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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

Paul D. Hennigan Term Expires 2008

TOWN CLERK/TAX COLLECTOR

Mark A. Griffin Term Expires 2010

SELECTMEN

Donald R. Philbrick Term Expires 2008

Richard H. Young Term Expires 2009

Lee P. Stack III Term Expires 2010

TREASURER

Carol L. Mayhofer Term Expires 2008

HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER

Elwyn R. Thurston Term Expires 2008

TRUSTEES TRUST FUNDS & CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Janet Bridgham Term Expires 2008

Nancy Burns Term Expires 2009

Victoria Murphy Term Expires 2007

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

Dana Bacich Term Expires 2008

Karen Brisbois Term Expires 2010

Sunni A. Wilkewitz Term Expires 2012

HEALTH OFFICER

Board of Selectmen

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

Donald H. Hall

CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

David Pandora

FIRE WARDEN
Richard H. Young

DEPUTY FIRE WARDENS

John R. Edge, Jr	Dick Fortin	Larry Nash
David Gerling	Tom Head	Michael Callis
Jim Higgins	Phil Trapasso	David Condoulis
Tom Costello	Heather McKendry	Kurt Fisher
Mark Head		Earl Mayhofer

DISPATCHER
Don Hall

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Randall Cooper (Chairman)	Stephen Larson
Robert Bridgham	Robert Graf
Robert Malvesta	

ALTERNATES

Aaron Blake	Carol Mayhofer
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PLANNING BOARD

Paul Savchick (Chairman)	David Sorensen
Nancy Malvesta	Adam Nelson
Dennis Sullivan	Frank Holmes

Lee Stack - Selectmen's Representative

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Paul Savchick (Chairman)	Marni Cobbs
Judith Fowler	Richard Brisbois
Kristine Foster	

Richard Young - Selectmen's Representative

TOWN WARRANT

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

**THE POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM
11:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.**

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Eaton in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Evans Memorial Building (Town Hall) in the Town of Eaton, County of Carroll on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March 2008 at eleven o'clock in the morning to act upon the following subjects hereinafter set forth. The polls shall open for balloting at 11:00 A.M., or as soon thereafter as the Moderator calls the meeting to order and declares a quorum present. Voting on Article 1 (election of officers) shall be by official ballot. The remaining articles on the warrant shall be acted upon at eight o'clock in the evening.

ARTICLE #1.

To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE #2

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$489,524 for general municipal operations:

Executive	48,000
Election & Registration	6,000
Financial Administration	38,000
Revaluation of Property	7,500
Legal Expense	12,000
Personnel Administration	43,000
Planning & Zoning	5,000
General Government Building	23,000
Cemeteries	7,000

Insurance	6,000
Advertising & Regional Associations	1,000
Emergency Services	25,000
Building Inspection	2,000
Highways & Streets	160,000
Street Lighting	3,500
Solid Waste Disposal	61,000
Pest Control	300
Direct Assistance	3,500
Parks and Recreation	9,000
Conway Recreation	16,724
Library	7,000
Interest on Tan	5,000
TOTAL	489,524

ARTICLE #3

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$37,000 for the following Capital Reserve funds established under RSA 35:1;

	Amount
Bridges	\$10,000
Highway Equipment	\$15,000
Property Revaluation	\$7,000
Buildings	\$5,000
Total	\$37,000

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE #4

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 for the following Expendable Trust Funds established under RSA 31:19A

Asphalt	\$5,000

Equipment Maintenance	\$5,000
Total	\$10,000

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE #5

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 for resurfacing of Foss Mt Rd. This amount (\$10,000) to be taken from the General Fund Balance and no amount is to be raised by taxation.

ARTICLE #6

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 for the purchase of property off the Willis Bean Rd (Tax map R12, lot 10) and authorize the withdrawal of \$10,000 from the Capital Reserve Fund for Land Acquisition. No amount is to be raised by taxation.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen

ARTICLE #7

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 for improvements to the Snowville and Eaton Cemeteries.

ARTICLE #8

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,164 for the Eaton Day Capital Reserve Fund. This sum to come from the General Fund Balance and no amount is to be raised by taxation.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE #9

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$42,549 for the purpose of reconstructing Town roads damaged during the April 2007 flood and to authorize the Selectmen to accept and expend federal or state aid or both, as may be available and to do all things necessary to carry out the purpose of this appropriation.

ARTICLE #10

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$887.00 for the support of the White Mountain Community Health Center to help meet the healthcare needs of the uninsured and the underinsured residents of Eaton.

Agreeable to a petition signed by Robert G. Bridgham and others.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE #11

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$759.00 to support Eaton home delivered meals (Meals on Wheels), congregate meals, transportation and program services provided by the Gibson Center for Senior Services, Inc.

Agreeable to a petition signed by Henry M. Fowler and others.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE #12

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 for the Early Supports & Services Program (birth to 3 years) of Children Unlimited, Inc.

Agreeable to a petition signed by Jacqueline M. Sparks and others.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE #13

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$358.00 to assist The Mental Health Center.

Agreeable to a petition signed by Martha M. Cobbs and others.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE #14

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 in support of Starting Point providing crisis services to the victims of domestic and sexual violence and their children.

Agreeable to a petition signed by Jacqueline M. Sparks and others.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE #15

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$320.00 to help defray the costs of Service Delivery of the Mount Washington Valley Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Agreeable to a petition signed by Barbara E. Brackett and others.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE #16

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500 for Tri-County Community Action for the purpose of continuing services of the fuel assistance program for the residents of Eaton.

Agreeable to a petition signed by Donald R. Philbrick and others.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE #17

To act on any other business that may legally come before

this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 19th day of February, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and eight.

Donald R. Philbrick
Richard H. Young
Lee P. Stack III
Selectmen of Eaton

A true copy of Warrant-Attest:

Donald R. Philbrick
Richard H. Young
Lee P. Stack III

We hereby certify that we gave notice to the inhabitants within named, to meet at time and place for the purpose within mentioned, by posting an attested copy of the within Warrant at the place of meeting within named, and a like attested copy at the Eaton Village Store, being a public place in said Town, on the 22nd day of February 2008

Donald R. Philbrick
Richard H. Young
Lee P. Stack III
Board of Selectmen

Budget of the Town of Eaton

Purpose of the Appropriation (RSA 31:4)	Budget 2007	Expenditures 2007	Proposed 2008
General Government			
Executive	48,000	44,433	48,000
Election, Registration	2,000	2,659	6,000
Financial Administration	35,000	31,476	38,000
Revaluation	7,000	6,500	7,500
Legal	12,000	7,451	12,000
Employee Benefits	43,000	35,172	43,000
Planning	5,000	3,372	5,000
Buildings	20,000	21,122	23,000
Cemeteries	7,000	5,240	7,000
Insurance	6,000	4,813	6,000
Regional Association	1,000	816	1,000
Public Safety			
Fire	25,000	20,923	25,000
Building Inspection	2,000	0	2,000
Highways & Streets			
Highways & Streets	140,000	136,188	160,000
Street Lighting	3,300	2,692	3,500
Sanitation			
Solid Waste Disposal	67,000	58,333	61,000
Health			
Pest Control	300	155	300
Welfare			
Direct Assistance	3,500	2,700	3,500
Culture & Recreation			
Parks & Recreation	11,500	7,367	9,000
Conway Recreation	14,009	14,009	16,724
Library	7,000	6,475	7,000
Debt Service			
Interest on Tan	5,000	0	5,000
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	464,609	411,896	489,524
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SOURCES OF REVENUES

	Budget 2007	Actual 2007	Budget 2008
Taxes			
Interest & Penalties	3,000.00	2,106.32	2,000.00
Yield Taxes	1,000.00	112.62	1,000.00
Land Use Change Tax	1,000.00	0.00	1,000.00
Licenses, Permits and Fees			
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	75,000.00	80,774.08	75,000.00
Building Permits	2,000.00	3,115.26	2,000.00
Other Licenses and Fees	2,000.00	3,891.75	2,000.00
From State			
Shared Revenue/Meals Tax	17,000.00	16,056.84	15,000.00
Highway Block Grant	34,558.38	34,558.38	35,998.15
Miscellaneous Revenues			
Interest on Investments	5,000.00	9,214.25	7,500.00
Refunds & Dividends	6,000.00	24,635.28	3,000.00
Other	100.00	1,785.39	100.00
Interfund Transfers In			
Capital Reserve Funds	1,000.00	0.00	0.00
General Fund			
Total Revenue and Credits	147,658.38	176,250.17	144,598.15

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Land	Acres	Valuation
Current use	9,641.53	1,084,550
Residential	13,076.5	49,962,470
Commercial	130.46	1,965,740
Total of Taxable Land		53,012,760
Buildings		
Residential		49,548,760
Manufactured Housing		101,050
Commercial		3,210,130
Total of Taxable Buildings		52,859,940
Utilities		
PSNH		368,554
NH Electric Coop		105,666
Total Utilities		474,220
NET VALUATION FOR MUNICIPAL, COUNTY & LOCAL EDUCATION TAX		106,346,920
NET VALUATION WITHOUT UTILITIES FOR STATE EDUCATION TAX		105,872,700
Number of Individuals Applying for Elderly		0
Number of Individuals Granted an Elderly		0
Tax Credits		
War Service Credits	Number	20,000

CURRENT USE REPORT

Total Number of Acres		
Farm Land		312.06
Forest Land		5,817.11
Land with Stewardship		3,266.38
Uproductive		249.98
Total Number of Acres under Current Use		9,645.53
Number of Acres Receiving the Recreational Adj		472.00
Total Number of Owners Granted Current Use		146

**PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION AND TAXES ASSESSED FOR
THE TAX YEAR 2007**

PURPOSES OF THE APPROPRIATIONS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Executive	48,000
Election, Registration	2,000
Financial Administration	35,000
Revaluation	7,000
Legal	12,000
Employee benefits	43,000
Planning	5,000
Buildings	20,000
Cemeteries	7,000
Insurance	6,000
Regional Association	1,000

Public Safety

Fire	25,000
Building Inspection	2,000

Highways & Streets

Highways & Streets	140,000
Street Lighting	3,300

Sanitation

Solid Waste Disposal	67,000
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Health

Pest Control	300
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Welfare

Direct Assistance	3,500
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Culture & Recreation

Parks & Recreation	11,500
Conway Recreation	14,009
Library	7,000

Debt Service

Interest on Tan	5,000
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Operating Transfers

To Capital Reserve Funds	38,000
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Special Articles	41,710
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TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	544,319
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TAX COMMITMENT COMPUTATION

TOWN OF EATON

Appropriations	544,412	
Less: Revenues	(179,286)	
Less: Shared Revenues	(1,639)	
Add: Overlay	8,011	
War Service Credits	20,000	
Net Town Appropriation	391,498	
Approved Town Tax Effort	391,498	
Municipal Tax Rate		3.68
SCHOOL PORTION		
Net Local School Budget	631,905	
Less: Adequate Education Grant	0	
State Education Taxes	(201,491)	
Approved School(s) Tax Effort	430,414	
Local Education Tax Rate		4.05
State Education Taxes		
Equalized Valuation (no utilities)	\$2.24	
89,951,492	226,678	
Divide by Local Assessed Valuation (no utilities) 105873000		
State Education Tax Rate		1.90
Excess State Education Taxes to be Remitted to State	0	
COUNTY PORTION		
Due to County	81,089	
Shared Revenues	(445)	
Approved County Tax Effort	80,644	
County Tax Rate		0.76
Combined Tax Rate		
		10.39
Total Property Taxes Assessed	1,104,047	
War Service Credits	(20,000)	
PROPERTY TAX COMMITMENT	1,084,047	

EATON TOWN MEETING 2007

Moderator Paul D. Hennigan called the annual Town Meeting of Eaton, NH to order on March 13, 2007 at 11AM. Mr. Hennigan announced a quorum being present and the return of the warrants showing they had been properly served. Mr. Hennigan stated the "Call to Meeting", and at this time the entire town and school warrants were read, following which the moderator stated the polls were open for voting on Articles #1 and #2 of the town warrant and for Articles #1 through #5 for the school warrant. The remaining Articles #3 through #16 on the town warrant, would be considered when the town meeting resumed at 8:PM and the remaining Articles #6 through #9, on the school warrant, would be considered when the school board meeting resumed at 5:PM.

At 8:PM, Mr. Hennigan announced, "A quorum being present, the 2007 Annual Meeting of the Town of Eaton, Carroll County, State of New Hampshire, now resumes for consideration of Articles #3 through #16 of the warrant duly posted here at the Town Hall and the public meeting place of the Eaton Village Store and the attested copy by the Board of Selectmen. The Board of Selectmen being Joyce Blue, Chair, Donald Philbrick and Richard Young." Mr. Hennigan asked everyone to please turn off all electronic devices for the duration of the meeting. Mr. Hennigan asked us all to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. Mr. Hennigan asked for a moment of silence for all the military personnel here and abroad serving our country.

Mr. Hennigan introduced himself as the moderator of the Town of Eaton and they told us of the guidelines and conduct expected during the town meeting.

Mr. Hennigan then announced the election results of the school board warrant Articles #1 through #5. He duly noted there were a number of write-ins on the ballot, due to the absence of people running for the positions.

The following were elected for the School:

Moderator for one year	Ralph Wilkewitz
Clerk for one year	Marla Browning
School Board Member for three years	Judith Goss accepted for a term of one year
Treasurer for one year	Judith Guerringue
Auditor for one year	Robert Bridgham

Mr. Hennigan announced the results of the town warrant Article #1.

The following were elected:

Selectman for three years	Lee P. Stack III
Trustee of the Trust Fund for three years	Vacant
Auditor for one year	Vacant
Highway Commissioner for one year	Elwn R. Thurston
Supervisor of the Checklist for one year	Dana Bacich
Town Clerk/Tax Collector for three years	Mark A. Griffin

Mr. Hennigan noted the numerous numbers of write-ins, with no definite winner and asked the various write-ins, present, if they wished to serve the two vacant terms and each person so declined.

Mr. Hennigan asked for complimentary resolutions.

Rick Young stood and stated they had five people they wished to recognize for serving in the town. They were Beth Griffin, for five

years on the Eaton Conservation Commission, Nancy D'Angelo for five years as a Supervisor of the Checklist, Joyce Blue for nine years as a Selectman, Colleen McCormack-Lane for twelve years as Town Clerk/Tax Collector and Dick Fortin for twenty-four years on the Eaton Conservation Commission.

Rick proceeded to call each person up to the podium. He presented Beth Griffin with a glass vase with the Eaton town seal. Nancy D'Angelo was not present to receive a vase. Joyce Blue received a vase and a glass mounted plaque with her years of service and dedication. Colleen McCormack-Lane received a vase and a glass mounted plaque with her years of service and dedication. Dick Fortin received a wooden plaque for his years of service and dedication. Rick thought it appropriate for him to receive something in wood to represent the conservation commission and that they only had to cut down a "few" trees to have it made.

Mr. Hennigan wished to recognize David Maudsley and his work for the town. Mr. Hennigan believed all the townspeople deserved a lot of credit to fill the seats at town meeting and to see the voters turn out for our election. He stated it gave him great pleasure to see these results.

Mr. Hennigan asked all of us to turn to page 85 in our town reports and acknowledge the passing of our faithful residents, James Worcester, Irene Konkoly, Althea Tibbetts, Eugene Kleinmeier, Lawrence Louis Gray and Lawrence Mark Gray.

Mr. Hennigan remarked of the availability of the town reports and asked everyone to read them. He then read the guidelines of the meeting in detail and noted he was able to fine anyone he saw fit and the fine was \$1.00. He noted there would be a secret ballot on Articles #7 & #14, being the Recreation Department Article and the Climate Change Article. He announced there were 140 ballots cast and those that were elected to the Town offices see the Town Clerk after the meeting and those who were elected to the School offices were to attend the April 2, 2007 meeting at 6:PM.

Mr. Hennigan then read the results of Article #2 with the four (4)

amendments.

ARTICLE #2
Amendment #1

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment #1 as proposed by the Planning Board as follows?

To add the word “adversely” to Article VI sections 3 (d) and 5 (d) so that they both read “Public Health, safety and/or welfare are not adversely affected.”

YES – 124

NO – 13

Amendment #2

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment #2 as proposed by the Planning Board as follows?

To add the word “unreasonably” to Article VI sections 3 (e) and 5 (e) so that they both read “Traffic, parking, noise and night time lighting are not unreasonably increased.”

YES – 120

NO – 14

Amendment #3

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment #3 as proposed by the Planning Board as follows?

Add to Article IV section O; Aircraft of helicopter landings and take offs: “The Board of Selectmen may authorize aircraft or helicopter landings and take offs for unforeseen emergency situations to protect the health, safety and well being of the Town and its residents. Emergency situations include, but are not limited to, those involving the fighting of fires and the evacuation of persons in life and death situations.”

YES – 123

NO – 13

Amendment #4

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment #4 as proposed by the Planning Board as follows?

Add a new section (section P) to Article IV as follows:

P. The Town of Eaton Zoning Ordinance incorporates the current New Hampshire Comprehensive Shoreland Protection Act (RSA 483-B) and all its provisions, as if fully set forth within.

1. The Eaton Board of Selectmen shall be responsible for the enforcement of this ordinance and shall have the authority, for cause, to enter upon any land or parcel at any reasonable time to provide oversight, inspection and enforcement duties provided for in this ordinance.

2. The provisions in this section do not invalidate, or take precedence over any existing requirement or regulation of the Town of Eaton Zoning Ordinance, or any other Town of Eaton regulatory requirement. All Provisions in this section shall rely on words, or terms, as defined in the New Hampshire Comprehensive Shoreland Protection Act (RSA 483-B).

3. Where the provisions of the New Hampshire Comprehensive Shoreland Protection Act (RSA 483-B) are violated, restoration of a woodland buffer with 4" Dbh diameter trees (not saplings) planted at a distance of 15 feet or less apart will be required. Plantings will be established with 9 months of written notification of the violation and will be replanted as necessary to insure survival and restoration of a woodland buffer.

YES – 102 NO- 24 NO VOTE (blank) – 14

ARTICLE #3

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$488,600 for general municipal operations:

Executive	48,000
Election & Registration	2,000
Financial Administration	35,000
Revaluation of Property	7,000
Legal Expense	12,000
Personnel Administration	43,000
Planning & Zoning	5,000
General Government Building	20,000
Cemeteries	7,000
Insurance	6,000
Regional Associations	1,000
Emergency Services	25,000
Building Inspection	2,000
Highways & Streets	140,000
Street Lighting	3,300
Solid Waste Disposal	67,000
Pest Control	300
Direct Assistance	3,500
Parks and Recreation	11,500
Library	7,000
Interest on Tan	5,000
To Capital Reserve Funds	38,000
TOTAL	488,600

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Dave Sorensen moved the motion; Jean Hartman seconded.

Dave Sorensen questioned the Executive money being up by 9,000 over last year.

Joyce Blue remarked the Executive Administration budget was increased for the town hall services and they were looking for a deputy for David Maudsley to aid in his transition.

Fred Goss asked for a better break down on the emergency services, were they all fire? And to which departments?

Rick Young asked him to look at page 39 in the town report for the breakdown.

Article #3 passed with a unanimous voice vote. There was no motion for reconsideration.

ARTICLE #4

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000 for reditching, resurfacing, and replacing culverts on Old Carriage Rd, reditching and resurfacing Hatch Hill and replacing culverts on Youngs rd.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Elwyn Thurston moved the motion; Jane Gray seconded. Robert Blaney asked why this was not included in the 140,000 in the budget. Don Philbrick stated these were special issues and the money can only be expended for such. He stated this insured these special issues would get done.

Article #4 passed with a unanimous voice vote. There was no motion for reconsideration.

ARTICLE #5

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 for construction of a fire pond on Stewart Rd and to authorize the withdrawal of this amount from the General Fund.

Ginger Blymyer moved the motion; Leona Hurley seconded.

Tom Costello asked did we not indeed put a fire pond in a couple of years ago in the warrant and where was that money we had appropriated?

Joyce Blue responded they had indeed and there had been delays, issues of location, a few rainy years, two options existed for the pond and with the passing of time, the pond's cost had increased and yes, \$10,000 was still there in the fund.

Discussion ensued about the location of the pond, whether at the Old Henney Fire Pond or on Stubby Heath's land. The liability, safety, impact, feasibility of fire apparatus being able to reach the ponds and the best location of the pond were the issues. It was established of the original \$10,000 appropriated, only DES permit money had been expended. It was urged to get the fire department involved in the decision of the location of the pond. There were many opinions expressed about the location of the pond and the majority, including the selectmen agreed to the Heath site.

Jean Hartman made a motion to amend the article to move the pond to Stubby Heath's property. John Hartman seconded.

Rick Young stated the selectmen had agreed on Stubby's property to be the best location, but Stubby had made it clear on the night the Selectmen were to open the bids for the pond, only one person could dig the pond on his property, Richard L. Heath and Sons. Chris Kennedy asked if the real issue was only one person could dig the pond and not the location? Rick Young stated yes, it was town policy to obtain bids for all projects in the best interest of the town.

Discussion followed on the wish to clarify on how to make a decision on price of pond with a sole bidder. Rick Young asked Stubby to state his decision on one bidder and he replied with Richard L. Heath and Sons will dig the pond. It was then established the bidder could charge what ever he wanted and we would be obligated to pay.

Jean Hartman then withdrew her amendment to the article and John Hartman agreed. Stubby stated they were not going to over charge the town, that he lived here also. Rick Young noted he had talked to Stewart Heath via phone today and he had estimated the pond to cost around \$20,000. Ken McKenzie asked if the town would have an easement granted to the pond on the Heath property. Rick Young stated they had an agreement for the right to maintain and use the pond. Rick Young also stated the town had employed David Weathers to design the pond and his expertise in designing over 600 State and Federal ponds gave him the qualifications needed for such a project.

Ken McKenzie moved to amend the article to give the selectmen the discretion to locate the pond on the Heath property without competitive bidding. Carroll Shackford seconded.

Mr. Hennigan reread the amendment to the article and asked for a vote by show of hands.

YES – 45

NO – 6

Mr. Hennigan stated it a vote in the affirmative and he so declared it.

Mr. Hennigan then asked for a vote on Article #5 as read.

Article #5 passed with a unanimous voice vote. There was no motion for reconsideration.

ARTICLE #6

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 for the repair and purchase of radios for the purpose of preventing and fighting forest fires and to authorize the withdrawal of this amount from the General Fund.

Fred Goss moved Article #6; Patrick Blymyer seconded.

There was no discussion.

Article #6 passed with a unanimous voice vote.

ARTICLE #7

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$14,009 for the Conway Recreational Program.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Marnie Cobbs moved Article #7; Judie Goss seconded.

Marnie Cobbs stood to speak and stated it looked a lot like last year's article and she realized it had not passed and that some of the options hoped to be considered were to inquire into Madison, Freedom and North Conway's recreation programs. These options became not liable with issues as, the transportation of the children to these programs, time sensitive scheduled events, Eaton children not being able to play with their peers, and parents not being able to schedule these programs around their work frames. She noted negotiations had stalled between Conway and Eaton on the recreation program last year and it was her eleven year old son, who wrote letters to Conway and Eaton Selectmen urging them to come back to the table that prompted her getting involved in the negotiations. She stated the new formula developed to reach the \$14,009 figure and it was \$900 less than last year, but the largest consideration was the distribution of the capital improvements to be over 15 years and now it was more proportionate as to the same way the dump figures were worked out.

Many voters spoke on the positive return for our children with having a recreation program. We were not only to feed their minds, but their over all well roundedness with social skills involved in the program. It was also mentioned the program had services for senior citizens as well. It was well noted, we as a town would not be able to support a program of this proportion if we had to purchase the equipment, hire staff and locate a facility.

Mr. Hennigan called for a secret ballot.

Mr. Hennigan declared the “Yes” had the majority, being there only 15 “No’s”.

Article #7 passed with the majority vote in the affirmative. There was no motion to reconsider.

ARTICLE #8

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$933.48 for the support of the White Mountain Community Health Center to help meet the healthcare needs of the uninsured and underinsured residents of Eaton.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Nancy Williams moved Article #8; Lee Stack seconded.

Carol Mayhofer moved to combine Articles #8 through #14 into one vote.

Mr. Hennigan denied the request, due to an issue with one of the Articles. One of the petitions did not have enough signers to meet requirements.

There was no discussion.

Article #8 passed with a unanimous voice vote.

ARTICLE #9

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$759.00 to support Eaton home delivered meals (Meals on Wheels), congregate meals, transportation and program services provided by the Gibson Center for Senior Services, Inc.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Ginger Blymyer moved Article #9; Barbara Brackett seconded.

There was no discussion.

Article #9 passed with a unanimous voice vote.

ARTICLE #10

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for the Early Supports & Services Program (birth to 3 years) of Children Unlimited, Inc.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Barbara Holmes moved Article #10; Elizabeth Gemmecke seconded.

There was no discussion.

Article #10 passed with a unanimous voice vote.

ARTICLE #11

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$358.00 to assist The Mental Health Center.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Janet Bridgham moved Article #11; Jean Hartman seconded.

There was no discussion.

Article #11 passed with a unanimous voice vote.

ARTICLE #12

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$333.00 in support of Starting Point providing crisis services to the victims of domestic and sexual violence and their children.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Mr. Hennigan postponed the discussion and moving of this article until Article #16 due to a lack of proper signatures on the petition.

ARTICLE #13

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$320.00 to help defray the costs of Service Delivery of the Mount Washington Valley Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Barbara Brackett moved Article #13; Judie Goss seconded.

There was no discussion.

Article #13 passed with a unanimous voice vote.

ARTICLE #14

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500 for TriCounty Community Action for the purpose of continuing services of the fuel assistance program for the residents of Eaton.

Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Lee Stack moved Article #14; Philip Kelly seconded.

There was no discussion.

Article #14 passed with a unanimous voice vote.

ARTICLE #15

New Hampshire Climate Change Resolution

To see if the Town will go on record in support of effective actions by the President and the Congress to address the issue of climate change which is increasingly harmful to the environment and economy of New Hampshire and to the future well being of

the people of Eaton.

These actions include:

1. Establishment of a national program requiring reductions of U.S. greenhouse gas emissions while protecting the U.S. economy.
2. Creation of a major national research initiative to foster rapid development of sustainable energy technologies thereby stimulating new jobs and investment. In addition, the Town of Eaton encourages New Hampshire citizens to work for emission reductions within their communities, and we ask our Selectmen to consider the appointment of a voluntary energy committee to recommend local steps to save energy and reduce emissions.

The record of the vote on this article shall be transmitted to the New Hampshire Congressional Delegation, to the President of the United States and to the declared candidates for those offices.

Elizabeth Gemmecke moved Article #15; Nancy Williams seconded.

Mr. Hennigan told Ms. Gemmecke that he assumed she would forward the results to the proper places or authorities and wished her to respond. Betsy Gemmecke responded "Yes, I will." She also stated this was a similar article to the same grass roots effort in the 1983 acid rain issue. The acid rain issue gained national attention but such an initiative. Betsy mentioned 3,000 related jobs have been cut, due to global warming issues. Dave Sorensen stated this article only shows support of the townspeople and costs the town nothing.

Mr. Hennigan asked for a vote by secret ballot.

Mr. Hennigan declared a vote in the affirmative, with the count being 48-Yes and 11-No.

Article #15 passed with the vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE #16

To act on any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Mr. Hennigan stated he would now address Article #12. Article #12 did not have the legal amount of ten (10) legal voter's signatures and he could not enact on the article until it was duly noted in the meeting. Mr. Hennigan was questioned on the legality of now voting on this article. He responded it was legal, as long as the voters have been so warned and the dollar value does not change.

Mr. Hennigan called for a voice vote to proceed on Article #12 as written and read.

There was a unanimous voice vote.

Robert Bridgham moved Article #12; Elizabeth Gemmecke seconded.

There was no discussion.

Article #12 passed with a unanimous voice vote.

Mr. Hennigan asked if there was any further business.

Dave Sorensen inquired about moving the time of the Town Meeting up to 7:PM and the second point, he wanted to know where the balance report for the bottom line of the Conservation Committee was, as it was not reported in the town report.

Judy Fowler stated all the minutes were on the town website. Rick Young stated he realized it was not in the town report and there was an addendum to the town report for the Conservation Commission and it had been printed up for the townspeople.

Carolyn Lucet asked if these articles we just voted on could not

be put into the line budget items in the future.

Don Philbrick responded the petitioned articles vary each year and they would not have a way to know in advance at the budget hearing.

Joan Kojola wished to thank everyone for participating in the ECC bake sale.

Tom Costello wanted to know about the Potter Bridge project, the septic article concerning the village district, and Louise Gray's concern about the disappearance of the military honor roll plaque.

Rick Young stated the Potter Bridge project was still ongoing and that the Claremont flooding had pushed the project back to due to priorities until 2009 and the septic issue money had been put back into the general fund, due to the grant being lost by no one stepping up to champion the idea. The grant had time constraints on it. Rick Young asked Louise Gray if the plaque was the one by the old road at the vicinity of the beach and stated he did not know where it was. Louise Gray was had an emotional response and stated we had a duty to those men on that plaque to display it properly. It was asked if someone could form a committee to take on this project.

Tom Costello and Kenneth McKenzie volunteered to be on the committee for this project.

Ralph Wilkewitz motioned for the meeting to adjourn; John Hartman seconded.

Mr. Hennigan adjourned the meeting at 9:50 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Colleen E. McCormack-Lane Town Clerk

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007**

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION	APPROPRIATION	EXPENDITURE	BALANCE
EXECUTIVE	48,000	44,433	3,567
ELECTION REGISTRATION & VITAL	2,000	2,659	(659)
FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	35,000	31,476	3,524
REVALUATION OF PROPERTY	7,000	6,500	500
LEGAL EXPENSES	12,000	7,451	4,549
PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION	43,000	35,172	7,828
PLANNING AND ZONING	5,000	3,372	1,628
GENERAL GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS	20,000	21,122	(1,122)
CEMETERIES	7,000	5,240	1,760
INSURANCE	6,000	4,813	1,187
ADVERTISING AND REGIONAL ASSOCIATION	1,000	816	184
FIRE/EMERGENCY SERVICES	25,000	20,923	4,077
CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER	2,000	0	2,000
HIGHWAYS AND STREETS	140,000	136,188	3,812
STREET LIGHTING	3,300	2,692	608
SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL	67,000	58,333	8,667
ANIMAL CONTROL	300	155	145
GENERAL ASSISTANCE	3,500	2,700	800
PARKS AND RECREATION	11,500	7,367	4,133
CONWAY RECREATION	14,009	14,009	
LIBRARY	7,000	6,475	525
INTEREST EXPENSE - TAN	5,000	0	5,000
TO CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS	38,000	38,000	0
SPECIAL ARTICLES	41,710	13,710	28,000
TOTALS	544,319	463,606	80,713

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF EATON
BALANCE SHEET
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007**

ASSETS

Cash	484,409
Taxes Receivable	381,440
Tax Liens Receivable	22,950

TOTAL ASSETS	\$888,800
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LIABILITIES

Warrants and Accounts Payable	69,053
Due to School District	331,905
Bridge Aid	72,000
Special Account	1,753
Encumbered Funds	28,000
Performance Guarantee	36,000

TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$538,711
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FUND EQUITY

Unreserved Fund Balance	350,089
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TOTAL FUND EQUITY	\$350,089
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TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	\$888,800
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FINANCIAL REPORT

REVENUES - MODIFIED ACCRUAL

Revenue from Taxes

TOTAL TAXES 1,092,814

Revenues from Licenses, Permits & Fees

Motor Vehicle Permit Fees 80,774

Building Permits 3,115

Other Licenses, Permits and Fees 3,887

TOTAL 87,776

Revenue from State of New Hampshire

Shared Revenue Block Grant/Meals tax 25,061

Highway Block Grant 34,435

FEMA 241,029

Other

TOTAL 300,525

Revenue from Miscellaneous Sources

Interest on Investments 16,295

Eaton Day 2,193

Insurance Dividends and Refunds 24,536

Miscellaneous 1,786

Cemetery 300

TOTAL 45,110

Interfund Operating Transfers in

Transfers from Capital Reserve Funds 86,433

TOTAL 86,433

TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES 1,612,658

TOTAL FUND EQUITY (Beginning of year) 297,634

GRAND TOTAL 1,910,292

EXPENDITURES - MODIFIED ACCRUAL

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Executive 44,433

Election & Registration	2,658	
Financial Administration	31,476	
Revaluation	6,500	
Legal	7,451	
Employee Benefits	35,161	
Planning	3,371	
Buildings	21,121	
Cemeteries	5,240	
Insurance	4,813	
Regional Association	815	
TOTAL		163,039
 PUBLIC SAFETY		
Emergency Services	20,923	
Code Enforcement	0	
TOTAL		20,923
 HIGHWAYS AND STREETS		
Highways and Streets	136,188	
FEMA	230,212	
Street Lighting	2,692	
TOTAL		369,092
 SANITATION		
Solid Waste Disposal	58,333	
TOTAL		58,333
 HEALTH		
Animal Control	155	
Health Agencies	3,710	
TOTAL		3,865
 WELFARE		
Direct Assistance	2,700	
TOTAL		2,700

CULTURE & RECREATION

Parks & Recreation	7,367	
Conway Recreation	14,009	
Library	6,475	
TOTAL		27,851

OPERATING TRANSFERS

To Capital Reserve Funds	38,000	
TOTAL		38,000

OTHER PAYMENTS

Taxes Paid to County	81,089	
Taxes Paid to School District	746,714	
Fire Pond	18,282	
Refunds and Abatements	884	
Town of Conway	2,427	
Cemetery Trust Fund	300	
Hot Rock Paving	4,600	
Hoyle, Tanner and Associates	22,731	
TOTAL		877,027

TOTAL EXPENDITURES		1,560,830
TOTAL FUND EQUITY		350,089
GRAND TOTAL		1,910,919

TOWN OF EATON
SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2006

Description

Town Hall, Lands and Building	\$709,750
Furniture and Equipment	35,000
Fire Fighting, Lands and Buildings	3,700
Highway Department, Land and Buildings	38,550
Equipment	215,000
Materials and Supplies	10,000
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	38,550
TOTAL	\$1,050,550

TOWN CLERK REPORT
JANUARY 1, 2007- DECEMBER 31, 2007

DEBIT

Car Registrations	80,774.08
Filing Fees	6.00
Marriage Licenses & Vital Statistics	304.00
Dog Licenses	289.50
Title Fees & Decals	2,860.50
Returned Check	10.00
Voter Registration List	50.00
Miscellaneous	381.75
Postage	15.63
TOTAL	\$84,691.46
Returned Check Bank Fee	30.00
Paid to Town Treasurer	\$84,661.46

Mark A. Griffin
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007

DEBITS

	Levies of	
	2006	
UNCOLLECTED TAXES BEGINNING OF FISCAL YEAR		
Property Taxes		189,372.18
TAXES COMMITTED THIS YEAR		
Property Taxes	\$1,092,813.79	
Land Use Change Tax		
Yield Taxes	112.50	
OVERPAYMENT		
Property Taxes	1,489.25	1,631.27
Returned Checks		
Miscellaneous Charges		1,090.25
Interest Late Tax	697.21	2,320.19
TOTAL DEBITS	\$1,095,112.75	194,413.89

CREDITS

	Levies of:	
	2007	2005
Remitted to Treasurer		
Property Taxes	\$709,608.70	\$190,372.84
Yield Taxes	112.50	
Interest	697.21	2,320.19
Overpayments		
Miscellaneous Charges		1090.25
Return Checks and Fees	0.00	0.00
DISCOUNTS ALLOWED	0.00	0.00
ABATEMENTS MADE	3,292.67	630.61
UNCOLLECTED TAXES		
Property Taxes	381,440.81	0.00
TOTAL CREDITS	\$1,095,151.89	\$194,413.89

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
SUMMARY OF TAX LIEN ACCOUNTS

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2007

DEBITS

	LEVIES OF		
	2006	2005	2004
Unredeemed Liens Beginning of Year	0.00	7,683.26	4,010.05
Liens Executed During the Year	35,888.47		
Interests & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	505.48	668.63	1,490.33
Overpayment			
Unredeemed Yield Lien			
Returned Check			
TOTAL DEBITS	36,393.95	8,351.89	5,500.38

CREDITS

Remitted to Treasurer

Redemptions	18,450.57	2,107.37	4,010.15
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	505.48	668.63	1,490.33
Overpayment			
Abatements of Unredeemed Taxes	63.50	0.00	0.00
Liens Deeded to Municipality			
Unredeemed Liens Balance End of Year	17,374.40	5,575.89	
TOTAL CREDITS	36,393.95	8,351.89	5,500.48

2007 TREASURER'S REPORT

Carol L. Mayhofer, Treasurer

The Town of Eaton had another fiscally sound year. Because the Town maintains a substantial balance in the General Fund we did not have to borrow money to cover the almost \$200,000 in road repairs caused by the spring floods. These expenditures were later reimbursed by FEMA.

INCOME

Tax Collector	828,532.27
Town Clerk	85,293.56
Building Permits + Applications	3,115.26
State of NH - FEMA & Block Grant	284,471.38
Revenue Sharing/Room & Meals Tax	16,056.84
Refunds	24,536.28
Miscellaneous	1,785.39
Cemetery	300.00
Eaton Day	2,193.13
TOTAL	1,246,284.11

GENERAL FUND ACCOUNT BANKNORTH

Balance on hand, January 1, 2007	594,349.83
Voided checks from 2006	10,326.20
Returned checks and fees	(190.00)
Receipts - Tax Collector	828,529.05
Receipts - Town Clerk	85,293.56
Receipts - Selectmen	31,930.06
Receipts - State of NH	300,528.22
Interest	8,289.95
Less Orders Drawn	(1,570,917.26)
Balance on hand, December 31, 2007	288,139.61

TD BANKNORTH SPECIAL ACCOUNT

Balance on hand, January 1, 2007	1,742.78
Interest	52.28
Balance on hand, December 31, 2007	1,795.06

TD BANKNORTH MUNICIPAL ACCOUNT

Balance on hand, January 1, 2007	185,260.30
Interest	9,214.25
Balance on hand, December 31, 2007	194,474.55

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

EXECUTIVE

ALPINE WEB DESIGN	390.00
CARTOGRAPHIC ASSOCIATES	1,600.00
CONWAY DAILY SUN	42.00
DAVID MAUDSLEY	23,618.23
DONALD R. PHILBRICK	2,700.00
HND ASSOCIATES	3,839.85
IMSI	143.95
LEE P. STACK III	2,167.40
LOCAL GOVERNMENT CENTER	6.00
MANATRON	1,324.71
MATTHEW BENDER	755.80
MINUTEMAN PRESS	917.13
NEBS	128.52
NH GOVERNMENT FINANCE OFFICERS	25.00
OFFICE DEPOT	350.88
QUILL CORPORATION	365.03
REAL DATA CORP	20.00
RICHARD H. YOUNG	2,700.00
STAPLES CREDIT PLAN	843.13
TERRA APPRAISALS LLC	396.00
TIME WARNER CABLE	575.36
TREASURER STATE OF NH (DES)	380.00
USPS	449.68
WHITE AWARDS	414.00
XEROX CORPORATION	280.42
OVERALL TOTAL	44,433.09

ELECTIONS & REGISTRATION

COLLEEN MCCORMACKLANE	130.00
CONWAY DAILY SUN	294.00

DANA BACICH	317.45
DONALD R. PHILBRICK	120.00
GLORIA WILLIAMS	80.00
JOYCE R. BLUE	120.00
KAREN BRISBOIS	506.15
PAUL D. HENNIGAN	100.00
PAUL HENNIGAN	287.19
PETER BLUE	80.00
RICHARD H. YOUNG	130.00
SUNNI A. WILKEWITZ	370.00
SUZANNE A. RAICHE	122.50
USPS	1.11
OVERALL TOTAL	2,658.40

FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION

AMY MORIN	300.00
CAROL L. MAYHOFER	900.00
COLLEEN MCCORMACK-LANE	2,881.22
CONWAY DAILY SUN	24.00
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, MARKETS	202.50
FREEDOM TITLE & CLOSING COMPANY, INC.	220.00
LAKES REGION REGIONAL/NHC&TCA	70.00
LOCAL GOVERNMENT CENTER	15.00
MARK A. GRIFFIN	17,035.40
MATTHEW BENDER & Co., INC.	53.75
MINUTEMAN PRESS	295.21
MUNISMART SYSTEMS LLC	1,478.00
NATIONAL BAND & TAG CO.	39.10
NEW ENGLAND ASSOCIATION OF CITY & TOWN	50.00
NH CITY & TOWN CLERKS ASSOCIATION	20.00
NH TAX COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION	80.24
NHTCA	110.00
REGISTRY OF DEEDS	26.00

SECRETARY OF STATE - VITAL RECORDS	231.00
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE	17.66
SUSAN BROOKS	120.00
SUZANNE A. RAICHE	6,305.35
TREASURER - STATE OF NH	89.00
USPS	912.34
OVERALL TOTAL	31,475.77

PROPERTY APPRAISAL

NORTHTOWN ASSOCIATES	6,500.00
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LEGAL

GARDNER FULTON & WAUGH P.L.L.C.	5,451.84
KENNETH MCKENZIE	227.00
MITCHELL & BATES PROFESSIONAL	1,742.04
NH LOCAL WELFARE ADMIN ASSOC	30.00
OVERALL TOTAL	7,450.88

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

HEALTH TRUST	21,169.93
IRS	765.09
PRIMEX	5,911.12
TD BANKNORTH, N.A.	7,314.57
OVERALL TOTAL	35,160.71

PLANNING

CONWAY DAILY SUN	84.00
DAVID MAUDSLEY	2,653.69
HND ASSOCIATES	346.31
MARTIN, LORD & OSMAN P.A.	105.00
REGISTRY OF DEEDS	96.41
USPS	85.72
OVERALL TOTAL	3,371.13

BUILDINGS

AMERIGAS - CONWAY	29.47
AT & T	863.25
CLY'S CLEAN-UP	890.00
DICK GLINES (DBA MT VALLEY FAB)	1,482.00
DONALD R. PHILBRICK	10.95
EDWIN SHACKFORD	380.00
FRANCES E. COOKE	2,655.00
FROG ROCK WOODWORKS	396.27
GORHAM FLAG CENTER	765.00
JESSE LYMAN, INC.	4,132.24
MCBURNIE OIL CO.	1,967.59
POPE SECURITY SYSTEMS, INC.	471.50
PSNH	3,009.10
ROBERT MACDONALD, INC.	1,708.71
SILVER LAKE HARDWARE	149.80
VERIZON	2,210.18
OVERALL TOTAL	21,121.06

CEMETERIES

CLY'S CLEAN-UP	4,890.00
HOT ROCK PAVING	350.00
OVERALL TOTAL	5,240.00

INSURANCE

LOCAL GOVERNMENT CENTER	4,812.73
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REGIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

APA	192.00
NEW HAMPSHIRE MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION	563.19
NH ASSOCIATION OF ASSESSORS	20.00
NH LOGIN	15.00

NHHOA	25.00
OVERALL TOTAL	815.19

FIRE AND RESCUE

CENTER CONWAY FIRE DISTRICT	8,700.00
MEDSTAR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES,	3,622.50
TOWN OF FREEDOM	8,600.00
OVERALL TOTAL	20,922.50

HIGHWAYS & STREETS

ALBERT DEWITT	2,565.00
ALL STATES ASPHALT, INC.	3,715.75
ALLAN BEAN	33,320.50
ALVIN COLEMAN & SON, INC.	7,358.61
BAILEY'S AUTO SUPPLY	461.15
COLEMAN CONCRETE	282.00
COLEMAN RENTAL AND SUPPLY, INC.	863.00
DIESELWORKS	1,168.88
EASTMAN'S WELDING	336.00
ELWYN R. THURSTON	46,518.00
E.W. SLEEPER	7,400.00
FRECHETTE TIRE	2,642.40
FRED GOSS	1,272.00
GRANITE STATE MINERAL	6,085.68
HOWARD P. FAIRFIELD, INC.	1,515.03
MACDONALD MOTORS	2,020.93
MAINE OXY/SPEC AIR GASES	73.45
MB TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT	1,975.00
MCBURNIE OIL CO.	9,841.34
MUNCE'S SUPERIOR, INC.	492.30
NAPA AUTO PARTS - REDSTONE	2,871.51
PORTLAND GLASS	231.25
R.C. HAZELTON CO, INC.	210.84

RICHARD L. HEATH, INC.	1,450.00
RIVERSIDE SERVICE	201.10
VALLADARES REPAIR	81.95
WHITE SIGN	1,198.41
WINDY RIDGE CORPORATION	35.45
OVERALL TOTAL	136,187.53

STREET LIGHTING

PSNH	2,691.93
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SOLID WASTE

TOWN OF CONWAY	58,333.00
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PEST CONTROL

BETTY HOLMES	155.00
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PARKS & RECREATION

BLOW BROS.	892.50
DEBRA CALLIS	312.00
MINUTEMAN PRESS	332.45
PSNH	2,435.82
SANDRA THOMS	348.00
SUZANNE A. RAICHE	590.00
TYLER HAYNES	2,456.00
OVERALL TOTAL	7,366.77

LIBRARY

CONWAY PUBLIC LIBRARY	6,475.00
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OTHER PAYMENTS

ALLAN BEAN	4,488.00
ALVIN COLEMAN & SON, INC.	111,316.03
CHILDREN UNLIMITED, INC	600.00

DAVID WEATHERS	591.75
ELWYN R. THURSTON	57,990.00
GIBSON CENTER FOR SENIOR SERVICES, INC	759.00
HOT ROCK PAVING	4,600.00
HOYLE, TANNER & ASSOCIATES	22,731.00
JAFFE INDUSTRIES	5,242.07
NORTHERN HUMAN SERVICES	358.00
PARIS FARMERS UNION	1,546.66
RICHARD L. HEATH, INC.- FIRE POND	17,690.00
RICHARD L. HEATH, INC.- FEMA	45,532.50
STARTING POINT	333.00
TOWN OF CONWAY	16,436.33
TRI-COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION	500.00
WATER INDUSTRIES, INC	4,096.00
WHITE MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY HEALTH	933.48
OVERALL TOTAL	295,743.82

EATON SCHOOL DISTRICT	746,714.00
TREASURER - CARROLL COUNTY	81,089.00

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The Selectmen have had a quiet year with the problems associated with the economy hitting the housing and construction markets. The number of building permits is down along with a decline in new construction. Property transfers were also less than in the previous year.

April brought a big storm that did tremendous damage to almost all the roads in Town and indeed most of the roads in the area. Gravel replacement alone cost over \$100,000. FEMA was very responsive and unusually quick to reimburse the Town its share of the costs. The State is a different matter. Not all the work is finished but it should be completed this summer. The Selectmen secured the necessary permits from the Department of Environmental Services to upgrade a number of culverts on Bush Rd increasing the size and length of them to mitigate future erosion problems. Nature is again exerting itself with the most snow this winter than we have seen in a long time. Dealing with it is having a significant impact on the budget for 2008 with costs well over twice what they were last year but we would like to thank Elwyn Thurston, Allan Bean and others for keeping the roads open and passable under very trying conditions.

The Town finally received approval from the State to proceed with replacing one of the bridges on Potter Rd. It had been delayed because of the State's financial woes and we are dependent on them for 80% reimbursement from the Bridge Aid Program. Hoyle, Tanner and Associates have again been retained by the Town to engineer the construction and bid package. The Selectmen met with the Bridge Committee directed in 2004 and are moving forward with a prestressed concrete superstructure with wooden railings that will have the least impact upon the site. With construction projects in short supply we expect to get some reasonable bids but the total cost is likely to approach around one million dollars. And this is for a small bridge!

The Selectmen are working in concert with the Department of Transportation on the beaver dam problems on Snow Brook in the hope of alleviating flooding of the road and Camp Waukeela.

Another item of activity this past year has been the frustrating

exercise of expanding broadband access coverage in the Town. Neither Time Warner, who took over from Adelphia for the cable television service, nor Verizon, will increase coverage because they maintain it is not economically worthwhile for them to do so. FairPoint Communications are slated to take over the Verizon service and claim they will cover 75% of their customers within 18 months with broadband. We suspect they are all in the southern part of the State. The Selectmen did send out a letter inviting residents to respond if they wanted high speed access. Some of the responses were very emphatic ranging from painting it as one of the major frustrations of rural life to those who did not feel the need to use computers at all.

Last year the Town voted to rejoin the Conway Recreational Program but the frustrations remain. We do not get an accounting of how many in Eaton participate in the programs and the budget increase this year is almost 20%. Life at the Beach, however, was pretty good this past summer and a welcome sight was Suzanne Raiche back teaching the youngsters how to swim.

The Selectmen are also concerned with people who build houses and other construction projects without first getting building permits from the Town and septic or other required permits from the State. We continue to repeat that it is best to assume a permit is required unless told otherwise by the Selectmen.

Some of the congestion around the Eaton Village Store at coffee time in the morning and tea time in the afternoon has been alleviated by moving the School bus stop to the beach.

The Town Hall has a new flag pole. There was a very brief but well attended ceremony when the flag, donated by Nancy Worcester, was hoisted for the first time.

Personnel changes this year include the resignations of Lee Stack (Selectmen), Mark Griffin (Town Clerk/Tax Collector) and Sunni Wilkewitz (Planning Board). Dick Shaw, who has been on the Planning Board for eons, has also stepped down. To all, we express our thanks.

Donald R. Philbrick
Richard H. Young
Lee P. Stack III
Board of Selectmen

PLANNING BOARD

All four zoning amendments proposed for 2007 passed handily. The amendments included two minor changes to Article VI (non conforming uses, lots and structures) as requested by the Zoning Board of Adjustment. Modifications were also made to Article IV concerning helicopter landings and take offs. A new section was added to incorporate the State Comprehensive Shoreland Protection Act into the Town Zoning Ordinance and authorize the Board of Selectmen to enforce it. This amendment also provided criteria to be met when restoring a wetland buffer.

The Board spend some time reviewing its procedures and decided not only to update its bylaws but to generate a separate set of rules of procedure. These were based in large part upon those already adopted by the Zoning Board of Adjustment to try and ensure some consistency between the two Boards.

Several meetings have dealt with the Master Plan and provoked some discussion on current buzz words such as sustainability and affordable housing. At the moment the focus is on surviving the winter.

We would like to express our appreciation to Dick Shaw and Sunni Wilkewitz for their contributions to the Board. We welcome three new members; Dennis Sullivan, Frank Holmes and Adam Nelson.

The Planning Board meets the third Wednesday in the month and the public is welcome. We also have room for some alternates for the Board for people interested in land use issues.

Paul Savchick
Nancy Malvesta
David Sorensen
Adam Nelson
Dennis Sullivan
Frank Holmes
Lee Stack (Selectmen's
Representative)

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

In 2007 the Eaton Conservation Commission engaged in many of its routine activities and worked toward completion of projects from the past year as well as taking on new commitments.

As usual, the Commission reviewed several Dredge and Fill applications in its capacity as liaison to the New Hampshire Wetlands Bureau.

This year after consideration of many alternatives the Commission settled on pursuing a totally organic management strategy for the Foss Mountain and Brooks Pasture blueberry barrens. An agreement was reached with a second experienced organic grower resulting in coverage of the entire acreage by organic growers Arthur Harvey and Ryan Bushnell. Organic certification of all areas will be achieved in 2008.

In November a volunteer group was organized by Commission member Marnie Cobbs to clear brush from the summit of Foss Mountain in order to reclaim blueberry areas and maintain the scenic views. The turnout was beyond expectation and the Commission extends its thanks to those participants who gave so generously of their time.

In 2008 the Commission will embark on a project to mechanically clear the currently overgrown and unmanaged slopes of Foss Mountain in order to cultivate additional blueberry acreage. These areas will not be designated for commercial cultivation and will be maintained by the Commission for the use of Eaton residents on a priority basis. Funds to assist with the clearing project will be sought at the annual Town Meeting.

The Commission continued its commitment to conservation education by providing scholarships for six Eaton children to attend various Tin Mountain Conservation Center programs during the 2007 season.

Due to very poor market conditions the Commission decided to forego timber harvesting operations in 2007. Instead, Commission efforts focused on the purchase and installation of two bridges over the Shepard's River on the Willis Bean Road in order to increase accessibility for forest management and recreational

activities. The bridge installations also served to mitigate serious erosion and siltation caused by ATV traffic driving through the stream at each site.

The Commission extends its thanks to Stewart Heath who contracted to install the bridges and conduct the necessary road improvements and who also donated generously to the project. Thanks also to Richard 'Stubby' Heath for his able assistance.

With regret and appreciation for his service the Commission accepted the resignation of Dennis Sullivan who chose instead to devote his efforts to serving on the Planning Board. The Commission simultaneously welcomed the addition of former longtime member Marnie Cobbs to its ranks.

Regular meetings of the Eaton Conservation Commission are held at the Evans Memorial Building at 7:00 PM on the second Monday of the month. Special meetings are given public notice and all regular Conservation Commission meetings are open to the public. Those wishing to join or help in any other way may contact Commission Chair Paul M. Savchick, any Conservation Commission member, or the Selectmen at Town Hall.

The names of those members responsible for the actions reported above are as listed below.

Paul M. Savchick, Chair
Kristine Foster, Vice Chair
Judith Fowler, Secretary
Richard G. Brisbois, Treasurer
Marnie Cobbs
Richard Young, Selectmen's Representative

Balance January 1, 2007	7,118.52
Disbursements	
Tin Mountain Conservation Center	1,000.00
Richard Brisbois	206.48
Service Charges	28.00
Deposits	
Interest on deposits	6.25
Balance on December 31, 2007	5,890.29

Forest Management Fund

Balance on January 1, 2007	33,990.77
Disbursements	
ADM Welding & Fabrication	38,100.00
Har-Mac Rebar & Steel	3,950.00
Richard Heath & Sons	9,530.00
H. R. Hoyt Construction	3,000.00
Deposits	
Deposits	21,213.24
Interest on deposits	39.62
Balance on December 31, 2007	663.63

Henney Conservation Fund

Opening market value on January 1, 2007	7,433.36
First Quarter Income	234.88
Bank fees	(20.30)
Second Quarter Income	1,062.14
Bank fees	(25.44)
Third Quarter Income	261.00
Bank fees	(35.44)
Fourth Quarter Income	275.34
Bank fees	(36.16)
Invested income on December 31, 2007	9,149.38

Report of Forest Fire Warden and State Forest Ranger

Your local Forest Fire Warden, Fire Department, and the State of New Hampshire Division of Forests & Lands work collaboratively to reduce the risk and frequency of wildland fires in New Hampshire. To help us assist you, please contact your local Forest Fire Warden or Fire Department to determine if a permit is required before doing ANY outside burning. Under State law (RSA 257-L:17) a fire permit is required for all outside burning unless the ground is completely covered with snow. The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services also prohibits the open burning of household waste. Citizens are encouraged to contact the local fire department or DES at 1-800-498-6868 or www.des.state.nh.us for more information. Safe open burning requires diligence and responsibility. Help us to protect New Hampshire's forest resources. For more information please contact the Division of Forests & Lands at (603) 271-2214, or online at www.nhdf.org

Fire activity was very busy during the spring of 2007, particularly late April into early May. As the forest and fields greened up in later May the fire danger decreased. However, a very dry late summer created very high fire danger again from August into September with fire danger reaching very high on Labor Day. Even with the dry conditions, the area burned was less than half that of 2006. The largest forest fire during the 2007 season burned approximately 26 acres on the side of Wantastiquet Mountain in Chesterfield during the month of May.

Our statewide system of 16 fire lookout towers is credited with keeping most fires small and saving several structures this season due to their quick and accurate spotting capabilities. Many homes in New Hampshire are located in the wildland urban interface, which is the area where homes and flammable wildland fuels intermix. Several of the fires during the 2007 season threatened structures, a constant reminder that forest fires burn more than just trees. Homeowners should take measures to prevent a wildland fire from spreading to their home. Precautions include keeping your roof and gutters clear of leaves and pine needles, and maintaining adequate green space around your home free of flammable materials. Additional information and homeowner

recommendations are available at www.firewise.org. Please help Smokey Bear, your local fire department and the state's Forest Rangers by being fire wise and fire safe!

**2007 FIRE STATISTICS
(All Fires Reported through November 8, 2007)**

TOTALS BY COUNTY

**CAUSES OF FIRES
REPORTED**

	Number	Acres		
Hillsborough	61	71	Arson	5
Rockingham	16	22	Miscellaneous	119
Merrimack	16	73	Smoking	41
Belknap	30	95	Children	22
Cheshire	44	36	Campfire	38
Stratford	19	32	Railroad	5
Carroll	11	53	Debris	197
Grafton	4	30	Equipment	3
Sullivan	5	10	Lightning	7
Coos	6	15		

	Total Fires	Total Acres
2007	437	212
2006	500	473
2005	546	174
2004	482	147
2003	374	100

**REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF EATON
DECEMBER 31, 2007**

FUND			PRINCIPAL				INCOME				Totals	
Date of Creation	Name of Fund	Purpose of Fund	How Invested	Balance Beginning of Year	New Funds Created	With Drawals	Balance End of Year	Balance Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End of Year	Principal & Income
TRUST FUNDS												
1988	Cemetery Com. Trust	Perpetual Care	NHPDIP	13,000.00	300.00		13,300.00	4,737.24	904.13		5,641.37	18,941.37
1977	TriCentennial Trust	Education Scholarship	CD	675.00			675.00	3,313.44	218.41		3,531.85	4,206.85
1989	Cemetery Main. Fund	Maintenance	NHPDIP	7,050.00			7,050.00	1,667.33	443.91		2,111.24	9,161.24
1987	Town Eaton-Asphalt	Maintenance	NHPDIP	17,504.37	10,000.00		27,504.37	0.00	935.28		935.28	28,439.65
2004	Equip Maintnce	Maintenance	NHPDIP	20,000.00	0.00		20,000.00	1,827.24	1,111.03		2,938.27	22,938.27
CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS												
1990	Bridge	Reconstruction	NHPDIP	68,692.59	5,000.00		73,692.59	9,465.79	3,999.81		13,465.60	87,158.19
1991	Fire Hydrant	Construction	NHPDIP	500.00			500.00	323.50	41.43		364.93	864.93
2004	Highway Equip	Replacement	NHPDIP	36,512.34	13,000.00		49,512.34	9,995.45	2,422.51		12,417.96	61,930.30
1991	Revaluation	Assessments	NHPDIP	22,102.85	5,000.00		27,102.85	0.00	1,145.97		1,145.97	28,248.82
1993	Building	Replacement	NHPDIP	12,911.38	5,000.00		17,911.38	0.00	680.02		680.02	18,591.40
1975	School Bus	Replacement	NHPDIP	43,892.34	7,500.00		51,392.34	4,375.35	2,739.07		7,114.42	58,506.76
1987	School Spec. Ed.	Education	NHPDIP	54,500.00			54,500.00	28,885.5	4,244.46		33,130.00	87,630.00
1997	Office Equipment	Replacement	NHPDIP	8,776.48			8,776.48	972.27	495.96		1,468.23	10,244.71
2003	Wildfire Suppression	Firefighting	NHPDIP	3,650.00	0.00		3,650.00	276.27	199.71		475.98	4,125.98
2003	Land Acquisition	Conservation	NHPDIP	55,450.00			55,450.00	2,089.31	2,923.21		5,012.52	60,462.52
2003	Eaton Day	Community Event	NHPDIP	1,500.00			1,500.00	132.82	83.29		216.11	1,716.11
TOTALS				306,117.35	45,900.00	0.00	412,517.35	68,061.5	22,588.20	0.00	90,649.75	503,167.10

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF EATON

SCHOOL BOARD

Jane K. Gray, Chair
Patricia Philbrick
Judith Goss

Term Expires 2009
Term Expires 2008
Term Expires 2010

MODERATOR

Ralph Wilkewitz

TREASURER

Judith Guerringue

CLERK

Marla Browning

AUDITOR

Robert Bridgham

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT NO 9 PROFESSIONAL STAFF

Dr. Carl J. Nelson, Superintendent of Schools
Dr. Robert Gadomski, Assistant Superintendent
Maureen Soraghan, Director of Special Services
James Hill, Director of Administrative Services
Becky Jefferson, Director of Budget & Finance
Marie Brown, Payroll Manager
Pamela Stimpson, Preschool Coordinator
Carol Bennett, Transportation Coordinator
Christine Thompson, Grants Coordinator

**WARRANT FOR ANNUAL MEETING
OF THE EATON SCHOOL DISTRICT**

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Eaton, County of Carroll, and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote on District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on Tuesday, the 11th day of March, 2008 to vote for the following District Officers. Polls will be open for this purpose at 11:00 a.m., and will not close before 6:00 p.m.

- ARTICLE 1.** To elect a Moderator for the ensuing year.
- ARTICLE 2.** To elect a Clerk for the ensuing year.
- ARTICLE 3.** To elect a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
- ARTICLE 4.** To elect a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- ARTICLE 5.** To elect an Auditor for the ensuing year.

YOU ARE ALSO NOTIFIED TO MEET AT THE SAME PLACE AT 5:00 P.M. ON THE SAME DAY TO ACT UPON THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500) to be placed in the Capital Reserve Fund (School Bus), established at the 1975 school district meeting, to be held in the custody of the Trustees of Trust Funds for the Town of Eaton. (Recommended by the School Board 3-0-0)

ARTICLE 7. To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of six hundred fifty thousand and two dollars (\$650,002) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents, and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, exclusive of all other articles. (Recommended by the School Board 3-0-0)

ARTICLE 8. To see if the District will vote to raise five thousand dollars (\$5,000) to reduce the general fund deficit pursuant to RSA 189:28-a. (Recommended by the School Board 3-0-0)

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

Given under our hands, this 6th day of February 2008.

Jane K. Gray
Patricia Philbrick
Judith Goss

A TRUE COPY OF WARRANT - ATTEST

Jane K. Gray
Patricia Philbrick
Judith Goss

**EATON SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING
MINUTES
MARCH 13, 2007**

School Moderator, Ralph Wilkewitz, called the annual meeting of the Eaton School District to order at 5:00 pm, with 20 people in attendance.

The Moderator opened the meeting with a pledge to the flag and reading of the moderator's by-laws.

Articles 1-5 were voted on by ballot and the following were elected: (results came in at 8:00 pm, after the meeting)

Article 1: Moderator:	Ralph Wilkewitz
Article 2: Clerk:	Marla Browning
Article 3: School Board (3 years):	Judith Goss
Article 4: Treasurer:	Judith Guerringue
Article 5: Auditor:	Robert Bridgham

School Moderator, Ralph Wilkewitz, requested if there was a motion to dispense of the re-reading of the warrants, so moved by Paul Hennigan and seconded by Colleen McCormack-Lane. No discussion, vote passed in affirmative.

The Moderator instructed those who were elected to office to take the oath of the office they were elected to. To be sworn into office at the next school board meeting (April 2, 2007 at 6:00).

School Moderator, Ralph Wilkewitz, requested that any Complimentary Resolutions be put forth now, not at the end of the meeting. There were none.

The Moderator indicated that the minutes of the prior annual meeting, 2006 were in the Town Report.

Article 6: To see if the School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500.00) to be placed in the Capital Reserve Fund (School Bus), established at the 1975 school district meeting, to be held in the

custody of the Trustees of Trust Funds for the Town of Eaton. (Recommended by the School Board 3-0-0).

The Moderator asked for a motion on this article.

Jane Gray moved and Robert Bridgham seconded.

Discussion: School Board Chair Jane Gray commented: "This is a continuation - each year we set aside money so when it's time to buy a bus the money is there to buy it and this is just a continuation of that. Currently there is \$52,095.00 in the bus fund. A new bus is approximately \$75,000. The current bus is 7 years old and a new bus is needed every 10-12 years.

The Moderator asked if there were any more questions, comments or discussion. Ralph read the article again and instructed the voters to vote by saying Yea. The vote on Article 6 was passed unanimously, with no motion to reconsider the question or restrict the reconsideration of the question.

Article 7: To see if the school District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred nineteen thousand, two hundred fifty four dollars (\$719,254.00) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents, and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, exclusive of all other articles. (Recommended by the School Board 3-0-0).

The Moderator asked for a motion on this article.

Pat Philbrick moved, second by Jane Gray.

Discussion: Jane Gray brought attention to the new line item in the budget called "trust fund lines" they are for the new tuitions contracts they are maintenance trust funds for each of the buildings that we have students attending. There are other changes in how the budget is presented. There will no longer be a listing of the number of students or calculation per number of students. This is because the new contracts are now calculated by 35% equalization value; 65% number of students.

The Moderator asked if there were any more questions, comments or discussion. Ralph read the article again and instructed the voters to vote by saying Yea. The vote on Article 7 was passed unanimously, with no motion to reconsider the question or restrict the reconsideration of the question.

Article 8: To see if the District will vote to create an Expendable Trust Fund under the provisions of RSA 198:20c, to be known as the Tuition Trust Fund, for the purpose of assisting with future tuition costs. Furthermore, to raise and appropriate an amount up to fifty thousands dollars (\$50,000.00) toward this purpose, with such amount to be funded from the year end undesignated fund balance available on July 1, 2007, and to name the School Board as agents to expend from this fund. (Recommended by the School Board 3-0-0).

The Moderator asked for a motion on this article.

Jane Gray moved, second by Joyce Blue.

Discussion: Jane Gray stated: The Expendable Trust Fund has the same intent as both the Capital Reserve Funds for the School Bus and Special Education that are established. What will happen under the new contract is that there will no longer be a surplus at the end of the year, we will either have a credit that will move forward to the next year or we will owe more than we thought. That is why it is important to establish this Expendable Trust Fund so it gives us a cushion if we end up with costs that were not anticipated. This way we don't have to have a big deficit appropriation in a given year and bump the money up.

Joan Kojola asked if there would be a balance in July.

Jane stated that there would be in excess of \$100,000, we are not asking to use it all.

Tom Costello clarified that the Expendable Trust Fund would be helpful if we had children move into Eaton during the school year, that we didn't know about.

Judith Guerringue asked if the amount was \$50,000 or some other figure.

Dr. Nelson clarified that it was written "up to \$50,000" in case there was not \$50,000 or available. There is a larger surplus from this year so that \$50,000 will be the figure for the Expendable Trust Fund.

The Moderator asked if there were any more questions, comments or discussion.

Ralph read the article again and instructed the voters to vote by saying Yea.

The vote on Article 8 was passed unanimously, with no motion to reconsider the question or restrict the reconsideration of the question.

The Moderator asked if there were any challenge or motions to reconsider or question or reconsideration any of the three articles (Articles 6, 7, 8). There were none.

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

Ralph asked if there were any more comments, questions or other business. Peter Blue wanted to go on record with his concern regarding the non-completion (drop out) rate. He noted that in the last four years Kennett High School has gone from 19 to 12 to 11 and this year to number one in the drop out rate. Peter stated he understands the school has a continuous process improvement and that two grants were awarded to address the drop out issue.

Mr. Kennedy followed up Mr. Blue's comment and asked the board to comment on what is being done to address the drop out rate.

Dr. Nelson commented that he appreciates the concerns and shares the same concern. Last year the drop out numbers were slightly down, however, this year there was a jump, disastrously. There is a task force that has been established to look at not only the drop out rate but also looks at overall student successes. Success in our view

is a complete school and we need to put together all of the pieces. Dr. Nelson stated that it was a complicated process and it is not a single approach. It needs to be looked at not just at Kennett High School but throughout the Valley to establish comprehensive change. Our task force is looking at the profiles of the students that have dropped out to determine what the key factors are. This process is taken very seriously by the school district and Dr. Nelson made the comment that the progress of the task force would be reported out to the community.

Joan Kojola asked: Of the 37 students are any of these students getting their GED's, or taking jobs elsewhere?

Dr. Nelson replied: Yes, there are all sorts of questions they are asked. He then mentioned several of the questions. There are also several factors that have already been identified, credits to graduate, income, family issues, and many more. Dr. Nelson stated that he appreciated the concern from the community, as the community will have to be a part of the solution. Dr. Nelson continued to comment on some of the other things that are being looked at; solutions other schools have come up with, programming options as well as several others.

Mr. Hennigan expressed his concerns regarding the drop out rate and wanted to know how many of these drop outs were from the Valley students since grade 1.

Dr. Nelson stated; we do have that data.

Mr. Hennigan stated that he felt our district gets a bad reputation if that number is predominately students who move into the valley versus those that have been here since grade 1. Mr. Hennigan also expressed that he would like to see who the members of the task force are so that people know who to go to, to express their concerns and/or if there are public meetings to comment or demonstrate concern.

Dr. Nelson commented on the statement about where the drop out students are coming from, the data collected the past two years indicates that students who move into our middle school from other

than the 8 sending towns that make up the valley drop out at a higher percentage.

Judith Guerringue asked about the 16 days of non attendance equated as dropout.

Dr. Nelson commented that at that point some action had to be taken, that was 16 days. When a child misses just a few days of school and we don't know where they are we try and find out, 16 days is just the point at which we have to consider the student as dropped for non attendance.

Judith Guerringue asked if the teacher evaluations that were done by the students at Kennett two months ago were going to be made public.

Dr. Nelson stated that it will be made public but he did not have the information at this point. Dr. Nelson stated that Jack Loynd had the information and was not sure if it had been completed as of yet.

Tom Costello asked what the drop out rate for Eaton Students was.

Jane Gray stated that there were no students from Eaton who have dropped out.

Dr. Nelson stated that the data was available in regards to the district the drop out student came from.

Mr. Hennigan moved to adjourn, seconded by Joan Kojola.

The Moderator took a vote to adjourn which passed unanimously.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:30 pm.

Respectfully Submitted

Marla Browning
Eaton School Board Clerk

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

By Dr. Carl J. Nelson

To the Citizens of Eaton:

As the school districts of SAU #9 start the 2008-09 school year, we will do so with a completely renovated A. Crosby Kennett Middle School and a new SAU office located at the Middle School.

The new and renovated facilities will not only provide us with a long-term solution to our middle and high school facilities needs, but will also assist in our continuous pursuit of excellence in education. The Continuous Improvement Process, which has guided us for the last ten years, allows us to make data-driven decisions, which enables staff, administrators, and school board members to focus energies and resources in the areas that have been identified for improvement. The data obtained from our testing program, postgraduate surveys, and other local sources provides us guidance to continue staff development and curriculum development with regard to budgeting and resource allocations targeted at compliance with state and federal regulations.

Once again, the New Year brought with it the publication of our ninth Report Card for each of the individual schools in SAU #9. Each building administrator will, in turn, have meetings with parents and community members to review specific School Report Cards for their school. This district-wide Report Card contains such data as testing results, post graduation surveys, demographic information, as well as socioeconomic information. The Report Card is available at individual schools, the SAU #9 office, and on our web site (www.kennett.k12.nh.us).

The dedication and quality of the people who serve the communities of SAU #9 and the Eaton School District continues to remain our most valuable asset. The Valley's desire to improve and support education remains the driving force behind our fine educational system. Your school board members, along with this administration, have made every effort to improve the high quality of education and the delivery of services to our students and community while controlling costs in a very difficult economy. We ask you to remember that an investment in education is an investment in the future of the Mount Washington Valley.

PINE TREE SCHOOL
Principal's Report
By Laura Jawitz

Each year as I write the town report I find myself reflecting on what is new and the many successful programs we continue. This reminds me that our task is to change appropriately, but to keep and expand upon the past practices which have enriched student learning, and that the goal of public education is to ensure our children become productive, engaged citizens.

Our mission statement, "Pine Tree is a learning community, which is responsive to the intellectual, social and emotional needs of each individual", provides for a balance of new and old programs for the development of the whole child.

The positive "climate" of our school is often commented on by visitors. The respectful behavior of our students and the well-maintained and cared for facility contribute to this feeling. This year our theme of Y.E.S. (be kind to Yourself, Each other and your Surroundings) takes the expectations for our school community to a new level. Our students understand the importance of being respectful, responsible and safe. The goal is to go beyond the words and instill an intrinsic understanding of the effect that responsible behaviors can have on ourselves, each other and our surroundings.

Yourself: The Wellness Committee has developed and shared guidelines for healthy eating. Staff, students and parents contributed recipes for a healthy snacks cookbook. Project SUCCEED programs provide not only academic support but opportunities for physical activity. The "Pandemonium" jump rope team, the ESSC ski program and Walk NH are programs that help to keep us healthy. The arts give students a chance to explore and develop new interests that give them lifelong enjoyment. Our annual art festival is always well attended and showcases the wonderful talents of our students. Instrumental and choral music programs allow exploration of the world of the arts. The talent show and drama productions allow our students' talents to shine.

Each Other: Jump Rope for Heart raised one of the highest amounts statewide for the American Heart Association and benefited the children's health. Our K-Kids (Kiwanis) raised enough money to support 6 kids through Angels and Elves. A well trained group of K-Kids welcome new students as they become part of our community. Student Council created an award winning float for the Conway Holiday Parade as well as collecting food for our fall "Trick or Treat so Everyone Can Eat" food drive. Each year the entire community looks forward to the Council's Memorial Day showcase as well as their spirit days. Grade 4 students at Pine Tree worked with UNH and the Northeast Passage program to understand disabilities and recognize similarities in all of us. The district wide Unity Project through the Center for the Prevention of Hate and Violence has provided training for staff as well as student leaders in all our schools to help prevent bullying and harassment.

Surroundings: We are very fortunate to have a wonderful facility, but it takes many hands to keep it up to high standards. After 18 years we are no longer the "new school" in the valley. Our custodians do an outstanding job each year. This past year several projects were completed. The last phase of the roof has been finished. Bathroom counters, tile floors and the phone system have been replaced. Staff and students keep our courtyard and outside landscaping inviting to all. Pine Tree continues to recycle and compost. Our partnerships with Tin Mountain, the AMC, Mt Washington Observatory and Stone Environmental School have provided opportunities for integration of curriculum while emphasizing the importance of our responsibility to our surroundings.

Math and Language Arts committees have been meeting to align our curricula with the state frameworks. Our School Improvement Plan has been accepted by the state. Our goal is for special education students to make adequate yearly progress in the area of math. As part of our plan we will be better able to address individual needs and differentiate for instruction.

We would not be able to meet our commitment to our mission without the dedication of a staff who gives many extra hours to enrich the daily experience of our children. The PTA continues to take an active role in supporting our students through activities such as Fall Family Fling, Secret Santa, field trips and special events. Our families, community volunteers and an outstanding staff serve as models of productive citizens and support the Pine Tree mission.

A. CROSBY KENNETT MIDDLE SCHOOL
Principal's Report
By Kevin Richard

A. Crosby Kennett Middle School has undergone some major changes over the past year. Nestled in the heart of the White Mountains, our Middle School services 320 students in grades seven and eight. For the first time in over eighty years this campus will serve just middle school students. KMS continues to grow professionally as a school specializing in the education of twelve to fourteen year old adolescents. Our staff is committed to working with a varied student population. The staff, students and parents have worked on developing core values for the middle school. The core values conversation is an agreement as to "What We Believe" is good for students at this time in their lives. The core values document will allow the Middle School to focus attention to a few areas of concentrated effort to help increase student achievement.

Our CORE Value beliefs at KMS are:

- * Students will be active participants in academic, artistic, and athletic pursuits within a healthy community.
- * Students will work productively with a variety of people and respect their differences.
- * Students will make good choices regarding their learning and personal wellness.
- * Students will take responsibility for contributing to a safe and caring environment.

We have made some changes in our school that are suited to meet the needs of very diverse students to improve all aspects of student learning. The team structure is extremely important and valuable in taking responsibility for student success at school. Daily team meetings discussing student learning are an open invitation to parents concerned about their child. Our activity block allows students to have the opportunity to choose between our excellent band and chorus programs, or a variety of elective mini courses. Some of the elective courses include: chess and gaming, building a boat, web site design, digital photography, learn to play guitar,

LEGO robot building, jewelry making, intramural sports, and the fitness center to name a few. These activities have created some great products as well as generating excitement toward learning. We have a great group of students this year with many talents. At the winter talent show there were over twenty performers, singing, dancing, or playing musical instruments to entertain the masses. Students are also afforded the opportunity to join the Yearbook, Key Club, and Student Council. Not only are we implementing several changes for this year, we are also planning for the future as we are in the midst of renovating the existing Kennett facility into a true Middle School while maintaining the historical integrity of a majestic building. Celebrating the past while modifying the building to meet the needs of today's society is an exciting opportunity for the entire community. New windows allow for all staff and students to experience the majestic site of Mt. Washington on a daily basis. State of the art classrooms will help our students meet the demands of our changing society. The anticipated finish date of the project is Spring of 2008. Our current 7th grade students have been afforded the opportunity to occupy two newly renovated wings, while the 8th grade students will move into newly renovated spaces in February. The staff and students are surely looking forward to having a facility of their own. Creating a building that is safe and healthy is our number one priority.

KENNETT HIGH SCHOOL
Principal's Report
By Jack Loynd

The first semester at our new campus was an exciting time. Students and teachers received a clear message at the beginning of the school year that the people of Mount Washington Valley value education. I am proud to be a member of a community that found a way to put long-existing differences aside to benefit young people. Happily, the response from students and teachers to the construction of our new facility has been inspiring.

Kennett staff has completed the self-study as part of the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC) re-accreditation process. Staff spent countless hours assessing the strengths and weaknesses of our school relative to established standards including curriculum, instruction, assessment, leadership and organization, with a focus on how our work is aligned with our stated mission. In April, a visiting team will spend three days attending classes, interviewing teachers, examining samples of student work and examining a variety of data related to academic performance and school climate. I am confident that the NEASC re-accreditation process will provide recognition for many accomplishments, particularly those that often go unnoticed. In addition, the NEASC re-accreditation process will provide a detailed road map for our school improvement efforts.

Earlier this year, our School Improvement Team merged with the Task Force for Student Success formed by Dr. Nelson. The group is comprised of students, teachers, administrators, parents and other community members. In collaboration with the Kennett faculty, the School Improvement Team sets measurable goals and reviews evidence related to improvement targets. This year, there are five goals:

To increase the percent of ninth and tenth grade students who meet or exceed standards on the school-wide writing rubric. We have set 82.5% as a target for ninth and tenth grade.

To increase the number of passing grades on Advanced Placement tests by 10% and increase the number of college transfer credits in dual enrollment programs to 20.

To increase respect among students and teachers as measured by Endicott survey items and student ratings of individual classroom teachers.

To decrease the annual dropout rate to less than 5%.

To increase school pride as measured by Endicott survey items and internal survey questions.

I am pleased to report that we have made major gains in all of the above areas. As this report goes to print, we are awaiting dropout statistics from the Department of Education that will show a major reduction in dropouts from last year. School climate data show a marked increase in school pride and respectful behavior. Writing data show gains from first to second quarter for ninth graders and increased average scores for four consecutive marking terms for tenth graders.

The future is bright for Kennett High School if we can rally our community around providing high quality educational programming for our students, as we did for providing a state-of-the art facility. Our new campus is testimony to the value our community places on education and to the ability of citizens with diverse needs, interests and financial circumstances to collaborate when the needs of our children are at stake. Thank you to all the citizens of Mount Washington Valley for bringing our dream of a school of excellence within our reach.

MOUNT WASHINGTON VALLEY CAREER & TECHNICAL CENTER

Director's Report

By Neal Moylan

The Mount Washington Valley Career and Technical Center is one of twenty-two Centers established by the State of New Hampshire to bring modern career and technical education to high school students. Career and Technical Centers of today differ dramatically from the vocational centers in the past. Rigorous academic expectations and the utilization of state of the art technology are used to prepare our students for success in an ever competitive world. Since its inception, our Center has been an innovator and leader in the field of career and technical education. We are proud of our curricular growth, our outstanding faculty and our excellent reputation. Now with a state of the art facility and equipment to complement these assets, The Mount Washington Valley Career and Technical Center continues to grow into one of the finest educational institutions in the state. Our Center now offers 10 separate programs, Automotive Technology, Early Childhood Education, Culinary Arts, Graphic Arts/Multimedia, Health Science Technology, Marketing, Machine Tool Technology, Property Management, Business/Accounting, and Pre-Engineering/Drafting, all aligned to industry standards.

Every program is driven by state and national competencies developed in partnership with business and industry. Each program has an advisory committee comprised of local professionals in the specific field who work with the teacher to validate or help develop curriculum and identify the equipment and resources necessary for the program. Hands on learning with real world expectations are the basis of all our programs. Each program has a lab where students can apply the lessons from the classroom into a practical application. Culinary students run the Mineral Spring Cafe, property management students build structures and manage the green house, automotive students diagnose car problems, while machine tool students create products on the CNC machines. Marketing students run the school store, business students prepare for the rigors of the business world while students in the lodging academy prepare to run the large resorts in our region. Cad/Drafting students design the products and structures of tomorrow while graphic students learn how to design logos, images and create a successful daily television program in their TV studio. Our early childhood

education students learn to develop lesson plans and work with children in our Little Eagles Preschool, while our newest program, health science technologies prepares students for a career in medicine or nursing, giving them the competitive edge in this ever growing field. We offer internships and work based learning opportunities for all our programs to further prepare our students for success.

Our teachers' mission this year is to continue to strengthen the academic and technical rigor of their curriculum and to enhance the connection from secondary to post secondary education. Extra emphasis will be placed on national and state program standards and certifications, as teachers review and continue to improve our program competency assessments. Students can now earn college credit through our Running Start program in our drafting and early childhood education programs while automotive students can complete up to four of their ASE certification exams. Plans are now in place to continue to expand the number of Running Start college credit opportunities throughout our programs so our students can begin their college education while still in the Career and Technical Center. Students who reach the very highest standards are eligible for induction into our chapter of the National Technical Honor Society. Two classes of students have been inducted into this prestigious organization which represents the highest level of academic and technical accomplishment, outstanding commitment to community, citizenship and work ethic. Our third class will be inducted this spring.

Every program in our Center has a student organization or CTSO, which offers students an opportunity to connect further with our programs and compete at the very highest levels in state and national competition. Last year the marketing club, DECA, produced six state champions and we are very proud to announce that two of our students finished 6th in the world at the international competition. Three of our graphic art students swept the states in the photography division while our business students also had several state champions. The impressive results continued last spring as our machine tool program produced the state welding champion and the drafting program produced the CAD state champion.

Our Center is also the home of our valley's Adult Education program. We offer three semesters of evening classes with courses ranging from computer skill enhancement in a variety of software

applications to a wide range of shop, photography and craft programs for our valley citizens. Last year over 841 adult education students were enrolled for the three semesters and the future for new courses continues to be bright as we utilize our new labs and equipment.

Professionalism, work ethic, academic and technical rigor are the lessons passed on to our students through our programs and labs, always in partnership with business and industry. Our organizational motto “Excellence in America’s Workforce Begins with Excellence in Workforce Education” embodies our commitment to our students and community.

**REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
EATON SCHOOL DISTRICT
Fiscal Year July 1, 2006 to June 30, 2007**

Cash on Hand July 1, 2006		104,835.63
(Treasurer's Bank Balance)		
Received from Selectmen	414,031.00	
Revenue From State Sources	202,683.00	
Received From All Other Sources	138.33	
		<u>616,852.33</u>
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		721,687.96
Less School Board Orders Paid		506,109.96
Balance on Hand June 30, 2007		215,578.00
(Treasurer's Bank Balance)		
September 5, 2007	Judith Guerringue	
	District Treasurer	

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Eaton of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007 and find them correct in all respects.

January 21, 2008

Robert Bridgham
Auditor

**EATON SCHOOL DISTRICT
Balance Sheet
June 30, 2007**

	General Account
ASSETS:	
Cash	\$215,578.00
Intergovernmental receivables	8,359.36
TOTAL ASSETS	\$223,937.36
LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY:	
Unreserved Fund Balance	\$ 144,743.22
Deferred Revenues	\$ 79,188.14
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	\$223,937.36

**STATEMENT OF REVENUES
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2007**

	General Account
REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES:	
Total Assessment	\$415,019.00
Earnings on Investments	138.33
TOTAL LOCAL REVENUE	\$415,157.33
REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES:	
Statewide Enhanced Education Tax	\$202,683.00
TOTAL STATE REVENUE	\$202,683.00
TOTAL REVENUE	\$617,840.33

**EATON SCHOOL DISTRICT
SPECIAL EDUCATION EXPENSES/REVENUE 2005-2006, 2006-2007**

		ACTUAL EXPENSES 2005-2006	ACTUAL EXPENSES 2006-2007
EXPENSES: SPECIAL EDUCATION			
1200.330.135	Extended School Year	\$5,029	\$0
1200.560.109	Tuition, Special Education	\$19,390	\$0
2140.330.120	Psychological Testing/Counseling	\$0	\$0
2150.330.120	Speech/ Audiological Testing	\$0	\$0
2160.330.120	Occupational/Physical Therapy	\$0	\$0
2722-513-120	Transportation, Special Educ	\$0	\$0
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	TOTAL SPECIAL EDUCATION EXPENSES	\$24,419	\$0

		ACTUAL REVENUE 2005-2006	ACTUAL REVENUE 2006-2007
REVENUE: SPECIAL EDUCATION			
	Catastrophic Aid	\$0	\$0
	NH State Adequacy Allocation	\$0	\$0
	Medicaid Reimbursement	\$4,313	\$0
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	TOTAL SPECIAL EDUCATION REVENUE	\$4,313	\$0

**EATON SCHOOL DISTRICT
ESTIMATED REVENUE**

	ACTUAL RECEIPTS 2006-2007	ESTIMATED REVENUE 2007-2008	ESTIMATED REVENUE 2008-2009
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Unencumbered Balance	23,961	144,749	0
 REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES:			
Catastrophic Aid	0	0	0
Medicaid Reimbursement	0	0	0
 REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES:			
Now Interest	138	100	100
Other Local Revenue	0	0	0
Capital Reserve-School Bus	0	0	0
 Total Revenue	 ----- 24,099	 ----- 144,849	 ----- 100
STATE OF NH ADEQUACY GRANT	0	0	0
STATE OF NH EDUCATION TAX	202,683	201,491	201,491
LOCAL DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	415,019	430,414	448,411
 GRAND TOTAL REVENUE*	 ----- \$641,801	 ----- \$776,754	 ----- \$650,002

* Does not include Separate/Special Articles

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT NO. 9
2008-2009 BUDGET

	Func- tion	Adopted Budget 2007-2008	Adopted Budget 2008-09	Eaton Share 1.52% 2008-09
Special Education	2190	215,166	246,599	3,736
Improvement of Inst.	2210	15,000	15,608	237
School Board Services	2310	15,765	21,445	325
Superintendent	2320	219,230	230,056	3,486
Asst. Superintendent	2321	150,846	152,841	2,316
Business/Finance	2521	436,197	451,003	6,834
Operations/Maintenance	2620	73,827	77,729	1,178
Transportation	2720	41,345	44,872	680
Gross Budget Total		1,167,376	1,240,153	18,792
Plus Federal Projects		10,000	10,000	152
Minus Estimated Revenue		(52,500)	(126,500)	(1,918)
Net Total Expenses (District Apportionment)		1,124,876	1,123,653	17,026

ENROLLMENT

(As of December 31, 2007)

Total K - 614 Total 7 -1228

Kindergarten	1	Grade 7	2
Grade 1	2	Grade 8	1
Grade 2	4	Grade 9	6
Grade 3	1	Grade 10	4
Grade 4	1	Grade 11	9
Grade 5	5	Grade 12	6
Grade 6	0		

EATON SCHOOL DISTRICT
2008-2009 BUDGET

FUNCTION	OBJECT/DEPT	DESCRIPTION	ADOPTED BUDGET 2006-2007	ACTUAL EXPENSES 2006-2007	ADOPTED BUDGET 2007-2008	PROPOSED BUDGET 2008-2009
1100		REGULAR EDUCATION				
	560-101	Tuition, Elementary(15/2)	162,129	136,444.77	242,312	252,088
	562-101	Tuition Elem School (Trust Fund)	0	0.00	532	559
	560-102	Tuition, Middle School	101,565	76,447.77	152,491	62,763
	561-102	Tuition, Middle School (Share of Bond)	17,459	17,458.00	20,540	23,692
	562-102	Tuition, Middle School (Trust Fund)	0	0.00	581	616
	560-103	Tuition, High School	248,248	186,134.56	222,112	207,197
	561-103	Tuition, High School(Share of Bond)	23,974	23,973.00	27,550	34,767
	562-103	Tuition High School (Trust Fund)	0	0.00	1,107	1,180
		TOTAL 1100 REGULAR EDUCATION	553,375	440,458.10	667,225	582,862
1200		SPECIAL EDUCATION				
	330-135	Extended School Year	500	0.00	500	1,000
	560-109	Tuition, Special Education	30,000	0.00	500	1,000
		TOTAL 1200 SPECIAL EDUCATION	30,500	0.00	1,000	2,000

FUNCTION	OBJECT/DEPT	DESCRIPTION	ADOPTED BUDGET 2006-2007	ACTUAL EXPENSES 2006-2007	ADOPTED BUDGET 2007-2008	PROPOSED BUDGET 2008-2009
2140	330-120	PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES Testing/Counseling	100	0.00	100	100
	TOTAL 2140	PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES	100	0.00	100	100
2150	330-120	SPEECH SERVICES Audiological Testing	100	0.00	100	100
	TOTAL 2150	SPEECH SERVICES	100	0.00	100	100
2160	330-120	OCCUP /PHYSICAL THERAPY Occupational / Physical Therapy	100	0.00	100	100
	TOTAL 2160	OCCUPATIONAL/PHYSICAL THERAPY	100	0.00	100	100
2310	523-37	SCHOOL BOARD SERVICES Insurance, Treas. Bond/Crime	0	0.00	0	0
	110-74	School Board Salaries	1,600	1,600.00	1,600	1,600
	260-44	Workers Comp-School Board	0	0.00	0	0
	390-47	Census	0	0.00	0	0
	390-74	Treasurer's Salary	100	100.00	100	100
	330-47	Legal Services	500	0.00	500	500
	390-47	Audit	25	25.00	25	25
	390-74	Salary, Clerk/Moderator	40	40.00	40	40

FUNCTION	OBJECT/DEPT	DESCRIPTION	BUDGET 2006-2007	EXPENSES 2006-2007	BUDGET 2007-2008	BUDGET 2008-2009
	390-117	School Board Expenses/Travel	700	806.03	900	1,200
	330-897	Medicaid Billing Services	400	0.00	400	400
	540-70	Printing/Advertising	100	84.00	100	150
	810-21	Dues	0	0.00	0	0
	840-100	Contingency, School Board	0	0	0	5,000
		TOTAL 2310 SCHOOL BOARD SERVICES	3,465	2,655.03	3,665	9,015
2320		OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT				
	311-104	SAU #9 Share	15,879	15,879.00	16,037	17,026
		TOTAL 2320 OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT	15,879	15,879.00	16,037	17,026
2720		PUPIL TRANSPORTATION				
	110-72	Salary, Bus Driver (\$12.49/hr)	14,040	14,528.74	14,765	17,181
	110-72	Salary, Bus Driver Addit. Time	360	0.00	380	395
	120-76	Substitute Bus Driver	647	0.00	647	1260
	211-39	Health Insurance	3,093	2,703.32	3,230	3,404
	260-44	Workers Compensation	785	641.56	750	795
	220-38	FICA	1,387	1,318.23	1,455	1,701
	250-43	Unemployment	50	67.00	50	75
	430-99	Labor	3,333	3,417.90	2,000	3,500
	524-34	Insurance	400	364.11	400	455
	610-87	Supplies, Parts	2,212	3,872.43	2,246	3,800
	610-88	Supplies, Tires	500	146.10	436	500

FUNCTION	OBJECT/DEPT	DESCRIPTION	ADOPTED BUDGET 2006-2007	ACTUAL EXPENSES 2006-2007	ADOPTED BUDGET 2007-2008	PROPOSED BUDGET 2008-2009
	626-86	Supplies, Diesel	3,737	3,500.25	4,468	5,533
	736-100	Replacement Vehicle - Sch. Bus	0	0.00	0	0
	2722 513-120	Transportation, Special Education	500	0.00	100	100
		TOTAL 2720 PUPIL TRANSPORTATION	31,044	30,559.64	30,927	38,699
2810		STAFF SERVICES				
	340-25	Health Exams, Emp.	100	0.00	100	100
		TOTAL 2810 STAFF SERVICES	100	0.00	100	100
5251		CAPITAL RESERVE				
	930-105	Capital Reserve-Bus	7,500	7,500.00	7,500	0
	930-105	Expendable Trust - Tuition	0	0.00	50,000	0
		TOTAL 5251 CAPITAL RESERVE	7,500	7,500.00	57,500	0
		TOTAL APPROPRIATION	\$642,163	\$497,051.77	\$776,754	\$650,002
		DEFICIT APPROPRIATION-TUITION	0	0	0	0
		SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION-SPEC EDUC	0	0	0	0
		GRAND TOTAL APPROPRIATION	\$642,163	\$497,051.77	\$776,754	\$650,002

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 2007

In compliance with an act of legislature in 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of record of births, marriages, and deaths to the town officers for publication in the annual report, the following are submitted:

Mark A. Griffin
Town Clerk
Eaton, NH 03832

DEATHS

September 6, 2007, Elizabeth Edge. resident of Eaton, daughter of James and Florence Lodge. Place of death Eaton, NH.

October 5, 2007, Shirlie Lieber. resident of Eaton, daughter of Paul and Edna Nelson. Place of death, Conway, NH.

Francis Hill, November 19, 2007, resident of Eaton, son of Francis and Lois Hill Place of death Eaton, NH.

BIRTHS

April 16, 2007, Olivia Mae Lafontaine, born in North Conway, NH, father Stephan Lafontaine and mother, Bethany Kennedy.

June 2, 2007, Joseph Dakota Stone, born in North Conway, NH, father Daniel Stone and mother Leslie Stone.

August 22, 2007, Cameron Matthew Fusco, born in North Conway, NH, father Matthew Fusco and mother, Carissa Stone.

October 10, 2007, Owen Blake Robertson, born in North Conway, NH, father, Matthew Robertson and mother Aimee Robertson.

MARRIAGES

April 18, 2007, Sherwood Gray, resident of Eaton, and Maureen Millett, resident of Charlestown, NH, in Conway, NH

June 23, 2007 James Cawthorn, resident of Eaton, and Grace Bateman, resident of Eaton, in Eaton, NH

August 25, 2007, Henry Nakamura, resident of WeeHawken, NJ, and Sarah Van Boven, resident of New York, NY, in Eaton, NH

October 13, 2007, Andrew Smith, resident of Harrison, ME, and Jennifer Arsenalt, resident of Harrison, ME, in Eaton, NH

October 6, 2007, James Plumer, resident of Sanford, ME, and Christina Codere, resident of Sanford, ME, in Eaton, NH

October 15, 2007, George Gabriel, resident of Holliston, ME and Marie Hemann, resident of Ossipee, NH, in Eaton, NH 03832

FEE SCHEDULE

Building Permit Application - \$.10 per square foot for dwellings - minimum \$72.00. \$.05 per square foot for accessory buildings and structures - minimum \$5.00.

Subdivision - \$200.00 plus \$25.00 per lot and cost of hearing (includes mailing and advertisements and notices).

Board of Adjustment - \$75 to cover cost of mailing, hearing advertisements, notices and cost of hearing.

Pistol - Revolver License - \$10.00

Current Use Application - \$16.41 per parcel

Inspection of New Oil Burner Installations - \$10.00 (Installer must contact Fire Chief.)

Inspection of Unvented Kerosene Heaters - \$5.00 (Contact Fire Chief.)

State Dredge & Fill Permit - Minimum impact: \$50.00. Minor impact: \$100.00. Major impact: \$300.00 (File application with Town Clerk. Filing fee - \$20.00.)

Zoning Ordinances, Subdivision Regulations and Site Plan Review Regulations are free to taxpayers of Eaton. There is a \$10.00 fee for all others. A complete package in a binder is \$35. Set of tax maps (reduced size) - \$5.00 for residents and \$10.00 for all others.

IF YOU HAVE A FIRE....The Town of Eaton pays for all fire and rescue calls made by the Center Conway, Freedom Fire Department and Medstar Ambulance Services out of tax monies; individuals pay nothing. The Town does not pay for non-emergency ambulance calls. You can save the Town a considerable amount of tax money by requesting your agent to include in your Insurance policy - at nominal cost - a "Recovery Clause" which will pass on to the insurance company at least some of the cost of response by the Conway Fire Department. Contact the Selectmen or your agent for details. Also note that the cost of responding to false alarms due to faulty home security systems are charged back to the owner.

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