 579,097.28	
Resident	4,640.00	
Interest	21,429.73	
Penalties	461.00	
Taxes Redeemed Plus Interest	131,127.01	
		\$ 736,755.02

From State Treasurer:

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 74,635.28	
Savings Bank Tax	35,768.23	
Rooms and Meals Tax	74,133.83	
Highway Subsidy	74,902.93	
Business Profits Tax	270,702.39	
Gasoline Tax Refund	1,635.00	
Police Grant	9,752.90	
State Forestry	602.00	
Parks and Recreation	1,654.19	
Aid to Disabled	.63	
		\$ 543,787.38

Edith P. Schmidtchen - Clerk

Automobile Permits	\$ 302,245.00	
Dog Licenses and Penalties	4,640.00	
Building Permits	14,904.50	
Filing Fees	22.00	
Miscellaneous Fees	4,749.75	
		\$ 328,695.65

From Local Sources:

Rent of Hall	\$ 3,445.00	
Business Licenses and Permits	10,556.50	
Landfill Use Fees	8,256.25	
Sale of Tax Maps	547.00	
Sale of Check Lists	435.00	
Planning Board Fees and Maps	7,059.00	

Income from Board of Adjustment	655.00	
Police Data and Parking Fines	3,326.25	
Fire Department	494.60	
Cemetery Trust Funds	3,796.94	
Highway Department	1,045.47	
Special Police Work	92,394.90	
Telephone Commission	7.92	
United Cable	2,003.01	
Parks and Recreation Pool Fees	13,031.39	
Sewer Payment	75.00	
Manchester Transit	7,616.09	
Office	1,292.61	
Town Histories	256.00	
		\$ 156,293.93
Refunds - Damages - Adjustments		
Insurance Credit	5,435.63	
Payroll Adjustments	2,047.28	
Yield Tax Refund	189.87	
Court Hearing Refund	1,500.00	
Dept. Services Rendered	1,000.00	
Refund (Thomas R. Leslie)	825.00	
Lost Checks	4,185.40	
		\$ 15,183.18
Other Sources:		
Tax Anticipation Notes	1,150,000.00	
Interest Income	61,560.88	
		\$1,211,560.88
Nancy McKenzie - Clerk of Courts:		
Merrimack District Court		\$ 12,240.00
Total Receipts from all sources		\$7,531,986.23
Cash on hand, January 1, 1980		1,348,062.67
Total		<u>\$8,880,048.90</u>

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS
For Year Ending December 1980

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 25,713.49
Town Officers' Expenses	54,114.67
Election and Registration	12,165.96
Town Clock	100.00
Expenses to Town Hall and Buildings	36,230.25
Reappraisal of Property	<u>16,576.21</u>

\$ 144,900.58

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department	321,913.72
Special Police	85,430.05
Fire Department	92,864.14
Board of Adjustment	660.65
Planning and Zoning	3,779.74
Historic District Commission	30.85
Insurance	113,352.98
Conservation Commission	228.59
Dispatch	41,471.42
Civil Defense	<u>429.00</u>

\$ 660,161.14

Health and Building Inspector:

Health and Building Inspector	26,386.66
Landfill	46,448.90
Sewer Commission	1,177.10
Technical Services (Planning)	<u>4,953.18</u>

\$ 78,965.84

Highway and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	2,662.29
Resurfacing	96,203.66
Street Lighting	9,429.12
General Expense of Highway Dept.	208,128.72
Boynton St. Drainage	<u>14,100.00</u>

\$ 330,523.79

Library:

Library Expenses	<u>61,971.23</u>
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\$ 61,971.23

Public Welfare:

Old Age Assistance	12,566.53
Town Poor	26,592.65
Aid to Disabled	100.00
County	<u>41.65</u>

\$ 39,300.83

Memorial Day:	400.00		
		\$	400.00
Parks and Recreation:	28,717.88	\$	28,717.88
Public Service Enterprises:			
Hydrant Rental	17,637.86		
Cemeteries	19,748.10		
		\$	37,385.96
Unclassified:			
Damages and Legal Expenses	28,343.48		
Dog Damages	535.00		
Advertising Regional and N.H.M.A.	4,786.26		
Taxes Bought by the Town	125,745.51		
Master Growth Plan	7,803.03		
Discounts and Abatements	28,017.26		
Employees Retirement and Social Security	51,376.05		
N.H. Unemployment Compensation	2,452.44		
Manchester Transit	21,857.38		
Sewer - Engineering	12,000.00		
		\$	282,916.41
Debt Service:			
Interest of Debt Tax Anticipation			
Short Term	34,422.92	\$	34,422.92
Long Term Interest	2,310.00	\$	2,310.00
Principal of Debt Payment on Tax			
Long Term	1,150,000.00		
Principal on Long Term Notes	24,600.00		
		\$1,174,600.00	
Capital Outlay:			
Highway Subsidy	42,592.36		
Additional Highway Subsidy	32,401.64		
Back River Road Relocation	40,002.72		
Boynton Street Drainage	32,400.00		
Office Equipment	5,813.48		
Tax Maps	1,218.75		
Capital Reserve	68,000.00		
		\$	222,428.95
Taxes Paid to County:	370,744.00		
Payment to State Bond & Debt	1,283.13		
Payment to Schools 1979	1,839,640.00		
1980	2,223,892.00		
		\$4,435,559.13	
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES		\$7,534,564.36	
Lost checks		4,159.00	
		\$7,538,723.36	

**BEDFORD TRUST FUNDS
ANNUAL REPORT OF REVENUES COLLECTED AND
EXPENSES PAID AND UNEXPENDED REVENUES**

For the Year Ended December 31, 1980

BALANCE OF UNEXPENDED TRUST FUND
REVENUES AT JAN. 1, 1980

Checking Account

School Prize Speaking Fund Revenue	\$ 54.39
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Savings Account

Prize Speaking fund Revenue	1,451.10
Library Funds Revenue	203.42
Church Funds Revenue	333.67
Cemetery Funds Revenue	<u>1,602.90</u>

\$3,645.38

Revenues Collected

Interest - Prize Speaking Fund	247.60
Interest - Church Fund	820.80
Interest - Library Fund	497.67
Interest - Cemetery Fund	<u>4,136.11</u>

5,702.18

\$9,347.56

Expenses Paid

Bedford Presbyterian Church	
Church Fund to Carol A. Smith, Treas.	\$ 819.52
Bedford Public Library to H. Scofield, Treas.	497.88
Bedford Center Old Cemetery Funds to	
Ralph Wiggin, Jr., Treas.	198.94
Town of Bedford for cemetery care to	
G.T. Wiggin, Jr., Treas.	3,796.94
Plants for 4 cemetery lots	27.00
Prize Speaking Contest-McKelvie School	<u>200.00</u>

\$5,540.28

BALANCE OF UNEXPENDED TRUST FUNDS
AVAILABLE DEC. 31, 1980

\$3,807.28

Checking Account

School Prize Speaking Fund Revenue	\$ 54.39
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Savings Account

Prize Speaking Fund Revenue	1,498.70	
Library Funds Revenue	203.21	
Church Funds Revenue	334.95	
Cemetery Funds Revenue	<u>1,716.03</u>	
		\$3,807.28

Respectfully submitted
Byron Peck, Treas.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BEDFORD ON DECEMBER 31, 1980

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	%	PRINCIPAL			INCOME		
					Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	INCOME DURING YEAR	Balance End Year
							Percent	Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
Je. 5 1908	1. Annie Townsend	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	6 1/2	\$ 50.00		6 1/2	\$ 3.35	\$ 3.36	\$ 1.37
Mr. 16 1912	2. Rufus Parkhurst	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	6 1/2	50.00		6 1/2	3.35	3.36	1.37
My. 23 1921	3. Henry L. Peaslee	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	6 1/2	50.00		6 1/2	3.35	3.36	1.37
My. 5 1925	4. Charles Gage	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	6 1/2	50.00		6 1/2	3.36	3.36	1.38
Fe. 23 1927	5. James N. Mitchell	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	6 1/2	50.00		6 1/2	3.36	3.36	1.38
Je. 21 1931	6. Nelson Fosher	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	6 1/2	50.00		6 1/2	3.37	3.37	1.38
Je. 16 1936	7. Sarah L. Witherspoon	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	6 1/2	50.00		6 1/2	3.37	3.37	1.38
Je. 18 1937	8. Ernestine Wolf	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	6 1/2	50.00		6 1/2	3.37	3.37	1.38
Je. 18 1937	9. Sabra Dearborn	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	6 1/2	50.00		6 1/2	3.37	3.37	1.38
	TOTALS				\$450.00			\$ 30.25	\$ 30.28	\$ 12.39
Mr. 18 1901	1. Bursli Fund	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	\$100.00		7 1/2	\$ 7.80	\$ 7.79	\$ 3.19
Mr. 23 1904	2. Walker Fund	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Mr. 21 1907	3. Caroline A. Moore	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Mr. 10 1909	4. Sarah R. Osgood	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Mr. 9 1909	5. Sarah H. Clark	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Je. 27 1914	6. Mary E. Parker	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Nv. 5 1914	7. Gilman H. Moore	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Ap. 10 1917	8. Clement Fund	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
De. 5 1917	9. Sturtevant & Moore	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Je. 26 1919	10. Moore & Kittredge	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Fe. 19 1919	11. Harry A. Shepard	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Fe. 13 1920	12. Thomas W. Moore	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BEDFORD ON DECEMBER 31, 1980

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	%	PRINCIPAL				INCOME				
					Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	Expended During Year	Balance Beginning Year	Percent	Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
Nv. 17 1920	13. George F. Barnard	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
May 15 1922	14. Susan S. Foshier	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Apr. 13 1922	15. Mary A. Clapp	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Fe. 1 1924	16. Lavina Seabey	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Jy. 24 1924	17. Frank F. Flint	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
De. 1 1924	18. Julia A. Stevens	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Ap. 3 1924	19. Mandana Roby	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
My. 26 1926	20. Laura E. Cutler	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Mr. 21 1928	21. Charles A. Grant	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Oct. 3 1929	22. George A. Gookin	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.79	3.19
Fe. 19 1930	23. Cora H. Beals	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
Je. 2 1930	24. Edw. E. Schneider	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
Nov. 6 1930	25. Charles E. Bursiel	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Apr. 2 1931	26. Dennis R. Chase	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Ja. 27 1932	27. Harriet J. Parkhurst	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Mr. 3 1932	28. Mary L. Osgood	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Je. 23 1932	29. Quincy L. Barnard	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Je. 29 1935	30. Peter Parker	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Ja. 24 1936	31. Albert P. Watson	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Fe. 13 1936	32. Charles P. Woodbury	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Ap. 2 1936	33. John O. Parker	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
De. 5 1938	34. Frank H. Waters	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	100.00		100.00		3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
35-58-59-60 Apr. 3 1940	Jennie R. Clapp	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	400.00		400.00		12.72	7 1/2	31.20	31.20	12.72

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BEDFORD ON DECEMBER 31, 1980

PRINCIPAL

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	How Invested	%	Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	INCOME DURING YEAR			Expended During Year	Balance End Year
							Amount	Percent	Amount		
My. 31 1941	Mrs. Wm. E. Felch	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Ja. 19 1942	Mrs. J. G. Dunnington	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Fe. 3 1942	Gillis & Helen Franch	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Se. 15 1942	Fred H. Merrill	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Ap. 1 1943	Adeline Huntton	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Ag. 10 1943	Albert B. McLain	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Oct. 25 1943	Hicks & McFadden	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
My. 24 1944	A. J. McKelvie	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Nov. 29 1944	John Leslie	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.18	7 1/2	7.80	7.80	3.18
Mar. 18 1945	Hattie Beane	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
Ja. 29 1947	Anna G. Holbrook	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
Mr. 16 1950	Grace B. Hodgman	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
De. 18 1950	John C. Schaller	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
Se. 5 1956	Forrest C. Blood	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
Ap. 24 1957	Arthur N. Hodgman	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
My. 27 1960	Robert A. Hanham	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	6.38	7 1/2	15.58	15.58	6.36
Nv. 24 1961	Arthur J. Bennett	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
Fe. 5 1963	Stanley H. Jamroz	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
Se. 15 1966	Clinton P. Hodgman	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
Ag. 21 1968	Bessie M. Hood	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.79	3.18
Fe. 19 1969	Dorothy Koch	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	100.00		100.00	3.19	7 1/2	7.79	7.80	3.18
TOTALS							\$6,000.00	\$190.93	\$467.85	\$467.76	\$191.02

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BEDFORD ON DECEMBER 31, 1980

PRINCIPAL

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	%	Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	INCOME			Balance End Year	
								Balance Beginning Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year		
Oct. 31, 1902	David Swett	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	\$150.00		\$150.00	\$ 4.77	7 1/2	\$ 11.69	\$ 11.69	\$ 4.77
Nv. 2, 1923	Addie L. Gage	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	150.00		150.00	4.77	7 1/2	11.69	11.69	4.77
Ja. 7, 1932	Parkhurst & Atwood	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	150.00		150.00	4.77	7 1/2	11.69	11.69	4.77
Ap. 4, 1932	Thomas E. Barr	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	150.00		150.00	4.77	7 1/2	11.70	11.70	4.78
Ag. 7, 1933	Katherine E. Moore	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	150.00		150.00	4.77	7 1/2	11.71	11.71	4.78
Mv. 4, 1936	George H. Wigglin	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	150.00		150.00	4.78	7 1/2	11.70	11.70	4.78
Je. 18, 1946	Achsah A. Snell	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	150.00		150.00	4.78	7 1/2	11.70	11.70	4.78
Ju. 3, 1967	Harold G. Tillson	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	150.00		150.00	4.78	7 1/2	11.70	11.70	4.78
	TOTALS						\$1,200.00	\$ 38.19		\$ 93.58		\$ 38.21

De. 11, 1903	Shepard Fund	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.36
Ap. 13, 1909	William M. Patten	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.36
De. 31, 1910	Stephen C. Damon	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.36
Se. 21, 1917	Thomas L. Burns	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.36
De. 12, 1924	Charles Beals	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.36
Jy. 27, 1939	John M. Hodgman	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.37
Je. 2, 1943	Dr. G. E. Hoffses	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.37
Mr. 5, 1946	Charles Lenz	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.37
Mr. 30, 1946	Charles D. Barnard	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.37
Mr. 30, 1948	Charles J. Tinker	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.37
Se. 1, 1948	William Currie	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.37
Ap. 13, 1949	Jessie P. Howard	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.36	7 1/2	15.60	15.60	6.37
Oct. 1, 1952	Samuel H. Patten	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.37	7 1/2	15.59	15.59	6.37
My. 22, 1956	Paul H. DeNicola	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.37	7 1/2	15.59	15.59	6.37

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Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	%	PRINCIPAL			INCOME				
					Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	INCOME DURING YEAR Amount	INCOME DURING YEAR Percent	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
Ap. 16 1957	Minnie Esterbrooks	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.37	7 1/2	15.59	15.59	6.37
My. 20 1956	Abbie C. Gault	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.37	7 1/2	15.59	15.59	6.37
Feb. 20 1961	Augustus W. Clark	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.37	7 1/2	15.59	15.59	6.37
Mr. 22 1966	French & Wiggins	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.37	7 1/2	15.59	15.59	6.37
Ag. 31 1966	Earl & Rose Isham	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.37	7 1/2	15.59	15.59	6.37
Nov. 29 1968	Richard B. Taylor	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.37	7 1/2	15.59	15.59	6.37
Fe. 0 1978	Mabel A. Wheeler	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	200.00		200.00	6.37	7 1/2	15.59	15.59	6.37
TOTALS							\$4,200.00	\$133.65		\$327.51		\$133.72
Oct. 22 1898	Barr Fund	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	300.00		300.00	\$ 9.55	7 1/2	\$ 23.40	\$ 23.39	\$ 9.56
Ap. 26 1907	Susan J. Clark	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	300.00		300.00	9.55	7 1/2	23.39	23.39	9.55
Oct. 27 1925	Mary J. Moore	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	300.00		300.00	9.55	7 1/2	23.39	23.39	9.55
My. 19 1927	Lucy B. Savage	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	300.00		300.00	9.55	7 1/2	23.39	23.39	9.55
Ap. 18 1929	William A. Hobart	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	300.00		300.00	9.55	7 1/2	23.39	23.39	9.55
My. 22 1930	Imogene M. Buswell	Cemeter	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	300.00		300.00	9.55	7 1/2	23.39	23.39	9.55
Ap. 4 1938	William H. Ward	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	300.00		300.00	9.54	7 1/2	23.40	23.39	9.55
Ja. 16 1957	George H. Gault	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	300.00		300.00	9.54	7 1/2	23.40	23.39	9.55
TOTALS							\$2,400.00	\$ 76.38		\$187.15		\$ 76.41
Feb. 28 1929	Angeline Campbell	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	\$ 75.00		\$ 75.00	\$ 1.75	7 1/2	\$ 4.92	\$ 4.92	\$ 1.75
Jy. 24 1952	Myron L. Stickney	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	75.00		75.00	1.75	7 1/2	4.92	4.92	1.75
Jy. 2 1936	Frank French	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	125.00		125.00	3.25	7 1/2	9.55	9.55	3.25
Mr. 4 1954	& B. Lyman H. Fulton	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	1,125.00		1,125.00	43.20	7 1/2	89.79	89.77	43.22
Ag. 1966	Curtis Pecker	Cemetery	Manchester Svc	7 1/2	125.00		125.00	3.25	7 1/2	9.55	9.55	3.25

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Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	%	PRINCIPAL			INCOME			
					Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	Percent	Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
Ja. 9 1963	Darrah-Batchelder	Cemetery	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	250.00		250.00	7 1/2	19.58	19.57	7.09
Oct. 20 1927	Charles B. Stowell	Cemetery	Manchester Scg	7 1/2	500.00		500.00	7 1/2	39.08	39.07	12.11
	TOTALS						\$2,275.00		\$177.39	\$177.35	\$ 72.42
De. 9 1924	Charles Beal	Library	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	500.00		500.00	7 1/2	39.06	39.07	15.06
Oct. 31 1888	Adam Chandler	Library	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	600.00		600.00	7 1/2	44.60	44.64	21.06
Nov. 29 1944	Frances E. Woodbury	Library	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	1,500.00		1,500.00	7 1/2	122.83	122.98	43.10
Nov. 29 1944	Frank H. Waters	Library	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	2,000.00	330.00	2,330.00	7 1/2	177.22	170.07	75.40
Je. 1 1970	Edmund & Sarah Hull	Library	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	500.00		500.00	7 1/2	39.06	39.07	15.06
Nov. 30 1944	Willis B. Kendall	Library	Amoskeag Svg	7 1/2	1,000.00	330.00	6,430.00	7 1/2	497.67	497.88	203.21
	TOTALS						\$10,000.00		\$820.80	\$819.52	\$334.95
Nov. 30 1944	Willis B. Kendall	Bedford Pres. Church	Amoskeag Svg	7 1/2	10,000.00		1,000.00	7 1/2	820.80	819.52	334.95
Nov. 30 1944	Willis B. Kendall	Cemetery	Amoskeag Svg	7 1/2	1,000.00		2,000.00	7 1/2	82.18	82.05	33.53
Nov. 30 1944	Willis B. Kendall	Prize Speaking	Amoskeag Svg	7 1/2	2,000.00		36,733.00	7 1/2	247.60	200.00	1,553.09
Je. 1 1965	New Center Cemetery	Cemetery	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	34,383.00	2,350.00		7 1/2	2,770.20	2,657.32	1,158.33
Oct. 4 1955	Grader	Cap. Reserve	Manchester Svg	6 Mo.	\$50,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$65,000.00	6 mo.	\$9,935.10		\$20,630.40
Je. 9 1959	Tractor-Loader	Cap. Reserve	Manchester Svg	6 Mo.	16,000.00	10,000.00	26,000.00	6 mo.	4,316.35		13,185.66
Oct. 10 1960	Fire Truck	Cap. Reserve	Manchester Svg	6 Mo.	20,000.00	15,000.00	35,000.00	6 mo.	4,699.95		9,908.20
May 22 1967	Bedford School Dist.	Cap. Reserve	Manchester Svg	7 1/2	1,500.00		1,500.00	7 1/2	479.71		8,635.21
Ap. 23 1970	Conservation Comm.	Cap. Reserve	Manchester Svg	5 1/4	32,000.00	20,000.00	52,000.00	5 1/4	116.23		777.19
De. 1 1972	Bulldozer	Cap. Reserve	Manchester Svg	6 Mo.	2,000.00	8,000.00	10,000.00	6 mo.	6,634.60		10,739.00
De. 1 1974	Dump Truck	Cap. Reserve	Manchester Svg	6 Mo.	\$121,500.00	\$68,000.00	\$189,500.00	6 mo.	664.00		945.05
	TOTALS						\$37,974.77		\$26,845.94		\$64,820.71

**REPORT OF THE COMMON TRUST FUND INVESTMENTS OF
THE TOWN OF BEDFORD ON DECEMBER 31, 1980**

NO. OF SHARES OR OTHER UNITS	HOW INVESTED	PRINCIPAL			INCOME		
		Balance Beginning Year	Gains or (Losses) From Sales	Balance End Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
	DESCRIPTION OF INVESTMENT (Names of Banks, Stocks, Bonds, etc.)						
9 accounts	Manchester Bank	\$ 450.00		\$ 450.00		\$ 30.28	\$ 12.39
56 accounts	Manchester Bank	6,000.00		6,000.00		467.76	191.02
8 accounts	Manchester Bank	1,200.00		1,200.00		93.56	38.21
21 accounts	Manchester Bank	4,200.00		4,200.00		327.44	133.72
8 accounts	Manchester Bank	2,400.00		2,400.00		187.12	76.41
7 accounts	Manchester Bank	2,275.00		2,275.00		177.35	72.42
1 account	Manchester Bank (New Center)	34,383.00	2,350.00	36,733.00		2,657.32	1,156.33
5 accounts	Manchester Bank (Library Funds)	5,430.00		5,430.00		415.83	169.68
	TOTALS:	\$56,338.00	\$ 2,350.00	\$58,688.00	\$ 1,739.42	\$ 4,469.42	\$ 1,852.18

CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS TOTALS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1980

Dump Truck Account	\$ 10,945.05
Grader Account	85,631.40
Tractor-Loader Account	39,185.66
Fire Truck Account	44,908.20
Bulldozer Account	62,741.00
School District Account	8,635.21
Conservation Account	<u>2,277.19</u>
	\$254,323.71
Total Capital Reserve Funds	
Principal	\$189,500.00
Interest	<u>64,823.71</u>
	254,323.71
Total Trust Funds	
Principal	72,688.00
Interest	<u>3,807.28</u>
	76,495.28
Grand Total	254,323.71
	<u>76,495.28</u>
	330,818.99

Respectfully submitted
Byron Peck, Treas.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE BEDFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR 1980

The Staff and Trustees of the Bedford Public Library saw their hopes realized in 1980, — a full library service provided for the town in a modern, efficient building. Equally rewarding was the scope of extra services provided by members of the community.

The members of the Bedford Kiwanis Club offered to staff the Library on Sundays from noon until 2:00 p.m. Thanks to these men it is now possible for the Library to serve patrons seven days a week, and it has done so since April. The response of the public has been enthusiastic.

The Friends of the Bedford Library offered both instructional and social programs throughout the year.

During the Presidential Primary campaign of 1980 NBC made good use of the Library and its staff for research purposes and for assistance with props during its many broadcasts from the Town Hall.

In fact, the use of the Library's Meeting Room expanded enormously. Community groups held 323 meetings there, and the Library provided programs on 233 occasions.

The Staff of the Library is dynamic as ever. Head Librarian Frances Wiggin was one of only 12 persons in the state chosen by the State Library to participate in a three-day seminar entitled "Systems and Network Development Leadership" (SANDLS). She attended a one-day computer seminar as well. In September Fran was elected Chairman of the N.H. Advisory Council on Libraries. She also serves as Membership Chairman of the N.H. Library Association, and administrates the Hillstown Cooperative, an organization that makes the book collections of 13 N.H. towns available to Bedford residents.

From January to April each year an Adult Reading Group meets on Monday mornings under the leadership of Fran. This year's study is the first of a three-year project devoted to American Literature.

Doris Peck, Bedford Library's Assistant Librarian serves as Archivist for the N.H. Library Association. Both Doris and Fran co-chaired a 25th PLT Reunion at New England Center in Durham.

Barbara Potter — along with Betty Thacher has completed PLT courses for certification. Deirdre Angwin became full-time Children's Librarian in June. She completed a Public Library Techniques Course in Book Selection for Adults and Young Adults. She provides story hours for children of pre-school and school age, arts and crafts, films, special summer programs, all in a truly lovely Children's Room designed by her.

The Bedford Public Library is most fortunate in receiving hours of free service (700 hours in 1980) from its volunteers — Arline Ackerson, Bobbie Amero, Betty Clock, Frank Conn, Lorraine Danais, Lois Earnshaw, Sylvia Edmunds, Betty Folsom, Janet Holland, Marjorie Lieby, Barbara Muther, Laura Olivier, and Lois Puckette. In December the Staff and Trustees celebrated their fine contribution with a Volunteer Appreciation Party.

A book treasure was received by the Library this year. It is the original record book of the Bedford Social Library covering the period from July 6, 1789 to Nov. 7, 1848. It was sent to Bedford, most generously, from the Department of Rare Books and Special Collections at the University of Michigan Library.

Library Trustee Harry Scofield regretfully resigned from the Board last June because he moved away from Bedford. The Selectmen appointed Patricia Holland to fill out his term this year.

The Staff and Trustees wish to thank the Bedford Bank for its gift of printed Bookmarks, the Manchester Bank for its innovative promotional idea which endowed the Library with children's books, and the Friends of the Bedford Library for their gift of furniture to the children's room. They would also like to thank the many individuals who have contributed to the Library this year.

Respectfully submitted,
James Scotland, Jr., Chairman
George Fournier, Treasurer
Patricia Holland, Secretary

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN
BEDFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Year Ending December 31, 1980

Library Trustees:	Term Expires
James Scotland, Jr.	1981
Harry Scofield (Resigned 6-1-80)	1982
Patricia Holland (Appointed until)	1981
George Fournier	1983

Library Staff:	
Librarian	Frances M. Wiggin
Assistant Librarian	Doris B. Peck
Assistant I	Elisabeth S. Thacher
Assistant II	Barbara K. Potter
Assistant III	Theresa M. Trott
Director of Children's Services	Deirdre Angwin
Page	Robin Johnson
Custodian	Gertrude J. Hersey

Library Hours	
Monday	1:00-8:30 p.m.
Tuesday	10:00-8:30 p.m.
Wednesday	1:00-8:30 p.m.
Thursday	10:00-8:00 p.m.
Friday	1:00-6:30 p.m.
Saturday	9:30-1:00 p.m.
Sunday	12 noon to 2:00 p.m.

Books on Accession, 12/31/79	26,931
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Acquisitions During Year (Encyclopedias and Books)	
Purchases	1,962
Gifts	189
	2,151
	27,783
Withdrawals - 1980	68
	27,715

Total other Media owned by the Library:

Magazines	
Circulating	146
Professional	10

Gifts	11
Newspapers	8
Records 12/31/79	1224
Added	<u>130</u>
	1354
Withdrawn	<u>94</u>
12/31/80	1260
Prints	70
Films	63
Filmstrips	184
Cassettes	15
Circulation Report:	
Adult Fiction	24,061
Adult Non-Fiction	22,652
Periodicals	9,870
Records	3,223
Films, Filmstrips	421
Prints	274
Juvenile Fiction & Non-Fiction	23,110
Interlibrary Loans	<u>478</u>
	84,089
Registered Library Patrons over six years of age	7,023

Respectfully submitted,
 Frances M. Wiggin
 Librarian

**BEDFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY
TREASURER'S REPORT**

Year Ending December 31, 1980

Receipts

Balance on hand, January 1, 1980	\$.00
Town Appropriation		61,867.38
Transfers from Special Account		3,621.84
Reimbursements		91.43
Grand Total		\$65,580.65

Expenditures

Salaries	\$35,243.27
Books, Records, Magazines & Prints	20,934.71
Operating Expenses	8,728.55
Repairs and Maintenance	635.43
Grand Total	\$65,542.06
Balance on hand, December 31, 1980	38.59
	\$65,580.59

Special Account

Receipts

Balance on hand		
Jan. 1, 1980	\$	200.00
Transfer from		
Trust Funds	497.88	
Fines	1,710.71	
Interest	54.60	
Book Sales	646.65	
Room Rental	260.00	
Gifts	1,203.00	
	\$4,572.84	

Expenditures

Transferred to		
General Account	\$3,621.84	
Balance on hand,		
Dec.. 31, 1980		951.00
		\$4,572.84

George Fournier
Treasurer - Trustee

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Appropriation: \$53,414.00

Revenue: 175.00

Selectmen:

Thomas R. Leslie, use of car (resigned)	\$ 700.00
Aubrey G. Robinson, Jr., use of car	700.00
Alfred J. Lambert, use of car	700.00
Clifford H. Clark, use of car (appointed)	145.00

Other Expenses:

Salaries (Secretaries and Clerks)	37,006.16
Equipment Maintenance and Repairs	561.87
Advertising	70.36
Town Report	4,086.60
Printing and Postage	3,320.12
Supplies	2,011.03
Fees and Dues	105.50
Miscellaneous	214.61
Dog Tags	403.88
A D P	2,122.28
Registry of Deeds	547.96
Seminars (Town Clerk, Tax Collector & Selectmen)	738.30
State of N.H. (dogs)	681.00

TOTAL \$ 54,114.67

TOWN BUILDINGS

Appropriation: \$33,703.00

Rental: 3,445.00

Salaries	\$ 10,929.99
Telephone	1,439.46
Electricity	5,803.68
Heating	8,605.69
Supplies	3,068.42
Building Repairs	1,509.65
Lawn Care	665.00
Mileage	74.36
A.A. Alarms	734.00
Fire House Furnace	3,400.00
TOTAL	<u>\$ 36,200.25</u>

LIBRARY

Appropriation: \$61,867.38

Library Treasurer and Trustee (not Salary)	\$ 26,186.37
Salaries	<u>35,784.86</u>
TOTAL	\$ 61,971.23

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Appropriation: \$24,987.00

Selectmen:

Thomas R. Leslie, Chairman (Resigned)	\$ 1,650.00
Aubrey G. Robinson, Jr. (Appointed) Chairman	2,200.00
Alfred J. Lambert	2,100.00
Clifford H. Clark (Appointed)	437.50

Overseer of Welfare:

Thomas R. Leslie, Chairman (Resigned)	300.00
Aubrey G. Robinson, Jr. (Appointed)	

Town Clerk and Tax Collector:

Edith P. Schmidtchen	16,075.99
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Clerk of Trust Funds:

Byron Peck	300.00
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Auditors:

H. Richard Spurway	400.00
Robert N. Wheeler	400.00

Treasurer:

George T. Wiggin, Jr.	<u>1,200.00</u>
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TOTAL	\$ 25,063.49
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DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Edith P. Schmidtchen, Collector	
Abatements and Discounts Allowed	
Abatements Allowed by Selectmen	\$ 28,017.26

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Edith P. Schmidtchen, Collector	\$125,745.51
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COUNTY TAX

County Treasurer	\$370,744.00
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TEMPORARY LOANS

Amoskeag National Bank, Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	\$1,150,000.00
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SCHOOL DISTRICT

H. Richard Spurway, Treasurer	
Balance on 1979	\$1,839,640.00
On Account 1980	<u>2,223,892.00</u>
	\$4,053,532.00

CONSERVATION

Appropriation: \$ 282.00

N.H. Association Commission (dues)	\$ 114.00
Operating Expense	<u>114.59</u>
TOTAL	\$ 228.59

CIVIL DEFENSE

Appropriation: \$ 500.00

Survair EBA Unit	\$ 414.00
Expenses	<u>15.00</u>
TOTAL	\$ 429.00

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

Appropriation: \$ 50.00

Payroll	\$ 30.85
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CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS

Appropriation: \$68,000.00

Grader	\$ 15,000.00
Dozer	20,000.00
Dump Truck	8,000.00
Fire Truck	15,000.00
Loader	<u>10,000.00</u>
TOTAL	\$ 68,000.00

TOWN WELFARE

Appropriation: \$10,000.00

Aid for Welfare	\$ 26,592.74
County Aid	<u>41.65</u>
TOTAL	\$ 26,634.39

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE
Appropriation: \$11,000.00

State of New Hampshire \$ 12,566.53

AID TO PERMANENTLY AND TOTALLY DISABLED
Appropriation: \$ 1,000.00

Aid to Families \$ 100.00

MEMORIAL DAY
Appropriation: \$ 400.00

Steven-Buswell Post No. 54 American Legion \$ 400.00

CLOCK
Appropriation: \$ 100.00

Ralph M. Wiggin, Jr. \$ 100.00

OFFICE EQUIPMENT
Appropriation: \$ 6,153.00

New Equipment \$ 3,055.48
Service Contract and Cleaning 258.00
Micro Film 2,500.00
TOTAL \$ 5,813.48

DAMAGES AND LEGAL FEES
Appropriation: \$20,500.00

Legal Fees \$ 28,343.48
Animal Rescue League 500.00
Dog Damages 35.00
TOTAL \$ 28,878.48

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION
Appropriation: \$ 8,710.00
Revenue: 435.00

Payroll (Counters and Moderator) \$ 6,992.48
Meals 994.86
Supplies, Printing and Postage 2,592.02
Repairs 200.00
TOTAL \$ 10,779.36

LANDFILL

Appropriation: \$44,697.00

Revenue: 8,256.25 (fees)

Salaries	\$ 26,023.94
Equipment Repairs	4,095.83
Snow Fence and Equipment Rental	2,750.00
Oil and Heat - (Diesel fuel)	6,322.40
New England Telephone	204.22
Public Service	101.58
Chemicals	192.00
Sand	6,068.50
Stickers and Miscellaneous	690.43
TOTAL	<hr/> \$ 46,448.90

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation: \$89,952.00

Revenue: 1,097.60

Salaries	\$ 60,083.78
Clothing	900.00
Payroll Firemen	15,091.68
Payroll Warden	2,543.22
New Equipment	939.40
Equipment Maintenance	3,154.81
Fuel (gas)	2,096.84
New England Telephone	1,156.56
Public Service	110.43
Heating Oil	2,555.68
Supplies	1,778.96
Fees and Dues	295.00
Special Project	153.32
Radio Repair	1,105.17
Training of Men	240.00
Miscellaneous (Hydrant)	300.00
TOTAL	<hr/> \$ 92,864.14

BUILDING INSPECTOR AND HEALTH OFFICER

Appropriation: \$25,890.00

Salaries (Inspector and Secretary)	\$ 21,789.91
Mileage	2,940.00
Building Dept. Supplies and Postage	618.23
New England Telephone	759.99

Dues	98.00
Health Department Supplies & Misc.	180.53
TOTAL	<u>\$ 26,386.66</u>

APPRAISAL

Appropriation: \$16,500.00

Professional Appraisal	\$ 3,145.01
Town Assessing	9,697.00
Computer Expense & Supplies	3,734.20
TOTAL	<u>\$ 16,576.21</u>

INTEREST ON LONG TERM NOTES

Appropriation: \$ 2,310.00

\$ 2,310.00

INTEREST OF TEMPORARY LOANS

Appropriation: \$38,000.00

\$ 35,213.34

MANCHESTER TRANSIT

Appropriation: \$22,660.00

Contract	\$ 21,857.38
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SO. N.H. PLANNING COMMISSION

Appropriation: \$ 4,786.26

Membership dues	\$ 4,786.26
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RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY

Appropriation: \$37,390.00

Social Security, Police and Firemen Retirement	\$ 51,376.05
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CEMETERY

Contract Appropriation: \$20,500.00

Trust (Inc. in Appro.) 3,796.94

Maintenance Contract	\$ 16,500.00
Labor and Maintenance over and above Contract	3,000.00
Survey	98.10
Water	100.00
Secretary	50.00
TOTAL	<u>\$ 19,748.10</u>

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation: \$ 9,215.00

Public Service Co. of New Hampshire \$ 9,429.12

SEWER COMMISSION

Appropriation: \$ 2,500.00

Legal Fees \$ 1,749.32

PLANNING TECHNICAL SERVICES

Appropriation: \$ 2,500.00

Revenue: 5,389.75

Services \$ 4,953.18

PLANNING BOARD

Appropriation: \$ 3,650.00

Revenue: 1,173.20

Secretary	\$ 632.76
Advertising	86.73
Registry of Deeds	282.32
Supplies & Postage	1,869.38
Printing	837.40
Legal Services	20.00
Tax Maps	51.15
TOTAL	\$ 3,779.74

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Appropriation: \$ 1,100.00

Revenue: 655.00

Salaries	\$ 133.18
Advertising	448.62
Postage & Supplies	78.85
TOTAL	\$ 660.65

INSURANCE

Appropriation: \$115,182.00

N.H.-Vermont B/C/B/S	\$ 28,117.54
Mutual of Omaha (Fire Department)	448.43
John Kelly Insurance (Town)	81,224.00
Monarch Life (Police Department)	3,570.33
Unemployment Compensation	2,452.44
TOTAL	\$115,812.74

HIGHWAY

Appropriation: \$227,654.45

Subsidy: 42,592.36

Add. Subsidy: 32,401.64

Salaries	\$118,795.78
New Equipment	24,021.94
Equipment Rental	10,001.09
Road Material	63,313.46
Heat	6,288.17
Electricity	1,682.90
Telephone	691.40
Building Repairs	435.47
Trees	2,800.00
Miscellaneous	<u>1,623.09</u>
TOTAL	\$283,112.73

RESURFACE CLASS V HIGHWAYS

Appropriation: \$100,000.00

Resurfacing and Rebuilding (Oiling, Asphalt, Cold Patch and Hot Patch)	\$ 96,203.66
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TOWN ROAD AID

Appropriation: \$ 2,662.29

State of New Hampshire	\$ 2,662.29
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HYDRANT RENTAL

Appropriation: \$17,637.86

Manchester Water Works	\$ 17,637.86
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PARKS AND RECREATION

Appropriation: \$30,086.00

Revenue: 13,031.39

Salaries	\$ 15,534.96
Public Service	2,626.19
N. E. Telephone	56.87
Pool Maintenance and Chemicals	2,899.31
Facilities and Building Maintenance	838.34
Equipment Repairs and Maintenance	1,560.52
Ice Maintenance - Snow Removal	105.00
Development - New Equipment	2,474.21
Field Supplies	902.72

Equipment Rental - Rubbish Removal	355.00
Office Supplies, Postage and Misc. Expense	<u>1,364.76</u>
TOTAL	\$ 28,717.88

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation: \$307,906.00	
Revenue:	<u>11,475.40</u>
	\$319,381.40

Payroll	\$243,152.87
Telephone	3,558.56
Fuel	21,579.42
New Equipment	6,613.00
Replacement Equipment	17,890.95
Postage	342.50
Cruiser Maintenance & Repair	10,761.44
Supplies & Other Maintenance	6,661.87
K-9	691.00
Training	1,662.11
Crime Prevention	<u>9,000.00</u>
TOTAL	\$321,913.72

DISPATCH

Appropriation: \$42,541.00

Salaries	\$ 39,226.23
Supplies	478.24
Repairs	227.51
Equipment	<u>1,539.44</u>
TOTAL	\$ 41,471.42

NEW HAMPSHIRE MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION

The New Hampshire Municipal Association has existed since 1957. It is a non-partisan, non-profit organization whose 23 member cities and towns share a common interest in better local government.

NHMA provides a wide variety of services to its member communities. Among the services provided are: legal services, technical assistance, group insurance programs, personnel services and representation of municipal interests before federal, state and administrative bodies.

The ultimate goal of these services is to help elected and appointed officials provide more efficient and effective government at the local level. In its representation of municipal interests before the state legislature, one of the primary goals of the Association is preventing excessive property tax burdens being placed on local governments.

NHMA also conducts many workshops and seminars dealing with local needs and problems. These include programs on such topics as municipal liability, welfare administration, assessing, land use and planning law, budgeting and labor relations. The biggest and most important learning opportunity offered by NHMA is its annual meeting. Held every fall, this meeting provides local officials ideas and information they can put to use in their communities for the people they serve.

BEDFORD SEWER COMMISSION REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 1980

The Bedford Sewer Commission and Board of Selectmen were successful this year in completing the many and varied details required to fund the construction of the first segment of the Phase I Sewer System for the Town. This project has been in the Step 1 planning and Step 2 design phases since 1970 and has been in compliance with federal and state pollution abatement orders and grant programs. The major accomplishments this year were:

- Signing of an Intermunicipal Agreement with the City of Manchester for wastewater and septage treatment services (7/1/80)
- Confirmation by the NHWS&PCC of Priority List status and assignment of \$3.4 million (eligible project costs) of the Fiscal Year 1982 (October 1981) — Federal Allocation of Funds to the Town of Bedford (9/19/80)
- Confirmation by the NHWS&PCC that if Federal funds are available in October 1981, the Town's Step 3 construction grant will be processed at that time. This grant would include monies for construction of river crossing facilities and interceptor sewers along the Merrimack River from Beaudoin Street on the north to Foster Lane on the south (1/20/81).
- Instructions from the NHWS&PCC to complete all necessary planning and grant application documents, including appropriation of the monies for the local share of the project for final approval of the Step 3 construction grant in October 1981 (1/20/81).

In order to comply with EPA and State construction grant regulations, the Sewer Commission will submit for vote at the March 1981 Town Meeting, a series of warrant articles appropriating the necessary monies to implement the Town's water pollution abatement program.

The fourth warrant article is the required bond appropriation to qualify for a State and EPA construction grant to actually build a sewer system in Bedford. This warrant article would authorize the Town to appropriate up to \$3,779,000 for constructing a sewer system, subject to receiving a Federal grant of up to \$2,550,000 and to issue serial bonds or notes for a sum not to exceed \$1,229,000 for the non-Federal share of the project. Under State law, the Town would

bond the State's share of the grant. The State would then guarantee and make principal and interest payments on their share of the bond. The Town would make payments only on the local share of the grant. The EPA and State sewer construction grants would pay for 75% and 20%, respectively, of the eligible costs of the project (\$3.4M), with the Town paying the remaining 5% of the eligible costs and all the ineligible costs of the project, which include land/easements, financial, legal and the costs of lateral (street) sewers. The breakdown of the capital cost of the initial sewer project would be distributed as follows:

EPA	\$2,550,000
State	\$ 680,000
Town	<u>\$ 549,000</u>
TOTAL	\$3,779,000

Once the construction of the sewer system and river crossing facilities is completed, the use of the sewers, setting of rates, and collection of money, would be done by the Sewer Commission in compliance with Federal and State regulations, by enforcing a sewer use ordinance and user charges system. The system of user charges, which has been developed for the Town of Bedford, would collect all the monies necessary to run the water pollution abatement program from only the **actual** users of the sewer system, on a pay-as-you-go basis. Those individuals in Town not actually using the sewer system would not pay for any of the annual costs of the system, but would be responsible for the proper operation and costs of their individual septic systems.

The details of the sewer project are contained in a report entitled "Wastewater Management Plan and Regional User Charges System for Bedford, New Hampshire," prepared by Anderson-Nichols & Co., the Town sewer consultant, and is available for inspection in either the Town offices or library.

The fifth warrant article will authorize the Town to pay to the City of Manchester a sum of \$60,000 for bond payments (principal and interest only) made by the City on behalf of the Town of Bedford's share of the Manchester Regional Wastewater Treatment facilities in accordance with the Intermunicipal Agreement.

This warrant article will also authorize the Sewer Commission to collect \$60,000 in voluntary contributions from the business establishments, who will utilize the sewer system to offset this cost to the Town.

REPORT OF THE BEDFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT

As you can observe by reading the activities listed below, the Police Department has had another busy year.

The one major problem we are experiencing right now is the problem of dogs. As you are aware, we now have a leash law. The number of dogs we have had to pick up has filled the Animal Rescue League to capacity. If we hire a dog officer and build a kennel it would be a costly expense to the tax payers, so please help yourself and the Police Department by keeping your dog leashed.

Thank you for your co-operation and your support in 1980.

Activities for the year follow:

	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980
No. of complaints investigated	2769	3433	5410	6122	6340
Criminal Arrest					283
Adults					167
Juvenile					116
Motor Vehicle Arrests					1,233
Summons					1,195
DWI					95
Others					33
DE tags					143
Parking Tickets					170
MV Accidents Investigated					368
Injuries					53
Fatalities					2
Robberies					2
Residential Burglaries					62
Business Burglaries					35
Thefts					264
Criminal Mischief					430
Assaults Complaints					30
Assaults On Police Officers					10
Disorderly Conduct					47
Issuing Bad Checks					17
Sex Offenses					8
Prowler Complaints					44
Drug Complaints					49

Family Trouble	56
Stolen Motor Vehicles	28
Stolen Motor Vehicles From Bedford-Recovered	17
Sudden Deaths	1
Suicides	1
Missing Persons Complaints	51
Dog Complaints	528
Fish & Game Complaints	18
Motor Cycle, Mini-Bike, & Snowmobile Complaints	68
Burglary Alarms Answered	635
Assist at Bedford Fires	171
Assist to Bedford Rescue	192
Assist to Utilities	24
Assist to Other Depts. Warrants Subpoenas	156
Arson	2
Bomb Threats	2
Emergency Messages	25
Vacant Homes Checked	660
Business Places Checked Daily	257
Miscellaneous Complaints	410

Respectively Submitted,
Richard D. Audette
Chief of Police

BEDFORD FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Bedford Fire Department has responded to 481 calls during 1980. They included the following:

Building and House	17	Mutual Aid	14
Grass, Brush and Woods	25	Service Calls	77
Automobile	18	False Alarms	2
Chimney	41	Needless Alarms	23
Rescue	264		

The department had a very busy year with seventy-two more calls than last year. We had an increase in most of the fire categories with chimney and building fires, with a large percentage over last year. This is due from the large increase of wood burning stoves being installed. Our fire losses were higher this year due to the loss of three barns.

Tuesday evening training sessions have continued throughout the year under the direction of our training officer Captain Leo Bongers and Firefighter Randy Burbank assisting. Training in the field of fire fighting and rescue work, with some of the firefighters taking extra training at State Schools located at Lilly Pond in Gilford, Meadwood in Fitzwilliam and State University in Durham.

The Fire Prevention program has continued again this year under the direction of the Chief. Inspecting being done in our new and old business buildings, restaurants, nursing homes and public buildings. Also, have inspected a great many wood burning stoves and coal stoves being installed in our homes. Reminder to all home owners, your stove should be inspected by the Fire Department. Just call the station and I will be glad to make an appointment to call anytime.

Fire Prevention Week was again celebrated the first week of October, with open house at the station and a demonstration put on by the Rescue Squad, simulating a bad automobile accident. Captain Leo Bongers, Lt. Leroy Burbank and Firefighter Randy Burbank continued their program of fire safety and demonstrating fire equipment to all elementary schools and kindergartens. Also, some of the kindergarten children visited the station during school hours with their teachers and Cub Scouts with their leaders.

The Norman Richard Memorial Scholarship Fund established by the Fire Department, awarded two scholarships to the following Bedford Students:

Susan Boucher
Jill Riedel

The department acquired an Army type, four wheel drive truck from the Police Department this year and through the efforts of the day-time permanent firefighters we were able to make a nice small forester truck at a small cost to the Town.

This year the department put its first lady E.M.T. and Firefighter on, Firefighter Sandy Grischuk.

As Fire Warden, I would like to thank the residents of Bedford for their co-operation in obtaining fire permits before kindling outside fires. Reminder to new and old residents that no burning will take place without a permit from the Fire Department, except when the ground is covered with snow. You may obtain a seasonal permit for an incinerator and outside fire places, but no burning is allowed between the daytime hours of 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., unless it is a rainy day. Permits are issued at the Fire Station between the hours of 7:30 A.M. and 5:30 P.M. seven days a week. Check with the department if any questions. Think first and please don't take a chance.

Please be very careful if you have a wood burning stove in your home, make sure you keep your chimney clean and put your ashes in metal containers. If you don't have a smoke alarm or a fire extinguisher, please put one in your home or business, it may save your family.

As Chief, I would like to take this time once again, to thank the people of our community and men of the department for their continued support and co-operation. Yes, and a big thanks to our Dispatch personnel, Keith Folsom, co-ordinator, Gerald Dyer, Alfred J. Lambert, Joanne Hey and Beverly Lefebvre for an excellent job. A special appreciation to the people who personally supported us through programs and our dance. Also, to the people that donated gifts and money to the Rescue Squad, through their own generosity and memorial of families who have lost loved ones. Through the generosity of one family, the Fire Department received a beautiful slide projector to be used for Public Relations and training programs.

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph M. Wiggin, Jr.
Chief

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND STATE FOREST FIRE SERVICE

Forest Fire Prevention: Your Business, Our Business, Good Business. Forest fire prevention slogans have been seen in association with Smokey Bear since the late nineteen forties when a national effort to check the spread of forest fires was implemented.

New Hampshire residents recognized that forest fire prevention and suppression was the responsibility of every citizen, a half century before this national campaign, when our legislature established our first forest fire laws in 1903. Since that date, the State has appointed a town/city forest fire warden who is responsible for forest fire law enforcement in his municipality.

All fires kindled out of doors when there is no snow on the ground must be approved in writing by the forest fire warden before being kindled. All forest fires must be suppressed by the warden and his deputies as soon as they are reported. The cost of fire suppression is shared jointly by the town/city and the State of New Hampshire, as are forest fire prevention and forest fire training costs.

This state and local municipality cooperative forest fire program has given New Hampshire one of the best forest fire records in the United States.

Forest Fire Statistics 1980

	No. of Fires*	No. of Acres**
State	1,226	693
District	169	32
Town	25	7

Gilbert Testa
District Fire Chief

Ralph M. Wiggin, Jr.
Forest Fire Warden

* Includes Short Fire Reports

** Includes woods and grass

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

A year ago the Planning Board adopted a Master Plan for the Town of Bedford. This document, together with its backup material and maps, we expect will serve as a guide to the growth and development of the Town over the next 20 years.

As with any planning instrument, it is only a tool or guide and subject to changes to keep it current and above all subject to the desires of the people in the Town. It is amendable by the Planning Board which must hold at least one public hearing on any change before such amendment may be adopted.

Since one of the primary tools for implementing this Master Plan is zoning, the Planning Board, with the assistance of the Ad Hoc Committee of citizen volunteers, has been working on a proposed Zoning Ordinance. Many meetings have been held, many revisions have been made, and hopefully the document which is to be presented to the Town at Town Meeting will be passed. No ordinance will satisfy everyone since each of us views rules and regulations as they will affect the individual. Therefore, as many people as there are in the community, there are the same number of ideas on how a zoning ordinance should be written.

After the many public hearings and comments from the public duly noted, the Planning Board is presenting to the Town an ordinance which it feels is in the best interest of the entire Town.

However, should the voters accept the Zoning Ordinance, it should not be viewed as being "cast in concrete", but subject to change and amendment in order to accommodate new concepts and conditions.

A major addition to the current Zoning Ordinance was passed in November. This was the adoption of the Wetlands District which is superimposed on all other districts in the Town. The most important provision of this ordinance requires that any lot to be built on in the future must conform to the lot size requirements in that particular zone without using wetlands as part of the acreage requirement. No buildings are permitted on wetlands.

Since the best buildable land is already subdivided or built upon,

this Wetland Ordinance will exclude many acres from possible development since a large proportion of the remaining undeveloped land is either wetland or has poor soil conditions.

The past year has forced a curtailment in residential development due to economic conditions, but Bedford has seen a number of commercial enterprises added to the tax rolls.

Obviously, we can't have it both ways. Business and commerce brings more traffic. Traffic crowds our highways and causes delays, but commercial development means good tax revenues; residential development seldom pays its own way.

The Board wishes to thank the members of the Ad Hoc Committee and many other interested citizens who spent their time aiding the Planning Board preparing the proposed Zoning Ordinance.

It was business as usual for the Planning Board which means subdivision and site plan reviews. In spite of the slowdown in the real estate market, 430 new building lots were created during the past year, mostly for single family residences.

Eugene Van Loan, Jr.
Chairman

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT — 1980

The Board of Adjustment has had a productive and active year. As the "appeal board" for citizens whose building, development, or commercial plans do not conform to the Bedford Zoning Ordinance, we see an increasing amount of activity.

This year we have alternates to elected board members. Our alternates, appointed by the Selectmen, are available to serve on appeals when our elected members are unavailable or must disqualify themselves. Richard Como, Donald Folsom and Bruce Biscornet have been most helpful to the board.

The Board of Adjustment is mindful of its responsibility to conduct its affairs and reach decisions within the framework of our N.H. statutes. Occasionally our decisions will be appealed to Superior Court and beyond. This year one of our decisions was upheld by the N.H. Supreme Court.

Communication and cooperation with Bedford's Planning Board and Board of Selectmen are extremely important. This assures that our zoning ordinances and planning objectives are supported while permitting appropriate variances.

This year the Board of Adjustment heard 19 residential appeals and 23 commercial appeals.

Respectfully submitted,
Charles L. Abbe, Chairman

ANNUAL REPORT BEDFORD HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

The Bedford Historic District Commission held 5 meetings during 1980 and approved two residential additions, one horse barn, a family room, solar greenhouse, carriage shed and one sign. The Commission also discussed the placement of political signs within the Historic District.

Chairman David Bailey and Urban Landini attended a Historic District Workshop in Concord in April at which time discussion was held on how to effectively preserve a historic district as well as what rules and regulations may be administered by a Historic District Commission.

The Historic District encompasses the area starting at Wallace Road and running along Church Road to Ministerial; over to Chandler Road and down to Bedford Center Road; then over to Liberty Hill Road and down Meetinghouse Road to Route 101 back to Wallace Road.

The Commission is expressly concerned with the exterior architectural features of new structures being built in the District. The Commission takes into consideration the architectural style and general arrangement of such portions of the exterior as is designed to be open to view from the public way, including kind and texture of the building materials, type of walls, windows, doors, lights, signs and other fixtures appurtenant to such portion.

David Bailey was reappointed Chairman of the Commission. Other board members include Ernest Coupe, Urban Landini, Norman Stahl, Ann Remus, Eugene Van Loan, Jr., Planning Board Representative and Aubrey Robinson, Jr., representing the Selectmen.

David Bailey
Chairman

**VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION
HOME HEALTH AGENCY OF GREATER MANCHESTER, INC.
194 Concord Street
Manchester, NH 03104**

The Visiting Nurse Association-Home Health Agency of Greater Manchester, Inc., continues to provide services as a certified Home Health Agency to the greater Manchester area, covering Manchester and five towns—Auburn, Bedford, Candia, Goffstown, and Hooksett.

The Care of the Sick Program provides visits in the homes of Bedford by visiting nurses, physical therapists, occupational therapists, speech therapists and homemaker/home health aides. Consultation with a social worker and a nutritionist are also available.

A Maternal and Child Health Program provides pre and post natal teaching and guidance to expectant mothers as well as instructions for child care following birth. The Teenage Pregnancy Program conducts classes at the Visiting Nurse Association office, 194 Concord Street, in Manchester in conjunction with the Home Visiting Program.

Immunization Clinics for children two months to six years are held in Bedford periodically during the year.

The Long Term Care Program (Senior Outreach Program) provides assistance to the elderly living in Bedford to remain in their own homes by offering support through health assessment and home health care maintenance. Blood Pressure screening and Health Guidance clinics are also held on a periodic basis in Bedford.

The Visiting Nurse Association-Home Health Agency of Greater Manchester, Inc., is an accredited voluntary non-profit agency. Anyone may request service by calling the office at 622-3781, Monday through Sunday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Services are provided as necessary from 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., and there is a 24-hour answering service for messages.

Also certified by the federal government to care for Medicare patients, many services are paid for through Medicaid, Medicare and other health insurance plans. Fees are discussed on the initial visits with adjustments made if full fee cannot be paid.

Mrs. Margaret Wheat, Mrs. Claire Stone, and Mrs. Beth Hinton, who serve on the Board of Directors of the Association, are residents of Bedford.

During the past year the Agency served 83 people and made 434 nursing visits, 415 homemaker/home health aide visits and 78 rehabilitation therapy and other visits. Twelve Immunization and Blood Pressure Clinics were held.

Total value of services rendered during 1980 approximately \$19,000.

Total value of non-reimbursed services rendered during 1980 approximately \$6,000.

Sarah Hubbard
Executive Director
Visiting Nurse Association-
Home Health Agency of
Greater Manchester, Inc.

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT
REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICE — 1980**

Child-caring agency licenses	11
Family day-care home inspections	11
Foster home licenses	7
Foster home inspections	7
Food service licenses issued	48
Food establishment inspections & re-inspections	96
Failed septic systems	48
Complaints filed with Health Dept.	18
Complaints inspected and corrected	<u>18</u>

Fees collected \$1,890

Robert Marceau
Health Officer

REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR

1980 Building Permits

New Dwellings	79
Commercial	7
Additions	44
Electric Entrances	21
Signs	4
Garages	26
Leach/septic repairs	36
Renovations	18
Pools	28
Tennis courts	2
Fireplaces/chimneys	20
Q.R. Meters	11
Miscellaneous	<u>68</u>
Total Permits	364
Fees Collected	\$14,904.50
Complaints filed with Bldg. Dept.	12
Art. 24 — Building Without Permit	7
Art. 24 — Fines Collected	7

Robert Marceau
Building Inspector

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION REPORT 1980

During 1980, the Parks and Recreation Commission concentrated on maintaining, scheduling and promoting the use of our recreation facilities.

The town pool proved to be a very popular facility this year with 244 resident family memberships and 40 non-resident family memberships; \$3,157.30 was collected for daily users' fees. Due to the early good weather, the pool opened three consecutive weekends earlier than the normal ten-week season. The intent is to do the same next year. The traditional Red Cross beginner-through-swimmer classes were offered along with Basic Rescue, Water Safety, Advanced Lifesaving, Adult Classes, Slimnastics, Pre-school Classes, and Lap Swimming. The swim team was quite successful this year and captured first place in Division III at the Annual Rotary Swim Meet in Milford. A great deal of parent support was received by the swim team. The commission hopes this type of support will continue to grow. This year funds have been requested to make a major repair to the pool's skimmer system.

The baseball fields continued to receive a great deal of use. The Little League has asked the commission to consider expanding our present facilities to accommodate future growth in their programs. Our proposed budget reflects fulfillment of part of this request. After consultation with the selectmen it was felt that the pursuit of future land purchases is near at hand. This will be pursued during 1981 and, if appropriate, monetary requests will be made in 1982. The Babe Ruth League sponsored a major regional tournament at the Major League ballpark.

The commission, selectmen, and all those involved in Bedford baseball were saddened by the untimely death of David J. Riley. Dave was instrumental in promoting both Little League and American Legion Baseball in Bedford. For this reason both the selectmen and the commission unanimously agreed to name our major league field the David J. Riley Memorial Field.

The Youth Soccer Program has continued to grow in popularity. The league continues to be well organized and a great deal of fun for those participating. The outdoor skating facility continues to be

well utilized when the weather permits. As with any outdoor skating facility, ours is very dependent on weather.

The tennis courts continue to see heavy use during the spring and summer and provide recreation to many participants of all ages.

Burton A. Hyman, Chairman
Parks and Recreation
Commission

CONSERVATION COMMISSION ANNUAL REPORT

Pulpit Rock was one of the principal concerns of the Conservation Commission during 1980. For those unaware of Pulpit Rock, it is a unique geological feature, somewhat similar in formation to the flume in the N.H. White Mountains. The glacial runoff in the northwest corner of Bedford carved a gorge through solid bedrock creating a 75-100 foot precipice and several magnificent water falls, pools and excavations along Pulpit Brook. See the 1903 or 1971 Town Histories for further information.

We propose purchasing 150-175 acres surrounding the Pulpit for a multipurpose passive recreation area. Through timber stand improvements we would envision a Town Forest on part of the property. Inter-connected nature trails would be cut along both sides of Pulpit Brook for hikers and cross country skiers to see the geological features, natural flora and fauna and wetlands. The purchase would preserve this unusual property as open space for future generations to study and enjoy.

Please attend the Town Meeting on March 17th at McKelvie School to register your opinions and vote for the acquisition of this unique open space.

The Commission was pleased to have Wetland Zoning adopted to prevent building in areas which are undersirable by the nature of the soils. We reviewed 15-20 dredge and fill applications and complaints. In many cases, reports to the N.H. Wetland Board were made.

Members of the Conservation Commission attended the annual meeting of the N.H. Association of Conservation Commissions. Topics at the meeting were wetland ordinances, natural resources and wetland inventory and acid rain.

Clark Gott, Chairman

REPORT OF THE SOUTHERN NEW HAMPSHIRE PLANNING COMMISSION

The Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission is a voluntary association of local governments acting together to address regional needs and priorities identified by your municipal representatives.

The Commission's member communities have many common concerns which can often be resolved more effectively and efficiently on a cooperative basis. The economies that are achieved by an areawide approach to these concerns, through Commission programs, produce substantial savings for local taxpayers by pooling their limited resources — providing members with material, data and professional services that few communities could easily afford on an individual basis.

Through the Commission's regional planning and transportation programs, a variety of reports and data are developed on an annual basis and made available to local officials to help them deal with some of their day-to-day responsibilities. Such material is often used to support locally-initiated public improvement projects, some of which can be financially assisted with State and Federal funds.

Included among the Commission's accomplishments during the past year, under our regional and transportation planning elements were:

- a "Catalog of Selected State and Local Development Permits". This document identifies the various permits that may be required, in addition to subdivision and site plan approval prior to undertaking construction in the communities;
- a draft "National Flood Insurance Program Administrative Handbook" recently edited by officials of the Federal Emergency Management Agency. Printing of the final draft is expected in 1981 to be followed by distribution to local officials;
- the review and comment on 195 funding applications, submitted by a variety of local, state and non-profit agencies and organizations, to provide or continue many projects and programs benefiting member communities and their residents;

- receipt of unconditional certification of the Commission's metropolitan area transportation planning program. This marked the first time in the 14-year history of the Commission that all prerequisites for continued federal financial assistance to implement recommended highway and public transit system improvements had been satisfied. The SNHPC is one of possibly three metropolitan planning organizations in all of New England to enjoy this distinction.

Statistical analyses undertaken as part of the metropolitan area transportation planning program, covering Manchester, Auburn, Bedford, Goffstown, Hooksett and Londonderry, were compiled in the following reports:

- "Socio-Economic Data Disaggregation — South Manchester/Londonderry Sub-Area Study";
- "Land Use Update";
- "Population Estimates";
- "School Enrollment";
- "Employment Estimates"; and
- "Vehicle Travel Time" — an analysis of street network efficiency.

Local Assistance Services

A representative sampling of staff services provided to the Town of Bedford during the year includes:

- Completion of engineering evaluations, recommendations and cost estimates for the following dangerous intersections identified by the Board of Selectmen and the Director of Public Works:
 - N.H. Route 101 — Meetinghouse Road
 - N.H. Route 101 — Nashua Road
 - N.H. Route 101 — Bedford Center Road
 - Worthley Road — Rundlett Hill Road
 - Meetinghouse Road — Gault Road — Patten Road

- Conducted a workshop on the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's Community Development Block Grant Program competition for fiscal year 1981 to which Town officials were invited.
- Provided the Bedford Memorial School, McKelvie School, Peter Woodbury School and the Public Library with copies of Commission reports, newsletters, and a variety of State and federal agency publications.
- Provided the Planning Board with copies of the Office of State Planning publication "Planning and Development Techniques, Options for Managing Growth in N.H.".
- Provided the Planning Board with a listing of the types of industries that should be considered as potential sources of high levels of air pollution.
- Reviewed the 1980 preliminary population figures reported by the Bureau of the Census, at the request of the Board of Selectmen.
- Attended a meeting with the Selectmen, Director of Public Works and representatives of the Manchester Water Works, at the request of the Selectmen, to review long-term water needs of the Town.
- Provided the Board of Selectmen, Planning Board, Zoning Board of Adjustment and the Building Inspector with notices of schedules of the Municipal Law Lecture Series held during the fall.
- Provided the Board of Selectmen with a copy of the Office of State Planning report **Options for an Urban Development Policy: An Action Agenda for New Hampshire** and invited their comments as to how they feel the proposal relates to the Town's needs.
- Printed copies of the zoning ordinance as requested by the Board of Selectmen.
- Prepared a statistical, socioeconomic and cultural profile of the Town of Bedford including data on population, housing, land

use, the economy, an inventory of transportation and community services available to residents, and pertinent planning and governmental information.

Bedford's representatives on the Commission are:

Commissioners: Mr. Eugene M. VanLoan, Jr.
 Mr. Paul Goldberg

Executive Committee: Mr. Eugene M. VanLoan, Jr.

Metropolitan Manchester Transportation Planning
Policy Committee: Mr. Eugene M. VanLoan, Jr.

REPORT OF BUILDING STUDY COMMITTEE

The final report of the Building Study Committee is tendered herewith to the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire with the following pertinent recommendations, the committee having considered all feasible alternatives.

The recommendations of the committee are as follows:

1. Construct a public safety building as an addition to the existing fire station having additional space for the fire department and adequate space for the housing of the activities and training of the police department, fire department, rescue squad, and dispatch center.
2. Renovate the existing Town Office/Police facility to provide space for all of the operating Town Boards and Offices. The present court room to be retained as space for hearings and legal proceedings and meetings of the various Town agencies.
3. Construct an addition to the present Town Office Building to be used as a Court Room and with additional spaces for offices and for the judiciary.
4. Provide fireproof storage areas in the Town Offices for the vital records of the Town.
5. Conduct investigations and plan for a second fire station at some point remote from the existing fire station facility.
6. Either renovate the "Little Green House" and construct a connector to the library to provide a facility for classes or other activities not compatible with a library atmosphere, or, return the building to the donor and cease the use of the building.
7. Construct a substantial structure at the Town Recreation Area for use as a secure storage and maintenance facility.
8. Design additional facilities for expansion of the present Highway Department garage at the existing site. Consider the construction of salt storage facilities at the present site of the sanitary landfill to provide additional space at the existing garage site.

9. Maintain the Town Hall in its present role as a polling place and community activities center.

10. As an alternative to recommendation number one, provide a new facility for Town Offices on land to be acquired, and utilize the present Town Offices as a Police Station.

For The Committee

Eugene Van Loan

David Bailey

Mrs. Geo. T. Wiggin

Robert Wheeler

Rev. James Scotland

C. Oswald Peters

A. J. Lambert, Selectman

John R. Jacobson, Chairman

REPORT OF MOSQUITO CONTROL COMMISSION

In March of 1980, the town voted to establish a Mosquito Control District pursuant to N.H. RSA 437A, 1-12: for the purpose of preserving and promoting public health and welfare by providing control of mosquitoes.

This year the primary job of the Mosquito Control Commission has been to seek information concerning the life cycle of the mosquito; to study mosquito control programs currently in effect; to research federal and state laws and regulations relating to mosquito abatement; and to evaluate the step by step procedures necessary for establishing a mosquito control program.

After much research it is this board's recommendation that there are safe and effective methods that will help minimize the mosquito problem. It would be impossible to eliminate all mosquitoes, but if we measure the success of programs in other towns in terms of human comfort, then we must recommend the programs to be worthwhile.

The Commission's primary goal for 1980-1981 is to have a mosquito breeding site survey done in the spring and early summer of 1981. A budget of \$5,149.85 will be required to fund such a survey. The purpose of the survey is to identify and map all existing and potential breeding sites, identify the species populating a given area and make recommendations as to controlling the identified sites. All future mosquito control programs will be based on the findings of this survey. Various state agencies that monitor mosquito control require a detailed survey to be submitted by the town before any control programs can be approved.

Starting an actual mosquito control program in 1982, depends on the outcome of the survey and the willingness of the town to appropriate funds. The results of any program may be slow at first, but the results will be accumulative with improvement becoming more obvious with each year of the program's existence.

Mosquito control has been proven to work in other towns in New Hampshire and we believe it can work in Bedford.

Respectfully submitted,
Paula Creekmore, Chairman
Members:
Jean Monesmith
Bob Coll

DISPATCH CENTER

The Dispatch Center is now in its third full year of operation. For those of you who are unfamiliar with the center, it is located in the Police Department and is manned 24 hours a day by a dispatcher. The Dispatcher has the responsibility of answering four telephone lines for the Police Department, two lines for the Fire Department, and one line for the Highway Department. The Center has radio contact with the Police, Fire, and Highway Departments, plus the New Hampshire State Police and Hillsborough County Dispatch in Goffstown. A CB radio is also in the Dispatch Center, which is used to monitor channel 9, the emergency channel. The Dispatch Center also monitors many commercial burglary alarms and home burglary alarms that directly come into the Police Station.

For new equipment, we had appropriated money to change our Police transmitter location from the top of the Police Station to the attic of the Town Hall. This gives us an increased height of several hundred feet, which greatly increases our transmission and reception levels. We have had problems in the past where certain areas in the town had poor reception and this new antenna has virtually eliminated these problems. However some of the installation was not completed until the first week of 1981 so an appropriation shows in the 1981 budget request. The delay was due primarily to the federal licensing process which took longer than anticipated. Other than that we are not asking for any new equipment.

We are pleased with our communications center and feel that it is invaluable in providing essential services to the town. We hope you share our feelings and we welcome your complaints and suggestions at any time.

Richard D. Audette
Administrator
Dispatch Center

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

In February, 1980, Bedford had 5518 registered voters. On the day of the Presidential Primary, Feb. 26, 1980, 3442 voted which was 62% of all registered voters. NBC's TODAY show was broadcast live from Bedford's Town Hall.

For the September N.H. Primary Election, Bedford had a total of 5886 voters, composed of 1562 Democrats, 3081 Republicans, 1242 Independents and one Socialist.

On Election Day, Nov. 4, 1980, we recorded one of the largest turnouts in Bedford history. Out of 6210 registered voters, 4932 people voted which was 79%.

During the March 1980 Town Elections, Betty Folsom was elected to a 2 year term and Mary Foster was elected for 6 years.

Residents may register at Town Offices daily during regular office hours. They must provide proper identification, i.e. a driver's license. Voters wishing to change their party may do so only when the Supervisors schedule sessions which are dictated by law. Notices are posted at Town Offices, Town Hall, the Library, the Rte. 101 Plaza and in the Bedford Bulletin and Union Leader.

The Supervisors thank Edith Schmidtchen, the Town Clerk, and her staff, for handling most of the registrations.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary E. Foster
Chairperson

**REPORT
PUBLIC WORKS & HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT**

The past calendar year 1980 has been an extremely busy one for highway personnel. In addition to our regular summer and winter maintenance work programs covering additional mileage every year, we were able to carry out several major improvement projects. We are pleased with the results of our pavement reclamation and resurfacing work on Old Bedford Road and on Back River Road, our road relocation work at the double curves on Back River Road just south of the Woodbury school, and the upgrading and resurfacing of Pheasant Run and Garrison Drive.

The State-Federal rebuilding and drainage work carried out on Boynton Street made it possible for us to extend and install our own drainage facilities servicing Keene Street and the first section of Pauline Street. Also undertaken at the same time was a cooperative effort with the State and the Manchester Water Works whereby the old water mains were replaced with new larger capacity pipes for better service and potential future extensions. Additional drainage facilities were also installed at the intersection of Church and Wallace Roads and on Appledor Road.

An intensified program of dead tree removal along our roadways was carried out as well as dust control work on gravel roads and re-painting of double yellow lines on over seven miles of our paved highways.

In an effort to 'keep up' with our planned long range program of annual maintenance and upgrading work, we are again proposing several substantial road improvement projects for this coming year. Additionally, and in keeping with recommendations resulting from State-Federal inspections of our bridges, we are proposing some safety work in this area. Continuation of annual proportionate shares of our long range responsibilities, coupled with strict enforcement of our Minimum Standards for new subdivision roads will avoid the need for any 'crash type' programs to correct accumulative problems. We view this policy as a major factor contributing to the stabilization of our costs from year to year.

Our normal and routine day to day maintenance of our increasing number of miles of highways has again proved difficult for our rela-

ively small working force. Added over-time and use of additional part-time workers during extended periods has increased to a point whereby the need for re-evaluation is becoming apparent. In our proposed budget, we are requesting some clerical assistance for the purpose of better use and extension of services from existing personnel.

Armand A. Dugas
Public Works Director

LANDFILL AREA

The landfill area located on 100 acres off Wallace Road has now been operating for 8 years and is maintained by Mr. James Simon. The hours for the Landfill are Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. There is a 4:00 p.m. deadline for all commercial dumping.

Residents using the area are to obtain a Landfill permit available at the Selectmen's Office before April 1 and should follow the posted signs indicating the separation of material such as large metals, wood, and trash.

Persons leaving trash outside the gates will be prosecuted and subject to fine.

The Landfill area has now established a fee system for commercial dumping and coupons are available at the Selectmen's Office.

Bedford Board of Selectmen

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BEDFORD, N.H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1980

Date of Birth	Where Born	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
January	4	Christopher John	Robert L. Blais Jr.	Jane Claire Nault
	5	Sarah Putnam	David W. Cochran	Eleanor Goodwin
	11	Christopher Michael	Ronald C. Bruce	Ellen Mary Martel
February	12	Peter Edward	David B. Raiche	Patricia Lois Kubarek
	21	Lisa Nicole	Albert S. Faucon	Nancy Jean Dodge
	29	Adam James Widney	William J. D. Wells	Linda Bell Cotton
	29	Jonathan Hayden	Charles H. Howard	Susan Jane Dell
	31	Erin Marie	John J. Foley	Katherine Jean Keune
	4	Brittany Clark	David Larkin	Virginia Ann Clark
	11	Jeffrey Michael	James D. Tew	Paula Sue Partridge
	13	Shanna Lee	Richard L. Mailloux	Patricia Ellen Doucet
	14	Thomas Edward	Thomas R. Curran	Frances C. Edgerton
	14	Joseph William	Thomas R. Curran	Frances C. Edgerton
March	14	Michael Scott	Scott C. Patten	Caryl Ann Patryn
	22	Peter Scott	Gregory W. Mazabob	Janine Marie Scott
	27	Anne Theresa	James G. Kelly	Annemarie Theresa Quinn
	27	Kevin Richard	Richard P. Gage	Jacqueline Ruth VanNess
	29	Katrina Beth	Ronald D. Pellerinsey	Charlotte Ann Hersey
	4	Eric Scott	Richard S. Parkinson	Patricia Ann Guptill
	4	Peter Scott	James P. Hocking	Patricia Ann Buck
	7	Maegan Michelle	James A. Jordan III	Andrea Marilyn Dorn
	12	Claire Elizabeth	Max K. Willischer	Lynn Diane Garbirini
	14	Diane Ann	Raymond A. Deschambault	Cecelia Ann Sidley
17	Daniel Patrick	Michael A. Sills	Claire Regina Morris	
19	Abby French	Frederick Haberstroch	Karen Lee French	
19	Drew Erickson	James P. Hadley	Jill May Ohlson	
22	Lindsay Alicia	Robert W. Main Jr.	Catharine A. Annable	
24	Evan Tyler	Donald E.-J. York	Gail Joan Spaulding	
18	Stephanie Michelle	Samuel R. Schutz	Virginia E. Knapp	
30	Matthew Jason	Robert M. Thaler	Avivi Davis	
April	3	William Robinson	William E. Baker	Lorraine Marie White
	5	Catherine Frances	Ronald A. Provencher	Frances Yvette Chabot

Date of Birth	Where Born	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
19	Manchester, N.H.	Heather Rae	Bruce A. Bailey	Karen E. Plifka
25	Manchester, N.H.	Stephanie Anne	William G. Thornton	Laurette Marie Nelson
27	Manchester, N.H.	Elizabeth Lauren	Paul M. Woods	Lorraine Ruth Wascher
27	Concord, N.H.	Justin Edward	Edward Scull X	Nancy Louise Coates
21	Concord, N.H.	Kathryn Brook	Michael P. Garry	Barbara Marie Westbrook
6	Concord, N.H.	Alyson Ann	Robert L. King	Deborah Ann Burdick
10	Manchester, N.H.	Matthew Stephen	Mark C. Longo	Lynne Daphne Cacavas
14	Nashua, N.H.	Darrell Michael Jr.	Darrell M. Grande	Kathleen Mary Kellerman
16	Concord, N.H.	Catherine Anne	DeWitt Clinton Jr.	Nancy Louise Schade
18	Concord, N.H.	Elizabeth Lois	William H. Kenny	Elaine Frances Golden
21	Manchester, N.H.	Kevin	Carlos A. Andrade	Maria Corete Carvalho
13	Bedford, N.H.	Scott Leo	Leo V. Graham	Karen Sue Marshall
12	Nashua, N.H.	Michael Edward	Edward P. Moran Jr.	Susan Barker
21	Manchester, N.H.	Brian Richard	Richard N. Champagne	Donna Dee Yankee
29	Manchester, N.H.	Jessica Lee	Bruce R. Chickering	Jeanne Marie Boisvert
1	Manchester, N.H.	Joseph Michael	Maurice A. Boucher	Susan Denise Potvin
2	Manchester, N.H.	Abigail Leah	Raymond D. Chadwick	Dorothy May Thompson
2	Concord, N.H.	Jay Paul	David P. Johannett	Donna Marie LaPine
4	Concord, N.H.	Daniel Asher	Morris K. Goodman	Patti-Ann McLean
15	Manchester, N.H.	Shauna Candice	Steven M. Gauthier	Donna Marie Gagnon
18	Concord, N.H.	Colleen Marie	Thomas S. Franco Jr.	Mary Beth Donegan
18	Nashua, N.H.	Kathleen Frances	John F. Heaps Jr.	Jane Roper Murray
18	Manchester, N.H.	Margaret Anne	Michel F. Letendre	Marilynn Joan Moody
19	Derry, N.H.	Angela Marie	Donald E. Pappalardo	Joyce Ann Jason
2	Manchester, N.H.	Jason David	David H. Behrer	Kristine Costello
7	Concord, N.H.	Benjamin Otto	Frank M. Stanek	Dawna Marie Medaglia
16	Manchester, N.H.	Amy Lynn	William G. Moy	Nancy Lynn Fischer
17	Manchester, N.H.	Alicia Anne	John J. Daly	Geraldine Lee McCarthy
15	Concord, N.H.	Ashley Ann	Ched D. Miller	Elaine Kay Basbas
16	Nashua, N.H.	Matthew Robert	Wallace R. Tirman	Valerie Hall
21	Concord, N.H.	David John	Charles A. Grasso	Jane Marie Kennealy
23	Concord, N.H.	Daniel Sullivan	William E. Brennan	Marilyn E. Sullivan
26	Concord, N.H.	Colin George	George H. Andries Jr.	Patricia Ann Tomczyk
31	Manchester, N.H.	Daniel Tyler	Thomas W. Atherton	Linda Day Durell

Date of Birth	Where Born	Name of Child	Name of Father	Name of Mother
September 2	Manchester, N.H.	Nathan Noel	David C. Bailey	Susan Kathleen Noel
September 3	Manchester, N.H.	Todd Anthony	Kenneth R. Riekert	Susan Irene Randolph
September 5	Concord, N.H.	Oliver Christoph	Rolf H. Koehler	Sonja Waltraud Hoffmann
September 9	Manchester, N.H.	Brooke Leigh	Kenneth R. Bergeron	Doris L. Pellerin
September 12	Manchester, N.H.	Kristen Ann	Kevin A. Travis	Sharon Ann Bellerose
September 17	Manchester, N.H.	Eric Michael	Richard L. Bixby	Susan Orrah Hill
September 17	Manchester, N.H.	Morgan Ann	Allen J. Tucker	Ann May Roy
September 21	Manchester, N.H.	Gregory Walker	Kenneth D. Thomas	Constance Sue Walker
September 4	Manchester, N.H.	Gregory William	John F. Belanger	Donna Lee Maksymac
September 13	Manchester, N.H.	Amy Elaine	Robert J. Desrochers	Suzanne B. Iarochelle
September 17	Nashua, N.H.	Troy William	Matthew J. Zsofka	Patricia Sonya Rose
September 18	Manchester, N.H.	Anthony Joseph	Marc R. Bolduc	Theresa S. St. Hilaire
September 30	Manchester, N.H.	Mitchell Armand	Armand A. Sarette	Judith C. Szumierz
September 30	Concord, N.H.	Abigail Sarah	Marc I. Keller	Ellen Frances Zall
September 31	Concord, N.H.	Ernest Benjamin	Ernest J. Simmons	Jill Lyon Gram
September 3	Concord, N.H.	Kara Marie	Arthur F. Pearson	Anne Theresa Clair
September 9	Manchester, N.H.	Timothy Allen	Richard A. Raymond	Bonnie Lee Deragon
September 12	Manchester, N.H.	Kevin Michael	George M. Welch	Patricia M. Morris
September 15	Manchester, N.H.	Steven Joseph	James C. Boselli	Kathleen Jill Wirtz
September 15	Manchester, N.H.	Kristen Lane	Peter W. Baldourmas	Susan Francis Lane
December 3	Manchester, N.H.	Justin Robert Tyme	Robert E. Mailhot	Bonnie H. MacMillan
December 3	Concord, N.H.	Nicholas Joseph	Nicholas J. Marino	Katherine Mary Corbett
December 5	Concord, N.H.	Lauren Margaret	James E. Possee	Kristin Adora Edwards
December 10	Concord, N.H.	Christopher Scott	Thomas S. Preston	Sharon K. Anderson
December 6	Manchester, N.H.	Matthew Gerald	Alexander Mavrogeorge	Diane M. Croteau
December 11	Manchester, N.H.	Unknown	Terrence F. Flahive	Bronwen W. Williams
December 13	Manchester, N.H.	Jeffrey John	Edward T. Eagen	Shirley A. Deangelis
December 18	Manchester, N.H.	Eric Michael	Don P. Sereno	Colleen M. Creeden
December 19	Manchester, N.H.	Amber Anne	Daniel A. Genest	Celeste M. Tremblay
December 24	Concord, N.H.	Scott Benjamin	Kenneth E. Sandler	Gail L. Routhier
December 26	Manchester, N.H.	Courtney Anne	Walter Barber	Ellen M. O'Malley
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December 2	Manchester, N.H.	Heather Anne	Craig A. Lieby	Lynnanne Labbe

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BEDFORD, N.H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1980

Date of Marriage	Where Married	Name of Groom and Bride	By Whom Married
January	12	Edward J. Richards & Ann C. Avery	Patricia M. Gamlin, J.P.
	29	Joseph P. Craig & Collette L. Helie	Zdzislawa J. Bryl, J.P.
February	14	Raymond A. Deschambault & Cecelia Bistany	Donald L. Fowler, J.P.
	14	Kenneth J. Simon & Cheryl A. Russell	Evelyn Tsiatsios, J.P.
	16	Donald J. Raymond & Denise M. Dewyngaert	Rev. Humbert M. Oliveira, Priest
	22	William C. McCullough & Deborah J. Beecher	John P. Potter, Minister
	29	Charles R. McCormick & Karen A. Larson	Perry M. Blankenship, Priest
March	7	Gary J. Higgins & Deborah J. Colton	James Scotland Jr., Pastor
	1	Robert S. Levesque Jr. & Rosemary A. Eldridge	Lucien Coutu, Priest
	19	John A. Diamantopolos & Leslie L. Alexander	Rev. Harold J. Harter, Pastor
April	22	James H. Arvanittis & Lynn Marie G. Mandeville	Rev. James C. Christon, Priest
	26	Randolph A. Macdonald & Sandra L. Ackerson	Fr. H. Smith O.S.B., Priest
May	3	Kim B. Moore & June B. Rice	Rev. James Scotland Jr., Pastor
	9	Joseph G. Mamone & Denise I. Brisson	Robert H. Rowe, J.P.
	10	James R. Langer & Debra A. Chinn	Rev. James Scotland, Pastor
	10	Paul H. MacEwen Jr. & Barbara A. Moy	Rev. James Scotland, Pastor
	17	Timothy M. Hogan & Diane A. Gelinas	Rev. G. F. Chalifour, Priest
	18	Kenneth F. Deroo & Marie D. Dupuis	Raymond Demers, J.P.
	23	Mark W. Bernier & Linda L. Pinard	Rev. H. M. Oliveira, Priest
	25	Paul D. Hughey & Lori L. Roberts	Rev. P. C. Hughey, Jr.
	31	Donald E. Peacock & Nancy Allan	Rev. J. Scotland Jr., Pastor
	24	Richard R. Martin & Bonnie S. Sreighton	Rev. H. M. Oliveira, Priest
	31	David C. Lancot & Diane J. Roy	Norman P. Bolduc, Jr., Priest
	31	John C. Shulistad & Karen I. Clough	Rev. James Scotland, Jr.
June	1	Robert D. Gross & Ellen S. Friedman	Alan J. Cronheim, J.P.
	2	James A. Banker Jr. & Diann M. Petersen	Howard Rogers, Pastor-LCA
	7	James A. Brown & Brenda L. Lavoie	Rev. H. M. Oliveira
	13	Thomas G. Ledoux & Patricia A. Martino	Raymond Demers, J.P.
	14	Steven J. Brown & Anita L. Waldo	Msgr. Leo F. Hines
	14	James P. McDonough & Sheila B. Keefe	Rev. M. D. Lavigne

Date of Marriage	Where Married	Name of Groom and Bride	By Whom Married
14	Manchester, N.H.	Michael L. Wayne & Donna D. Lavery	Gregory B. Keleher, Priest
21	Bedford, N.H.	Roy Lewis & Norma G. Arsenault	Rev. James Scotland Jr.
21	Bedford, N.H.	Jeffrey R. White & Deborah J. Deller	Rev. Leo F. Hines
28	Bedford, N.H.	Frank E. Paiement & Debra A. Baker	Donald L. Fowler, J.P.
28	Manchester, N.H.	Scott W. Pollock & Robyn J. Brooks	Kenneth C. Brookes, Pastor
21	Manchester, N.H.	Marc J. Chauvette & Darlene J. Pare	Roger Chauvette, Priest
21	Manchester, N.H.	Donald J. Duval & Rozanne M. Berry	Rev. Robert T. Vangel
10	Bedford, N.H.	Arnold J. Midwood, Jr. & Nancy M. Brown	Rev. James Scotland Jr.
12	Manchester, N.H.	Raymond R. Breault & Donna M. Smagula	Rev. Richard Giroux
19	Bedford, N.H.	Kenneth R. Bergeron & Janice M. Dionne	Daniel K. Morin, J.P.
19	Manchester, N.H.	Peter G. Doyon & Susan J. Mendzela	Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Gnat
26	Manchester, N.H.	Steven R. Clark & Mary E. McGrath	Rev. George A. Desjardins
19	Manchester, N.H.	Chandler V. Fairbanks & Donna M. Janosz	Rev. Alfred Dantszewski
20	Bedford, N.H.	Edward W. Steady & Betsey-Jane H. Hill	Rev. James Scotland Jr.
2	Bedford, N.H.	Timothy M. Coulter & Barbara A. Prieto	Msgr. Leo F. Hines
3	Bedford, N.H.	Ronald L. Lavoie & Linda M. Hickey	P.D. Bakker, Minister
9	Bedford, N.H.	Charles T. Archer & Karen A. Trueheart	Rev. James Scotland Jr.
9	Derry, N.H.	Stephen D. Robinson & Susan K. Verity	Phillip G. Houghton, Rector
9	Bedford, N.H.	Edward J. Comiskey, III & Robin L. Gearty	Rev. Humbert M. Oliveira
9	Allenstown, N.H.	Douglas E. Dunn & Debra J. Gagne	Richard P. Cote, Priest
10	Bedford, N.H.	Harold R. Eckman & Amy S. Kaplan	Samuel Umen, Rabbi
10	Manchester, N.H.	Mark S. Konides & Lori E. Kenyon	Stephen Konides, Elder, Minister
16	Bedford, N.H.	Robert E. Buckley & Elaine M. Bolduc	Rev. D. L. Martineau
16	Manchester, N.H.	Dennis P. Poirier & Catherine M. Huard	Rev. G. A. Desjardins
17	Bedford, N.H.	John V. Miller & Susan Avery	Ralph M. Wiggin Jr., J.P.
22	Manchester, N.H.	Alan C. Zindt & Marilyn M. Mullen	Park Linscomb, Evangelist
23	Manchester, N.H.	Ronald R. Evans & Rebecca L. Hosmer	Rev. N. E. Bouley
29	Manchester, N.H.	Joseph P. Jarnutowski & Judith Eaton	John P. Potter, Minister
7	Nashua, N.H.	Randall D. Dow & Sharon L. Hamill	Wm. R. Keefe, Minister
13	Manchester, N.H.	Kenneth R. Dionne & Denise J. Douillard	Rev. Phillip A. Petit
13	Bedford, N.H.	Michael J. Manning & In-Suk Nam	Rev. James Scotland Jr.
13	Bedford, N.H.	Seth R. Maxwell & Heather J. Maser	Rev. James Scotland Jr.
27	Manchester, N.H.	Harold W. Smith, Jr. & Mary Jane McCabe	Donald L. Fowler, J.P.

Date of Marriage	Where Married	Name of Groom and Bride	By Whom Married
October	4	Bedford, N.H.	James R. Thineault & Kim L. Streitburger
	11	Bedford, N.H.	Daniel P. Fortin & Kathleen M. Williams
	11	Manchester, N.H.	Mark W. Harrington & Ruth Ann Mothes
	11	Manchester, N.H.	Gilles A. Ouellette & Deborah A. Cassidy
	18	Manchester, N.H.	Freddie Marvin Hillhouse Jr. & Margery Beth Simon
	18	Bedford, N.H.	Bernard M. Gamache & Sandra L. Danais
	25	Bedford, N.H.	Claude A. St. Pierre & Marcella R. Heile
November	14	Manchester, N.H.	Ernest J. Landry & Susan R. Dubois
	15	Nashua, N.H.	Norman S. Fay & Kathryn M. Welch
	22	Bedford, N.H.	Aaron B. Eaton & Rhonda D. Scheeders
	26	Manchester, N.H.	Joseph E. Steinmetz & Joan F. Williams
	28	Manchester, N.H.	Lawrence C. Young Jr. & Lynda H. Lavoie
	29	Manchester, N.H.	Gary A. Morse & Geraldine Tighe
	15	Manchester, N.H.	Matthew J. Swank & Lisa A. Wageling
December	12	Manchester, N.H.	Ronald E. Marcoux & Jeanne G. Jacques
	27	Manchester, N.H.	Guy A. Ouellette & Nancy M. Saad
	20	Hudson, N.H.	George C. Medbury Jr. & Judith A. Ames
July	5	Holderness, N.H.	Samuel S. Richards & Margaret S. Ober
1979			
July	28	Goffstown, N.H.	Brian A. Mistretta & Margaret M. O'Neil
			Rev. Arthur O. Houde

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BEDFORD, N.H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1980

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Burial or Cremation	
January	1	Charles Henry Walsch	91	Bedford, N.H.	
	2	Muriel Solange LaFleur	71	Manchester, N.H.	
	5	Anna C. Neumann	95	Manchester, N.H.	
	13	Judith Ruth Shapiro	50	Manchester, N.H.	
	13	Mildred Brouillet	83	Whitefield, N.H.	
	18	Calliope Cambourakis	89	Manchester, N.H.	
	18	Annie Landry Ried	81	Manchester, N.H.	
	21	Margaret Francis Price	82	West Roxbury, Mass.	
	21	Fred A. Faulkner	90	Manchester, N.H.	
	29	Rose H. Untiet	83	Manchester, N.H.	
	29	Eva R. Burke	88	Bedford, N.H.	
	30	Adam J. W. Wells	20 hrs.	Concord, N.H.	
	February	1	Ernest Corson	94	Manchester, N.H.
		3	Kenneth A. Langer	21	Manchester, N.H.
		10	Dorothy Gladys Lewis	82	Concord, N.H.
		19	Denis Vigneault	77	Manchester, N.H.
		20	Hervey N. Lussier	94	Manchester, N.H.
25		Helga Betsy Oddson	85	Concord, N.H.	
27		Evariste D. Boisvert	88	Bedford, N.H.	
9		Samuel T. Chambers	82	Peabody, Mass.	
6		Edna Kirk Taft	94	Concord, N.H.	
18		Oberlin L. Gheen	88	Concord, N.H.	
March	20	Florida Delisle	81	Manchester, N.H.	
	30	Katherine Cecilia Landregan	90	Bedford, N.H.	
	4	Harriet Eldora Wallace	78	Manchester, N.H.	
	11	Hazel H. Eastman	84	East Andover, N.H.	
	17	Virginia P. Yeates	78	Manchester, N.H.	
	20	Vivian Bernice Carswell	86	Goffstown, N.H.	
	1	Lea Ernestine Jacobson	77	Bedford, N.H.	
	7	Olga Schricker Schonland	82	Manchester, N.H.	
	April				
May					

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Burial or Cremation
10	Manchester, N.H.	William J. Toolin	70	Bedford, N.H.
14	Bedford, N.H.	Emily Aboshar	76	Andover, Mass.
17	Bedford, N.H.	Frank Mellin	87	Wall Township, N.J.
18	Manchester, N.H.	David J. Riley, Sr.	56	Bedford, N.H.
20	Bedford, N.H.	Sarah Knox	91	Manchester, N.H.
21	Bedford, N.H.	Edwin O. Jewett	89	Amherst, N.H.
24	Bedford, N.H.	Agnes L. Ryan	88	Bedford, N.H.
25	Bedford, N.H.	Albert Francis Piecuch	61	Goffstown, N.H.
27	Bedford, N.H.	Edward P. DePloey	81	Bedford, N.H.
31	Bedford, N.H.	Cora Evelina Bodreau	86	Manchester, N.H.
1	Bedford, N.H.	Nellie Chapman Richardson	92	Lowell, Mass.
19	Bedford, N.H.	Arthur J. Boilard	89	Manchester, N.H.
2	Bedford, N.H.	Mary Ellen McCarthy	92	Manchester, N.H.
20	Bedford, N.H.	Mary E. Parker	76	St. Johnsbury, Vt.
21	Concord, N.H.	Darren Scott Woods	20	Concord, N.H.
22	Bedford, N.H.	Joseph MNM Sanocki	85	Goffstown, N.H.
24	Manchester, N.H.	Adeline Lajeunesse	80	Manchester, N.H.
27	Manchester, N.H.	Suzie M. Robinson	90	S. Plainfield, N.J.
28	Bedford, N.H.	Anita Provencher	76	Manchester, N.H.
30	Manchester, N.H.	Alphee Roger Belair	57	Manchester, N.H.
4	Manchester, N.H.	Aline L. Medbury	53	Bedford, N.H.
14	Bedford, N.H.	Agnes Harriet Simpson	81	Rumney, N.H.
16	Bedford, N.H.	John F. Szarek	77	Manchester, N.H.
17	Manchester, N.H.	Armande C. Raymond	62	St. Edwidge, Quebec
19	Bedford, N.H.	Alice Tuteur Heumann	94	Manchester, N.H.
20	Manchester, N.H.	Rose L. Paris	91	Manchester, N.H.
23	Bedford, N.H.	Margaret S. Pratt	88	Concord, N.H.
26	Manchester, N.H.	Elizabeth Kean	82	Manchester, N.H.
27	Bedford, N.H.	John J. Loxton	86	Bedford, N.H.
4	Manchester, N.H.	Wilda C. Stanchfield	79	Bedford, N.H.
8	Manchester, N.H.	Emile O. Rogler	96	Concord, N.H.
16	Bedford, N.H.	Pauline C. Emery	78	Goffstown, N.H.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Burial or Cremation
17	Bedford, N.H.	Gerald Spenard	29	Manchester, N.H.
20	Bedford, N.H.	Alice Marie Handlin	88	Bedford, N.H.
23	Bedford, N.H.	Edward Perkins	74	Manchester, N.H.
28	Bedford, N.H.	Arthur J. Ouellette	71	Manchester, N.H.
October	Manchester, N.H.	Ann Salamacha	81	So. Bound Brook, N.J.
3	Manchester, N.H.	Raymond R. Breault	26	Concord, N.H.
6	Manchester, N.H.	Oscar J. Tremblay	75	Manchester, N.H.
9	Manchester, N.H.	Frederick Burns	64	Manchester, N.H.
16	Manchester, N.H.	Margaret Reed Woodbury	78	Bedford, N.H.
20	Bedford, N.H.	Elodia R. DuPont	78	Manchester, N.H.
21	Bedford, N.H.	Stanley A. Kazanowski	64	Manchester, N.H.
25	Manchester, N.H.	Leon O. Demers	79	Bedford, N.H.
28	Bedford, N.H.	Elsie C. Blood	75	Bedford, N.H.
29	Bedford, N.H.	Iva Mae Collins	88	Bedham, Mass.
30	Manchester, N.H.	Ralph F. Mattfield	84	Concord, N.H.
November	Manchester, N.H.	Lucienne Bergeron	66	Manchester, N.H.
6	Bedford, N.H.	Juanita I. Weller	80	Lawrence, Mass.
16	Bedford, N.H.	Ella B. Sheffield	61	Newfield, N.H.
17	Manchester, N.H.	Florence W. Lawley	90	Williamsburg, Mass.
18	Bedford, N.H.	Eva Gaumont	77	Manchester, N.H.
22	Bedford, N.H.	James A. Pappas	68	Bedford, N.H.
27	Manchester, N.H.	William Hirschmann	75	Concord, N.H.
December	Manchester, N.H.	Ulysses R. Plamondon	74	Manchester, N.H.
1	Bedford, N.H.	Jeannette Raymond	70	Suncook, N.H.
2	Bedford, N.H.	Stanley Joseph Duchane	49	Manchester, N.H.
9	Bedford, N.H.	Grace A. Richards	77	Boston, Mass.
14	Bedford, N.H.	Marion E. Snow	77	Marshfield, Mass.
20	Bedford, N.H.	Joseph F. Readey	78	Manchester, N.H.
22	Bedford, N.H.	Gordon Alfred Porter	86	Manchester, N.H.
23	Bedford, N.H.	Josephine M. Hennessey	92	Bedford, N.H.
25	Bedford, N.H.	Irene Provost	89	Stoneham, Mass.
22	Hanover, N.H.		65	Manchester, N.H.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Burial or Cremation
1979 December 28	Manchester, N.H.	Stella Stephens Skerry	89	Bedford, N.H.

NON RESIDENTS BROUGHT HERE FOR BURIAL

In St. Joseph's Cemetery — 137 In St. Hedwig's Cemetery — 20 In Bedford Center Cemetery — 3

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns of Births, Marriages and Deaths are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDITH P. SCHMIDTCHEN, Town Clerk



ANNUAL REPORTS

SCHOOL DISTRICT

of

BEDFORD, N.H.

For the year ending June 30, 1980

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Moderator

EUGENE VAN LOAN III

Clerk

MARTHA HARRIS

Treasurer

H. RICHARD SPURWAY

School Board

Kenneth Shutts	1981
Suzanne Tyrie	1981
Lydia McIntire	1982
Marc Jolicoeur	1982
Margaret Comiskey	1983

**BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL WARRANT
THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the McKelvie School in said district on Thursday, March 12, 1981, at 7:30 P.M. in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To see if the District will vote to appropriate \$15,000 for those Federal Programs for which the District may receive grants in the programs are such that they will not in this or subsequent years require that the district raise local money for any purpose, but this appropriation to become null and void to the extent that such grants are not made to the District.
2. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries of the school district and agents and for the statutory obligations of the district.

Given under our hands at said Bedford this 10th day of February, 1981.

Lydia M. McIntire
N. Suzanne Tyrie
Margaret G. Comiskey
Marc A. Jolicoeur
Kenneth Shutts
SCHOOL BOARD

A True Copy of Warrant - Attest:

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To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Bedford, New Hampshire, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 10th day of March, 1981, at 7:00 in the forenoon to act upon the following questions:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for ensuing year.
3. To choose two members of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

The polls will be open from 7:00 A.M. and will close no earlier than 6:00 P.M.

Given under our hands at said Bedford this 10th day of February, 1981.

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**BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF BEDFORD, N.H.**

SECTION I

**SCHOOL BOARD'S
BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Function	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	APPROVED		
		Approved Budget 1980-81	School Board's Budget 1980-81	Recommended 1981-82
1000	INSTRUCTION			
1100	Regular Programs	\$2,515,095.00	\$2,722,020.00	\$2,684,299.00
1200	Special Programs	311,864.00	479,726.00	479,726.00
1400	Other Instructional Programs	18,253.00	20,250.00	20,250.00
2000	SUPPORT SERVICES			
2100	Pupil Services			
2110	Attendance & Social Work	0.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
2120	Guidance	57,225.00	67,204.00	57,225.00
2130	Health	24,280.00	26,779.00	26,779.00
2140	Psychological	20,144.00	21,500.00	15,000.00
2150	Speech Path. & Audiology	18,675.00	23,075.00	23,075.00
2190	Other Pupil Services	28,638.00	30,958.00	23,588.00
2200	Instructional Staff Services			
2210	Improvement of Instruction	16,000.00	20,432.00	18,028.00
2220	Educational Media	47,308.00	53,829.00	51,234.00
2300	General Administration			
2310	School Board			
2310 870	Contingency			
2310	All Other Objects	12,800.00	19,200.00	17,600.00
2320	Office of Superintendent			
2320 351	S.A.U. Manage. Serv.	88,337.00	97,749.00	97,749.00
2320	All Other Objects			
2330	Special Area Adm. Serv.	26,588.00	31,246.00	31,246.00
2400	School Administration Services	142,761.00	164,704.00	164,704.00
2500	Business Services			
2520	Operation & Maint of Plant	372,217.00	440,093.00	424,093.00

2550	Pupil Transportation	334,831.00	370,232.00	369,732.00
2590	Other Business Services			
	School Lunch	1,000.00	187,838.00	187,838.00
2600	Managerial Services	18,690.00	19,207.00	19,207.00
2900	Other Support Services	247,208.00	321,802.00	321,802.00
3000	COMMUNITIES SERVICES			
4000	FACILITIES ACQUISITIONS			
	& CONST.	825.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
5000	OTHER OUTLAYS			
5100	Debt Service			
5100 830	Principal	215,000.00	215,000.00	215,000.00
5100 840	Interest	91,825.00	81,680.00	81,680.00
5200	Fund Transfers			
5220	To Fed. Projects Fund	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
5240	To Food Service Fund	32,000.00	0.00	
1122	Deficit Appropriation	77,892.00	0.00	
	TOTAL APPROPRIATION	<u>\$4,734,456.00</u>	<u>\$5,435,524.00</u>	<u>\$5,350,855.00</u>

SECTION II

ESTIMATED REVENUES

REVENUES & CREDITS AVAILABLE TO REDUCE SCHOOL TAXES	Revised Revenues 1980-81	1981-82 School Board	1981-82 Budget Committee
770 Unreserved Fund Balance	\$ 48,372.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
3000 Revenue From			
State Sources			
3120 Sweepstakes	46,032.00	46,032.00	46,032.00
3140 Foster Children	0.00	200.00	200.00
3210 School Building Aid	64,500.00	64,500.00	64,500.00
3230 Driver Education	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
3240 Handicapped Aid	128,376.00	177,500.00	177,500.00
3270 Child Nutrition	0.00	40,000.00	40,000.00
4000 Revenue From			
Federal Source			
4410 ESEA	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
4460 Child Nutrition Program	20,000.00	37,609.00	37,609.00
4470 Handicapped Program	15,575.00	18,250.00	18,250.00
1000 Local Rev, other			
than Taxes			
1300 Tuition	41,420.00	42,600.00	42,600.00
1500 Earnings on Investments	35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00
Other	37,680.00	20,600.00	20,600.00
Milk & Lunch Program		96,929.00	96,929.00
TOTAL SCHOOL REVENUES & CREDITS	\$ 453,955.00	\$ 596,220.00	\$ 596,220.00
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	4,280,501.00	4,839,304.00	4,754,635.00
TOTAL REVENUES & DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	<u>\$4,734,456.00</u>	<u>\$5,435,524.00</u>	<u>\$5,350,855.00</u>

(School portion of the Business Profits Tax \$207,087.00 to be applied to the District Assessment when computing the School Tax Rate.)

BUDGET COMMITTEE

Robert N. Wheeler
John R. Jacobson
Robert A. Allan
Thomas A. Riley
Lillian M. Chandler
Aubrey G. Robinson, Jr.
Edward P. Moran, Jr.

Dated February 5, 1981

BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Auditor's Opinion

To the Members of the School Board
Bedford School District
Bedford, New Hampshire

We have examined the financial statements of the various funds and group of accounts of the Bedford School District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1980, listed in the foregoing table of contents. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

As is the practice with many municipalities in the State, the Bedford School District has not maintained a record of its general fixed assets and accordingly, a statement of general fixed assets, required by generally accepted accounting principles, is not included in this financial report.

In our opinion, the financial statements listed in the aforementioned table of contents present fairly the financial position of the various funds and group of accounts of the Bedford School District at June 30, 1980, and the results of operations and the changes in fund balances of such funds for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

The accompanying supplemental information and the column on the accompanying financial statements captioned "Totals, Memorandum Only" are not necessary for a fair presentation of the financial statements, but are presented as additional analytical data. The supplemental information has been subjected to the tests and other auditing procedures applied in the examination of the financial statements listed in the foregoing table of contents and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

October 6, 1980

Killion, Plodzik & Sanderson

EXHIBIT A
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
Combined Balance Sheet — All Fund Types and Account Groups
June 30, 1980

	Governmental Fund Types			Fiduciary Fund Type	Account Groups		Totals	
	General	Special Revenue	Capital Projects		Agency	General Long-Term Debt	June 30, 1980	June 30, 1979
								(Memorandum Only)
ASSETS								
Cash (Deficit)	(\$41,661)	\$25,270	\$200,914	\$9,406	\$	\$	\$	\$ 720,974
Receivables								
Due From Intergovernmental Units	69,503	9,901						79,404
Due From Other Funds	139		1,000					1,139
Due From Other Sources	7,381							7,381
Amount To Be Provided For Retirement of General Long-Term Debt						1,920,000		2,135,000
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$35,362</u>	<u>\$35,171</u>	<u>\$201,914</u>	<u>\$9,406</u>	<u>\$1,920,000</u>	<u>\$2,201,853</u>	<u>\$2,923,985</u>	

LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY

Liabilities								
Accounts Payable	\$ 397	\$ 6,105	\$ 4,525	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 17,650
Contracts Payable								
Complete Projects Retainage			14,553					454,761
Due To Other Funds		139		1,000				14,553
								1,139

Due To Student Groups				975		975	3,191
Bonds and Notes Payable						1,920,000	2,135,000
Total Liabilities	397	6,244	19,078	1,975		1,947,694	2,687,762
Fund Equity							
Fund Balances							
Reserved For Encumbrances		1,014	182,836			183,850	99,819
Unreserved	34,965	27,913		7,431		70,309	136,404
Total Fund Equity	34,965	28,927	182,836	7,431		254,159	236,223
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	\$35,362	\$35,171	\$201,914	\$9,406		\$1,920,000	\$2,923,985

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

EXHIBIT B
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
All Governmental Fund Types
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1980

	Governmental Fund Types			Fiduciary Fund Type Capital Reserve	Totals Year Ended (Memorandum Only) June 30, 1980	June 30, 1979
	General	Special Revenue	Capital Projects			
Revenues and Transfers						
School District Assessment	\$3,767,532	\$	\$		\$3,767,532	\$3,200,837
Intergovernmental Revenues	237,620	74,237			311,857	218,571
Local Sources	49,517		44,600	460	94,577	89,380
Lunch and Milk Sales		88,911			88,911	89,384
Interfund Transfers						
General Fund		12,400	115,000		127,400	12,400
Miscellaneous		1,550	1,540		3,090	2,722
Total Revenues and Transfers	4,054,669	177,098	161,140	460	4,393,367	3,613,294
Expenditures						
Administration	22,779				22,779	8,273
Instruction	1,467,078				1,467,078	1,317,222
Health Services	22,442				22,442	18,731
Pupil Transportation	240,604				240,604	126,888
Operation of Plant	230,976				230,976	174,611
Maintenance of Plant	20,417				20,417	30,510
Fixed Charges	207,468				207,468	185,796
Student Body Activities	15,990				15,990	13,243
Capital Outlay	23,283		78,036		101,319	1,133,861

Debt Services	316,970			316,970	226,620
Outgoing Transfer Accounts					
In State	1,188,332			1,188,332	1,010,277
Expenditures To Other Than Public Schools	227,074			227,074	141,086
Summer School	6,468			6,468	8,766
Interfund Transfers					
Food Service Fund	12,400			12,400	12,400
Capital Projects Fund	115,000			115,000	
Salaries and Benefits		79,337		79,337	59,762
Purchases		81,837		81,837	79,236
Supplies and Repairs		12,142		12,142	7,615
Equipment		2,666		2,666	2,337
Other		3,127		3,127	
Total Expenditures and Transfers	<u>4,117,281</u>	<u>179,109</u>	<u>78,036</u>	<u>4,374,426</u>	<u>4,557,234</u>
Excess of Revenues and Transfers Over (Under) Expenditures and Transfers	(62,612)	(2,011)	83,104	18,941	(943,940)
Fund Balances — July 1	<u>97,577</u>	<u>30,938</u>	<u>99,732</u>	<u>235,218</u>	<u>1,179,158</u>
Fund Balances — June 30	<u>\$ 34,965</u>	<u>\$ 28,927</u>	<u>\$182,836</u>	<u>\$254,159</u>	<u>\$235,218</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

EXHIBIT C
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
Budget and Actual
General and Special Revenue Fund Types
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1980

	General Fund		Special Revenue Funds		Totals (Memorandum Only)	
	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual
Revenues and Transfers						
School District		\$3,767,532	\$	\$	\$3,767,532	\$
Assessment		237,620	8,463	74,237	279,207	311,857
Intergovernmental						
Revenues	229,157					
Local Sources	41,100	49,517	8,417	88,911	41,100	49,517
Lunch and Milk Sales						
Interfund Transfers						
General Fund			12,400	12,400	12,400	12,400
Miscellaneous				1,550		1,550
Total Revenues and Transfers	4,037,789	4,054,669	16,880	177,098	4,100,239	4,231,767
Expenditures and Transfers						
Administration	11,400	22,779	(11,379)		11,400	22,779
Instruction	1,469,180	1,467,078	2,102		1,469,180	1,467,078
Health Services	23,270	22,442	828		23,270	22,442
Pupil Transportation	205,800	240,604	(34,804)		205,800	240,604
Operation of Plant	242,001	230,976	11,025		242,001	230,976
Maintenance of Plant	24,486	20,417	4,069		24,486	20,417
						(11,379)
						2,102
						828
						(34,804)
						11,025
						4,069

Fixed Charges	228,307	207,468	20,839	228,307	207,468	20,839
Student Body Activities	15,803	15,990	(187)	15,803	15,990	(187)
Capital Outlay	27,000	23,283	3,717	27,000	23,283	3,717
Debt Services	316,970	316,970		316,970	316,970	
Outgoing Transfers						
Accounts In State	1,131,504	1,188,332	(56,828)	1,131,504	1,188,332	(56,828)
Expenditures To Other Than Public Schools	214,036	227,074	(13,038)	214,036	227,074	(13,038)
Summer School	7,500	6,468	1,032	7,500	6,468	1,032
Interfund Transfers						
Food Service Fund	12,400	12,400		12,400	12,400	
Capital Projects Fund	115,000	115,000		115,000	115,000	
Salaries and Benefits				79,337	79,337	
Purchases		62,450		62,450	81,837	(116,659)
Supplies and Repairs				12,142	12,142	
Equipment				2,666	2,666	
Other				3,127	3,127	
Deficit Appropriation	77,892		77,892	77,892		77,892
Total Expenditures and Transfers	4,122,549	4,117,281	5,268	4,184,999	4,296,390	(111,391)
Excess of Revenues and Transfers Over (Under) Expenditures and Transfers	(84,760)	(62,612)	22,148	(84,760)	(64,623)	20,137
Fund Balances — July 1	97,577	97,577	30,938	128,515	128,515	
Fund Balances — June 30	\$ 12,817	\$ 34,965	\$ 22,148	\$ 43,755	\$ 63,892	\$ 20,137

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

EXHIBIT B-1
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
All Capital Projects Funds
Combining Balance Sheet
June 30, 1980

	Land Purchase Fund	Memorial School Addition Fund	Totals	
ASSETS			June 30 1980	June 30, 1980
Cash	\$150,088	\$ 50,826	\$200,914	\$637,884
Cash	\$150,088	\$ 50,826	\$200,914	\$637,884
Receivables				
Due From Capital Reserve Fund	1,000		1,000	1,000
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$151,088</u>	<u>\$ 50,826</u>	<u>\$201,914</u>	<u>\$638,884</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES				
Liabilities				
Accounts Payable	\$	\$ 4,525	\$ 4,525	\$ 8,318
Contracts Payable		14,553	14,553	519,314
Due To General Fund				11,520
Total Liabilities		<u>19,078</u>	<u>19,078</u>	<u>539,152</u>
Fund Balances				
Reserved For Encumbrances	151,088	31,748	182,836	99,732
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	<u>\$151,088</u>	<u>\$ 50,826</u>	<u>\$201,914</u>	<u>\$638,884</u>

EXHIBIT B-2
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
All Capital Projects Funds
Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and
Changes in Fund Balances
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1980

	Land Purchase Fund	Memorial School Addition Fund	Totals	
			June 30, 1980	June 30, 1979
Revenues and Other Sources				
Interest Income	\$ 19,637	\$ 24,963	\$ 44,600	\$ 51,073
Fund Transfer				
General Fund		115,000	115,000	
Miscellaneous		1,540	1,540	
Total Revenues and Other Sources	<u>19,637</u>	<u>141,503</u>	<u>161,140</u>	<u>51,073</u>
Expenditures				
General Contract		2,256	2,256	965,108
Architect Fees		41	41	76,349
Equipment		65,105	65,105	
Other		10,634	10,634	32,914
Total Expenditures		<u>78,036</u>	<u>78,036</u>	<u>1,074,371</u>
Excess of Revenues and Other Sources Over (Under) Expenditures				
	19,637	63,467	83,104	(1,023,298)
Fund Balances — July 1	<u>131,451</u>	<u>(31,719)</u>	<u>99,732</u>	<u>1,123,030</u>
Fund Balances — June 30	<u>\$151,088</u>	<u>\$ 31,748</u>	<u>\$182,836</u>	<u>\$ 99,732</u>

EXHIBIT D-1
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
General Fund
Statement of Estimated and Actual Revenues
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1980

REVENUES	Estimated	Actual	Over (Under) Budget
School District Assessment	<u>\$3,767,532</u>	<u>\$3,767,532</u>	<u>\$</u>
State Sources			
Sweepstakes	40,441	40,441	
Building Aid	64,500	64,500	
Driver Education	2,000	1,050	(950)
Special Education	122,216	131,489	9,273
Foster Children Aid		140	140
Total State Sources	<u>229,157</u>	<u>237,620</u>	<u>8,463</u>
Other Sources			
Tuition	25,000	16,286	(8,714)
Rent	100	1,460	1,360
Summer School	7,500	5,008	(2,492)
Interest Income	7,500	14,143	6,643
Miscellaneous	1,000	1,230	230
Roof Repair Settlement		11,390	11,390
Total Other Sources	<u>41,100</u>	<u>49,517</u>	<u>8,417</u>
Total Revenues	<u>4,037,789</u>	<u>\$4,054,669</u>	<u>\$ 16,880</u>
Unreserved Fund balance Used To Reduce District Assessment	<u>84,760</u>		
Total Revenues and Use of Fund Balance	<u>\$4,122,549</u>		

EXHIBIT D-2
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
General Fund
Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1980

	Appropriations 1979-80	Expenditures Net of Refunds	(Over) Under Budget
Administration			
Salaries	\$ 1,700	\$ 1,700	\$
Contracted Services	6,200	17,899	(11,699)
Other Expenses	3,500	3,180	320
Total	<u>11,400</u>	<u>22,779</u>	<u>(11,379)</u>
Instruction			
Salaries	1,327,691	1,326,641	1,050
Textbooks	17,480	17,130	350
Library and Audiovisual Materials	14,818	14,570	248
Teaching Supplies	62,740	63,123	(383)
Contracted Services	30,101	28,216	1,885
Other Expenses	16,350	17,398	(1,048)
Total	<u>1,469,180</u>	<u>1,467,078</u>	<u>2,102</u>
Health Services	<u>23,270</u>	<u>22,442</u>	<u>828</u>
Pupil Transportation	<u>205,800</u>	<u>240,604</u>	<u>(34,804)</u>
Operation of Plant			
Salaries	113,097	114,598	(1,501)
Supplies	11,500	11,282	218
Contracted Services	4,000	2,295	1,705
Heat	54,225	47,275	6,950
Utilities	58,179	53,793	4,386
Other Expenses	1,000	1,733	(733)
Total	<u>242,001</u>	<u>230,976</u>	<u>11,025</u>
Maintenance of Plant	<u>24,486</u>	<u>20,417</u>	<u>4,069</u>
Fixed Charges			
Retirement and Social Security	123,613	121,036	2,577
Insurance	104,694	86,432	18,262
Total	<u>228,307</u>	<u>207,468</u>	<u>20,839</u>
Student Body Activities	<u>15,803</u>	<u>15,990</u>	<u>(187)</u>
Capital Outlay			
Sites	8,500	7,860	640
Buildings	10,500	7,394	3,106
Equipment	8,000	8,029	(29)
Total	<u>27,000</u>	<u>23,283</u>	<u>3,717</u>

Debt Service			
Principal of Debt	215,000	215,000	
Interest on Debt	101,970	101,970	
Total	<u>316,970</u>	<u>316,970</u>	<u> </u>
Outgoing Transfer Accounts In State			
Tuition	1,065,900	1,122,728	(56,828)
School Administrative Unit Expenses	65,604	65,604	
Total	<u>1,131,504</u>	<u>1,188,332</u>	<u>(56,828)</u>
Expenditures To Other Than Public Schools	<u>214,036</u>	<u>227,074</u>	<u>(13,038)</u>
Summer School	<u>7,500</u>	<u>6,468</u>	<u>1,032</u>
Interfund Transfers			
Food Service Fund	12,400	12,400	
Memorial School Addition Building Fund	115,000	115,000	
Total	<u>127,400</u>	<u>127,400</u>	<u> </u>
Deficit Appropriation	<u>77,892</u>		<u>77,892</u>
Total Appropriations	<u>\$4,122,549</u>	<u>\$4,117,281</u>	<u>\$ 5,268</u>

SCHEDULE 1
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
General Long-Term Debt Group of Accounts
Statement of School Debt Service Requirements
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1980

	School Bonds 3.2%	School Bonds 4.10%
Amount of Original Issue	\$590,000	\$700,000
Date of Original Issue	November 1, 1963	June 15, 1966
Principal Payable Date	November 1	June 15
Interest Payable Dates	May 1 and November 1	June 15 and December 15
Payable At	New England Merchants National Bank	New England Merchants National Bank

Maturities—Fiscal Year Ending	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
June 30, 1981	\$ 30,000	\$ 4,000	\$ 35,000	\$ 8,610
June 30, 1982	30,000	3,040	35,000	7,175
June 30, 1983	30,000	2,080	35,000	5,740
June 30, 1984	25,000	1,200	35,000	4,305
June 30, 1985	25,000	400	35,000	2,870
June 30, 1986			35,000	1,435
June 30, 1987				
June 30, 1988				
June 30, 1989				
June 30, 1990				
June 30, 1991				
June 30, 1992				
June 30, 1993				
June 30, 1994				
Totals	\$140,000	\$ 10,720	\$210,000	\$ 30,135

Elementary School Bonds 4.70%	Memorial Addition Bonds 5.70%
\$1,200,000	\$1,000,000
December 1, 1972	November 15, 1978
December 1	November 15
June 1 and December 1	May 15 and November 15
New England Merchants National Bank	New England Merchants National Bank

Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Total Principal	Interest
\$ 80,000	\$ 28,200	\$ 70,000	\$ 51,015	\$ 215,000	\$ 91,825
80,000	24,440	70,000	47,025	215,000	81,680
80,000	20,680	70,000	43,035	215,000	71,535
80,000	16,920	70,000	39,045	210,000	61,470
80,000	13,160	65,000	35,198	205,000	51,628
80,000	9,400	65,000	31,492	180,000	42,327
80,000	5,640	65,000	27,788	145,000	33,428
80,000	1,880	65,000	24,082	145,000	25,962
		65,000	20,378	65,000	20,378
		65,000	16,672	65,000	16,672
		65,000	12,968	65,000	12,968
		65,000	9,262	65,000	9,262
		65,000	5,558	65,000	5,558
		65,000	1,852	65,000	1,852
<u>\$640,000</u>	<u>\$120,320</u>	<u>\$930,000</u>	<u>\$365,370</u>	<u>\$1,920,000</u>	<u>\$526,545</u>

SCHEDULE 2
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
Federal Projects Funds
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1980

PROJECT TITLE	Project Number	Funds Authorized	Fund Balance July 1, 1979	Revenues	Expenditures	Fund Balance June 30, 1980
Elementary and Secondary Education Act						
Title I						
Improvement in Reading Skills	91047.0	\$ 8,658	\$87	\$ 108	\$ 195	\$ 924
Improvement in Reading Skills	01071.0	9,232		8,000	7,076	
Improvement in Reading Skills	01071.1	50		50	50	
Title IV-C						
Precision Teaching	04318.0	1,073		1,000	910	
Precision Teaching	04318.1	1,500		1,500	1,500	
E.H.A.-B Title VI-B						
Bedford School District Language Disabled Class	05546.0	13,266		10,088	10,088	
Vocational Education						
Screen Process Printing	02545.0	1,900		1,865	1,865	
Total Projects		<u>\$35,679</u>	<u>\$87</u>	<u>\$22,611</u>	<u>\$21,684</u>	<u>\$ 1,014</u>

**SCHEDULE 3
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
Food Service Fund**

**Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1980**

Revenues

Federal and State Reimbursements	\$51,626
Lunch and Milk Sales	88,528
District Appropriation	12,400
Interest Income	1,286
Snack Bar Sales	383
Other	<u>264</u>

Total Revenues \$154,487

Expenditures

Food	\$81,837
Labor and Benefits	65,632
Transportation	352
Expendable Supplies	9,423
Other	<u>181</u>

Total Expenditures 157,425

Excess of Expenditures Over Revenues (\$ 2,938)

Fund Balance — July 1, 1979

As Previously Reported \$31,856

Restatement — Prior Year Adjustments (1,005)

Fund balance — July 1, 1979 — As Restated 30,851

Fund Balance — June 30, 1980 \$ 27,913

SCHEDULE 4
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
Student Activity Fund — McKelvie School
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1980

FUND	Fund Balance July 1, 1979	Revenues and Transfers	Expenditures and Transfers	Fund Balance (Overdraft) June 30, 1980
Office	\$ 1,475	\$ 1,324	\$ 2,410	\$ 389
Sports Officials		2,050	2,050	
Granite State				
Gymnastic League	24		15	9
Merrimack Valley				
Conference	14		15	(1)
Physical Education	1	416	417	
5th Grade	136		136	
6th Grade	29	508	539	(2)
8th Grade	1,479	11,872	12,789	562
Student Leaders	14			14
Site Development	25		25	
Dig Unit	4			4
Field Trips				
6th Grade		336	336	
7th Grade		300	300	
8th Grade		300	300	
Totals	<u>\$ 3,201</u>	<u>\$17,106</u>	<u>\$19,332</u>	<u>\$ 975</u>

**SCHEDULE 5
BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
Capital Reserve Fund**

**Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1980**

Revenues	
Interest Income	\$ 460
Expenditures	<u>- 0 -</u>
Excess of Revenues Over Expenditures	\$ 460
Fund Balance — July 1, 1979	<u>6,971</u>
Fund Balance — June 30, 1980	<u><u>\$7,431</u></u>

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD TO THE RESIDENTS OF BEDFORD

In June, the Bedford School Board completed informal discussions with the Bedford Teachers Association relative to renegotiating the Master Contract. As a result, the \$100,000 voted at the March Annual School District Meeting was added to the staff salary account for 1980-81. In addition, the Master Contract was extended another year ending June, 1982. Included in the adjusted contract for 1981-82 is a new salary schedule and adjustments in insurance. These are among other limited issues addressed and agreed to during the discussions. The Bedford School Board and the Bedford teachers Association will be negotiating a new Master Contract in the Fall of 1981.

In the late spring, the School Board formulated the Board Objectives for 1980-81. The Objectives are as follows:

To maintain and improve communication between the School Board and all facets of the Bedford Community.

To continue to foster curriculum development, implementation and evaluation.

To develop and implement an educational needs assessment to be used in future program planning, evaluation and revision.

To work with administration and staff in developing a three-year plan for implementing federal, state and local mandates for the education of exceptional students.

To review policies of energy conservation and utilization, procure funds for technical assistance and develop a long range plan to reduce energy costs and use.

To foster and support all avenues feasible to produce effective communication and a sense of trust among staff, students, administrators, the School Board and the community.

The Bedford School Board with the Bedford Teachers Association and the Parent Teachers Group held an informational evening at McKelvie School on November 19. It was entitled "Let's Talk Dollars and Sense About Bedford Schools". The response was most positive as to the subjects presented and the Board plans to hold this type of program again.

Communication to all citizens about this program was done through Service Clubs, organizations, newspapers and telephone. The Board will continue to employ every means possible to keep the community up-to-date on school programs. Communications, however are not a one way street. Two-way communication is essential with today's economy needs and problems. The Bedford School Board encourages this and asks for your cooperation.

The children of Bedford are of the greatest concern to this Board. The quality of education we provide them is our chief concern. Inflation has made our goal of educating each child to the best of their ability, within reasonable costs, a challenge. With the help of all concerned citizens, the challenge will effectively be met to benefit the children and the community.

The Board wishes to thank the Parent Teacher Group, the Bedford Teachers Association and all other groups for assistance during this past year and look forward to continuing our relationship.

Lydia M. McIntire, Chairman
Bedford School Board

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To The Citizens of Bedford:

The 1979-80 school year introduced a new addition to the Memorial School and a different utilization in school use regarding grade placement. The addition to the Memorial School completely utilized the site for building purposes. We now have approximately fifty thousand square feet of floor space to house a potential enrollment of 600 pupils. The school was used to house all grades four and five and approximately one-half of grade three. The Peter Woodbury School housed the remaining third grade and all of grades one and two. This allowed grades 6-8 to be housed at the McKelvie School.

Our elementary school enrollment continues to reflect a modest increase. In September, 1979, we enrolled 1419 children in grades 1-8. In September, 1980, the number increased to 1421 and for September, 1981, we project 1448. At the same time our high school tuitioned students have increased from 617 to 629 with 616 projected for next year. Our current inventory of building facilities are sufficient for the near future as long as our tuitioning arrangement with Manchester continues.

Last year there was considerable activity centered around the Bedford Teachers Association concern for 1980-81, the last year of a master contract which started July, 1978. After a series of informal discussions that spanned the entire school year, the Board and the Bedford Teachers Association reached agreement on the final year of the Master Contract. A new contract was ratified which included the 1980-81 and the 1981-82 school years. This new contract places Bedford teachers among the highest paid teachers in New Hampshire.

A new transportation contract was negotiated with Jan Car Leasing for 1979-80 and 1980-81. Since 1948, Russell Keeler of Bedford had provided transportation for Bedford students. The School Board and administration recognize Mr. Keeler's many years of faithful service to the district. We look forward to continuing this positive relationship with Jan Car Leasing. For the first time in history the district voted at the 1980 Annual Meeting to provide at least partial support, for transporting high school students to both private and public secondary schools in Manchester beginning Sept., 1980.

Harry Scofield, principal of the McKelvie School since July, 1978, resigned to take an administrative position in New York State. He was replaced by Raymond Raudonis who has enjoyed educational success as a teacher, assistant middle school principal and director of personnel services for School Administrative Unit #26.

Sylvia Edmunds retired from teaching after serving the youth of Bedford for twenty years. During her career she touched the lives of thousands of children who will remember her with affection and admiration. To her fellow teachers she was an inspiration and an example to follow.

A major thrust of our educational concerns in the past have addressed the needs of handicapped children. During the year the School Board has developed a philosophical position which recognizes not only handicapped children and the so called gifted children but the needs of all exceptional children. Therefore, the thrust of future programs will center not on any one segment of our school population but rather will encompass the needs of all children. This position may seem unique to some yet it addresses the charge of all school boards, to meet the needs of all Bedford children.

Last year School Administrative Unit #26 (Bedford and Merrimack School Districts) acquired a Digital 1170 computer system. Since that time both the payroll process and the fiscal management system for the district have been put on the computer and are currently up and running. The payroll system is used to prepare paychecks for from 150 to 200 full and part time employees of the district on a bi-weekly basis. It is also used in preparing all state and federal reports such as state retirement, F.I.C.A., federal withholding, dues deductions, insurance, tax shelter annuities, etc. The fiscal management system provides the ability to monitor accounts payable on a school by school, item by item, or on a program by program basis. This financial management system provides the school administration and the school board updated facts and figures on the district's financial condition at any given time. By this time next year the school district will have done or be doing its own student scheduling, grade reporting and attendance at all grade levels; a service currently provided by an outside computer firm.

School District staff continued to implement the N.H. Guidelines for Accountability through the establishment of essential student outcomes in Language Arts, Mathematics and N.H. History and

Government. Through a regional effort involving eight other school districts, test items were defined and developed to measure the attainment of students in these areas at grades 4 and 8. The items were field-tested in May, 1980 and the first assessment of all students in those grades will occur in the spring of 1981.

1980 Standardized Achievement test results for students in grades 4, 6 and 8 continued to reflect that Bedford students compare very favorably with students throughout the United States. In fact, in many areas, Bedford students achieved above what was expected of them, when compared with students of similar ability nationwide. Test results over the past several years have continued to show improvements.

The Staff Development Committee sponsored several workshops for staff within the District during both semesters. The programs approved by the full committee, in most cases, were closely related to District and building goals and designed to enhance the skills and expertise of staff in several areas of the educational program. Personnel from the N.H. State Dept. of Education conducted an on-site visit to the district to ascertain the quality and extent of the Staff Development program.

The Cardigan Unit in the eighth grade received awards for excellence from both the N.H. Soil Conservation Service and the Council for Better Schools during this year. Both awards recognized the efforts and accomplishments of Ray Landry, Science Coordinator and the eighth grade staff.

The Social Studies Curriculum was revised and updated during the year under the leadership of David Faichney, Social Science Coordinator. Mr. Curt Lombard, Math Coordinator computed an addendum to the Mathematics curriculum which included many activities to challenge the superior math students.

The Health and Safety Advisory Council sponsored and conducted an informational series of parent programs related to sensitive areas in the Health and Safety program.

During November, 1980, our primary school program located in the Peter Woodbury and Memorial Schools was reviewed by a member of the Division of Instruction from the N.H. State Department of Education for the purpose of evaluating our program with N.H. Mini-

mum Standards. Several commendations were received and three recommendations were set-forth. The most urgent recommendation was to make full-time persons in Art, Music and Physical Education and add a certified librarian. The evaluation placed our primary unit in the 90% category of meeting Minimum Standards including the basics of reading, writing and arithmetic.

In conclusion, I recognize and appreciate the continued support of the citizens of Bedford in providing a quality program of educational opportunity for their children and the school board for its expectation of quality.

Respectfully submitted,
Claude H. Leavitt,
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL MEMORIAL AND PETER WOODBURY SCHOOLS

The following constitutes my annual report as Principal of the Memorial and Peter Woodbury Schools.

The student population of the Memorial (466) and Peter Woodbury School (417) has not increased significantly this year. This is in contrast to several years of steady growth.

The new Severe Learning Disabilities class at the memorial has proven most effective. Students with severe learning problems have their programs individualized and are taught by a teacher trained in working with children with special needs. The students are enjoying their experiences and have shown steady academic progress.

The Reading Laboratory at the Memorial School continues to assist students in improving their reading skills. Pre and post testing has shown significant gains in specific skills such as listening, vocabulary, fluency and comprehension. This program is recognized in the state as an exemplary model of the Reading Laboratory approach. Under Title I funding the program was extended to service students in grades two and three. These students receive individual tutoring on a regular basis and we are confident that these additional services will help increase reading skills.

The Bedford School District Accountability Plan is prepared for initial implementation this spring. The competency tests have been developed. The remaining steps in the process include:

- Assessing students at designated levels to determine the extent to which mastery of the competencies has been achieved. (April 1981)
- Analyzing the assessments to determine what the test scores or observed student behaviors tell us about student performance and the educational program.
- Reporting the assessment results to the State Department of Education and to the local community.
- Developing a management plan, based on assessment results, which defines any change the district considers necessary to improve student performance and the educational program.

At the Memorial School, programs have been implemented to better meet the needs of students who are intellectually gifted and/or have displayed talents in specific academic areas. These programs include Junior Great Books, Philosophy in the School, Math Enrichment Activities and Creative Writing Experiences. This is the initial step in an attempt to provide additional learning experiences for these particular students.

The construction of the playground at the Peter Woodbury School was a community effort worthy of note. With financial support from the Parent Teacher Group, about one hundred adults and children worked a weekend last spring to create the novel and exciting playground facilities at the Peter Woodbury School. This effort represents the true spirit of the community in which we live. The resulting product is something that the children will always enjoy. All who participated are to be commended and thanked.

The following are the Primary Unit Administrative Goals for the 1980-81 School Year.

1. Continue to serve a leadership role in the development and implementation of the district's Accountability Program.
2. Develop and implement a program for gifted and talented students within the policy and guidelines of the school board.
3. Supervise the implementation of the Severe Language Disabilities class.
4. Incorporate the recommendations of Project Teams in the special services program.
5. Review and revise the entrance process for first year students entering the Primary Unit.
6. Work to develop a more positive climate of communication and trust among staff, students, administrators, school board and community.
7. Monitor the implementation of the revised music and physical education curriculum.

I wish to thank all who have assisted in carrying out the educational process in the Primary Unit.

Respectfully submitted,
Arnold M. MacDonald
Principal, Primary Unit

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF McKELVIE MIDDLE SCHOOL

The following constitutes the annual report of the McKelvie Middle School administration to the citizens of Bedford.

Enrollment figures for September of 1980 reflected no significant growth over one year ago. McKelvie has therefore experienced no additional regular staff increase. We have, however, replaced faculty members who have resigned to pursue different endeavors. Joining McKelvie this year have been Sandra Macdonald in grade six, Alphonse Fredette in grade seven, Janet Hepler in Art and Mary Anne MacKenzie in Guidance. Jack Jablonski has returned from sabattical leave to resume his duties in Physical Education.

During the course of 1979-80 the Art Curriculum for the Bedford School District was formalized and similar ventures were undertaken in Music and Physical Education. Under the stewardship of Bob Cook, McKelvie Assistant Principal, these curriculums have taken shape and will be completed shortly. Representing music have been Denise Cologne, Diane Entwhistle, Timothy Foster, Athena Halkiotis and Ann Rodgers. Physical educators involved in the project have been Bernard Daley, Kathy Duhaime, Jack Jablonski and Cheri Roberge.

The field testing of an instrument developed in compliance with the State of New Hampshire's accountability plan occurred in May of 1980. The test items have been analyzed and we expect implementation of this competency testing program in the spring of 1981.

The Special Education program of McKelvie School has been enhanced by the creation of a Severe Learning Disabilities classroom. This program reflects an increased student population having these learning needs which, according to the law, must be addressed in the least restrictive environment. Additionally all areas of Special Education came under the scrutiny of a team of teachers, administrators, parents, and board members during the summer of 1980. This program entitled **Project Teams** was under the guidance of Ross Lurgio, Director of Special Services, and involved assessment of current practices and programs as well as preparing future directions for Special Education in School Administrative Unit Twenty-Six, of which Bedford is a part.

The New Hampshire Soil Conservation Service has awarded McKelvie School a first place award for its efforts in environmental fields. Specifically noting Mt. Cardigan, the summer garden program and the soil testing components of the science curriculum as being worthy of merit. The New Hampshire Council for Better Schools also singled out the Mt. Cardigan experience as an exemplary educational program. On two separate occasions, this fall, regional educational conferences have invited McKelvie staff members to make presentations on aspects of our middle school. Ray Landry, Peter McGee, David Faichney and Ron Gondek were the faculty members that were involved in these presentations. This type of recognition for our programs is a well deserved compliment to our staff, students and community.

The 1979-80 athletic program continued to be successful in terms of student interest as well as seasonal record. Of particular note is that the school intramural program enjoyed a resurgence of participation last year, a trend that has continued into the current year, as more than two hundred students have participated to date. Our goal is to make it possible for every student to participate in at least one athletic activity.

A highlight of last spring was the gym show that involved both primary unit and McKelvie School students. Mr. Daley, assisted by Mrs. Duhaime, organized a performance that still evokes positive comments from the crowds that attended.

The four curriculum coordinators continued to play vital leadership roles in the district during 1979-80. Although no major revisions of their curriculum areas occurred, their efforts were directed toward the analysis of individual units and the resources available to support and supplement the teaching of these units. A major portion of their time this year has been occupied by further study to determine if all parts of our program provide sufficient opportunity and challenge for all youngsters to learn in a fashion commensurate with their abilities. This audit of curriculum will have a major impact on the scope of our future programs. Skills development, particularly in the Language Arts, continues to occupy the priority position in our four basic curriculum areas. The emphasis on the expressive abilities of students, both written and verbal, is highlighted by the Annual Prize Speaking and Spelling Contests, the performance of a play describing the history of Bedford (written by Miss Wildman), an essay contest co-sponsored by the Bedford Women's Club and training taken by Miss Wildman in the Exeter Writing Project during the summer of 1980.

As is the case with any middle school, we have established some priorities for the coming months. Among these priorities are two very special ones. They are: to continue to assess our curriculum to determine if appropriate programs of instruction exist for all students at all ability levels in each subject and grade; and to develop a process by which we might evaluate our school and our program. In the coming months, community members will be invited to share this latter process with us.

On a personal note, I wish to express my appreciation to students, staff and community for their help, cooperation and kindness during these first few months of my principalship.

Respectfully,
Raymond Raudonis, Principal
Robert Cook, Assistant Principal

BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Comparative Enrollments

	Enrolled 9/80	Enrolled 1/5/81	Estimated 9/81
1	188	191	189
2	138	136	155
3	162	163	145
4	186	188	173
5	195	192	190
6	182	184	204
7	178	179	194
8	179	183	186
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BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following is a summary of significant accounting policies employed in the preparation of these financial statements.

A. Basis of Presentation

The accounts of the School District are organized on the basis of funds or account groups, each of which is considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, equities, revenues, and expenditures or expenses. The various funds are grouped by type in the financial statements. The following fund types and account groups are used by the School District:

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

General Fund — The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District. All revenues and other receipts that are not allocated by law or contractual agreement to another fund are accounted for in this fund. From the fund are paid the general operating expenditures, the fixed charges, and the capital improvement costs that are not paid through other funds.

Special Revenue Funds — Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenues sources (other than expendable trust or major capital projects) requiring separate accounting because of legal or regulatory provisions or administrative action. The funds included in this group are Food Service and Federal Projects funds.

Capital Project Funds — Capital Project Funds are used to account for financial resources segregated for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities.

FIDUCIARY FUNDS

Trust and Agency Funds — Trust and Agency Funds are used to account for assets held in trust or as an agent for

individuals or other funds. The Student Activity and Capital Reserve Funds are included in these funds.

ACCOUNT GROUPS

General Long-Term Debt Account Group — This account group is established to account for the long-term debt that is backed by the School District's full faith and credit.

B. Basis of Accounting

The modified accrual basis of accounting is followed by the governmental funds. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recorded when received in cash, except in cases where they are both measurable and available and not received at the normal time of receipt. Expenditures, other than interest on long-term debt, are recorded when the liability is incurred.

C. Budgetary Accounting and Encumbrances

General governmental revenues and expenditures accounted for in budgetary funds are controlled by a formal integrated budgetary accounting system in accordance with various legal requirements which govern the School District's operations.

Encumbrance accounting, under which purchase orders, contracts, and other commitments for the expenditure of funds are recorded in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation, is employed in the governmental funds. Encumbrances are not the equivalent of expenditures; therefore, the reserve for encumbrances is reported as part of the fund balance.

D. Investments

Investments in all instances are stated at cost.

E. Inventories

Inventory in the general and food service funds has been recorded as an expenditure at the time individual inventory items were purchased.

F. General Fixed Assets

General fixed assets have been acquired for general governmental purposes and have been recorded as expenditures in the fund making the expenditure. These expenditures are required to be capitalized at historical cost in a General Fixed Asset Group of Accounts for accountability purposes. In accordance with the practices followed by other municipal entities in the State, the District does not maintain a record of its general fixed assets and accordingly, a statement of general fixed assets, required by generally accepted accounting principles, is not included in this financial report.

Note 2 - PENSION PLAN

The teachers and employees are covered under the State of New Hampshire Retirement System. Contributions are deducted at rates according to employment compensation. The District's contribution for normal cost of the plan is based upon an actuarial valuation of the entire State plan. Since the actuarial valuation is performed on the entire State plan the amount, if any, of the excess of vested benefits over pension fund assets for the Bedford School District is not available. The District does not have an accrued liability for past service costs. The retirement cost for 1979-80 was \$29,519.73.

Note 3 - LEAVE OF ABSENCE (SICKNESS, PERSONAL AND EMERGENCY)

Teachers are entitled to ten days sick leave per year, accumulating to ninety days, and also three days personal leave and three days emergency leave per year. It is the policy of the District to recognize cost of leave of absence only at the time payments are made.

Note 4 - LITIGATION

As of the time of this report, School District Counsel has advised that there is no litigation pending which would affect the financial condition of the School District.

BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING
MARCH 13, 1980

The Annual Bedford School District Meeting was held on Thursday, March 13, 1980 at the McKelvie School, with Moderator Eugene Van Loan III presiding. The meeting opened at 8:05 p.m. with Mr. Van Loan giving the invocation following which the Pledge of Allegiance was repeated in unison. Mr. Van Loan introduced those on the stage: School Board members Margaret Comiskey, Chairman; Sue Tyrie, Lydia McIntire, Ken Shutts and Marc Jolicoeur; Superintendent Claude Leavitt; Assistant Superintendent Rod Mansfield, and School District Clerk, Martha Harris. Mr. Van Loan gave the results of the town and school elections as voted on March 11, 1980. He explained the procedural rules of the meeting and announced that he had received a written request for a secret ballot vote on Articles V and VI.

Article I — Mr. Shutts moved that the District appropriate \$15,000 for the Federal Programs for which the District may receive grants if the programs are such that they will not in this or subsequent years require that the district raise local money for any purpose, but this appropriation to become null and void to the extent that such grants are not made to the District; seconded. Mr. Shutts spoke to the article following which the article passed.

Article II — Mrs. Comiskey moved that the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$46,892 as a deficiency appropriation, said sum to be made available to the School Board and School District prior to June 15, 1980. Said sum to exceed the 1979-80 appropriation by \$46,892; for tuition to West High School; seconded. Mrs. Comiskey spoke to the article following which the article passed.

Article III — Mrs. McIntire moved that the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$27,000 as a deficiency appropriation, for the purpose of making up the shortfall caused by the state's failure to fully fund RSA 186-A, said sum to be made available to the District prior to June 15, 1980; seconded. Superintendent Leavitt spoke to the article indicating that after July 1, 1980, this \$27,000 will be returned. The article passed.

Article IV — Bob Wheeler, Chairman of the Budget Committee moved that the District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,587,376 for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries of the school

district and agents and for the statutory obligations of the district; seconded. Mrs. Comiskey explained the different format of the budget and explained the costs over which the School Board has no control.

Mr. Van Loan went through the budget by each line item. Under the 1100 series, Mrs. Comiskey moved that the Budget Committee's figure of \$39,340 under Physical Education program be increased by \$6,000 to total \$45,340; seconded. Mrs. Comiskey explained this \$6,000 would provide the services of a part-time physical education teacher.

Following two voice votes on the motion, the chair was still in doubt and a standing vote was taken which indicated 315 in favor of the motion and 254 opposed; the motion passed.

Also under the 1100 series, Mrs. Tyrie made a motion that the Budget Committee's figure of \$294,440 under the Mathematics Program be increased by \$4398 to total \$253,838; seconded. Mrs. Tyrie spoke to the request. Norma Collins, one of the math aides included in this program stated these aides receive only \$3.10 per hour which proves they are working for the good of the program and the children involved and further explained the reasons it should be approved. Bob Allan of the Budget Committee spoke of the necessity of starting economy somewhere. Brenda Thomas, President of the PTG, spoke on behalf of the PTG stating they had voted unanimously to approve this program. John Jacobson of the Budget Committee emphasized the need for economy or the tax rate is going to rise. Jack Arnold inquired about the benefit of this program to the students. Mr. Mansfield explained the evaluation of the program and the improvements noted in the students involved. Arthur Tucker made a motion to move the question; seconded; motion to move question passed. A standing vote was taken on the original motion showing 292 yeas and 295 nays; the motion failed by 3 votes. Eugene Van Loan, Jr. made a motion to reconsider the vote; a standing vote on the motion to reconsider showed 259 yeas and 295 nays; thus no reconsideration was held.

William Tucker made a motion to postpone further consideration of Article IV and move to consideration of Article VI; seconded. Paul Remus stated he would like to see the discussion of salaries deferred until the rest of the school budget is heard. Bill Vanderwolk is in favor of discussing Article VI before everyone goes home. Mr. Skane felt many of the people here are interested in Article V and

feels the vote on Article VI depends on what happens in Article V. A vote on the motion to postpone further consideration of Article IV failed.

Also under the 1100 series, Mrs. McIntire made a motion that the District increase the total regular instruction account by an additional \$100,000; seconded. She explained this figure is for the purpose of funding an increase in the teachers' salaries.

Pat Ingram made a motion to amend the School Board's amendment to read \$242,468; seconded. Mr. Van Loan explained that is the same figure as requested in Article VI and the result of a vote on this motion will be considered action on Article VI and therefore Article VI will not be considered at a later time. Mrs. Ingram explained the reasons for the salary increase proposal and spoke in favor of it. Mr. Van Loan stated he has received a written request for a secret ballot vote.

Ed Matta stated the School Board knows how to negotiate better than the town and he feels we should give the School Board a vote of confidence by saying no to Article VI. Christian Specht asked for clarification on the figure requested — is it over and above the raise already contracted for? Mrs. McIntire explained that the amendment would give the teachers the sum they would normally get plus the additional requested. Mr. Specht wanted to know the total amount of the increment.

Jim Dias stated he agreed with Mrs. Ingram and feels the salaries are not up to what they should be; however he further feels since a contract was made, the teachers should wait until the contract is up. Bob Healey stated he is 100% behind Mrs. Ingram's motion and does not feel we are undermining the School Board. They acted in good faith. Arthur Tucker asked if the School Board had an answer to Mr. Specht's question. Mrs. McIntire stated the present budget includes \$1,278,960 for salaries and the School Board proposal would give an additional 8%, or \$71,000 approximately.

Anna Van Loan former school board member, said collective bargaining started when she was on the board with the agreement of the teachers. A vote in favor of Article VI would negate this. She spoke against the article stating it is wrong to single out only the teachers for a raise. What about the custodians, lunch help, town employees, etc.

Johanna Publow presented a lengthy dissertation in favor of the increase. Mrs. Sylvia Edmunds is a teacher and will be retiring the end of the school year so this will not affect her, but she will be on a fixed income and will still vote in favor of the increase. Joe Smith is concerned about people taking power away from the School Board. Mrs. Ingram explained it would not be taking away any power. They are asking for an appropriation for the School Board to work with; they have the authority to do what they want. They simply want to make the salaries competitive. David Foster, former School Board member, supports the \$242,468 request. Christian Specht is concerned about people on fixed incomes — how do they live with all these increases? Mike Spector spoke in favor of the increase. Bob Bullock made a motion to move the question; seconded. A secret ballot was taken on the motion to replace the \$100,000 with \$242,468; The voting indicated 275 yeas and 360 nays; thus the motion failed.

While waiting for the count of the secret ballot, Mr. Van Loan continued going through the budget line items. Dave Quinn asked for an explanation of the 1200 series. Mrs. McIntire explained this as the program for the handicapped. Carl Sipe asked why the salaries went up. Mrs. McIntire explained this includes 3 new positions to take care of the handicapped. Someone asked how many children this \$302,389 figure covered. Mrs. McIntire said it was 109 children. Norm Stahl asked if we could expect a shortfall next year as we did this year. Mr. Leavitt explained.

Maureen Woolford made a motion to increase the figure under the 1400 series in the area of the gifted and talented to \$2000; seconded. She spoke in favor of this increase. Frank Zito spoke in favor of the addition. Bob Allan of the Budget Committee spoke against the increase. A vote on the motion to add \$2000 was defeated.

Mr. Van Loan now returned to the School Board motion to amend the budget to add \$100,000 to increase salaries. Mr. Specht asked what the total appropriation would be when adding the \$100,000. It would be \$1,378,960. Paul Remus spoke in favor of the teachers; Frank Zito spoke in favor; Mike Ingram spoke in favor. A motion was made and seconded to move the question. The vote to move the question passed. The vote on the motion to add \$100,000 to the budget in the area of teachers' salaries passed.

Continuing on with the budget, Mrs. Tyrie made a motion that

the Budget Committee's figure of \$37,300 under Guidance be increased by \$15,275 to total \$52,575; seconded. She spoke to the increase. Bob Wheeler, Chairman of the Budget Committee, explained the reasons the Budget Committee felt they could cut a guidance counselor at grade level 1, 2 & 3. Sue Stahl spoke in favor of restoring this guidance counselor; Frank Zito spoke in favor. Bob Allan spoke against it. A vote on the amendment to add \$15,275 under Guidance was defeated.

Mr. Jolicoeur made a motion that the District increase the Budget Committee's figure of \$6,600 under Learning Resource/Occupational Therapy by \$12,000 to total \$18,600; seconded. He spoke to the motion. Walter Van Anglen inquired why some of this isn't under the handicapped area so it could be reimbursed by the state. Mr. Jolicoeur explained that guidance is for all children whereas learning resource/occupational therapy is for the handicapped. Mrs. McIntire stated some of this figure is reimbursable. Bob Wheeler stated the Budget Committee felt there was considerable overlap in this area and felt they could do without this position for this year. A motion was made and seconded to move the question; vote on the motion to increase the budget by \$12,000 in this area was defeated.

Bill Vanderwolk asked the reason for the increase in item 11 under the 2000 series. Mrs. McIntire explained this is due to the final payment on the computer.

Mrs. McIntire explained the transportation figure as including all transportation. She further stated the School Board will support resident high school transportation costs and any excess over this figure, the cost will be shared by high school riders over the age of 14.

A vote on the budget as amended in the amount of \$4,693,376 was passed.

Mrs. Comiskey made a motion that the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000 as a deficiency appropriation; said sum to be made available to the School Board and School District prior to June 15, 1980; said sum to exceed the 1979-80 appropriation by \$4,000 for the purpose of transporting high school students to private high schools in Manchester for 1979-80, and further, that the district raise and appropriate the sum of \$37,080 for the purpose of transporting high school students to private high schools in Manchester; seconded.

Norm Stahl asked if this article could state that the deficiency appropriation will be reimbursed by those using the service. Mr. Stahl made a motion that the motion be amended that for the next fiscal year, the amount over and above that in the budget will be paid for by those using the service;

Bob Wheeler asked Mr. Stahl to withdraw his motion and made a motion that all students over age 14 be required to pay 25c (twenty-five cents) per ride for transportation to high school. Someone stated this was discriminatory as there are other high schools in other communities that Bedford students attend. Mrs. Comiskey explained that the law provides for transportation for students attending high school in the same town as those attending the public high school (which is Manchester).

Joanne Tilton, teacher at West, stated that some students are asked to leave West to attend Manchester Memorial or Central; what about transportation for them? Mr. Leavitt explained that transportation is available for them.

Mr. Van Anglen brought up the subject of these children waiting around to be bused to another high school. Mr. Wheeler's amendment to the original motion would be that all students above age 14 and attending high school be required to pay 25c (twenty-five cents) per ride, one way, to be shown as a revenue item; seconded. It was clarified that a ride means a one-way ride. Barbara Kearney asked about the first figure mentioned being a charge of \$25 (twenty-five dollars) to ride the bus. A vote on the motion to amend the original motion to provide reimbursement at 25c per ride was defeated.

Norm Stahl stated the main motion would increase the budget by \$41,000 without providing for reimbursement. Dave Quinn asked if the amendment could read "an amount to be determined by the School Board" rather than specifying a figure. Mr. Van Anglen made a motion that each person riding the bus over age 14 to high school in Manchester be required to pay \$25; seconded. Mrs. Comiskey explained the \$25.00 fee was based on 700 students; if only 600 rode, the charge might be different. She would prefer the amendment be that any excess cost would be assessed equally to the students. Mr. Van Anglen withdrew his motion.

Bob Wheeler asked if this figure would amend the budget; no, it is a separate warrant article. Mrs. Comiskey made a motion for an

amendment stating that the Bedford School Board will support resident high school transportation to Manchester to the extent of \$62,000 annually; all costs in excess of \$62,000 will be divided among the resident riders over 14 years of age; seconded.

Mike Spector asked how would it be proposed to divide it equally. Mrs. Comiskey agreed to remove the word equally.

Dave Quinn said the original motion was not settled. A vote on the amendment regarding reimbursement was passed.

Back to the main motion now with the amendment, a vote was taken and passed.

Meeting adjourned at 1:00 a.m.

There were approximately 600 persons in attendance at the hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

MARTHA HARRIS
School District Clerk

**BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
RESIDENT SCHOOL ENROLLMENTS**

SCHOOL	1	2	3	4	SP.	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Tot.	9/79	10/78	10/77
Memorial			81	186		194								461			
Peter Woodbury	187	138	78	13										416			
McKelvie						184	178	181						543			
West Side Catholic	2	1	1	3	5	1								13	11	8	8
Villa Augustine	1	2	3	6	2	1	4							19	28	28	19
Kellogg			1	1										2	2	1	2
St. Mary's	4	5	5	5	6	4	5	2						36	39	35	31
Derryfield							7	5	2	13	7	9	10	51	48	55	53
Central High												1		1			
West High										169	154	154	150	627	619	622	602
Memorial High										1				1	2	3	6
Trinity High										28	27	19	23	97	87	56	54
Other	198	146	169	201	13	207	190	194	188	211	188	183	183	2267	2275	2260	2159

**BEDFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT
1980**

March 11, 1980

The polls opened at 7:00 a.m. at the Bedford Town Hall for town and school balloting with Moderator Eugene Van Loan III presiding. Mr. Van Loan gave the invocation following which the Pledge of Allegiance was said in unison.

Voting results were as follows:

Moderator — one year — Eugene Van Loan III	1546
Clerk — one year — Martha P. Harris	1532
School Board — three years — Margaret G. Comiskey	1461
School Board — two years — Marc Jolicoeur	1426
Treasurer — one year — H. Richard Spurway	1528

There was one absentee ballot cast for school district officers.

MARTHA P. HARRIS
School District Clerk

1980 - 1981

DISTRIBUTION OF ONE SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Bedford	\$10,969.
Merrimack	21,531.
State of New Hampshire	<u>2,500.</u>
	\$35,000.

**DISTRIBUTION OF
TWO ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENTS' SALARY**

Bedford	\$ 9,358.
Merrimack	18,368.
State of New Hampshire	<u>2,274.</u>
	\$30,000.

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SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING**

— IN AN EMERGENCY —
To report a Fire or Rescue

472-3311

Fire permits can be obtained at the
Bedford Fire Station

Daily — 7:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.
After 5:30 P.M. — Call Ralph M. Wiggin, Jr., *Warden*
472-3251

If no answer, call
Leo Bongers, Jr., *Deputy Warden*
623-7064

Permits must be picked up in person

To Call Police

Police Station: Town Office Building 472-5111
Bedford Center Road 472-5112

Town Clerk and Tax Collector

Town Office Building 472-3550
Bedford Center Road

Office of the Selectmen

Town Office Building 472-3031

Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
To get Local and State Police in an Emergency
Call Bedford Police Dept. — 472-5111

Landfill Hours

Mon., Tues., Wed. 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Thurs., Fri., Sat. 8:30-5:00

Library Hours

Mon. 1:00-8:30 p.m.
Tues. 10:00-8:30 p.m.
Wed. 1:00-8:30 p.m. Thurs. 10:00-8:30
Fri. 1:00-6:30 p.m. Sat. 9:30-1:00 p.m.