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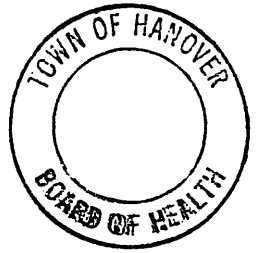
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HOWARD F. LEVINGS

POLICE OFFICER
CONSTABLE
CHIEF OF POLICE
ASSESSOR
WELFARE BOARD
SELECTMAN

38 YEARS OF PUBLIC SERVICE

RETIRED AS SELECTMAN ON MAY 10, 1975



LAWRENCE E. SLANEY

**FIREFIGHTER
BOARD OF HEALTH
BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS
FOREST FIRE WARDEN
FIRE CHIEF**

47 YEARS OF PUBLIC SERVICE

RETIRED AS FIRE CHIEF ON AUGUST 1, 1975

TOWN OF HANOVER
PLYMOUTH COUNTY, MASSACHUSETTS

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS
Twelfth Congressional District
GERRY E. STUDDS, Cohasset

COUNCILOR
Fourth Councilor District
PATRICK J. McDONOUGH, Boston

STATE SENATOR
Norfolk & Plymouth Senatorial District
ALLAN R. McKINNON, Weymouth

STATE REPRESENTATIVE
Second Plymouth District
WILLIAM J. FLYNN, JR., Hanover

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

JOHN F. FRANEY	North Abington
EDWARD P. KIRBY	Whitman
GERARD F. BURKE	Brockton

Population — 10,533
(1975 State Census)

Elected Town Officers

SELECTMEN

Allan A. Carnes, Chairman	Term expires 1976
Francis J. Mitchell	Term expires 1977
Frederick L. Briggs	Term expires 1978

ASSESSORS

R. Irving Lovell, Chairman	Term expires 1976
Dr. Ralph C. Briggs	Term expires 1977
Frederick Bigler, Clerk	Term expires 1978

TOWN CLERK

John W. Murphy	Term expires 1977
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TREASURER

Dorothy E. Tripp	Term expires 1977
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TAX COLLECTOR

Eleanor S. Blaisdell	Term expires 1977
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SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Earle H. Anderson, Chairman	Term expires 1977
William F. Chouinard	Term expires 1976
Kenneth R. Lingley	Term expires 1976
Maryann T. Sullivan	Term expires 1978
Anne M. Hession	Term expires 1978

BOARD OF HEALTH

Albert E. Sullivan, Jr., Chairman	Term expires 1976
Edward R. Hammond, Jr.	Term expires 1977
Lawrence E. Slaney	Term expires 1978

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

Pearl A. Sapiro, Chairman	Term expires 1976
Charles W. Adams	Term expires 1977
*Virginia R. Edge	Term expires 1978
**Marjorie M. Deluce	

*Resigned

**To fill unexpired term

SOUTH SHORE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE

Valentine F. Harrington

Term expires 1976

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

John T. Thomson, Chairman

Term expires 1976

Frederick P. Lanzillotta

Term expires 1978

S. Franklin Ames

Term expires 1977

PLANNING BOARD

Turner W. Gilman, Chairman

Term expires 1977

John A. Libertine

Term expires 1976

Frederick W. Adami, III

Term expires 1980

Roger A. Leslie, Sr., Clerk

Term expires 1978

Janet W. O'Brien

Term expires 1979

HOUSING AUTHORITY

Carlos F. Hill, Chairman

Term expires 1980

Henry P. Chiminiello

Term expires 1977

George A. Parker

Term expires 1976

Edward S. Amazeen

Term expires 1978

Susan W. Hillman

Term expires 1978

MODERATOR

Elected Annually

George H. Lewald

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN**TOWN ACCOUNTANT**

John A. Ashton — Term expires 1977

CONSTABLES

Thomas G. Axon

Term expires 1976

David G. Zwicker

Term expires 1976

DOG OFFICER

William M. Mullin

FOREST FIRE WARDEN

*Lawrence E. Slaney

Wendell D. Blanchard

*Retired

BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS

*Lawrence E. Slaney, Chief	Edgar P. Packard, Clerk
Wendell D. Blanchard, Chief	T. Drew Bates
Charles L. Inglis	Ernest J. Bourque
Thomas H. Ingle	

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

John W. Murphy, Clerk

Paul H. Kendrigan, Chairman	Term expires 1976
Eleanor M. Kimball	Term expires 1978
Elizabeth T. Amazeen	Term expires 1977

BOARD OF APPEALS

James S. Oldham, Chairman	Term expires 1977
Kenneth R. Lingley	Term expires 1976
James E. Thompson	Term expires 1978

Associate Members

Ray G. Hill	Term expires 1978
Donald F. Grushey	Term expires 1976
Louis N. Avitabile	Term expires 1978

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Paul N. Litchfield	Term expires 1976
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INSPECTOR OF GAS PIPING AND GAS APPLIANCES

Robert J. Stewart, Inspector	Term expires 1976
Theodore F. Luscinski, Deputy Inspector	Term expires 1976

INSPECTOR OF WIRES

Robert E. Montgomery, Inspector	Term expires 1976
*Charles C. Pratt, Deputy Inspector	Term expires 1976
**Edward F. Savage	

*Resigned

**To fill unexpired term

INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

Robert J. Stewart, Inspector	Term expires 1976
Theodore F. Luscinski, Assistant Inspector	Term expires 1976

SURVEYORS OF WOOD, LUMBER AND BARK

Amos Gallant	Term expires 1976
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**AGENT FOR THE BURIAL OF INDIGENT SOLDIERS
AND VETERANS' GRAVES OFFICER**

Edward J. Norcott

VETERANS' AGENT

Edward J. Norcott

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Richard J. Simmons

**SUPERINTENDENT OF INSECT PEST CONTROL
AND DUTCH ELM CONTROL**

Herbert D. Simmons

Term expires 1978

SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Henry S. Newcomb

CUSTODIAN OF THE TOWN HALL

Lewis F. Borne

TOWN COUNSEL

William J. Flynn, Jr.

CIVIL DEFENSE

*Walter L. Colby, Director

Term expires 1976

**Peter C. McCormack

John Thomson, Deputy Director

Term expires 1976

*Deceased

**To fill unexpired Term

HANOVER COUNCIL FOR THE AGING

Henry S. Newcomb, Chairman

Harold L. Cox

Henry P. Chiminiello

Dorothy M. Griffin

Grace M. Corkum

George A. Termaine, Sr.

George H. Rayno

AGENT, COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE

Leander B. Nichols

HANOVER DEVELOPMENT AND INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

Philip C. Frank, Chairman

Term expires 1977

John E. Craft

Term expires 1977

Carol Monaghan

Term expires 1976

William C. McKnight

Term expires 1977

Robert N. Coulstring

Term expires 1978

HANOVER CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Donald J. Rogers, Chairman	Term expires 1976
Richard E. Bradford, Vice Chairman	Term expires 1978
Marjorie H. Abbot, Clerk	Term expires 1977
Leander B. Nichols	Term expires 1977
Katherine R. Townsend	Term expires 1977
Richard H. Laskey	Term expires 1976
*Edgar P. Packard	
John D. Dougherty	Term expires 1978

*Resigned

PERSONNEL BOARD

David W. Luce, Chairman	Term expires 1977
James O. Stone	Term expires 1978
Catherine B. Hall	Term expires 1976
Wilford W. d'Entremont	Term expires 1976
John E. Hoadley	Term expires 1976
John H. Kelleher	Term expires 1977
Donald E. Morrison	Term expires 1976

INSURANCE ADVISORY BOARD

Donald B. Virtue, Chairman

John A. Ashton	Everett M. Stoddard
Thelma L. Shaw	Dorothy E. Tripp

EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION CENTER COMMITTEE

Robert P. Coburn, Chairman	Term expires 1976
John Thomson	Term expires 1977
Henry S. Newcomb	Term expires 1978

HANOVER BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

Fanny H. Phillips, Honorary Chairman

John A. Libertine, Chairman	Harry C. Hansen
Jeannette E. Migre, Secretary	David F. Studley
Albert Gibbs, Treasurer	Carolyn E. Richardson
Diana Morris	

APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH**AGENT FOR THE BOARD OF HEALTH**

Richard J. Simmons

ASSISTANT AGENT FOR THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Ralph C. Packard

MILK INSPECTOR

Richard J. Simmons

BOARD OF HEALTH NURSE

Elizabeth G. Staples

**APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
SUPERINTENDENT**

*Allen W. Hanson

**Herbert D. Simmons

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT

Philip C. Beal

*Resigned

**Appointed to fill vacancy

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MODERATOR

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

David G. Nagle, Jr., Chairman	Term expires 1977
Barbara A. Savage, Clerk	Term expires 1978
William C. Diniak	Term expires 1977
Lois P. Heim	Term expires 1976
Edmund D. Flaherty	Term expires 1976
Richard H. Daley	Term expires 1977
Donald E. Morrison	Term expires 1976
Charles N. Fuller	Term expires 1978
George L. Higginson	Term expires 1978

PARK AND RECREATION COMMITTEE

James M. Wheeler, Chairman	Term expires 1978
John W. MacDougall, Jr.	Term expires 1976
Diana Morris	Term expires 1977
Gene G. Macomber	Term expires 1976
George R. Babineau	Term expires 1977

Report of the Board of Selectmen

To the Citizens of Hanover:

We respectfully submit the one hundred and twenty-third Annual Report of the Officers and Committees of the Town of Hanover for the year ended December 31, 1975.

This 1975 Town of Hanover Annual Report is dedicated to Howard F. Levings and Lawrence E. Slaney in recognition of their many years of outstanding service to the Town of Hanover. In addition to their duties as both elected and appointed officers of the Town, both have also served as a member or chairman of several Study, Planning, or Building Committees as established by the Town from time to time. Their total dedication to the welfare and future of Hanover and its Citizens is an inspiration for all public officials.

During 1975 the Town suffered the untimely loss of several active or retired faithful public servants:

SGT. EDWARD F. MOSSMAN, JR.

Departed May 9, 1975

POLICE DEPARTMENT

BASIL S. SIMMONS

Departed May 31, 1975

PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE - FIELD DRIVER

TREE WARDEN - ADVISORY COMMITTEE

THEODORE A. BURBANK

Departed July 3, 1975

ASSISTANT ASSESSOR

WALTER L. COLBY

Departed July 14, 1975

FIREFIGHTER - COMMUNICATIONS DISPATCHER

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

W. THOMPSON FULTON

Departed September 1, 1975

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ANTHONY J. GIDARI
Departed October 7, 1975
FIREFIGHTER

HERMAN C. ROME
Departed December 2, 1975
POLICE OFFICER - WATER COMMISSIONER

Our Town is most fortunate, and we are very grateful, for the many benefits we have realized from their years of service in our behalf.

This past year the following Town Officials resigned their positions:

EDGAR P. PACKARD	Conservation Comm.
VIRGINIA R. EDGE	Library Trustee
WILLIAM J. FLYNN, JR.	Town Counsel

We thank each of them for all they have done for Hanover and we wish them well in the years to come.

During 1975 the Board of Selectmen held regularly scheduled meetings each Monday evening throughout the year, and on the first and third Wednesday evenings from September through May. Many special meetings were held to investigate specific problems, hear complaints, conduct arbitration, and to hold public hearings. The Board appeared before various Federal, County and State Committees relative to legislation and other matters having a direct or indirect effect upon Hanover.

Inter-departmental meetings were re-established involving the various Town Boards, Commissions, Committees, Officers and Department Heads, to discuss mutual problems and to promulgate both short and long term plans for the more efficient operation of the Town.

This Board is most concerned over the constant erosion of the basic "Home Rule" rights of individual municipalities. The ever increasing passage of laws which mandate municipalities to implement programs, services, and levels of salaries, all with the provision that municipalities provide the funding, is contrary to fiscal responsibility. We urge every citizen of our town to support all legislation endorsing the return of "Home Rule" and fiscal autonomy to every municipality.

Your Board continues to make every effort to bring about the elimination or modification of the assessment levied against the Town of Hanover for the operation of the M.B.T.A. To date, Hanover has contributed approximately \$500,000.00 to defray the cost of operating the system. We continue to maintain close interest in the preservation of the West Hanover Branch of the Penn Central Railroad and we monitor all Federal and State legislation concerning same.

We have been concerned with the traffic conditions on several of our highways, including traffic flow, hazardous intersections, signs and signals. The Board, in conjunction with the Hanover Board of Public Works and the Police Department, has had several meetings with State Department of Public Works officials and our representatives in the Legislature to discuss necessary improvements and to seek special funding. We sincerely hope that many improvements will be effected during 1976 as a result of these cooperative efforts.

During 1975 it was our pleasure to issue Proclamations honoring the following organizations or events:

HANOVER VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION, INC.

HANOVER GARDEN CLUB

HANOVER "CLEAN UP WEEK"

AUTO THEFT PREVENTION WEEK

EASTER SEAL DAY

NATIONAL AWARENESS WEEK

LAW DAY U.S.A.

Adequate office space in the Town Hall continues to be a problem, and on occasion it has been difficult to properly schedule meetings and hearings for all the departments. It is expected that an Article will be included in the 1976 Annual Town Meeting for the construction of a combination Town Hall Addition and Police Station, and we sincerely hope that this program will be given careful consideration by every Citizen of the Town.

The Board of Selectmen again extends a most cordial welcome to all the new citizens of Hanover. We urge every citizen to attend Town Meetings and to take an active part in the operation of the Town. The Board wishes to thank all citizens who have given so generously of their time and efforts while serving on various committees during the past

year. Much that we have accomplished is the result of their efforts.

We sincerely appreciate the counsel, cooperation and support given us by the Citizens, Employees and Officers of the Town during the past year.

ALLAN A. CARNES, Chairman
FRANCIS J. MITCHELL
FREDERICK L. BRIGGS
Board of Selectmen

Report of Assessors

To the Citizens of the Town of Hanover:

This report for calendar year 1975 requires figures from two separate tax periods to complete the recapitulation. The six month figures for January 1-June 30, shown in Column 1, represent the second half of the Fiscal Year 1974-75 budget. The six month figures for July 1-December 31, shown in Column 2, represent the first half of the Fiscal Year 1975-76 budget.

RECAPITULATION

	1/1/75 - 6/30/75	7/1/75 - 12/31/75
I LOCAL EXPENDITURES		
1. Total Appropriations Voted	\$3,854,336.20	\$4,200,859.20
2. Other Local Expenditures:		
a. Prior Overlay Deficits	.....	2,286.37
b. School Lunch Program	11,095.79	10,513.80
c. Public Libraries	1,895.07	1,895.06
COUNTY ASSESSMENTS		
1. County Tax	95,411.37	97,077.25
2. County Hospital	3,210.16	2,668.51
STATE ASSESSMENTS		
1. Special Education	7,000.00	8,346.50
2. Audit of Municipal Accounts	.....	128.58
3. Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills	770.92	550.73
4. State Assessment System	208.98	.....
5. State Recreation Areas	20,856.96	23,544.94
6. Mass. Bay Trans. Authority	40,722.50	53,003.00
7. Air Pollution Control District	317.23	475.90
8. Metropolitan Area		
Planning District	247.78	756.53
9. Prior Year Underestimates of		
Cherry Sheet	22.72	443.44
OVERLAY—CURRENT YEAR	63,093.69	43,974.44
GROSS AMOUNT TO BE		
RAISED	\$4,099,189.37	\$4,446,524.25

	1/1/75 - 6/30/75	7/1/75 - 12/31/75
II LOCAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS		
1. Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	\$192,714.50	\$159,115.96
2. Licenses	4,227.50	12,495.78
3. Fines	1,150.50	994.45
4. General Government	18,112.00	11,573.63
5. Protection of Persons & Property	.....	410.25
6. Health and Sanitation	.....	8,838.88
7. Veterans' Benefits	.....	8,347.71
8. School (Local Receipts)	11,655.00	18,433.36
9. Recreation	.....	105.00
10. Farm Animal & Machinery Excise	.....	36.34
11. Interest	21,229.08	63,468.76
12. Regional School Reimbursement	.....	13,213.00
TOTAL LOCAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS	\$249,088.58	\$297,033.12
III ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS		
1. Estimated Cherry Street Receipts	\$1,200,864.48	\$1,003,320.36
2. Prior Year Overestimates of Cherry Sheet	10,666.08	9,357.76
3. Local Estimated Receipts	249,088.58	297,033.12
4. Total Voted From Available Funds	576,312.70	801,677.69
TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS	\$2,036,931.84	\$2,111,388.93
IV TAX RATE SUMMARY		
1. Gross Amount To Be Raised	\$4,099,189.37	\$4,446,524.25
2. Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds	2,036,931.84	2,111,388.93
3. Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation of Property	2,062,257.53	2,335,135.32

	1/1/75 - 6/30/75	7/1/75 - 12/31/75
4. Valuation		
a. Real Estate	65,779,590.00	69,934,460.00
b. Personal Property	4,127,445.00	4,196,820.00
Total	(1) 69,907,035.00	74,131,280.00
5. Tax Rate For Period	29.50	31.50
6. Total Taxes Levied On Property		
a. Real Estate Tax	1,940,497.91	2,202,935.49
b. Personal Property Tax	121,759.62	132,199.83
Total	\$2,062,257.53	\$2,335,135.32

- (1) The total valuation of the Town for the first period is based on assessments of record on January 1, 1974. The second period total valuation reflects assessments of record on January 1, 1975.

The Board of Assessors wishes to express its sincere appreciation for the many years of service given by the late Theodore A. Burbank, of Pembroke. Mr. Burbank came to Hanover in 1964 to revalue the Town and served as its Assistant Assessor until his death in July of 1975. On December 3, 1975, Mr. John F. Burns, Jr., of Norwell, was appointed the new Assistant Assessor, coincidentally, to revalue the Town in 1976 as part of his duties. This revaluation to full and fair market value is in compliance with the mandates of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts as set down in its decision of December, 1974.

Please remember that it is the citizens of the Town who ultimately determine the tax rate by their allocation of funds at Town Meetings. Should any question arise pertaining to this report or your personal taxes, please feel free to consult any of us at your Assessors Office.

Respectfully submitted,

R. IRVING LOVELL, Chairman

RALPH C. BRIGGS, Member

FREDERICK BIGLER, Clerk

Hanover Board of Assessors

Report of the Town Clerk

To the Citizens of Hanover:

This is my Second Annual Report and again I wish to thank all Town Officials and Citizens for their co-operation.

During this year Mr. Clifton E. Bradley was kind enough to present to the town, through this office, old Town Reports, many dating back to the middle and later eighteen hundreds. On behalf of the Town I express my appreciation to Mr. Bradley for his generosity.

Citizens and organizations wishing to leave information in this office regarding outside activities may do so and we will pass it on to anyone inquiring.

Town Clerk receipts for the calendar year 1975 were as follows:

Marriage Intentions	\$364.00
Mortgage Recordings and Terminations	871.00
Vital Statistics	473.50
Pole Locations	21.00
Business Certificates	81.00
Gas Permit Renewals	36.00
Federal Liens	135.00
Town Publications	407.50
Raffle Permits	90.00
Board of Appeals	737.39
Photo-Copies	11.00
Miscellaneous	1.75
Voters List	21.60
Dog Licenses	4,700.65
Fish & Game Licenses	4,952.00
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	\$12,903.39

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. MURPHY,

Town Clerk

Births Recorded in Hanover for the Year 1975

DATE	NAME	NAME OF PARENTS
January		
2	Alana DiCarlo	Joseph and Grace DiCarlo
10	Darcie Lian Edwards	Gary and Eileen Edwards
19	Timothy Michael Clark	Raymond, II, and Diana Clark
25	Joshua Michael Herron	David Earl and Nancy Herron
26	Christine Malissa Marie Devine	Robert E. and Marie Devine
29	Sarah Nickerson Bennett	George F., Jr., and Marinda Bennett
31	Mark Matthew Rogers	John J., and Patricia Rogers
February		
3	Sarah Elizabeth Walker	George T., Jr., and Elaine Walker
4	Craig James Service	Robert C. and Judy Lee Service
5	James Matthew Norton	James H. and Jean Norton
8	Thomas Harrison House	Lawrence C. and Mary House
8	Jason Joseph Rodriguez	Jesse and Maryellen Rodriguez
8	Laurianne Gillis	Robert J. and Judith Gillis
10	Christine Marie Griffn	Daniel E. and Regina Griffin
17	Kenneth Willem Brigham	Bradley W. and Carolyn Brigham
18	Kim Patricia Shaughnessy	James T., Jr. and Susan Shaughnessy
18	Denise Ann LeBlanc	Charles D., Jr. and Barbara LeBlanc
24	Barry Michael Nichols	Joseph G. and Diane Nichols
24	Jennifer Lynn Johnson	Stephen P. and Dolores Johnson
27	Melissa Marie Hines	Kevin T. and Mary Hines

March

5 James Joseph Goff
6 Alison Schultz
9 James Michael Jackson
12 Amy Marie Lally
18 Pamela Hurley
30 Michele Lynn Monte

John J., Jr. and Elaine Goff
Paul T. and Mary Schultz
Robert E. and Nancy Jackson
Patrick W., Jr. and Earlene Lally
Mark F. and Marianne Hurley
Joseph F., Jr., and Sydney Monte

April

2 Sean Robert Freel
2 Matthew Alan Davenport
3 Michael Phillip Maxwell
7 Donald James Farezoco
12 Christopher Michael Ryder
14 Kevin John Ardini
15 Christopher Allen Files
16 Kirk Edward Thomas
20 Scott John Yanovitch
22 Matthew Scott Berger
26 Jennifer Marie Kavanah
28 Eric Nelson Weiler

Robert J. and Arleen Freel
Leonard E. and Janice Davenport
Richard C. and Paula Maxwell
James P. and Jean Farezoco
Eugene and Ellen Ryder
Edward R. and Cheryl Ardini
Steven A. and Catharine Files
Robert W., Jr. and Jeanne Thomas
Robert A. and Karen Yanovitch
Robert D. and Linda Berger
James S. and Carol Kavanah
Friend S. and Candace Weiler

May

2 Corey Lance Barker
6 Lauren Marie Soper
7 Alissa Matos

Franklyn D. and Barbara Barker
Donald W. and Sally Soper
Juan M. and Wendy Matos

HANOVER BIRTHS (Cont.)

DATE	NAME	NAME OF PARENTS
May		
8	Jonathan Adam Balewicz	Joseph S. and Leslye Balewicz
10	Jessica Lovett Anthony	Kenneth and Sally Anthony
12	Timothy Ralph Hall	George R. and Arlene Hall
14	Julie Sullivan	Francis T. and Joan Sullivan
14	Aleksandras Kazmieras Mockus	Algis K. and Raminta Mockus
21	Rhonda Lynn Rush	Martin J. and Janet Rush
24	Christopher Douglas Carlson	Douglas C. and Bonnie Carlson
27	Michael Brian Phelan	Vincent R. and Patricia Phelan
30	Brian Todd Zuppardi	Richard A. and Karen Zuppardi
31	Danielle Roseanne Lavallee	Leonard L. and Eileen Lavallee
June		
2	Robert William Carlton, Jr.	Robert W. and Kathleen Carlton
2	Shawn Dennis Bulger First Twin	Paul V. and Ghislaine Bulger
2	Jeffery Scott Bulger Second Twin	Paul V. and Ghislaine Bulger
3	Lothrop Withington, IV	Lothrop, III and Bonnie-Jeanne Withington
4	Theresa Anne Blair	Frederic J. and Diane Blair
5	Robert Jason Bilodeau	Randall P. and Kathleen Bilodeau
7	Jason Michael Coulstring	Robert N., Jr. and Susan Coulstring
11	Michael Douglas Hunter	Douglas S. and Marie Hunter
16	Sean Randolph Killgoar	John R., Jr. and Teresa Killgoar
18	Matthew Robert Tulis	Robert W. and Rosemary Tulis

June

18 Lisa Marie Rudokas
19 Joseph Edward Norberg, Jr.
19 Elizabeth Rosina Coffey
20 Jon Gwilliam Winter, Jr.
20 Juliann Claire Murphy
25 Kathleen Susan Blake
26 Michele Marie Martin
30 Kristopher Jon Romaniak

Walter C. and Mary Rudokas
Joseph E. and Deborah Norberg
Daniel J., Jr. and Susan Coffey
Jon G. and Joan Winter
Robert T. and Claire Murphy
Richard E. and Lindsay Blake
Richard T. and Joan Martin
David E. and Deborah Romaniak

July

2 Kevin Patrick Killilea
3 Kerstin Anne Adami
4 Jeffrey Arnold McKeen
4 Emily Jane Estabrooks
10 Melissa Ann Lyons
15 Andrew Robert Campbell
20 Tucker Stevenson Brown
27 Justin Thomas Eade
29 Katharine Hart Eden

Robert B. and Mary-Jo Killilea
Frederick W., III and Sandra Adami
Kenneth A. and Dorothy McKeen
Bruce and Jane Estabrooks
Richard F. and Ellen Lyons
James M. and Kathleen Campbell
Marc and Stephanie Brown
Joseph H., Jr. and Karen Eade
Michael P. and Jane Eden

August

1 Bradley Davison Chapman
6 Jonathan Michael Moore
10 Joseph Schembari
11 Matthew Anthony Rice

William D. and Julie Chapman
Alfred M. and Judith Moore
Joseph and Patricia Schembari
James S. and Janet Rice

HANOVER BIRTHS (Cont.)

DATE	NAME	NAME OF PARENTS
August		
11	Andrew Jason MacLeod	Donald A. and Deborah MacLeod
12	Courtney Ann Walsh	Robert F. and Karyl Walsh
12	Kimberly Ann Lorusso	Albert D. and Karen Lorusso
15	Christopher Garrett Mullen	Richard J. and Elizabeth Mullen
16	James William Kelleher	John H. and Carolyn Kelleher
20	Jennifer May Wohler	Lawrence R. and Viola Wohler
22	Jessica Marie Judge	Joseph J. and Dayle Judge
22	Erin Lee Mulrooney	Robert F. and Sandra Mulrooney
25	Christina Lynn Barletta	Douglas J. and Susan Barletta
27	James Peter Dinneen	Eugene G., Jr. and Mare Dinneen
28	Jennifer Iacovelli	Richard F. and Gina Iacovelli
29	Nicholas James Pascarelli	Patrick and Kathleen Pascarelli
30	Jennifer Hilma Menton	William J., III and Susan Menton
September		
1	Amanda Jill Barker	Daniel F. and Valerie Barker
2	James Edward Cronin, Jr.	James E. and Constance Cronin
2	Elizabeth Ann Wolf	James A. and Sheila Wolf
4	James Phillip Joyce	Robert P. and Jane Joyce
5	Allan Richard Perry	Paul R. and Doris Perry
6	William David Keough	David W. and Phyllis Keough
8	Gerard Leone	Gerard and Suzanne Leone

September

14 Amy Friberg
15 Ann Marie Hill
15 Stephen George Svajian
17 Douglas William Eifert
19 Karen Marie Watts
30 Ryan Michael MacDonald

Edward R. and Carol Friberg
Ronald J. and Ann Hill
George and Patricia Svajian
William M. and Dorothea Eifert
Robert F. and Anna Watts
Ronald J. and Dorothy MacDonald

October

1 Rande Francisco Lopes
6 Rebecca Lynne Floyd
21 Geoffrey Paul Guilfoyle
22 David Stephen Finnerty
22 Neal Ryan Elliott
25 Nicole Elise Crosta
30 Gregory Andrew Bigler
30 Richard Alan Flynn

Francisco R. and Louise Lopes
Aretas C. and Mary Floyd
Paul J. and Nancy Guilfoyle
Gerard and Ann Marie Finnerty
Terry B. and Margaret Elliott
James E. and Karen Crosta
Frederick and Judith Bigler
Robert J. and Cynthia Flynn

November

1 Kurt Robert Pedersen
5 Walter Francis Griffin, III
9 Ryan Thomas Giorgi
10 Stacy Lynn Armstrong
11 Justin John Stevenson
14 Kristen Anne Melchin

Robert K. and Elizabeth Pedersen
Walter F., Jr. and Patricia Griffin
Anthony A. and Ruth Giorgi
David W. and Phyllis Armstrong
Earl C. and Virginia Stevenson
Robert P. and Linda Melchin

HANOVER BIRTHS (Cont.)

DATE	NAME	NAME OF PARENTS
November		
15	Marisa Palmer Donnell	Michael J. and Marsha Donnell
23	Andrew George Mahoney	George E. and Mary Mahoney
December		
3	Randall Lee Cowgill	Cotie W. and Mary Cowgill
3	Brian John Lunetta	Paul V. and Kathleen Lunetta
11	Matthew Wolongevicz First Twin	John J. and Mary Wolongevicz
11	Mark Wolongevicz Second Twin	John J. and Mary Wolongevicz
11	Matthew James Munroe	Robert F. and Patricia Munroe
12	Christen Marie Barrasso	Charles R. and Judith Barrasso
19	David Patrick Hoadley	John E. and Donna Hoadley
23	Matthew Edgar Walker	Ronald J. and Maureen Walker
25	Kenneth Walter Boddie, III	Kenneth W., Jr., and Linda Boddie

Marriages Recorded in Hanover for the Year 1975

DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	MARRIED AT
January			
4	Herbert Milton Shumway, Jr. Diane Teresa Sylvia	Hanover New Bedford	Dartmouth
11	Hugh Joseph Quigley, Jr. Joanne Driscoll	Hanover Hanover	Hanover
11	Jack M. Atwood Christine M. Farrell	Hanover Duxbury	Duxbury
11	John Laurence Tocci Lila Elizabeth Denham	Lexington Hanover	Bridgewater
25	William Joseph Belushko Claire Helen Bussiere	W. Warwick, R.I. Hanover	Hanover
25	Kenneth Herbert Catton, Jr. Nancy Ellen Molla	Hanover Hanover	Abington
February			
8	Ronald Thomas Newcomb Marguerite Geraldine Mitchell	S. Boston Hanover	Hanover
15	Edward Earle Wyman Christine Marie Fama	Abington Hanover	Hanover
28	Robert D. Shay Jane Thornton (Counihan)	Hanson Rockland	Hanover

Marriages (Cont.)

DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	MARRIED AT
March			
1	John George Sites, III Patricia Ann Horton	Brockton Randolph	Hanover
2	Brian David Dorgan Janice Lorraine McKenna (Smith)	Abington Whitman	Hanover
8	John Edwin Hatch Catherine Jean Spera	Hanover Hanover	Abington
22	Stephen John Wilson Linda Marie Ruggiero	Abington Hanover	Hanover
28	Stephen Frederick Harvey Donna Lee Wyatt	Hanover Hanover	Abington
30	John Peter Flynn Anne Elizabeth Peckham Hill	Rockport Ipswich	Hanover
April			
12	Christopher D. Foley Elaine P. Svelnis	Chamblee, Ga. Boston	Hanover
12	Roger Gervasi Margaret L. Hoebreck	Quincy Quincy	Hanover
12	Donald Terry MacAskill Irene Wilma Duncan	Hanover Aberdeen, Scotland	Boston

April

18	Robert Paul Basiliere	Hanover	Milton
	Anne Marie DiFilippo	Milton	
19	Arthur Frederick Walsh, Jr.	Weymouth	Hanover
	Janice Irene Peterson		
	(Emerton)	Kingston	
19	Charles Stephen Sidman	Brockton	Westwood
	Elizabeth Ann Cannington		
	Benedetto	Hanover	
19	Robert Frank Benway	Pembroke	Abington
	Diane Marie Connelly	Hanover	
20	Michael W. Roderick	Provincetown	Hanover
	Lisa D. Anderson	Duxbury	
22	Robert Eugene Poore	Hanover	Abington
	Ana Iris Arsenault (Soto)	Hanover	
26	Edward Dennis Arion	Braintree	Hanover
	Marianne DeCoste	Weymouth	
27	Clark Stephen Anderson	Talcottville, Conn.	Hanover
	Betsy Bates Crapo	Hanover	

May

1	George Malcolm Bates	Hanover	Hingham
	Denise Anne Griffin	Hanover	
3	Bernard Geffory Schweighauser	Kingston	Duxbury
	Brenda Lee Bruce	Hanover	

Marriages (Cont.)

DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	MARRIED AT
May			
3	Jon Noble Hall	Hanover	Braintree
	Linda Guild Baier	Braintree	
3	Steven Lee Cumming	Norwell	Hanover
	Debra Elizabeth Cann	Norwell	
3	Timothy Jay McQuarrie	Norwell	Norwell
	Moirra Anne Zwicker	Hanover	
3	Robert Paul Harvey	Hanover	Hanover
	Constance Joan Boland	Abington	
10	Stevan J. Vigneaux	Braintree	Quincy
	Deborah J. Stone	Hanover	
18	John Edward Condon	Hanover	Pembroke
	Eleanor Bernadette Sheehan		
	(Joyce)	Milton	
31	William D. Lee	Barrington, R.I.	Hanover
	Kathy L. Smith	Hanson	
June			
7	David Erik Carlson	Quincy	Hanover
	Regina Egowin Semple	Hanover	
8	Robert Edward Keane	Rockland	Hanover
	Carol Anne Sampson	Duxbury	
14	David John Leary	Norwell	Hingham
	Judith Ellen Sides	Hanover	

June

14	Donald Ray Virden	Hanover	Abington
	Paula Jean Morgan	Hanover	
19	Richard Frederick Klay	Hanover	Hingham
	Christine Vivian Scott (Larson)	Quincy	
21	Charles Woodman Peterson, Jr.	Halifax	Hanover
	Lianne Marie Dickinson	Hanover	
21	Robert Moore Anderson	Hanover	Hanover
	Kathleen Alice Moore	Weymouth	
21	Scott A. Richardson	Marshfield	Hanover
	Leigh Humphreys	Marshfield	
21	Eugene Gerard McGraw	Rockland	Hanover
	Bonnie Marie Hall	Hanover	
21	Robert R. Devaney	Norwell	Hanover
	Leslie A. Beaudoin	Hanover	
22	Alan Theodore Makowski	Hanover	Hanover
	Christine Ann Tanner	Hanover	
22	Daniel George Laque	Hanover	Hanover
	Jean Marie Thayer	Hanover	
28	Kevin Charles Hoppen	Nantucket	Hanover
	Dale Ann Stoddard	Hanover	
28	Robert Francis Munroe	Rockland	Rockland
	Patricia Ann Glavin	Hanover	
28	Stephen Ward Mackey	Hanover	Scituate
	Barbara Ann Levanchy	Scituate	

Marriages (Cont.)

DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	MARRIED AT
July			
2	Richard Thomas Collins Barbara Ann Timo	Braintree Holbrook	Hanover
5	Keith Richard Urquhart Mary Lou Barrett	Walpole Hanover	Abington
5	James Bradford Bannon Alicia Marie Blaisdell	Minneapolis, Minn. Forestville, Md.	Cohasset
12	Arthur Joseph Smith Merideth Edna Simmons	Barnstable Hanover	Hanover
12	Walter Peter Masgul Nancy Ellen MacDermott	Hanover Milton	Milton
12	Glenn Arthur Gaffney Claire Marie Callahan	Marshfield Marshfield	Hanover
12	David Watts Jarvis, Jr. Liz Marly Askeland	Pembroke Marshfield	Hanover
12	John Edward Doyle Deborah Sylvia	Ossining, N.Y. Hanover	Halifax
17	Robert Henry Materna Ann Marie Crowell (Justice)	Rockland Plympton	Hanover
19	Karl Francis Hoyt Marilyn Louise Sawiski	Fitchburg Hanover	Hanover
19	Don Allyn Williams Kathleen Marie Wing	Barnstable Hanover	Hanover

July

19	Paul Francis Westwater	Hanover	Hanover
	Diane Marie Rich	Weymouth	
26	David Harold Eaton	Clinton	Hanover
	Susan Rebecca Lewis	Weymouth	

August

1	Andrew Thauddeus Winiewicz	Abington	Hanover
	Judith Arlene Clarkson		
	(Anderson)	Abington	
2	James Richard Sullivan	Norwood	Hanover
	Linda Susan Bates	Weymouth	
3	Mark R. Wolbarst	Quincy	Plymouth
	Lynn Marie Reale	Hanover	
9	Donald Adams Keith	Rockland	Hanover
	Cheryle Marie Monfile		
	(Clawson)	Rockland	
9	George Joseph Duffy, Jr.	Hanover	Brockton
	Barbara Jean Kingsbury	Hanover	
9	Richard Forrest Pratt	Stoughton	Hingham
	Linda Mesheau	Hanover	
9	William Frederick Lishman	Hanover	Brockton
	Karen Leigh Bratcher	Watertown	
9	Paul Russell Ripley	Hanover	Marshfield
	Kathlyn Gray Ellis	Marshfield	

Marriages (Cont.)

DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	MARRIED AT
August			
16	John Fred Schleiff Cathy Priscilla Johnson	Norfolk, Va. Hanover	Abington
16	Edward Joseph Grenham Mary Ann Madden	Halifax Hanover	Halifax
16	Robert Michael Sullivan Tanya Jean Parker	Quincy Hanover	Hanover
16	Paul Joseph Wysocki Kathleen Theresa Wall	Norwood Hanover	Hanover
16	Peter Damian Moore Cheryl Frances DiSabatino	Garden City, N.Y. Hanover	Hanover
16	Mark Edward Quirk Janice Ann Vigeant	Hanover Hanover	Hanover
16	Albert H. Gunderway, Jr. Pauline L. Casey	Rockland Hanover	Hingham
16	Craig Robert Samuelson Nancy Christine Denham	Trumbull, Conn. Hanover	Rockland
22	Gregg F. Ripley Rita Marie Natale	Hanover Hanover	Hanover
23	Peter Francis Palmisano Rebecca Ellen Kidder	Hanover Plymouth	Plymouth
23	John Thomas Sweeney Trudy Ann Ricciardi	Scituate Hanover	Hanover

August

23	James Ronald Davis, Jr.	Hanover	Hanson
	Patricia Helen Davis (Johnson)	Hanover	
24	Edmund Malcolm MacQuarrie, Jr.	Hanover	Abington
	Lorelle Cunningham		
	(D'Angelo)	Weymouth	
30	Gary Arthur Bannon	Hanover	Hanover
	Jana Ruth Shetley	Liverpool, N.Y.	

September

6	Michael Kevin Higgins	Hanover	Plymouth
	Karen Morey Williams	Hanover	
6	Lawrence William O'Toole	New Hyde Park, N.Y.	Hanover
	Nancy Fay Partridge	Hanover	
6	Norman Eugene Guite	Hanover	Hanover
	Denise Susan Naples	Hanover	
7	Gregory Stevens Coad	Abington	Hanover
	Storm Elizabeth Evans	Hanover	
12	Daniel Leslie Newcombe	Hanover	Norwell
	Louise Barstow Rogers (Woolf)	Hanover	
20	Robert Gunnar Johnson	Hanover	Hingham
	Marianne Montagano	Whitman	
20	Douglas Paul Ellis	Braintree	Braintree
	Paula Mae Kjellander	Hanover	

Marriages (Cont.)			
DATE	NAMES	RESIDENCE	MARRIED AT
September			
20	Leon Ronald Boyde	Hanover	Hanover
	Janice Thayer	Hanover	
21	Gary Alden Young	Hanover	Whitman
	Joan Alexandria Hart		
	(MacLeod)	Hanover	
27	Robert Brian Newsome	Hanover	Duxbury
	Joyce Wells (Paulding)	Duxbury	
27	James Joseph Ryan	Hanover	Marshfield
	Cynthia Diane Kemp	Hanover	
27	James Fredrick Joyce	Duxbury	Hanover
	Deborah Jane Alger	Hanover	
October			
4	Frank P. Foti	Hanover	Mattapan
	Dianne M. LeBlanc	Mattapan	
14	Ronald Charles Mix	Pembroke	Hanover
	Jenifer Carol Moose	Pembroke	
18	Robert Francis DeLorey	E. Bridgewater	Hanover
	Bertie Evelyn Gordon (Dawson)	E. Bridgewater	
18	Michael Edward Cavanagh	Weymouth	Hanover
	Deborah Ann Cardoza	Hanover	
24	Richard William Mahoney	Hanover	Abington
	Elena Marie Hix	Weymouth	

October

25	Walter Michael Purves	Rockland	Abington
	Patricia Lynn Cappoli	Hanover	
25	Manuel Alexander Tapia-Ruano	Miami, Fla.	Hanover
	Gail Ann Newcombe	Braintree	

November

1	Fred Cosman Humphries	Hanover	Hanover
	Gale Frieda Branlund		
	Popowitz	Hanover	
1	David William Spurr	Hanover	Hanson
	Paula Anne Sparda	Hanson	
7	Wendell Lewis Henderson	Hanover	Hanover
	Jean Marie Mackey (Hanson)	Marshfield	
8	Robert Dennis Michalski	Hanover	Quincy
	Karen Elizabeth Reddin	Quincy	
8	Richard Thomas Burke	Hanover	Norwell
	Karen Marie Dowling	Hanover	
9	William Joseph Hanlon	Cohasset	Pembroke
	Kathleen Marie Hansen		
	(Painter)	Hanover	
9	Joseph Francis Ryan	Boston	Hingham
	Evelyn Margaret McLaughlin	Hanover	
23	Brian Patrick Queenan	Hanson	Abington
	Theresa Marie Vasquez	Hanover	

November

26	Dana Howard Shaw	Hanover	Norwell
	Marcia Katharine Wilson	Hanover	
26	Philip Alan Hirschfeld	Hanover	Hanover
	Marie Sacco Capezzuto	Winthrop	
28	Robert C. McCoy	Malden	Hanover
	Frances L. Gowell	Malden	

December

27	Michael George Long	Rockland	Quincy
	Cynthia Jane Adams	Hanover	

Deaths Not Recorded in 1974

Date	Name	Age	Residence
December			
18	Aurelio G. Cervelli	82	Hanover

Deaths Recorded in Hanover in 1975

Date	Name	Age	Residence
January			
1	Alfred Edward Davis, Sr.	88	Hanover
2	Jeanne Eleanor McKenna	63	Hanover
13	Alfred Groppi	52	Hanover
18	Frederick G. Lundfelt	51	Hanover
February			
1	Joseph A. Soucy	78	Hanover
3	Elizabeth Ruth Paxton	72	Hanover
10	Robert J. Kahler	64	Hanover
16	Andrew A. Grant	43	Hanover
19	Stanley H. Clark	71	Hanover
21	Hartley Joseph Howard	57	Hanover
23	John M. MacPherson, Sr.	72	Hanover
27	Patrick V. Coady	55	Hanover
March			
3	Dorothie Leonardi	64	Hanover
7	Leonard Joseph Perriello	41	Hanover
11	Veronica T. Caples (Hughes)	38	Hanover
18	Max Grady Jarvis	37	Hanover
26	Anna Wilson	77	Hanover
April			
18	Bessie L. Henderson (Thompson)	78	Hanover

Date	Name	Age	Residence
April			
22	Elizabeth Mullen (Phinney)	94	Hanover
22	Helen M. Marino (Barsell)	56	Hanover
26	Susie F. Spear (Bray)	88	Hanover
May			
5	Ralph Borden Hadlock	78	Hanover
6	Leo T. Fillis	49	Hanover
7	Albert H. Holbrook, Sr.	89	Hanover
12	Louis Martin Czarnetzki	81	Hanover
21	Mitchell Tulane Kidd	82	Hanover
23	Mary C. Achimore (Callahan)	86	Hanover
25	Charles H. Whitcomb	40	Hanover
29	Nelson W. Barnicoat, Sr.	88	Hanover
31	Basil S. Simmons	81	Hanover
June			
4	Einar Barnes (Nee Bjarnason)	76	Hanover
17	Elizabeth Greer	84	Hanover
26	Mary Louise Gordon	72	Hanover
July			
4	Margaret Sarajian	89	Hanover
8	Vincenzo Imbrogna	84	Hanover
12	Donald F. Robertson	53	Hanover
13	Richard E. Cummings	68	Hanover
13	Elmer L. Snowdale	60	Hanover
14	Joseph A. Coughlin	61	Hanover
14	Walter Leonard Colby	52	Hanover
18	Royal L. Unangst	79	Hanover
23	Clarence O. Dodge	70	Hanover
August			
15	Marion Y. Hippler (Wilson)	83	Hanover
16	William W. Hurley	74	Hanover
24	Ernest George LaBonty	84	Hanover
September			
1	W. Thompson Fulton	73	Hanover
4	Essek W. MacLeod	65	Hanover
14	William Mercer	85	Hanover
15	Harry R. Edson	88	Hanover

Date	Name	Age	Residence
September			
16	Lyndall P. Severance	86	Hanover
16	Everett N. Gerrish	76	Hanover
24	Richard C. Tucker	20	Hanover
28	Amy Law (Nee Leafe)	77	Hanover
October			
3	Martha E. Gillfether (Fearing)	85	Hanover
7	Anthony J. Gidari	63	Hanover
11	Fannie C. Bailey (Weber)	78	Hanover
12	Angelina M. Salamone (Nuzzolo)	92	Hanover
17	Davil K. White	49	Hanover
23	Bessie C. Webb (Nee Beaver)	80	Hanover
31	Geraldine M. McCarthy (Nee Mahoney)	49	Hanover
November			
11	Elmer Wilhelm Anderson	58	Hanover
21	Emma Davis (Ogles)	84	Hanover
December			
2	Herman C. Rome	92	Hanover
3	John C. Kay	54	Hanover

Jury List

July 1, 1975 - July 1, 1976

- 1 ADAMS, John A., 880 Hanover St., Construction Foreman
- 3 ADAMS, Mary B., 569 Main St., Housewife
- 2 ANDERSEN, Mark M., 176 Grove St., Musician-
Lead Guitarist
- 3 ANTANARICZ, George S., 556 Circuit St., Receiver
- 3 BANDONI, Nancy M., 2 Crosby Lane, Clerical
- 2 BARCLAY, David K., 84 Tucker Rd., Asst. Grocery Mgr.
- 1 BARRASSO, Charles R., 89 Pine Tree Dr.,
Senior Customer Service Agent
- 2 BARKER, James O., 57 Tecumseh Dr.,
Television Engineer-Audioman
- 1 BEERS, Shirley Anne, 147 Circuit St., Bottom Finisher
- 2 BENNETT, Arleen, 444 Center St., Creative Line Planner
- 2 BENNETT, George F., Jr., 967 Broadway, Security Analyst-
Asst. Vice President
- 2 BERRY, Walter N., 34 Dwelley Ave., Utility Man
- 3 BLAISDELL, Arthur W., 328 Washington St.,
Unemployed-Machinist
- 2 BEVACQUA, Paul R., 77 Fair Cross Dr., Repair Man
- 1 BONZAGNI, Dennis M., 71 Dillingham Way,
Fork Lift Operator
- 3 BRANLEY, James B., 95 Cross St., School Custodian
- 1 BROWN, Walter G., 174 Plymouth Rd.,
Lumber Salesman & Deliveries
- 1 BURBANK, Thelma F., 109 Laurie Lane, Waitress
- 3 CAMPBELL, Robert, 775 Main St., Office Manager
- 2 CARDOZA, Joyce F., 790 Webster St.,
Customer Service Representative
- 1 CARTER, Mary L., 254 Winter St., Supervisor
- 1 CHAMBERS, Edith M., 179 Samoset Dr.,
Secretary-Bookkeeper
- 2 CLARK, Jean W., 415 Winter St., Housewife
- 2 CLAWSON, William, 17 Mayflower Circle, Carpenter
- 3 COBB, Clyde A., 841 Circuit St., Retired Plant Supt.
- 1 COLBY, Phyllis, 46 Pine St., Housewife
- 1 CONANT, Beverly M., 96 Bradford Rd., Secretary

- 3 CONDON, John E., 298 East St., Inspector
- 1 CONNORS, Paul F., 128 Tecumseh Dr., Bus. Mgr. Local #11
- 1 COOK, Thomas W., Jr., 181 Woodland Dr., Equip. Installer
- 1 CRAMER, Robert A., 47 Deborah Rd., Director of
Retire Plan Sales
- 1 CROWLEY, John C., 506 Circuit St., Cost Estimator
- 1 CUMMINGS, Michele, 60 East Street, Assembler
- 1 DAMON, Ellen S., 1210 Webster St., Asst. Manager
School Lunch Program
- 1 DEGEN, Miriam E., 125 Candlewood Lane,
Data Computer Operator
- 3 DEMARANVILLE, Anne E., 582 Main St., Secretary
- 2 DINE, Philip P., 6 Read Drive, Credit Manager
- 1 DOHERTY, John F., 190 Brook Circle, District Foreman
- 2 DORGAN, Dennis M., 73 Phillips St., Truck Driver
- 1 DRAHEIM, G. Paul, 157 Silver St.,
Management Systems Consulting
- 3 ENGLISH, Gordon L., 136 Water St., Assistant Buyer
- 3 ERICKSON, Betsey D., 956 Broadway, Housewife
- 1 ESPOSITO, Gerald F., 874 Circuit St., Crane Operator
- 1 ESTES, Dorothy R., 197 Candlewood Lane, Housewife
- 3 FAY, James P., 404 Cedar St., Sales & Service
- 2 FISETTE, Normand L., 178 Brook Circle
Building Service Supervisor
- 2 FOPIANO, George A., 506 Whiting St., Dist. Credit Manager
- 3 FRIZZELL, Raymond F., 473 Water St., Warehouseman
- 1 GAFNEY, Joan H., 2084 Washington St., Secretary
- 2 GALIZIO, Francis J., 63 Hillside Circle, Programming Mgr.
- 3 GALLANT, Agnes, 215 Dillingham Way, Clerical
- 1 GIANELIS, George, 319 Plain St., Insurance Special Agent
- 1 HANBERRY, Joseph T., 47 School St., Meatcutter
- 1 HARNEY, James M., 58 Spring St., Computer Programmer
- 1 HARRINGTON, John P., 84 Bradford Road, Foreman
- 1 HART, Joseph P., 144 West Ave., Water Serv. Repair Man
- 3 HASSETT, Donald J., 83 Tucker Road, Repairman
- 3 HASSETT, Richard B., 36 Beech Tree Road, Repairman
- 3 HAWKINS, Albert E., Jr., 982 Main St., Electrician
- 3 HAWKINS, Florence M., 1485 Broadway, Treasurer
- 1 HEISLER, Sarah E., 705 Circuit St., Class "A" Dispatcher
- 1 HEYWOOD, Robert P., 417 Webster St., Dietary Dept.
- 3 HICKEY, John V., 198 Cedar St., Engineer
- 3 HOUSLEY, Richard A., Jr., 288 Woodland Drive, Salesman
- 1 HYBERTSON, Larry D., 86 Larchmont Lane, Director

- 3 INGLIS, Charles, Jr., 35 Winter St., Truck Driver
- 3 JEROME, Alice A., 146 Cross St., Cook
- 2 JOHNSON, Carl E., 148 Donna Drive, Awning Salesman
- 1 JOHNSON, Frances M., 54 Gray Beech Lane,
Retired School Teacher
- 1 JOHNSON, Peter E., 84 Brook Bend Rd., Supervisor-
Cost Accounting & Tax Department
- 1 KELLER, Constance S., 39 Pat Rd., Head Teller
- 1 KIELY, Christine, 1527 Broadway, Computer Programmer
- 3 LASKEY, Anne M., 70 Circuit St., Realtor
- 1 LATOUF, William G., 1012 Washington St.,
Self-employed Plant Store
- 1 LEITCH, Andrew, 45 Davis St., Draftsman
- 1 LEMISH, Anna, 63 King St., Housewife
- 1 LISHMAN, Mary E., 18 Lincoln Lane, Housewife
- 1 LOWE, George H., 663 Webster St., Office Manager
- 2 LYONS, John E., 271 Plain St., Sheet Metal Mechanic
- 2 MacARTHUR, Barbara, 446 Hanover St., Housewife
- 1 MacASKILL, Donald T. 1100 Webster St., Technical Aide
- 1 MacDONALD, Robert E., 30 Jefferson Rd.,
Parking Attendant
- 1 MacGREGOR, Pierrette M., 152 Meadowbrook Rd.,
Housewife
- 1 MAKOWSKI, Eva N., 40 Oakland Ave., Housewife
- 3 MAXWELL, Richard, 538 Webster St., Carpenter
- 2 McCUIN, Robert G., 118 Hacketts Pond Dr., Gen. Sales Mgr.
- 1 McINNIS, William N., 402 Woodland Dr., Specialist
Air Conditioning
- 1 MEIER, Lawrence F., 630 Center St., District Manager
- 2 MERRITT, Kim, 1281 Main St., Sales Clerk
- 1 MIDDLETON, William N., 608 Main St.,
Labor Relations Consultant
- 1 MORRIS, John F., Jr., 232 Ponderosa Drive, Buyer
- 1 MORRIS, Margaret M., 346 Plain St., Technical Service
Department Head
- 1 MOYLAN, Martin T., 21 Fair Acres Drive, Retired
- 1 MUELLER, James C., 189 Circuit St., V-President
- 2 MUIRHEAD, Jean L., 86 Cheryl Lane, Housewife
- 1 MURPHY, Claire B., 206 Woodland Drive, Housewife
- 2 NEAL, Betsey, 186 Washington St., General Office Work
- 1 O'BRIEN, Edward L., 894 Main St., Newspaper Pressman
- 1 PACKARD, Wayne E., 647 Broadway, Truck Drive
- 2 PHILLIPS, Eugene, 1113 Main St., Truck Driver

- 1 PIERCE, John M., 79 King Hill Rd., Letter Carrier
- 1 PONTARELLI, Anne A., 429 Old Town Way, Homemaker
- 3 PRATT, Wilmot R., 704 Hanover St., Custodian
- 3 QUINDLEY, Robert N., 701 Webster St., Toll Testman
- 1 REARDON, Paul E., 92 Old Town Way, Supervisor in
Printing Plant
- 1 RICHARDS, Peter J., 94 Richard Drive, Routeman
- 3 RIPLEY, William M., 411 Broadway, Sales Engineer
- 1 ROBERTSON, Josephine V., 92 School St., Cook
- 1 ROBINSON, G. Elliott, 167 Washington St., Consultant
- 3 ROBISON, Barbara J., 259 Water St., Housewife
- 2 ROME, Robert M., 21 Pleasant St., Clerk
- 2 SAGE, Stella A., 136 Donna Drive, Solderer School Jewelry
- 1 SALES, William C., 147 Henry's Lane, Construction Worker
- 1 SAVAGE, Mark F., 977 Broadway, Laborer
- 2 SAWISKI, P. Paul, 80 King Phillip Lane,
President Machine Shop
- 2 SETTERLAND, Pauline E., 872 Main St., Counter Help
- 1 SHAW, David G., 140 Tower Hill Drive, Pipefitter
- 3 SHEARER, Peter A., 481 Cedar St., Cook
- 3 SHERMAN, Raymond P., 10 Estes Road, Operating Agent
- 3 SIDES, Mary F., 374 Circuit St., Hairdresser
- 3 SMITH, Harold S., 245 Spring St., Superintendent
- 1 SPAULDING, Julia A., 405 Woodland Drive, Clerk
- 2 SQUIRES, Donna F., 371 King St., Beauty Aids Specialist
- 2 STEWART, Robert W., 221 Cedar St., Electrician
- 1 STEWART, William J., 22 Oldfield Dr., Auto Mechanic
- 2 STONE, John A., 7 Jefferson Rd., Union Carpenter
- 1 SULLIVAN, Paul M., 19 Vine Street, Unemployed
- 1 SWEENEY, James F., 115 Grove Street, Conductor
- 2 SZTAM, J. Robert, 602 Broadway, Securities Trader
- 1 TAIT, Thomas, 79 Franklin Rd., Chief Q. C. Inspector
- 1 TAYLOR, Caroline J., 1173 Broadway, Secretary
- 1 THOMPSON, Richard W., 234 Spring St., Testman
- 1 THURSON, Joan M., 33 Water St., Legal Secretary
- 1 TODD, Beverly C., 65 Chestnut St., Executive Secretary
- 1 TOPALI, Nina L., 34 Spring St., Medical Secretary
- 1 TUCKER, Joyce D., 139 Cedar St., Matron
- 2 TUCKER, Robert B., 180 Circuit St., Salesman
- 3 ULOTH, Richard H., 250 Main St., Saw Mill Operator
- 1 UPHAM, Lucy A., 328 Whiting St., Supervisor Teller
- 1 VARGUS, Russell H., 875 Webster St., Retired
- 2 WALLEN, Jean F., 32 Chestnut St., Senior Clerk

- 2 WALSH, Robert F., 111 Meadowbrook Rd., Deputy Director
- 3 WATSON, Margaret L., 307 Main St., Unemployed
- 2 WENZ, Doris L., 72 Hillside Circle, Assembler
- 1 WILLIAMS, Daniel J., 218 Dillingham Way, Tab Maker
- 1 WILLIAMS, Dianne M., 1177 Hanover St.,
Special Market Division Dept.
- 3 WINN, Donald Y., 282 Broadway, Banker
- 3 WOLFRUM, Carl H., Jr. 358 Broadway, Standard Engineer
- 2 ZALEWSKI, Elward J., 196 Dillingham Way,
Trust & Estate Administrator
- 1 ZIMMERMAN, Herbert I., 106 Hillside Circle,
Musician-Photographer

Warrant for Special Town Meeting

HELD MONDAY, MARCH 3, 1975

Plymouth, SS

To either of the Constables of the Town of Hanover in the County of Plymouth and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

GREETING

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Hanover qualified to vote in Elections to meet in the Hanover High School, Cedar Street, Hanover, on Monday, March 3, 1975 at 8:00 o'clock P.M. to vote on the following articles:

(Article appear in the minutes following.)

And you are directed to serve this warrant in the manner prescribed by vote of the Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid. Given under our hands this 14th day of February A.D., 1975.

**ALLAN A. CARNES
FRANCIS J. MITCHELL
HOWARD F. LEVINGS,**

Selectmen of Hanover

PLYMOUTH SS. 1975 Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, the inhabitants of the Town of Hanover, qualified to vote in Elections are hereby notified to meet at the time and place for the purposes therein notified.

A true Copy. ATTEST:

**Constable of Hanover
David G. Swicker
February 15, 1975**

Return of Warrant for Special Town Meeting

HELD MONDAY, MARCH 3, 1975

I have this day, Saturday, February 15, 1975 posted the warrant for a Special Town Meeting to be held on Monday, March 3, 1975 at 8:00 o'clock P.M. at the Hanover High School, Cedar Street, Hanover, Mass. at the following locations in the Town.

Hanover Town Hall
 Town Pump Gas Station
 West Hanover Post Office
 Romes Liquor Store
 Curtis Compact Store
 Hanover Laundromat
 West Hanover Fire House
 Center Fire House
 Leslie's Variety Store
 Drinkwater Fire House
 Legion Hall

Myettes Country Store
 South Hanover Fire House
 Sylvester Hardware Store
 Stop & Shop Market
 Hanover Fire House
 Mr. Donut Shop
 Hanover Post Office
 Doran's Ice Cream Stand
 Hanover Bowling Alley
 Scotts Store
 North Hanover Fire House

V.F.W. Hall

Signed: DAVID G. ZWICKER

Constable of Hanover

JOURNAL FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Monday, March 3, 1975

The Meeting was called to order by George H. Lewald, Moderator at 8:10 P.M. with 338 voters present.

The Moderator asked that the Town Clerk record that the Warrant had been served and returned as required by the Town By-Laws.

ARTICLE 1

To hear the report of Committees empowered to report at a Special Town Meeting and act thereon, or take any other action relative thereto.

Moved to hear any reports. So Voted.

"REPORT OF THE BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE"

The Hanover Bicentennial Committee will be sponsoring a Patriots Ball on April 20, 1975 at 8:00 P.M. at the Hanover Mall as a kick-off to the Bicentennial activities. A public invitation is extended to all towns people. Baron Hugos Orchestra will provide music for dancing and refreshments will be available. Tickets must be purchased in advance as tickets will not be sold at the door. Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. George H. Lewald, ticket chairman. Tickets will also be on sale at local stores including Angelo's Supermarket, Stop & Shop Supermarket and the Button and Bows Shop. Ticket sales will stop the first part of April.

Albert Gibbs

Fanny H. Phillips

David F. Studley

Jeannette E. Migre

Harry C. Hansen

John A. Libertine

Members of the Bicentennial Committee

ARTICLE II

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds a sum of money to be expended by the School Committee in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 766 of the Acts of 1972, or take any other action relative thereto.

School Committee

Moved that the Article be passed over. So Voted.

ARTICLE III

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to establish and appoint a Town Hall Building Committee consisting of five (5) members to be selected as follows: One (1) Member to be the Building Inspector, One (1) Member to be the Chief of Police and three (3) citizens at large, for the purpose of obtaining preliminary plans, specifications, and cost estimates for the construction of, and originally equipping a two-story addition to the Town Hall, which will include a new Police Station facility on the First Floor, and office space on the Second Floor.

Said Committee shall be empowered to report at any Annual or Special Town Meeting, and to appropriate from available funds the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

Moved that the Town appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 from the E & D Fund for this purpose and that the moderator be so authorized to make appointments.

So Voted.

ARTICLE IV

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00) to be used to conduct the 1975 State Decennial Census, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

Moved that the Town appropriate the sum of \$3,500.00 from the E & D Fund for this purpose. Vote 145 in the affirmative and 135 in the negative.

ARTICLE V

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds a sum of money to purchase and equip one (1) Station Wagon, Ambulance Type, 1975 Police Cruiser and to authorize the trade-in of the one (1) 1974 Ford Station Wagon, Ambulance Type Police Cruiser, said purchasing and equipping to be under the direction of the Chief of Police and the Board of Selectmen, or take any other action relative thereto.

Hanover Police Department

Moved that the Town appropriate the sum of \$4,538.87 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

So Voted.

ARTICLE VI

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds a sum of money to purchase and equip one (1) new Mini-Bus to be used under the direction of the Hanover Council for the Aging. Said purchasing and equipping to be done by the Hanover Council for the Aging and the Board of Selectmen, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

VOTED: That this article be passed over.

ARTICLE VII

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) to be used under the direction of the Hanover Council for the Aging for the operation of a Mini-Bus, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

VOTED: That this article be passed over.

ARTICLE VIII

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) to be expended under the direction of the Hanover Council for the Aging to implement a Hot Lunch Program for qualified citizens of Hanover, with the provision that any Federal and/or State reimbursements received by the Town for this purpose shall first be used, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

Moved that the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

So Voted.

ARTICLE IX

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds the sum of One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$1,950.00) for the purpose of leasing Electronic/Com-

puter Voting Equipment to be used at the Annual Town Elections to be held May 10, 1975, or take any other action relative thereto.

Town Clerk

Board of Registrars

VOTED: That this article be passed over.

ARTICLE X

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from the Surplus Water Revenue Account to the Water Expense Account the sum of \$30,000.00 to cover expenses for the balance of the Fiscal Year 1975.

Board of Public Works

So Voted.

ARTICLE XI

To see if the Town will appropriate from available funds the sum of \$1,038.18 for the purpose of payment of time and one-half overtime wages for the period May 1, 1974, through June 30, 1974, in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act as amended effective May 1, 1974, as follows:

Public Works Department payroll	\$712.06
Board of Health Payroll	326.12
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	\$1,038.18

Town Accountant

Moved that the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,038.18 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

So Voted.

ARTICLE XII

To see if the Town will appropriate from available funds the sum of \$102.00 for the purpose of payment of three days holiday pay to an employee of the Department of Public Works which occurred during the period January 28, 1974 thru June 15, 1974, while this employee was on leave of absence due to an injury sustained in course of his Town employment and during such absence was receiving Workmens Compensation insurance payments. A legal ruling has been received

from the Town Counsel approving payment of said holiday pay.

Town Accountant

Moved that the Town appropriate the sum of \$102.00 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

So Voted.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:35 P.M.

A true copy. Attest:

JOHN W. MURPHY,

Town Clerk

Warrant for Annual Town Meeting

HELD MONDAY, MAY 5, 1975

PLYMOUTH, S.S.

GREETING:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Hanover in said County.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs to meet in the Hanover High School, Cedar Street, Hanover, on Monday the Fifth Day of May, 1975.

(For copies of Articles, see Journal following):

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not, and make the return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 16th day of April, 1975.

A TRUE COPY. ATTEST:

DAVID G. ZWICKER, Constable
HOWARD F. LEVINGS
ALLAN A. CARNES
FRANCIS J. MITCHELL
Selectmen of Hanover

Return of Warrant for Annual Town Meeting

HELD MONDAY, MAY 5, 1975

I have this day, Thursday, April 17, 1975, posted the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting to be held on Monday the 5th day of May 1975 at the following locations in the Town of Hanover, Massachusetts.

Town Hall	North Hanover Fire House
Town Pump Gas Station	V.F.W. Hall
Center Hanover Fire House	Doran's Ice Cream Stand
West Hanover Fire House	Art's Texaco Gas Station
West Hanover Post Office	Mr. Doughnut
Curtis Compact Store	Mr. Doughnut
Rome's Liquor Store	Leslie's Variety Store
American Legion Hall	Joe's Country Store
Drinkwater Fire Station	Ray Hills Garage
South Hanover Fire Station	Hanover Laundromat
Myettes' Store	Margaret's Fish
Scott's News Store	& Chips Shop
Sylvester Hardware Store	Tedeschi's Package Store
Stop & Shop Market	Angelo's Market
Hanover Bowling Alley	Manna's Barber Shop
Hanover Post Office	Hanover Fire House
Assinippi General Store	

DAVID G. ZWICKER, Constable
Town of Hanover

Journal of Annual Town Meeting

HELD ON MONDAY, MAY 5, 1975

The Annual Town Meeting at Hanover High School was called to order by George H. Lewald, Moderator at 8:10 P.M., Monday, May 5, 1975 with 633 voters present.

Reverend W. Roscoe Riley offered the invocation which was followed by the pledge to the flag.

The Moderator asked that the Town Clerk record that the Warrant had been served and returned as required by the Town By-Laws.

The Campfire Girl's under the direction of Mrs. Joseph Panasuk, presented a gavel to the Town of Hanover commemorating the Bicentennial. Mr. Lewald explained that the present gavel was given to the town by the Bonney Family in 1941. The head of the Gavel came from the Constitution; the handle from Admiral Dewey's Flagship Olympia. Mr. Lewald suggested, on a suitable occasion the gavel, presented by the Bonney Family, be retired to the Hanover Historical Society.

REPORT OF THE HANOVER BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

This Committee is pleased to present this report of progress as we begin our 200th year as a nation. We have been busy this past year planning for the two-year commemoration which began officially with the Hanover Bicentennial Patriot's Ball on April 20 at the Hanover Mall. Any of you who attended this gala evening will agree that it was a huge success and a wonderful kick-off. Nearly 1,000 Hanoverians shared a unique experience of fellowship and civic pride which this town has not seen for many a decade. It would be impossible to list here all the people and organizations which put so much time and effort into making the Ball what it was. We can only say a sincere "Thank You" to all. At the same time, this Committee would be remiss if we did not single out for special appreciation the work of the General Chairman. . . Diana Morris. Her dedication and hard work

is recognized and publicly acknowledged by us all. From the outset, this Committee was committed to providing a memorable evening rather than to make money. We can report with a mixture of pride and chagrin that we succeeded here also.

There are many planned and prospective projects which you will be hearing about during the next few months. Perhaps first of all, we expect to have available a reprint of the 1910 History of Hanover within a few weeks. The proceeds from this book will enable us to publish (hopefully in 1976) a completely new History updating our Town from 1910 to the present. You will be hearing about commemorative souvenirs in several price ranges so that everyone, including children, may afford a tangible reminder of these historic years. You will be hearing about a town-wide celebration to be held in the Fall which will include parades, band concerts, church suppers and so forth. It will be in the form of "Homecoming Day" with activities for every age group. There are plans for a major celebration on the Fourth of July, 1976. In addition, we look forward to the possibility of providing one or more permanent memorials of this Bicentennial for future generations to enjoy. This very Town Meeting has an historic opportunity to implement one of these memorials. You will have the chance to vote on the establishment of Hanover's first Historic District in the Old Four Corners. All this, and more, you will be hearing about.

Bear in mind that all of these promises will remain just promises until people get to work on them. If the response to the Ball is an indication, we have the talents and experience in Hanover to succeed at anything we put our minds to. We look forward to your cooperation in making some of these dreams come true.

Finally, this Committee most earnestly requests that all of us pause at the start of this Town Meeting to count our blessings and total up our assets. In an age when it is so easy to find what's wrong, the things that are right somehow fade into the background. Those of you who saw the ceremonies at North Church, Lexington and Concord last month must have sensed beneath the somewhat stilted formality of the celebration a real undercurrent of pride and joy. Even the ubiquitous "protesters" could not take that away from us. And those who stood around the fountain at the Mall on the night of April 20 could hardly have missed the almost electric

emotion of patriotism and nostalgia. In an age when such feelings are so often called old-fashioned and worse, there were men, women and yes even a few children who for a brief hour stood together in a common cause which some of us may have even forgotten we believed in. That hour alone more than paid for the time and effort this Committee and so many others have expended. We now have a goal...to keep that magic moment alive and growing in the months and years to come. If the Patriots Ball did anything, it brought home a simple fact: The Spirit of America is not dead. It is alive and well...and living in Hanover!

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT GIBBS
FANNY H. PHILLIPS
JOHN A. LIBERTINE
HARRY C. HANSEN
JEANNETTE E. MIGRE
DAVID F. STUDLEY

A gift of appreciation was presented to Mrs. Diana Morris for her outstanding job done in conjunction with the Bicentennial Ball.

A TRIBUTE TO HOWARD F. LEVINGS

Upon the completion of Article 81 of this Annual Town Meeting, Howard F. Levings will officially retire after 38 years of dedicated service to the people of Hanover. Howard has held many positions of public trust during these past 38 years both as an elected and appointed Town Official. It is our fervent hope and prayer that he will continue to be in good health for many years to come and we trust that in an unofficial capacity we can continue to have the benefit of his wisdom and experience in matters involving our beloved Town of Hanover.

He began his service as a police officer in 1937 — was elected a constable in 1942 and became Hanover's first full-time Chief of Police in 1943. He attended the National Police Academy in Washington, D.C., which operates in conjunction with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and upon his return he utilized this knowledge and training in the de-

velopment of the Hanover Police Department. He continued as Chief until 1950 when he was appointed Director of the Plymouth County Bureau of Criminal Identification and Director of the Police Training School. The Board of Selectmen, continued to appoint him as a special police officer from 1951 until 1958 at which time he was elected as a member of the Boards of Selectmen, Assessors and Public Welfare. The combined Boards changed over the years as the Assessors were established as a separate elective office in 1965 and the State take-over of Welfare abolished the Board of Public Welfare in 1968, but Howard has continued to serve as a member and periodic Chairman of the Board of Selectmen for the past 18 years.

In addition to his duties and responsibilities as enumerated above, he also served as a member, or chairman, of many continuing, planning, study and building committees as constituted from time to time by the Townspeople or the Moderator and has made a valuable contribution to the progress and success of each.

Throughout his long and distinguished career to our Town he has always demonstrated a deep interest in the youth of the Town and was ever ready to befriend a young person who had gone astray or who had a problem. He always found the time to counsel, guide and assist any youth who needed help and his success in this endeavor has long been acknowledged and admired. In addition, he has actively and favorably supported the various athletic and youth programs which have been of great benefit to the Town and to the young men and women involved. Yes, it can be truthfully said that Howard Levings has had a tremendously favorable impact on the moral and physical development of our young people and our Town has been the better as a result of it.

Howard F. Levings has served this community with ability, dedication, compassion and integrity. Not once during this 38 years of service has he ever acted in an arbitrary or dictatorial manner, nor has he been lacking in human sympathy and understanding and all the while exercising his best judgment for all the Citizens of Hanover. I do not think a finer tribute than this can be bestowed upon any public official.

With sincere appreciation of his many years of service in our behalf and with every good wish for his future happiness and well-being, we respectfully move that a copy of this tri-

bute be incorporated in the records of this Town Meeting and that this Town Meeting rise and publicly express it's gratitude to Howard F. Levings.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLAN A. CARNES
FRANCIS J. MITCHELL
 Selectmen of Hanover

The Moderator outlined the procedure to be followed at the meeting in accordance with the Town By-Laws. He introduced the members of the Advisory Committee.

Mr. Willis Partridge, Chairman of the Advisory Committee spoke to clarify the language of the Warrant.

ARTICLE 1

To see if the Town will accept the reports of the officers and committees as printed in the Town Report, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 2

To hear reports of the Committees and act thereon, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

REPORT OF TOWN GOVERNMENT STUDY COMMITTEE

The Committee has in previous deliberations discussed areas of Town Government that should be examined to determine whether or not there should be changes. It also has discussed areas related to Public Works that might be considered for further consolidation in that department. If it is the consensus of the citizens of the Town that we continue in the same manner that brought about the creation of the Department of Public Works, then we ask that this be accepted as a report of progress.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS J. MITCHELL, Selectman
JAMES MCKENNA, Clerk
ROBERT KIMBALL, Planning Board
FRANKLIN AMES, Board of Public
 Works

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

The Junior High School project has been successfully completed and the Committee is pleased to report that there is a surplus in the building account of \$33,425.16. Since this money was raised by Bond Issue, it can only be appropriated for a similar project.

The Committee therefore presents this report as a final report and asks to be dissolved.

Respectfully submitted,

**RICHARD H. DALEY
RALPH HADLOCK
JOHN L. MCCLAUGHLIN, JR.
DONALD E. MORRISON**

REPORT OF HANOVER SEWER STUDY COMMITTEE

Pursuant to Article 49 of the Warrant for Annual Town Meeting of 1974, the Sewer Study Committee has met on a number of occasions to review the Sewer Study Report published in 1969. In order to make a meaningful review of this Study, the Committee undertook to examine the Town's apparent and immediate problems of sewage disposal as reflected in the records of the Board of Health, met and discussed the adequacy of the Study in light of current technology and requirements with representatives of S.E.A. Consultants, Inc., and have sought out the opinions of Town Officials whose responsibilities may be affected by the problem of sewage disposal. The Committee further undertook to invite the participation of Mr. Frank Wallen, a resident of the Town, and Superintendant of the City of Brockton Sewer Department, as an unofficial member.

We, as a Committee, have concluded that major portions of the Sewer Study Report are outdated and technically obsolete. An effective updating of the Study at this time would be both costly and inconclusive. We feel that the probability and feasibility of a sewage disposal system wholly owned and operated by the Town is unlikely in the face of emphasis currently being placed upon the concept of regional sewage disposal.

We therefore recommend the following:

1. That no money be expended at the present time to update the existing report.

2. That the Sewer Study Committee be kept in existence to monitor the needs of the Town in the area of sewage disposal, to study various sewer proposals and alternatives thereto, to act as liason between the Town and any Regional Planning Committee or Commission, and to make further reports at future Town Meetings.

3. That this report be accepted as a report of progress.

Respectfully submitted,

HANOVER SEWER STUDY COMMITTEE

VOTED: That Committee Reports heard be accepted as reports of progress or as otherwise recommended.

At this point, the Moderator introduced Senator Allan R. McKinnon of the Norfolk — Plymouth Senatorial District and William J. Flynn, Jr., Representative of Second Plymouth District.

ARTICLE 3

To see if the Town will vote to fix the pay of its elective officers as required by law, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town fix the pay of its elective officers as follows:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Selectmen: Each Member	\$1,200. per year
Assessors: Each Member	1,200. per year
Board of Health: Each Member	1,000. per year
Town Clerk	6,673. per year
Town Treasurer	8,249. per year
Tax Collector	8,371. per year
Moderator—Annual Meeting	75. per meeting
Special Meeting	25. per meeting

ARTICLE 4

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Hanover Personnel By-Laws by changing the Sections listed below, or take any other action relative thereto.

Personnel Board

We move that the Town amend the Hanover Personnel By-Laws as follows:

1. **TITLE.** No change

2. PERSONS COVERED

The plan shall apply to all persons compensated by the Town except those persons elected by popular vote or under direction and control of the School Committee or represented by a recognized bargaining agent; i.e. Police Department, the Police Chief and the Fire Chief. The Plan shall apply to Call Fire Fighters for setting wages only.

Nothing herein, however, shall bar reference to the Plan for assistance in determining the compensation of employees occupying positions not covered by the Plan.

The Personnel Board shall consult at least annually with administrators of those not covered by the Plan, in order that every effort be made to keep all wages and working conditions within the Town in proper perspective.

If any part of this Plan is found in conflict with any Federal Law, General Law or Special Law of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the provisions of such Federal Law, General Law or Special Law shall govern.

3. PERSONNEL BOARD. No change.

4. DUTIES OF PERSONNEL BOARD

(a) to (f) inclusive. No change.

(g) The Board shall, within four (4) weeks following the annual appointment of new members, meet and organize by electing a chairman. A quorum at a Board meeting shall consist of four (4) members and a majority vote shall be necessary on any matter upon which the Board is authorized to act.

5. EFFECTIVE DATE.

The Plan and any amendments thereto shall become effective upon acceptance by the Town. The classifications of positions and pay schedules shall take effect on July 1, 1975, following acceptance and all subsequent anniversaries shall be on July 1.

6. STATUS ON APRIL 5, 1964. No change.

7. INCREASE. No change.

8. TRANSFERS AND PROMOTIONS. No change.

9. NEW PERSONNEL AND NOTIFICATION OF VACANCIES.

(a) New employees shall start at the minimum of the pay schedule for the job classifications, except that on the

recommendation of a department head, supported by written and/or oral evidence of special reasons or circumstances satisfactory to the Board, the Board may authorize an entrance at a higher or lower rate than the minimum rate for a position.

(b) No change.

(c) New employees must file with the Department Head an approved application for employment and a satisfactory physical examination. The Department Head must receive written approval of the Classification and Rate from the Personnel Board before an employee is hired. The Department Head will file immediately with the Personnel Board a copy of the employment application and satisfactory physical examination.

10. HOURS, VACATIONS AND LEAVES FOR FULL TIME EMPLOYEES

(a) MINIMUM HOURS. No change.

(b) VACATIONS. No change.

(c) SICK PAY

1. Sick pay shall be at the rate of one day for each completed month of full time employment accumulating to 120 working days. The department head shall, at his discretion, require, a certificate of a duly licensed physician or, if felt warranted by the department head, physician may be designated.

2. An employee who is injured within the scope of his employment, and who is receiving Workmen's Compensation benefits or other comparable compensation benefits may elect to be paid his or her accrued sick leave to make up the difference between his or her compensation and his or her average net weekly wage exclusive of any overtime compensation for the 52 weeks immediately preceding the injury. Said supplemental weekly payments shall be charged to sick leave and shall be discontinued when sick leave benefits have been used up.

3. An employee upon normal retirement or death shall be compensated, not more than fifty percent (50%) of his or her unused sick leave up to a maximum of sixty (60) days by being paid in cash.

(d) LEAVE OF ABSENCE. No change.

11. OVERTIME

(a) No overtime shall be paid to the following in the department where they are regularly employed: Department Heads, Professional and Administrative.

(b) PRODUCTION Overtime will be paid at the rate of time and one half for hours worked beyond the employees normal hours provided that the hours must exceed those stated in Article 10, Section A., Paragraph 2.

When an employee is called back to work during any period of time which is not considered their regular work shift, then that employee shall be remunerated at one and one-half (1½) times their prescribed hourly rate of pay. Each employee shall be guaranteed a minimum of two (2) hours pay at time and one-half (1½).

All emergency maintenance situations (call backs) must bear prior approval of the division Supervisor or his delegated agent.

(c) Office Workers Overtime at the rate of time and one-half shall be paid for all hours worked in excess of forty hours in any one week.

(d) Any Departments of Employees who are not specifically covered by ARTICLE #11; Sections A, B, or C that have an overtime situations, must first submit the situation to the Personnel Board in writing and receive a written decision from the Personnel Board before any overtime shall be paid.

12. HOLIDAYS

Regular employees shall be paid for each of the following holidays which falls on or is observed on a regularly scheduled work day. Should a regular employee be required to work on said holidays, that employee shall receive an additional day and one half pay.

New Year's Day	Independence Day
Washington's Birthday	Labor Day
Martin Luther King Day	Columbus Day
Patriot's Day	Veteran's Day
Memorial Day	Thanksgiving Day
	Christmas Day

13. CLASSIFICATION AND SCHEDULES. No change.

14. APPEALS

Any person aggrieved by this By-Law has a right of appeal in the following manner:

1. An employee having a grievance or complaint must file a written statement with his or her complaint within five (5) work days after the occurrence of the alleged event or after the employee becomes aware of the event. The Department Head shall give his decision in writing within five (5) working days after receipt of the complaint.

2. If the employee is not satisfied with the decision of the Department Head he or she may appeal in writing within five (5) working days to the Personnel Board for hearing before said Board. The Board shall render its decision within twelve (12) working days after receiving an appeal except where the Board holds a public hearing, in which case, the Board shall render its decision within twenty-eight (28) working days after receiving an appeal.

3. The parties may agree to extend the above time limits.

15. AMENDMENT. No change.

16. PROBATIONARY EMPLOYEES — DEFINITION AND STATUS.

The period of probationary employment shall be ninety days. If no physical condition exists which would prevent employment and the employee has proven satisfactory in other respects, permanent employment will begin on the ninety-first day retroactive to the first day of employment. A temporary employee shall have no right to any benefit under this Plan other than the proper rate of pay for hours worked.

17. PART-TIME EMPLOYEES — DEFINITION AND STATUS. No change.

18. VALIDITY. No change.

19. TERMINATION OF THE EMPLOYMENT

This section applies to full time and permanent part time employee only.

(a) DEFINITIONS:

Release — is a permanent separation initiated by the Department Head as a result of the elimination of a job.

Discharge — is a permanent separation for cause initiated by the Department Head.

Resignation — is a voluntary, permanent separation initiated by the employee.

(b) An employee who is terminated regardless of the reason shall be paid for vacation time accrued.

(c) An employee who is discharged for cause shall not be paid any termination pay.

(d) An employee who is released shall be entitled to termination pay as follows:

One (1) year's completed service — 1 week.

Over one (1) year's service — 1 week for each year of service completed to a maximum of six (6) weeks.

(e) An employee who resigns shall be entitled to termination pay as follows:

- | | |
|---|---------------|
| 1. Without Notice | None |
| 2. With notice and works two-week notice period | None |
| 3. With Notice and Department Head does not allow employee to work two-week notice period | Two (2) Weeks |

(f) Hospital-Surgical Insurance is cancelled as of the end of the month worked.

(g) An employee's Life Insurance ceases 31 days after his employment terminates. Each terminating employee has this 31-day period in which, without evidence of insurability, he may convert his insurance at attained age to any form of individual insurance, except term insurance.

20. RETIREMENT

Chapter 32 of the Massachusetts General Laws governs the retirement of public employees.

21A. ALPHABETICAL LIST OF POSITIONS

POSITION	SCHEDULE	CLASSIFICATION
Accounting (PT)	6	PT-14
Account Clerk (PT)	6	PT-7
Appraiser	1	A-3A
Assistant Health Agent (PT)	6	PT-6
Assistant Librarian	1	A-1
Assistant Plumbing Inspector (PT)	6	PT-9A
Assistant Registrars (PT)	6	PT-3A
Asssitant Town Clerk (PT)	6	PT-7
Assistant Town Treasurer (PT)	6	PT-7

POSITION	SCHEDULE	CLASSIFICATION
Board of Registrars (PT)	6	PT-5
Building Inspector	1	A-6
Cemetery Supervisor	4	P-4
Chief Water Treatment & Pumping Station Opera- tor	1	A-5
Clerk, Fire Department (PT)	7	PTF-1
Clerk Typist (PT)	6	PT-5
Communications Operator	5	CO-2
Communications Operator	5	CO-1
Custodian	4	P-2
Director of Veterans Services (PT)	6	PT-13
Dog Officer (PT)	6	PT-5
DPW Superintendent	1	A-8
DPW Supervisor, Water, High- way	1	A-6
Electronic Accounting Machine Operator (PT)	6	PT-7
Equipment Operator	4	P-4
Equipment Operator, Skilled Motor	5	P-5
Fire Engineer Acting Chief (PT)	7	PTF-4
Firefighter (PT)	7	PTF-2
Firefighter Officer (PT)	7	PTF-3
Firefighter, Full Time	2	PSO-1
Foreman, Highway	4	P-6
Foreman, Water Distribution	4	P-6
Gas Inspector (PT)	6	PT-9A
Health Agent	1	A-4
Junior Clerk, Deputy Tax Collector (PT)	6	PT-6
Laborer	4	P-2
Laborer, Seasonal	6	PT-1
Librarian	1	A-2
Librarian Aid (PT)	6	PT-2
Library Assistant (PT)	6	PT-5
Motor Equipment Repairman	4	P-5
Playground Superintendent	4	P-2A
Plumbing Inspector (PT), Deputy Inspector	6	PT-9A
Public Health Nurse (PT)	6	PT-8

POSITION	SCHEDULE	CLASSIFICATION
Public Hearing Stenographer (PT)	6	PT-8
Registered Nurse (PT)	6	PT-9A
Sealer of Weights & Measures (PT)	6	PT-5
Secretary: Selectmen, Police, Assessors, Board of Health, DPW, Building Inspector, Accountant	3	C-2
Secretary, Part Time	6	PT-7
Senior Clerk, Deputy Tax Col- lector	3	C-2
Senior Laborer (PT)	4	P-3
Skilled Laborer	4	P-3
Superintendent of Local Pest Control	4	P-2A
Supervisor, Transfer Station	1	A-5
Tree Foreman (PT)	6	PT-9
Truck Driver	4	P-3A
Typist (PT)	6	PT-4
Veterans Agent (PT)	6	PT-11
Visiting Nurse	1	A-3
Water Collector (PT)	6	PT-12
Water Distribution Mechanic	4	P-4
Water Distribution, Skilled Mechanic	4	P-5
Water Main & Water Service Inspector (PT)	6	PT-8
Water Treatment Plant & Pumping Station Operator	4	P-5
Wire Inspector (PT), Deputy Inspector	6	PT-9A

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 5

Pay Schedule for Town Employees as proposed by Per-
sonnel Board

21B. PAY SCHEDULES

A-8	19,517	20,308	21,100	21,890	22,680	23,470	24,265
A-7							
A-6	11,679	12,485	13,335	14,174	14,738	15,302	15,867
A-5	10,966	11,446	11,832	12,021	12,502	12,983	13,673
A-4	10,444	10,903	11,267	11,447	11,905	12,362	12,820
A-3A	9,626	10,128	10,460	10,961	11,447	11,837	12,275
A-3	7,696	7,918	8,216	8,867	9,220	9,574	9,927
A-2	7,422	7,781	8,134	8,635	8,978	9,321	9,664
A-1	6,193	6,673	7,026	7,496	7,796	8,097	8,398

2. Public Safety-Rates Per Annum

PSO-1	9,262	9,595	9,928	10,260	10,671	11,083	11,494
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3. Clerical-Rates Per Annum

C-2	6,304	6,552	6,778	7,079	7,364	7,649	7,934
C-1	5,454	5,676	5,929	6,151	6,399	6,646	6,894

4. Production-Rates Per Hour

P-6	4.20	4.38	4.62	4.85	5.04	5.23	5.42
P-5	3.89	4.07	4.25	4.48	4.66	4.84	5.02
P-4	3.78	3.96	4.12	4.30	4.47	4.64	4.81
P-3A	3.41	3.58	3.82	3.99	4.15	4.31	4.47
P-3	3.28	3.48	3.69	3.82	3.96	4.11	4.26
P-2A	3.22	3.40	3.56	3.73	3.88	4.03	4.18
P-2	3.15	3.27	3.40	3.50	3.64	3.78	3.91
P-1	2.96	3.08	3.21	3.31	3.44	3.56	3.69

5. Communications-Rates Per Hour

CO-2	Midnight to 8:00 A.M.	3.03 to 3.32
CO-1	8:00 A.M. to Midnight	2.60 to 2.95

6. Part Time

PT-14	6,780 per year
PT-13	380 per year
PT-12	2,325 per year
PT-11	2,890 per year
PT-10	
PT-9A	4.30 per hour

PT-9	4.28	per hour		
PT-8	3.52	3.73	3.95	4.19 per hour
PT-7	3.23	3.42	3.63	3.85 per hour
PT-6	3.02	3.11	3.20	3.29 per hour
PT-5	2.82	2.90	2.99	3.08 per hour
PT-4	2.64	2.72	2.80	2.88 per hour
PT-3A	2.47	2.54	2.62	2.70 per hour
PT-3	2.31	2.38	2.45	2.52 per hour
PT-2	2.16	2.22	2.29	2.36 per hour
PT-1	3.08			

7. Fire Part Time

PTF-4	12 hours relief	22.00
	24 hour holiday standby	44.00
	Chiefs vacation standby	260.00 per week
PTF-3	4.28	
PTF-2	3.68	
PTF-1	3.68	

We move that the Town adopt the pay schedule for town employees as proposed by the Personnel Board as printed on pages 9 and 10 of the Advisory Committee Report.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town do so.

Motion, duly seconded to reconsider Article 4 was defeated unanimously.

ARTICLE 6

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town Charges for the period July 1, 1975 through June 30, 1976 inclusive, or take any other action relative thereto.

We move that the Town raise and appropriate such sums of money to defray Town charges in the amounts specified and by the method designated as recommended on pages 11 through 15 of the Advisory Committee Report. Each item is to be considered as a separate appropriation and such appropriation to be expended for that purpose only.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Advisory Committee—Payroll	\$300
Advisory Committee—Expenses	300
Selectmen's Payroll	13,581
Selectmen's Expenses	4,200
Accountant's Payroll	16,378
Accountant's Expenses	2,500
Treasurer's Payroll	17,271
Treasurer's Expenses	4,150
Tax Collector's Payroll	22,513
Tax Collector's Expenses	5,750
Assessor's Payroll	28,841
Assessor's Expenses	7,975
Town Clerk's Payroll	10,711
Town Clerk's Expenses	1,375
Law—Town Counsel	1,500
Law—Town Counsel Expenses	500
Law—Other Legal Expenses	10,000
Law—Tax Title Expenses	500
Elections, Town Meetings—Salaries	4,500
Elections, Town Meetings—Expenses	4,500
Registrars—Payroll	5,200
Registrars—Expenses	3,800
Planning Board—Payroll	850
Planning Board—Expenses	7,100
Board of Appeals—Payroll	1,787
Board of Appeals—Expenses	1,600
Town Hall—Payroll	8,062
Town Hall—Expenses	7,050
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Total	\$192,794

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police—Payroll		\$305,009
Police—Expenses	A & B	32,955
Fire Department—Payroll		46,668
Fire Department—Expenses	A	22,900
Suppression of Fires—Payroll		30,000
Building Inspector—Payroll		21,516
Building Inspector—Expenses		3,000
Gas Inspector—Payroll		1,138
Gas Inspector—Expenses		250
Plumbing Inspector—Payroll		3,250

Plumbing Inspector—Expenses	250
Wiring Inspector—Payroll	5,341
Wiring Inspector—Expenses	500
Sealer of Weights & Measures— Payroll	1,000
Sealer of Weights & Measures— Expenses	200
Dog Officer—Payroll	2,000
Dog Officer—Expenses	500
Emergency Communications— Payroll	32,000
Emergency Communications— Expenses	12,150
Total	<hr/> \$520,627

A—\$50,855 to be appropriated from the State
& Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account.

B—\$5,000 to be appropriated from the E &
D Fund.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Administration—Salaries	\$26,860
Administration—Expenses	11,000
Sub Total	<hr/> \$37,860
Highway—Salaries	\$123,558
Highway—Expenses	58,500
Snow & Ice Removal—Payroll	13,000
Snow & Ice Removal—Expenses	50,000
Sub Total	<hr/> \$245,058
Water—Salaries	A 102,714
Water—Expenses	A 219,856
Sub Total	<hr/> A \$322,570
Cemetery—Salaries	B 26,500
Cemetery—Expenses	C 9,400
Sub Total	<hr/> B, C \$35,900
Tree—Salaries	\$8,000
Tree—Expenses	6,500
Sub Total	<hr/> \$14,500

Drainage—Expenses	15,000
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Total	\$670,888
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A—To be appropriated from Water Revenue Account, July 1, 1975 - June 30, 1976.

B—\$5,800 to be appropriated from the Graves and Foundations Account.

C—\$9,400 to be appropriated from the Perpetual Care Fund (interest only).

SCHOOLS

Hanover School Department:

A—Regular Day School	\$4,622,914
B—Special Education	406,232
D—Vacation School	15,925
E—Vocational Day School	21,660
F—Vocational Evening School	500
G—Extended Opportunities Program	38,615

Total Budget	\$5,105,846
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South Shore Regional Vocational School	108,167
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Total Appropriation	5,214,013
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LESS: Estimated Receipts

1. Federal Funds	87,000
2. Evening School Fees	4,000

Total to be applied	91,000
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NET to be raised and appropriated \$5,123,013

HEALTH & SANITATION

Visiting Nurse—Payroll	\$12,224
Visiting Nurse—Expenses	730
Board of Health—Payroll	23,976
Board of Health—Expenses	A 26,625
Transfer Station—Payroll	36,697
Transfer Station—Expenses	A 108,968
Inspector of Animals—Payroll	500

Totals	\$209,720
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A—135,593 to be appropriated from the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account.

VETERANS ASSISTANCE

Director of Veterans Services—	
Payroll	\$2,890
Director of Veterans Services—	
Expenses	550
Veterans Agent—Payroll	380
Veterans Benefits	75,000
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Totals	\$78,820

PARK & RECREATION

Park & Recreation—Payroll	\$17,685
Park & Recreation—Expenses	7,450
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Totals	\$25,135

LIBRARY

John Curtis Free Library—Salaries	\$35,709
John Curtis Free Library—Expenses	10,000
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Totals	\$45,709

PENSIONS - RETIREMENT

Plymouth County Retirement Fund	\$100,977
Plymouth County Retirement Fund—	
Expenses	2,667
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Totals	\$103,644

UNCLASSIFIED

Town Reports	\$ 7,500
Memorial Day	1,500
Veterans Day	800
Blue Cross-Blue Shield Insurance—	
Expense	63,000
Group Life Insurance Expense	3,600
Insurance	65,000
Clerical Pool—Payroll	200
Personnel Board—Payroll	200
Personnel Board—Expenses	500
Town Gas Pump & Storage	30,000
Reserve Fund	A, B 75,000

Council for the Aging		2,500
Street Lighting		30,000
Street Acceptances—Expenses		500
Development and Industrial		
Commission Expenses		575
Traffic Signs & Signals	B	5,000
Memorial Squares	B	2,000

Totals		<u>\$287,875</u>
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A—\$40,000 to be appropriated from Overlay Surplus Account.

B—\$42,000 to be appropriated from the E & D Fund.

INTEREST ON MATURING DEBT

Interest on Temporary Loans		\$5,000
Interest on Maturing Debts—		
Schools	A	167,115
Interest on Maturing Debts—		
Water	B	49,525
Principal Payments on		
Maturing Debt—Schools	A	300,000
Principal Payments on		
Maturing Debt—Water	A, C	150,000
Bond Issue Expenses	

Totals		<u>\$671,640</u>
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A—\$557,115 to be appropriated from the E & D Fund.

B—To be appropriated from Water Revenue Account July 1, 1975 - June 30, 1976.

C—\$60,000 to be appropriated from Surplus Water Revenue.

Grand Total of Budget Recommendations		\$7,929,865
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Raise and Appropriate	\$6,652,007
From E & D Fund	604,115
From State & Local Assistance Act	
of 1972 Account	186,448
From Overlay Surplus Account	40,000
From Water Revenue Account	372,095
From Surplus Water Revenue	60,000
From Graves & Foundations Account	5,800
From Perpetual Care Fund	
(interest only)	<u>9,400</u>

\$7,929,865

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 7

To see if the Town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to use all means of collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer when appointed Collector may use, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 8

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975, in accordance with provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and acts in amendment thereof, and including in addition thereto Chapter 849, of the Acts of 1969 as amended, and to issue a note or notes, thelefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 9

To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Treasurer to accept such trust funds as may be placed in her hands during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1975, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 10

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$3,261.95 the sum of the 1974 Dog Tax, to the Trustees of the John Curtis Free Library, said money to be expended under the direction of the Trustees of said Library, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 11

To receive such accounts as may be presented against the Town, and act thereon, or take any other action relative thereto.

Moved that the Town appropriate the sum of \$2,265.26 from the E & D Fund and to credit \$1,880.00 to School Trans-

portation for the period January 1, 1973 thru June 30, 1974 and credit \$385.26 for Police Salaries for the period April 1, 1974 thru June 30, 1974.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 12

To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to dispose of such parcels of real estate as may have been or may be taken by the Town under Tax Title foreclosure proceedings, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 13

To see if the Town will vote to transfer the following unexpended balances to the E and D Account:

Build & Equip New Fire Station	\$18.01
Highway—Sandspreader Body	219.30
Highway—New Front end Loader	1,140.14
Highway—New Dump Truck	656.43
Final Plans & Specs for Addition to Cedar Elementary School	3,120.95
Middle School Building Committee	620.06
Municipal Golf Study Committee	3,000.00
Park—Clear Land—Ellis Field	4.72
Park—New Tractor	158.00

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 14

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote to borrow funds under Article 2 of the Warrant for the Special Town Meeting held January 13, 1969, to the extent that the funds have not been borrowed thereunder, in the amount of \$100,000.00 for the construction of an Addition to the Cedar Elementary School or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 15

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote to borrow funds under Article 38 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1970 to the extent that the funds have not been borrowed thereunder, in the amount of \$100,000.00 for the

construction of the new Junior High School or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 16

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from any available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money to be added to the Stabilization Fund created under Article 15 of the 1958 Annual Town Meeting, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That Article be passed over.

ARTICLE 17

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$100 for the use of the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture and authorize the Board of Selectmen to choose a director to serve for the period July 1, 1975 to June 30, 1976 inclusive, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$100.00 from the E & D Fund for this purpose, and the Board of Selectmen so be authorized.

ARTICLE 18

To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of tidal and non-tidal rivers and streams, harbors, tidewaters, foreshores and shores along a public beach, including the Merrimack and Connecticut Rivers, in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 19

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of money to be added

to the Police Salary Account to enable payment of additional salaries resulting from collective bargaining agreements.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$25,000.00 from the E & D Fund and credit police salary for the period July 1, 1974 through June 30, 1975.

ARTICLE 20

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of money to purchase and equip one (1) new Mini-Bus to be used under the direction of the Hanover Council for the Aging, said purchasing and equipping to be done by the Hanover Council for the Aging and the Board of Selectmen, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$5,249.00 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 21

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$1,000.00 to be used under the direction of the Hanover Council for the Aging for the operation of a Mini-Bus, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 22

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of seventy-five hundred dollars (\$7,500) for the purpose of engineering, surveying and mapping areas within the Town which may fall under the classification of wetlands, flood plain, swamp, watershed, and similar designation. Said money to be expended under the direction of the Hanover Planning Board which is to report at the next annual Town Meeting or at any preceding special Town Meeting with appropriate article or articles intended to protect the Town's water supply, the major streams and other areas subject to flooding, pollution, erosion or other dangers of similar nature.

Submitted by the Hanover Planning Board

VOTED: Not to accept this Article—211 in the affirmative and 238 in the negative. A motion to reconsider the

Article was defeated—247 in the affirmative 178 in the negative—not a required 2/3 majority vote and reconsideration did not carry.

It was voted at 11:15 P.M., to adjourn this meeting to Tuesday, May 6, 1975, to convene at the High School at 7:30 P.M.

A true record. Attest:

JOHN W. MURPHY,
Town Clerk

JOURNAL FOR ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Tuesday, May 6, 1975

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at the Hanover High School at 8:00 P.M., with 618 voters present.

ARTICLE 23

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Hanover Zoning By-Law by deleting the words "having thereon an existing residence" from the first sentence in Section VI, G, 2 and from the first sentence in Section VI, G, 3 and from the first sentence in Section VII, B, 4 or take any other action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Hanover Planning Board

A favorable report by the Planning Board was read.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 24

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Hanover Zoning By-Law by eliminating all of SECTION VI, B., Residence A District and replacing it with the following:

SECTION VI

B. Residence A District

The Residence A District is intended as a district for rural, residential and non-commercial uses.

1. Uses Permitted:

a. Uses a, b and c permitted in a Recreational-Conservation District Paragraph A1, subject to the same restrictions.

b. One single-family dwelling per lot.

c. Fields, pastures, woodlots, greenhouses and farms as permitted in the Conservation-Recreation District.

d. Barns, stables and kennels for pets and animals. Such use shall be clearly incidental to and secondary to the use as a residence and shall be clearly of a private rather than business nature and shall present no sight, sound or odor nuisance in the adjoining areas.

e. Display and sale or offering for sale of farm produce providing that such produce is raised on the premises and sold by the owner or the resident of the land, and provided that any stand or other structure shall not be located within twenty-five feet (25') of any street or side line and provisions shall be made for off street parking in accord with Section VII D.

f. Accessory uses, including such normal accessory uses as private garages, storage sheds, tennis courts, swimming pools and summer houses.

g. An incidental home occupation which does not employ or utilize non-resident personnel on the premises and which does not have any exterior appearances including use of signs. Other home occupations or professional offices shall comply with the provision of Section 2,b below.

2. The following uses may be permitted upon application to and approval of the Board of Appeals under the procedures specified in Section IX. Such approval may be granted providing the applicant is able to substantiate the following: (1) The use shall be clearly incidental to and secondary to the primary use as a residence; (2) The use shall not interfere with the safety and privacy of adjoining properties:

3. The use shall not cause an immediate or potential devaluation of property values of adjoining properties and the general area.

a. Boarding houses or rooming houses for not more than four (4) persons, provided that the house is primarily occupied as a private residence and the number of rooms devoted to this use shall not exceed 20% of the total rooms.

b. Professional office or customary home occupation, provided that:

(1) The profession or customary home occupation is conducted by the owner or resident of the premises.

(2) No noise, vibration, smoke, dust, odors, heat, glare, unsightliness or other nuisance is produced which may be discernable from other properties or public ways.

(3) There is no public display of goods or wares.

(4) There is no exterior storage of material or vehicles or equipment and no exterior evidence of a non-residential use of the premises excepting signs as permitted by Hanover Sign By-Law.

(5) There is adequate off-street parking for any employee or visitors.

c. Conversion of a dwelling existing at the time of the original adoption of the Hanover Zoning By-Law, in June, 1955, to allow for the inclusion of a second dwelling unit. The external appearance of the house shall not be changed and there shall be sufficient floor area as specified in Section VII, B of the Hanover Zoning By-Law.

3. The following uses may be permitted upon application to and approval by the Board of Appeals under the procedures specified in Section IX. Such approval may be granted providing the applicant is able to substantiate the following:

(1) The intended uses shall not derogate from the intent of this section of the Hanover Zoning By-Law; (2) the use shall not interfere with the safety and privacy of adjoining properties; (3) The use shall not cause an immediate or potential devaluation of property values of adjoining properties and the general area.

a. Museums and playgrounds.

b. Private schools, nursery schools and colleges, provided adequate parking areas are provided in accord with Section VII D, and there is no external change of appearance of any dwelling converted for such use.

c. Cemeteries, hospitals, sanitariums or other medical institutions including nursing homes, non-profit research laboratories or charitable institutions.

d. Membership clubs

4. A use essentially of similar character to the permitted uses of this district and to the intent of this district. The determination of suitability shall be made by the Board of Appeals upon petition by the owner or owners. Said petitioner must show the projected use will: (1) not derogate from the intent of this section of the Hanover Zoning By-Law; (2) not interfere with the safety and privacy of adjoining properties; (3) not cause an immediate or potential devaluation of property values of adjoining properties and the general area.

Submitted by Hanover Planning Board

A favorable report by the Planning Board was read.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 25

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding to Section VI G the following new paragraph;

4. Municipal uses which have been approved by at least a two-thirds vote of a Town Meeting shall be permitted in all Districts. Such municipal uses shall conform to the provisions of Section VII B, C and D appropriately to the District concerned unless license to deviate therefrom is granted by the Board of Appeals after Public Hearing as provided in Section IX.

Submitted by the Hanover Planning Board

A favorable report by the Planning Board was read.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That this Article be passed over.

ARTICLE 26

To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning map which is part of the zoning by-law to extend the Limited Industrial District by rezoning, from Residence A to Limited Industrial, lot 113 and the portions of lots 64 and 114 not already zoned Limited Industrial, all as shown on Hanover Assessor's plan 43, or take any other action thereon.

A favorable report by the Planning Board was read.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 27

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding the following provisions to Section VI:

H. Planned Unit Condominium Development

1. General Requirements

The Board of Appeals may grant a special permit for the construction and occupancy of a planned unit condominium development in the residence district as hereinafter defined and limited under the procedure set forth in Section IX of this By-Law.

2. Definition

A Planned Unit Condominium Development shall mean a sub-division to be developed as an entity by a landowner

which does not correspond in lot size, bulk or type of dwelling, density, intensity of development or required open space to regulations in any one or other district established by this Zoning By-Law.

3. Intent

The major purpose of the Planned Unit Condominium Development, in addition to the general purposes governing this By-Law, is to provide for multiple family dwelling units in certain districts in the town at somewhat greater density than might normally be allowed in each district without detracting from the livability and aesthetic qualities of the environment. A Planned Unit Condominium Development should result in:

- (a) Economical and efficient street and utility construction, installation and maintenance;
- (b) Efficient allocation distribution and maintenance of common open space;
- (c) Land use harmonious with natural features; and
- (d) The development of real property values for the long-range future.

4. Use Regulations

In a Planned Unit Condominium Development the following uses shall be permitted:

- (a) Condominium Units
- (b) Places of Worship
- (c) Accessory uses as defined in Section II A of this By-Law.

5. Dimensional Regulations

In a Planned Unit Condominium Development the following requirements relating to density and intensity of land use shall be met;

(a) The total area of land within the development shall be 20 acres or more, and having frontage on a street as defined herein, from at least 50 feet. No structure shall be closer than 100 ft. of the street on which the development has frontage.

(b) The maximum height of each structure shall be 2½ stories or not more than 30 feet from the ground level to the eave line of the roof.

(c) The maximum number of dwelling units per structure shall be 24.

(d) No structure within the development shall be closer than 50 feet from any other structure.

(e) The minimum set-back from a way within the development shall be 40 feet.

(f) There shall be a minimum open space of 50 feet in depth along the boundary of the development.

(g) Maximum land coverage of impervious materials including building coverage, accessory building coverage and road coverage shall be 30% of the total land area. The remaining land area shall be common open space area within the development, and may have included therein area dedicated to recreational use such as tennis courts, swimming pools and recreational structures.

(h) Dwelling units in a condominium shall have the following minimum square feet of living space, exclusive of hallways:

(1) One bedroom condominium units, 750 square feet.

(2) Two bedroom condominium units, 900 square feet.

(i) No dwelling unit within a condominium may exceed two bedrooms.

(j) Minimum parking requirements shall be 1½ parking spaces for each dwelling unit, plus parking facilities for employees as determined by the Board of Appeals.

(k) Common Land or area shall be held in either corporate ownership or ownership of a trust entity, which entity shall be owned by the owners of condominium units within the development, and the developer shall include in a deed to the owners, beneficial rights in the common land and an easement shall be conveyed to the Town of Hanover against development of said land and the erection thereon of any structures other than those for recreational use.

(l) Maximum number: Each Planned Unit Condominium Development shall not contain more than 200 dwelling units.

(m) Proximity to other Planned Unit Condominium Developments: In order to further the general intent of the Zoning By-Law and in furtherance of the density of the general residence district, no Planned Unit Condominium Development may be closer than 1,000 feet, measured in a straight line, from property line of one condominium development to the nearest property line of the other condominium development, except where a public way intervenes.

(n) Specifications of ways within the development: The Board of Public Works shall establish specifications for construction of ways and installation of water service within a Planned Unit Condominium Development, which regulations and specifications shall be in writing and applicable to all such developments, and provided that no way within the development shall have a width of layout of less than 36 feet or a width of paved travel surface of less than 24 feet, and no turnaround or cul-de-sac shall have a radius of less than 80 feet.

(o) Through Traffic: No through traffic from one street to another street shall be allowed through a Planned Unit Condominium Development unless one way within the Planned Unit Condominium Development is designated as "major street through traffic" and is laid out and constructed in compliance with Sub-division Control Law Rules and Regulations of the Planning Board for major roads within a sub-division.

(p) Deviations: The Board of Appeals may authorize deviations from the dimensional regulations set forth herein where the boundary location or configuration of a parcel of land makes it impractical to comply in full with every specification of this By-Law, and to provide that in the opinion of the Board of Appeals such deviation does not derogate from the general intent and scheme of the specifications in this By-Law.

6. In addition to the dimensional and use regulations set forth herein, the Board of Appeals shall consider, in reviewing the site plan, the following factors:

(a) Protection of adjoining premises against any possible detrimental or offensive uses on the site, including unsightly or obnoxious appearance;

(b) Convenience and safety of vehicular and pedestrian movement within the site, and in relation to adjacent streets, property or improvements;

(c) Adequacy of the methods of disposal for sewerage, refuse and other wastes resulting from the uses permitted or permissible on the site, and the methods of drainage for surface water:

(d) Adequacy of space for the off-street loading and unloading of vehicles, goods, products, materials and equipment incidental to the normal operation of the establishment or use.

(e) Protection from flood hazards, considering such factors as: Elevation of buildings, drainage, adequacy of sewerage disposal; construction methods; erosion and sedimentation control; equipment location; refuse disposal; storage of bouyant material; extent of paving; effect of fill; roadways or other encroachments on flood runoff and flow; storage of chemicals and other hazardous substances.

7. Procedural Controls

The following procedures shall be required for the presentation of a Planned Unit Condominium Development Plan:

(a) An application in the form prescribed by the Board of Appeals together with such filing fee as may be required shall be submitted to the Town Clerk, together with plans in triplicate drawn as hereinafter specified, who shall forthwith transmit such application and plans to the Board of Appeals.

(b) Plan Requirements:

(1) The plan shall be prepared by a registered professional engineer and registered land surveyor in accordance with specifications contained in the rules and regulations of the Planning Board for preliminary subdivision plans.

(2) In addition to the requirements of sub-paragraph (1), there shall also be submitted a plan of proposed sewerage disposal systems, together with soil analysis and such other data as the Board of Health may require for its approval.

(3) Architects Drawings of the proposed structures showing details of elevation and room layout and size and exterior design shall be submitted with the application.

(c) Copies of plans shall be delivered by the applicant within ten days of filing with the Town Clerk to the following:

- (1) Board of Health
- (2) Board of Public Works
- (3) Conservation Commission
- (4) Building Inspector
- (5) Planning Board

(d) Final Approval:

The Board of Appeals shall not take final action on an application until 45 days have elapsed from the date of filing with the Town Clerk.

(e) Effect of Final Approval:

A special permit for a Planned Unit Condominium Development issued hereunder by the Board of Appeals is primarily an authorization for the use of lots for the purposes set forth herein. A favorable recommendation by the Planning Board that the special permit be issued under this provision shall not, therefore be deemed to constitute subdivision approval under the Subdivision Control Law or the Subdivision Rules and Regulations of the Planning Board.

8. Definitions

For the purpose of this By-Law certain words and terms used herein shall be interpreted as follows:

(a) Dwelling Unit:

A structure, or portion thereof providing complete living facilities for one family.

(b) Condominiums:

A spatial unit (such as a dwelling) in which the units are individually owned and deeded. Each unit owner has an undivided interest in the common areas and facilities which serve the project. Common areas and facilities include land, roofs, floors, main walls, stairways, lobbies and halls, parking space and community and commercial facilities. The ratio of the value of the individual unit to the total value of all units determines the extent of the unit owner's interest in the unit owner's voting interest in the owner's association responsible for the overall management of the condominium.

(c) Street:

An accepted municipal way (Town, County, or State), or a way shown on a definitive plan of subdivision approved by the Planning Board.

An adverse report was read by the Planning Board.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That this Article be passed over.

ARTICLE 28

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws by revising the Hanover, Massachusetts Zoning Map as follows:

The land situated on the southerly side of Hanover Street, shown on Town of Hanover Assessors' Map Plan No. 43 as Lots Number 42 through 48, a distance of 200 feet back from Hanover Street, which land is now zoned for Residence, be

hereafter designated "Business", or take any other action relative thereto.

A favorable report by the Planning Board was read.

VOTED: That this Article be passed over.

ARTICLE 29

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate, as one sum, for the use of the Trustees of the John Curtis Free Library, the sum of \$3,790.13 now in the E and D Account, representing the receipts from State Assistance to that Library during the year 1974, or take any other action relative thereto.

Trustees, John Curtis Free Library

VOTED: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 30

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of money to purchase and equip two (2) station wagons ambulance type 1975 police cruisers and to authorize the trade in of the two (2) present 1974 Ford station wagons, ambulance type police cruisers, said purchasing and equipping to be under the direction of the Chief of Police and the Board of Selectmen or take any other action relative thereto.

Hanover Police Department

Moved that the Town appropriate \$8,580.00 from the State & Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account for this purpose.

SO VOTED.

ARTICLE 31

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of money to purchase and equip (1) sedan type 1975 police cruiser to use as a K-9 car and to authorize the trade in of the present 1969 Chevrolet station wagon K-9 car. Said purchasing and equipping to be under the direction of the Chief of Police and the Board of Selectmen or take any other action relative thereto.

Hanover Police Department

Moved that the Town appropriate \$4,230.00 from State & Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account for this purpose.

SO VOTED.

ARTICLE 32

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of money to purchase and equip a 750 G.P.M. Pumping Engine and to authorize the trade-in of a 1958 Ford Pumping Engine, said purchasing and equipping to be done under the direction of the Board of Fire Engineers, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Fire Engineers

Motion to pass over this Article did not carry. Moved that the Town raise and appropriate \$35,000 for this purpose.

SO VOTED.

ARTICLE 33

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of \$2,500.00 to purchase hose, said purchasing to be done by the Board of Fire Engineers, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Fire Engineers

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 34

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of money to purchase and equip a 1975 Station Wagon Type Vehicle for use of the Fire Department and to authorize the trade-in of the present 1971 Dodge Station Wagon, said purchasing and equipping to be done under the direction of the Board of Fire Engineers, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Fire Engineers

Moved that the Town appropriate \$3,342.00 from the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account for this purpose.

SO VOTED.

ARTICLE 35

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$28,000.00 to purchase and equip one (1) new Ambulance to be used under the direction of the Hanover Board of Fire Engineers. Said

purshasing and equipping to be under the direction of the Hanover Board of Fire Engineers, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

Moved that this Article be passed over.

SO VOTED.

ARTICLE 36

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$4,500.00 for the purpose of installing School Zone Flashing Speed Limit Lights on Washington Street at the Cardinal Cushing Training School; said appropriation to be reimbursed by the State to the Town of Hanover under the provisions of Chapter 616 of the Acts of 1967 of the General Laws, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$4,500.00 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 37

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of money necessary to purchase or lease one N.C.R. 399, 1975 Model Minicomputer or its equal. Said purchasing or leasing to be under the direction of the Town Treasurer, or take any other action thereto.

Town Treasurer

Moved that this Article be passed over.

SO VOTED.

ARTICLE 38

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$4,000.00 for Brook and Stream Clearance, all works to be done and expenditures made by the Board of Public Works Commissioners with the assistance of the Drainage Co-ordinating Committee, or take any other action relative thereto.

Drainage Co-ordinating Committee

Moved that this Article be passed over.

SO VOTED.

ARTICLE 39

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of money to purchase and equip a one-half ton truck for use by the Board of Health. Said purchasing and equipping to be done under the direction of the Board of Health, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Health

Moved that this Article be passed over.

SO VOTED.

ARTICLE 40

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of opening an account to be used for land damage awards for street takings for the period of July 1, 1975 through June 30, 1976, inclusive, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

Motion that the Town appropriate the sum of \$15,000 from the E & D Fund for this purpose did not carry.

ARTICLE 41

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of money for the cost of constructing and originally equipping a Public Works Garage to be constructed on a site selected by the Annual Town Meeting of 1975; said project to be under the direction and control of the Board of Public Works, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

Motion that the Town appropriate from the Stabilization Fund \$150,000 and raise and appropriate \$79,845 for a total of \$229,845.00 did not carry.

ARTICLE 42

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds, the sum of \$40,000.00 for the purpose of purchasing a parcel of land as a site for a Public Works Garage. Said parcel being situated on the West-erly side of Winter Street and containing 11.6 acres, more or less, being a portion of land of Susquehanna Properties, Inc.

and being shown on a "Plan of proposed DPW garage location" on file with the office of the Town Clerk or to take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

Motion that this Article be passed over.

SO VOTED.

After Article 73 it was moved and seconded that Article 42 be reconsidered.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That this Article be reconsidered.

Moved and seconded that the Town appropriate the sum of \$40,000.00 from the Stabilization Fund for this purpose.

SO VOTED UNANIMOUSLY.

ARTICLE 43

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$30,000.00 to purchase or take by eminent domain a certain parcel of land situated on the southerly side of Cedar Street containing 20 acres, more or less, being Lot 8, Plan 335 of the Assessors' Maps of the Town of Hanover, property of Rose Callahan et als, as a site for a Public Works Garage, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

Moved that this Article be passed over.

SO VOTED.

It was voted at 11:10 P.M., to adjourn this meeting to Wednesday, May 7, 1975 to convene at the High School at 7:30 P.M.

A true record. Attest:

JOHN W. MURPHY
Town Clerk

JOURNAL FOR ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**Wednesday May 7, 1975**

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at the Hanover High School at 8:05 P.M., with 364 voters present.

ARTICLE 44

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$1,010.00 to be paid to a Public Works Department employee representing the difference between the amount he received under Workmen's Compensation benefits and the amount he would have received for sick leave which was accrued for the period January 14, 1974 through June 15, 1974, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That this Article be passed over.

ARTICLE 45

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$40,000 for the purpose of a lime feeding system for the water treatment plant or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That this Article be passed over.

A motion, duly seconded, to reconsider Article 41 was defeated 147 in the affirmative, 120 in the negative, a 2/3 majority vote not obtained.

ARTICLE 46

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$20,000 for the purpose of employing consulting engineers, drilling test wells and performing such other tests and functions necessary to determine steps to be taken to protect groundwater supplies of the Town; said project to be carried out at the direction of the Board of Public Works, which is hereby authorized to enter into all contracts and agreements in connection therewith and to make application for and accept any Federal or State funds, which may be allocated or may become available to be applied for and allocated to the cost of the project

and to expend the same as required or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$10,000 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 47

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$8,500 to purchase and equip two (2) service vans and to authorize the trade-in of one (1) 1970 Ford Utility Truck and one (1) 1968 Ford Utility Truck, said purchasing and equipping to be under the direction of the Board of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$8,500 from Surplus Water Revenue for this purpose.

ARTICLE 48

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$23,750 for the installation of 2400 LF of 12 inch water main extending from the intersection of Main and Plain Streets to Union Street; said work to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That this Article be passed over.

ARTICLE 49

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds, the sum of \$18,000 for the purpose of cleaning and painting and providing preventative maintenance for water standpipe or to take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$18,000 from Surplus Water Revenue for this purpose.

ARTICLE 50

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$51,863, which appears on the

Cherry Sheet under the provisions of Chapter 497, Acts of 1971, for the maintenance and construction of all or portions of the following various Town roads: Old Town Way, Phillips Street, Broadway, Washington Street, Samoset Drive and Tecumseh Drive and Silver Street.

Board of Public Works

VOTED: 176 in the affirmative, 106 in the negative that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$51,863 for this purpose.

ARTICLE 51

To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$26,000 from the proceeds received or to be received from the State under the provisions of Section 4 Chapter 825, Acts of 1974 and to authorize the Treasurer to borrow funds in anticipation of this article for the reconstruction of a portion of Center Street and Spring Street and any other work permitted under the provisions of said Act, on such roads within the Town as may be approved by the Board of Selectmen and the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$26,000 for this purpose.

ARTICLE 52

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate under the provisions of Chapter 765, Acts of 1972 or transfer from available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$7,000 of Town funds which may be used for State Aid Construction or improvement for Summer, Webster, and or Mill Streets in conjunction with available funds of \$19,493 and county funds of \$7,000 and in addition to transfer from available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$26,493 to meet the state's and county's share of cost of work, reimbursement received therefrom to be returned to available funds.

Board of Public Works

Motion to delete Mill Street did not carry.

SO VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$33,493 for this purpose.

ARTICLE 53

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$5,500 to purchase and equip a used air compressor mounted on a used truck; said purchasing and equipping to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$5,500 from Surplus Water Revenue for this purpose.

ARTICLE 54

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$10,000 to purchase and equip one (1) new 2-ton Dump Truck; said purchasing and equipping to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: 186 in the affirmative and 105 in the negative that the Town appropriate the sum of \$10,000 from the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account for this purpose.

ARTICLE 55

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$10,000 for the purpose of hiring an engineering firm to determine the maximum live load for all bridges in the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That this Article be passed over.

ARTICLE 56

To see if the Town will authorize the Department of Public Works to enter into multi-year service contracts on equipment or facilities, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That this Article be passed over.

ARTICLE 57

To see if the Town will vote a sum of money for the purpose of providing a drainage easement. Said easement will be taken by eminent domain for the purpose of collecting and disposing of water on Summer Street onto the property known as Plan 51, Lot 10, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

Moved that the Town appropriate the sum of \$100.00 from the E & D Fund for the purpose of providing a drain easement said easement to be purchased or taken by eminent domain for the purpose of collecting and disposing of water on Summer Street onto the property known as Plan 51, Lot 10.

VOTD UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 58

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$4,000 to purchase and equip a new ½-ton pick-up truck; said purchasing and equipping to be under the direction of the Board of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$4,000 from the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account for this purpose.

ARTICLE 59

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$6,000.00 to purchase and equip one (1) used tractor and trailer, which is capable of moving a ¾ yard backhoe and shovel dozer; said purchasing and equipping to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$6,000 from the E & D fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 60

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$3,500 to purchase and equip one (1) used 2-ton International Dump

Truck; said purchasing and equipping to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$3,500 from the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account for the purpose of purchasing and equipping one (1) used 2-ton Dump Truck; said purchasing and equipping to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Works.

ARTICLE 61

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$20,000 to purchase and equip a rubber-tired backhoe; said purchasing and equipping to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$20,000 from the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account for this purpose.

ARTICLE 62

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$3,000.00 to purchase 400 feet of 6 feet high chainlink fence for the Assinippi Cemetery; said purchasing to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Public Works

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$3,000 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 63

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$112,500.00 for the use of the Conservation Commission or take any other action relative thereto.

Conservation Commission

Moved that the Town appropriate the sum of \$58,900 from the E & D Fund to the Conservation Fund for this purpose.

Motion to amend the amount to \$15,900 was defeated.

VOTED: That the Town accept the original motion.

ARTICLE 64

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$5,000.00 for the care and maintenance of Conservation properties within the Town; to be expended by the Highway Division of the Hanover Department of Public Works, or take any other action relative thereto.

Conservation Commission

SO VOTED: That this Article be passed over.

ARTICLE 65

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Hanover Conservation Commission to negotiate and enter into a ten year lease, with an option to renew said lease for an additional ten year term with Robert Zaniboni or others, to allow Zaniboni or others to lease the "Clark Cranberry Bog" so called off King Street, containing three (3) acres more or less, or take any other action relative thereto.

Conservation Commission

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 66

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$2,500.00 as authorized by Section I of Chapter 911 of the 1971 Acts of the General Court. Said funds to be added to the unexpended funds in the Hanover Bicentennial account, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2 of said Chapter 911 in anticipation of the celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of the American Revolution, or take any other action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Hanover Bicentennial Comm.

Moved that the Town appropriate the sum of \$2,500 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

A short recess was called by the moderator.

Mr. Gibbs was introduced and called to the podium by the moderator.

Mr. Gibbs explained that one of the Bicentennial Committees projects was a reprinting of the 1910 History. Each school will be given a copy and the public can purchase a copy from the John Curtis Free Library. An updated History will

be published in 1976. The Committee dedicated this 1910 Reprinted History to Fanny Hitchcock Phillips, President Emeritus and Honorary Chairman of the Bicentennial Committee.

The meeting was returned to order.

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$2,500 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 67

To see if the Town will empower the Hanover Bicentennial Committee to explore the possibilities and practicality of the Town of Hanover acquiring the Drummer Stetson House situated on Hanover Street near the Town Center as the Town's Historic House and to explore the means and costs of maintaining and utilizing said structure as an historical landmark. Said Committee shall report to the next Annual Town Meeting with information and recommendations; or take any other action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Hanover Bicentennial Committee

Motion that this Article be passed over did not carry.

Motion to accept this Article so voted.

ARTICLE 68

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following by-law establishing an Historic District Commission and an Historic District, under the provision of Chapter 40C General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.

HANOVER HISTORIC DISTRICT BY-LAW

1. There is hereby established an Historic District Commission under the provisions of the "Historic Districts Act" Chapter 40C, General Laws as amended to date, consisting of seven members appointed by the Selectmen in the following manner: One member, where possible, from two nominees submitted by the Hanover Historical Society (or in the absence of a local society by the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities); one member, where possible, from two nominees submitted by applicable local chapter of the American Institute of Architects; and one member, where possible, from two nominees submitted by the Board of Realtors covering Plymouth County. At least two of the seven members shall be residents of any Historic District or

Districts established in Hanover. When The Commission is first established, two members shall be appointed for a term of one year, two shall be appointed for a term of two years, and three shall be appointed in like manner for three years; and their successors shall be appointed in like manner for terms of three years. All such members shall serve without compensation.

2. The Historic District Commission shall have all the powers and duties of historic district commissions as provided by the Historic Districts Act, Chapter 40C, General Laws, and of subsequent amendments thereto.

3. The Historic District Commission shall adopt rules and regulations for the conduct of its business not inconsistent with the provisions of the Historic Districts Act and in conformance with Section 10e of said Act.

4. When taking action under the provisions of Section 11 of Chapter 40C, G.L., the Historic District Commission shall make a determination as reasonably soon as practical and possible but in no case shall such time exceed 45 days after the filing of an application for a Certificate of Appropriateness excepting when further time is requested by the applicant in writing.

5. The Historic District Commission may, subject to appropriations, employ clerical and/or technical assistants or consultants and incur other proper expenses for carrying on its work. It may accept money gifts and expend the same for such purposes. It may, under properly delegated direction, administer for the Town any properties or lesser interests which the Town may own or acquire as gifts. It may carry out such other duties, authority and powers which may be delegated to it by appropriate Town action.

6. In passing upon matters before it the commission shall consider, among other things, the historic and architectural value and significance of the site, building or structure, the general design, arrangement, texture, material and color of the features involved, and the relation of such features to similar features of buildings and structures in the surrounding area. In the case of new construction or additions to existing buildings or structures, the Commission shall consider the appropriateness of the size and shape of the building or structure both in relation to the land area upon which they are situated and to other buildings or structures in the vicinity. The Commission may, in appropriate cases, impose

dimensional and set-back requirements in addition to those required by applicable ordinance or by-law. The Commission shall not consider interior arrangements or architectural features which are not subject to public view. The Commission shall not make any recommendations or requirements except for the purpose of preventing developments incongruous to the historic aspects or the architectural characteristics of the surroundings and of the Historic District.

7. In case any section, paragraph or part of this by-law be for any reason declared invalid or unconstitutional by any court of last resort, every other section, paragraph or part shall continue in full force and effect.

8. There is hereby established an Historic District to be known as the "Hanover Four Corners Historic District" under the provisions of the Historic Districts Act, Chapter 40C, General Laws, as amended to date. Said District is shown on a Plan, with the bounds and measurements thereon, as filed with the Town Clerk, entitled: "Plan of the Hanover Four Corners Historic District, April 1, 1975". Said Plan to be recorded in Plymouth Registry of Deeds as required by Law subsequent to the establishment of such District.

Submitted by: The Hanover Historic District
Study Committee

A favorable report by the Planning Board was read.

Motion to accept this Article was amended as follows:

We move that this Article be amended as follows:

1. The second sentence in Section 1 of the proposed By-Law shall read: "At least four of the seven members shall be residents of any Historic District or Districts established in Hanover."

2. There shall be a new paragraph inserted after Section 6 of the proposed By-Law which shall read as follows:

Section 6A. The authority of the Commission shall not extend to the following categories. Such categories shall not be subject to review by the Commission.

- a. Temporary structures or signs, subject, however, to such conditions as to duration of use, location, lighting, removal and similar matters as the Commission may reasonably specify.
- b. Terraces, walks, driveways, sidewalks and similar structures provided said structure is substantially at grade level.

- c. Storm doors and windows, screens, window air conditioners, lighting fixtures, and similar appurtenances.
- d. The color of paint.
- e. The color of roofs.
- f. The reconstruction, substantially similar in exterior design of a building damaged by fire, storm or other disaster provided said reconstruction is begun with one year thereafter and carried forward with due diligence.

A motion for a second amendment to this Article to exempt real estate in this area from taxes was ruled out of order.

After lengthy discussions a motion to cut off debate was unanimous.

On a vote 86 in the affirmative and 230 in the negative the motion as amended was defeated.

A motion duly seconded to reconsider Article 68 was unanimously defeated.

It was voted at 11:50 P.M., to adjourn this meeting to Thursday, May 8, 1975 to convene at the High School at 7:30 P.M.

A true record. Attest:

JOHN W. MURPHY

Town Clerk

JOURNAL FOR ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Thursday, May 8, 1975

The Adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order at the Hanover High School at 8:10 P.M., with 288 voters present.

ARTICLE 69

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$10,000.00 to build a tennis court and a basketball court combination on the Indian Head Playground, or take any other action relative thereto.

Park and Recreation Committee

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$10,000 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 70

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of \$5,000.00 to complete the construction of a baseball field at the Ellis Field Playground, or take any other action relative thereto.

Park and Recreation Committee

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$5,000 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 71

To see if the Town will vote to direct the Selectmen to appoint a committee of three (3) citizens of the Town of Hanover, to be known as the Town Insurance Survey Committee, who are not directly or indirectly engaged as Agents, Brokers, or Employees of any insurance companies operating in the Town of Hanover, or doing business with the Town of Hanover. It shall be their duty to make a comprehensive survey of all Town insurance, either existing, proposed, or desirable, and to determine if the Town now has adequate and sufficient coverage, and if savings could be effected through improvement in the Town's present handling of its insurance coverage.

This committee shall report its findings and may submit articles at the next Annual Town Meeting or prior Special Town Meeting; or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

SO VOTED: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 72

To see if the Town will vote to direct the Moderator to appoint a committee of five (5) citizens of the Town for the purpose of studying the present By-Laws of the Town of Hanover and to submit articles for the revision and up-dating of these By-Laws at the next Annual Town Meeting, and to publish a booklet of the By-Laws of the Town of Hanover following their updating, and to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds the sum of one-thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for this purpose, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,000 from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 73

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Sign By-Law of the Town of Hanover by adding Article 3.9a as follows:

The posting of political signs on any public or private real property in the Town of Hanover is absolutely forbidden.

The Sign By-Law is further amended by deleting the words "including political signs" from the following Articles of the Sign By-Law of the Town of Hanover:

Article 3.9, line 1;

Article 7.3 (b), line 1;

Article 7.3 (3), line 1;

The Sign By-Law of the Town of Hanover is further amended by deleting the words "and \$25.00 for any fixed number of political signs" from Article 7.3 (b) lines 5 and 6.

TOWN COUNSEL

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

SO VOTED: That this Article be passed over.

The Motion, duly seconded to reconsider Article 42, carried.

Refer to Article 42 for results of reconsideration.

ARTICLE 74

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds a sum of money to construct a Dog Kennel to be located on a site at the Hanover Transfer Station; said Kennel to be used for the boarding of stray dogs and other animals, as provided by the General Laws; said Kennel to be constructed under the direction of the Board of Health and the Hanover Dog Officer, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

SO VOTED: That this Article be passed over.

ARTICLE 75

To see if the Town will vote to accept as public ways the following private ways, with the drainage easements thereto appertaining, in accordance with the lay-out, with the bounds and measurements thereon, as filed with the Town Clerk, and

to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire such land within said lay-outs by purchase or eminent domain, Ridge Hill Drive and Cedar Crest Road and transfer the remainder of the performance bond account applying to these streets from the Planning Board to the Department of Public Works to be used to complete work in this subdivision as far as the funds permit or take any other action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Hanover Planning Board

Moved that the Town accept as Public Ways with the drainage easements thereto appertaining in accordance with the lay-outs, with the bounds and the measurements thereon, as filed with the Town Clerk; and apply the sum of \$25,000 to be received by the Town from John P. Elliot and the Quincy Cooperative Bank, to be expended by the Planning Board and the Department of Public Works to complete said lay-outs and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire such land within said lay-outs by purchase or eminent domain.

SO VOTED: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 76

To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way the following private way in accordance with the lay-out, with the bounds and measurements thereon, as filed with the Town Clerk, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire such land within said lay-out by purchase or eminent domain, that portion of Tower Hill Drive which was not accepted by the Town under Article #66 of the 1969 Annual Town Meeting or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

SO VOTED: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 77

To see if the Town will vote to adopt a Swimming Pool Fencing By-Law to become an Article of the ByLaws of the Town of Hanover as follows:

Any swimming or wading pool, specifically excluding platform pools or any pool having a normal water depth of 24 inches or less at its deepest point, shall be secured with a stockade or chain link type fence not less than four feet in height. Said chain link fence shall have opening no greater than 2 inches. Said fence shall be constructed so as to dis-

courage unauthorized passage under, through, or over the top. It shall be provided with self latching gates with latches made inaccessible to small children. Said fence must be kept in a state of good repair subject to inspection by the Town Building Inspector, or take any other action relative thereto.

Moved that this Article be passed over.

After lengthy discussions a motion to cut off debate was unanimous.

Motion to pass over Article was defeated.

A motion to accept Article as written was made and seconded. An Amendment defining platform pools as follows was accepted:

Platform pool — above grade pool that rests on a structurally secure platform which is not less than four feet above the underlying ground and has a self contained decking and fencing unit. Said structure has a ladder or steps which can be secured no less than four feet above the underlying ground when pool is not in use.

An Amendment to change fence height from four (4) feet to six (6) feet was defeated.

Motion as Amended — SO VOTED.

ARTICLE 78

To see if the Town will vote to re-open Pond Street to public traffic in the interest of public safety and to improve congested and hazardous traffic conditions in the area surrounding said Pond Street, or take any other action relative thereto.

SO VOTED: That this Article be passed over.

Moderator George Lewald expressed his thanks to Willis M. Partridge, Jr. and J. Richard Nielsen for a job well done serving the Town on the Advisory Board and wanted especially to acknowledge Mr. Partridge as Chairman of the Committee.

ARTICLE 79

To see if the Town will vote to add to Article XVI of the By-Laws of the Town of Hanover, the following Section: Section 8. No person shall allow any dog owned or kept in this Town to go at large, run or stray off the property of the owner or keeper of the dog, unless said dog is restrained by a

leash or chain, or confined to a vehicle, and accompanied by a person capable of restraining said dog, or take any other action relative thereto.

A motion to cut off debate was voted unanimous.

Voted 152 in the affirmative and 88 in the negative to pass over this Article. Motion to pass over carries.

ARTICLE 80

To see if the Town will vote to insure future compliance with the National Flood Insurance Program as follows:

WHEREAS, certain areas of Hanover are subject to periodic flooding (and/or mudslides) from (Streams, rivers, etc.), causing serious damages to properties within these areas; and

WHEREAS, relief is available in the form of Federally subsidized flood insurance as authorized by the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of this Town Meeting, to require the recognition and evaluation of flood and/or mudslide hazards in all official actions relating to land use in the flood plain (and/or mudslide) areas having special flood (and/or mudslide) hazards; and

WHEREAS, this body has the legal authority to adopt land use and control measures to reduce future flood losses pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this Town Meeting hereby;

1. Assures the Federal Insurance Administration that it will enact as necessary and maintain in force for those areas having flood or mudslide hazards, adequate land use and control measures with effective enforcement provisions consistent with the Criteria set forth in Section 1910 of the National Flood Insurance Program Regulations; and

2. Vests the Hanover Planning Board with the responsibility authority and means to:

- (a) Delineate or assist the Administrator at his request in delineating the limits of the areas having special flood (and/or mudslide) hazards on available local maps of sufficient scale to identify the location of building sites for further action by the Town Meeting.

(b) Provide such information as the Administrator may request concerning present uses and occupancy of the flood plain (and/or mudslide area).

(c) Cooperate with Federal, State, and local agencies and private firms which undertake to study, survey, map, and identify flood plain or mudslide areas, and cooperate with neighboring communities with respect to management of adjoining flood plain and/or mudslide areas in order to prevent aggravation of existing hazards.

(d) Submit on the anniversary date of the community's initial eligibility an annual report to the Administrator on the progress made during the past year within the community in the development and implementation of flood plain (and/or mudslide area) management measures.

3. The Building Inspector shall, in accordance with the State Building Code, maintain for public inspection and furnish upon request a record of elevations (in relation to mean sea level) of the lowest floor (including basement) of all new or substantially improved structures located in the special flood hazard areas. If the lowest floor is below grade on one or more sides, the elevation of the floor immediately above must also be recorded.

4. Agrees to take such official action as may be reasonably necessary to carry out the objectives of the program.

Board of Selectmen

SO VOTED: That the Town so do.

Turner W. Gilman, Chairman of the Planning Board announced that Robert L. Kimball was leaving after more than ten years of service on the Board and thanked him for all his work done on the Planning Board.

A motion was made and seconded to reconsider Article 79.

A motion was made to cut-off debate.

A quorum was questioned and a count showed 224 voters were present.

Vote to cut off debate carried 178 in the affirmative and 13 in the negative.

Vote to reconsider Article was defeated 47 in the affirmative and 153 in the negative.

Voted at 10:55 P.M. to adjourn to reconvene at 8:00 A.M. on Saturday, May 10, 1975 for the election of Town Officers.

A True Record. Attest:

JOHN W. MURPHY

Town Clerk

Journal for Annual Town Election

Saturday, May 10, 1975

At 8:00 A.M. on Saturday, May 10, 1975, the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting convened at the Hanover High School for the Election of Officers. The Town Clerk read Article 81 from the warrant as follows:

ARTICLE 81

To bring in their votes for each of the following for a term of three years: One Selectman, one Assessor, two members of the School Committee, one member of the Board of Health, one Trustee of the Public Library, one member of the Board of Public Works. The following for a term of five years: one member of the Planning Board, one member of the Housing Authority. The following for an unexpired term of four years: One member of the Planning Board. The following for an unexpired term of three years: One member of the Housing Authority. The following for an unexpired term of one year: One member of the Housing Authority. The following for a term of one year: Moderator.

QUESTION NO. 1

"Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called Beano?"

If you vote YES on Question 1, it means that you want the Town of Hanover to have the power to issue licenses in this Town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called Beano.

If you vote NO on Question 1, it means that you do not want the Town of Hanover to have the power to issue licenses in this Town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called Beano.

The following Election Officers were in attendance, having been previously sworn in: Precinct 1: Warden, R. Irving Lovell; Deputy Warden, David Studley; Clerk, Malcolm Hatch; Deputy Clerk, Emma Laidlaw; Inspectors, Marjorie Thomson, Thelma Neilsen; Deputy Inspectors, Janice Jaynes, Charles Conlon. Precinct 2: Clerk, Joseph E. Hannigan; Deputy Clerk, Sally Murphy; Inspector, Laura Murphy, Edith Bates; Deputy Inspector, Barbara Beal, Linda Gillette. Precinct 3: Clerk, Anita Ekroth; Deputy Clerk, Ann Wilson; Inspectors, Josephine Kendrigan, Annie Michalowski; Deputy Inspectors, Shirley Blanchard, John Thomson.

The ballot box was opened, inspected, found empty and the indicator showing zero before being locked. The keys were handed to Peter C. Hansen, Police Officer who later turned them over to his relief William B. Spooner III, Police Officer who retained them until the close of the polls.

The polls were declared open and remained open until 8 P.M.

The following tellers being sworn in, reported to count the ballots at 8 P.M.

Precinct 1: Phyllis Garland, Marjorie McLeod, Dorothy Struble, Priscilla Maxwell, Sophy Hansen, Irene Gangi, Roger Leslie, Joseph Zemotel, Albert Hawkins and Barbara Robison. Precinct 2: John Lingley, Gail Cheverie, Florence Oldham, Kathleen Hannigan, Donald Hansen, Joan Hannigan, Stephen Richardson, William McLeod, Marjorie Bryant, Carol Atkins, Lois Kendall and Eleanor McInnes. Precinct 3: Pasqualina Monk, Helen Woodward, Harry Winslow, Ruth Moran, Francis Cummings, Barbara Wyman, Stuart Oldham, Avito di'Cicco, Ruth Bubier, Barbara Halloran, Joyce Tucker, and Margaret Zemotel.

The results of the balloting was as follows:

Precinct 1	918
Precinct 2	950
Precinct 3	801
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Total ballots cast	2,669
Precinct 1	42
Precinct 2	39
Precinct 3	17
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Total absentee ballots included	98

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
Selectman (for three years)				
John L. Boti	43	29	59	131
Frederick L. Briggs	346	326	326	998
Turner W. Gilman	121	114	91	326
Carolann Monaghan	66	49	30	145
Barbara A. Savage	176	288	173	637
Thomas A. Taylor	76	105	100	281
Gerald F. Williamson	79	37	12	128
Blanks	11	2	10	23
Assessor (for three years)				
Frederick Bigler	547	478	371	1,396
Patricia A. Norcott	313	398	349	1,060
Blanks	58	74	81	213
School Committee (for three years)				
Marjorie H. Abbot	401	404	308	1,113
Anne M. Hession	383	441	302	1,126
Alfred Horn, Jr.	161	149	143	453
Maryann T. Sullivan	398	422	369	1,189
Blanks	493	484	480	1,457
Board of Health (for three years)				
John F. Forry, Jr.	274	286	191	751
Lawrence E. Slaney	601	629	576	1,806
Blanks	43	35	34	112
Trustee for Public Library (for three years)				
Virginia R. Edge	736	773	631	2,140
Blanks	182	177	170	529
Planning Board (for five years)				
Frederick W. Adami, III	720	764	618	2,102
Blanks	198	186	183	567
Planning Board (for unexpired four years)				
Janet W. O'Brien	704	720	580	2,004
Blanks	214	230	221	665
Housing Authority (for five years)				
Carlos F. Hill	732	712	587	2,031
Blanks	186	238	214	638
Housing Authority (for unexpired three years)				
Susan W. Hillman	684	715	571	1,970
Blanks	234	235	230	699

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Total
Housing Authority (for unexpired one year)				
Albert M. Farr, Jr.	378	326	269	973
George A. Parker	359	463	361	1,183
Blanks	181	161	171	513
Board of Public Works (for three years)				
Frederick P. Lanzillotta	384	606	427	1,417
Henry J. Matthews	486	294	314	1,094
Blanks	48	59	60	158
Moderator (for one year)				
George H. Lewald	729	776	618	2,123
Blanks	189	174	183	546

Question No. 1

Shall licenses be granted in this Town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called Beano?

Yes	651	668	588	1,907
No	236	241	177	654
Blanks	31	41	36	108

Summary

If you vote YES on Question 1, it means that you want the Town of Hanover to have the power to issue licenses in this Town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called Beano.

If you vote NO on Question 1, it means that you do not want the Town of Hanover to have the power to issue licenses in this Town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called Beano.

The Town Clerk announced the results of the election and the ballots were sealed as required.

VOTED: That the meeting adjourn at 12:30 A.M.

A True Record. Attest:

JOHN W. MURPHY

Town Clerk

Warrant for Special Town Meeting

Monday, November 3, 1975

PLYMOUTH, S.S.

GREETING:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Hanover in the County of Plymouth and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Hanover qualified to vote in Elections to meet in the Hanover High School, Cedar Street, Hanover, on Monday the Third Day of November, 1975, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. to vote on the following articles:

(For copies of Articles, see Journal following)

And you are directed to serve this warrant in the manner prescribed by vote of the Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands his 20th day of October, A.D., 1975.

(Signed) ALLAN A. CARNÈS
FRANCIS J. MITCHELL
FREDERICK L. BRIGGS

Selectmen of Hanover

PLYMOUTH, S.S., 1975

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant, the inhabitants of the Town of Hanover, qualified to vote in Elections are hereby notified to meet at the time and place for the purposes therein notified.

A True Copy. Attest: -

(Signed) David G. Zwicker, Constable of Hanover
October 21, 1975

**RETURN OF WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
HELD MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1975**

I have this day, Tuesday, October 21, 1975, posted Warrants for the Special Town Meeting to be held on Monday, November 3, 1975, at the following locations in the Town area.

Sylvester Hardware Store	Romes Liquor Store
Doran's Ice Cream Stand	West Hanover Fire House
Hanover Post Office	Drinkwater Fire House
Scotts News Store	West Hanover Post Office
Hanover Fire Station	V. F. W. Hall
Hanover Bowladrome	Legion Hall
Hanover Fish Shoppe	Joe's Country Store
Town Hall	Leslie's Variety Store
Town Pump	Manna's Barber Shop
Center Fire House	Assinippi General Store
Hanover Laundromat	North Hanover Fire House
Curtis Compact Store	Myette's General Store

(Signed) DAVID G. ZWICKER,
Constable of the Town of Hanover

**JOURNAL FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
HELD ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1975**

The Special Town Meeting at Hanover High School was called to order by George H. Lewald, Moderator at 8:30 P.M., Monday, November 3, 1975 with 266 voters present.

The Moderator asked that the Town Clerk record that the Warrant had been served and returned as required by the Town By-Laws.

ARTICLE 1

To hear the report of Committees empowered to report at a Special Town Meeting and to act thereon, or take any other action relative thereto.

No Reports read.

ARTICLE 2

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds the sum of \$28,000.00 to purchase and equip one (1) new Ambulance to be used under the direction of the Hanover Board of Fire Engineers. Said purchasing and equipping to be under the direction of the Board of Fire Engineers, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$28,000.00 from the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account for this purpose.

ARTICLE 3

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds the sum of \$25,000.00 for payroll and the sum of \$7,000.00 for expenses which sums are to be used under the direction of the Board of Fire Engineers for operating and maintaining the Town Ambulance or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

SO VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$25,000.00 for payroll and the sum of \$7,000.00 for expenses, both to be taken from the E & D Fund for this purpose.

ARTICLE 4

To receive such accounts as may be presented against the Town, and act thereon or take any other action relative thereto.

Moved and seconded that the Town appropriate the sum of \$6,551.40 for unpaid bill for the School Department for the period ending June 30, 1975, and \$306.37 for unpaid Police Expenses for the period ending June 30, 1975, said total \$6,857.77 to be appropriated from the E & D Fund for these purposes.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY.

ARTICLE 5

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds a sum of money to construct, equip and install a Gasoline Service Depot at the Town Hall to service Town vehicles or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

Motion to Pass Over Article did not carry.

Moved and seconded that the Town appropriate from the E & D Fund the sum of \$11,793.21 to construct, equip, and install a Gasoline Service Depot at the Town Hall to service Town vehicles, work to be done under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

VOTED: 125 votes in the affirmative and 89 votes in the negative that the Town so do.

ARTICLE 6

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds the sum of seventy-five hundred dollars (\$7500) for the purpose of engineering, surveying and mapping areas within the Town which may fall under the classification of wetlands, flood plain, swamp, watershed, and similar designation. Said money to be expended under the direction of the Hanover Planning Board which is to report at the next Annual Town Meeting with appropriate article or articles intended to protect the Town's water supply, the major streams and other areas subject to flooding, pollution, erosion or other dangers of similar nature.

Submitted by the Hanover Planning Board

VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$7,500 from the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 Account for this purpose.

ARTICLE 7

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Hanover Personnel By-Laws by changing the sections listed below or take any other action relative thereto.

Section 10 Subsection (c) Paragraph 2. An employee who is injured within the scope of his employment, and who is receiving Workmens Compensation Benefits or other comparable benefits may elect to be paid his or her retroactive accrued sick leave to make up the difference between his or her compensation benefits and his or her average net weekly wage exclusive of any overtime compensation for the 52 weeks immediately preceding said injury. Said supplemental weekly payments shall be charged to sick leave and shall be discontinued when sick leave benefits have been used up.

Section 10, Subsection (c) Paragraph 3. An employee upon normal retirement or death shall be compensated in cash for not more than fifty (50%) of his or her retroactive unused sick leave up to a maximum of sixty (60) days.

By Personnel Board

VOTED: That the Town so do.

ARTICLE 8

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article XX of the By-Laws of the Town of Hanover by substituting the word January for November on line 3 in Section 1 and deleting Section 2 in its entirety, or take any other action relative thereto.

Board of Selectmen

Motion to Pass Over this Article carried.

VOTED: That the meeting adjourn at 9:25 P.M.

A True Copy. Attest:

JOHN W. MURPHY,

Town Clerk

Report of the Town Accountant

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR July 1, 1974 THRU June 30, 1975

Board of Selectmen
Hanover, Mass.

I submit, herewith, the report of the Town Accountant in accordance with Chapter 41, Section 61, of the General Laws of Massachusetts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975, showing in detail the receipts and expenditures of the various Town Departments. Also included is a Balance Sheet showing the General Accounts, Debt Accounts, Trust Funds and Federal Revenue Sharing Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975.

The accounts of the Treasurer and Tax Collector were found to be in agreement with the amounts shown in this report.

I would like to publicly thank all of the various Town Officials for the cooperation they have extended to me throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. ASHTON
Town Accountant

RECEIPTS

Collected in 1975

1973 Personal & Real Estate	\$ 43,059.01
1974 Personal & Real Estate	113,112.18
1975 Personal & Real Estate	3,956,608.79
1974 Farm Animal	10.55
1975 Farm Animal	24.50
Tax Title Redemptions	1,858.26
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes	
1972	681.34
1973	38,432.61
1974	325,262.67
1975	95,356.02

Water Revenue

1974 Rates	201,769.95
1975 Rates	95,986.23
1974 Services	9,978.88
1975 Services	10,614.47
1973 Liens	340.00
1975 Liens	21,304.86
Meter Installations	395.64
1974 Meter Bond Costs	34,666.78
1975 Meter Bond Costs	17,101.00

Departmental Revenue

Alcoholic Beverage Licenses	7,925.00
Board of Appeals	892.39
Board of Health Fees	9,192.50
Building Permits & Codes	7,191.50
Clerks Fees	1,803.15
Collectors Fees	2,868.50
Gas Permits	502.00
Insurance Proceeds	18,682.46
Marriage Licenses	368.00
Misc. Licenses	1,593.00
Misc. Receipts	2,000.92
Municipal Liens	1,644.00
Planning Board Fees	500.00
Playground	236.50
Plumbing Permits	3,031.00
Police Permits	2,096.00
Police Reports	1,191.00
Sealer of Weights & Measures	274.45
Street Lists	142.00
Tax Title Fees	46.00
Transfer Station Receipts	8,821.45
Wiring Permits	5,382.15
Special Details—Police & School	42,371.66
Special Details—Fees	376.80

Schools

Lunch Proceeds	130,983.02
Misc. Sales	1,983.36
Physical Education	4,966.36
Rental of Schools	200.00
Tuition—Individuals	15,529.50
Tuition—Other Towns	12,359.70

Federal Grants & Reimbursements**Schools**

PL89-10 Title I Elem & Sec. Education	33,637.00
PL89-10 Title II	9,065.17
PL864 Title III	6,518.21
PL874 School Aid	3,308.00
Lunch Program	65,308.58

HUD

186,600.00

State Grants & Reimbursements

Abatements to Disabled Vets	4,375.00
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Highways

Chapter 825	13,000.00
Chapter 90	2,693.55
Highway Fund—Special Gas Tax	53,214.09
Highway Fund—Chap. 58-18B	26,859.18

Library Aid

3,790.13

Local Aid — Lottery

88,101.89

Schools

School Building Assistance	162,854.95
Chapter 70 School Aid	1,306,751.42
Lunch Program	19,673.82
Pupil Transportation	189,571.00
Special Education Chap. 69 & 71	218,150.00
Regional School Aid	148,099.67
Vocational Education	14,451.00

Reimb. Public Owned Land

166.78

Veterans Benefits

20,302.29

County Grants & Reimbursements

Court Fines	2,088.40
Dog Fund	3,261.95
Highway—Chapter 90	2,346.77

Cemeteries

Sale of Lots & Graves	1,350.00
Care of Lots & Graves	5,728.09

Interest

Accrued Interest on Bonds	116.47
Deferred Taxes	10,242.77
Investment Funds	105,409.87
Motor Vehicle Excise	491.93
School Prizes	
Florence Goss	15.00
Edmund Q. Sylvester Trust Fund	900.00
Tax Title Redemptions	333.85

Municipal Indebtedness	
Temp. Loan in Anticipation of Fed. Grant	100,000.00
Agency Trust & Investment	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	2,337.50
Certificate of Deposit	3,000,000.00
Treasury Notes	900,000.00
Dog Licenses	4,890.95
Fish & Game Licenses	4,645.25
Guarantee Deposits	133,956.43
Payroll Deductions	
Blue Cross—Blue Shield	56,439.31
County Retirement	60,488.74
Life Insurance	3,192.21
Federal Withholding Tax	636,822.67
State Withholding Tax	177,095.64
Transfer from Stabilization Fund	33,600.00
Trust Fund Bequests	3,000.00
Refunds	
Blue Cross—Blue Shield	22,746.00
Life Insurance	4,168.30
Miscellaneous	419.50
Surplus Revenue—General	2,822.45
Petty Cash Advance	90.00
Total Receipts	13,107,209.89
Cash Balance July 1, 1974	1,141,804.16
	14,249,014.05

PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Advisory Committee — Clerk's Salary	
Appropriation	300.00
Expended	300.00
Balance	-0-
Advisory Committee Expense	
Appropriation	150.00
Expended	142.00
Balance to E & D	8.00

Selectmen's Salaries		
Appropriation		12,750.00
Selectmen	3,600.00	
Clerical	8,655.30	12,255.30
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Balance to E & D		494.70
Selectmen's Expense		
Appropriation		4,200.00
Advertising	486.05	
Association Dues	331.00	
Postage, Printing etc.	1,344.59	
Telephone	612.46	
Travel	74.00	
New Equipment	695.90	
All Other	336.30	3,880.30
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Balance to E & D		319.70
Town Accountant's Salaries		
Appropriation		14,939.00
Town Accountant	6,780.00	
Clerical	6,309.71	13,089.71
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Balance to E & D		1,849.29
Town Accountant's Expense		
Appropriation		2,050.00
All Other	200.02	
Maintenance of Equipment	845.20	
Postage, Printing etc.	715.98	
Telephone	272.25	2,033.45
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Balance to E & D		16.55
Treasurer's Salaries		
Appropriation		14,833.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		600.00
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		15,433.00
Treasurer	7,909.00	
Clerical	7,524.00	15,433.00
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Balance		-0-
Treasurer's Expense		
Appropriation		3,550.00
Maintenance of Equipment	210.10	

Postage Printing etc.	2,635.70	
Surety Bonds	245.00	
Telephone	287.30	
Travel	95.90	
All Other	76.00	3,550.00
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Balance		-0-
Tax Collector's Salaries		
Appropriation		21,657.00
Collector	8,026.00	
Clerical	12,220.43	20,246.43
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Balance to E & D		1,410.57
Tax Collector's Expense		
Appropriation		5,430.00
Dues & Meeting Expense	281.28	
Postage, Printing etc.	3,826.50	
Surety Bonds	402.00	
Telephone	331.83	
All Other	407.50	5,249.11
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Balance to E & D		180.89
Assessor's Salaries		
Appropriation		29,435.00
Assessors	3,600.00	
Appraiser	11,447.00	
Clerical	11,350.84	26,397.84
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Balance to E & D		3,037.16
Assessors' Expense		
Appropriation		5,200.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		737.00
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		5,937.00
Map Expense	2,049.52	
New Equipment	782.00	
Postage, Printing etc.	1,368.44	
Telephone	329.47	
Travel	527.79	
Transfers	277.00	
All Other	586.13	5,920.35
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Balance to E & D		16.65

Town Clerk's Salaries		
Appropriation		10,098.00
Town Clerk	6,398.00	
Clerical	3,633.10	10,031.10
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Balance to E & D		66.90
Town Clerk's Expense		
Appropriation		1,265.00
Postage, Printing etc.	537.63	
Surety Bonds	40.00	
Telephone	298.69	
All Other	375.98	1,252.30
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Balance to E & D		12.70
Law — Town Counsel		
Appropriation		1,500.00
Town Counsel		1,500.00
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Balance		-0-
Town Counsel Expense		
Appropriation		500.00
Expended		500.00
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Balance		-0-
Legal Expense		
Appropriation		10,000.00
Expended		6,173.35
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Balance to E & D		3,826.65
Tax Title Expense		
Appropriation		100.00
Expended		100.00
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Balance		-0-
Elections & Town Meetings Salaries		
Appropriation		4,800.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		479.22
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		5,279.22
Expended		5,279.22
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Balance		-0-

Elections & Town Meetings Expense

Appropriation		3,000.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		732.00
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		3,732.00
Postage, Printing etc.	3,156.71	
All Other	575.25	3,731.96
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Balance to E & D		.04
Registrars' Salaries		
Appropriation		5,200.00
Salaries	1,330.23	
Clerical	2,306.41	3,636.64
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Balance to E & D		1,563.36
Registrars' Expense		
Appropriation		3,400.00
Postage, Printing etc.	340.23	
Computer Service	2,170.89	
All Other	270.98	2,782.10
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Balance to E & D		617.90
1975 State Decennial Census		
Appropriation		3,500.00
Expended		2,071.25
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Balance to Continue		1,428.75
Planning Board Salaries		
Appropriation		850.00
Clerical		587.93
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Balance to E & D		262.07
Planning Board Expense		
Appropriation		5,850.00
Engineers	2,821.97	
Advertising	1,441.52	
Postage, Printing etc.	114.75	
Telephone	230.75	
All Other	250.93	4,859.92
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Balance to E & D		990.08

Board of Appeals Salaries		
Appropriation		1,583.00
Clerical		1,571.36
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Balance to E & D		11.64
Board of Appeals Expense		
Appropriation		1,300.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		200.00
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		1,500.00
Advertising	554.52	
Postage, Printing etc.	615.69	
All Other	15.00	1,185.21
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Balance to E & D		314.79
Plymouth County Retirement Fund		
Appropriation		90,043.00
Expended		90,043.00
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Balance		-0-
Plymouth County Retirement Fund Expense		
Appropriation		2,478.00
Expended		2,478.00
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Balance		-0-
Town Hall Salaries		
Appropriation		7,772.00
Salaries		7,704.32
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Balance to E & D		67.68
Town Hall Expense		
Appropriation		8,250.00
Electricity	1,944.05	
Fuel Oil	3,135.65	
Gas-Utility	133.66	
Materials & Supplies	961.05	
Repairs & Maint. of Buildings	574.97	
All Other	246.00	6,995.38
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Balance to E & D		1,254.62

Town Hall Repairs		
Unexpended Balance		12,405.39
Expended		2,225.82
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Balance to Continue		10,179.57
Town Hall Building Committee		
Appropriation		15,000.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		15,000.00
Tax Title Foreclosure Expense		
Unexpended Balance		4,958.55
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		4,958.55

PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY

Special Details		
Receipts		42,371.66
Police	40,292.00	
School	1,659.66	41,951.66
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Balance to Continue		420.00
Police Salaries		
Appropriation		246,139.00
App. from Surp. Rev.		25,000.00
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		271,139.00
Chief	21,665.63	
Salaries	177,188.14	
Clerical	13,668.00	
Services	57,449.91	269,971.68
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Balance to E & D		1,167.32
Police Expense		
Reserve Fund Transfers		6,456.54
Dues & Meeting Expense	39.00	
Insurance	669.64	
Materials & Supplies	1,778.34	
Police School Expense	480.00	
Postage, Printing etc.	356.40	
Repairs & Maint. of Equipment	1,708.66	

Uniforms	892.41	
All Other	420.00	6,344.45
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Balance to E & D		112.09
Police — Station Wagon		
Appropriation—Spec. T. Mtg. from		
Surp. Rev.		4,538.87
Expended		4,538.87
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Balance		-0-
Police Station Building Committee		
Unexpended Balance		2,681.44
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		2,681.44
School Zone Speed Signs		
Unexpended Balance		5,485.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		5,485.00
Fire Salaries		
Appropriation		40,098.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		1,600.00
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		41,698.00
Chief	14,892.00	
Permanent Men	19,856.00	
Standby	4,964.16	
Clerical	548.32	
Janitors	960.00	41,220.48
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Balance to E & D		477.52
Fire Hose		
Appropriation		1,500.00
Expended		1,440.00
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Balance to Continue		60.00
Suppression of Fires — Salaries		
Appropriation		28,000.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		1,500.00
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		29,500.00

Salaries		29,468.96
Balance to E & D		31.04
Fire Dept. Survey by N.E. Fire Rating Board		
Unexpended Balance		100.00
Expended		-0-
Balance to Continue		100.00
Building Inspector's Salary		
Appropriation		19,054.00
Salary	12,502.00	
Clerical	6,552.00	19,054.00
Balance		-0-
Building Inspector's Expense		
Appropriation		1,825.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		500.00
		2,325.00
Postage, Printing etc.	351.19	
Telephone	454.59	
Travel	1,326.83	
All Other	186.50	2,319.11
Balance to E & D		5.89
Gas Inspector's Salary		
Appropriation		1,138.00
Services		1,122.30
Balance to E & D		15.70
Gas Inspector's Expense		
Appropriation		200.00
Expended		200.00
Balance		-0-
Plumbing Inspector's Salary		
Appropriation		3,250.00
Services		2,537.00
Balance to E & D		713.00

Wire Inspector's Salary		
Appropriation		5,341.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		300.00
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		5,641.00
Services		5,639.45
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Balance to E & D		1.55
Wire Inspector's Expense		
Appropriation		500.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		100.00
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		600.00
Expended		544.08
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Balance to E & D		55.92
Tree Warden Salary		
Appropriation		12,600.00
Labor		9,864.32
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Balance to E & D		2,735.68
Tree Warden Expense		
Appropriation		6,400.00
Material & Supplies	1,574.98	
Truck Rental	1,824.00	
Repairs & Maint. of Equipment	438.36	
Contracted Services	2,524.50	
All Other	25.00	
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		6,386.84
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Balance to E & D		13.16
Sealer of Weights & Measures Salary		
Appropriation		1,000.00
Services		905.97
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Balance to E & D		94.03
Sealer of Weights & Measures Expense		
Appropriation		200.00
Expended		80.33
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Balance to E & D		119.67
Dog Officer's Salary		
Appropriation		2,000.00

Services	1,673.91
Balance to E & D	326.09
Dog Officer's Expense	
Appropriation	500.00
Expended	279.25
Balance to E & D	220.75
Civil Defense	
Unexpended Balance	3,497.13
Expended	8.65
Balance to Continue	3,488.48
Emergency Communications Center Salaries	
Appropriation	30,068.00
Reserve Fund Transfer	550.00
	30,618.00
Salaries	30,440.97
Balance to E & D	177.03
Emergency Communications Center Expense	
Appropriation	8,100.00
Reserve Fund Transfer	975.00
	9,075.00
Postage, Printing etc.	514.93
Repairs & Maint. of Equipment	282.50
Telephone	7,884.55
All Other	389.00
	9,070.98
Balance to E & D	4.02
HEALTH & SANITATION	
Visiting Nurse Salaries	
Appropriation	11,120.00
Salaries	11,109.85
Balance to E & D	10.15
Visiting Nurse Expense	
Appropriation	275.00
Expended	197.61
Balance to E & D	77.39

Board of Health Salaries		
Appropriation		61,882.00
Board	2,860.27	
Agents	9,462.93	
Clerical	7,730.89	
Dump Custodians	30,963.13	
Services	790.42	51,807.64
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Balance to E & D		10,074.36
Furnish & Equip Transfer Station		
Unexpended Balance		1,407.90
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		1,407.90
Maint. & Operation — Transfer Station		
Unexpended Balance		1,500.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		1,500.00
Inspector of Animals		
Appropriation		500.00
Services		334.25
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Balance to E & D		165.75
Drainage Work		
Unexpended Balance		37.17
Appropriation		12,500.00
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		12,537.17
Materials & Supplies	9,750.93	
Rental of Equipment	2,750.00	12,500.93
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Balance to Continue		36.24
Drainage Easements — Cedar Street		
Unexpended Balance		100.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		100.00
Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Committee		
Unexpended Balance		162.79
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		162.79

Stream & Brook Clearance		
Appropriation		1,781.30
Expended		727.52
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Balance to Continue		1,053.78
Land for Water Pollution Control Facility		
Unexpended Balance		237.57
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		237.57
Sewer Study Committee		
Appropriation		1,000.00
Expended		20.68
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Balance to E & D		979.32

HIGHWAYS

D.P.W. Administration Salaries		
Appropriation		25,821.00
Superintendent	19,143.12	
Clerical	4,830.72	23,973.84
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Balance to E & D		1,847.16
D.P.W. Administration Expense		
Appropriation		7,000.00
Engineering	396.80	
Advertising	162.28	
Dues & Meeting Expense	240.00	
Insurance	177.42	
New Equipment	399.00	
Postage, Printing etc.	2,199.31	
Travel	675.65	
Telephone	1,732.90	
All Other	908.28	6,891.64
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Balance to E & D		108.36
D.P.W. Compact Sedan		
Appropriation		3,000.00
Expended		2,993.70
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Balance to E & D		6.30
Plans — D.P.W. Garage		
Appropriation		2,500.00

Expended		530.00
Balance to Continue		1,970.00
Highway Salaries		
Appropriation		100,191.00
Supervisor	14,174.00	
Labor	82,171.46	96,345.46
Balance to E & D		3,845.54
Highway Expense		
Appropriation		51,950.00
Electricity	469.16	
Fuel Oil	1,867.79	
Gas—Utility	458.28	
Insurance	1,257.28	
Materials & Supplies	8,335.12	
Rental of Equipment	4,271.40	
Rental of Trucks	6,667.74	
Repair & Maint. of Equipment	8,155.40	
Sand, Stone, Gravel	912.49	
Tarvia & Asphalt	18,679.38	
Telephone	513.18	
All Other	361.15	51,948.37
Balance to E & D		1.63
Snow & Ice Removal Salaries		
Appropriation		12,600.00
Labor		10,554.02
Balance to E & D		2,045.98
Snow & Ice Removal Expense		
Appropriation		60,000.00
Material & Supplies	30,078.09	
Rental of Equipment	480.00	
Rental of Trucks	13,844.00	
Repairs & Maint. of Equipment	4,634.22	
All Other	550.00	49,586.31
Balance to E & D		10,413.69
Street Lighting		
Appropriation		21,000.00
Reserve Fund Transfer		6,050.00
		27,050.00

Expended	25,931.69
Balance to E & D	1,118.31
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Traffic Signals & Signs	
Appropriation	3,000.00
Reserve Fund Transfer	1,220.92
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Expended	4,220.92
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Balance	-0-
Highway — New Dump Truck	
Unexpended Balance	6,000.00
Expended	5,999.00
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Balance to E & D	1.00
Highway Mist Blower	
Appropriation	7,000.00
Expended	6,996.00
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Balance to E & D	4.00
Construction — Center Street	
Unexpended Balance	892.80
Expended	-0-
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Balance to Continue	892.80
Construction — Plain Street	
Unexpended Balance	497.46
Appropriation	10,000.00
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	10,497.46
Expended	10,497.46
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Balance	-0-
Construction — Spring Street	
Unexpended Balance	196.09
Expended	196.09
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Balance	-0-
Construction—Portion of King St. & Bridge at Forge Pond	
Unexpended Balance	12,500.00

Expended		660.60
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Balance to Continue		11,839.40
Chapter 90 — Cedar, Summer & King Sts.		
Unexpended Balance		6,904.44
Appropriation		30,493.00
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		37,397.44
Labor	8,031.14	
Materials & Supplies	14,448.81	
Rental of Equipment	4,225.00	
Rental of Trucks	1,736.00	
All Other	1,415.10	29,856.05
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Balance to Continue		7,541.39
Chapter 90 — Maintenance		
Appropriation		3,000.00
Expended		3,000.00
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Balance		-0-
Resurface Washington Street		
Unexpended Balance		709.23
Expended		200.00
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Balance to E & D		509.23
Layout — Candlewood Estates		
Unexpended Balance		500.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		500.00
Layout — Old Cross Street		
Unexpended Balance		500.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		500.00
Layout — Private Way on West Side of Spring St.		
Unexpended Balance		500.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		500.00

Land Damages — Silver Street	
Unexpended Balance	736.00
Expended	-0-
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Balance to Continue	736.00
Land Damages — Street Takings	
Appropriation	500.00
Expended	-0-
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Balance to E & D	500.00
Street Acceptances	
Appropriation	500.00
Expended	279.75
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Balance to E & D	220.25
Grading — Heritage Way	
Appropriation	1,000.00
Expended	1,000.00
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Balance	-0-
Grading—Bittersweet Lane and Twin Fawn Drive	
Appropriation	3,000.00
Expended	2,929.80
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Balance to E & D	70.20
Resurface Pine Tree Dr. & Old Town Way	
Appropriation	17,400.00
Expended	17,400.00
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Balance	-0-
Article XI Overtime Pay	
Appropriation — Spec. T. Mtg.	1,038.18
Expended	1,038.18
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Balance	-0-
Article XII Holiday Pay	
Appropriation — Spec. T. Mtg.	102.00
Expended	102.00
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Balance	-0-

Chapter 1140 — Construction of Spring & Center St.

Appropriation	26,000.00
Expended	26,000.00
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Balance	-0-

VETERANS BENEFITS

Director of Veterans' Services Salary

Appropriation	2,890.00
Salary	2,890.00
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Balance	-0-

Director of Veterans' Services Expense

Appropriation	500.00
Reserve Fund Transfer	300.00
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Expended	797.33
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Balance to E & D	2.67

Veterans Benefits

Appropriation	50,000.00
Expended	47,751.57
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Balance to E & D	2,248.43

SCHOOLS

Schools Expense

Appropriation	4,418,214.00
EPA & Driver Ed. Fees	6,809.50
PL864 Title III Funds applied	13,394.14
PL90-576 Funds applied	5,441.30
School Lunch Funds applied	81,720.62
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	4,525,579.56

Admin. — Salaries	88,770.54
Admin. — All Other	26,736.58
Instruction — Salaries	2,827,839.96
Instruction — All Other	411,395.15
Other School Services — Salaries	55,261.28
Other Sch. Services—All Other	205,694.57
School Lunch — Salaries	104,468.97
School Lunch — All Other	7,128.59

Athletics — Salaries	3,047.77	
Athletics — All Other	55,333.93	
Operation & Maint. of Plant		
Salaries	231,945.89	
All Other	332,112.59	
Insurance	1,910.85	
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	88,600.81	
Tuition to Other Towns	27,306.88	4,467,554.36
Reserve for 1974 Salaries		52,864.41
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Balance to Continue		5,160.79
PL874 — Federal School Aid		
Unexpended Balance		4,739.64
1973-74 Receipts		3,308.00
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		8,047.64
Administration	465.71	
Instruction	3,384.50	
Other School Services	86.00	
Athletics	20.00	
Operation & Maint. of Plant	485.10	
Tuition to Other Towns	352.00	4,793.31
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Balance to Continue		3,254.33
PL864 Title III — National Defense Education Fund		
Unexpended Balance		6,875.93
Receipts		6,518.21
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		13,394.14
Applied to Schools Expense		13,394.14
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Balance		-0-
PL89-10 Title I — Anti Poverty		
Unexpended Balance		3,991.91
Receipts		33,637.00
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		37,628.91
Salaries	28,559.46	
All Other	7,061.18	35,620.64
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Balance to Continue		2,008.27

Reserve for 1973-74 School Salaries	
Balance	41,305.12
Expended	41,305.12
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Balance	-0-
PL89-10 Title II	
Unexpended Balance	370.37
Receipts	9,065.17
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Expended	9,435.54
	6,106.43
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Balance to Continue	3,329.11
Project CARE — Title VI	
Unexpended Balance	150.88
Expended	-0-
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Balance to Continue	150.88
PL90-576 — Special Educ. Occup.	
Unexpended Balance	2,509.30
Applied to School Expense	2,509.30
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Balance	-0-
PL90-576 Special Business Courses	
Unexpended Balance	2,932.00
Applied to School Expense	2,932.00
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Balance	-0-
George Barden Fund — Distributive Ed.	
Unexpended Balance	.20
Expended	-0-
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Balance to Continue	.20
Regional Vocational School District	
Appropriation	103,870.00
Expended	103,870.00
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Balance	-0-
Cedar Elementary School Addition	
Unexpended Balance	25,772.36
Expended	-0-
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Balance to Continue	25,772.36

Continuing School Building Study Committee

Unexpended Balance		1,110.67
Expended		-0-
Balance to Continue		1,110.67
Construct & Equip Jr. High School		
Unexpended Balance		73,874.62
Stabilization Fund Transfer		15,000.00
		88,874.62
Expended		40,449.46
Balance to Continue		48,425.16
Physical Education		
Unexpended Balance		1,608.31
Receipts		4,966.36
		6,574.67
Salaries	5,525.64	
All Other	40.00	5,565.64
Balance to Continue		1,009.03
School Lunch		
Unexpended Balance		43,260.59
Receipts		215,965.42
		259,226.01
Salaries	6,501.36	
Materials & Supplies	170,302.44	176,803.80
Applied to School Expense		81,720.62
Balance to Continue		701.59

LIBRARIES

John Curtis Free Library Salaries

Appropriation	31,308.00
Reserve Fund Transfer	290.75
	31,598.75
Salaries	31,598.75
Balance	-0-

John Curtis Free Library Expense

Appropriation	9,500.00
State Aid Transfer	3,790.13
Dog License Money Transfer	3,027.27
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	16,317.40
Transfer to Trustees	16,317.40
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Balance	-0-

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED**Recreation Committee**

Unexpended Balance	200.00
Expended	-0-

Balance to Continue	200.00
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Park & Recreation Committee — Salaries

Appropriation	16,160.00
Labor	15,802.45

Balance to E & D	357.55
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Park & Recreation Committee — Expense

Appropriation		6,820.00
Auto & Truck Expense	428.63	
Electricity	123.93	
Materials & Supplies	2,301.49	
Rental of Bus	985.00	
Repairs & Maint. of Equipment	407.13	
Telephone	134.12	
Rental of Equipment	2,361.00	6,741.30

Balance to E & D	78.70
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Indian Head Playground

Unexpended Balance	25.63
Expended	-0-

Balance to Continue	25.63
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Park — Golf Practice Range

Unexpended Balance	670.00
Expended	-0-

Balance to Continue	670.00
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Conservation Commission		
Unexpended Balance		244.07
Reserve Fund Transfer		750.00
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		994.07
Labor	781.75	
All Other	127.58	909.33
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Balance to Continue		84.74
Conservation Commission		
(Appropriation from Stabilization Fund)		
Unexpended Balance		1,068.67
Stabilization Fund Transfer		18,600.00
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		19,668.67
Engineering	8,670.91	
Purchase of Land	10,866.62	
Legal Fees	131.14	19,668.67
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Balance		-0-
Phillips Land		
Unexpended Balance		397.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		397.00
Indemnify Town Employees		
Unexpended Balance		1,000.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		1,000.00
Town Reports		
Appropriation		7,642.00
✓ Printing	4,000.00	
All Other	300.00	4,300.00
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Balance to E & D		3,342.00
Memorial Day		
Appropriation		1,000.00
Expended		1,000.00
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Balance		-0-

Veterans Day	
Appropriation	500.00
Reserve Fund Transfer	182.30
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	682.30
Expended	682.30
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Balance	-0-
Blue Cross-Blue Shield Expense	
Appropriation	50,000.00
Reserve Fund Transfer	4,903.66
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	54,903.66
Expended	53,193.24
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Balance to E & D	1,710.42
Group Life Insurance Expense	
Appropriation	3,000.00
Reserve Fund Transfer	160.00
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	3,160.00
Expended	3,150.90
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Balance to E & D	9.10
Insurance	
Appropriation	65,000.00
Expended	63,964.09
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Balance to E & D	1,035.91
Clerical Pool	
Appropriation	200.00
Expended	172.30
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Balance to E & D	27.70
Council for the Aging	
Appropriation	1,000.00
Reserve Fund Transfer	1,007.26
Spec. T. Mtg. from Surp. Revenue	1,500.00
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	3,507.26
Expended	2,007.26
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Balance to Continue	1,500.00

County Aid to Agriculture	
Appropriation	100.00
Expended	100.00
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Balance	-0-
Personnel Board — Salaries	
Appropriation	200.00
Clerical	128.40
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Balance to E & D	71.60
Personnel Board — Expense	
Appropriation	300.00
Reserve Fund Transfer	500.00
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	800.00
Expended	46.15
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Balance to E & D	753.85
Housing Authority	
Unexpended Balance	431.68
Expended	25.00
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Balance to Continue	406.68
Committee — Housing for the Elderly	
Unexpended Balance	169.60
Expended	-0-
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Balance to Continue	169.60
Town Gas Pump & Storage	
Appropriation	30,000.00
Expended	24,395.33
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Balance to E & D	5,604.67
Purchase Land for School Purposes — Cedar St	
Unexpended Balance	2,684.87
Expended	-0-
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Balance to Continue	2,684.87
Town History	
Unexpended Balance	250.00
Expended	-0-
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Balance to Continue	250.00

Town By-Law Committee		
Appropriation		1,000.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to E & D		1,000.00
Bicentennial Committee		
Appropriation		2,500.00
Receipt		188.00
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		2,688.00
Expended		1,443.56
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Balance to E & D		1,244.44
Stabilization Fund		
Appropriation		52,000.00
Expended		52,000.00
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Balance		-0-
Unpaid Bills		
Appropriation FY 76		2,265.26
Expended		2,265.26
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Balance		-0-

ENTERPRISE AND CEMETERIES

Water Operation Salaries		
Appropriation		111,565.00
Supervisor	14,174.00	
Labor	52,440.95	
Clerical	11,430.34	
Collector	2,325.00	
Treatment Plant	25,094.06	105,464.35
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Balance to Water Receipts to be Collected		6,100.65
Water Operation Expense		
Appropriation		142,519.00
Spec. T. Mtg. from Water Surp.		30,000.00
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		172,519.00
Advertising	247.14	
Assoc. Dues & Meeting Expense	540.20	
Auto & Truck Expense	5,972.42	

Eng. & Expl.	10,110.60	
Electricity	10,885.87	
Gas — Utility	2,116.61	
Materials & Supplies	50,845.70	
Postage, Printing etc.	2,535.39	
Rental of Equipment	7,422.00	
Repairs & Maint. of Equipment	4,846.28	
Telephone	2,123.48	
Treatment Plant	70,095.01	
All Other	612.75	168,323.45
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Balance to Water Surplus		4,195.55
New Standpipe — Union Street		
Unexpended Balance		8,085.23
Expended		8,085.23
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Balance		-0-
Water — Billing Equipment & Supplies		
Appropriation		1,597.80
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		1,597.80
Cleaning Water Pipes		
Unexpended Balance		2,104.19
Expended		-0-
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Balance to Continue		2,104.19
Construct & Equip Water Treatment Plant		
Unexpended Balance		17,856.77
Federal Grant — HUD		86,600.00
Temporary Loan		100,000.00
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		204,456.77
Expended		109,310.38
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Balance to Continue		95,146.39
Repairs — Water Standpipes		
Appropriation		30,000.00
Expended		15,256.06
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Balance to Continue		14,743.94

Easement — Union Street	
Appropriation	1,500.00
Expended	-0-
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Balance to Continue	1,500.00
Water Meter Stand	
Appropriation	4,000.00
Expended	-0-
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Balance to Continue	4,000.00
D.P.W.-G.V.W. Truck	
Appropriation	8,692.19
Machinery Rental Fund	1,807.81
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	10,500.00
Expended	10,500.00
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Balance	-0-
New Pick-Up Truck	
Appropriation	3,000.00
Expended	3,000.00
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Balance	-0-
Water — 2 New Trucks	
Appropriation FY 76	8,500.00
Expended	8,500.00
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Balance	-0-
Water — Used Compressor	
Appropriation FY 76	5,500.00
Expended	4,100.00
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Balance to Continue	1,400.00
Cemetery Maintenance — Salaries	
Appropriation	13,026.00
Graves & Found. Fund Transfer	10,000.00
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	23,026.00
Labor	22,766.02
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Balance to E & D	259.98

Cemetery Maintenance — Expense

Appropriation		4,250.00
Graves & Found. Fund Transfer		10,000.00
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		14,250.00
Electricity	116.94	
Gas — Utility	443.87	
Materials & Supplies	6,341.07	
Rental of Equipment	1,900.96	
Repairs & Maint. of Equipment	1,465.21	
Telephone	233.98	
Engineering	1,042.90	
New Equipment	2,334.15	
All Other	370.92	14,250.00
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Balance		-0-
Cemetery Trusts Lots		
Unexpended Balance		598.59
Expended		151.59
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Balance to Continue		447.00
Cemetery — New Lots		
Unexpended Balance		278.25
Transfer from Sale of Lots Account		4,000.00
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		4,278.25
Expended		4,278.25
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Balance		-0-
Cemetery — Water Main & Toilet		
Appropriation		2,000.00
Expended		1,411.01
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Balance to Continue		588.99
Signs for Memorial Squares		
Unexpended Balance		424.32
Expended		225.00
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Balance to Continue		199.32

INTEREST & MATURING DEBT**Interest on Temporary Loans**

Appropriation	45,000.00
Interest	1,331.11

Balance to E & D	43,668.89
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School Debt Interest

Appropriation		181,630.00
Elem. School Bonds Int. (1965)	5,580.00	
Elem. School Bonds Int. (1969)	10,230.00	
High School Bonds Int. (1958)	9,945.00	
Jr. H. S. Bonds Int. (1970)	155,875.00	181,630.00

Balance	-0-
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Water Debt Interest

Appropriation		56,385.00
Water Wells Bonds Int. (1965)	310.00	
Water Standpipe Bonds Int. (1971)	4,810.00	
Water Engineering Bonds Int. (1971)	740.00	
Water Meter & Treatment Plant Bonds Int. (1972)	50,525.00	56,385.00

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Florence Goss School Prize Fund	15.00
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Edmund Q. Sylvester Fund	900.00
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Temporary Loan in Anticipation of Federal Grant	100,000.00
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School Debt

Appropriation		300,000.00
Elem. School Bond Principal (1965)	30,000.00	
Elem. School Bond Principal (1969)	30,000.00	
High School Bond Principal (1958)	65,000.00	
Jr. High School Bond Principal (1970)	175,000.00	300,000.00

Balance	-0-
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Water Debt

Appropriation		160,000.00
Water Wells Bond Principal		
(1965)	10,000.00	
Water Standpipe Bond Principal		
(1971)	40,000.00	
Water Engineering Bond Principal		
(1971)	10,000.00	
Water Meters & Treatment Plant		
Bond Principal (1972)	100,000.00	160,000.00
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Balance		-0-
Bond Issue Expense		
Appropriation		9,500.00
Expended		-0-
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Balance to E & D		9,500.00

AGENCY, TRUST & INVESTMENT

Insurance Proceeds	14,316.10
State Parks & Recreation Assessment	41,305.70
Mass. Bay Transit Authority	81,053.17
State Motor Vehicle Excise Bills Assessment	1,541.85
Metropolitan Area Planning Council	1,089.41
State Assessment System	417.96
Metropolitan Air Pollution Control	507.95
Group Insurance Commission (Rebate)	(161.30)
Plymouth County Tax	173,033.75
Plymouth County Hospital Assessment	4,944.49
Blue Cross-Blue Shield Withholding	55,841.20
Plymouth County Retirement Withholding	60,488.74
Federal Income Tax Withholding	636,822.67
Group Life Insurance Withholding	3,175.20
State Income Tax Withholding	177,095.64
Guarantee Deposits	67,120.00
Dog Licenses for County	4,890.95
Fish & Game Licenses	4,645.25
Cemetery Bequests	2,337.50
Trust Fund Bequests	3,000.00
Certificates of Deposit — Regular	3,600,000.00
U.S. Treasury Notes	1,050,000.00
Petty Cash	90.00

Refunds

Taxes — Personal & Real Estate	27,105.50
Motor Vehicle Excise	4,882.48
Water Rates & Services	194.53
Miscellaneous Refunds	3,206.00
Cemetery	37.50

Total Payments	13,732,383.01
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Cash Balance June 30, 1975	516,631.04
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	14,249,014.05
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PL92-512 FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING FUND**for the year July 1, 1974 thru June 30, 1975****BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 1975****Assets****Liabilities**

Cash	25,730.23	FY75 Approp.	Unexp.
Investments	300,000.00		\$ 48,999.09
		FY76 Approp.	240,100.00
		Fund Balance	36,631.14
	<u>325,730.23</u>		<u>325,730.23</u>
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RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES**Revenues**

Balance available July 1, 1974	403,222.49
Federal Shared Revenue	178,673.00
Interest Income	34,686.38
	<u>616,581.87</u>

Expenditures

Administrative		335.44
Police Expense		
Dues & Meeting expense	523.00	
Insurance	255.00	
Materials & Supplies	4,734.47	
Police School expense	85.00	
Postage, Printing, etc.	2,030.75	
Repairs & Maint. of Equip.	5,698.62	
Uniforms	4,677.42	
All Other	424.74	18,429.00

Police — 2 Cruisers		8,100.00
Police — Unmarked Cruiser		3,600.00
Fire Expense		
Dues and Meeting expense	229.00	
Electricity	1,537.29	
Fuel Oil	2,093.06	
Gas — Utility	1,442.20	
Insurance	2,306.72	
Materials & Supplies	5,799.54	
Rental of Buildings	1,100.00	
Repairs & maint. of bldgs.	1,107.70	
Repairs & maint. of equip.	3,980.16	
Telephone	188.09	
Training School	330.00	
All Other	273.98	20,387.74
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Health Expense		
Advertising	439.64	
Clinic Expense	593.60	
Engineering	3,956.56	
Laboratory Fees	804.50	
Mental Health	1,120.00	
Postage, Printing, etc.	948.64	
Spraying	10,860.00	
Telephone	774.93	
Transfer Station expense	92,320.38	
Travel expense	1,240.95	
All Other	239.35	113,298.55
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DPW — New Sweeper		29,238.69
Conservation Commission		
Advertising	116.09	
Electricity	352.77	
Engineering	842.80	
Land purchase	94,483.38	
Legal expense	235.28	
Postage, printing etc.	86.24	
All other	1,345.66	97,462.22
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Total expenditures		290,851.64
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Balance available June 30, 1975		325,730.23

TOWN OF HANOVER
Balance Sheet — June 30, 1975
GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Cash:		Employees Payroll Deductions:	
In Bank	\$516,631.04	Blue Cross-Blue Shield	\$9,965.53
Certificates of Deposit	1,000,000.00	Group Life Insurance	548.14
U.S. Treasury Notes	500,000.00		
	<u>\$2,016,631.04</u>		<u>\$10,513.67</u>
Accounts Receivable:		Guarantee Deposits:	
Taxes:		Contract Performance	147,852.35
1974 Personal Prop.	\$1,812.20	Tailings — Unclaimed Items	631.89
1975 Personal Prop.	8,500.12	Gifts and Bequests:	
1974 Real Estate	7,279.74	Cemetery Improvements	
1975 Real Estate	113,021.40	Caroline B. Howe Fund	309.38
	<u>130,613.46</u>	Police — Special Details	420.00
Taxes in Litigation:		Federal Grants:	
1961-1975	922.53	Elementary & Secondary Educ.	5,488.26
1975 Farm Animal Excise	44.53	School Aid	3,254.33
		Vocational Education	.20
Motor Vehicle Excise:			<u>8,742.79</u>
1973	8,863.97	School Revolving Funds:	
1974	32,203.56	Physical Education	1,009.03
1975	91,454.29	School Lunch	701.59
	<u>132,521.82</u>		<u>1,710.62</u>
Tax Titles and Possessions:		Appropriation Balances to Continue:	
Titles	20,530.77	General Government	26,608.32
Possessions	971.82	Protection of Persons & Prop.	11,814.92
	<u>21,502.59</u>	Health & Sanitation	5,441.36
		Highways	24,479.59

Assets		
Departmental:		
Schools	1,660.76	
Veterans Services	142.65	
	<u>1,803.41</u>	
Water:		
Liens Added to		
1975 Taxes	922.83	
Liens Added to		
1976 Taxes	31,333.33	
1975 Water Rates	36,219.77	
1975 Meter Bond		
Costs	6,497.40	
	<u>74,973.33</u>	
Federal Grant — HUD	102,000.00	
Aid to Highways:		
State	75,972.00	
County	12,000.00	
	<u>87,972.00</u>	
		552,353.67
Revenue — FY 1976	7,678,644.34	
Deduct: Available Funds Voted	880,281.34	
	<u>6,798,363.00</u>	
Water Receipts to be Collected FY 76	372,095.00	
Water Loan Authorized	705,000.00	
Due from Stabilization Fund:		
Authorization for Land — DPW	40,000.00	
Underestimates:		
Met. Area Planning Council	593.86	
Special Education	293.00	
Plymouth County Hosp. Asses.	2,744.03	
	<u>3,630.89</u>	

Liabilities and Reserves		
Schools	80,468.98	
Recreation & Unclassified	9,832.28	
Enterprise & Cemeteries	121,528.31	
	<u>280,173.76</u>	
Appropriation Control — FY 1976	7,637,379.08	
Water Appropriation Control FY 1976	372,095.00	
Tax Title Foreclosure Expense	4,958.55	
Reserve for 1975 School Salaries	52,864.41	
Loans Authorized & Unissued:		
Water Treat. Plant Const.	555,000.00	
Water Well Development	150,000.00	
	<u>705,000.00</u>	
Due from Stabilization Fund:		
Appropriation for Land — DPW	40,000.00	
Overestimates:		
State Parks & Recreation Asses.	408.21	
Mass. Bay Transp. Auth.	391.83	
Met. Air Pollution Control Dist.	126.50	
Plymouth County Tax	17,788.99	
	<u>18,715.53</u>	
Sale of Land	1,781.00	
Receipts Reserved for Appropriation:		
Cemetery:		
Graves &		
Foundations	\$8,167.86	
Sale of Lots	2,766.80	
	<u>10,934.66</u>	
Highways — Chapter 825	13,000.00	
State Aid for Libraries	3,790.13	
	<u>27,724.79</u>	
Overlay Surplus	4,551.48	

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Overlay Deficit:		Overlay Reserved for Abatements:	
Levy of 1973-74	4,572.74	1971 Taxes	750.00
		1972 Taxes	9,850.00
		1974-75 Taxes	62,233.91
			<u>72,833.91</u>
		Revenue Reserved Until Collected:	
		Farm Animal Excise Revenue	44.53
		Motor Vehicle Excise Revenue	132,521.82
		Tax Title Revenue	21,502.59
		Departmental Revenue	1,803.41
		Water Lien Revenue	32,256.16
		Water Revenue	42,717.17
		Aid to Highway Revenue	87,972.00
		Federal Grant Rev.—Hud	102,000.00
		Taxes in Litigation Revenue	922.53
			<u>421,740.21</u>
		Surplus Revenue:	
		General	657,842.77
		Water	24,805.15
			<u>682,647.92</u>
	<u>\$10,492,646.34</u>		<u>\$10,492,646.34</u>
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DEBT ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Net Funded or Fixed Debt	\$4,310,000.00	School Debt:	
		Elem. Sch. Bonds dated 5/15/65	
		15 yrs. Payable \$30,000.00	
		Annually @ 3.19%	\$150,000.00

Assets**Liabilities and Reserves**

Elem. Sch. Bonds dated 10/15/69

10 yrs. Payable \$30,000.00
Annually @ 6.2% 150,000.00

New High Sch. Bonds dated 9/1/58

20 yrs. Payable \$65,000.00
Annually @ 3.4% 260,000.00

Junior High Sch. Bonds dated 11/15/70

14 yrs. Payable \$175,000.00
Annually
5 yrs. Payable \$170,000.00
Annually @ 5.8% 2,600,000.00

\$3,160,000.00

Water Debt:

Water Engineering Bonds dated 11/15/71

4 yrs. Payable \$10,000.00
Annually
1 yr. Payable \$5,000.00
Annually @ 3.7% 15,000.00

Water Standpipe Bonds dated 11/15/71

1 yr. Payable \$42,000.00
Annually
3 yrs. Payable \$40,000.00
Annually
2 yrs. Payable \$35,000.00
Annually @ 3.7% 110,000.00

Assets**Liabilities and Reserves**

Water Meter and Treatment Plant Bonds
dated 12/15/72

4 yrs. Payable \$100,000.00
Annually

15 yrs. Payable \$55,000.00
Annually @ 4.7% 1,025,000.00

\$4,310,000.00

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1,150,000.00

\$4,310,000.00

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TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust Funds — Cash and Securities

\$646,111.75

Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds

\$114,703.41

John Curtis Library Fund

97,386.78

William H. Dowden Sch. Prize Fund

764.46

Florence Goss Sch. Prize Fund

792.33

B. Everett Hall Playground Fund

7,212.72

Post-War Rehabilitation Fund

9,242.26

Edmund Q. Sylvester Sch. Fund

6,838.94

Joseph E. Wilder WRC Fund

2,248.69

Eliza S. Hatfield Salmond Sch. Fund

6,399.48

Alice H. Washburn Scholarship fund

9,118.56

Mary A. & Wm. Ahearn Scholarship Fund

23,477.44

Mildred H. Ellis Trust Fund

10,506.05

Stabilization Fund (Includes \$40,000.00
appropriated but not yet transferred or
expended. See Balance Sheet above
for detailed amounts)

357,420.63

\$646,111.75

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\$646,111.75

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Report of the Town Treasurer

July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975

Cash Balance, July 1, 1974	\$1,141,804.16
1974-1975 Receipts	13,070,511.21
Total Receipts	14,212,315.37
Less 1974-1975 Expenditures	13,695,684.33
Cash Balance, June 30, 1975	\$ 516,631.04

REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

Cash Balance, July 1, 1974	\$ 3,222.49
Invested as of July 1, 1974	400,000.00
Received from Federal Government 1974-1975	178,673.00
Interest Income 1974-1975	34,686.38
Total	\$616,581.87
Less Expenditures 1974-1975	290,851.64
Cash Balance, June 30, 1975	\$325,730.23

TRUST FUNDS

Cemetery Trust Funds

Total Cemetery Bequests	\$82,321.18
Interest to June 30, 1975	30,044.73
Less: Expended in 1975	.....
New Funds Added 1974-1975	2,337.50
Balance on Deposit, June 30, 1975	\$114,703.41

William H. Dowden Trust Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$721.65
Interest added to June 30, 1975	42.81
Less Expended in 1975	.....
Balance on deposit June 30, 1975	\$764.46

Florence Goss Trust Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$754.66
Interest added to June 30, 1975	37.67
Less Expended in 1975	15.00
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Balance on deposit June 30, 1975	\$777.33

Joseph E. Wilder Women's Relief Corps Trust Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$2,085.69
Interest added to June 30, 1975	163.00
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Balance on deposit June 30, 1975	\$2,248.69

E. Q. Sylvester Trust Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$7,329.04
Interest added to June 30, 1975	409.90
Less expended in 1974-1975	900.00
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Balance on deposit June 30, 1975	\$6,838.94

Post War Rehabilitation Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$8,724.44
Interest added to June 30, 1975	517.82
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Balance on deposit June 30, 1975	\$9,242.26

B. Everett Hall Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$6,808.61
Interest added to June 30, 1975	404.11
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Balance on deposit June 30, 1975	\$7,212.72

Stabilization Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$318,024.41
Interest added to June 30, 1975	20,996.22
New Funds added in 1974-1975	52,000.00
Less expended in 1975	33,600.00
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Balance on deposit June 30, 1975	\$357,420.63

Salmond School Trust Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$6,066.51
Interest added to June 30, 1975	332.97
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Balance on deposit June 30, 1975	\$6,399.48

Alice H. Washburn Scholarship Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$5,726.68
Interest added to June 30, 1975	391.88
New Funds added in 1975	3,000.00
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Balance on deposit July 1, 1975	\$9,118.56

Mary and William Ahearn Scholarship Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$22,255.80
Interest added to June 30, 1975	1,221.64
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Balance on deposit June 30, 1975	\$23,477.44

Mildred H. Ellis Trust Fund

Balance on deposit July 1, 1974	\$10,000.00
Interest added to June 30, 1975	506.05
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Balance on deposit June 30, 1975	\$10,506.05

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY E. TRIPP,
Town Treasurer

Report of Tax Collector - 1975

To the Board of Selectmen, Town of Hanover

We have completed our first normal 12 month fiscal year and although it entails almost twice as much work and postage expense, the two payment plan has worked for Hanover.

Much credit is due the Assessors. Had they not set a rate early enough to have the bills in my office for stuffing and mailing prior to September 30th, we would have had a late due date. This was the case in many surrounding towns, causing millions of dollars to be borrowed in "anticipation of" and costing a great deal in interest charges. The Town of Hanover's financial situation was in the reverse. Millions of dollars were invested and a considerable amount of money made for the Town.

You, the taxpayers should be proud and grateful for the fine dedicated employees and officials in General Government who operate so successfully on only 28½% of the Tax Rate.

Total Collected and turned over to the Treasurer for Calendar year 1974 was \$5,206,523.60. All other figures for this Department are shown in the Accountant's Report.

To my Assistant and my part-time Assistant I thank you for your extreme dedication and to the Town Clerk and his Assistant, my grateful thanks for their many services through-out the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR S. BLAISDELL,

Collector of Taxes and
Water Rates

Report of the Board of Appeals

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Hanover:

The Zoning Board of Appeals held scheduled meetings at the Hanover Town Hall on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month, excluding holidays and officially announced postponements.

Sixteen public hearings were held by the Board on applications requiring approval for premitted uses, petition of appeal from decisions made by administrative officials, petitions for variances, all in reference to the Zoning By-Law. Included were two petitions of appeal in reference to the Sign By-Law. Fourteen written decisions were filed at the Office of the Town Clerk as required by statute law. Two petitions were withdrawn by the petitioners without prejudice before a final decision was made.

We wish to thank all officials and Boards of this Town for their assistance and cooperation given to us this year.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES S. OLDHAM, Chairman
JAMES E. THOMPSON, Co-chairman
KENNETH R. LINGLEY

Associate Members

RAY G. HILL
DONALD F. GRUSHEY
LOUIS N. AVITABLE

Report of the Planning Board

To the Citizens of the Town of Hanover:

Calendar year 1975 saw an unexpectedly large activity in subdivision development. This consisted of accelerated completion of subdivisions in progress, reactivation of several inactive subdivisions, and indications that a number of completely new subdivisions are in the engineering stages and will be submitted for approval later. During the year we updated our Subdivision Rules and Regulations, primarily to make the developers more responsible for the costs of engineering involved both in the original approval and in the in-process inspection during completion of subdivisions. Steps are being taken to develop zoning changes which, if adopted, would further protect wetlands, flood plains and watershed areas. Other zoning changes will be considered, such as those arising from a complete rewriting of the Zoning Enabling Act, Chapter 40A of the General Laws, by the 1975 legislative session. Another new legislative mandate, Chapter 807 of the Acts of 1975, requires substantial Planning Board activity on the Local Growth Policy Committee to be appointed by the Selectmen in early 1976. We look forward to an especially busy year in 1976.

Respectfully submitted

HANOVER PLANNING BOARD
TURNER W. GILMAN, Chairman
JOHN A. LIBERTINE, Vice-Chairman
JANET W. O'BRIEN, Clerk
ROGER A. LESLIE, SR.
FREDERICK W. ADAMI III

Report of the Bylaw Study Committee

PROGRESS REPORT (JAN. 1 - DEC. 31, 1975)

Charter & Scope: Pursuant to 1975 Annual Town Meeting, Article 72: "To appoint a committee of five . . . for the purpose of studying the present bylaws . . . to submit articles for the revision and updating of these bylaws, at the next Annual Town Meeting, and to publish a booklet of the bylaws . . . following their updating . . ."

Membership: Messrs. Gerald F. Williamson, Chairman; Frederick W. Adami III; Robert A. Lavoie; Paul W. Schrader; William B. Sides.

Schedule of Meetings: Weekly meetings on Wednesday evenings at Town Hall, Hearing Room, from 27 October through 31 December 1975, 7:00-9:00 P.M.

Progress Report: Following a brief review of the work of an earlier committee, the Committee obtained paste-up copies of the latest Town Bylaws for review and initial comments by the members. Bylaws were obtained from area towns and studied for comparative content and presentation. Several town boards were invited to attend meetings for submittal of ideas and proposed changes. Committee members began the task of classifying existing bylaws into meaningful, logical presentation. Initial study was begun on two proposed bylaws: (1) Revised swimming pool fence bylaw; (2) Bylaw to limit debate and provide curfew at annual town meetings. (Interim progress report discussed for submittal at 1976 annual town meeting.)

Hanover Town Bylaw Study Committee
GERALD F. WILLIAMSON, Esq.
Chairman

Report of the Personnel Board

The Personnel Board in 1975 was faced with an ever increasing workload. The board met even in the summer months which are usually very slow. The problems of both labor and management are becoming much more complex and will require even more work of this board in the coming years.

We will have further recommendations for the Annual Town Meeting in trying to have our employment procedures and practices approximate those of surrounding towns of equivalent size.

We appreciate the cooperation of all departments in the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID W. LUCE, Chairman
CATHERINE B. HALL
WILFORD W. D'ENTREMONT
JOHN H. KELLEHER
JOHN E. HOADLEY
DONALD E. MORRISON, JR.
JAMES J. O. STONE

Annual Report of the Board of Registrars

As of December 31, 1975, the registered voters were listed as follows:

Republicans	1,280
Democrats	1,674
American	0
Unenrolled	2,233

Total Registered Voters: 5,187

The term "Unenrolled" means not registered in any political party.

The Town Census taken in January, 1975, showed the population of Hanover to be 10,869. The computer system initiated two years ago has proven to be of great value to the Board for the purpose of up-dating the Voting Lists and compiling the Jury list.

The State Census was taken during the month of March, 1975. This census is conducted every five years and in the future will be done in conjunction with the Annual listing in January.

Residents may register at the Town Clerk's office daily Monday through Friday during regular office hours and Monday evenings 7 to 9 P.M. except when registration is closed by law prior to elections and town meetings. The Board also holds special registration sessions before town elections, town meetings, presidential and state primaries and elections.

Notification of special sessions were published in the local newspapers.

Signatures on all petitions and nomination papers were checked and certified.

A call to the office of the Town Clerk can straighten out any questions regarding dates of registrations, party affiliations, etc.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL H. KENDRIGAN, Chairman
 ELIZABETH T. AMAZEEN
 ELEANOR M. KIMBALL
 JOHN W. MURPHY, Town Clerk

Report of the Building Inspector

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Hanover:

The construction of new dwellings in the Town of Hanover for the year 1975 increased for the third consecutive year. The 76 new dwellings constructed were the largest number since 1969. Several new sub-divisions were approved in 1975 and it appears the year 1976 will be a busy one.

The new dwellings constructed in Hanover over the past ten years are as follows:

1966 - 84	1971 - 64
1967 - 106	1972 - 15
1968 - 146	1973 - 42
1969 - 127	1974 - 53
1970 - 61	1975 - 76

The Building Permits issued in 1975 were as follows:

New Dwellings	76
Accessory Buildings	14
Additions, Remodeling	46
Business Buildings	16
Signs	74
Swimming Pools	51
Miscellaneous	2

Total Permits	279
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Building Permit Fees collected by this office in 1975 totaled \$8,898.00. This amount was turned over to the Town Treasurer. The total estimated value of construction for 1975 was \$3,736,210.00.

The Building Department is located on the second floor of the Town Hall and is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 A.M. to 12 noon and 1 P.M. to 4:30 P.M. Permits for Building, Plumbing, Gas Piping, Wiring and Signs are issued from this office. The Zoning By-Laws are also enforced thru this office.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL N. LITCHFIELD,
Inspector of Buildings

Report of the Animal Inspector

To the Citizens of the Town of Hanover:

I respectfully submit my report for the year 1975.

Dog Bite cases quarantined	22
Premises inspected	69

The following animals inspected:

Horses	148
Ponies	60
Beef Cattle	10
Dairy Cattle	2
Goats	14
Sheep	4
Swine	6
Donkeys	1

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. SIMMONS,
Inspector of Animals

Report of the Gas Inspector

To the Board of Selectmen and the Citizens of Hanover:

We hereby submit our report of the Inspector of Gas Pipings and Gas Appliances for the period of January 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975.

There were 72 permits issued and acted upon. \$426.00 in fees were collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer.

We appreciate the cooperation of the homeowners, contractors, and all town departments.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT J. STEWART, Inspector
THEODORE F. LUSCINSKI,
Alternate Inspector

Report of the Inspector of Plumbing

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Hanover:

We hereby submit our report of the Inspector of Plumbing for the period of January 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975.

There were 205 permits issued and acted upon. \$2,649.00 in fees were collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer.

We appreciate the cooperation of the homeowners, contractors, and all town departments.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT J. STEWART, Inspector
THEODORE F. LUSCINSKI,
Alternate Inspector

Report of the Inspector of Wires

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Hanover:

We hereby submit the fifteenth annual report of the Inspector of Wires for the period January 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975.

There were 358 permits issued and acted upon. \$5,629.35 in fees were collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer.

We appreciate the cooperation of the homeowners, contractors, and all departments in making this a safer town electrically.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT E. MONTGOMERY, Inspector
EDWARD F. SAVAGE, Alternate

Board of Public Works

To Board of Selectmen:

This is the Third Annual Report of the Board of Public Works. During the year a new table of organization has been completed. Following the resignation of the Superintendent, Mr. Allen W. Hanson, the Board made a decision to fill the vacancy from within the department, and Mr. Herbert D. Simmons was appointed Superintendent. A new position of Deputy Superintendent was created, and Mr. Philip C. Beal was appointed. The new administrative structure eliminates one supervisory position, and in a short time has proved an effective administrative organization.

Budgets generally reflect only salary increases authorized by the Town and inflationary cost of materials such as power and petroleum products. Having now experienced a full year of operation of the Water Treatment Plant and the reading and billing of metered water charges, there are budget increases in the Water Division for added personnel and expenses. This should level off in Fiscal Year 1977, except for increases in water usage caused by increased population. We are encouraged, however, by the fact that increased use has resulted in increased water revenue.

For the first time in several years heavy winter storms have nearly depleted the snow and ice budget which will probably require additional funds before the winter season of 75-76 is over. The Board is extremely pleased with the efficiency of the snow removal operation and has congratulated the department personnel for their dedicated efforts.

Specific division comments follow:

WATER DIVISION:

Water Consumption has increased and is reflected in an 11.4% increase in meter billings over the past twelve months. This follows the projection of increasing usage after the initial reducing impact of the meter program. A new record of pumping two million eight hundred thousand gallons (2,800,000) in a twenty-four hour period was reached in August.

The Treatment Plant is operating well. Operating expertise is increasing and to counteract increasing use and costs every effort to find ways to reduce cost is being explored. The new Federal Safe Drinking Act will require more testing and it is anticipated that the State will no longer carry out testing for towns as they have in the past.

The Walnut Hill standpipe has been cleaned and painted this fall. The old Union Street tank is scheduled for similar maintenance and a request is in the warrant for this purpose. After this is complete the next period of maintenance for our standpipes is scheduled to start in 1981.

New development in both commercial and residential areas is reflected in the increased water expenses. \$50,200.00 of the increase is returned to the Town as Water Revenue from charges made for extensions and services. Charges for new services are being reviewed along with water regulations and some changes are to be made. Anticipated new residential and non-residential development will increase water use, therefore, exploration on undeveloped land must be accelerated to assure potential ground-water supply areas are reserved for the Town. Funds for exploration are in a special article for this purpose.

HIGHWAY DIVISION:

Continued reconstruction and improvement to the Town's highways was carried on during the past year. A final coat of asphalt was applied on Spring Street and new surfaces were applied on portions of Old Town Way, Silver Street and Old Washington Street. Summer Street was completely reconstructed for a distance of 1.51 miles.

Chip seal was applied to 1.52 miles of roadway and sand seal was applied to 6.9 miles thus the objective of resurfacing ten miles of roadway per year was nearly met.

Several small drainage projects were completed and a new system nearly finished on Center Street.

New development areas accepted and those projected are resulting in an increased work load, especially in the area of snow removal. The mild winters of the past have resulted in savings in the snow and ice account, but the opposite appears to be the case for the 1975-76 season.

Land for a D.P.W. garage was purchased on Winter Street at the annual meeting. This approximate 11 acre parcel will provide ample space for a garage and material storage areas all within an industrial zone.

The Town will be asked to appropriate funds for the garage at the 1976 annual meeting.

CEMETERY DIVISION:

The Cemetery Division continues its expansion program and new sections were opened this year enabling citizens of the Town to purchase lots as needed.

The use of C.E.T.A. personnel in the division has resulted in labor savings and provided the opportunity to lime, fertilize and generally improve the grounds.

An appropriation this year for memorial squares, administered by the Women's Garden Clubs has resulted in beautification of several of our Town squares. The work was carried out principally with C.E.T.A. personnel.

TREE DIVISION:

The Tree Division continued its usual spraying program, gypsy moth count and program of removal of diseased trees and setting out new trees. Roadside trimming was carried on whenever possible within budget limitations.

Reorganization with Cemetery, Playground and Tree Divisions becoming one is still projected for the future. The object being to upgrade efficiency and service.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. THOMSON, Chairman
S. FRANKLIN AMES
FREDERICK P. LANZILLOTTA

Report of the Drainage Coordinating Committee

The Drainage Coordinating Committee was established by Article 19 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1974. This committee, consisting of one representative each from the Department of Public Works, the Board of Health and the Planning Board was expected to be useful in coordinating drainage activities outside street bounds and drainage easements within the control of the then new Department of Public Works. It was activated June 30, 1974. To date there has not been a single proposal initiated by it or referred to it. The continuation of this formal committee appears to be unnecessary. Appropriate coordination, if required in the future, can be conducted informally. This is submitted as a final report.

S. FRANKLIN AMES
Department of Public Works

EDWARD R. HAMMOND, JR.
Board of Health

TURNER W. GILMAN
Planning Board

Report of the Police Department

To the Board of Selectmen and the
Citizens of the Town of Hanover:

I hereby submit the following report of the Police Department from January 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975.

Police Officers cannot be turned into Public Relations Men or Goodwill Ambassadors when their Aim is to Enforce all Statute Laws, Bylaws, Rules and Regulations. Their task has been most difficult because of the Liberalism which has engulfed us all.

When you have a Police Department that enforces all Laws you now meet resistance from Young and Old alike. Because of this Liberalism, Rules and Regulations are thrown to the winds, Bad Laws passed by the Legislators, for example, (The 18 Year Old Drinking Law). The Police Departments that do their part in Crime by Arresting and bringing criminals before the Courts are now "sandbagged" by these same Courts. Upon conviction of these criminals the Courts are soft on these convicted persons especially with the fines and sentencing of the cases presented.

There has got to be Unity within the Judicial System in dealing with these Criminals and Dispositions. When lackadaisical enforcement appears we all suffer. The Legislators that you vote into office must be made to improve the Judicial and Correctional Institutions. They are elected to do a job. If it is not accomplished then new bodies should be elected until it is achieved.

During the Calender Year of 1974 an estimated 10,192,000 serious crimes, (Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Burglary, Larceny Theft and Motor Vehicle Theft) were reported to Law Enforcement Agencies throughout the United States. This is an 18 percent increase over 1973.

During 1974 one violent crime, (Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery or Aggravated Assault) was committed every 33 seconds. A Murder was committed every 26 minutes. A forcible Rape was committed every 10 minutes. A Robbery was committed every 71 seconds. A Burglary was committed every 10

seconds. A motor vehicle stolen every 32 seconds. An Aggravated assault committed every 70 seconds and a Larceny Theft every 6 seconds.

Persons arrested: In 1974 Law Enforcement Agencies made an estimated 9.1 Million Arrests nationally for all Criminal Acts except Traffic offences. The Arrest rate was 46 Arrests for each 1,000 persons. In 1973 there were 42 Arrests for each 1,000 inhabitants.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the People of Hanover, the Board of Selectmen, Neighboring Police Departments, State and County Officers and the Members of the Hanover Police Force for their assistance and cooperation during the past year.

REPORT OF ACTIVITIES

Complaints	27,380
Arrests	193
Protective Custody	20
Arrest, Narcotics	8
Motor Vehicle Arrests Accidents	60
Larceny of Motor Vehicles	349
Cost of Motor Vehicles Stolen	\$637,787.70
Arrests, Larceny of Motor Vehicles	22
Breaking & Entering & Larceny	148
Value of Goods Stolen	\$135,865.76
Arrests, Breaking & Entering and Larceny	41
Larceny	322
Value of Goods Stolen	\$107,731.76
Arrests, Larceny	54
Arrests, Warrants	36
Warrants on Hand	104
Warrants on Hand, Checks	128
Armed Robbery	10
Amount Stolen, Armed Robbery	\$34,173.15
Arrests, Armed Robbery	5
Rape	1
Missing Persons	31
Assault & Battery	27
Bomb Scares	6
Malicious Destruction of Property	97
Larceny of Bicycles	48
Possession of Fireworks	11
Trespassing	23

Indecent Exposure	7
Disturbance	32
Fraudulant Checks	392
Ambulance Trips	291
Citations Written	593
Outside Aid	190
Fire Assists	350
Summons Served	435
Family Problems	42
Days in Court	244
Arraignments, 1st Time in Only	603
District Court	—
Total All Cases All Court Work	1,414
Licenses to Carry Firearms Issued	103
Firearm ID Cards Issued	415
Firearm Dealers Licenses Issued	8
Ammunition Dealers Licenses Issued	8
Gunsmith Licenses Issued	2
Money Turned into Town Treasurer for Reports Sent Out	\$1,059.00
Money Turned into Town Treasurer for Firearm Licenses	\$1,958.00
Money Turned into Town Treasurer for Accident Reports	\$1,320.20

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID G. ZWICKER
Chief of Police

The following are the Sergeants, permanent and permanent intermittent police officers of the Hanover Police Department.

CHIEF DAVID G. ZWICKER

Sgt. Thomas G. Axon	Sgt. James E. Cruise
Sgt. John B. Lingley	

PERMANENT POLICE OFFICERS

Off. Ralph C. Anderson	Off. Paul E. Kenerson
Off. Robert G. Colby	Off. Paul V. Lunetta
Off. James R. Davis, Jr.	Off. Wayne M. Richards
Off. Peter C. Hansen	Off. Paul J. Roach
Off. Paul R. Hayes	Off. William R. Scott
Off. Thomas F. Hayes	Off. William B. Spooner III
Off. Robert A. Hooper	Off. Gary A. Young
Off. Allan P. Jones	

PERMANENT INTERMITTENT POLICE OFFICERS

Off. Douglas R. Anderson	Off. Paul C. Newcomb
Off. T. Drew Bates	Off. Bernard W. Powers
Off. Wendell D. Blanchard	Off. Howard E. Rollins
Off. Frank A. Cheverie	Off. William J. Ruszcyk
Off. Stephen A. Methot	Off. Richard C. Swift

SPECIALS

Off. Erwin S. Cobb	Off. Frederick W. Sage
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Report of the Board of Fire Engineers

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens
of the Town of Hanover:

The Board of Fire Engineers submits the following report
for the year 1975.

Responses for the year totaled 490, a slight increase over
1974.

The year 1975 saw the arrival of a new pumping engine
which has been assigned to Station 3. We expect to receive a
new engine for Station 2 late in 1976 which will end the cur-
rent engine replacement program. The Board will submit an
article for a new ladder truck chassis to replace a 1946 chas-
sis, at the coming Town Meeting.

We would be wrong in not acknowledging the contribu-
tions the call firefighters make toward the day to day oper-
ation of the department. During 1975, 18 members were certi-
fied as Emergency Medical Technicians, and four members
are awaiting certification. These men will man the new Res-
cue Ambulance as of April 1, 1976.

Training: Basic firefighting courses were held for the
newer firefighters under the direction of the training officer,
Captain Kenneth Houghton.

The Hanover Muster Team won first place in Plymouth
County Muster League competition this past summer. This
activity continues to create interest in the department from
a call firefighters standpoint, and also helps develop the
teamwork that is so necessary.

On August 1, 1975, after 47 years of service as a fire-
fighter, Chief Lawrence E. Slaney retired as Chief of the
Fire Department. It is impossible to fully voice our appre-
ciation for his loyal and faithful service to the town. We,
the members of the Board of Fire Engineers, who served with
him can only thank "Larry" and wish him well in his new
endeavors.

During the year firefighter Walter Colby passed away. Walter faithfully served the Fire Department for many years as a member and Lieutenant of Company 4.

Respectfully submitted,

WENDELL BLANCHARD, Chief

T. DREW BATES

ERNEST BOURQUE

THOMAS INGLE

CHARLES INGLIS, Clerk

EDGAR PACKARD

Board of Fire Engineers

Emergency Communication Center

To The Town of Hanover:

Following an historic trend, the number of calls through the Emergency Center increased for the 15th consecutive year.

The Committee has explored the possibilities of converting to the 911 system, but have determined that it is impractical as the number can only be used when the entire town is on a single exchange. Hanover is presently served by two exchanges which would prohibit anyone on the 878 exchange or about 50% of our citizens from benefiting from the change.

We are also in the process of upgrading our telephone system. The present equipment is over twenty years old, out of production, and requiring frequent maintenance.

We wish to express our appreciation to the Board of Selectmen, the Police Department, Fire Department, and the Public Works for their cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT P. COBURN
HENRY S. NEWCOMB
JOHN THOMSON

Civil Defense Report

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of the Town:

We hereby submit our report for the calendar year 1975. There were no declared emergencies during the year and we continue to participate in State held simulated emergency practices.

On July 14, 1975, Walter L. Colby, who served as Director of Civil Defense for 10 years, passed away. He served the Town with loyalty and distinction during his years of service.

We appreciate the cooperation of the various departments.

Respectfully submitted,

PETER C. McCORMACK, Director

JOHN THOMSON, Deputy Director

Report of the Park and Recreation Committee

The Park and Recreation Committee is pleased to announce the completion of the new tennis and basketball court on Myrtle Street. We do hope the citizens will take full advantage of this new facility and enjoy the use of it.

The Summer Program of recreation for the youth of the town, enjoyed a very successful six weeks. The committee introduced a Tennis program this past summer which showed vast interest and good results. The winter Swim and Ski programs were also very popular and most successful.

The Town has grown considerably and the Committee can see the need for a Recreation Director, part time, to serve year round. We do hope the Town votes for this position.

Respectfully submitted,

RONALD BABINEAU

JACK MacDOUGALL

GENE MACOMBER

DIANE MORRIS

JAMES H. WHEELER, Chairman

Report of the Conservation Commission

To the Citizens of Hanover:

By the first of July, 1976, we shall have added approximately another 75-80 acres of greenbelt and open space land which we feel will be beneficial to the town.

A large number of housing areas are being opened up and many present individual problems of their own. Since October 16, 1972, we have held over twenty hearings under Chapter 131, Section 40 and decisions rendered. This is indeed time consuming and quite often expensive. The Commission meets at regular intervals twice a month with numerous special meetings which are posted as by law at the Town Hall.

We have initiated much planting of trees and shrubs with the Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls aiding in the planting. We wish to thank the citizenry for their part in this program.

A major inventory of over approximately 750 acres is underway for the use and enjoyment of those around us.

Another major problem to be solved is similar to all towns around us: littering, loitering and destruction.

The complexity of problems to be solved on Route #53 are still with us as yet, but it appears good headway is being made.

Fees collected this year totaled \$350.00

We wish to thank all the Town Departments and the many interested citizens for their cooperation.

DONALD J. ROGERS, Chairman
RICHARD E. BRADFORD,
Vice Chairman
MARJORIE H. ABBOT, Clerk
LEANDER B. NICHOLS
KATHERINE R. TOWNSEND
RICHARD H. LASKEY
JOHN D. DOUGHERTY

1975 Report of Trustees for County Cooperative Extension Service

By Edgar W. Spear, Director

The Plymouth County Cooperative Extension Service's office is located on High Street, Hanson and can be reached by calling 293-3541 or 447-5946.

This is repetitious but for the information of new residents, we are the educational arm of the University of Massachusetts and the U.S.D.A. at the county level. This is where the name "Cooperative Extension" is derived.

We have many and varied educational programs.

Free bulletins are on display at our office on lawn care, gardening, nutrition, home canning and freezing, to name just a few. If you pass our office on your travels, stop and visit us.

The number of soil samples tested continues to increase each year which is a free service to the Plymouth County residents. This year, with more gardeners, our agents were swamped with soil samples.

With more food production and preservation by home gardeners, our Home Economists are available for advice. Citizens are encouraged to bring to the attention of their Town Director any suggestions to improve our services.

Plymouth County continues to have the most active 4-H Program in Massachusetts. Increased enrollment continues in our new Urban 4-H program. 4-H has become more than just "cows and cookies" and varied programs are available for all young people.

Through our Nutrition Program in Brockton we have made available to every town school system "Mulligan Stew" film, an excellent source of nutrition lessons for young people. Our Life and Earth 4-H Science Projects such as Embryology and Ocean Science are being made available to all of Plymouth County's School Systems. We have periodic leader training sessions for the teacher.

In addition to our regular staff, we have five Regional Community Development Specialists who work closely with all the towns on varied projects and are available for assistance to all towns.

Our Board of Trustee members are:

Mr. Gilbert Blackledge, Chairman, Whitman
 Mr. Fred Friedenfeld, Vice-Chairman, Middleboro
 Mrs. Sally Carver, Secretary, Marshfield
 Mr. Edward Gawle, Brockton
 Mrs. Eileen Rawson, Duxbury
 Mr. Howard Hayward, West Bridgewater
 Mr. Robert Haviland, Hingham
 Mr. Phillip Gibbs, West Wareham
 Mr. Gerard Burke, County Commissioner

Trustees of Plymouth County Cooperative Extension Service

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 Plymouth County Trustees for County Cooperative Extension Service

Edgar W. Spear, Director

1975 REPORT OF TRUSTEES FOR COUNTY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE

In accordance with the General Laws of the Commonwealth, Chapter 128, the Trustees for Plymouth County Cooperative Extension Service are empowered to receive, on behalf of the County, money appropriated by any town or by the Federal Government for carrying out the provisions of the law under which they are appointed.

Their agents have made contacts during the past year in every community either by public meetings, individual visits, group discussions, demonstrations or otherwise, in attempting

to assist the needs of the citizens toward helping to solve management problems, better living and better community service and have been ably assisted by many local volunteer leaders.

Purchases were made during 1974-1975 for material needed in carrying on the various Extension programs. The appropriation made by your town was used for residents of the town and expended as follows:

Books and Manuals purchased	
for Town Officials	\$8.20
Town Director's Expense	.....
4-H and Home Economic	
Leader Expense	31.72
4-H School Program	9.02
Bulletins, Paper, etc.	51.06
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Total:	\$100.00
1974-1975 Appropriation	\$100.00
Suggested appropriation	
for next 12 months—	
1976 - 1977	\$100.00

Respectfully submitted,

Trustees for

County Cooperative Extension Service

By: EDGAR W. SPEAR, Director

Report of the Board of Health

To the Board of Selectmen
and the Citizens of Hanover:

We respectfully submit our annual report for the year 1975.

The Board meets Monday evenings at 7:30 P.M. with the exception of holidays.

We wish to welcome back Mr. Lawrence E. Slaney who was elected to the Board in May. Mr. Slaney previously served in this capacity from 1960 to 1967.

The Transfer and Recycling Station continues to operate in an efficient manner. We are presently disposing of approximately 120 tons per week. Recycling of glass, newspapers and cardboard continues to contribute revenue to the Town. We have submitted Articles for the Town Meeting to purchase the recycling units which we are presently renting.

The aerial mosquito control program was continued again in 1975 with most successful results.

Two Rabies Clinics for dogs were held in 1975. A Flu Vaccine Clinic for Golden Agers and Town employees was held in conjunction with the School Department.

We have continued with the Mantoux testing for Tuberculosis for all food handlers employed in the Town of Hanover and the school department personnel.

All restaurants have been inspected regularly for sanitary conditions and the State Sanitary Code requirements are enforced.

Mr. Hammond served as a member of the Town's Drainage Coordinating Committee. Mr. Sullivan served again as a member of the Sewer Study Committee and Visiting Nurse Association Advisory Committee.

90 Disposal Works Construction Permits were issued for the year 1975.

The following complaints were processed during the year 1975:

- 54 - Communicable Diseases were reported.
- 36 - Complaints of various unsanitary conditions.
- 5 - Complaints regarding the public water supply.
- 14 - Sewage complaints
- 18 - Brook and pond water complaints
- 3 - Sub-standard housing conditions reported.
- 6 - Drainage complaints.
- 95 - Dead animals picked up as health hazards.
- 13 - Restaurant complaints of uncleanness.
- 5 - Mosquito complaints
- 15 - Miscellaneous complaints
- 13 - Unsatisfactory products not meeting public health standards.
- 3 - Complaints of bats and rats
- 2 - Landlords not providing heat.
- 10 - Illegal dumping complaints.
- 3 - Neglect of animals.

The Board would like to thank all Town Officials, employees and citizens for their cooperation in 1975.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT E. SULLIVAN JR., Chairman
EDWARD R. HAMMOND, JR.
LAWRENCE E. SLANEY

Report of the Hanover Visiting Nurse Association, Inc.

To the Board of Selectmen and
The Citizens of Hanover:

Regular monthly meetings of the Board of Management are held on the second Tuesday of the month. Meetings open to the public are held in January and April.

During the year Board members assisted the nurse at the Well Child Conferences, Pre-school Child Conferences and the Health Maintenance Conferences for the elderly.

In April all pre-school children were screened for Amblyopia in conjunction with the pre-school registration of the School Department.

In cooperation with the American Cancer Society, Board members helped with the Breast Self-Examination Program, and also with the Oral Cancer Screening of the elderly.

Camperships were awarded to 3 children in the summer. A total of \$650 was given in scholarships to Hanover residents. A baby-sitting course was held for Junior High School students.

The Association maintains a well-stocked equipment room with sick room supplies available to any Hanover resident.

Special thanks are extended to the Board of Management and to the nurses: Edna G. Anderson, R.N., Avery Andrew, R.N., Susan Hillman, R.N., Marilyn DeBoer, R.N. and Maureen L. Cooke R.N.

PATRICIA SCHNEIDER, Secretary
GERTRUDE SULLIVAN, Treasurer
LOIS HEIM, President

Report of the Visiting Nurse

To the Selectmen, the Hanover Visiting Nurse Association,
and the citizens of Hanover:

This agency is certified (yearly) as a Home Health Agency, and offers Nursing (bedside), Physical Therapy, Speech Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Medical Social Service Counseling, Home Health Aides, and Health Supervision to residents of Hanover.

Payment for these services are most times paid for by Medical Health Insurances, Medicare, Medicaid, and various other agencies.

A total of 2312 visits were made this year, of which there were 1044 Nursing, 124 Physical Therapy, 22 Occupational Therapy, 6 Speech Therapy, 1038 Health Supervision, and 78 unclassified.

Seventeen Well Child Conferences were held this year. 246 children attended and received physicals, immunization, and health counseling. Dr. Mary E. Butterworth was the attending physician at all the conferences.

Twelve Senior Citizen Conferences were held with 323 attending. Speakers in the health field lectured at a number of the conferences and this year arts and crafts was added to each meeting.

Seventy-four courtesy calls were made to new babies and 30 cards were sent to families when the birth was a repeat.

A Breast Cancer Detection Clinic was held this year. Eighty-five attended the clinic for examinations or for viewing the film and obtaining information. Physicians from the area and nurses throughout the town assisted at the two evening meetings.

The nurses have attended many in-service programs, lectures, and seminars throughout the year in order to keep up with the latest trends in Public Health Nursing.

We accepted the resignation of Mrs. Susan Hillman, R.N., and wish her well in future ventures. Mrs. Maureen Cooke, R.N., has joined the nursing staff.

The Nurses' office is located at the Town Hall. Telephone hours are 8:30 - 9:00 A.M. and 1:00 - 1:30 P.M., Monday thru Friday.

Respectfully submitted,

EDNA G. ANDERSON, R.N.,

Senior Nurse

Hanover Visiting Nurse Association, Inc.

Treasurer's Report

January 1, 1975 - December 31, 1975

Cash in Hand January 1, 1975	\$2,126.16
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Receipts:

Fees—Patients	\$2,498.75	
Medicare	2,991.20	
Welfare	1,491.50	
W. C. C.	349.25	
Special Donations	1,257.70	
Fund Drive—Net	2,062.49	
Mileage Reimbursement—		
Town of Hanover	197.61	
Blue Cross	275.00	
Veterans' Insurance	45.50	
Sale of Equipment	6.00	
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	\$11,175.00	11,175.00

Disbursements:

Insurance - Auto., Mal., Pub., Liab., Etc.	\$809.70
Automobile Expenses	403.93
Well Child Conferences	765.00
Nurses' Supplies	293.17
Postage	133.00
P. O. Box Rent—1 year	11.00
Office Supplies	81.35

Office Equipment	339.25	
Loan Equipment	59.30	
N. E. Telephone	402.22	
Pub., Dues, Mtgs., Etc.	121.50	
Laundry	30.65	
Mileage—Substitute Nurses	154.24	
Clerical	283.62	
Scholarships	650.00	
Easter Seal Contract	250.00	
Easter Seal Therapy	2,703.00	
Homemakers' Service	77.70	
Supervision	1,156.90	
Salvation Army Camperships	240.00	
Miscellaneous	692.03	
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	9,657.56	
Balance Rockland Trust Co.,		
December 31, 1975	3,643.60	
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	\$13,301.16	<hr/>
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Respectfully submitted,

GERTRUDE SULLIVAN, Treasurer

JOHN A. ASHTON, Auditor

Hanover Council on Aging

To the Citizens of Hanover:

The Council on Aging have held regular monthly meetings on the Third Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Circuit Street. These meetings are open to the public.

At various meetings we have had speakers on the work that is being done by the Department of Elder Affairs. A representative from the Council has attended many of their meetings that have been held in other towns. The Hot Lunch program that was started in 1974 has continued to increase in the number of lunches that are being served each Wednesday at the Junior High School, and to shut-ins.

In July we were very lucky to have our Mini-bus delivered to us which to date has transported an average of 150 people a month to their doctors and other businesses. At this time we would like to thank the volunteer drivers for their help and also the town for giving us the bus. Our main concern now is Housing for the elderly as a great many of our Senior Citizens have had to move to other towns to get housing. Monthly trips were continued this year and one of the trips was to Nantucket. Luncheons were served on these trips.

Our Senior Aide, Mrs. Dorothy Griffin, was able to get discounts at the various stores on Tuesdays and ID cards are available to anyone over 59 by calling the Chairman or Secretary of the Council.

Our thanks to all those who helped us at the time of the fire that we had in January 1975 at the hall. Especially the Fire Department and those who helped get it back in shape.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE M. CORKUM, Secretary
HENRY S. NEWCOMB, Chairman
HAROLD L. COX
GEORGE H. RAYNO
GEORGE A. TREMAINE
DOROTHY M. GRIFFIN
HENRY P. CHIMINIELLO

Report of the Hanover Senior Aide, Massachusetts Elder Affairs

To the Board of Selectmen
and the Citizens of Hanover:

The Program is sponsored by the Hanover Council on Aging.

The main purpose of the program is to keep all Senior Citizens in their own homes or with their families as long as possible with aid when necessary. Assistance and information can be obtained by calling 878-6361 from 9:30 - 12:30 noon, Monday through Friday. One hour a day is spent in Outreach services to the community.

A total of 389 people have been served this year through visits, advice, and counseling and liason work in the following categories: Home Care, Government Overview, Health Care, Social Security Increase, Welfare, Rest Homes, Nursing Homes, Legal Services, Housing, Taxes, and many other resources. Since much of our work is of a very personal nature, our records are confidential.

There were twelve orientation conferences during the year. We are also informed of all bills proposed in the Massachusetts Legislature and in Washington, D.C. that may affect Senior Citizens. Seminars were held throughout the Southeastern Massachusetts area to keep us informed on new issues.

The aid extended to me by the Hanover Visiting Nurses has been most helpful.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY M. GRIFFIN
Senior Aide Hanover

Report of the South Shore Community Action Council Inc. (SSCAC)

South Shore Community Action Council Inc. is a non-profit, Federal, State, local and privately funded anti-poverty agency, operating through Federal mandate in the towns of Carver, Cohasset, Duxbury, Hanover, Hull, Kingston, Marshfield, Norwell, Pembroke, Plymouth, Plympton, and Scituate. SSCAC provides social services, acts as liaison to State Social Services offices, functions as a clearing house of referral information, attempts to organize residents around relevant issues, and generally functions as an advocate for low income residents of the twelve (12) town council area.

The offices of SSCAC are located at 17 Court St., (rear), Plymouth, Mass., and the "Old Fire Station" at 27 Brook St., Scituate. These offices plus increased personnel, brought in through the CETA Program has enabled SSCAC to expand the level of services being provided.

The overall economic climate of 1975 produced a demanding year for SSCAC. The unemployment statistics from the Division of Employment Security for the South Shore are among the highest in the State, and everyone is feeling the effects of the inflationary spiral. And this, coupled with the tremendous budgetary cutbacks in social services will increase the demand on our services. With the generous support of the Council Area Towns, SSCAC will continue to provide assistance to eligible South Shore residents, and attempt to develop new and innovative solutions to the meet the area's social problems.

Summary of Services Provided to the Town of Hanover

Affirmative Action	0
Alcoholic Family Rehabilitation	126
Career and Education Program	10
Elderly Program	23
Food Stamp Sales	0
Fuel Energy Emergency	0

Head Start	0
Housing	26
Manpower Program—	
Ceta Placement/Job Development	43
Information and Referral	4
Legal Services Program	19
Project: Young Pilgrim	5
Welfare Advocacy	527
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Total for 1975	783

**Representatives from Town of Hanover
to SSCAC Board of Directors**

Stanley J. Burrell, Selectmen's Representative
Peter Christopoulos, Low-Income Representative

Respectfully submitted,

STANLEY J. BURRELL,
Selectmen's Representative

Department of Veterans' Services

Benefits are provided to needy Veterans and their dependents of the Town of Hanover in accordance with Chapter 115, General Laws, Commonwealth of Massachusetts as amended.

The Office of Veterans' Services also provides to Veterans of Hanover and their dependents information, advice and assistance to enable them to gain the benefits to which they may be entitled to relative to compensation, pension, hospitalization, education, and any other benefits provided by the Veterans Administration.

Office hours at the Town Hall are each Monday evening from 7 to 9:30 and Thursday evening by appointment.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD J. NORCOTT

Director of Veterans Services
Veterans Agent

Report of Hanover Housing Authority

The Hanover Housing Authority meets regularly the first Wednesday of each month at the Town Hall. During the past year, the Authority has continued its' efforts to obtain funding from the Department of Community Affairs for construction of Elderly Housing. In September, the Department, by letter, informed the Housing Authority that the state did not have the necessary funds to grant approval at that time. However, our proposal was not disapproved and is at present still pending awaiting the necessary funding.

A meeting was arranged with the Secretary of Community Affairs in December. At the meeting, it was explained that because of budget constraints, funding by the State would

not be forthcoming in the near future. For purposes of providing public housing, the State has grouped various Towns into regions. The region in which Hanover has been placed has 29% of their housing needs fulfilled; the State average being 20%. Therefore, our region is in a low priority position on a statewide basis. The Town of Hanover has been promised top priority in our region and should be the first to receive funding when it becomes available.

The Authority has also been in contact with the Federal Housing and Urban Development Office, exploring the possibility of a subsidized rent program. Such a program would require a private developer to finance and construct housing units for which the Hanover Housing Authority would provide tenants.

During the most recent street listing done in the Town, the Housing Authority conducted a survey to update its' figures on elderly housing requirements. At the time of submission of this report, the figures had not been compiled; however, these figures will be made available as soon as possible.

The Hanover Housing Authority would like to thank the Board of Selectmen, Board of Registrars, Council on Aging, and our State Legislators, Senator Allen McKinnon and Representative William J. Flynn, Jr., for the cooperation given to us.

Respectfully submitted,

CARLOS F. HILL, Chairman
HENRY P. CHIMINIELLO
EDWARD AMAZEEN
GEORGE PARKER
SUSAN HILLMAN, Secretary
HANOVER HOUSING AUTHORITY

John Curtis Free Library

The John Curtis Library continued to grow during 1975. This year 1,264 books and 140 musical records were purchased and added to our collection. Our circulation figures totalled 94,603. With the increased use of the library our hours have been extended: Monday through Friday 10:00 a.m.-8 p.m., Saturday 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. (summer hours vary).

With the advent of 'no school' during snow storms, it has been decided that the Library will close on those days. This applies only to 'snow days'.

The Phillips and Hatfield Rooms are available for public meetings. Arrangements for their use can be made by contacting the Board of Trustees and Mrs. Marion MacDuff, Librarian. During the past year, the facilities have been used by various organizations including the Hanover Junior Woman's Club, Hanover Historical Society and the League of Women Voters. The Hatfield Room has been used for children's art classes and the twice weekly children's story hour.

The Library provided reading material (large print) to two nursing homes in the area. Our thanks to the ladies of the Hanover Junior Woman's Club who deliver these books. Our thanks also to the garden clubs for their continued interest and displays.

The Board of Trustees meet regularly on the second Monday of each month at 8:00 p.m. in the Library. The public is invited to attend. During the past year, we accepted with regret the resignation of Mrs. Virginia Edge, Trustee. Mrs. Marjorie Deluse was appointed to fill the vacancy.

The Board of Trustees and the library staff hope that they will be able to continue to serve you and grow each year.

PEARL A. SAPIRO,
Chairman
CHARLES ADAMS,
Treasurer
MARJORIE DELUSE,
Secretary
Trustees

MARION MACDUFF,
Librarian
MANILA SPURR,
Asst. Librarian
NANCY ANDERSON,
Asst. Librarian
MURIEL MCELMAN
ELEANOR FLAMMIA
Library Staff

Treasurer's Report

John Curtis Free Library

January 1, 1975	Cash Balance	\$17,868.01
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Receipts

Income from Trust Fund	\$4,891.07	
Savings Account Interest	961.52	
Fines	1,338.79	
State Library Aid Transfer	3,790.13	
Dog Tax Transfer	3,261.95	
Town Appropriation — Expenses	10,000.00	
Gifts — Hanover Womens Club, Juniors	100.00	
—Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club of Hanover	30.00	
	\$24,373.46	
	Total	\$42,241.47

Disbursements

Books	\$10,557.10	
Periodicals	463.55	
Records	362.95	
Telephone	418.62	
Electricity	1,737.66	
Fuel	1,266.20	
Repairs (Includes electrical work, work, plumbing, roofing, etc.)	237.33	
Miscellaneous (Includes library supplies, custodial supplies, safe deposit box rental, etc.)	1,599.76	
	\$16,643.17	
Transfer of Trust Fund Income to Savings Account		\$10,400.62

December 31, 1975 Cash Balance — Checking	
Account	\$1,159.51
— Savings Account	\$14,038.17
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	\$42,241.47

Note: A total of \$45,709.00 was appropriated at the Annual Town Meeting for the support of the John Curtis Free Library.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. ADAMS
Treasurer

1975 Annual School Report

If there is anything constant in this world that constant is change. Changes in the nation, the state and the town are reflected in the Hanover Schools. A review of some of the activities of the school system in 1975 show the fascination, complexity and challenge which is found in today's society and education.

A greater interest in people and ideas from other parts of the world is evidenced both in the nation and the local schools. High schoolers from Hanover have gone to other lands to live as exchange students while we hosted young people from Norway, Sweden and Italy. Week long vacation trips to other states and lands are now regular. As a school activity, our high school chorus journeyed to Vermont while the band entertained the impressive Oconomowoc, Wisconsin Band — special thanks to the Music Boosters who helped in these and other music activities systemwide. Students of the Junior High and Sylvester School raised over \$1,000 to aid people in the state through the Globe Santa Program. A series of cultural programs brought new ideas to our schools including student viewings of "The Man from LaMancha" and "The Nutcracker" ballet. Greater understanding of people and world culture will be needed for life tomorrow; our students are seeking and receiving these experiences today.

The real message of the Bicentennial enriched the lives of many state residents and most of the Hanover students this year. The staff has spent a year preparing learning centers on colonial times culminating in a month long observance in April 1975. Students have been involved in making colonial crafts such as spinning wool and making soap. In each elementary school there were programs involving colonial art work, games, 18th century foods; the schools provided learning centers featuring local craftsmen who demonstrated a variety of colonial skills. Center School had all the students and staff dress in colonial costume and parade to the Town Hall. Students of all grades went on special field trips geared to their particular studies. The newspaper readers were treated to a ten-part series written

by retired superintendent Clifton Bradley on the history of the Hanover Schools. Beyond the spirit of the Bicentennial, the special school activities gave focus and purpose to basic learnings on which a solid education rests.

It is the hope of the business world, and the educational program of Hanover, that thru continual evaluation and revision of basic programs and constant trying of promising projects, more effective results may be obtained. Two basic areas of learning involve words and numbers. Words mean reading, English, writing and social studies; while numbers lead to arithmetic and science. This past summer at the junior high level, a reading curriculum for grades 6, 7 and 8 was completed by members of the staff. This curriculum included material with which classroom teachers can informally test students in reading to determine their present level as well as performance objectives to be met by the students. Like all curricula being developed according to the system's **Educational Objectives**, it includes a variety of teaching methods and materials to be used by the staff. At Sylvester School the special reading program has been enlarged to include the whole language arts area. Teachers at Cedar are evaluating new activities to improve language arts and a reading skills chart is being developed. The Hanover Schools have become involved with the national Right to Read Program. A needs assessment is planned to improve our teaching. The summer reading program received national recognition by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare — one of only five programs from New England so recognized. At the high school level a new elective, Writer Workshop, led to the school's first magazine devoted to student literary work, the **Totem**. The English program of grades 9 and 10 is being revised while in grades 7 and 8 English and Social Studies curricula were updated. English History and General Psychology are two new high school electives applying reading skills to greater understanding of people. Typing medical and legal transcription are improving language skills in the business area. The changes in curricula dealing with words should lead to more effective learning.

Number skills, too, have received attention during 1975. Two elementary schools, in addition to following the basic curriculum developed last year, are piloting a new approach to mathematical processes. This program, which is highly

successful elsewhere, uses all the senses to increase the rate of mathematical learning. In science, the elementary schools are introducing the first kindergarten to sixth grade science program. The faculty committee felt a process approach was most desirable. They have received training in this approach during in-service time and are introducing the activities in selected classes at each grade level. At the high school level, science study has specialized so that a junior — one of 50 nationwide — studied in a foundation summer institute in Oceanography while others took special courses in different high schools and colleges. Business education added a tabulator and sorter to their inventory and now teach a full data processing cycle. The increasing rate of change in both business and industry reminds one of the king in **Through the Looking Glass** who is constantly pacing just to keep up. The results throughout the school system are improving with as much basic learning this year as any — and in a shorter period of time. While the school day and year remain constant, an increasing number of publicly mandated programs leave fewer hours each day and year for the basic education needed for tomorrow's society.

The role of the school during the long summer vacation has been evolving in the past several years to keep pace with the public's desires. In the 1960's those few high school students who needed to raise failing marks would find a review program in another town and receive the desired grade. With the increase in junior and senior high schoolers and the impact of continuing education for elementary school students with special needs, Hanover launched a two pronged summer program aided by federal funds. By 1974 there were 280 young people receiving review programs in basic junior and senior high subjects or receiving an enrichment program in everything from learning disabilities to driver education. Those students from other towns are charged full price while Hanover residents pay a lesser amount, the difference being covered by the School Department. By 1975 the enrollment doubled to 460. Remedial courses in Mathematics, English, Science and Social Studies accounted for 240. Helping these students enter a higher grade or course meant encouragement to the student and lower costs to the taxpayer in the regular school year. The enrichment courses had expanded to meet the public's wishes and included Creative Arts, Gymnastics, Theatre Workshop, which led to a play production, as well as the courses given

earlier. Some 220 young people found recreation, education and satisfaction in these six-week summer activities. The Parks and Playground Department also ran a fine summer program with the schools housing the crafts activities, providing some fields and equipment and administrative support. The educational and recreational needs of Hanover youngsters are being met as never before; as these needs change the schools will change to accommodate them.

Increasing costs and inflation are changes which have been evident in the national, the state and our local school system. As any housewife, homeowner or business person knows, the cost of heat, light, food, equipment and even paper and gasoline have increased dramatically despite everyone's attempts to use less and buy better. This rise in the cost of living inevitably leads to higher salaries. For the past three years your school committee has adopted an austerity program and has lowered the rate of budget increases. Since salaries represent 80 percent of the total budget, your committee adopted a policy of no new staff members. They have maintained general salary increases well below the rise in cost of living. Since many teachers in Hanover have not reached their full salary, these teachers also receive step raises. This automatic increase, common to all salary scales, impacts on the budget but also means paying a lesser amount for a service than when the individual is at full pay. Your committee, in its austerity program tried to cut back hardest in indirect educational areas. It has called for minimum utilization of buses. It reduced authorized teacher and administrative travel. It mandated an energy conservation program in each school. It reduced the use of paper and other expendable items. It called for minimum replacement of equipment and called for no increase for athletic and physical education supplies and equipment. Despite these restrictions, costs increased. Two examples will suffice. Heating oil and utilities in Fiscal '75 had risen to \$155,125 but in Fiscal '76, despite austerity moves it was necessary to budget \$201,663 or a \$46,538 increase representing 30.1 percent. Many new laws have required educational changes, the most dramatic being in the area of special needs education. This 1972 law had forced the Fiscal '75 budget to \$260,033 but in Fiscal '76 the costs for the legislated program is \$406,232 or \$146,199 increase representing a rise of 56.2 percent. Your committee works hard to limit increases but many factors beyond local

control impact to keep the costs of good education rising. The committee's goal still is quality education with economy.

Several changes and accomplishments of 1975 deserve mention:

- Early recognition intervention network — a program instituted to aid kindergarten and first grade teachers and their pupils, was one of several activities aimed at developing more effective ways to remediate difficulties very early or/and prevent problems from developing.
- Teacher in-service sessions prepared staff for programs involving metrics, career education, aid for gifted students and updating the music curriculum.
- Post high school planning was assisted by such regional programs organized in Hanover such as a College Costs Seminar for parents, A Career Night and a new handbook to aid students and parents.
- First systemwide music concert was held using the enclosed area of the Hanover Mall and including vocal and instrumental groups from every school level.
- Distributive education and work study programs featuring school and local business cooperation enrolled 57 students.
- Graduates numbered 176 with 56 percent going on to higher education. Those students earned scholarships with a four year value of \$173,820.
- Athletic teams in soccer, girls' and boys' basketball, softball, field hockey and ice hockey all were in state playoff tourneys. The cross country team won the Eastern Massachusetts V Title and the football team won the Superbowl for the third straight year.

Your school committee is proud of the changes and accomplishments of the school system in 1975 and strives to meet the changing needs of the students and public. It wants to thank the many individuals and groups who work with and for the students, faculty and committee to enrich and improve educational opportunities in our town. While occasional differences arise and the committee is forced to make some hard decisions, it thanks the town for its continuing support and looks forward to a year of quality education.

South Shore Regional School District

Receipts

Fiscal Year July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975

Cash Balance July 1, 1974		\$98,082.00
Assessment Revenue		
Town of Abington	\$161,600.00	
Town of Cohasset	17,844.00	
Town of Hanover	103,870.00	
Town of Norwell	67,505.00	
Town of Rockland	178,030.00	
Town of Scituate	154,057.00	
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Equipment Sales and Lost		1,738.47
Insurance Recoveries		3,812.00
Investments		
Certificates of Deposit	1,125,000.00	
U.S. Treasury Bills	49,596.67	
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Investment Income		
Interest on Certificates of Deposits	41,750.00	
Interest on Treasury Bills	403.00	
	<hr/>	42,153.00
Massachusetts Sales Tax		434.83
MAVA Conference Reimbursement		654.00
Miscellaneous Income		182.00
Rental Income		405.00
Revolving Funds		
Physical Education	\$825.04	
School Lunch	39,626.57	
Shop Sales Deposits	608.00	
Student Deposits	1,134.00	
Uniform Rentals	11,283.36	
	<hr/>	53,476.97
Shop Sales		17,512.00

State Grants

Operating Expense Reimbursement	370,547.00	
Pupil Transportation Reimb.	49,799.00	
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Surplus Revenue

Tailings—Unclaimed Amounts		2.17
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Teachers Salaries Accrued

1974-75 Expense Contra		28,337.49
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Tuition Income

Evenings Classes	1,404.00	
Evenings Registration	1,030.00	
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Withholding

Blue Cross	9,626.95	
Deferred Annuities	11,229.50	
Federal Income Tax	98,298.90	
Group Life Insurance	445.50	
Massachusetts Teachers Retirement	26,125.83	
Plymouth County Retirement	5,203.76	
State Income Tax	26,987.44	
Union Dues	3,930.00	
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Total Receipts

2,610,838.48

\$2,708,920.48

South Shore Regional School District

Expenditures

Fiscal Year July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975

Operating Expenses	District Funds	Total
Salaries and Wages		
District Officer	\$6,752.00	
Superintendent-Director	24,000.00	
Assistant Director	20,000.00	
Guidance	22,110.14	
Teachers	492,919.29	
Health	4,957.52	
Library	3,196.00	
Clerical	24,374.77	
Janitors	35,057.58	
Bus Drivers	18,120.05	
Lunchroom Supervisor	5,331.00	
	<hr/>	\$656,818.35
Other Expenses		
Administrative Supplies & Expenses	38,253.69	
Travel—Admin. & Placement	2,514.65	
Books & Instructional Supplies	26,550.59	
Supplies—Shop Production & Misc.	87,585.82	
Health & First Aid	833.32	
Pupil Transportation	15,858.18	
Janitor Supplies	6,505.24	
Utilities—Elec.-Gas-Tel.-Water	44,155.13	
Maint. Land & Building	23,911.03	
Maint. Machinery & Equipment		
(Salary, Wages)	\$2,029.44	
(Maint. & Supplies)	7,404.46	
	<hr/>	9,433.90
Chapter 766 Special Needs		
Outside Services	837.00	
Materials & Supplies	167.00	
	<hr/>	1,004.00

Operating Expenses	District Funds	Total
Alternative Program		
Salaries & Wages	18,933.28	
Material & Supplies	4,633.34	
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	23,566.62	
	<hr/>	280,172.17
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Total Operating Costs		\$936,990.52
Capital Outlay		
New Equipment	\$35,130.73	
Expansion Planning Costs	11,360.74	
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		\$46,491.47
Surplus Revenue		
Transfer to School Lunch Revolving Fund		2,500.00
Teacher Salaries Accrued 1973-74 Expenses		24,773.40
Agency - Trust - Investment		
Certificates of Deposit	\$1,365,547.00	
U. S. Treasury Bills	49,596.67	
Massachusetts Sales Tax	320.60	
	<hr/>	1,415,464.27
Revolving Funds		
Physical Education	\$1,959.90	
School Lunch	41,070.23	
Student Deposits	714.00	
Uniform Rentals	11,987.28	
	<hr/>	55,731.41
Withholdings		
Blue Cross - Blue Shield	\$9,415.58	
Deferred Annuities	11,169.50	
Federal Income Taxes	98,698.90	
Group Life Insurance	445.50	
Massachusetts Teachers Retirement	25,821.51	
Plymouth County Retirement	5,110.27	
State Income Taxes	26,506.93	

Union Dues	3,960.00	
	<hr/>	181,128.19
Total Expenditures		2,663,079.46
Cost Balance June 30, 1975		45,841.02
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		\$2,708,920.48
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Report of the Committee Member for Hanover of the South Shore Regional School District

The past year has been a hectic one for the administration of this school. All the laws relating to school operation require a half-time person to keep up with the directives and bulletins which deluge the office and a full time person to administer the two costly state mandated programs; Chapter 622, the Equal Opportunity Act and Chapter 766, the Disadvantaged Children's Act.

With respect to the proposed expansion program, the moratorium on State aid to school building has required a change in our plans. We now have plans for a mini-addition which includes four new classrooms and minimum facilities for girls, of which we now have six. This will care for our overcrowded conditions which now find classes on stage, and in the Library and Cafeteria. Whether we can get an exception to the building aid moratorium is difficult to say. We will at least try.

The Committee finds itself unable to arrive at a consensus on the criteria for the selection of new courses to be offered. I have argued that it is a waste of the taxpayer's money and a hoax on the student to spend three or four years of his life to learn a trade in which there is little hope of employment upon graduation. There are those who argue that we should not be concerned with the probability

of employment after graduation. I welcome any opinions that any taxpayer may have on this matter either by mail or by attendance at any regularly scheduled meeting on the third Wednesday of each month.

With the Vocational Schools which have been established during the past three years which have yet to graduate any pupils and the expansion of some of the established ones, all offering the same courses, there is a very great danger of saturating the labor market. This can only lead, eventually, to a disenchantment by the public with the whole vocational program of the state.

Up to this moment, we have had a 100% record in graduate employment. This is not true of some of the neighboring schools. This is due to the quality of our graduates which in turn is due to a responsible student council and to the quality of our administration and the staff as well as the dedication of the placement officer and the guidance staff.

Respectfully submitted,

V. F. HARRINGTON
Member for Hanover

South Shore Regional School District

July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975 Budget Data

Operating Costs

Salaries	\$670,656.00		
Expenses	317,706.00		
Total Operating Costs			\$988,362.00
Less—1973-74 Surplus Revenue	190,000.00		
1974-75 Estimated Receipts			
Operating Cost Reimb.	\$234,800.00		
Transp. " "	25,500.00	260,300.00	450,300.00
Net Operating Cost Assesment to Member Towns			538,062.00

Capital Costs

New Equipment	\$69,844.00
Expansion Planning Costs	75,000.00

Total Capital Cost Assessment to Member Towns	144,844.00
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Total Assessment to Member Towns	\$682,906.00
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**Apportionment of 1974-75 Estimated District Expenditures
to Member Towns**

Towns	OPERATING COSTS			CAPITAL COSTS		
	School Enrollment		Amount	School Enrollment		Amount
	10/1/73	Ratio		10/1/70-72	Ratio	
Abington	80	23.53%	\$126,606.00	222	24.16%	\$34,994.00
Cohasset	8	2.35%	12,644.00	33	3.59%	5,200.00
Hanover	51	15.00%	80,709.00	147	15.99%	23,161.00
Norwell	35	10.29%	55,367.00	77	8.38%	12,138.00
Rockland	84	24.71%	132,955.00	286	31.12%	45,075.00
Scituate	82	24.12%	129,781.00	154	16.76%	24,276.00
Total	340	100.00%	\$538,062.00	919	100.00%	\$144,844.00

Total Assessment

Abington	\$161,600.00
Cohasset	17,844.00
Hanover	103,870.00
Norwell	67,505.00
Rockland	178,030.00
Scituate	154,057.00
	<u>\$682,906.00</u>

South Shore Regional School District Treasurer's Report

Fiscal Year July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975.

In accordance with Section XII of the South Shore Regional School District Agreement effective January 6, 1960, I submit herewith details of the fiscal year July 1, 1974 thru June 30, 1975 financial transactions of the School District.

Details are presented with respect to the July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975 estimated expenditures and their apportionment to member towns, actual receipts and expenditures, and a balance sheet and statement of outstanding debt as of June 30, 1975.

Total operating expenditures for the fiscal year were \$936,990.52 and capital outlay expenditures were \$46,491.47 details of which are shown in the expenditure schedule.

Salary increases effective July 1, 1974 for the entire staff averaged 7.32% and this item involves 72% of total operating expenditures. A two year teacher salary contract will expire August 31, 1975 and collective bargaining negotiations are presently in process with respect to renewal of this contract.

Various additional expenditures under self-explanatory titles were made as per details set forth in the expenditure schedule.

Surplus Revenue was determined to be \$537,528.72 as of June 30, 1975 and was derived from the following sources:

Balance July 1, 1975	\$449,718.60
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Additions:

Excess of District Receipts	
over estimates used	
Investment Income	\$42,153.00
Shop Sales	17,512.00
State Grants	
Operating Cost Reimbursement	135,747.00
Transportation Reimbursement	24,299.00

Tuition Increase	2,434.00	
Miscellaneous Income	6,793.64	
Unexpended Appropriations		
1973-74 Operating Costs	52.75	
1974-75 Operating Costs	51,318.73	
	<hr/>	\$280,310.12
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		\$730,028.72

Deductions:

1973 Surplus Revenue used to reduce		
1974-75 Operating Costs	\$190,000.00	
Transfer to School Lunch		
Revolving Fund	2,500.00	
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Balance June 30, 1975		\$537,528.72
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A \$200,000.00 portion of the 1974-75 Surplus Revenue has been voted by the District Committee to be used to reduce the July 1, 1975 to June 30, 1976 fiscal year operating cost assessment to member towns, resulting in a remaining balance of \$337,528.72.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. ASHTON,
Treasurer

SOUTH SHORE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Balance Sheet — June 30, 1975

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Cash — In Bank	\$45,841.02	Employees Payroll Deductions:	
Certificate of Deposit	715,547.00	Blue Cross-Blue Shield	\$1,950.46
Petty Cash Advance	250.00	Deferred Annuities	1,614.50
	<hr/>	Federal Income Tax	-0-
	\$761,638.02	Group Life Insurance	82.62
		Mass. Teachers Retirement	5,025.05
		Plymouth County Retirement	567.03
		State Income Tax	4,635.95
		Union Dues	860.00
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			\$14,735.61
		Agency:	
		Massachusetts Sales Tax	211.08
		Revolving Funds:	
		Physical Education	\$216.36
		School Lunch	(2,823.26)
		Shop Sales Deposits	608.00
		Student Deposits	1,776.00
		Uniform Rentals	245.87
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			22.97
		Appropriation Balances to Continue:	
		Operating Costs:	
		1974-75 Tchr. Sal. Accrued	\$28,337.49

Assets**Liabilities and Reserves****Capital Outlay:****New Equipment****83,412.89****Expansion Planning Costs****97,139.26**

208,889.64**Reserve for Petty Cash Advance****250.00****Surplus Revenue****537,528.72**

\$761,638.02

\$761,638.02**=====****=====****DEBT ACCOUNTS****Net Funded or Fixed Debt****None****Outstanding Loans Payable****None****=====****=====**

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