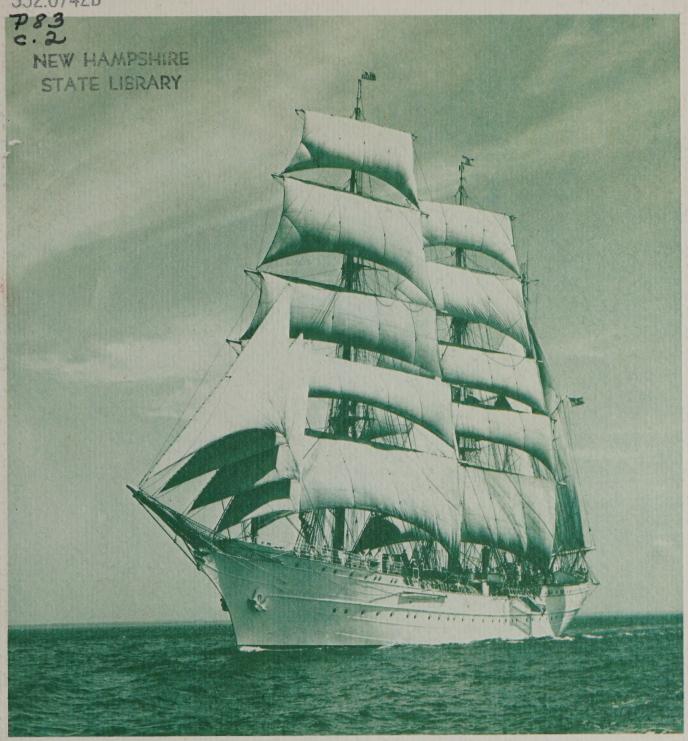
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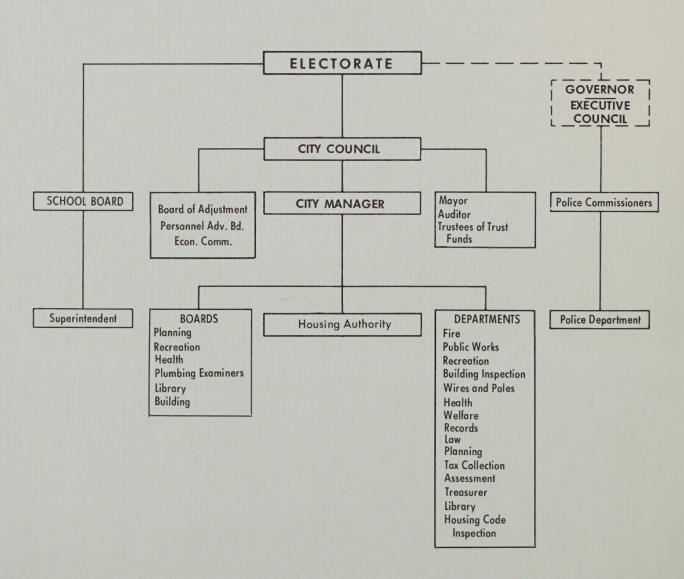
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City Manager's Report



City of Portsmouth, New Hampshire

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126 DANIEL STREET

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July 3, 1968

Honorable Mayor, Members of the City Council and Citizens of Portsmouth, New Hampshire

Gentlemem:

Space requirements are such within this Annual Report that our activities, for the year 1967, are presented in summarized form - complete records are available at City Hall.

The year 1967 has been a very successful year, financially and otherwise. The transfer to Revenue Surplus, at the end of the year, was \$144,795.00.

We greatly appreciate the guidance and advice that we received from the Members of the City Council. We are indebted to the Members of the many Boards and Committees for their time, efforts and contribution, and to the City Employees for their cooperation and their many achievements. To the Portsmouth Herald, our local newspaper, and to the Radio Stations, WHEB and WBBX, for their support and also for keeping the citizenry informed at all times, we also extend our gratitude.

Respectfully

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Robert C. Violette

City Manager

"City of the Open Door"



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Cover Photo: The three-masted bark Eagle is a training ship of the U. S. Coast Guard. This 1,800-ton ship is the sixth Coast Guard vessel to bear that name; the first one being a revenue cutter built in 1798. The present Eagle has an overall length including its bowsprit of 295' and is based at the Coast Guard Academy in New London, Connecticut. It has been scheduled for a visit to Portsmouth during Jubilee week of the coming year.

Back Cover: Quotation from "Ports of Call" by Robert Carse.

Three-masted square-rigged ship Venice. (Photo-G. Patch)

Master — J. S. Salter.

Constructed by George Raines in Portsmouth, 1841; 617 tons. Owners: E. F. Sise; Charles Salter; J. W. Pierce; J. D. Simes.

Engaged primarily in West Indies trade.

Portsmouth City Council



CITY COUNCIL ACTIVITIES: 1967

Regular Meetings Held										
Resolutions Passed										
Ordinances Passed										
Ordinances Tabled										

COUNCIL MEMBERS: 9

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT:

Robert C. Violette, City Manager

Mrs. Leda Z. Sombric, Clerk/Stenographer

Administrative Officers

CITY CLERK
CITY AUDITOR
CITY ASSESSOR Lucien O. Geoffrion
TAX COLLECTOR
CITY TREASURER
CITY ATTORNEY
BUILDING INSPECTOR Lewis M. McNeil, Sr.
SANITARY/CITY PHYSICIAN
CITY MARSHAL
FIRE CHIEF Ernest Weeks
DIRECTOR OF WELFARE
DIRECTOR OF PLANNING
SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
CITY ENGINEER
SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER DEPARTMENT
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
CLERK OF COURT Lois S. Van Bubar
MUNICIPAL JUDGE
ASSOCIATE JUDGE
LIBRARIAN, PUBLIC LIBRARY
SEALER WEIGHTS/MEASURES
FIRE ALARM SUPERINTENDENT/WIRES & POLE INSPECTOR
PLUMBING INSPECTOR
PORTSMOUTH ECONOMIC COMMISSION DIRECTOR
DIRECTOR OF RECREATION
DIRECTOR OF CIVIL DEFENSE
HOUSING CODE INSPECTOR



Prescott Park Formal Garden-Marcy Street-Adjacent to Strawbery Banke

Boards and Commissions

BOARD OF HEALTH

S. Gerard Griffin, M.D. Arthur J. Healey, Secretary William A. Ruel, D.M.D.

PLANNING BOARD

Charles George, Chairman
Robert Simpson, Vice Chairman
Joseph Shanley
C. Richard Williams, Councilman
Stanley C. Wyman
Henry Berounsky
Robert Renfro
Robert C. Violette, City Manager (ex-officio)
Gordon Hanchett, Super. of Highways (ex-officio)
Albert C. Wennberg, Secretary, Director

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Robert E. O'Leary, Chairman Arthur MacDonald, Vice Chairman Salvatore LaCava Walter F. Beevers Bruce Graves Louis Card John Hynes Albert C. Wennberg, Secretary

BUILDING COMMISSION

Dr. S. Gerard Griffin, Chairman Albert C. Wennberg, Planning Director Ernest Weeks, Fire Chief

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Richard H. Hay, Chairman Sister M. Scholastica Mrs. Natalie Fenwick Richard Chaisson Emerson Reed Ray Blanchard Norman Freedman Charles Halle Kathryn Flanigan

ADULT EDUCATION STUDY COMMITTEE

Frank Butterworth, Jr. Miss Margaret M. Ballard Herbert R. Hagstrom, Supt. of Schools

POLICY COMMISSION

John Loughlin, Chairman J. Paul Griffin Henry Gerber (resigned 10/24/67)

RECREATION COMMITTEE

Miss Keith Bickford Harry F. Hallsey Samuel Kline Arthur Clough John Vinciguerra Teddy E. Lilakos Robert P. Hopley Forrest E. Hodgdon John J. Grattan

HOUSING AUTHORITY

Commissioners Saverio M. Giambalvo

Frank Fate
Keiven Gillis
Maurice Murphy
Edward I. Shaines
Lawrence E. Mulloney (term expired 5-67)
Orman R. Paul (term expired 4-67)
G. Warren Wilder (term expired 11-67)

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Walter J. Murphy, Executive Director John T. McDonough, Property Manager Robert Oullette, Asst. Director for Housing Janet Elwell, Relocation Officer Virginia McGinnis, Clerk Cashier

TRUSTEES OF THE TRUST FUND

Miss Dorothy F. Lear Robert McLaughlin James R. Kelly

CIVIL DEFENSE

William T. Evans, Director

BOARD OF EDUCATION

John W. Durgin, Jr. Raimond Bowles Wyman P. Boynton



Mrs. Eileen D. Foley Philip F. Gray Charles J. Griffin Dr. Paul E. Harvey Philip W. Hodgon William H. P. Hopley Dr. Rubin I. Jaffe Mrs. Alice M. Lee Warren Nickerson

CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Frank Butterworth, Jr., Chairman Charles George Cicero A. Lewis Peter W. Collins Wyman P. Boynton Mrs. Louise B. Hartley John T. McDonough Mrs. Selma W. Singer Morris C. Foye James R. Kelly Charles L. Vaughn Rev. John S. MacPhee Donald G. Hayes Miss Margaret M. Ballard Richard B. Maddock Rabbi Gerald Goldstein Alvin Taylor James S. Ollivierre Richard A. Lumbert

TRAFFIC AND PARKING COMMITTEE

Councilman Samuel A. McMaster, Chairman Councilman Frank Butterworth, Jr. Raymond I. Beal Morris C. Foye Henry W. Berounsky William Thomson Albert C. Wennberg, (ex-officio) City Manager Robert C. Violette (ex-officio) Fire Chief Frederick Crompton (ex-officio) Police Marshal Stanton Remick (ex-officio) Gordon Hanchett

PORTSMOUTH ECONOMIC COMMISSION

Anthony R. Jarrett, Director Robert Iafolla Harry Winebaum Timothy J. Connors Robert C. Violette, City Manager (ex-officio) Arthur Brady Robert A. Shaines Dr. Gordon Thayer Robert E. Whalen C. Richard Williams Lars J. Sandberg, Chairman

Council Activities - 1967

JANUARY

2 Meetings 2 Public Hearings

FEBRUARY

2 Meetings 6 Public Hearings

MARCH
2 Meetings
1 Public Hearing

Voted to adopt Resolution No. 17 re: Adoption of a postage stamp commemorating the 100th anniversary of the U.S. Naval Civil Engineer Corps and the 25th anniversary of the U.S. Navy Seabees.

Sims Avenue sewer contract awarded to low bidder. (H. & W. Construction Co. of Eliot)

Voted to start Budget Hearings on January 14, 1967.

Voted to adopt Resolution No. 1, a Resolution authorizing the City Manager to apply, negotiate and obtain financial assistance from the State of New Hampshire for sewage disposal facilities.

Voted to adopt a new Council Rule No. 39.

Held Public Hearing on rehearing of LaCava petition for rezoning property on Pleasant and Marcy Streets.

Ordinance passed to increase membership in the Portsmouth Economic Commission from "five" to "nine" after Public Hearing was held.

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Voted to accept and place on file a letter from the Consultate General of Japan for a collection of historic photographs commemorating the 60th anniversary of the Portsmouth Peace Treaty.

Appointed Salvatore LaCava and Peter Weeks to the Board of Adjustment.

Appointed Robert E. McLaughlin to the Trustees of Trust Funds.

Appointed Arthur Brady, Jr. and Robert E. Whalen to the Economic Commission.

Held Public Hearing on Ordinance to rezone land on Farm Lane and Echo Avenue. Passed.

Held Public Hearing on Ordinance to rezone land on Burkitt Street. Passed.

Held Public Hearing on Ordinance to amend Section 19-107D, Item 4 "Procedure". Passed.

Held Public Hearing on Ordinance to amend the Plumbing Code. Passed.

Passed 1st reading of 1967 Appropriation Bill.

Public Hearing held on 1967 Appropriation Bill. Passed second and third reading.

Held Public Hearing on Ordinance to amend Sign Ordinance. Passed.

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Voted to send a letter of appreciation to Dr.'s Eames and Trudel for their professional contribution to the Rabies Clinic.

Walter Beevers reappointed to the Board of Adjustment.

Voted to take \$8,000 from Revenue Surplus for additional funds for sub-fire station.

Committee appointed to investigate ways and means of getting an indoor swimming pool and/or skating rink.

Held Public Hearing on 1967 Salary Schedule. Passed second reading of 1967 Salary Schedule.

Voted to award the Maxim Motor Division of Middleboro, Massachusetts (the low bidder) the bid for the new fire truck.

Voted to charge \$0.80 per cubic yard for outside users of dump as of May 1, 1967.

Council voted to support House Bill no. 58 which authorizes \$7,500 to be used by the N. H. State Port Authority for acquisition and placement of navigational aids in tidal waters.

APRIL 3 Meetings

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Voted to pay George Koch & Sons \$30,000 as partial payment on the incinerator.

Voted to place on file a letter from GSA rejecting the City's bid for the old post office building.

Voted to appropriate up to \$250 to have a representative of the Joint Council on Urban Development visit the City to determine whether or not they could be of service to the City as representatives in Washington.

Voted to award several truck bids.

Voted unanimously to set aside the sum of \$25,000 to defend the City in the Public Utilities suit.

Passed Salary Ordinance, third reading.

Public Hearing on Ordinance to rezone land on Boyd Road, Woodbury Avenue to General Business classification Motion to pass ordinance defeated.

Voted to proclaim June 10 as "Lady Bird Johnson Day".

MAY 2 Meetings

1 Public Hearing

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Adopted Resolution No. 2 a Resolution approving the undertaking of surveys and plans for an urban renewal project and filing of an application and amended on January 4, 1965 and July 11, 1966.

Adopted Resolution No. 3 a Resolution of the City Council of Portsmouth, N.H. approving the preparation of a Community Renewal Program for the filing of an application for a federal grant to assist in financing its preparation.

Proclaimed June 11, 1967 as "Race Unity Day".

New water rates voted into effect for Sept. 1, 1967.

Public Hearing held on Ordinance to ban truck travel on Broad Street. Passed.

Public Hearing on Ordinance to make religious structures special exceptions within single residence districts. Passed.

Public hearing on Ordinance to amend Ordinance re: Bus Stops. Passed.

JUNE

2 Meetings 3 Public Hearings

JULY

2 Meetings 2 Public Hearings

AUGUST

3 Meetings 2 Public Hearings

SEPTEMBER

1 Meeting

OCTOBER

1 Meeting

Public Hearing held on Salary Schedule. Second reading.

Public Hearing held on Ordinance to rezone land on Lafayette Road from SR I to Limited Industrial.

Voted to sign a petition granting permission for a grade crossing at Borthwick Avenue for railroad that serves Booth Fisheries.

Presented a gift on behalf of the City to Mrs. Agnes Harmon for her efforts in beautifying parts of the City with floral displays.

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Voted to accept the report of the Recreation Commission not to charge a fee for parking and launching boats at Pierce Island.

Salary Schedule passed third and final reading.

Adopted a Resolution No. 4 honoring State Representative Edward J. Ingraham.

Public Hearing held on Amendment to Parking and Traffic Ordinance to change time limits for buses within certain bus stops. Passed.

Public hearing held on Resolution No. 5 authorizing a bond Issue of \$3,400,000 for construction of school facilities for Portsmouth, New Hampshire. Passed.

Voted to adopt Resolution No. 6 providing for discount and penalties on real estate taxes by increasing the discount on all payments made on or before October 13, 1967 from 1% to 2%.

Voted to place the home rule amendment on the ballot at the Municipal Election, November 7, 1967.

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Voted to appropriate \$1,500 to Chamber of Commerce for their Christmas Lighting Program and to provide motivational music for downtown.

Voted to proclaim September 21, 1967 as "Postal Services Day".

Voted to proclaim October 7, 1967 as "John N. Feaster Day".

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Voted to proclaim the week of October 2, 1967 as ''Boston Red Sox Week''.

Socrates Sagris appointed to Personnel Advisory Board.

Voted to adopt Resolution No. 8 Recertification of Workable Program.

City Manager authorized to sign working agreement between the City and Local 1386.

City Manager authorized to proceed with repair work on incinerator.

Voted to appropriate \$800 to the Planning Department for the purpose of a soil analysis for Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

Canvassed the vote of the Municipal Election, November 7, 1967.

Appointed Robert Iafolla, Lars Sandberg, Harry Winebaum, Dr. Gordon Thayer and Councilman Robert A. Shaines and Timothy J. Connors, Mayor, to the Portsmouth Economic Commission.

Adopted Resolution No. 9 Cooperation Agreement with the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Adopted Resolution No. 10 Extension of sewerage facilities along Route No. 1 and Lafayette Road to the Rye town line.

Appropriated \$500 to install a warning light on Lafayette Road for the new sub-fire station.

Voted to send a congratulatory letter to the Portsmouth football team on their successful season.

Public Hearing on Ordinance to amend Sign Ordinance. Tabled.



Appointed James Kelley as a Trustee of Trust Funds.

Accepted the 1968 Appropriation Bill as presented.

Appointed John W. Hynes to the Board of Adjustment replacing Peter G. Weeks who resigned.

Appointed C. Richard Williams to the Economic Commission replacing John J. Wholey who resigned.

Voted to appropriate \$2,500 to the New Hampshire Aeronautics Commission as the City's share of the cost of preparing a brief pleading for the need of Pease Air Force Base as a terminal for north-south, east-west commercial airline flights.

Ashtray in the form of a gavel was presented with thanks to outgoing Mayor Timothy J. Connors.

Adopted Resolution No. 11 authorizing the City to borrow not more than \$2,750,000 in anticipation of taxes for the financial year beginning January 1, 1968.

Awarded the lowest bidder, Frank Fitzgerald, Inc. to do the sewer project for Prospect Park.

Public Hearing on Ordinance making Woodbury Avenue one-way from Cottage to Bartlett Street. Passed.



NOVEMBER

2 Meetings 1 Public Hearing

3 Meetings
1 Public Hearing

Major Accomplishments

- A newly organized department, known as the Housing Code Inspection Department, completely staffed.
- Architects hired for the School Reconstruction Program:
 - 1. New Elementary School Brackett Road
 - 2. Addition to the Dondero School
 - 3. Addition to the New Franklin School
 - 4. Addition to the High School
- Widening of Elwyn and Spinney Roads
- Awarding contracts for construction of sewer in Prescott Park
- Hired engineers to survey, draw plans and specifications for the following sewers:
 - 1. Peverly Hill Road
 - 2. Lafayette Highway/Maple Haven
 - 3. Gosling Meadows
- Completed new Sub-Fire Station-Lafayette Road and purchased necessary equipment
- Improvements to Four Tree Island
- Completed paving of road to Booth Fisheries



Sub-Fire Station, Lafayette Road. Constructed 1967, dedicated October 7, 1967 and in service September 25, 1967. Manned by two shifts of one Lieutenant and four privates each shift, and six call men. Flagpole donated by Miss Alice Marden in memory of Chief Herbert Marden, deceased.

Department of Records

VITAL STATISTICS RECORDED

Births .673 Deaths .237 Marriages .456 Stillbirths .6							
ELECTIONS SUPERVISED - 1							
Eligible Voters 9120 Votes Cast-General 4990 Absentee Ballots processed 355							
JURY DRAWINGS-3							
Grand Jurors Drawn							
CAUSES OF DEATH							
Heart							

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JURY DRAWINGS-3							
Grand Jurors Drawn 19 Petit Jurors Drawn 45							
CAUSES OF DEATH							
Heart							
Cancer							
Accidents							
Uremia							
Pneumonia							
Immaturity							
Diabetic Acidosis							
Toxemia							
Cerebral Vascular Disease							
Rupturen Aneurism Aortic							
Nephrosclerosis							
Anemia (R. H. Incompatibility)							

LICENSES AND PERMITS ISSUED

Vital Statistics	\$ 1,857.60
UCC Filings and Terminations	4,431.50
Marriage Filings	1,467.00
Sewer Permits	1,587.00
Miscellaneous Discharges	2.00
Miscellaneous Items	234.21
Dogs	3,506.75
Bikes	298.75
Taxi Operators & Permits	476.00
Theatre	200.00
Pinball	1,550.00
Miscellaneous Licenses	1,207.00
Political Filings	135.00
Parking Meter Tokens	7,937.25
Total Receipts for 1967	\$24,890.86



Market Square looking south



Federal Building and U. S. Post Office At Daniel and Penhallow Streets

Assessment Department

	DEPARTMENT BUDGET	\$22,964.00	
	1966	1967	Difference
Gross Valuation (all taxable property)	\$66,007,615.0	0 \$67,012,965.00	+ 1,005,250.00
Assessment Ratio	50%	50%	
Total Veterans Exemption	1,352,220.0	0 1,326,800.00	- 25,420.00
Net Taxable Total	64,655,395.0	0 65,686,065.00	+ 1,030,670.00
Tax Rate	55.5	0 61.80*	+ 5.50
Warrant to Tax Collector	3,588,374.4	3 4,006,849.97	+ 418,475.54
Real Estate and Stock in Tra	ade Inventories Distributed	5,269	
Real Estate and Stock in Tra	ade Inventories Processed	3,486	
Veterans Exemptions Distri	buted	1,394	
Veterans Exemptions Proce	essed	1,249	
Property Transfers Process	ed	462	
*1967 Tax Rate Itemized—	Municipal 30.23 Schools 27.56	County 2.61	

	ITEMIZED SUMMARY OF VALUATIONS	
	1966	1967
Land & Buildings	\$40,034,395.00	\$40,428,320.00
Factory Buildings & Land	947,550.00	1,322,900.00
Factory Machinery	543,500.00	614,000.00
Public Utilities	19,915,000.00	19,500,000.00
Trailers	87,850.00	105,200.00
Stock in Trade-Merchants	3,392,000.00	3,296,150.00
Stock in Trade-Manufacturers	494,000.00	653,500.00
Vehicles	250.00	250.00
Boats & Launches	175,675.00	148,650.00
Livestock & Poultry	8,420.00	6,595.00
Pumps & Tanks	33,375.00	32,400.00
Road Building Machinery	375,600.00	449,100.00
Snowmobiles		800.00
	66,007,615.00	67,012,865.00
Poll Taxes	14,924.00	14,974.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	2,406.00	2,567.85

Taxes Originating in Assessor's Department

- 1. Real Estate Taxes
- 2. Stock in Trade Taxes
- 3. Road Building Equipment Taxes
- 4. Machinery Taxes
- 5. "Goods in Process" Taxes
- 6. Poll Taxes
- 7. Head Taxes

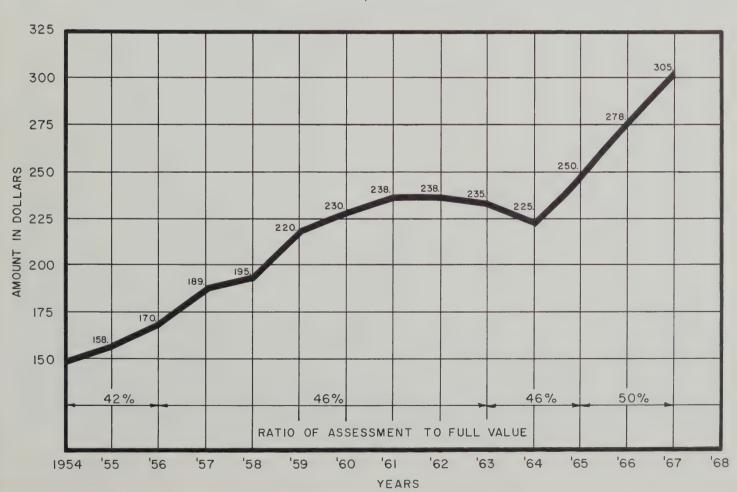
- 8. Trailer Taxes
- 9. Boat Taxes
- 10. Utility Plant Taxes
- 11. Railroad Stock Taxes
- 12. National Bank Stock Taxes
- 13. Severance (Timber) Taxes
- 14. Livestock Taxes

COMMENTS

- 1. <u>Separation of Land Values</u>—As directed by an act of the 1967 Legislature, the assessor was required to list separate values for land and buildings for each of our 6,000 properties. This work was started in 1967 in order that the work be completed in time for the 1968 tax warrant. Some 3,000 summation assessments were recalculated and the land values separated. This work will be completed in 1968.
- 2. <u>Building Permits—Field</u> checks of approximately 250 Building Permits issued were made, including processing and establishing of assessments for condition of work as of April 1, 1967.
- 3. New Office Techniques—for the preparation of Property Tax Warrant and for the Property Tax Bills were introduced as a result of the Addressograph Equipment purchases in 1966. The enormous task of cutting the thousands of metal plates with the proper information was completed by the clerical staff in time to print the Tax Warrant and the Tax Bills. The improved quality and legibility of the tax records was most gratifying.
- 4. <u>Assessment Review</u>—As a result of the large increase in the average assessment due to the 1966 Revaluation (up to \$10,000,000) the office was flooded with individual requests for review of assessments. This was done on a personal basis and each written request was appropriately answered with the necessary information to enable the taxpayer to better understand why his assessment was increased and how his new valuation was calculated.

ACTUAL TAX PAYMENT

For Single Family Residence With \$10,000 Market Value



Office of the Tax Collector

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Amount of 1966 Real Estate Warrant	\$4,006,849.47
Amount of Real Estate Collected by 12/31/66	3,732,529.71
1966 Real Estate Discount	61,486.48
1965 Real Estate Collected in 1966	260,029.36
Misc. Property Collected up to 12/31/66	5,534.60
Amount of Head Tax Warrant	47,735.00
Head Tax Collected for 1966, Plus Penalty	32,395.00
Head Tax Collected for 1965 in 1966, Plus Penalty	12,707.50
Miscellaneous Head Tax, Plus Penalty	445.00
Amount of Poll Tax Warrant	14,974.00
Poll Taxes Collected up to 12/31/66	9,916.00
1965 Poll Tax Collected up to 12/31/66	3,640.00
Misc. Poll Tax Collected up to 12/31/66	124.00

AUTO REGISTRATIONS

	1965	1966	1967
NUMBER	14,544	13,477	13,072
INCOME	\$191,673.36	\$182,606.00	\$189,943.16



"Ionian Pioneer" discharging cargo of salt at Portsmouth Harbor

City Treasurer

Balance (all accounts) December 31, 1966	\$ 889,855.65
Total Receipts for 1967	12,652,724.87
Total Disbursements for 1967	9,511,767.38
Balance (all accounts) December 31, 1967	4,030,813.14
Total Salaries and Wages for 1967	3,730,859.38
Total Witholding Tax Paid to District Director of Internal	
Revenue (1105 Employees)	491,587.54
Total Witholding for Social Security	129,622.71
Other Deductions:	
N. H. Teachers Retirement Board	
Employees Retirement System	
N. H. Police Retirement	
Health & Accident Insurance	
N. H. Firemen Retirement	
N. H Vt. Hospitalization	
Union Dues	
P.N.H.M.E.F. Credit Union	
Other Deductions	
	275,009.34
T. I.D. I. II. \$ 207.010.50	

Total Deductions \$ 896,219.59 Net Payrolls 2,834,639.79

City's contribution toward above items: \$212,913.98

BORROWINGS

Tax Anticipation Loan for 1967 (January 5, 1967)	\$2,500,000.00
Discount on Loan	74,945.54
Expense on Loan	1,010.00
Rate \$2,000,000.00 @ 3.47	
500,000.00 @ 2.56	
1967 School Bonds	\$3,400,000.00
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Rate 4.10 plus 100.4505

INVESTED TREASURY BILLS AND BANK CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSITS

Sewer bolld issue	
Accrued Interest Ending December 31, 1967	\$15,338.77
1967 Municipal Funds	32,925.50
1967 Public Improvement Bonds	2,728.03
1967 School Bonds (one month)	15,736.24

POLICE DEPARTMENT RECEIPTS

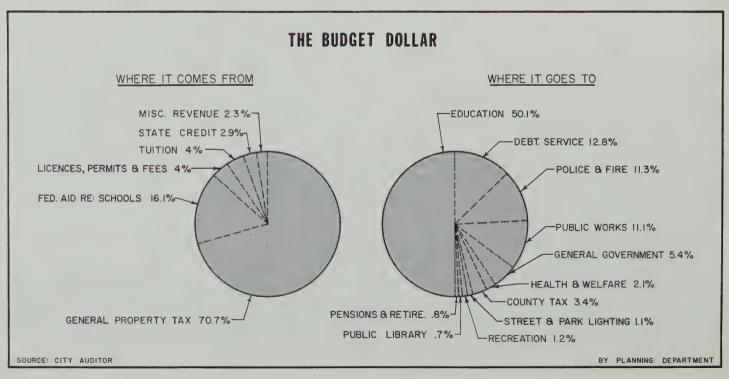
Parking Meter Fines 1967	\$98,001.00
District Court Fines	12,860.97

RECEIPTS FROM STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Interest and Dividend Tax	 . \$44,089.97
Savings Bank Tax	 . 12,923.15
Railroad Tax	 . 3,225.81
School - Bonded Debt	 . 60,063.82
Sweepstakes	 . 44,551.70
Sewerage Program	 . 68,717.00

OUTSTANDING BONDED DEBT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1968

General — Inside Debt Limit			Schools		
Permanent Improvement — 1951	\$ 18,000.00		Senior High — 1955 Supp. High — 1956	1,430,000.00 93,000.00	
Voting Machines — 1958	22,000.00		Elementary — 1959 Jr. High Addition — 1963	270,000.00 90,000.00	
Urban Renewal — 1961	140,000.00		New Construction — 1967	3,400,000.00	5,283,000.00
Streets — 1963	10,000.00		Sewer Construction — Outside Debt Limit		
Recreation — 1963	5,000.00		1960	650,000.00	
			1964	750,000.00	
Urban Renewal — 1963	3,000.00		1965	400,000.00	
Capital Improvement — 1964	45,000.00		1966	450,000.00	2,250,000.00
Parking Area—1964	30,000.00		Water Department — 1951 1954	40,000.00 7,000.00	47,000.00
Public Improvement — 1966	315,000.00	\$ 588,000.00	Total		\$8,168,000.00



COST PER PUPIL

AN OVERVIEW OF THE PORTSMOUTH SCHOOLS

Eleven neighborhood elementary schools including grades kindergarten through 6

Junior High School including grades 7 and 8

Comprehensive Senior High School including grades 9 through 12

Health and safety programs—all levels

Curriculum committees at work

Planned Testing Programs

Speech Therapist

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System-wide physical examinations

Psychological, psychiatric and guidance services for all schools

An instrumental music program for all schools

Elementary classes for the intellectually able pupils in grades 4, 5 and 6. An honors program for grades 7-12.

Special classes for slow learners at all levels

AVERAGE MEMBERSHIP 1966-1967

Summer school remedial and enrichment program for both elementary and secondary levels

Evening adult educational program

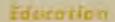
Specialty Area Supervisors in Reading and Language Arts, Music, Art and Physical Education

Average Daily Membership 6065.4 1965 1966 1967 Average Daily Attendance..... 5709.9 387.53 432.93 459.23 355.5 Percent of Daily Attendance 94.1 **TUITION CHARGES** 1966 - 1967 **SCHOOL CENSUS 1967** C__:_ U:_h \$520.00

		Semor riign	₹320.00
Inder 5 years of age	1717	Junior High	480.00
to 8 years of age	1968	Elementary	330.00
to 14 years of age	2591	Kindergarten	215.00
5 through 18 years of age	1216	_	

SURVEY OF THE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION CLASS OF 1967

Attending Four-Year Colleges	43%
Attending other institutions	
of higher learning	21%
Employed	25%
Married	3%
Armed Services	8%
	100%



PROGRAMS FUNDED BY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

HEADSTART

A six week summer program for pre-school children.

LIBRARY SERVICES

Additional staff provided at the high school library to assist students, extend hours of operation and to facilitate the cataloging of new materials.

TEACHER AIDES

Fourteen teacher aides provided at junior high and at elementary levels. These people enable the teacher to individualize the instruction to a greater degree.

LIBRARY BOOKS & INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Thirteen thousand dollars made available for additional library books and materials for both the public and private schools.

GUIDANCE COUNSELOR AND SOCIAL WORKER

The guidance counselor in cooperation with the school psychologist, teachers and principals assists pupils on the elementary level in overcoming difficulties.

The social worker seeks to create a home atmosphere and relationship that will provide elementary pupils a better opportunity to be successful in school.

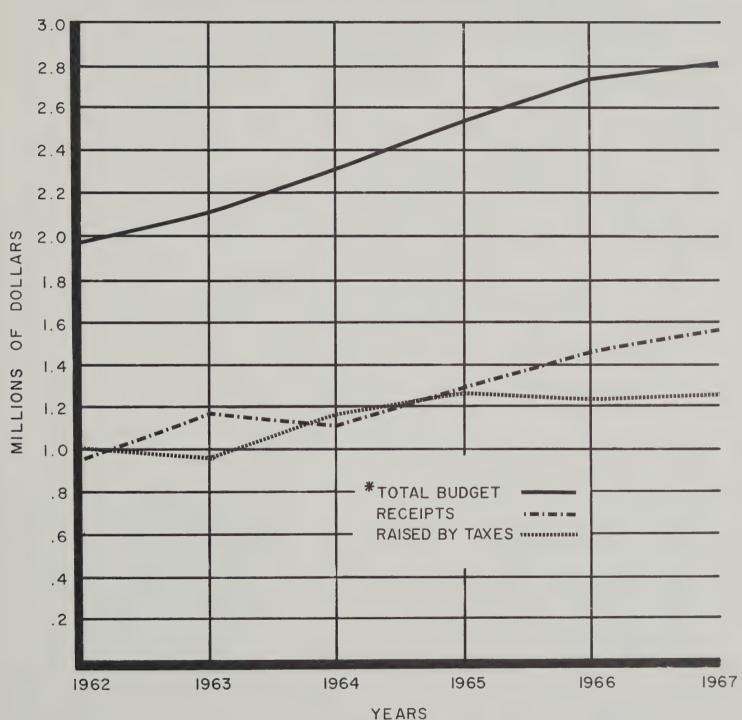
NATIONAL DEFENSE EDUCATION ACT

Provides funds on a matching basis for the acquisition of equipment and instructional aids in government specified areas of the curriculum.

• TITLE III ESEA PLANNING GRANT

Realizing the need for elementary school construction and recognizing the many changes occurring in education, we submitted a proposal to the U.S.O.E. (under TITLE III of P-L-89-10) to be funded about \$45,000 over a three year period to make a study of how we could: (1) design architecturally innovative elementary schools, and (2) develop the best types of programs in which elementary children can learn. Competing nationally, we felt fortunate that our study was one of the 30% selected for funding.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT DOLLAR



*RECEIPTS PLUS MONEY RAISED BY TAXES EQUALS TOTAL BUDGET



STREET IMPROVEMENTS

MATERIALS USED IN 1967

Bitumious Concrete (Hot Top)	5,271.18	tons
Cold Patch	528.50	tons
Gravel	1,359	cubic yards
Sand	1,416	cubic yards
Loam	60	cubic yards
Fill	10,186	cubic yards
Stone Dust	17.50	tons
Stone (Crushed)	58.65	tons
Salt	4,381.55	tons
Gasoline:		
Regular	45,829	gallons
High Test	21,144	gallons
Diesel Fuel	15,318	gallons

TREES

Removed 50	Trimmed 20	Stumps Removed92

STREETS PAVED UNDER CONTRACT

Daniel Street (from Chapel to Penhallow)
Memorial Bridge approaches
Booth Avenue
Maplewood Avenue (from Woodbury to Cutts)
Penhallow Street (from Daniel to Bow)
Borthwick Avenue

LEVELING COURSE-UNDER CONTRACT

Bartlett Street (from Islington to R.R. Siding) Islington Street (from Spinney to Bartlett) Middle Street (from Congress to Court) State Street (from Middle to Fleet)

FUTURE PLANS

Over 20 streets were grader-patched in 1967 and it is intended that most of these streets will be machine surfaced in 1968. It is intended that grader-patching will continue in equal amount during the year of 1968.

SEWAGE TREATMENT FOR 1967

Pierce Island

Sewage treated and pumped 619,364,500 gallons

Pounds of Chlorine used 87,035 pounds

Sea Crest Treatment Plant

Sewage treated and pumped 102,305,100 gallons

Pounds of Chlorine used 8,038 pounds

Solid material removed from sewage at the Pierce Island Plant from 619,364,500 gallons pumped was 375,352 pounds or approximately 140 tons of dry solids removed from 1400 tons of sludge vacuum filtered.

SEWER PIPE CONSTRUCTION

Cass Street	13	ft 8	inch c	ass 2400		
Ceres Street Storm Drain (G.S.A. Building to river).	56.5	ft 8	inch c	•		
Prospect Park Sewer				lass 2400 lass 2400		
(To be completed in 1968)						
Spaulding Interceptor						
(Echo Avenue to Brady Ford property)	580	ft14	inch cl	ass 2400	ACP	pipe
New catch basins						
New sewer services						
Sewer lines inspected by closed circuit T.V				acks.)		
Sewers rod cleaned	87,55	6 linea	r feet			

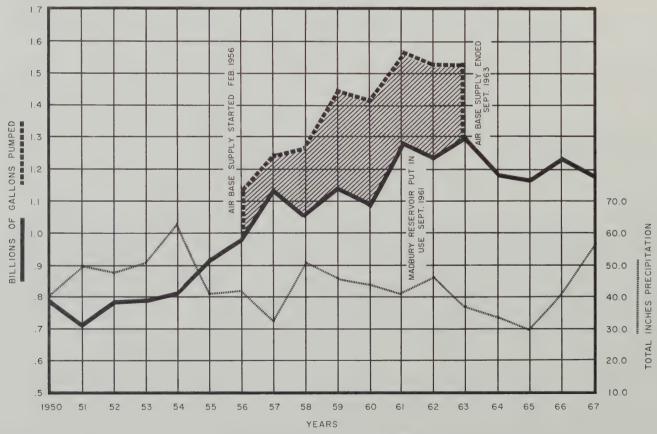
Water Department

New Main Construction

TOTAL PUMPINGS-1967

Portsmouth	Size	Linear Ft.	Location	Gallons
Lens Avenue	2'' C.I.	300'		
Lafayette Road (Sub-Fire Station)	6'' C.I.	200'	Madbury Wells	308,950,700
Newington			Madbury Plant	453,672,000
Old Dover Road	12" C.I.	3200'	Greenland Well	198,111,300
Old Dover Road	10" C.I.	2100'	Sherburne Station	168,196,200
Old Dover Road	8" C.I.	1400'	No. 1 Well-Portsmouth	96,174,700
Atlantic Terminal	8'' C.I.	1900'	Total	1,225,104,900
Newington Road	8" C.I.	2000'		
Greenland				
New Street	6" C.I.	180'	Services Renewed	30
Fairway Lane	6'' C.I.	80'	New Services	90
Ralston Avenue	6" C.I.	220'	Meters Changed	842
Post Road	12" C.I.	2650'	New Hydrants	20
Breakfast Hill Road	10'' C.I.	40'	- Idew nydrams	20
Post Road	8'' C.I.	40'		

WATER DEPARTMENT PUMPING RECORD



TOTAL GALLONS PUMPED TO AIR BASE



Portsmouth Water Department records have served as the data source in the development of the above chart. Yearly precipitation represents both rain and snowfall with the latter reconciled on a 10" to 1" water ratio. Areas served by the P.W.D. include Portsmouth, Pease Air Base (as shown), Newington, Greenland, Rye (section) and Newcastle.

Recreation Department

ACTIVITIES - JOHN F. KENNEDY ADULT CENTER

	Weekly Average	Yearly Average
Ladies Night	60	2340
Volleyball	100	3900
Shuffleboard	25	975
Basketball	110	4290
Weights & Exercise Equipment	140	5460
Handball	160	6240
Steam Room	200	7800
Pool	60	2340
Table Tennis	50	1950
Duplicate Bridge	40	1560
Golden Age Club	30	1170
Reading Room	30	1170

The above totals cover the winter months (39 weeks).

The gym was closed for a five week period during the summer, for refinishing of the floors.

Ladies Night	15	120
Shuffleboard	4	32
Basketball	20	160
Weights & Exercise Equipment	10	80
Handball	60	480
Steam Room	35	280
Pool	15	120
Table Tennis	12	96
Duplicate Bridge	32	256

The above totals cover the summer months (8 weeks).

PLAYGROUND ATTENDANCE 1967

Atlantic Heights	9,040
Cater Park	2,425
Deer Street	1,760
Dondero	2,120
Gosling Meadows	2,534
Lafayette	10,730
Maple Haven	6,510
New Franklin	3,030
Sherburne	1,946
South	15,106
SUMMER EXCURSION	ONS
Canobie Lake	450
Fenway Park	300
Bensons	130
Pleasure Island	180
Isle of Shoals	_150
	1210

SPECIAL PROGRAMS 1967

Easter Egg Hunt	940
Big League Tournament	2,600
Fourth of July Fireworks	14,000
Fourth Free Ice Cream	1,600
Municipal Pool	54,000
Municipal Pool Swim Meet	275
Music Festival	675
Arts and Crafts	1,051
Excursions	1,210
Jr. Olympics	350
Softball Banquet	225
Halloween Dance	350
Outdoor dances	1,200
Country Fair	800
Music Program	100
California Cuties	300
Outdoor Barbecue	600
Football Dance	250
Archery Program	60
Womens Self Defense	20
Judo Program	60
Retarded Children	
Swimming Program	15
Swim Team	40
Marine Swim Program	25



Junior Olympics

MUNICIPAL SWIMMING POOL

(Summer Program) (10 week period)

0 0 10 10		·		
Open Daily 9-12				
			Genera	Swimming
Sundays 1-5				
Attendance per day				
<u>1966</u>			1967	
325			555	Morning
1000			500	Afternoon
130			30	Evening
1455			1085	
Water Safety Certifi	cates Issued	1		
,		1966		1967
Beginners		107		109
Adv. Beginners		71		73
Intermediates		56		88
Swimmers		49		47
Adv. Swimmers		5		7
Jr. Lifesaving		11		5
Sr. Lifesaving		3		5
	TOTAL	302	TOT	Δ1 334



Judo Program



Auction

Portsmouth Public Library

Although many changes of staff took place in 1967, we continued to supply valuable information to many public, civic and business groups. The New Hampshire Park Service made use of our early records of Fort Constitution which the State hopes to restore.

The recommendations and suggestions brought out in the State Library Survey of 1967 were followed as closely as possible.

A valuable addition to our early file of newspapers was the 164 copies of the New Hampshire Gazette for the years of 1780-1790 as purchased with funds from the Deaconess Elwyn Trust Fund offered by the Portsmouth Athenaeum. A record collection consisting of 20 records called "Voices of Literature" was also added to the library.

In most part, books purchased with State aid funds were sets of reference books which, being quite expensive, could not have been acquired otherwise, and are now within our Browsing Room. Some titles on the recommended list were out of print and accordingly, some second choices had to be made.

Number of books 1967	79,530
Added by purchase	1,601
Added by gift	51
TOTAL	81,182
Obsolete books withdrawn	410
Number of books on hand 1-1-68	80,772

INTER LIBRARY LOANS 1966 1967 Borrowed from other libraries 36 36 Logned to other libraries 69 69

NEW BORROWERS REGISTRATION

	1966	1967
Adult	825	719
Juvenile	349	340
	1,174	1,059

	1966	1967
General literature and magazines	5,413	4,116 - 1,297
Philosophy, psychology, etc.	868	1,125 + 257
Religion and allied subjects	523	525 + 2
Sociology and social studies	2,608	2,321 - 287
Foreign languages, dictionaries, etc.	168	123 - 45
Mathematics, astronomy, physics, etc.	1,284	1,350 + 66
Science, medicine, etc.	2,818	2,855 + 37
Fine arts, music, antiques, etc.	3,784	3,595 - 189
Literature, drama, poetry	2,333	2,320 - 13
Biography	3,436	3,147 - 289
Travel	2,617	2,317 - 300
History	3,362	3,084 - 278
	29,214	26,878 - 2,336

NON-FICTION CIRCULATION ANALYSES

Magazines : 85 subscriptions, 45 gifts.

Newspapers: New York Times; Wall Street Journal; Christian Science Monitor; Boston Herald; Manchester Union; Portsmouth Her-

ald.

Circulation	1966	<u>1967</u>
Juvenile	21,459	19,783 - 1,676
Adult fiction	32,474	33,321 - 947
Adult non-fiction	29,214	<u>26,878</u> – <u>2,336</u>
Totals	83,147	79,982 - 3,165

GIFTS RECEIVED

The Piscataqua	Ralph May
History of South Church;	
Story of Portsmouth Athenaeum	Lawrence Craig
The Nations Business	Portsmouth Trust Co.
Brewster's Rambles About	
Portsmouth	Dr. John Doyle
The Odiorne Genealogy	Mrs. Edward Seavey

- * Reverend Lyman Rutledge added two new cabinets to the Isles of Shoals Room.
- * Subscription to New York Times; gift from Kiwanis Club.

Fire Department

ACTIVITIES 1967
Bell Alarms 108 (59 False)
Still Alarms
Miscellaneous calls 109
Ambulance Calls 819
Total
SUMMARY OF OUT-OF-TOWN CALLS
Pease Air Force Base
Kittery
Newington
Greenland
Newgatta

WIRES AND POLES

Rebuilt approximately 1 mile of line
Installed new batteries in Control Panel
Trimmed trees on all circuits
Connected new Sub-Station to system
Installed traffic lights and siren for Sub-Station
Five new master boxes connected to system

INSPECTION

<u></u>	
Electrical Permits issued	313
Electrical Inspections made	459
Electrical Inspections as a result of fires or complaints	9
Electrical Inspections corrected after inspection	8

TOTAL VALUE OF BUILDINGS AND CONTENTS ENDANGERED BY FIRE \$954,969.00

Insurance on Buildings and Contents	/40,/00.00
Damage by Fire	226,033.00
Insurance Paid	
Uninsured Loss	13,111.14

The new Sub Fire Station on Lafayette Road was completed and manned on September 25. Engines 3 and 5 were transferred from the Central Station to the Sub-Station.

A new Dodge $\frac{3}{4}$ ton pickup was purchased to replace the Chevrolet pickup which was turned over to the Wire and Pole Inspector.

A 750 gallon pump and a KC-12 Rescue Saw were purchased during the year.



1967 Maxim 750 gpm pump with 500 gallon booster tank



- April 10, 1967: Deputy Marshal E. Edward Scarponi attended a three-day Maine/New Hampshire and Vermont Tri-State Traffic Court Conference at the Highway Motel in Concord, N. H.
- May 1, 1967: Officers Carl Seavey and Lloyd Tibbetts attended a three-week Police Training School at Concord, N. H. which was sponsored by the New Hampshire State Police.
- May 11, 1967: School Safety Patrol Officer Richard Maddock and five chaperons left for Washington, D. C. with 22 children from local schools to attend the annual school Safety Jamboree. The group returned to Portsmouth on May 14, 1967.
- June 18, 1967: City Marshal Stanton G. Remick attended a three-day FBI National Academy Retraining Command at Mt. Washington Hotel in Bretton Woods, N. H.
- October 9, 1967: Officer Emerson Miles was promoted to rank of Sergeant.
- November 13, 1967: Officers Dennis Cilley, Charles Johnson and William Parslow attended a four-week Police Training Course at Concord, N. H. which was sponsored by N. H. State Police.
- December 31, 1967: Lieutenant Joseph R. McCormack retired from the Police Department on this date after serving 25 years.

	Number		Offenses	
OFFENSES	Reported	Arrests	Cleared	<u>Juveniles</u>
Aggravated Assault	6	6	6	0
Assaults (other)	41	36	35	18
Arrested for Other Depts	0	41	0	18
Arson	3	8	3	8
Auto Theft (58 recovered)	66	21	16	9
Automobile Offenses	429	429	429	3
Bastardy	1	1	1	0
Burglary (B.E.&L.) (8 attempts)	164	34	36	10
Disorderly Conduct	36	36	36	17
Drunkenness	183	183	183	15
D.W.I	19	19	19	0
Forgery	29	5	25	0
Fraud-False Pretenses	11	1	11	0
Larceny By Check	6	3	3	0
Larceny (Grand)	89	2	5	0
(Petty)	230	69	47	47
Liquor Laws	2	2	2	2
(Minors in poss.)	14	14	14	2
Malicious Damage	190	61	32	52
Mental Patients	1	1	1	0
Non-Support	6	6	6	0
Rape-Statutory	2	2	2	0
Attempted to Commit	1	1	1	0
Robbery - From Person	1	2	1	0
Other Offenses-Truancy	9	9	9	9
Runaways	39	39	39	39
Violation Parole	2	2	2	2
Inhaling Toxic Vapors	2	2	2	1

OFFENSES	Number Reported	Arrests	Offenses Cleared	Juveniles
Uncontrollable Children		20	20	20
Weapons Offenses		5	5	0
AWOL		5	5	5
False Alarms		9	9	9
Failing to answer summons	1	1	1	0
Discharging Fire works		9	9	8
Fish & Game		2	2	0
False Report of a Crime		1	1	0
Sex Offenses - Lascivious Acts		1	1	0
Suspicion	333	333	333	186
Violating City Ordinance	55_	55_	55	20
· ·	TOTAL 2,010	1,463	1,394	488
Accidents Reported to Police Department				551
Police Patrol Trips				12,267
Store Doors and Windows Found Open				650
Street Lights Reported Out				138
Suicide				0
Suicide, Attempted				0
Deaths Due to Auto Accidents				3
Received of Beano Licenses				\$ 600.00
Received of Junk Licenses		• • • • • • • • • • • • • •		125.00
Amount Paid Parking Fines				9,800.00
Amount Paid City Treasurer, Parking Receipt	ts		Cash	53,190.16
			Tokens	7.837.25



L to R—Deputy Marshal E. Edward Scarponi and City Marshal Stanton G. Remick. New 'Black Maria' was put in operation April 13, 1967.

CRIMINAL CASES

Complaints entered during the year Cases disposed of during the year Felonies 60 Misdemeanors 1246	
JUVENILE CASES	
Cases of neglected children	14 42
SMALL CLAIMS CASES	
Cases pending at beginning of year. Cases entered during year. Cases pending at end of year.	12 149 7
CIVIL CASES	
Cases entered during the year	70 67



Portsmouth Waterfront Scene

Departments of Health and Welfare

WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Hilda Hundley, Welfare Director

DIRECT RELIEF

verage Number of Cases (Monthly)	71.0
verage Monthly Expenditures	32.43
BOARD AND CARE-CHILDREN	
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verage Number of Cases (Monthly)	9.0
verage Number of Children (Monthly)	
verage Monthly Expenditures	
BOARD AND CARE-ADULT	
verage Number of Cases (Monthly)	6.4
	6.4
verage Monthly Expenditures	52.31

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

S. Gerard Griffin, M. D. Health Office / City Physician

The Department of Health is under the direction of S. Gerard Griffin, M.D., who is City Physician, Health Officer, Chairman of the Board of Health and Chairman of the Building Commission.

The health of the City in the past year was quite satisfactory with no significant rise in communicable diseases and no epidemics. The tuberculosis and venereal disease rates are low and there were no cases of poliomyelitis and a few cases of infectious hepatitis.

During the year, routine inspections were made of eating establishments, grocery stores, barber shops, etc., and a total of 106 permits were issued as compared to the 115 issued last year.

Complaints and nuisances and violations were investigated. City Welfare cases were treated in homes, office, nursing homes and hospital. Physical examinations were given to prospective Police Officers and Firemen as well as summer recreation workers. School health examinations were given in cooperation with other local physicians and the school nurses. International Certificates of Vaccination for foreign travel were validated.

As Chairman of the Building Commission, all complaints and motions received regarding infractions of the Housing Code were investigated and processed as required by Ordinance.

Building Inspection

Lewis M. McNeil, Sr., Inspector

During the year 1967-243 Permits were issued for a total of \$2,246,200.00.

New Homes	\$ 544,000.00
New Garages	28,800.00
New Business & Industry 3	112,000.00
New Apartments 1	5,500.00
General Repairs	166,000.00
Buildings Remodeled 14	186,200.00
New Additions	722,250.00
Buildings Razed	8,200.00
Business Repairs 8	15,600.00
Miscellaneous	457,650.00
	\$2,246,200.00
Fees collected and turned over to the City	
Treasurer	\$ 4,581.40

A total of 695 building inspections were made of work being done for which building permits were issued.

- 49 Building Permits or use of buildings were denied.
- 36 Appeals were granted by the Board of Adjustment.
- 7 Appeals were denied by the Board of Adjustment.
- 6 Appeals were tabled by the Board of Adjustment.
- 1 Appeal to Board of Adjustment was withdrawn.

Attended 12 meetings of the Board of Adjustment.

- 40 Public Buildings were inspected.
 - 7 Violations were found.
 - 7 Violations were corrected.
- 243 Building Permits were issued.
- 20 Violations were found.

Twenty-nine cars disposed of under the Junk Car Ordinance.

Fifteen Replacement of service stations fuel tanks inspected with Fire Chief Weeks.

With the assistance of Mr. John J. Grattan started a full-scale Housing Code Inspection.

Received and disposed of surplus food monthly for the Welfare Department.

By request of Mr. Violette acted as overseer of Comfort Station custodians and matrons.

Plumbing Inspector

James Varotsis (Part Time)

LICENSES & PERMITS ISSUED - 1967

Masters Licenses	44
Journeyman Licenses	71
Application Test Fees	1
Permits Issued	185
Telephone Call	1
Monies received for Licenses	57.50
Monies received for test	1.00
Monies received for telephone call	.50
Monies received for Permits	66.80
Income Received for 1967	25.80

Dog Officer

Robert E. Reynolds, Dog Officer

The following is an outline of the activities of the Dog Officer which covers the period from January 1, 1967 through December 31, 1967.

Calls received	651
Dog bites reported to Dog Officer	59
Loose dogs impounded	385
Loose dogs (licensed) picked up, returned to owner	266
Loose dogs (unlicensed) picked up, returned to owner	144
Total dogs handled	795
Lost dogs reported	158
Lost dogs found by Dog Officer	118
Number of tags issued	431
Number of replacement tags issued	22

One hundred and forty-three other animals handled which included:

1 sheep, 9 rabbits, 4 foxes, 5 raccoons, 9 skunks, 11 bats, 6 ducks, 8 seagulls, 59 cats, 16 squirrels, 4 woodchucks, 3 chipmunks, 1 pony, 1 cow and 6 pigeons.

Sealer of Weights & Measures

William A. Thomson, Inspector (Part Time)

The State inspectors were here from Concord, N. H. and tested & sealed all tank truck meters, line meters and heavy duty truck scales.

	ed and
Computing & Counter Balance Scales	 80
Gasoline & Grease Pumps	 285
Suspension & Heavy Duty Scales	 52
Cloth & Leather Measure	 3

Housing Code Inspection

Mr. John J. Grattan, Housing Code Inspector Mrs. Lee Rosen, Secretary

The City Council in December of 1967 established the Department of Housing Code Inspection and Enforcement. Upon being fully equipped and staffed, the department proceeded immediately to investigate such programs as were in effect within the New England communities and to then develop such procedures as were felt to be compatible to Portsmouth's needs and program continuity.

Inspections, compliance requirements and procedures as outlined within Chapter 23 "Housing Code" of the Municipal Ordinances include all premises, structures and dwelling units.

BOARD	Regular Meetings	Special Meetings	Public Hearings
Planning Board	12	11	13
Board of Adjustment	12		48
Building Commission		11	3
Traffic Committee		8	

The Department performed all the routine office duties pertaining to the above meetings and prepared such maps and graphic materials as were required by the various Boards. The Planning Board also held work sessions throughout the year on the matters of soil analyses, sign ordinance review, underground utility installation, housing for the elderly and industrial land development.

Approximately 1,700 abuttal notices were prepared and mailed relative to Planning Board and Board of Adjustment public hearings with the Planning Department acting as recording secretary for all meetings attended. The Planning Department Director also continues to supply the Economic Commission with such graphic aids and land use analyses as may be required.

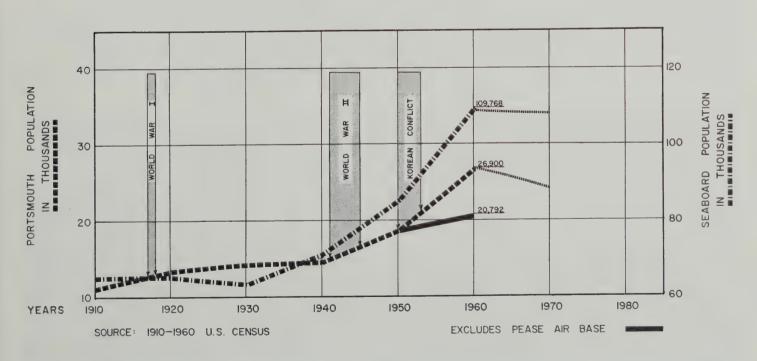
MAJOR CONSIDERATIONS

Workable Program for Community Improvement
Industrial Land Analyses
Capital Improvement Program
Concentrated Code Enforcement Program material
Recommendation of tree bank for beautification

Complete Soil Analyses for Portsmouth Sign Ordinance redraft Underground Utility Installation Study Elwyn Park Recreational Land Study Annual Report of 1966

Preparation of Solid Waste Disposal Application

POPULATION TRENDS



Portsmouth Naval Ship Yard



Aerial view of U. S. Naval Activities, Seavey Island. Portsmouth Naval Shipyard employs over 8,000 who devote their full-time effort to the construction, conversion, and overhaul of the Navy's submarine fleet. (Left background, Kittery Point; center background, Gerrish Island; right background, New Castle)



USS SAM HOUSTON (SSB(N)609). This nuclear powered missile submarine, aided by Shipyard tugboat, is shown departing from Portsmouth following a multimillion dollar overhaul completed in November 1967.



Portsmouth - built nuclear submarine USS JACK (SS(N)605) on sea trials.

Economic Commission

Commissioners: *Lars J. Sandberg, Chairman

*Arthur F. Brady *Timothy J. Connors Robert Iafolla *Robert A. Shaines

Dr. Gordon O. Thayer (U.N.H.)

*Robert E. Whalen

C. Richard Williams Harry Winebaum City Manager Robert C. Violette (ex-officio)

(*Executive Committee)

Objectives:

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During 1967 two members of the Commission resigned-Philip P. Finn, (Chairman January 1966-October 1967) and John J. Wholey (Commissioner 1964-1967)

General Statement-1967 policy, activities, and accomplishments

During 1967 the Commission embarked on an increasingly diversified program. Greater emphasis was placed on the planning and solution of long term as well as immediate problems. Toward this policy, Mayor Connors recommended and the City Council approved the appointment of four additional commissioners.

Additionally, an Executive Committee was appointed by the Chairman to assist the Director in attaining the enlarging goals of the Economic Commission.

Major emphasis was placed in assisting three new manufacturing concerns (which announced commitment during 1966) which commenced operations and hiring during 1967. These included Booth Fisheries (150) Diaphragm Industries, Inc. (100), and North East Cutting Die Corp. (25). (Figures indicate employment levels as of December 31, 1967.)

With the 40 acre Borthwick Industrial Park fully committed to Booth Fisheries, the Commission concentrated its efforts toward research and analysis of numerous sites toward the creation of a new industrial development. During November, the Commission in cooperation with the Portsmouth Regional Development Corporation, submitted a proposal to the N.H. Industrial Development Authority for the acquisition and development of a 72 acre site on Lafayette Road zoned for industrial use.

MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

A) New Industry Locating in Portsmouth, New Hampshire

• Fritsch Machine Tool Co.

Name of Company

• Nor-Pak, Inc.

Product Manufactured

Precision machine shop

Multi-wall bags

Number of Employees*

25

5

* Level as of 12/31/67

B) Support of Existing Industry and Businesses

- 1. Assisted in financing for a local company resulting in acquisition of improved facilities.
- 2. Initiated two marketing and/or engineering support programs by the University of New Hampshire.
- 3. Director personally visited fifteen manufacturing concerns to analyze future labor requirements where feasible.

C) Other Activities

- 1. Successful conclusion of negotiations with the New Hampshire College of Accounting and Commerce to provide business degree programs in Portsmouth.
- 2. Created a Vocational Guidance Program to provide individual counseling, "on-the-job assignments", and assistance to forty senior students of the High School toward them obtaining suitable positions with local employers after graduation. The Commission authorized the Director to devote a significant amount of his time as a counselor, due to the benefits accruing to the graduate student, employers, and the availabilly of a well oriented, readily trainable pool of labor. Commissioner Robert lafolla devoted extensive time as co-counselor.
- 3. Set up a complete economic data bank, available to all City agencies, businessmen, and to assist toward continued establishment of new industry and businesses in Portsmouth.
- 4. In conjunction with the University of New Hampshire and other State agencies assisted in the preparation of a bill presented to the State Legislature to create an educational, recreational, and marine research facility at Odiorne Point State Park. Bill enacted into law June, 1967.
- 5. Processed over 30 out-of-state concerns interested in Portsmouth as a potential location.

Acknowledgements

The Commission expresses its appreciation to the many State and City Departments, also other local organizations whose whole-hearted cooperation have contributed so significantly to the Commission's activities.



This 148,000 square foot plant of Booth Fisheries is located at the Federal and Interstate cross-roads of the New Hampshire Seacoast region. A \$4.5 million plant, it is the largest and most modern in the prepared seafoods industry.

Portsmouth Housing Authority

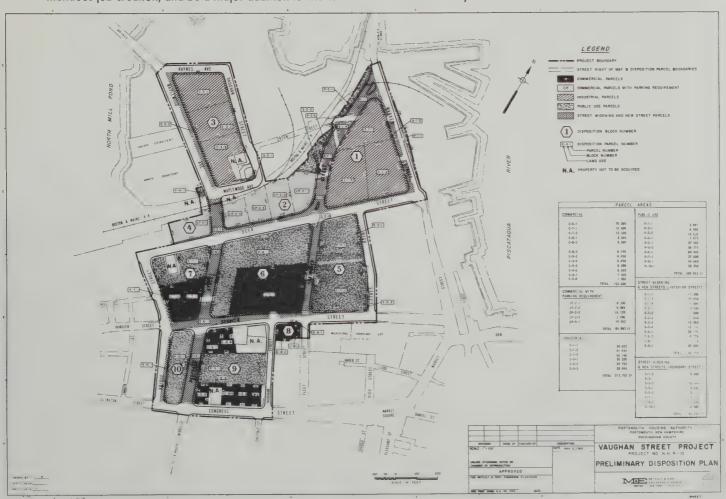
The Portsmouth Housing Authority, in the full realization that the issues facing Portsmouth were hard and familiar and that there remained no justification for a timid approach to 1967 problems, initiated some of the most far-reaching programs possible. Final planning was completed for a five million dollar downtown urban renewal program anticipated to begin in 1968 and to become a complete reality four years hence.

Daily, the need of a major number of senior citizens for housing units became more apparent. The Authority received tentative site approval for a 112 unit high-rise structure at the intersection of Middle Street and Richards Avenue. Reactivation of the former Court Street site should culminate in 1970 with a 100 unit high-rise structure dedicated to Golden Agers. Again, in a far-reaching program, leased housing, combined with federal rent supplement programming began with a request for an allocation of 100 such units from the New York Regional Office.

Working in conjunction with the City Planning Department, a Community Renewal Program was applied for, and following City Council authorization, a draft application for a Concentrated Code Enforcement Program came into being. This should bring to Portsmouth a tremendous public works and home improvement plan.

The Authority started final processing of the famed Strawbery Banke project. Full advantage of recent federal legislation providing additional dollar credit for municipal work in the abutting area was undertaken to reduce the overall cost to the City for this restoration effort.

As the renewal endeavor unfolds, we believe the Vaughan Street area will undergo a genuine economic rebirth, tremendous job creation, and be a major addition to the tax base of the community.





The Portsmouth Civil Defense Auxiliary Police Unit, working under the authority of the Portsmouth Civil Defense Agency during the year 1967, has again demonstrated their eagerness to serve their City with many hours of volunteer efforts, to help bring about trained personnel in the event of nationwide or local disaster. The following merely points out some of the activities accomplished throughout the year.

INCREASED READINESS INFORMATION SYSTEM: (IRIS) By attending conferences in Concord, Portsmouth now has been brought into the new alert system which links the local and State level directly and more closely to national level during any type emergency.

RESOURCES: City Department Directors and managers of City companies were very cooperative during the period we were gathering resource information for our EMERGENCY OPERATION CENTER, which will be used by all departments during all emergency conditions to better care for the population of Portsmouth.

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS SIMULATION TRAINING: All departments of the City were represented during the training sessions along with various agencies dedicated to aiding those in need. The final exercise proved to all concerned just how beneficial the entire operation is to the City's welfare.

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER: (EOC) The EOC has progressed to near completion and ground work on furnishings are underway. The CENTER, being at 28 Penhallow Street, will be the hub of activities throughout any emergencies, to care for the City as a whole.

SHELTER: National Shelter Survey held throughout the State of New Hampshire brought 74.6% of Portsmouth resident participation.

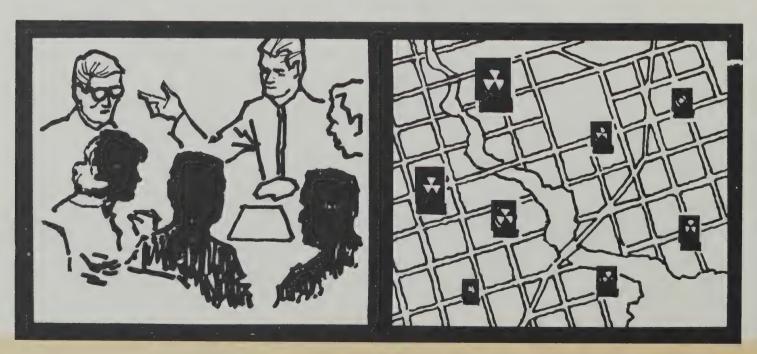
WARNING SYSTEM: Complete inspection to insure proper warning, and a report to be made.

POLICE UNITS: Many hours were totaled for police duties, and equipment purchased throughout the year to aid them in such. Civil Defense training of police duties continued. Graduation of fifteen (15) new Auxiliary, after extensive training, which included four (4) women, the first statewide to complete this CD Auxiliary training, and possibly nationwide.

PISTOL TEAMS (2): Took individual high score and 2nd, 3rd place at the Civil Defense State Pistol Match. Also held 2nd and 3rd place throughout the Postal Matches held for a three-month period, New England Police Revolver League, Inc.

COMMUNITY SHELTER PLANNING, FALLOUT SHELTERS, RADIOLOGICAL MONITORING CLASSES, MEDICAL SELF-HELP PROGRAMS, SHELTER MANAGEMENT COURSES were continued, or progress made into Phase No. 2.

TOTAL HOURS: 7657.5



Division of Accounting

The total cost of operating the Finance Department for the year amounted to \$27,163.06 including the cost of the annual audit by the State Tax Commission which amounted to \$1,791.75.

Payrolls were processed for 1,180 employees, of whom 732 were employed by the School Department, for a total expenditure for salaries and wages of \$3,730,859.38 with deductions for income tax, social security, retirement, Blue Cross, insurance, union dues and credit union amounting to \$896,219.59 leaving a balance of \$2,834,639.79 as net "take home pay" representing our municipal contribution to the local economy.

The cost of municipal services continues to increase each year and the budget of \$5,585,343.14 represented an increase of \$312,807.58 or 5.9% over the preceding year.

Municipal revenue other than taxes amounted to \$1,718,485.23, a decrease of \$52,133.79 from the preceding year. Some of the larger items of income were: \$908,694.00 from the Federal Grant re: School Maintenance; \$228,082.08 from tuition to the School Department; \$188,667.09 from registration of motor vehicles and \$233,571.45 from the State of New Hampshire covering Interest and Dividend Tax, Savings Bank Tax, Railroad Tax, Sweepstakes and aid for our bonded debt on schools and sewers.

The total credit to Revenue Surplus for the year amounted to \$144,795.10 representing an excess of actual over estimated revenue of \$87,533.91 and \$57,261.19 from unexpended appropriation balances.

Municipal borrowing in anticipation of taxes for 1967 amounted to \$2,500,000 at a cost to the City of \$75,955.54 reflecting the extremely high money market rates during this period.

A bond issue in the amount of \$3,400,000 was issued as of November 1,1967 for new school construction bearing an interest rate of 4.1% for a total interest cost to maturity of \$1,463,700.

The entire municipal operation for all funds showed receipts of \$12,652,724.87 and disbursements of \$9,511,767.38.

The municipal Water Department showed a reduction in its operating loss for 1967 in the amount of \$19,083.18 as compared to the preceding year due to the rate increase for all City consumers effected as of September 1, 1967, and we are hopeful that the application of this rate increase for the coming year will eliminate the operating deficit entirely.



The Blue Spruce, a British-registered ship, unloading at the State Port Authority terminal on Noble's Island. Cargo consisted of the first shipment of frozen fish for Booth Fisheries.



The Ionian Pioneer leaving Portsmouth Harbor after discharging 23 tons of salt from Mexico. The Ionian Pioneer, built in Japan, has a dead weight tonnage of 32,340 tons.



Portsmouth - Newcastle Scene

Exhibit H-4

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

ANALYSIS OF PARKING METER COLLECTIONS AS PER CITY TREASURER'S RECORDS

Covering Ten Year Period

	1958	1959	1960	1961
January	\$ 4,894.22	\$ 4,940.89	\$ 3,459.30	\$ 3,409.19
February	3,590.91	2,997.93	3,949.37	3,428.11
March	3,890.32	4,702.18	5,045.09	4,822.80
April	4,510.58	4,949.81	4,753.40	4,539.15
May	5,582.46	5,715.92	4,594.47	4,505.30
June	4,537.32	4,394.40	5,914.89	5,703.70
July	6,209.45	5,924.85	4,854.08	4,531.36
August	5,307.36	4,980.16	5,106.27	5,928.17
September	4,800.69	4,715.15	5,823.46	4,157.98
October	6,028.05	5,723.68	4,365.90	4,605.20
November	4,582.77	4,545.47	4,336.79	4,670.81
December	4,711.41	6,161.01	5,466.95	5,875.14
	\$58,645.54	\$59,751.45	\$57,669.97	\$56,176.91

1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967
\$ 4,287.51	\$ 3,513.10	\$ 3,672.17	\$ 2,942.31	\$ 4,200.74	\$ 3,858.39
4,262.67	3,274.55	3,025.51	2,818.23	4,103.22	3,704.26
4,307.65	3,060.31	3,299.98	4,165.26	5,730.83	4,893.63
4,776.47	4,466.20	3,697.85	3,914.64	4,950.75	4,424.15
4,515.90	4,826.51	4,968.30	4,030.90	4,797.64	4,846.63
5,272.92	4,112.10	4,718.85	5,265.80	4,801.53	5,674.21
4,499.68	5,124.27	5,540.16	5,771.69	6,062.24	5,060.55
5,680.66	4,981.88	5,060.02	5,975.62	5,857.22	6,811.95
4,428.78	4,360.86	5,144.80	6,537.39	6,963.16	5,138.05
4,900.87	5,122.69	3,886.09	5,153.50	4,367.27	4,876.76
3,943.63	3,838.93	4,443.15	5,356.26	6,202.53	4,998.73
5,472.71	4,347.00	4,614.06	7,624.25	6,817.29	6,782.60
\$56,349.45	\$51,028.40	\$52,070.94	\$59,555.85	\$64,854.42	\$61,069.91



DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

September 13, 1968

Robert C. Violette, City Manager Portsmouth, New Hampshire

Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is the report of an examination and audit of the accounts of the City of Portsmouth for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1967, which was made by this Division in accordance with your request. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

SCOPE OF AUDIT

The accounts and records of all city officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of city funds were examined and audited. An examination was made of a sufficient number of vouchers, payrolls and cancelled checks to satisfy the accepted standards of audit procedure. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible. Book balances were verified by comparison with reconciled bank balances made from statements submitted by depository banks.

Financial Statements

Comparative Balance Sheets (General Fund Account) December 31, 1966 - December 31, 1967:

(Exhibit A-1)

Comparative Balance Sheets (General Fund Account) for the fiscal years ended December 31, 1966 and December 31, 1967, are presented in Exhibit A-1. As indicated therein, the Unappropriated Surplus decreased by \$117,015.30 in 1967.

Analysis of Change in Current Financial Condition:

(Exhibit A-3)

An analysis of the change in the current financial condition of the City during the year is made in Exhibit A-3, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein.

Increase in Bonded Indebtedness:

The bonded indebtedness of the city (including Municipal, School and Water Debt) increased by \$2,900,500.00 in 1967 as shown herewith:

	Bonded Debt	Bonds	Bonds	Bonded Debt
	December	Issued	Retired	December
	31, 1966	in 1967	in 1967	31, 1967
Municipal	\$3,166,500.00	\$	\$328,500.00	\$2,838,000.00
School	2,043,000.00	3,400,000.00	160,000.00	5,283,000.00
Water	58,000.00		11,000.00	47,000.00
	\$5,267,500.00	\$3,400,000.00	\$499,500.00	\$8,168,000.00

In addition to the bonded debt outstanding at December 31, 1967, as stated hereinbefore, a long term obligation of \$26,876.00 was due the Duncan Parking Meter Company by the City. In accordance with the terms of a contract with this firm, parking meter collections in excess of \$4,387.52 per month are used to reduce the principal of this debt. As of June 1, 1970, however, the unpaid portion of this liability, if any, must be fully liquidated by the city.

Statement of Bonded Indebtedness:

(Exhibit J)

A statement of outstanding bonded indebtedness as of December 31, 1967, showing annual debt service requirements, is contained in Exhibit J.

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures Estimated and Actual Revenues:

(Exhibits A-4 & A-5)

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1967 are presented in Exhibits A-4 and A-5. As indicated by the budget summary (Exhibit A-5), a revenue surplus of \$91,010.44, less a net overdraft of appropriations of \$27,905.45, resulted in a net budget surplus of \$63,104.99.

District Court:

(Exhibit E)

A statement of the accounts of the District Court for the fiscal year is included in Exhibit E.

Parking Meter Accounts:

(Exhibits H-1, H-2, H-3 & H-4)

Statements of the Parking Meter Accounts are presented in Exhibits H-1, H-2, H-3 and H-4.

General Comments & Recommendations

Tax Collections:

Tax collections (exclusive of State Head Taxes) of the current year's levy compared to taxes assessed, for the years 1966 and 1967, were as follows:

	Levy of 1966	Percent	Levy of 1967	Percent
Taxes Assessed - Current Year's Levy	\$3,608,764.79		\$4,028,288.85	
Taxes Collected - Current Year's Levy	\$3,306,562.15	91.6%	\$3,681,052.16	91.4%
Discounts Allowed-Current Year's Levy	24,654.76	.7%	61,479.30	1.5%
Taxes Abated - Current Year's Levy	8,956.36	.3%	5,842.04	.2%
Uncollected Taxes - Current Year's Levy	268,591.52 \$3,608,764.79	7.4%	279,915.35 \$4,028,288.85	6.9%
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Special Appropriations Voted from Current Surplus

Because special, supplemental or emergency appropriations duly voted by the City Council during the course of the fiscal year create immediate reductions in the amount of current surplus available, it is recommended that all such appropriations be promptly recorded on the books of accounts. For control purposes, the resulting liabilities should be credited either to an Appropriated Surplus account or to specific individual appropriation accounts. Disbursements when made would then be charged against these accounts. As a result of these procedures, the amount of current surplus available would be accurately stated at all times.

Payrolls Actually Paid During Year To Be Charged To Current Appropriations:

All payrolls actually paid or incurred during the fiscal year's operations should be charged to the current year appropriations, and should not be deferred and charged to a subsequent year's appropriations.

Water Department:

(Exhibits I-1, I-2 & I-3)

Financial statements of the Water Department for the fiscal year are contained in Exhibits I-1, I-2 and I-3.

Indeterminate Payments of Long Term Debt Contrary to R.S.A. 33:2:

Attention is directed to the provisions of R.S.A. 33:2 relative to the payment of long term debt. Indeterminate payments of long term indebtedness are prohibited under this statute.

Appropriate action should be taken by the City to comply with the provisions of this chapter.

Conclusion:

The provisions of Chapter 184 of the Laws of 1955, require that this report or the summary of findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) shall be published in the next annual report of the City.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the City of Portsmouth and their office staffs for the assistance rendered during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,
O. MAURICE OLESON
Director
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

Exhibit A-1

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS - GENERAL FUND

As of December 31, 1966 and December 31, 1967

	December 31, 1967	\$ 44.536.40	7	17,867.76 1,890.31	3,781,440.21	906.25	8,084.16		\$15,405.00	22,403.50	1,568.50	\$ 4,656.86	3,542.74 93,624.00	101,823.60	\$4,270,457.43	83,986.46 17,437.30	\$4,371,881.19
	December 31, 1966	\$ 25,230,38	293,487.96 559.01	55,922.44 1,003.79	691,271.54	1,095.50	8,746.05		4 5	21,834.18	478.50	↔		8,205.71	\$1,107,835.06	201,001.76	\$1,308,836.82
	Lidbilities Decembe	UNEXPENDED BALANCES OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS: (Detail Per Exhibit A-4)	Accounts Payable — General Employees' Deductions Payable	Social Security & Refirement Payable Public Library — Book Fund Unexpended Balance of Bond Fund	(Exhibit G-1) Matured Bonds &	Coupons Payable Federal Title Grants—	School Department	DUE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE: Head Taxes—	Uncollected \$15,180.00 Head Taxes—Collected— Not Remitted 6,654.18	John Sullivan Escrow Account	(Deposit on Bids)	RESERVES: Uncollected Taxes \$ 3,119.29 State of New Hampshire	TRA "B" Funds 5,086.42 Debt Retirement		Total Liabilities Current Surplus —	Unappropriated Surplus — Appropriated	Total Liabilities & Current Surplus
Docombon 21 1047	December 31, 170/	\$ 216,864.06 275.00	906.25	3,781,440.21		65,832.71		1,107.23		3,102.91 2,447.42 2,38	5,552.71	279,836.05	2,618.52 2,043.45	284,498.02		15,405.00	\$4,371,881.19
December 31 1966		49		\$ 881,370.85		115,373.15	340.00	1,072.12		φ.	4,809.49	49		290,691.21		15,180.00	\$1,308,836.82
Decembe		\$188,728.81 275.00	1,095.50	691,271.54		ZE:				\$ 4,004.74			\$268,591.42 20,271.80 1,827.99	1701		AXES:	I ω
Assets	CASH:	General Fund Petty Cash Fiscal Agent-A/c	Unpresented Bonds & Coupons Unexpended Bond Funds	(Exhibit G-1)		ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:	Prepaid Interest on Bonded Debt	Deeded Property	UNREDEEMED TAXES:	Levy of 1966 Levy of 1965 Levy of 1964		UNCOLLECTED TAXES: Levy of 1967	Levy of 1966 Levy of 1965 Levy of 1964			UNCOLLECTED HEAD TAXES: Current Year	Total Assets

EXHIBIT A-2 CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

BALANCE SHEET - BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

As of December 31, 1967

ASSETS

\$2,864,876.00 5,283,000.00 47,000.00	
Long-Term Indebtedness – Municipal Bonded Indebtedness – School Bonded Indebtedness – Water Department	

Total Assets

\$8,194,876.00

LIABILITIES

18,000.00 22,000.00 650,000.00 140,000.00 5,000.00 3,000.00 30,000.00 750,000.00 450,000.00

Other Municipal Long-Term Debt Outstanding: Debt Outstanding:

2,838,000.00

26,876.00

School Bonds Outstanding: Senior High School – 1955 – 2.1% Supplemental School Issue – 1959 – 3.4% Lucion High School Issue – 1959 – 3.4% Lucion High School Issue – 1959 – 3.4%
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School Bonds Outstanding: Senior High School – 1955 – 2.1% Supplemental School Issue – 1959 – 3% Elementary School Issue – 1959 – 3.4% Junior High School Addition Issue – 1963 School Construction Issue – 1967 – 4.10%
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\$1,430,000.00 93,000.00 270,000.00 90,000.00 3,400,000.00

landing:	1951 - 1.6%	54-1.3/48
Bonds Outstandi	Bonds - 19	nds-1954
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EXHIBIT A-3 CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

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Current Surplus – December 31, 1966 Current Surplus – December 31, 1967 Decrease in Current Surplus	ANALYSIS  Decreases: 1967 Supplemental Appropriations Voted by City Council Prior Year's Accounts Payable Adjustments Reserve for Loss on Uncollected Taxes Adjustment Prior Year's Tax Abatements	Other Expenditures Charged to Current Surplus: Water Line Construction – Vocational Institute Accounting Machine – Auditor's Dept. Graphotype, Files, Equipment & Supplies – Tax Collector New Steam Boiler – U.S.O. Building Land Acquisition – Brackett Field – a/c Erection New School Building Files, Equipment & Supplies – Water Dept. Prior Years Insurance Premium Adjustments "Red Line" Paint – a/c Historical Sites Appraisal of Public Service Company Properties (Paid During Year)	Sub-Fire Station Improvements  Other Liabilities Against Current Surplus at December 31, 1967: Balance Voted a/c Appraisal of Public Service Company Properties Addressograph Equipment—Authorized Increases: Prior Year's Insurance Adjustments Prior Year's Accounts Payable Adjustments Refunds—a/c Prior Year's Civil Defense Expenses Cash Adjustment Net Budget Surplus	Tax Collector's Excess Credits

**Total Liabilities** 

\$117,015.30

Net Decrease

\$8,194,876.00

47,000.00

40,000.00 7,000.00

5,283,000.00

# **EXHIBIT A-4** CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1967

Forwarded To 1968			27.27	150.30
Balances Unexpended Overdrafts	<b>ч</b> э		1,639.71	
Bala	374.50 \$ 105.36 484.41 309.04 409.27 92.59 85.06 1,569.70	5,620.02 349.47 4,566.93 451.40 664.55 2,100.09	61.40 2,977.39 370.29 598.65 4,478.18	6,704.86 6,435.29 1,084.05 485.28 262.13
Total Expenditures & Encumbrances	22,598.50 \$ 27,223.06 19,163.91 5,916.01 23,232.29 17,924.73 10,322.06 12,560.30 4,375.00	247,246.65 9,146.84 371,275.65 5,085.42 4,600.00 20,570.93 27,870.43	8,133.18 382,472.04 99,630.67 33,935.63 45,461.71 201.35 61,720.68 1,500.00 48.90	37,076.86 13,934.51 42,262.70 24,765.23 9,814.72 937.25 738.97
Total Amount Available	22,973.00 \$ 27,328.42   19,648.32   6,225.05   23,641.56   18,017.32   10,407.12   14,130.00   4,500.00   23,959.26	252,866.67 9,496.31 375,842.58 5,536.82 4,600.00 21,235.48 29,970.52	8,194.58 385,449.43 97,990.96 32,908.00 45,832.00 80.00 61,720.68 1,500.00 76.17	43,781.72 14,000.00 48,697.99 25,849.28 10,300.00 1,087.55 1,001.10
Receipts & Reimbursements	\$ 9.00 \$ 6.00 \$ 25.05 \$ 9.00 \$ 20.56	2,822.87 8.00 30,930.55 311.82 3.00	5,758.48	12.00 567.99 12.00 919.00 1.10
Transfers & Transfers & Receipts & Transfers & Transfe	\$ 720.00 1,508.32 576.32 796.00 475.32 295.32 410.00	11,	1,900.00 53,473.60 7,092.00 832.00 720.68 500.00	7,000.00 200.00 837.28 2,300.00
Appropriations 1967	22,244.00 + 25,760.10 + 19,066.00 + 6,200.00 + 17,533.00 + 11,700.00 + 4,500.00 + 4,500.00 + 3,400.46 + 1	228,012.92 + 9,075.00 + 9,075.00 + 5,225.00 + 4,441.00 + 29,648.58 + 29,648.58 +	10,094.58 - 326,217.35 + 97,990.96 40,000.00 - 45,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.00 + 1,000.0	43,574.70 + 7,000.00 + 47,930.00 + 25,000.00 + 8,000.00 + 1,000.00 +
Forwarded From 1966	<b>ч</b> э		76.17	168.55
	GENERAL GOVERNMENT: Assessors' Department Auditors' Department City Clerk's Department Election & Registration City Manager's Department Collector's Department City Treasurer's Department City Treasurer's Department City Treasurer's Apartment City Council Salaries City Council Salaries	PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY: Fire Department Fire Alarm Police Department Civil Defense Dog Officer's Department HEALTH: Health Department Comfort Station	HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES:  Town Road Aid General Maintenance Expense Dump & Refuse Removal Sewer Maintenance Treatment Plant & Pumping Station Cemeteries Street Lights Christmas Lighting Fire Loss – Highway Tools & Equipment Engineering Department	LIBRARIES RECREATION: Parks—Maintenance Recreation Community Center Playground Maintenance & Construction Recreation Official's Fund PATRIOTIC PURPOSES: Memorial Day PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES: Building Inspection Department

Division of Weights & Measures		1,240.00	+ 516.00	1.00	1,241.00	1,116.10	124.90 745.29	
NCLASSIFIED: Damages & Legal Department Contingency Fund City Pension Funds – Including Police Portsmouth Economic Commission Advertising & Regional Associations		6,412.00 15,000.00 3,342.60 23,990.00 1,500.00	+ 400.48 - 14,522.18 + 636.00	48 4.00 18 00 102.96	6,816.48 477.82 3,342.60 24,728.96 1,500.00	6,778.98 477.82 2,792.60 22,819.97 1,500.00	37.50 550.00 1,908.99	
City Report Employees' Retirement Expenses – Trustees of Trust Funds Building Commission		2,200.00 39,000.00 5,400.00		2.00	2,200.00 39,000.00 5,402.00 300.00	2,056.93 38,358.52 4,314.00 9.25	143.07 641.48 1,088.00 290.75	
New Hampshire Municipal Association Advertising Health Insurance (Blue Cross-Blue Shield) Mental Health Clinic Man in Washington Theatre-by-the-Sea		2,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00 4,500.00 1,000.00		14.72	942.29 2,000.00 10,014.72 10,000.00 4,500.00 1,000.00	942.29 1,261.25 9,673.84 10,000.00 4,500.00	738.75	
	385.18	1,291.65	4 800.00	6,925.85	7,311.03 1,291.65 800.00	6,346.23		964.80
		55,000.00 45,000.00	+ 7,022.92 - 6,620.86	92 86 712.52	62,022.92 39,091.66	62,022.92 39,091.66		
		74,500.00 150,170.50	+ 1,945.54	54	76,445.54 150,170.50	75,955.54 150,170.50	490.00	
(DEBTEDNESS: Bonded Debt Overlay – Abatements (Current Year) Overlay – Abatements (Prior Year)	4,253.29	488,500.00			488,500.00 70,000.00 4,253.29	488,500.00		2,637.19 4,253.29
Patments to Other Governmental DIVISIONS: County Tax School Tax		191,094.52 2,841,462.00		45,523.91	191,094.52 2,886,985.91	191,094.52 2,965,090.98	78,105.07	70
NEW CONSTRUCTION & PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS: South Mill Pond Gates City Londing	10,351.27	8,000.00			18,351.27	654.85		17,696.42
	705.75				705.75			705.75
	8,757.03	20,000.00	+ 8,500.00	00	8,757.03 20,000.00 8,500.00	19,377.00	623.00	8,757.03
	\$25,230.38	\$5,655,343.14	\$67,774.37 (1)	37 (1) \$94,953.97	\$5,843,301.86 \$5,826,670.91	1 11	\$52,866.96 \$80,772.41	41 \$44,536.40

(1) Net Supplemental Appropriations Voted From Revenue Surplus During Fiscal Year.

# EXHIBIT A - 5 CITY OF PORTSMOUTH STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUES AND BUDGET SUMMARY

		Deficit \$	164.25																								\$ 164.25						
		Excess \$	8,467.09	617.41	1,968.97	194.38	81.701		3,476.53		8,694.00	3.80	4 082 08	2,330.55								L0 777 LY	47,004.07	4.081.00	2,848.57	2,085.40	\$91,174.69			\$01,010,44	٠٠٠٠٠٠٠ ار،	1000	27,905.45
nber 31, 1967	REVENUES	Actual \$ 44,089.97	188,667.09 2,235.75	15,117.41	4,268.97	6,694.38	4,607.18 3,225.81	12,923.15	3,476.53		908,694.00	2,003.80	228,082,08	44,551.70	60,063.82		1,966.50	1,223.60)	881.08)	51,877.02)	7,939.89)	443.00)	4,223.20)	68,717.00	13,848.57	4,585.40	\$1,721,961.76		\$1,721,961.76 1,630,951.32		80,772.41 52,866.96		
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1967	REVI	Estimated \$ 44,089.97	180,200.00 2,400.00	14,500.00	2,300.00	6,500.00	3,225.81	12,923.15			900,000,006	12,000.00	224,000.00	42,221.15	60,063.82	20,891.42								64,636.00	11,000.00	2,500.00	\$1,630.951.32						
Fiscal				Business Licenses, Permits & Fees	Rent of City Ambulance	Interest on Taxes	Railroad Tax	Savings Bank Tax	Added Taxes	SCHOOLS:	Federal Grant	Athletics	Total	State Aid – Sweepstakes.	State Building Aid	MISCELLANEOUS:))	Welfare Department	Community Center)	Comfort Station.	Interest on Invester Funds	Hond Towns & Donalding After Couldmont	Missellopeous	Gain on Sale of Tax Deeded Property	Water Pollution Aid-State	Hithway Department Revenue	Building Inspector		Budget Summary	Actual Revenues Estimated Revenues	Revenue Suralus	Overdrafts of Appropriations Unexpended Balances of Appropriations		Net Overdraft of Appropriations

# EXHIBIT D CITY OF PORTSMOUTH STATEMENT OF CITY CLERK'S ACCOUNTS

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1967

# EXHIBIT E CITY OF PORTSMOUTH STATEMENT OF DISTRICT COURT ACCOUNTS AND PROOF OF BALANCE

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1967

						\$140.01							\$140.01	161 56
	\$ 140.35		\$24,283.40			24,143.39		\$ 1,136.54	340.00	1,413.60	40.00	37.07		Small Claims Juvenile
iscal real Eliaca December 31, 190,	Receipts:	\$23,576.98 291.65 239.47	54.75 Expenditures:	\$12,861.97 8,884.98 144.00 12.00 1,041.52	205.00 205.00 410.38 120.11	162.00	PROOF OF BALANCE						67 No. of Cases	
יופסו ופסו דווס	Balance – January I, 196/	Fines Small Claims Civil		City of Portsmouth Department of Safety Fish and Game Department Department of Employment Security Witness Fees	omail Claims rees Bail Forfeiture Office Supplies & Expenses Dues & Meetings Postaae	Miscellaneous Balance – December 31, 1967	PROO	Balance in the First National Bank of Portsmouth – Per Statement December 29, 1967	Add: Deposit of January 3, 1968	Less: Outstanding Checks	e Cash Fund	Add: Due from City of Portsmouth – December 31, 1967	Reconciled Balance – December 31, 1967	1306
-	balance – Ja	Fines Small Claims Civil		City of Portsmouth Department of Safety Fish and Game Depa Department of Emplo Witness Fees	Small Claims rees Bail Forfeiture Office Supplies & E Dues & Meetings Postage	Miscellaneous Balance – Dece		Balance in the First N Portsmouth – Per St December 29, 1967	Add: Deposii	Less: Outstar	Add: Change Cash Fund	Add: Due from City of December 31, 1967	Reconciled B	Criminal Civil
									\$24,890.86					\$24,890.86
				\$ 7,238.50				17,652.36			Jrer:	\$ 3,506.75 298.75	476.00 2,957.00 9.715.11	7,937.25
ć	ا کلا۔ ا	Licenses Issued:	\$3,506.75 298.75 476.00	200.00 1,550.00 1,207.00	Other Fees:	1,857.60 1,467.00 1 587.80	135.00	4,431.50		Š	- CK Remittances to Treasurer:			
			Dog Licenses Bicycle Licenses Taxi Licenses	Theatre Licenses Pinball Licenses Other Licenses		Recording Vital Statistics Marriage Intentions Sewer Connections	Filing Fees Miscellaneous	Uniform Commercial Code Parking Meter Tokens				Dog Licenses Bicycle Licenses	laxi Licenses Miscellaneous Fees	Parking Meter Tokens

EX HIBIT F-1 CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

# SUMMARY OF TRUST FUND PRINCIPAL AND INCOME

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1967

	Balance of Prinicipal & Income December 31, 1967	\$ 20,317.65	500.00	10,648.48	5,116.65	991.26	42,455.93	1,594,591.92		7,554.36	\$1,742,495.21
INCOME	Balance December 31, 1967	\$ 4,517.65	1,023.33	4,124.92	116.65	491.26	880.65	156,235.50	1,161.49	2,554.36	\$171,907.83
	Expended During Year	\$ 53.06	38.13	161.20	220.20		1,741.30	31,069.82	2,593.17		\$36,176.68
	Earned During Year	\$ 823.66	23.41	462.34	229.89	41.97	1,798.62	74,070.90	2,633.31	328.79	\$81,089.38
	Balance January 1, 1967	\$ 3,747.05	14.72	3,823.78	106.76	449.29	823.33	113,234.42	1,121.35	2,225.57	\$126,995.13
71	Balance December 31, 1967	\$ 15,800.00	500.00	6,523.56	2,000.00	200.00	41,575.28	1,438,356.42	42,896.96	2,000.00	\$1,570,587.38
PRINCIPAL	Additions	49					66.40	77,574.50			\$77,640.90
	Balance January 1, 1967	\$ 15,800.00	500.00	6,523.56	2,000.00	200.00	41,508.88	1,360,781.92	42,896.96	2,000.00	\$1,492,946.48
	FUNDS	Schools	Wormy Foor Colored Population	Haven Park	Annie Fields Scholarship Fund	Memorial Fountain	Public Library	Prescott Park	Gray Scholarship	William J. Carter Playground	

# EXHIBIT 1-1 CITY OF PORTSMOUTH WATER DEPARTMENT BALANCE SHEET As of December 31, 1967

ASSETS

	\$ 82,078.76 1,065.00 1,493.66	\$ 84,637.42	47,000.00		\$4,824,414.03		250,032.61	5,074,446.64	\$5,206,084.06
LIABILITIES, INVESTMENT & SURPLUS	Current Liabilities: Accounts Payable Customers' Deposits Accrued Taxes	Total Current Liabilities  Fixed Liabilities: Funded Debt	Total Fixed Liabilities Total Liabilities	Investment & Surplus:  Municipal Investment Federal Contribution for Plant Expansion Contributions in Aid of Construction  Investment & 5.282.85 64,087.10 60,104.08		Decreases in Surplus:     294,751.81	Balance – December 31, 1967	Total Investment & Surplus	Total Liabilities, Investment & Surplus
		\$ 123,454.68							5,082,629.38
	32,371.72 72,437.62		\$ 161,380.00					4,921,249.38	
	\$ 75,437.62	\$ 155,223.00			\$1,952,860.33		3,732,845.89	\$5,685,706.22 764,456.84	1
Current Assets:	Cash in Bank Petty Cash Materials & Supplies Accounts Receivable Less: Reserve for Bad Debts	Total Current Assets Fixed Assets: Land: Water Supply Primain Station	Water Storage Distribution System Other Land	Buildings: Water Supply \$ 925,902.58 Pumping Station 78,347.31 Water Storage 85,000.00 Purification System 854,776.00 Stores Department 3,834,44 Stable & Garage 2,500.00 Other Structures 2,500.00	10 13 1,56	·	& Garage quipment	Total Buildings & Equipment Less: Reserve for Depreciation Net Book Value	Total Fixed Assets Total Assets

# EXHIBIT 1-2 CITY OF PORTSMOUTH WATER DEPARTMENT STATEMENT OF PROFIT AND LOSS Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1967

		\$ 232,923.77 \$ 90,058.94			\$ 118,526.46	(\$ 28,467.52)		16,251.68
	40,527.03	\$ 24,727.33	\$ 1,487.45	30 460 30	86,578.71		\$ 1,421.00	17,6/2.68
\$ 3,630.96 18,248.74 8,533.90 10,113.43	\$15,256.21	SS	\$ 1,340.12	\$ 6,799.65 1,412.70 4,837.89 11,898.28 5,511.78	ر س	ing Expenses	\$ 940.00 14,783.60 1,949.08	
Maintenance: Repairs to Mains Repairs to Services Repairs to Hydrants Repairs to Meters	Commercial: Commercial Office Salaries Meter Reading Salaries	Total Operating & Distribution Expenses Net Operating Profit	Less: Non-Operating Expenses: General Expenses: Office Rent & Expense Other General Expense	Miscellaneous Undistributed Expenses: Insurance Stationery & Printing Stores Department & Shop Equipment Annual and Sick Leaves Garage Expense	Other Expenses:  Depreciation Expense  Total Non-Operating Expenses	Net Loss After Non-Operating Expenses	Other Revenue: Penalties Other Expenses: Interest Employees' Retirement & Social Security Taxes	Net Other Expenses Net Loss
	\$ 307,770.82							
\$243,584.66 50,300.99 4,546.72 24,550.34				\$132,488.27		12,845.83		22,335.31
		\$ 9,943.24 76,146.46	4,701.76 324.92 9,374.09 3,669.67 28,328.13	\$10,164.48	2,323.82		\$20,465.12	1,706.55
Revenues: Commercial Sales Industrial Sales Other Municipal Sales Merchandise Sales & Job Work	Total Revenues	Less: Operating Expenses: Operation: Superintendence Pumping Station – Labor	Fumping Station—Supplies & Equipment Source of Supply Labor Purification System Fuel Power Purchased	Maintenance: Repairs to Water Supply – Structures & Equipment	Repairs to Pumping Station— Structures & Equipment Repairs to Purification System— Structures & Equipment		Distribution Expenses: Operation: Superintendence Meter Department Supplies & Expenses	Expenses

# **EXHIBIT 1-3**

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

WATER DEPARTMENT

# SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND PROOF OF BALANCE

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1967

Balance – January 1, 1967

\$ 4,634.21

Receipts During Year

385,513.68

Expenditures During Year

\$390,147.89 371,602.55

Balance - December 31, 1967

\$18,545.34

# PROOF OF BALANCE

Balance in the First National Bank, Portsmouth

N. H. – Per Statement December 29, 1967

\$ 24,089.24

Add: Deposit of January 2, 1968

733.42

Less: Outstanding Checks

\$ 24,822.66 6,277.32

Reconciled Balance - December 31, 1967

\$18,545.34

# **General Information**

AREA – TOPOGRA	PHY.		STATE SENATORS
Elevations	Fla	t/Rolling	Arthur Tufts (R)
Market Square Appro.		sea level	REPRESENTATIVES
Land Area			James C. Cleveland (R)
CLIMATE			SENATORS
Average annual temperature Average January temperature Average July temperature		. 23º F . 70º F	Thomas J. McIntyre (D) Norris Cotton (R)
rrevailing willa		· · · coloriy	ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDINGS
1930 14,495 + 1940 14,821 + 1950 18,320 +	Change 6.7 2.3 23.6	Density (Persons Per Sq. Mile) 954 988 1221 1793	City Hall
1960 26,900 + (1960 Count includes all mili			PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS
VOTING PLACE WARD I — New Franklin School, Stark Street II — Junior High School, Parrott Avent III — Sherburne School, Sherburne Rot IV — Senior High School, Summit Ave. V — Community Center, Daniel Street VI — Wentworth School, Granite Street STATE REPRESENTA	t-Myrtle Ave. ue ad .,-Alumni Drive t		Pierce Island Picnic-municipal pool-small boat ramps Prescott Park Recreational-walk-through-playground Elwyn Park
House of Represente			Pine Street
WARD I — William F. Keefe Duncan McEachern Ro II — Christopher M. Conlon Jeremiah Quirk Ann Sadler III — C. Cecil Dame Clayton E. Osborn Jos IV — Walter Jameson Julia H. White	alph Maynard seph McEacher	-n	New Franklin Playground Wentworth Playground Atlantic Heights Playground and Skating Atlantic Heights Little League Baseball Plains Little League Baseball Greenland Road Skating Rink Mariette Drive Skating Rink Elwyn Road Skating Rink RECREATIONAL BUILDINGS
V — Fannie Gerber Edward J. Ingraham VI — Eileen G. Rossley Wayne Bowlen			Community Center

# Directory of City Offices and Services

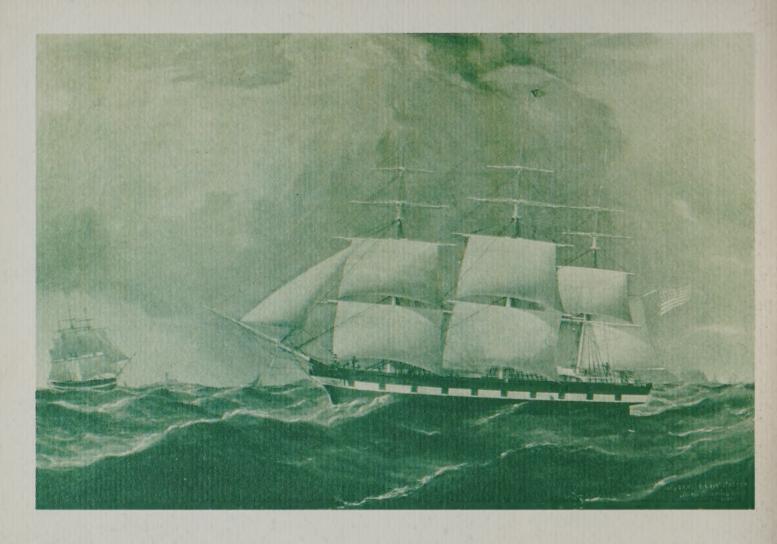
# FIRE 436-1127

# POLICE 436-2145

FIRE 430-112/		POLICE 436-2145	
Administration, General		Nursing, Public Health	436-0815
Ambulance		Oil Burner Inspection	436-1127
Auditing, City		Ordinances and Resolutions	436-0013
Auto Permits		Parks & Playgrounds	436-0176
Assessments		Payments by the City	436-8222
Attorney, City		Personnel, City	436-4125
Beano Licenses		Planning, City	436 - 5869
Bicycle Licenses		Plumbing Permits—Licenses	436-6128
Bills and Accounts		Purchasing	436-4125
Birth Certificates	436-0013	Records, City	436-0013
Building Permits	436-5867	Recreation	436 - 4256
Cemetery	436-0176	Refuse Collection	436-0176
City Council	436-4125	Red Cross	436-2600
Dance Licenses	436-0013	Sanitation	436-0176
Death Certificates	436-0013	Sewers	436-0176
Dog Licenses	436-0013	Schools	436-2434
Dog Officer	436 - 9067	School Nurse	436-2601
Elections	436-0013	Selective Service Registration	436-0013
Engineering, City	436-0176	Snow Plowing and Sanding	436-0176
Garbage Collection	436-0176	Streets Lights Burned Out	436-4125
Health, Public		Street Maintenance	436-0176
Housing Code Inspection	431-7288	Tax Collection	436-1124
Housing, Elderly		Taxicab Permits	436-0013
House, Low-Rent, Public	436-4310	Treasury Information	436-5800
Industrial Commission	436-9411	Urban Renewal & Redevelopment.	436-3217
Library	436-5724	Water	436-0176
Marriage Certificates	436-0013	Water Bills	436-2346
Milk, Licenses and Inspections	436-4125	Welfare	436 - 1925
Mortgages and Conditional Sales .		Weights and Measures	436-3902
Harbor Master	436-4996	Zoning Enforcement	436-5867
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# "City of the Quantity Open Door"





★  $\star$  A man could make one of two choices. He could take his family and move forth into the wilderness and, if they survived the winters and the Indian raids, within a few years they would have a homestead. Or he could stay in the Portsmouth area, his family safe, and go out as a fisherman, and between seasons work in a shipyard, maybe sail on a few long voyages to the West Indies and England. If luck held for him, he might buy shares in a Grand Banks shallop, get to own her and end up respected, prosperous, with other men working for him.  $\star$   $\star$ 

"A man could make one of two choices."

