



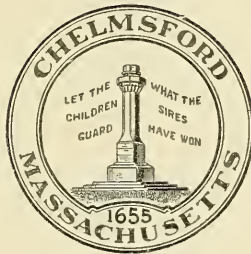
TOWN OF  
**CHELMSFORD**  
*Annual Report*

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1966





ANNUAL REPORT  
of the  
**Town of Chelmsford**



*For the Year Ending December 31*

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# Town Officers

## ELECTED TOWN OFFICIALS

### Moderator

Daniel J. Coughlin, Jr.  
(Term expires 1969)

### Town Clerk

Charlotte P. DeWolf  
(Term expires 1969)

### Selectmen and Board of Public Welfare

William L. Harvey .....	Term expires 1967
Howard E. Humphrey .....	Term expires 1968
Gerald J. tannan .....	Term expires 1969

### Treasurer and Tax Collector

Charlotte P. DeWolf  
(Term expires 1969)

### Board of Assessors

Claude A. Harvey .....	Term expires 1967
Warren Wright .....	Term expires 1968
Charles A. House .....	Term expires 1969

### Tree Warden

Myles J. Hogan  
(Term expires 1969)

### Board of Health

Oliver A. Reeves .....	Term expires 1967
Byron D. Roseman .....	Term expires 1968
Edward L. Tyler, Jr. ....	Term expires 1969

### School Committee

Gerald C. Tucke .....	Term expires 1967
Eugene J. Doody .....	Term expires 1968
Edward S. Marshall .....	Term expires 1969

### Park Commissioners

David P. Ramsay .....	Term expires 1967
Ralph E. House .....	Term expires 1968
Arthur L. Bennett .....	Term expires 1969

### Cemetery Commissioners

Arne R. Olsen .....	Term expires 1967
Frank H. Hardy .....	Term expires 1968
Arthur L. Colmer .....	Term expires 1969

**Trustees of Public Libraries**

Ethel Booth .....	Term expires 1967
Robert A. Noy .....	Term expires 1967
Eustace B. Fiske .....	Term expires 1968
Marjorie B. Scoboria .....	Term expires 1968
Raymond S. Kroll .....	Term expires 1969
Howard K. Moore .....	Term expires 1969

**Sinking Fund Commission**

Harold A. Fraser .....	Term expires 1967
Daniel E. Walker resigned 5/27/65 .....	Term expires 1968
George A. Watson appointed 6/8/65 .....	Term expires 1968
Eustace B. Fiske .....	Term expires 1969

**Planning Board**

Robert McKittrick .....	Term expires 1967
David P. Dutton .....	Term expires 1967
Thomas E. Firth, Jr. ....	Term expires 1968
Bradford O. Emerson .....	Term expires 1969
Thomas A. St. Germain .....	Term expires 1970
Thomas A. Ennis .....	Term expires 1971
Daniel F. Horgan .....	Term expires 1971

**Constable**

William E. Spence  
(Term expires 1968)

**Varney Playground Commissioners**

George N. Swallow, III .....	Term expires 1967
Henry Tucker .....	Term expires 1968
Donald J. Gagnon .....	Term expires 1969

**APPOINTED TOWN OFFICIALS****Town Accountant**

Nathaniel M. Sweet  
(Term expires 1969)

**Board of Selectmen Recording Clerk**

Alfred H. Coburn  
(Term expires 1967)

**Financial Clerk**

Frances B. Cummings  
(Term expires 1967)

**Assistant Assessor**

Evelyn F. Philbrook

**Finance Committee**

Richard T. McDermott, Chairman .....	Term expires Oct. 31, 1967
William W. Edge .....	Term expires Oct. 31, 1967
Jefferson R. Mansfield, Jr. ....	Term expires Oct. 31, 1967
Charles Jones .....	Term expires 1967
Bertram T. Needham .....	Term expires 1968
Edgar P. George .....	Term expires 1969
Peter Curran .....	Term expires 1969

**Superintendent of Streets**

Frederick R. Greenwood  
(Term expires 1967)

**Chief of Police**

Ralph J. Huls'ander  
(Civil Service)

**Inspector of Animals**

Dr. Martin Gruber  
(Term expires 1967)

**Fire Chief**

Frederick H. Reid

**Registrars of Voters**

Frank Delmore, Jr. ....	Term expires 1967
John J. Carr .....	Term expires 1968
Dorothy Borrows .....	Term expires 1969
Charlotte P. DeWolf .....	Ex-Officio

**Town Counsel**

Daniel J. Coughlin, Jr.  
(Term expires 1967)

**Janitors of Public Halls**

Roland F. Cossette—Term expires 3/1967 .....	Center Town Hall
Lulack Jamros—Term expires 3/1967 .....	North Town Hall
Armand Nadeau .....	Police Station

**Sealer of Weights and Measures**

Anthony C. Ferreira  
(Civil Service)

**Dog Officer**

Frank J. Wojtas  
(Term expires 1967)

**Welfare Investigator**

Arthur Cooke  
Resigned March 31, 1966  
Paul MacMillan  
(Civil Service)

**Slaughtering Inspector**

Hubert R. Scoble  
(Term expires 1967)

**Director of Public Health**

Peter J. Saulis  
(Term expires 1967)

**School Nurses**

Helen M. Jewett  
Marie C. Warren  
Dorothy R. Clements (Resigned 7-1-66)  
Muriel M. Heroux  
Julia P. Lent

**Mosquito Control Officer**

Myles Hogan  
(Term expires 1967)

**Animal Disposal Officer**

Leslie L. Dukeshire, Resigned 3-25-66  
Charles Searles, Resigned 12-13-66  
Frank Wojtas  
(Term expires 1967)

**Building Inspector**

David P. Dutton  
(Term expires 1967)

**Wire Inspector**

Harold M. Tucke, Jr.  
(Term expires 1967)

**Gas Inspector**

Neal C. Stanley  
(Term expires 1967)

**Plumbing Inspector**

George E. Gagnon  
Resigned June 30, 1966  
William H. Shedd  
(Civil Service)

**Permanent Intermittent Plumbing Inspector**

Richard Humphrey  
(Civil Service)

**Town Forest Committee**

Robert T. Clough ..... Term expires March, 1967  
Bruce S. Gullion ..... Term expires 1968  
Martin K. Bovey ..... Term expires March, 1969



**Board of Health Physicians**

John J. Barry, M.D.  
Benjamin J. Blechman, M.D.  
(Terms expire 1967)

**Moth Superintendent**

Myles J. Hogan  
(Term expires 1967)

**Cemetery Superintendent**

Archie R. Jordan

**Veterans's Graves Officer**

Archie R. Jordan  
(Term expires 1967)

**Zoning Appeal Board**

Richard L. Monahan .....	Term expires 1967
Paul W. O'Neil .....	Term expires 1968
Arthur Pratt .....	Term expires 1969
Stanley J. Polak .....	Term expires 1970
Edward F. Murphy .....	Term expires 1971

**Alternates**

James O. Robinson .....	Term expires 1967
S. Anthony DiCiero, Resigned Nov. 7, 1966 .....	Term expires 1967
John B. Hickey .....	Term expires 1967

**Veterans Emergency Committee**

(Term expires 1967)

George Archer	George F. Waite
John J. McNulty	Alfred H. Coburn
Joseph Sadowski	Thomas A. Ennis

**Honor Roll Committee**

(Terms expire 1967)

Robert M. Hood	George R. Dixon	Thomas E. Firth, Jr.
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**Civil Defense Committee**

(Terms expire 1967)

Bertram T. Needham	William Edge	Charles Koulas
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**Veterans' Agent**

Terence E. O'Rourke .....	Term expires 1967
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**Constable**

Ralph J. Hulslander  
(Terms expire 1967)

**Memorial Day Committee**

(Terms expire 1967)

**Post 212**

John J. Lawson	Donald A. House	Peter J. Saulis
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**Post 313**

Carl F. Reedy	B. C. Smith	Raymond Dozios
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**Post 336**

Thomas Burns	Timothy F. O'Connor	Robert M. Trainor
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**Personnel Board**

William Barnett, resigned May 15, '66	Term expires Jan. 1, 1967
Peter J. McHugh	Term expires Dec. 18, 1967
Bettejane Sloan	Clerk
John J. Kenney	Term expires Jan. 1, 1968
S. Anthony DiCiero	Term expires Oct. 1969

**Industrial Commission**

Kenneth E. Koch	Term expires 1967
Richard K. Grier	Term expires 1967
William P. Mahoney, resigned Mar. 22, 1966	Term expires 1967
Allan D. Davidson	Term expires 1967
James Keskula	Term expires 1967
Albert E. Walker	Term expires 1968
Forrest E. Dupee	Term expires 1968
Raymond Carye	Term expires 1969

**Fence Viewers**

(Terms expire 1967)

Reginald Furness	James E. Scannell
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**Weighers of Merchandise**

(Terms expire 1967)

Thomas Brocombe	William Desmond	Edward F. Murphy
Leon Clement	Frederick W. Knox, Sr.	Vital Ledoux
Alfred Ducharme	Medr'e Tousignant	Robert E. Stevenson
Joseph Foley	Clifford M. Hoyt	Francis J. Sakalinski
George Fournier	Frederick H. Harris	Edgar Theriault
James Robinson	Simeon T. Desruisseaux	Ovila Sireis
Paul Westwood	John J. Hehir	George Noval
Edward Whitworth	John J. Hehir	Arthur Beaulieu
Charles Card	Eugene Gauthier	Manuel Ferreira
Bernard Jensen	Albert J. Drouin	Alex F. Coluchi, Jr.
Joseph Correia III	tee W. Champeux	Joseph P. McKeon
		Eugene E. Gilet

**Conservation Commission**

Esther V. Blechman	Term expires 1967
Myles J. Hogan	Term expires 1967
Edwin H. Warren	Term expires 1967
Martin K. Bovey	Term expires 1968
Margaret E. Mills	Term expires 1968
Edmund Polubinski	Term expires 1969
Franklin J. Campbell	Term expires 1969

**Home Rule Advisory Committee (Article 30)**

Annual Town Meeting of March 1963 (All terms expire 3/1967)

William R. Kiernan, Jr.  
 George J. O'Dell  
 Robert Eppes

Timothy F. O'Connor  
 Dorothy R. Cooke

**Recreation Commission**

(Terms expire 1967)

Harry J. Ayotte  
 Haworth C. Neild  
 Nicholas J. Mazzoni, resigned 6/6/66  
 James Gannon  
 Robert Ware, resigned 11/14/66  
 Richard Moschen  
 Stephen M. Terpak  
 Harold J. Thomas, Jr. App't 6/7/66  
 William A. Dempster, Jr. App't 11/23/66  
 Paul Murphy  
 W. Parker George

**Committee to Up-date Town History**

George A. Parkhurst  
 Ronald E. Vander Schurr  
 Charles E. Watt, Sr.

Roland E. Morin  
 Eleanor Parkhurst  
 Jo Ann B. Minnick

**Fire Station Committee**

Frederick H. Reid  
 Ralph E. House

Raymond Greenwood  
 Gerald R. Wallace

Howard J. Hall, Jr.

**Ambulance Study Committee**

Gerald J. Lannan, Chairman

Ralph Hulslander  
 Frederick Reid

Paul MacMillan  
 Peter Curran

**Ration Board**

William L. Harvey ..... Selectmen  
 Charles Koulas ..... Civil Defense Dept.  
 Paul MacMillan ..... Welfare Dept.

**Community Action Advisory Committee**

William V. York  
 Helen E. Jewett  
 Frederick G. Bardsley  
 Harry A. Foster

Gerard A. Vayo  
 Manuel Bargardo  
 Howard E. Humphrey

**Sewer Advisory Committee**

Edgar George, Chairman  
 William L. Harvey  
 Oliver Reeves

Matthew Doyle  
 Robert McKittrick  
 Edward H. Warren

Robert DeFazio

**Town Hall Site Committee**

Paul MacMillan  
 Claude A. Harvey  
 Arthur Pratt

Richard T. McDermott  
 Charlotte P. De Wolf  
 Howard E. Humphrey

Thomas A. St. Germain

**Historical Commission**

Arthur Englund  
 William H. Drury  
 Bradford O. Emerson

Robert E. Picken  
 Arnold C. Perham  
 Margaret R. Mills

Eliot W. Remick

**School Building Needs Committee**

Charles D. Harrington  
 Roy C. Stephenson

Gerald C. Tucke  
 Wesley M. Harper

Philip E. Campbell

## General Government



### BOARD OF SELECTMEN

William L. Harvey, Chairman

Howard E. Humphrey

Gerald J. Lannan

Another year has passed and once again our town has continued to grow in several ways. The number of new homes constructed in the town during 1966 totaled two hundred eighty-eight. With continued effort and study by our Planning Board, our zoning is kept up-to-date and we continue to have better homes built in our community, and this, in turn, improves our tax structure and results in a more financially stable government.

Our industrial growth is continuing to progress at a slower rate. We are obtaining a variety of industries, most of which are of modest size, but they all have helped to improve the tax revenue for the town.

The Police Department has moved into its new quarters on North Road and the new facilities have helped greatly to improve the police protection service to the townspeople.

The Fire Department commenced the erection of a new fire station in the south section and it was first occupied during January 1967.

Civil Service coverages was adopted by the voters by referendum vote for the personnel of the Fire Department.

A number of changes have taken place at the Center Town Hall. More office space was made available to the Accounting Department and

two committee rooms have been set aside and furnished. Additional vault space has been built for the storage of important records. The interior of both the Center and North Town Halls has been painted and the appearance greatly improved.

In this brief report, we have endeavored to mention a few of the important matters which have happened this past year. We earnestly feel that our town has made substantial progress during 1966 and continues to be a pleasant and progressive community in which to reside. The progress of the past year, similar to that made during the long history of the town, is due greatly to the dedication of the many interested residents of the town.

We wish to extend our appreciation to the townspeople and other town officials and all employees for their cooperation and assistance during the past year.

We are grateful for the opportunity to serve you as Selectmen.

WILLIAM L. HARVEY, Chairman  
HOWARD E. HUMPHREY  
GERALD J. LANNAN

### BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Dorothy Borrows                      John J. Carr, Chairman                      Frank Delmore  
Charlotte P. DeWolf, Ex-Officio

Year	Number of Registered Voters	Votes Cast at Annual Town Election	Votes Cast at State and Presidential Elections
1966	* 10,989	5182 As of 10/14/66	9044

#### Voting Strength of each Precinct after Final Registration for State Election October 14, 1966

Precinct	Republicans	Democrats	Independents	Total
1	518	160	497	1175
2	275	350	411	1036
3	206	181	615	1002
4	149	237	251	637
5	179	61	466	706
6	307	276	527	1110
7	278	232	430	940
8	325	168	985	1478
9	100	174	547	821
10	136	132	753	1021
11	376	275	412	1063
	2849	2246	5894	10989

Because of the greatly increased number of registered voters in the town the Board of Registrars will request the use of voting machines in the town at the next Annual Town Meeting. We will be joining 20 other towns who are making similar requests. It seems to us that the town should move along with the times in this respect. Your support is earnestly requested.

The new voting places will be as follows:

Precinct 1	McFarlin School — All Purpose Room
Precinct 2	North Elementary School — Auditorium
Precinct 3	Junior High School — Band Room
Precinct 4	East Chelmsford School
Precinct 5	Liberty Hall — South Chelmsford
Precinct 6	Westlands School — Auditorium
Precinct 7	North Elementary School — Auditorium
Precinct 8	High School — Small Gymnasium
Precinct 9	South Row School — Cafeteria
Precinct 10	South Row School — Cafeteria
Precinct 11	Westlands School — Library

The Board of Registrars will hold, prior to all elections, sessions in each precinct, all sessions in all precincts except Precinct One will be from seven to nine p.m. The final day of registration is always held at the Town Hall, Chelmsford Center, from twelve noon to ten p.m. Naturalized citizens must bring their final papers in order to become registered voters.

To vote in all elections, a person must be:

1. A citizen of the United States
2. 21 years of age or more
3. A resident of Massachusetts for at least one year on Election Day
4. A resident of Chelmsford for at least six months on Election Day
5. A registered voter, qualified before the Board of Registrars who has signed the official list.

Registration is permanent. Once registered as a Chelmsford voter a citizen may vote in all elections as long as he continues to maintain a residence in Chelmsford except if a voter changes his name, either by marriage or by court action, or moves to another precinct, he must register again.

A Board of Registrars, under state law, has charge of the registration of voters. They prepare the annual Register of Voters divided according to precincts and listing the voters by street address and with political party designations. This Register of Voters is used at the polls at elections.

The three Registrars are appointed for a three year term by the Selectmen on a bi-partisan basis. The Town Clerk is an ex-officio member of the Board.

# Protection of Persons and Property



## POLICE DEPARTMENT

Ralph J. Hulslander, Chief

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Chelmsford.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report of the Police Department and Roster for the year ending December 31, 1966.

### Chief of Police

Ralph J. Hulslander

### Captain

Richard F. Campbell

### Sergeants

Raymond E. Harmon  
Thomas A. Palmer

Basil J. Larkin

Leslie H. Adams, Jr.  
William A. McAllister

### Patrolmen

Donald J. Butler  
James J. Kerrigan  
Robert E. Germann  
John J. Bell  
Edwin R. Hodgson  
Frederick C. Dillon  
Robert O. Hamel

Walter W. Edwards, Jr.  
Robert F. McAndrew  
Barnard L. George  
Charles H. Hadley  
Frank Baran  
James F. Midgley  
Raymond P. McKeon

Ronald E. Leach  
Pennryn D. Fitts  
Henry R. McEnany  
John B. Sousa  
John P. Campbell  
Armand J. Caron  
Eugene W. Walsh

### Intermittent Patrolmen

Herbert E. Ringerson  
J. Dennis Harrington  
William H. Lawson  
Robert C. Wilson

Edward M. Rooney  
Robert G. Peterson  
William F. Walsh  
James C. Greska  
John J. O'Rourke

Ronald A. Pick  
Robert I. Auger  
Mark L. Burlamachi  
Joseph C. Oczkowski  
Frederick J. Oczkowski

### Intermittent Police Woman

Christina N. Park

### Police Matrons

Emily Peake

Mary Long



## Arrests for 1966

Crimes against Public Order .....	444
Crimes against Person .....	46
Crimes against Property .....	17
Total .....	507

Disposition of Arrests — Fined 259; Probation 28; Released 40 Filed 45; Not Guilty 19; Dismissed 21; Continued 43; Turned over to Lowell District Court 31; Turned over to Boston Police Dept. 1; Turned over to Billerica Police Dept. 1; Turned over to Lowell Police Dept. 3; Turned over to Stoughton Police Dept. 1; Turned over to State Police 2; Turned over to Taunton Police Dept. 1; Committed to Worcester State Hospital 2; Committed to Veteran's Hospital, Bedford 1; Returned to Foxboro State Hospital 1; Returned to Lyman School 1; Returned to Middlesex County Training School 2; Youth Service Board 2; House of Correction 2; Nights Lodging 1. Total dispositions 507.

Statistics of the Police Department for 1966: Number of accidents and persons claiming injury. January 78, injured 43; February 58, injured 41, fatal 1; March 37, injured 31; April 46, injured 27; May 54, injured 53; June 51, injured 38; July 32, injured 27; August 38, injured 22; September 45, injured 49; October 40, injured 26; November 44, injured 39; December 63, injured 38, fatals 2. Total accidents 586, injured 434, fatals 3.

Police Department answered 5,121 calls, served 1,445 summonses for out of town police departments, recovered 31 stolen cars, found 127 business places unlocked, made 507 arrests. The four cruisers patrolled 293, 422 miles in 1966.

1966 was a very busy year for your Police Department as you can see by the preceding statistics.

As the town continues to grow, a greater demand is placed on your Police Department for various services; in particular the number of homes to be checked when residents are on vacation. This is a very important phase of police work and I urge all residents to notify the Police Department when they are leaving on vacation so that we may better serve you.

We have been in our new station for over one year and we have been able to operate in a much more efficient manner than we were able to in the old office in the Town Hall. I am asking for three more permanent patrolmen this year, as we do not have sufficient manpower on the late night shift. Two of the new patrolmen will be assigned to this shift and this will enable us to cover all nights off with permanent men and we will be able to assign one of the men to desk duty, that at the present time has to be covered by a sergeant. The third new patrolman will be unassigned and will fill in on any shift when needed, as at the present time we have to work a man short on the day shift during vacations and when a patrolman is out sick; he will also be able to cover late night shifts when needed.

I am also asking for an additional cruiser this year, due to the many new streets and a greater area to patrol. In this way we will be better able to serve you.

At the present time we have thirty auxiliary police officers, completely uniformed and well trained in all phases of police work, which they would be called upon to perform in case of an emergency. Sgt. Basil Larkin is in charge of this fine group of dedicated citizens.

I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen and all other town officials and employees, also the general public for the excellent cooperation given the Police Department during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH J. HULSLANDER

Chief of Police



## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Frederick H. Reid, Chief

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1966.

The past year has been one of the most successful years in our Fire Department history with fire loss at a minimum, no loss of life or personal injury and with the ending of the drought our woods fires were way down from other years.

The people of Chelmsford with their good foresight in accepting the Boards' recommendation at the last annual town meeting, enabled us to add seven new men to man the new fire station in the South section of town which will be occupied in January of 1967. The new 1000 G.P.M. pumper authorized at the 1966 town meeting will also be delivered in January, thereby making it unnecessary for us to ask for any additional equipment for the coming year.

Based on a previous study of the department it was advised that the position of fire lieutenant be abolished and two additional captains be appointed. This was submitted in our budget for 1966 and with the concurrence of the Board of Selectmen I made two appointments for the positions at the first of the year.

The firefighters on their regular tour of duty painted the North and East fire stations as well as making repairs and continued maintenance of all our stations.

Our fire alarm crew installed more than five miles of fire alarm wire and added over twenty fire alarm boxes to the system; all but five of which were paid for by the home developers and installed to Fire Department specifications, with savings to the town of thousands of dollars.

Quarterly inspections of all schools, convalescent and nursing homes were made and all necessary reports filed. Fire prevention will be our major goal in 1967 with plans to inspect all mercantile, industrial, church, garage and service station buildings with recommendations and suggestions being made to the owners and/or occupants. These inspections will be made by an engine company on duty which will be in radio contact with headquarters and in service at all times.

The department believes that in order to maintain a high level of fire protection, a plan whereby an amount is appropriated each year and

placed in a fund for the future replacement of fire apparatus should be adopted.

I wish to express my thanks to all town officials and employees for the excellent cooperation given to the Fire Department during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,  
**FREDERICK H. REID**  
 Fire Chief

## INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
 Chelmsford, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The following is the Animal Inspector's report for the year 1966.

Number of dog bites .....	63
Number of dogs showing signs of rabies .....	0
Number of dogs submitted for laboratory examinations .....	3
Number of premises keeping cattle .....	16
Number of premises keeping other livestock .....	28
Number of cattle and young stock .....	330
Number of swine .....	606
Number of horses .....	126
Number of sheep .....	34
Number of goats .....	8
Number of cattle released from interstate shipment .....	9

Respectfully submitted,  
**MARTIN A. GRUBER, D.V.M.**

## DOG OFFICER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
 Town of Chelmsford

Gentlemen:

The following is a report of my services as Dog Officer for the year 1966:

Stray dogs sold to individuals .....	29
Stray dogs sold to medical schools .....	124
Stray dogs disposed of .....	11
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Total stray dogs picked up .....	164
Lost dogs picked up and returned to owners .....	48
Complaints & miscellaneous calls investigated .....	221

Respectfully submitted,  
**FRANK WOJTAS**  
 Dog Officer



## HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Oliver A. Reeves, Chairman

Byron D. Roseman, M.D.

Edward L. Tyler, Jr.

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

#### Director of Public Health

Peter J. Saulis, R.S.

#### Senior Clerk and Laboratory Assistant

Mrs. Florence M. Dutton

#### School Nurses

Mrs. Helen M. Jewett, Senior School Nurse

Mrs. Marie C. Warren, Junior School Nurse

Mrs. Muriel M. Heroux, Junior School Nurse

Mrs. Julia P. Lent, Junior School Nurse

Appointed October 3, 1966

Mrs. Dorothy R. Clements, Junior School Nurse

Resigned July 1, 1966

#### Board of Health Physicians

Benjamin Blechman, M.D.

John J. Barry, M.D.

#### Plumbing Inspectors

George E. Gagnon, Retired June 30, 1966

William H. Shedd, Appointed July 1, 1966, Civil Service

#### Permanent Intermittent Plumbing Inspector

Richard Humphrey

Provisionally Appointed November 11, 1966, Civil Service

#### Animal Disposal Officers

Leslie Dukeshire, Resigned March 25, 1966

Charles E. Searle, Appointed March 25, 1966, Resigned December 12, 1966

Frank Wojtas, Appointed December 13, 1966

#### Slaughter Inspector

Hubert Scoble

#### Mosquito Control Superintendent

Myles J. Hogan

### COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

During the last week of January and the first week of February, 1966 15% of the school population was affected by a mild strain of an influenza virus. The percent figure indicates absentism. During the

past year there was a slight drop in the number of cases of mumps reported over the previous year. Nine cases of bacillary dysentery were reported. This is a definite increase over the previous year. Measles showed a downward trend with a negligible number of cases reported. Measles vaccine is now available and will be implemented in the school immunization program. No patients have been hospitalized for TB during the year 1966 and the entire appropriation of \$6,000.00 was turned back to the town treasury.

### **PROGRESS REPORT ON MUNICIPAL SEWERAGE**

A seven man sewer advisory committee was appointed on April 12, 1966 by the Board of Health to advise the town with regards to its sewerage needs, including the necessary steps required to implement a sewage collection and disposal system, or act in relation thereto. A report will be submitted at the Town Meeting.

### **GENERAL ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH**

There were 313 sewerage installation permits issued during the year 1966 for new installations. All new sewerage installations are inspected prior to back filling. Nuisance complaints are many and varied and continue to be a time consuming factor. In many instances a nuisance complaint and the abatement proceedings become complicated, requiring several follow up visits to resolve the problem. The majority of restaurants and food retail stores inspected during the year were noted as good or above average in meeting sanitary standards. Infractions of sanitary standards that were discovered were of a minor nature and owners of the establishments were notified to correct same. Day care centers for children and nursing homes are inspected annually and all meet with health standards. Public and semi-public swimming pools and public beaches are also inspected. Water samples taken from two bathing beaches during the summer months were within the normal range. Many other miscellaneous inspections were done routinely as required by law.

### **MOSQUITO CONTROL PROGRAM**

The program for mosquito control during the year 1966 consisted of two aerosol fog applications during the summer months. A third application was contemplated but not carried out since the mosquito population had diminished to the point where fogging would have been impractical. There were some mechanical problems encountered with the fogging apparatus which caused some delay in getting the program under way. There were a minimal number of complaints registered with the Board of Health that fogging was not very effective, but by and large this method of mosquito control appears to be quite satisfactory. It is anticipated that with last years experience, the 1967 mosquito control program will become more efficient. The Board of Health is interested in retaining the services of an entomologist to do a comprehensive study in order to carry out a more effective mosquito control program. This study would be kept on file and would be the basis by which the program would be administered.

## SCHOOL NURSE'S REPORT

School Health Services are concerned with promoting the total health of pupils; giving appropriate attention to physical, mental, social and emotional aspects; and recognizing the interdependence of each on the other.

Each child and youth needs good health in order to learn efficiently and effectively.

The four school nurses try to achieve the above goal. Some cannot be achieved for various reasons.

Each year every pupil in Grades 1, 4, 7, juniors, and all high school pupils participating in any athletic sports are given a physical examination by one of the school physicians, and defects are reported to the parents, and follow-up continues until the defect has been taken care of by the family physician.

Vision and hearing tests are done on every pupil yearly.

Diphtheria, tetanus and whooping cough clinics are held in March, April, and May, and a vaccination for smallpox is held in May.

The tuberculin Heaf test is done yearly in grades 1, 4, 7, and 11, and all positive reactions are reported to the parents.

In 1967 we are planning to hold a measles clinic, and the vaccine will be given to those children who have not received the measles vaccine, or who have not had the disease.

We have had yearly television programs by a local physician, and a dentist, and at present have a dental program being carried on from grades 1 thru 3.

## PLUMBING INSPECTOR

For the first six months of 1966 a total of 244 applications for permits to do plumbing were issued to Master Plumbers. Of this number, one hundred seventy-four were for new construction and sixteen were for old buildings; fifty-four were for hot water tanks. It was necessary to make four hundred seventy-two inspections before they were approved.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. GAGNON.

Plumbing Inspector, Retired

In the last six months of 1966 a total of 140 applications for permits to install plumbing by Master and Journeyman Plumbers were granted as follows:

New Construction	104
Old Construction	7
Hot Water Storage Tanks	29
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	140

One hundred applications forwarded by retiring inspector were granted final approval.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. SHEDD  
Plumbing Inspector

### GAS INSPECTOR

The following is a report of the Gas Inspector's Department for the year 1966.

There were 526 applications for permits issued.

Appliances & Gas Furnaces .....	325
New Homes .....	191
Industrial .....	6
Apartment Houses .....	2
Commercial .....	1
Nursing Home (Palm Manor) .....	1
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Total Permits .....	526
Fees received for permits .....	\$3,135.50

Respectfully submitted,

NEAL C. STANLEY  
Gas Inspector

### SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

As Sealer of Weights and Measures, I wish to submit my report for the year 1966.

In performing my duty, I have sealed the following:

- 101 Gasoline pumps
- 14 Kerosene, oil and grease meters
- 41 Scales over 100 lbs. to 5,000 lbs.
- 84 Scales under 100 lbs.
- 73 Weights

Money received from seals, the sum of \$623.80 has been turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY C. FERREIRA  
Sealer of Weights & Measures





## BUILDING INSPECTOR

David P. Dutton

The following is a report of the Building Inspector's Department for the year 1966. There were 475 applications for permits issued.

Fees received for permits — \$6,693.00

Permits	Estimated Value
288 Dwellings .....	\$4,220,000.00
86 Additions, Alterations & Repairs .....	206,266.00
5 Non-Residential Additions .....	78,000.00
1 School Addition (Mdsx. Village Training School) .....	469,800.00
1 Store & Office Building .....	45,000.00
3 Warehouses .....	48,000.00
6 Industrial .....	191,262.00
1 Service Station .....	24,000.00
2 Farm Structures .....	5,100.00
1 Store .....	40,000.00
1 Fire Station .....	53,000.00
1 Nursing Home .....	375,000.00
1 Super Market .....	175,000.00
3 Incinerators .....	18,937.00
1 29 Unit Apartment Building .....	150,000.00
12 Swimming Pools .....	30,450.00
1 Bath House .....	10,000.00
1 Remodeling .....	4,000.00
1 Office Building .....	96,000.00
2 Signs .....	800.00
4 Sheds .....	657.00
53 Garage Permits .....	106,886.00
<b>475 TOTAL PERMITS</b> .....	<b>\$6,348,158.00</b>

61 zoning violations were investigated

43 inspections of business establishments and nursing schools

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID P. DUTTON

Building Inspector

**WIRE INSPECTOR**

Harold Tucke, Jr.

The following is a report of the Wire Inspector's Department for the year 1966:

There were 595 applications for permits issued.

New homes wired or old homes rewired .....	329
Commercial .....	2
Industrial .....	8
Theatre — Cinema III .....	1
Office Building .....	1
Church .....	1
Apartment Houses .....	3
Nursing Home (Palm Manor) .....	1
Miscellaneous .....	249
<b>Total Permits .....</b>	<b>595</b>

The miscellaneous permits were issued for minor installations such as oil burners, hot water tank, range, washer and dryer outlets, service changes, etc.

Fees received for permits ..... \$4,973.50

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD TUCKE, JR.

Wire Inspector

**HISTORICAL COMMISSION**

Margaret E. Mills, Chairman

William H. Drury	Robert E. Picken
Arnold C. Perham	Arthur Englund
Bradford O. Emerson	Eliot W. Remick

This is the first Chelmsford Historical Commission, having been established by vote of the people at the 1966 annual Town Meeting (Article 13) Members have met monthly in the Town Hall office space assigned to them. Notices of all regular meetings are posted on the Town Hall bulletin board in advance of the meetings. Any citizen may attend.

The purposes of an Historical Commission are: "for the preservation, promotion and development of the historical assets of the town. Such commission shall conduct researches for places of historic value and shall seek to coordinate the activities of unofficial bodies organized for similar purposes . . ." Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8D.

In addition to regular meetings in the office, the commissioners have visited all known historical sites in Chelmsford preparatory to

an Area and Site Survey and Report which will be indexed and filed in the commission's office and with the Massachusetts Historical Commission, Kevin H. White, Secretary of State, Chairman.

This being the first year of organization much material and knowledge has had to be accumulated. Records and early maps of Chelmsford have been purchased from the state archives to supplement information found in the histories of Chelmsford by Allen and Waters, respectively. Mr. Raymond Day of Chelmsford was chosen by the commissioners to photograph certain buildings and sites which economic development or act of God might destroy.

Much research resulted in a "Chelmsford Historic Sites Map", a valuable document to which pertinent information is being continually added. Special credit for this should go to Mr. Perham and Mr. Drury. During the ensuing year we plan to purchase a tape recorder whereby site owners or qualified citizens will contribute details and anecdotes regarding the history of chosen sites. These tapes will be preserved and vital information will be typed onto file cards for ready access.

In December this commission was host to representatives of historical commissions, historical societies and owners of historic sites in Chelmsford and twelve surrounding towns. Parts of some of the towns were originally Chelmsford, Lowell for instance. The principal speaker was Dr. Richard W. Hale, State Archivist and acting chairman of the Massachusetts Historical Commission.

To our town commission any citizen may bring suggestions or information that will be in accord with the purposes for which this body was established. We will welcome any information connected with revolutionary days in Chelmsford as preparations have already begun for the Bicentennial Celebration in 1975.

We wish to express our appreciation to all town officials and residents of Chelmsford for their cooperation, interest and assistance.

Respectfully submitted

MARGARET E. MILLS, Chairman

## REPORT OF THE AMBULANCE STUDY COMMITTEE

Gerald J. Lannan, Chairman

Ralph Hulslander

Frederick Reid

Paul MacMillan

Peter Curran

The Ambulance Study Committee, consisting of five members, namely Gerald J. Lannan, Selectman; Ralph Hulslander, Police Chief; Frederick Reid, Fire Chief; Paul MacMillan, Welfare Director; and Peter Curran, Finance Committee Member, has met on a regular basis since the committee was appointed by the Board of Selectmen in accordance

with article 32 as voted at the annual town meeting. A summary of events from the first meeting up to the last meeting held is stated below.

The first meeting was held in May 1966 and it was the opinion of the committee. after much discussion, that the ambulance service being rendered to the town was excellent. The time element between the call for an ambulance and the arrival of the ambulance was reasonable, and in most cases faster than had been anticipated. In view of the fact that the ambulance service was being rendered at no cost to the town, the ambulance committee felt that to purchase an ambulance, man it with qualified personnel on a twenty-four hour basis along with maintenance costs would be prohibitive when compared to the service the town was receiving at no cost. It was the unanimous decision of the committee to recommend to the townspeople at the next annual town meeting that no change be made in the ambulance service.

In September, the owner of the American Ambulance Service called Seleman Lannan requesting an audience with the Ambulance Advisory Committee regarding the firm's ambulance service to the Town of Chelmsford. A meeting of the committee was called and the owner and manager of the American Ambulance Service was invited to attend the meeting as had been requested. The committee was informed that the ambulance service was under contract to the City of Lowell. Under the terms of the contract, the firm was to have available at all times two (2) ambulances for the use of the citizens of the City of Lowell. The firm owns six (6) ambulances but only four (4) were registered by the Registry of Motor Vehicles. Two (2) of the four (4) were under contract to Lowell as stated above. The other two (2) ambulances were being used to render services to the surrounding towns. It was stated that, due to the high upkeep costs on the ambulances and the low return the firm was receiving for service to the towns, the firm was not sure how long it would be able to continue rendering this service without remuneration from the towns to help toward the expense of maintaining two (2) ambulances around the clock. Figures were submitted to the committee. The committee queried the firm with relation to the services rendered to the Town of Chelmsford as well as to the surrounding towns and asked what the firm would propose as an ambulance service to the town on a cost basis. The firm's spokesman said they would be pleased to submit to the committee the cost for ambulance service for Chelmsford and further that it was the firm's intent to place before the officials of the surrounding towns the information that had been given to this committee. The committee discussed further the impact this change would have on the town. Chief Reid of the Fire Department was asked to arrive at figures for an ambulance service that would be town operated. It was decided that the scope of the committee had now broadened and that the Board of Health should be asked to the next meeting along with the Chairman of the Finance Committee and the Town Counsel.

At the next meeting along with the regular members of the committee, the following were in attendance: Mr. Oliver Reeves, Board of Health; Mr. Peter Saulis, Board of Health Agent; Mr. R. McDermott, Finance Committee Chairman; and Mr. Daniel Coughlin, Town Counsel; a review of previous meetings was made in order to bring the additional attendees up to date.

The Town Counsel was asked if, in his opinion, the firm could be made legally responsible to answer calls for an ambulance to the Town of Chelmsford, even though he did not have a contract to do so. Town Counsel stated that in his opinion he could not . . . That whereas the firm had a contract with the City of Lowell, it would not be obliged to answer calls to other towns any more than any other ambulance service. A letter from the ambulance service was read that informed the committee that the firm would bid on any type of contract that the town would want to specify.

The consensus of opinion of the committee was that an article should be prepared for town meeting action to provide an ambulance retaining service for the town. The article would be prepared by Town Counsel and would be of such wording that it would be understood by all townspeople, that this would not be a general ambulance service but rather would be a fee to be paid in order to insure an ambulance being available when the need for one arose. The charge for the use of the ambulance itself would still be borne by the party calling for the ambulance and not by the town. In this way, the availability of an ambulance would still be assured but the high cost of a general ambulance service would be avoided.

It was felt by the committee, that purchasing, manning and maintaining of a town ambulance was still too high to be undertaken by the town and that any contract (if the article was approved at town meeting) should be administered by the Board of Selectmen.

The Town Counsel is now preparing the article for the town warrant. The committee is compiling information that may be required, in the event of an affirmative vote, for specifications and a call for bids.

## REPORT OF THE SEWER ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Edgar P. George, Chairman

Robert A. McKittrick  
William L. Harvey

Robert D. DiFazio  
Matthew J. Doyle

Oliver A. Reeves  
Edwin H. Warren

The Chelmsford Sewer Advisory Committee was empowered at the Town Meeting of March 14, 1966 to "advise the town with regard to its sewerage needs, including all necessary steps required to implement a sewerage collection and disposal system."

A comprehensive Report on Sewerage and Sewage Disposal Facilities had been prepared for the Town by Camp, Dresser & McKee in June, 1964. This report was thoroughly reviewed in light of the latest building trends, increasing sewage needs, and changes in construction costs. The committee received the assistance of Paul W. Prendiville of Camp, Dresser & McKee, Consulting Engineers, at its many meetings.

The committee addressed itself to both assignments; sewerage needs and implementation of a system. In the area of describing the town's sewerage needs, it has concluded that it is very difficult to document specific needs. There are no statistics or technical data to prove the particular degree of urgency for a town sewerage system.

Some sewerage and industrial waste is undoubtedly being released into the Merrimack River. Sewerage problems have been reported in the Beaver Brook area. Recent refusal to permit construction of an elementary school on the Roberts property was due to insufficient sewerage facilities. The Board of Health reports many individual sewerage seepage complaints annually, indicating an appreciable increase each year.

It is axiomatic that any community approaching the population density of the Town of Chelmsford needs a municipal sewerage system: the urgency of implementation being the only remaining question.

In considering the various steps necessary to implement a sewerage collection and disposal system, the committee studied the desirability of a joint sewerage commission with Lowell and Dracut, measured against an independent venture for Chelmsford.

Camp, Dresser & McKee suggested a regional commission with Chelmsford's share of the initial construction cost at \$3,850,000. A sewerage survey for the City of Lowell also suggested a regional plan with a comparable cost to Chelmsford nearly one million dollars higher. Repeated attempts to meet with officials outside of Chelmsford failed to reflect any other interest in a regional plan.

The committee considered the marked difference in Chelmsford's share of the two regional proposals, the political climate involved in a regional program; the potential conflict over maintenance operations; and the out-of-pocket costs of an independent municipal system.

We also investigated various means of financing a sewerage system. Federal agencies are concerned with water pollution control and municipal sewer programs. State aid may also be available. Aid from both sources tend to vary with governmental interest in these programs; partially contingent upon revolving funds. The combined relief for a municipal sewerage system should fall between 75% to 80%.

#### RECOMENDATIONS

We believe a municipal sewerage system for Chelmsford is an eventual, if not an immediate, necessity. Recognition is given that

heavily populated areas would be first recipients of the benefits of such a system and that some outlying areas might not be considered in plans within the next ten years. Recognition is also given that even approval of an initial loan from the Federal Government for development of plans, proposed in the coming Town Meeting, is dependent upon availability of funds and not likely before nine months to a year.

We recommend the initial construction of an activated sludge sewage treatment plant, pumping station, and sewers to serve the industries and approximately 1,500 persons in North Chelmsford. The facilities will be easily expanded in the future to handle wastes from the remaining portions of the Town as shown on Figure A of Camp, Dresser & McKee's Chelmsford sewer survey engineering report of June, 1964. Construction cost for the initial works is estimated at about \$2,500,000, including contingencies and engineering. The engineering fee for the design of these works, including field surveys and sub-surface explorations, is estimated to be \$125,000. For this purpose, it is proposed that we obtain an advance of \$125,000 from the Department of Housing and Urban Development as an interest-free loan to be repaid at time of construction. It is also proposed that a parcel of land in North Chelmsford be purchased for the sewage treatment plant. This would constitute the only immediate expenditure for the town.

Chelmsford Sewer Advisory Committee

EDGAR P. GEORGE, CHAIRMAN

ROBERT D. DIFAZIO

MATTHEW J. DOYLE

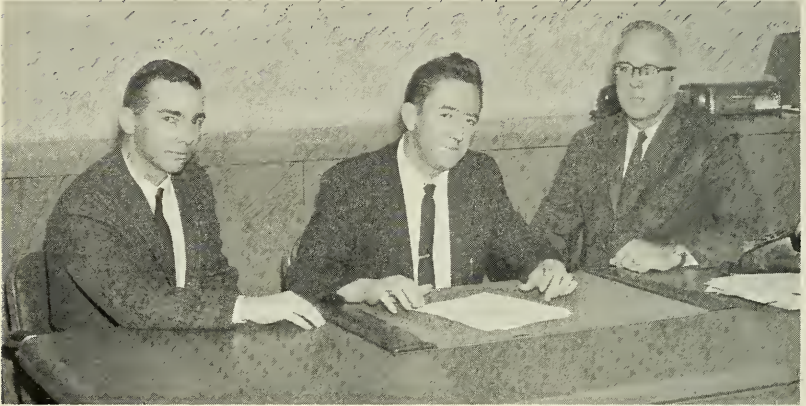
WILLIAM L. HARVEY

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EDWIN H. WARREN

## Education



### SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Gerald C. Tucke, Chairman

Eugene J. Doody, Vice Chairman

Edward S. Marshall, Secretary

Thomas L. Rivard, Ed.D., Superintendent of Schools

Year	Teachers	Non-Teachers*	Budget	Expenditures	Enrollment
1955	78	13	\$ 454,510.00	\$ 449,928.12	2,115
1959	117	20	893,088.00	867,826.72	3,142
1960	156	25	1,049,950.00	1,021,931.94	3,503
1961	181	28	1,259,220.00	1,228,576.25	3,967
1962	207	33	1,520,502.00	1,484,128.18	4,460
1963	231	37	1,842,581.00	1,777,903.81	5,023
1964	247	44	2,114,922.00	2,032,138.31	5,504
1965	285	83	2,406,614.00	2,333,236.21	6,048
1966	312	92	2,859,284.00	2,781,855.07	6,713
1967**	361	95	3,358,670.00		7,341
1973**					10,090

\*Excludes Cafeteria Employees and School Nurses

\*\*Estimated

The pressures on our school system from budget to buildings have changed little over the past few years. There is every indication that this condition will continue for the next several years. Nevertheless, the quality of education offered and the record of student achievement have continued steadily upward. It is our aim to keep it that way.



## ENROLLMENT AND FACILITIES

With the kind of regularity that has characterized the town's population growth each year, the September enrollment in the Chelmsford Public Schools increased by 665. This represented an increase of almost 11 per cent over the 1965 school population and was about the increase which had been expected.

While space at the senior and junior high schools was adequate, double sessions have been avoided at the elementary level through the use of the following "emergency" classrooms: the gymnasium in three of the elementary schools, and the home economics and industrial arts areas in the new junior high school.

However, certain problems remain. These problems because of their implication to the future must be given serious consideration. First, the failure to receive approval from the State Public Health Department for sub-surface sewage disposal for the Old Westford Road School site means that no elementary classrooms will be available for next September opening of school next fall as previously expected.

Secondly, at the senior high school the anticipated increase in enrollment indicates that approximately 141 students of the incoming 9th grade next September will not be able to be housed in the high school.

Finally, at the junior high school level, predicted enrollment suggests that the present building can accommodate grades 7 and 8 only through the school year 1969-1970.

Through approval of the citizens at the Special Town Meeting on December 7, 1966 to construct two elementary schools (occupancy date of September, 1968), the elementary housing needs will be adequately met up to September 1969.

Double sessions at the elementary level will be avoided next year by increasing some of the elementary classes to 35 which is mandatory under the state law before a community may go on double sessions.

Ninth grade students that cannot be accommodated at the senior high school will be housed at the junior high school.

The School Committee and the Elementary School Needs Committee agree that additional housing at the secondary level will be needed by 1969. Currently, the School Committee is studying a variety of housing plans all of which have merit. A report of this study together with recommendations for secondary housing will be forthcoming in the immediate future.

Attention is called to the report of the Elementary School Needs and Building Committee published in this annual report of the town and to the specific recommendations on future housing which the School Committee recommends that the citizens of the town follow. Its non-school committee members are: Mr. Charles D. Harrington, Chairman; Mr. Philip

E. Campbell, Secretary; Mr. Wesley M. Harper, and Mr. Roy C. Stephenson who are to be commended for the outstanding work which they are doing.

### PERSONNEL

“When a great teacher appears he escapes the limitations of formalism, transcends his subject matter, and leaves his students an impression of his personality which encourages them to become sound members of society, willing and able to assume leadership in their affairs . . . .”

—Vannevar Bush, Education, Wisdom and Happiness

The overall school enrollment and increased pupil services resulted in 27 being added to the staff this year. Several positions remained unfilled because of the lack of qualified applicants. The supply of able candidates in the fields of mathematics and science remains short and will continue to remain critical as long as schools must compete with industry for these skills. Study is being given to this problem.

Mobility continues to be a characteristic of the teaching profession, particularly as women constitute a large percentage of that force. Therefore, a 10 to 15 per cent turnover may be expected each year which is average throughout the state for comparable communities. Interestingly during this past year many teachers with outstanding backgrounds who had moved into our area from other sections of our country were placed under contract.

Continued growth is the established pattern in most of the suburban towns. Thus competition for the best teachers will continue. In order to stay competitive, the upward trend in salary schedules and fringe benefits which has been going on for the past decade will not diminish over the next few years.

Presently, collective bargaining is continuing with the teachers under the provisions of the collective bargaining law passed by the State Legislature last year.

The committee and the administration are most appreciative of efforts of the teaching staff in improving the quality of education in the Chelmsford School System and take this opportunity to commend them for their excellent performance. It is most cognizant of the fact that the backbone of any school system is its teachers and that a good curriculum is worthless without superior teachers to bring it to life in the classroom.

### CURRICULUM

“The current years are as challenging as any in the history of education”

The explosion in knowledge has brought and will continue to bring significant changes in the curriculum. No area of the curriculum is static. Every course of study and instructional practice is open to questions and

reconsideration. Some of the effect of American industry upon education can be seen in the new types of audio-visual equipment which significantly help the teaching-learning process.

One of the differences between education in the past and today is that greater effort is being made to help each child. This is for many reasons, ranging from societal demand to changes in family role. The child with special problems needs specialists to aid him. In general, this has meant the development of school programs designed to help each boy or girl achieve continuous, maximum development along all lines of physical, social, emotional and intellectual growth so that he or she may be prepared to lead a successful, fruitful life.

It is not possible in this report to summarize the story of the curriculum of the Chelmsford School System. However, there are aspects to curriculum revision and development that deserve attention.

Special Sources . . . The Science and Reading Curriculum Coordinators are engaged in many activities furthering the improvement of instruction and curriculum development in their areas. Some of their present duties are:

- (1) To keep abreast of the latest findings in their field of specialization and make available reliable research information needed to promote curriculum improvement.
- (2) To provide a free flow of teaching materials, ideas and techniques that are already in use in many of our classrooms and schools in Chelmsford.
- (3) To work closely with the curriculum coordinator, elementary, junior high and senior high school principals, department heads and teachers in furthering the improvement of instruction and development of more effective curriculum practices.
- (4) To demonstrate in the classroom certain techniques of aides for the improvement of instruction in the classroom.
- (5) To assist in the further development and the coordination of resources for the classroom teacher.
- (6) To assist in the development of in-service training through workshop planning and implementation and study groups.
- (7) To make available information and samples of promising published materials which might be used in Chelmsford.
- (8) To be responsible for their area of the professional library at the High School Library developed for the use of all teachers.

The Language Arts, Mathematics and Social Studies Coordinators, when added to the staff will have similar duties.

Increasing the specialists' services to teachers are essential if Chelmsford is to keep abreast of the most advanced knowledge, research and

techniques — that are necessary to maintain a high quality of education.

Desirable changes in curriculum necessitate extensive involvements such as teachers' meetings, workshops and in-service training, travel to attend meetings and conferences, increased specialization of staff, expansion of library, research and increase in the supply of professional magazines, books and reports.

SCIENCE — The new program of science in grades 1 - 12 deals with all aspects of science, the new as well as the traditional. It lays great stress on developing attitudes and aptitudes in students which will lead to greater interest and participation in science as well as growth in ability to solve problems. It is through training in solving problems of immediate concern and personal urgency that students develop problem-solving techniques essential for use both in and out of school.

READING — Research has already established that skill in reading is a constant factor in the school success of children. If all children are to have access to equal educational opportunities, then they must achieve success in the acquisition of reading skills. Authorities agree that there is no single plan yet devised which can effectively meet the many individual differences and combinations of differences which exist in every classroom. Under the direction of the reading coordinator, a variety of approaches to reading instruction are employed in the elementary classrooms. A well organized instructional program has been developed which implies at least three kinds of emphasis: (1) a thorough going reading readiness program in preparing the child for initial reading; (2) adjustment of instruction to individual differences, and (3) systematic developmental programs.

At the secondary level the newly introduced reading program approved under Title I, Elementary and Secondary Education Act (P.L. 89-10) is proving to be the most successful in accomplishing its objectives. All important aspects of reading comprehension, vocabulary and word study are emphasized in the program.

MATHEMATICS — During the past few years many changes have taken place in the mathematics curriculum at all levels. The teaching of any subject matter field must, of necessity, keep pace with the application of that field or our society. The expansion of the content is not the result of a complete revision of the subject matter but is the result of the necessary addition of pertinent topics.

The newer program of mathematics is different in terms of the methods used, although many teachers have been using these methods for years. In the early grades there is emphasis on discovery techniques which promote a basic understanding of fundamental ideas in mathematics. Without this understanding of fundamental ideas, the student has difficulty making sense out of the materials that follow. This has always been true. Knowing how something works can solve an immediate problem. Knowing why it works will enable the student to apply the ideas developed to more complex situations in the future by adopting and expand-

ing them. During this transition from the traditional to the newer mathematics, staff members are carefully evaluating the entire program in order that provisions are made for the varying abilities of the students.

**GUIDANCE** — Guidance has become more than assisting students in the area of course and program selection. Perhaps the most difficult and challenging part of the guidance program is the aspect that deals with the social relationships, emotional problems, and physical aspects of the student. Each chronological level of the child's development brings about new problems, questions, and changes in his relationship that are often confusing. Frequently he receives little assistance with these problems at home. Discipline problems can often be solved or avoided with adequate guidance. Greater emphasis is now being given to guidance at all levels and in particular at the elementary level where the need to foster the personal-social growth of the student is most apparent.

Chelmsford pupils continue to consistently score above the national median scores on standardized tests administered to them. The high school students have consistently placed high on College Board Examinations and on National Merit Scholarship Examinations.

**INSTRUCTIONAL AIDS** — Instructional aids - the expanding closed circuit television, the transparency projectors, language laboratories, programmed instructional devices, "instant" films, video-tape recorders, 16 and 35mm. projectors, the controlled reader, the tachistoscope - are now important tools in aiding the teaching staff to improve their teaching effectiveness. Pupils are regularly receiving carefully prepared televised lessons in music, physical education, phonics, art, speech therapy, and guidance. The programs are constantly being revised and improved by the television staff with the help of the teachers.

**LIBRARIES** — This year the school received \$13,524. for library books under Title II, ESEA (P.L. 89-10). This money was spent for books and publications for the senior and junior high school libraries. A senior grant is expected next year and that money will be allocated for elementary libraries. Provisions have been made in the budget for a central elementary librarian. The library habit will now become a part of every Chelmsford student's life and should bear fruit.

" . . . a circulatory library is an evergreen tree. . . It blossoms through the year — they who are so fond of handling the leaves will long for the fruit."

—Richard Sheridan

Plans are now under study for the incorporating of a curriculum materials center in the libraries. The purpose of the center would be to improve the quality of materials available for classroom use. From the center, classroom teachers could obtain materials that would sustain existing programs, improve existing programs, and aid in implementing programs.

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### OF GENERAL INTEREST

**ART AND MUSIC** — The art and music programs are an integral phase of the total education of the pupils. The programs of these areas are being studied and revisions made to provide a well-rounded program that will be continuous from Grade One through Grade Twelve. Many fine compliments have been received on the performances and exhibits of these departments.

**PHYSICAL EDUCATION** — The physical education department has been working to organize its staff and offerings into a coordinated unit within the Chelmsford School System. The results of this effort are better teaching, more systematic and thorough coverage of the subject matter, and more efficient purchase and use of supplies. There is marked improvement in the results of this year's physical fitness tests over those of last year.

**EDUCATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE** — The Citizens Educational Advisory Committee has continued its outstanding contributions to the school system by the services that it has performed. Among these contributions was the development of a Resources Catalog of Educational trips that are coordinated with the school curriculum. The booklet is of particular importance, since it provides parents with a complete listing of places to visit that are appropriate to the grade level and curricular sequent of their children.

Another major project was the study of school housing needs during the 1967-1968 school year. The information collected by the committee provided the school committee with necessary data for making a decision on the emergency housing for the elementary grades in the coming school year.

**FEDERAL FUNDS** — Again this year, Chelmsford has taken full advantage of available federal funds. To a large degree, these federal funds have made possible the great improvement in the educational standards of the Chelmsford School System. One of the criteria for a good educational system is the utilization of resources materials and audio-visual aids in its instructional program. Their purchase has been accomplished through the use of these funds without any direct effect on the tax rate. Without this aid it would have been most difficult to have attained our present high educational standards. Financial assistance was received for the improvement of guidance, science, mathematics, social studies, libraries, and modern foreign language instruction.

**BIG BUSINESS** — The School Lunch Program has shown considerable growth during the school year. Cafeteria receipts totaled \$181,657.05 with an additional \$71,889.87 reimbursed from State and Federal Funds through June, 1966. The hot lunch participation has increased in all schools, but a marked growth was observed in the high school. Even with ever increasing cost for food supplies and labor, the program is still self-supporting.

### IN MEMORIAM

HELEN E. PARKHURST, Manager of the Cafeteria at the McFarlin School, passed away on November 20, 1966. Her untimely death put an end to a career dedicated to the services of the children of Chelmsford, a career in which she earned the respect and affection of all — children — fellow workers — parents.

### IN CONCLUSION

This then in part represents some of the activities of the Chelmsford Public Schools during the calendar year of 1966. Other media will be used to tell the larger story and to explain curricular developments that are of particular interest. In the meantime, what happens in each classroom day by day will explain far better than words the concern of the staff of the Chelmsford Public Schools for quality education.

This report should not close without a word of appreciation for the devotion, professional alertness and competence of the personnel. Chelmsford schools form an enviable physical environment, but without the personnel, there could be no schools. Chelmsford's schools have a reputation for excellence as evidenced every year by the new families moving here because of the educational advantages. Maintaining and improving this quality is the responsibility of the personnel of the school system.

We are grateful to all who have assisted us in any way — all town boards and committees, the Police, Fire and Highway Departments, the Parent-Teacher Associations, the Elementary School Needs Committee, the Educational Advisory Committee, and all interested citizens.

### BUDGET ANALYSIS

This year's proposed budget again reflects the growth in the school population as well as improved teaching services. The impact of the current building in the town of Chelmsford is reflected in the provision, among others, for an additional 49 teachers.

A summary of income and expenditures of the Chelmsford Schools for the year 1966 and the budget recommended for 1967 follows:

**CHELMSFORD SCHOOL BUDGET**

SALARIES	EXPENDED 1965		TOTAL EXPENDED
	FROM TOWN	FROM FEDERAL MONIES*	
Teachers & Supervisors	1,654,159.30		1,654,159.30
Janitors	146,060.50		146,060.50
Administration	39,996.62		39,996.62
Secretaries	33,453.12		33,453.12
Physicians	3,000.00		3,000.00
Attendance officer	250.00		250.00
<b>TOTAL SALARIES</b>	<u>1,876,919.54</u>		<u>1,876,919.54</u>
<b>EXPENSES</b>			
Educational Supplies & Services	110,107.01	50,746.21	160,853.22
Fuel, Lights, Water & Telephone	61,835.64	8,750.32	70,585.96
Repairs	29,993.23	37,383.73	67,381.96
Playgrounds	999.90		999.90
Janitors & Nurses	9,799.72		9,799.72
Transportation	201,208.65		201,208.65
New & Replacement Equipment	10,999.82	20,464.27	31,464.09
Athletic Program	10,500.00		10,500.00
Vocational	4,746.67 (1)		4,746.67 (1)
Administration	9,876.30		9,876.30
Adult Evening Vocational	6,244.73		6,244.73
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<u>456,316.67</u>	<u>117,344.53</u>	<u>573,661.20</u>
<b>TOTAL SALARIES</b>			
<b>&amp; EXPENSES</b>	<u>\$2,333,236.21</u>		<u>2,450,580.74</u>
<b>PUBLIC LAW 864,874</b>			
(1) Includes Dog Licenses			
<b>RECEIPTS</b>			
	ACTUAL 1965		
State Educational Aid Law	292,814.03		
Tuition & Transportation of State Wards	4,775.75		
Tuition			
School Transportation	151,255.00		
Rental of Auditorium	548.00		
Vocational Reimbursement	2,346.53		
Special Education	21,791.81		
School Adjustment Counsellor	4,500.00		
Dig License	2,196.10		
Miscellaneous	507.55		
Adult Education	3,751.35		
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<u>484,486.12</u>	<u>\$117,344.53</u>	<u>\$601,830.65</u>
<b>NET COST</b>			
<b>TO CHELMSFORD</b>	<u>\$1,848,750.09</u>	<u>000 000 00</u>	<u>\$1,848,750.09</u>



**CHELMSFORD SCHOOL DEPARTMENT**

	APPROPRIATED 1966		EXPENDED 1966		Total Expended
	FROM TOWN	From Federal Monies*	From Town	From Federal	
<b>SALARIES</b>					
Teachers & Supervisors	\$2,010,670.00		\$1,941,134.72		1,941,134.72
Janitors	181,770.00		180,169.25		180,169.25
Administration	60,861.00		59,538.62		59,538.62
Secretaries	44,177.00		41,664.27		41,664.27
Physicians	3,000.00		3,000.00		3,000.00
<b>TOTAL SALARIES</b>	<b>\$2,300,478.00</b>		<b>\$2,225,506.86</b>		<b>2,225,506.86</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>					
Educational Supplies					
& Services	137,145.00	44,758.00	137,141.31	37,959.23	175,100.54
Fuel, Light & Water					
& Telephone	90,415.00	10,000.00	90,415.00	168.10	90,583.10
Repairs	30,000.00	38,000.00	29,999.62	29,641.09	59,640.71
Playgrounds	1,000.00		990.35		990.35
Janitors & Nurses Supplies	10,800.00		10,798.96		10,798.96
Transportation	235,550.00		233,813.68		233,813.68
New & Replacement Equipment	25,000.00	48,668.00	24,992.51	39,358.95	64,351.46
Athletic Program	10,500.00		10,500.00		10,500.00
Vocational	5,000.00(1)		6,074.38(2)		6,074.38 2
Administration	3,600.00		3,600.00		3,503.34

Adult Evening Vocational	9,796.00	9,796.00	8,149.06	8,149.06
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>558,806.00</u>	<u>141,426.00</u>	<u>556,378.21</u>	<u>107,127.37</u>
TOTAL SALARIES				
& EXPENSES	\$2,859,284.00	\$3,000,710.00	\$2,781,885.07	107,127.37
Less Available & Anticipated Federal Funds		141,426.00		
Total Salaries & Expenses to be Raised & Appropriated		<u>\$2,859,284.00</u>		
* Public Law 88-210, 89-10, 864 & 874				
(1) Plus Dog Licenses (2) Includes Dog Licenses				
RECEIPTS	Actual 1966			
State Education Aid Law	318,299.09	318,299.09		
Tuition & Transportation of				
State Wards	4,801.00	4,801.00		
School Transportation	163,715.00	163,715.00		
Rental of Auditorium	850.00	850.00		
Vocational Reimbursement	2,121.50	2,121.50		
Special Education	29,742.57	29,742.57		
School Adjustment Counsellor	4,500.00	4,500.00		
Dog License	2,837.26	2,837.26		
Miscellaneous	655.46	655.46		
Adult Education	4,103.00	4,103.00		
TOTAL RECEIPTS	<u>531,624.88</u>	<u>134,072.06*</u>	<u>\$531,624.88</u>	<u>\$107,127.37*</u>
NET COST				
TO CHELMSFORD	2,327,659.12	0000000000	\$2,250,260.19	0000000000*
*Unexpended Federal monies applicable to 1967 budget				\$2,250,260.19

		REQUESTED 1967	
		From	Total
		Federal	BUDGET
SALARIES	FROM TOWN	Monies*	REQUEST
Teachers & Supervisors	2,390,700.00	72,000.00	2,462,700.00
Janitors	198,360.00		198,360.00
Administration	56,600.00		56,600.00
Secretaries	57,700.00		57,700.00
Physicians	4,000.00		4,000.00
<b>TOTAL SALARIES</b>	<b>2,707,360.00</b>	<b>72,000.00</b>	<b>2,779,360.00</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>			
Educational Supplies & Services	177,100.00	94,900.00	272,000.00
Fuel Light & Water & Telephone	100,700.00		100,700.00
Repairs	32,000.00	30,000.00	62,000.00
Playgrounds	1,000.00		1,000.00
Janitors & Nurses Supplies	10,800.00		10,800.00
Transportation	263,600.00		263,600.00
New & Replacement Equipment	30,000.00	110,900.00	140,900.00
Athletic Program	12,500.00		12,500.00
Vocational	5,000.00		5,000.00
Administration	8,750.00		8,750.00
Adult Evening Vocational	9,860.00		9,860.00
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>651,310.00</b>	<b>235,800.00</b>	<b>887,110.00</b>
<b>TOTAL SALARIES</b>			
<b>&amp; EXPENSES</b>	<b>3,358,670.00</b>	<b>307,800.00</b>	<b>3,666,470.00</b>
Less Available & Anticipated Federal Funds			307,800.00
Total Salaries & Expenses to be Raised & Appropriated			\$3,358,670.00
*Public Law 88-210, 89-10, 864 & 874			
<b>ESTIMATED 1967</b>			
<b>RECEIPTS:</b>			
State Education Aid Law	450,000.00*		450,000.00
Tuition & Transportation of State Wards	4,500.00		4,500.00
School Transportation	173,000.00		173,000.00
Vocational Reimbursement			
Rental of Auditorium	500.00		500.00
Special Education	30,000.00		30,000.00
School Adjustment Counsellor			
Dog License	2,500.00		2,500.00
Miscellaneous	500.00		500.00
Adult Education	4,140.00		4,140.00
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$ 665,140.00</b>	<b>307,800.00</b>	<b>665,140.00</b>
<b>NET COST</b>			
<b>TO CHELMSFORD</b>	<b>\$2,693,530.00</b>	<b>0000000000</b>	<b>2,693,530.00</b>
*Estimated as dependent on sales tax receipts			

## THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEEDS AND BUILDING COMMITTEE

Charles D. Harrington, Chairman

Philip E. Campbell, Secretary

Eugene J. Doody

Wesley M. Harper

Edward S. Marshall

Roy C. Stephenson

Gerald C. Tucke

During 1966, the Elementary School Needs Committee's building program suffered a delay when the State Department of Public Health, after giving preliminary approval for the use of the Roberts land on Old Westford Road, changed its regulations for sanitary drainage and ruled that the land could not be approved for the building of the new elementary school.

Thanks to the wholehearted cooperation of the voters of this town, the problems caused by this adverse decision should affect school housing at the elementary grades for only one year.

It is hoped that both the Richardson Road and the Westlands elementary school buildings, approved at the special Town Meeting on December 7, 1966, and now in final planning stages, will be ready for occupancy in the fall of 1968. When these two buildings are occupied, the problems of housing our elementary school pupils in a manner satisfactory to the townspeople, should be solved at least for the next four or five years.

However, another and a more costly problem in school housing now is facing this municipality: adequate housing for its secondary school pupils.

Our present high school is designed to house 1450 pupils at capacity level.

In September of 1967, there will be 1733 high school pupils in Chelmsford. This means that some will have to be transferred to the junior high school. By 1969, the ninth grade high school pupils will be occupying half or more of the junior high school.

By 1970, we must have the capacity to accommodate at least 2200 pupils at the high school level - grades 9, 10, 11, and 12.

This situation opens the door to several possibilities, with the decision, on educational grounds, the duty of the School Committee.

Presently the Chelmsford School System is operating on a 6-2-4 educational plan; six elementary, two junior high and four senior high school grades.

If the School Committee, which is presently studying a number of proposals for housing of the school population, should adopt a 6-3-3 system: six elementary, three junior high and three senior high school grades (which is the generally used junior high school plan), it probably would be possible to meet the building needs of the town for years to

come through the construction of one new building - a three-year high school with a capacity of 2500 pupils.

Other alternatives include:

- (1) Enlarging the existing high school from its present capacity of 1450 to one which would house 2500 pupils. Practically, this would mean the construction of another school connected to the present building as the addition would require its own expensive core facilities, heating plant, cafeteria, gymnasiums and sewage disposal. It is doubtful if the town could win approval of the State Building Assistance Commission for any such addition, and without this approval the town could not collect its 50 per cent reimbursement on the capital cost. It is doubtful, too, if the State Health Department would approve it without at least the construction of an expensive and elaborate sewage disposal plant with its many problems.
- (2) Building a second high school in a different section of town would be another answer, but this solution is not a popular one and it also would mean the construction of a second junior high school in the same general location as the new high school — a move which would seemingly divide the town in halves.

If the three-year high school plan were approved, the new building would take care of the enrollment for many years to come, and the present high school would become the second junior high school with a change-over incorporating little if any expense. This building then also would be capable of housing several elementary grades if in the early 1970's a surge in population brought a need for more elementary space.

Your committee bases its predictions of school enrollment on births in town, on new housing and by averaging immigration. During 1966, when housing construction was falling sharply throughout the nation as a whole, Chelmsford kept building. How long this will continue is a question we cannot answer.

We have tried through the years to avoid over-building, and we still are following this policy.

The recent town meeting has solved the elementary housing needs. Very shortly your committee will make recommendations in conjunction with the School Committee for solving the housing problem at the secondary level.

Possibly within the next two years, the Regional Vocational High School will take as many as 100 pupils out of our high school ranks, and this has been included in our figuring as to secondary school needs in this report.

In conclusion, your committee expresses its thanks to the townspeople and to the various boards and department heads for the cooperation given in connection with our work.

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## **NASHOBA VALLEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL REPORT OF DISTRICT COMMITTEE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1966**

Since town report time last year, the District Committee has made real progress toward fulfilling the towns' mandate to create a technical high school for the district.

The initial phase of such a project is a very difficult one. The requirements and rules of many departments, bureaus and agencies have to be met and satisfied, and many individuals, such as architects, consultants, state supervisors, administrators, etc. have to be blended into a compatible working team.

Some of the significant milestones reached in this time follow:

### **SELECTION OF THE SCHOOL'S BASIC DESIGN**

After much study of several proposed designs, the committee selected a design that leaned itself to future expansion, while, at the same time it provided a good, aesthetic plan.

### **APPROVAL OF PRELIMINARY PLANS**

A good number of preliminary plans were worked on before an all-party approval could be reached that met with the committee's and state's approval.

### **ACQUISITION OF SCHOOL SITE**

The site selected was made up of parcels of land belonging to different owners. Through legal processes of law and business procedure the land was acquired by purchasing and taking. The site, about 40 acres, fronts on Route 110 in Westford and is a good part of the triangle formed by Route 110, St. Marys Drive and South Chelmsford Road. The committee has erected a sign on the frontage identifying the site and its purpose.

### **SUPERINTENDENT-DIRECTOR APPOINTED**

An intensive recruiting program yielded 29 prospective candidates for the position of Superintendent-Director. A series of interviews last year from early April until late June reduced this group to 5 candidates and from this number, Thomas Lafionatis was selected and appointed to this position. Mr. Lafionatis came from industry into education and has over twenty years of experience in Vocational Education as an instructor and later as Director of the Malden Vocational High School.

### **TEMPORARY QUARTERS**

Temporary offices have been established at 21 Central Square, Chelmsford. The office has been furnished with office furniture acquired at the State Surplus Warehouse, and some office equipment to be used

later in the new school has been purchased at this time.

### SECRETARY TO SUPERINTENDENT - DIRECTOR AND COMMITTEE

Several candidates were interviewed for the position of secretary and Mrs. Emily W. McIntosh of Chelmsford was selected and hired. She comes to this position with experience in depth as a school and industrial secretary.

### SURPLUS MACHINERY

A program to acquire Surplus and Government Loan Equipment has been started. Four large surplus machines have been acquired already.

Because of circumstances beyond the control of the committee, delays have upset the time table. Barring any further unforeseen difficulties, the new timing calls for ground breaking in the Spring of 1967 and school opening in September of 1968.

Eugene J. Doody, Chelmsford  
 Nicholas J. Mazzoni, Chelmsford  
 Robert L. O'Brien, Chelmsford, Treasurer  
 Paul F. Vayo, Chelmsford  
 Roland M. Hamilton, Groton, Vice-Chairman  
 Robert S. Hargraves, Groton, Secretary  
 Harvey W. Atkins, Littleton  
 Kendall K. Bennett, Littleton, Chairman  
 Percy O. Daley, Jr., Westford  
 Richard W. Hall, Westford

### PUBLIC LIBRARIES

**Adams Library, Boston Road, Chelmsford Center**

**Anna C. MacKay Library, Newfield Street, North Chelmsford**

**MISS MARJORIE B. SCOBORIA**

**Chairman of Library Trustees**



### **TRUSTEES:**

Miss Ethel Booth, Eustace Fiske, Raymond Kroll, Dr. Howard Moore, Robert Noy and Miss Marjorie Scoboria, chairman.

### **Adams library staff:**

(Full time) Mrs. Lyle Creamer, Mrs. P. C. Greenwood, Mrs. Clifford Hardy, Mrs. William Pickles and Miss Linda Webb. (Part time) Mrs. Robert Amrein, Mrs. Donald Beaubien, Mrs. Robert Gray, Mrs. Winslow Merrill, Miss Esther Petterson, and Mrs. Robert Watson.

Bookkeeper, Mrs. Edward Fox; Pages, Barbara Blecharczyk and Susan Wilcox.

*MacKay library staff:*

Mrs. Kathleen Avery and Mrs. Joseph Donovan.

*1966 statistics:*

3,410 new books added at the Adams Library  
 1,135 new books added at the MacKay Library  
 2,254 new borrowers registered at the Adams Library  
 255 new borrowers registered at the MacKay Library  
 157,606 books were circulated at the Adams Library  
 21,684 books were circulated at the MacKay Library

We would like to acknowledge the following gifts: Memorial books in memory of Dr. R. Drapeau given by the League of Women Voters, in memory of Mr. Arnold Howard, given by the editor of the Berkshire Eagle, Mr. Donald Miller. Plants, floral arrangements and Christmas wreaths given by the Chelmsford Garden Club. Many individuals and the Open Gate Garden Club have donated books to be added to the library collections.

The state has completed its new sub-regional set-up for this area. Lowell library is headquarters for the Eastern Subregional Division. Inter-library loans will be negotiated there which should mean better service for our patrons.

A Xerox coin operated copying machine has been installed at the Adams Library for the convenience of the public.

Hopefully, recordings will be available at your libraries within a few months.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Edith M. Pickles, Librarian

## PUBLIC LIBRARIES — REPORT OF THE TREASURER

DECEMBER 31st. 1966

To the Board of Selectmen,  
 Town of Chelmsford

The following is a list of the Trust Funds of the Chelmsford Libraries showing the interest earned and the amount of funds as of December 31st, 1966.

	12-31-65	Interest	12-31-66
Amos F. Adams	\$13,303.80	\$615.05	\$13,918.85
Albert H. Davis	418.92	19.04	437.96
Mary Proctor	4,681.17	195.18	4,876.35
George Memorial	2,647.72	113.69	2,761.41
George Cemetery	1,272.51	54.63	1,327.14
Joseph E. Warren	698.31	29.98	728.29



Adams Emerson	88.24	3.78	92.02
Selina Richardson	235.44	10.09	245.53
Frances Clark	642.39	29.21	671.60
Gertrude Wright	1,074.44	43.38	1,117.82
Victor E. Edwards	1,267.08	57.65	1,324.73
Clements	9,396.58	427.56	9,824.14
N. B. Edwards	1,132.26	48.63	1,180.89
Ora Flint	2,089.31	89.72	2,179.03
Fredrick B. Edwards	11,933.85	512.55	12,446.40
Total Funds	\$50,882.02	\$2,250.14	\$53,132.16

Respectfully submitted,

Eustace B. Fiske, Treasurer

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO UPDATE THE CHELMSFORD TOWN HISTORY

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The committee reports that it has engaged the services of Mr. David LaPonsee, a doctoral candidate in history at Tufts University, to do research and prepare a manuscript of the history of Chelmsford from 1917 to 1960, which is to be ready for publication by December 31, 1967.

Mr. LaPonsee was given space in the Adams Library to work during the past summer months and reported that the Librarian and staff as well as other town officials were most cordial and helpful to him. The committee thanks the Library Trustees and the staff at Adams Library for their cooperation.

Mr. LaPonsee submitted periodic reports to the committee as his work progressed. At this time he has a chapter outline prepared and has written about sixty pages of manuscript. He will be able to devote almost full time to the completion of his task in the next few months and expects to present the committee a completed manuscript months in advance of the agreed date.

Respectfully submitted,

Roland E. Morin, Chairman

Jo Ann Minnick, Secretary

Julia P. Fogg

Frederick Burne

Charles E. Watt

# Public Works



## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Frederick R. Greenwood, Supt. of Streets

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following is a report of the Highway Department for the year 1966:

<i>Year</i>	<i>No. of Highway Employess</i>
1945	10
1950	16
1955	21
1960	22
1966	27

The above figures do not include waste collection employees. The following is a breakdown for waste collections:

<i>Year</i>	<i>No. of Regular Waste Collections Employees</i>	<i>Labor Expended</i>
1954	3	\$ 8,104.30
1957	5	19,955.78
1960	10	32,556.77
1966	13	61,712.31

Thirty one new streets or 6.09 miles of road were accepted in 1966.

Drainage and construction projects completed were as follows:

Dalton Road—14 feet 18" R.C. \*pipe, 1 catch basin installed.  
176 feet 12" R.C. pipe installed.

Graniteville Road—100 feet 24" asphalt coated pipe installed.

Kenwood Street—490 feet 12" R.C. pipe installed.

Warren Avenue—91 feet 12" R.C. pipe, 2 catch basins installed; 9 feet 10" asphalt coated pipe, 1 catch basin installed.

Swain Road—42 feet 12" R.C. pipe, 2 catch basins installed, one leaching bed installed.

Third Street—320 feet 12" R.C. pipe, 1 catch basin installed.

Mill Road—One catch basin installed.

Dunstable Road—35 feet 12" R.C. pipe, one catch basin installed.

Edgelawn Avenue—70 feet 12" R.C. pipe, one catch basin installed.

Boston Road—14 feet 12" asphalt coated pipe, one catch basin installed. 72 feet 12" R.C. pipe, one catch basin installed (at Adams Library)

Old Westford Road—150 feet 12" R.C. pipe, two catch basins installed.

Main Street—44 feet 12" R.C. pipe, 1 catch basin installed.

#### \*REINFORCED CONCRETE

Sidewalks were installed at Central Square, North Road and Vinal Square. Granite curbing was installed at Central Square and North Road replacing the existing deteriorated curbing.

This year the town received \$23,048.72 from the state which is known as Chapter 679 Funds, Acts of 1965. This money was spent to re-surface sections of Middlesex Street, North Road and Central Square, a total length of approximately 6800 feet.

The Chapter 90, maintenance project included hot topping approximately 2200' on Boston Road and installing 194 feet of bituminous concrete berm.

The Chapter 90, construction project consisted of the continuation of the reconstruction of Old Westford Road from Grandview Road to Davis Road, a distance of approximately 2300 feet. Ten hundred forty eight feet of 12" pipe, 32 feet 30" R.C. pipe, 730 feet 8" metal culvert pipe, 24 feet 15" R.C. pipe, 30 feet 18" R.C. pipe, 12 catch basins and 5 manholes were installed. The road was excavated, 12" of gravel placed with a surface treatment over the gravel foundation. A two course bituminous concrete surface was constructed with 1¼" of top placed over 1¾" base course. Bituminous concrete berms were installed on grades of 3% and over to control the water flow. Fine grading of the shoulders and slopes and seeding was completed.

New equipment purchased in 1966 included one power sweeper broom, one pickup truck, one truck chassis for waste collections, one rotary compressor, and one bulldozer blade for Austin Western Grader.

The usual oiling of streets, brush cutting, installing of street signs, painting of traffic lines, cleaning catch basins, sweeping streets, sanding, snow plowing and snow removal, drainage and general maintenance was performed throughout the year.

I wish to thank the townspeople for their kind consideration and cooperation and the Police Department for notifying the department of dangerous conditions on the roads during the winter months.

Respectfully submitted,

Frederick R. Greenwood

Supt. of Streets

# Planning and Development



## PLANNING BOARD

Bradford O. Emerson, Chairman

Robert A. McKittrick

Thomas E. Firth, Jr.

David P. Dutton

Thomas A. St. Germain

Thomas A. Ennis

Daniel F. Horgan

The Chelmsford Planning Board organized at its first meeting in March, 1966 with the following members: Bradford O. Emerson, Robert A. McKittrick, David P. Dutton, Thomas E. Firth, Jr., Thomas A. St. Germain, Thomas A. Ennis, Daniel F. Horgan. Mr. Emerson was elected Chairman; Mr. Firth, Clerk; Mr. St. Germain, Delegate to The Greater Lowell Area Planning Commission; and Mrs. William J. Maynard, Recording Clerk.

This year's Planning Board activities showed a sharp decline in the number of plans and building lots submitted for approval. There were a total of 7 sub-division plans containing 80 lots plus 18 lots on previously accepted town streets, as well as a number of plans showing drainage easements and changes of lot lines. This would seem to reflect a sharp decline in the residential growth and development, but this is not the case. Most builders who have been operating in Chelmsford for the past several years have had a backlog of approved building lots, many of which were used in 1966. Therefore, we were kept busy supervising the construction and development of these previously established developments. We foresee the continuance of this rapid development until such time as all available land is used.

The construction of apartment houses, as permitted in our 1963 zoning by-laws, has exceeded all expectations as to the rate of building. As a result of the board's concern for this phenomenal growth, a zoning change prohibiting the construction of more apartment houses in the General Residence District was presented to a special town meeting and unanimously adopted.

The Board of Appeals granted a variance for the construction of an apartment house on Richardson Road which is zoned for single residence use. The Planning Board felt so strongly that the Appeal Board had exceeded its authority in granting this variance, that court action was taken against the Appeal Board in an effort to determine the proper or improper authority of the Appeal Board. It seemed that the validity of

our entire zoning by-law hinged upon the outcome of this case. The court found against the Appeal Board primarily on the basis that a hardship did not exist on the land, contrary to the opinion of the Appeal Board.

The services of Philip Herr, Associates of Boston, Planning Consultant, were obtained on a part-time basis. Through his efforts street and zoning maps were updated and a number of minor ramifications of our present zoning by-laws were developed to be acted upon at the March, 1967 town meeting.

Yours truly,  
Bradford O. Emerson, Chairman

**BOARD OF APPEALS**

Richard L. Monahan, Chairman

Paul W. O'Neil  
Stanley J. Polak

Arthur D. Pratt  
Edward F. Murphy

**Alternate Members**

James O. Robinson

Anthony DiCiero (resigned)  
John Hickey

During the past year the Board of Appeals conducted public hearings on petitions for 57 variances and special permits.

Disposition of the 57 petitions was as follows:

variances and special permits granted .....	36
variances and special permits denied .....	13
petitions withdrawn .....	7
decision under advisement .....	1
Total 57	

The Board wishes to take this opportunity to thank all town officials and townspeople for their cooperation during the year.

BOARD OF APPEALS  
Charles A. House, Clerk

**THE HOME RULE ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Members:

- Timothy F. O'Connor—Chairman
- George J. Odell—Vice Chairman
- William R. Kiernan—Secretary
- Robert Eppes—Treasurer
- Dorothy R. Cooke—Recorder

The Advisory Committee on Home Rule this year saw the acceptance of this amendment to Article II of the Massachusetts General Laws by voters of Chelmsford and the Commonwealth. The committee has studied and reported on the amendment to the Board of Selectmen and voters prior to and since it has become law.

Regular monthly meetings have been scheduled for this coming year to study various effects of this amendment on the town by-laws, possible charter commission problems, and future state/local relations.

George J. O'Dell,  
Vice Chairman

## **INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION REPORT 1966**

**Members:** R. Carye, F. Dupee, A. Davidson, K. Koch, R. Greer,  
J. Keskula, and A. Walker.

During the last year the Commission has seen several changes; notable among these changes was the resignation of G. Lannan, Chairman, to become a member of the Board of Selectmen.

Industrial progress in the Town of Chelmsford continues to increase at a moderate rate. During the past year three industries, presently located in Chelmsford, increased their manufacturing facilities. This indicates a favorable industrial climate.

Alpha Industrial Park, located at Junction Routes 3 and 495 continues to grow. In addition two new plants have been constructed along Route 495, as well as doubling facilities to an established facility in same area. The industrial picture was further brightened with the possibility of a large complex being built in the North section of Town. This Commission, assisted by a group of interested citizens, assisted in obtaining a zoning variance to allow construction of this facility. The business climate in North would have been revitalized with the addition of this facility. Unfortunately, the necessary permission to use a right a way, necessary for access to certain portion of this land, was not granted by the abutter. The proposed facility has since located in another city.

This Commission continues to search out potential industries and works closely with present land owners in an effort to increase the industrial climate in Chelmsford.

## Cemeteries



### CEMETERY COMMISSION

Arne R. Olsen, Chairman

Frank H. Hardy

Arthur J. Colmer

The Cemetery Commissioners submit the following report for 1966:

The past year was a very busy one in the Cemetery Department with much attention being given to Pine Ridge Cemetery where a new automatic irrigation system was installed. This was a gift to the town from the will of Mrs. Valida Douglas. This will be the only cemetery in the area with such a system.

All the roads were graded and hot topped. A new garage addition was built which is a big asset to the department. Much grading and seeding, was carried out. Another long section of wrought iron fencing was also installed, completing all the area along Riverneck Road. This being another gift to the town from Mr. George Barris of North Chelmsford. A great amount of fill was hauled filling in a large depression at the front approach of the cemetery. This in turn was covered over with peat moss another donation to the town.

A new wooden picket fence was built around Hart Pond Cemetery in keeping with the design of the original fence. A general maintenance program was carried on in all other town cemeteries such as cutting, grading, and seeding.

The Chelmsford Garden Club initiated a program whereby they will beautify the entrances to the two cemeteries with shrubery, beginning in 1967.

During the coming year we hope to do much in beautifying Fairview and West Chelmsford Cemeteries.

During 1966 we had a total of ninety-two (92) interments as follows:

Pine Ridge	61	Riverside	7
West Chelmsford	11	Hart Pond	5
Fairview	7	ForeFathers	1

We sold a total of forty-two (42) lots during the year as follows:

Pine Ridge	37	West Chelmsford	2
Fairview	2	Hart Pond	1

The Cemetary Department transferred four thousand and no/100 (\$4,000.00) dollars to the town general fund. Total revenue from all sources for 1966 was twenty thousand seven hundred dollars and seven cents (\$20,700.07).

The Cemetery Commissioners and Superintendent wish to thank Mr. Fred Greenwood of the Highway Department, Mr. George Stewart of the Water Department and all other town officials who were helpful during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Arne R. Olsen, Chairman

Frank H. Hardy

Arthur J. Colmer

Cemetery Commissioners



# Natural Resources and Recreation

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## CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Edmund Polubinski, Chairman

Mrs. Benjamin Blechman  
Mrs. Margaret E. Mills  
Martin K. Bovey

Franklin J. Campbell  
Myles J. Hogan  
Edwin H. Warren

The Conservation Commission met regularly each month to transact the business on hand. It was also necessary to call several special meetings. Members attended regional and state level meetings which proved helpful to the commission.

The free services provided by the United States Department of Agriculture Soil Conservation Service were taken advantage of in the planning for the future beautification and development of the so-called "Snow Property" located in the west section of town. A check from the state for \$15,000 representing 50% of the cost of this land was received.

Due to the efforts of our commission, a tract of land (approx. 1.8 acres, plus land now under water and a small island) located on the southerly side of Russell Mill Pond, and bounded by D & B Development was deeded to the Town of Chelmsford by Mr. DiBiase, the developer. This provides a "Green Belt" to the townspeople and will be under the supervision of the Conservation Commission.

A tract of land that once contained an active lime quarry and two lime kilns which is of historic value to the town will be presented to the voters of Chelmsford at the March 1967 Town Meeting for their consideration. This parcel of land has already received state approval for the Self-Help Program with 50% reimbursement.

We express our gratitude and appreciation to the town officials and to the many citizens for their help, interest and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,  
EDMUND POLUBINSKI, Chairman

## RECREATION COMMISSION

James Gannon, Chairman  
William Dempster, Secretary

Harry Ayotte  
Richard Moschen  
Haworth Neild

W. Parker George  
Paul Murphy  
Harold Thomas

The Honorable Board of Selectmen

The Recreation Commission in 1966 supported athletic programs

which served more than seven hundred fifty boys and girls between the ages of eight and fifteen. Our playground and swimming programs provided wholesome summertime activities for over twelve hundred youngsters for each of the eight weeks in our Summer Program. In addition, more than three hundred participated in softball, football, basketball and golf activities organized by commission members.

We extend our thanks to all citizens who participated in the direction of all programs; for the success of recreation in the town is entirely dependent upon their dedication.

We on the commission believe that these programs, when coupled with those established and sustained by the many active groups of interested citizens, provide reasonable opportunities for all who desire to take part.

The commission recognizes, however, that reasonable opportunities for all to participate in our programs are rapidly diminishing. The chief reason for this condition is the tremendous increase in the pre-school and school-age population. Another reason involves the difficulties encountered by the commission in planning and providing additional recreational facilities while firmly establishing our program.

Therefore, in 1966 the commission began the task of surveying and estimating potentials of existing facilities, review of available data on present and future needs, preparing an inventory of town-owned land, extending the commission's lines of communications with other organizations and preparation of possible solutions and priorities.

Upon completion of the survey, in 1967, we shall offer our recommendations for implementation.

Respectfully submitted,

James F. Gannon, Chairman

William Dempster, Secretary

## **TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE**

To the Board of Selectmen:

Although the high school boys, who for three years have worked with us so well in the forests, were less available during the past year, we did get a number of things done. Most important was the further thinning of young pines that in some parts of the forest are coming up in such solid stands that they make the area unusable for anything, since we are not interested in producing timber. The revenue that could be had from any timber we might ever grow would be so insignificant in relation to the total income of the town, that our forests should be used solely for recreation. In several parts of the Thanksgiving Ground Forest, severe thinning of pines has or will make the forest not only far more attractive but also far less vulnerable to a bad fire.

There were several small fires in the Thanksgiving Ground Forest this year, all of which, the Fire Department believes, were the work of a single fire bug. Everyone else who used the forests was most careful with fire.

Again the usage by both Scouts and others, increased, and again there was almost no litter left remaining. Hence, it is obvious that all but a very small percentage of the users treat the forests with the respect they deserve.

We are indeed fortunate to have these lovely hundred and fifty acres. With every passing year they will bring greater pleasure to an even larger number of townspeople.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Martin Bovey, Chairman  
 Robert Clough  
 Bruce Gullion



## PARK COMMISSIONERS

David P. Ramsay, Chairman

Ralph E. House

Arthur L. Bennett

To the Board of Selectmen

Prior to the organizing of the Park Department for 1966, Harold E. Eriksen, for many years the superintendent of the Chelmsford parks became seriously ill and was unable to be re-appointed to the position. A replacement was sought by the commission and after much discussion it was voted to try operating on a part time basis. Donald Gray agreed to the part time arrangement and was authorized to engage and supervise other part time workers as required.

Until 1966, the American flag was raised in the Chelmsford parks only on holidays and special occasions. Through the cooperation of the Fire and Police Departments, the flags were raised daily in Chelmsford Center and North Chelmsford. A. W. Vinal Post 313 American Legion volunteered to place the smaller flags around the park in North Chelmsford on special occasions.

Many organizations used the parks during the year for such affairs as egg hunts, art exhibits, church bazaars, and the Christmas nativity. The Fire Department promoted the Christmas spirit again by decorating the large spruce in the Center.

A small tractor with accessories for cutting grass, raking, etc. was one of the more expensive pieces of equipment purchased during the year. This is a valuable addition to the department and will give many years of service.

Plans for 1967 are being made with the prime concern being the return of a full time superintendent. Other projects include major repairs to the flag pole in the Center and the addition of several new parks in various sections of Chelmsford due to come under the department's jurisdiction. The Recreation Commission, which does not have the necessary equipment, has solicited aid in cutting grass in one of their baseball fields.

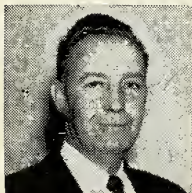
A word of gratitude to the departments, committees, fraternal and veteran organizations for their cooperation in 1966 — to Harold Eriksen, our sincere thanks for many years of service.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID P. RAMSAY

RALPH E. HOUSE

ARTHUR L. BENNETT



## TREE DEPARTMENT

MYLES J. HOGAN

Tree Warden

In addition to the normal duties of tree removal, storm damage and root grinding, this department this year endeavored to rectify some of the results of drought damage to our shade trees over the past several years.

Many trees beyond practical repair had to be removed and replaced or will be in the near future. Trees worth the cost of repair were pruned, topped and fertilized in an effort to salvage as many adult trees as possible.

The town trees were trimmed by our local power companies to insure good service to the town. This work was supervised by the tree warden and all cost borne by the power companies.

Contractors have again complied with the tree planting laws. This has added to the town's beautification with no added expense to the tax payer.

My extended thanks to all department heads and others who have cooperated with this department.

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### DUTCH ELM DEPARTMENT

The situation remains the same with our elms. Over two hundred trees have been removed this year to protect the public and to slow down this disease.

With all the research that has been made, nothing of any real importance has been successful as to date. The approved methods of detection, removal and burning are being carried out as prescribed.

### POISON IVY

The control of poison ivy remains a problem to many people in town. This year the town was sprayed with good results. All requests that could be complied with through this department were completed.

### MOTH CONTROL

Insecticide control was applied in one complete foliage spray, which consisted of flowable sevin, a low toxic material accepted by most authorities as an improvement over DDT.

In addition to this application a liquid fertilizer was combined with the above material.

Respectfully submitted,

MYLES J. HOGAN

Moth Supt.

# Town Clerk's Records



## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Charlotte P. DeWolf

### LICENSES, ETC.

Year	Sporting Licenses	Dog Licenses	Kennels	Marriage Intentions	Mortgages ,etc. Recorded
1966	1185	2089	14	206	804
	Births to Residents	Marriages		Deaths to Residents	
	514 (incomplete)	241		190	

### JURY LIST

1. Adie, Richard D. .... 3 Rainbow Ave. ....Typographer
2. Arcese, Louis ..... 36 Parker Road .....Foreman
3. Arpin, Helen M. .... 70 Crooked Spring Road .....Pinsetter
4. Asche, Pearle D. .... 22 Wright Street .....Housewife
5. Avila, Elsie K. .... 21 Jordan Road .....Chambermaid
6. Balfrey, Thomas F. .... 3 Arbor Road .....Postal Employee
7. Baron, Edward ..... 309 Pine Hill Road .....Mason
8. Barris, Robert W., Jr. .... 30 Carlisle Street .....Engineer
9. Barry, Joseph ..... 26 Raymond Street .....Engineer
10. Bates, Diane L. .... 111 Chelmsford Street .....Housewife
11. Berwick, Mildred ..... 39 Montview Road .....Marker
12. Blackadar, Frances S. .... 3 Murray Hill Rd. ....Housewife
13. Bley, Evelyn S. .... 22 Amble Road .....Teacher
14. Breault, Noel ..... 244 Riverneck Rd. ....Production Supt.
15. Brown, Henry A. .... 15 Whippletree Road .....Physicist
16. Callery, James ..... 4 Skyview Drive .....Utility Testman
17. Celeste, Paul ..... 9 Porter Road .....Engineer
18. Christensen, Francis J. .... 17 Orchard Lane .....Manufacturer
19. Clayton, William T. .... 39 Woodlawn Ave. ....Service Manager
20. Confort, Mitchell J. .... 22 Woodlawn Ave. ....Auto Dealer
21. Costello, Robert E. .... 20 Harold Street .....Designer
22. Craven, Gerald T. .... 12 Putnam Ave. ....Inspector
23. Cryts, John L. .... 19 Pearson St. ....Engineering Aide

24. Dane, Athalee .....	10	Harvey Rd. ....	Housewife
25. Davis, Richard A. ....	99	Wightman St. ....	Computer Operator
26. Denton, Martin E. ....	25	Clarissa Rd. ....	Flight Inspector
27. Devine, Joseph J. ....	20	Brick Kiln Rd. ....	Prison Storekeeper
28. Devine, Michael J. ....		Buckman Drive .....	Millwright
29. Duffy, William R. ....	89	Locke Rd. ....	Research
30. Edge, Willam W. ....	166	Dunstable Rd. ....	Plant Supt.
31. Ellis, Robert W. ....	10	Maple Ave. ....	Accountant
32. Fagan, George A. ....	15	Ruthellen Rd. ....	Engineer
33. Finley, Jack E. ....	63	Park Rd. ....	Engineer
34. Flanagan, James .....	8	Stedman St. ....	Storeroom Helper
35. Flint, Brendan J. ....	5	Biscayne Drive .....	Technician
36. Fox, Carl .....	7	Sleeper St. ....	Stone Worker
37. Francis, Leonard .....	54	Stedman St. ....	Engineer
38. Frawley, Paul T. ....	9	Clarissa Rd. ....	Group Leader
39. Gallagher, Charles K. ....	13	Rainbow Ave. ....	Ambulance Driver
40. Griffin, William E. ....	20	Queen St. ....	Claims Representative
41. Hackbush, James L. ....	14	Pendleton Rd. ....	Employment Mgr.
42. Haffner, Donald V. ....	16	Drexel Drive .....	Engineer
43. Hall, Howard J. ....	20	Biscayne Drive .....	Mgr.-Pub. Rel.
44. Handy, Arthur A. ....	50	Kensington Dr. ....	Personnel Mgr.
45. Hart, Russell S. ....	8	Abbott Lane .....	Dept. Store Mgr.
46. Heslin, Richard T. ....	306	Old Westford Rd. ....	Group Control Leader
47. Hollis, George W., Jr. ....	47	Parker Rd. ....	Purchasing Agent
48. Houle, Wilfred J. ....	3	Queen St. ....	Engineer
49. Ingham, Charles I. ....	271	Graniteville Rd. ....	Airplane Repairman
50. Irvin, Donald J. ....	32	Sylvan Ave. ....	District Foreman
51. Jahn, Paul F. ....	21	Spaulding Rd. ....	Scientist...
52. Jennings, Galen F. ....	11	Whippetree Rd. ....	System Engineer
53. Jones, Homer W., Jr. ....	8	Whippetree Rd. ....	Salesman
54. Kelly, Louis M., Jr. ....	23	Berkeley Dr. ....	Bakery Owner
55. Kipps, Charles B. ....	79	Old Stage Rd. ....	Retired
56. Knox, William A. ....	5	Spruce St. ....	Purchaser
57. Korbey, Mitchell Jr. ....	30	Charlemont Court .....	Cost Analyst
58. Leahy, Daniel P. ....	6	Albina St. ....	Reg. Sales Mgr.
59. Leone, Dominic M. ....	30	Montview Rd. ....	Assist Airways Chief
60. Lewis, Gary L. ....	22	Pearson Street .....	Task Manager
61. Lightfoot, Harry C. ....	6	Berkshire Rd. ....	Linotype Operator
62. Lynch, Philip J. ....	13	Galloway Rd. ....	Company Executive

63.	Mack, William A. ....	8	Westford Street	.....	Funeral Director
64.	Marshall, Edward S. ....	16	Colonial Dr. ....	Printing Executive	
65.	Mazur, Edward J. ....	38	Manning Rd. ....	Supervisor	
66.	McAllister, Lawrence P. ....	17	Trotting Rd. ....	Research	
67.	Mills, Enslie N. ....	12	Westford St. ....	General Contractor	
68.	Murphy, Theodore P. ....	15	Elm Street	.....	Project Engineer
69.	Murphy, William R. ....	6	Samuel Rd. ....	Programmer	
70.	Newman, Sheldon M. ....	18	Muriel Rd. ....	Engineer	
71.	Noonan, Paul V. ....	30	Walnut Road	.....	Project Planner
72.	Norton, Edward W. ....	115	Robin Hill Rd. ....	Security Guard	
73.	Norton, Richard P. ....	25	Pine Hill Rd. ....	Instrument Tech.	
74.	Ortler, Raymond	4	Porter Road	.....	Engineer
75.	Peterson, Robert G. ....	206	Dunstable Road	.....	Supervisor
76.	Rogan, Thomas P. ....	4	South Row St. ....	Disabled	
77.	Smith, Everett		Swan Rd. ....	Telephone Testman	
78.	Spurway, Jesse E. ....	15	Samuel Rd. ....	Engineer	
79.	Tamilio, Anthony J. ....	290	Old Westford Rd. ....	Engineer	
80.	Taylor, Richard L. ....	6	Spruce St. ....	Physicist	
81.	Trainor, Thomas J. ....	6	Orchard Lane	.....	Sales Engineer
82.	Vinecombe, Bradford O. ....	16	Robin Hill Road	.....	Inspector
83.	Weinberg, Jordan	248	Old Westford Rd. ....	Retail Manager	
84.	Welch, Ursula	3	Jensen Ave. ....	Housewife	

### JURORS DRAWN 1966

No.		No.	
18.	January 3, 1966	48.	May 9, 1966
53.	January 3, 1966	8.	August 8, 1966
73.	January 3, 1966	6.	August 8, 1966
12.	January 10, 1966	71.	August 8, 1966
40.	January 10, 1966	57.	August 8, 1966
1.	January 10, 1966	21.	August 8, 1966
69.	January 10, 1966	77.	August 22, 1966
39.	January 24, 1966	62.	August 22, 1966
47.	January 24, 1966	45.	August 22, 1966
65.	January 24, 1966	29.	August 22, 1966
30.	February 28, 1966	50.	September 26, 1966
46.	February 28, 1966	28.	September 26, 1966
79.	February 28, 1966	56.	November 2, 1966
49.	February 28, 1966	41.	November 2, 1966
52.	February 28, 1966	3.	November 28, 1966



27.	February 28, 1966	74.	November 28, 1966
25.	March 8, 1966	20.	November 28, 1966
54.	March 8, 1966	55.	December 5, 1966
76.	March 28, 1966	59.	December 19, 1966
38.	March 28, 1966	36.	December 19, 1966
72.	March 28, 1966	64.	December 28, 1966
68.	April 25, 1966	43.	December 28, 1966
44.	May 2, 1966	10.	Left Town
26.	May 2, 1966	19.	Out of State
14.	May 2, 1966	33.	

**WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING  
MARCH 7, 1966 AND MARCH 14, 1966  
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the Constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of said Chelmsford to meet in their several polling places, viz:

- Precinct 1. McFarlin School - All Purpose Room.
- Precinct 2. Cafeteria - North School.
- Precinct 3. Band Room - Jr. High.
- Precinct 4. East Chelmsford School.
- Precinct 5. Liberty Hall - So. Chelmsford
- Precinct 6. Auditorium - Westlands School
- Precinct 7. Auditorium - North School.
- Precinct 8. Small Gymnasium - High School
- Precinct 9. Cafeteria - So. Row School
- Precinct 10. Play Room - So. Row School
- Precinct 11. Library - Westlands School.

On Monday, the seventh day of March 1966, being the first Monday in said month, at 10 o'clock A.M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the following officers:

- One Moderator for three years.
- One Town Clerk for three years.
- One Selectman for three years.
- One Member of the Board of Public Welfare for three years.
- One Treasurer-Collector for three years.

- One Member of the Board of Assessors for three years.
- One Tree Warden for three years.
- One Member of the Board of Health for three years.
- One Member of the School Committee for three years.
- One Member of the School Committee for two years.
- One Park Commissioner for three years.
- One Cemetery Commissioner for three years.
- Two Public Library Trustees for three years.
- One Sinking Fund Commissioner for three years.
- One Sinking Fund Commissioner for two years.
- Two Members of the Planning Board for five years.

The polls will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., and to meet in the Chelmsford High Gymnasium on the following Monday, the fourteenth day of March 1966 at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following articles, viz:

## TOWN ELECTION, MARCH 7, 1966

## ELECTION RESULTS

CANDIDATE	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Pc. 6	Pc. 7	Pc. 8	Pc. 9	Pc. 10	Pc. 11	Total
<b>MODERATOR 3 YEARS</b>												
Daniel J. Coughlin 21 Subway Avenue	454	392	387	219	261	465	333	584	279	322	431	4127
Leslie L. Dukeshire 15 Edgewood Street	90	97	66	78	47	89	99	85	52	69	95	867
Blanks	15	18	15	11	11	10	23	24	17	22	22	188
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182
<b>TOWN CLERK 3 YEARS</b>												
Charlotte P. DeWolf 12 Park Place	517	449	436	273	297	505	395	630	311	375	492	4680
Blanks	42	58	32	35	22	59	60	63	37	38	56	502
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182
<b>SELECTMAN 3 YEARS</b>												
Myles J. Hogan 168 Billerica Road	121	71	79	89	67	110	60	90	48	78	137	950
Gerald J. Lannan 8 Colonial Drive	196	218	212	148	108	256	146	343	193	206	208	2234
David P. Ramsay 3 Bel Air Drive	235	210	168	68	135	191	237	233	92	125	196	1890
Blanks	7	8	9	3	9	7	12	27	15	4	7	108
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182

## BOARD OF WELFARE 3 YEARS

Myles J. Hogan 163 Billerica Road	123	79	97	96	73	131	65	109	54	33	143	1053
Gerald J. Lannan 8 Colonial Drive	195	216	191	132	99	240	142	298	186	185	197	2081
David P. Ramsay 3 Bel Air Drive	229	206	170	70	137	180	233	249	94	133	191	1892
Blanks	12	6	10	10	10	13	15	37	14	12	17	156
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	543	5182

## TREASURER &amp; COLLECTOR

3 YEARS												
Charlotte P. DeWolf 12 Park Place	513	440	429	268	297	501	393	625	311	372	485	4634
Blanks	46	67	39	40	22	63	62	68	37	41	63	548
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182

## ASSESSORS 3 YEARS

Charles A. House 20 Proctor Road	514	437	440	274	301	515	409	628	303	367	485	4673
Blanks	45	70	28	34	18	49	46	65	45	46	63	509
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182



TREE WARDEN 3 YEARS												
Myles J. Hogan	486	451	429	278	272	503	381	597	310	355	477	4539
Blanks	73	56	39	30	47	61	74	96	38	58	71	643
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182
PARK COMMISSIONER 3 YEARS												
Arthur L. Bennett	501	436	432	266	284	514	399	614	312	363	481	4602
152 Dalton Road												
Blanks	58	71	36	42	35	50	56	79	36	50	67	580
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182
CEMETERY COMMISSIONER 3 YEARS												
Arthur J. Colmer	492	428	431	258	282	502	396	605	314	358	478	4545
28 Stedman Street												
Blanks	67	79	37	50	37	62	59	87	34	55	70	637
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182
SINKING FUND COMMISSIONER												
3 YEARS												
Eustace B. Fiske	347	262	284	174	185	355	267	419	162	201	325	2981
1 Billerica Road												
Dennis J. Ready	196	207	171	114	121	176	152	233	176	194	194	1934
9 Turnpike Road												
Blanks	16	38	13	20	13	33	36	41	10	18	29	267
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182

## SINKING FUND COMMISSIONER

## 2 YEARS

George A. Watson	490	416	419	260	274	503	383	602	303	350	467	4467
20 Woodlawn Avenue												
Blanks	69	91	49	48	45	61	72	91	45	63	81	715
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182

## LIBRARY TRUSTEE 3 YEARS

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Raymond S. Kroll	461	377	404	238	274	451	347	555	291	338	418	4154
43 Proctor Road												
Howard K. Moore	436	366	392	226	232	464	331	578	288	328	418	4059
25 Amble Road												
Blanks	221	271	140	152	132	213	232	253	117	160	260	2151
Total	1118	1014	936	618	638	1128	910	1386	696	826	1096	10364

## PLANNING BOARD MEMBER 5 YEARS

Thomas A. Ennis	373	369	289	192	239	336	341	413	206	229	306	3293
37 Main Street												
Joan K. Eppes	262	198	271	108	119	257	179	425	195	231	233	2478
16 Sycamore Street												
Daniel F. Horgan	284	236	237	171	154	346	200	323	196	208	337	2692
235 Billerica Road												
Blanks	199	211	139	145	126	189	190	225	99	158	220	1901
Total	1118	1014	936	616	638	1128	910	1386	696	826	1096	10364
QUESTION -- Yes	186	258	287	188	120	265	212	316	204	170	242	2448
QUESTION -- No	330	210	164	100	180	274	207	340	131	230	271	2437
Blanks	43	39	17	20	19	25	36	37	13	13	35	297
Total	559	507	468	308	319	564	455	693	348	413	548	5182

**ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING**

and

**SPECIAL TOWN MEETING****March 14, 1966**

Meeting called to order by Moderator Daniel J. Coughlin, Jr., at 7:30 p.m. Mr. William Harvey moved the reading of the Constable's return of the Warrant be waived. The Moderator recognized the presence of a quorum.

ARTICLE 1. To hear reports of Town Officers and Committees; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 1. Chairman Malcolm Weeks of the Police Station Building Committee reported the new police station to be 95% complete. He outlined the various details of the building.

Mr. William Harvey moved the Town Report be accepted. It was moved by Henry J. Tucker, Jr. that Donald J. Gagnon, 7 Miner Avenue, be elected Playground Commissioner. Mr. Harvey moved the nominations be closed. Mr. Gagnon was elected Varney Playground Commissioner for the ensuing three years.

At 8:00 the Annual Town Meeting recessed in order that Moderator call to order a Special Town Meeting.

**WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING****March 14, 1966****COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

MIDDLESEX,SS.

To Ralph J. Hulslander, Constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of the Town of Chelmsford to meet in the High School Gymnasium at Chelmsford, on the 14th day of March, 1966 at 8:00 p.m. then and thereto act upon the following articles, viz:

Mr. William Harvey moved that the reading of the return of the Special Warrant be waived. It was so voted. The Moderator recognized the presence of a quorum.

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to accept Winslow Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Winslow Road; or act in relation thereto.



UNDER ARTICLE 1. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that Winslow Road as laid out by the Board of Selectman and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk be accepted and Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars be raised and appropriated for the purpose of reconstructing Winslow Road. It was so voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to approve the \$2,700,000.00 indebtedness authorized by the Nashoba Valley Technical High School District Committee on February 15, 1966, for the purpose of acquiring land for and constructing, originally equipping and furnishing the Nashoba Valley Technical High School.

UNDER ARTICLE 2. Mr. Franklin Hunt moved that the Town vote to approve the \$2,700,000.00 indebtedness authorized by the Nashoba Valley Technical High School District Committee on February 15, 1966, for the purpose of acquiring land for and constructing, originally equipping and furnishing the Nashoba Valley Technical High School. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money to the Conservation Fund to be used for conservation purposes in accordance with Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 132 A, Section 11, and Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8C as amended, said sum to be used to purchase the land bounded and described as follows: three (3) lots of land containing forty-eight (48) acres, more or less, located on the northerly side of Littleton Road in Chelmsford and being land now or formerly owned by Frederick Russell.

UNDER ARTICLE 3. Mr. Edmund Polubinski moved that the Town raise and appropriate Twenty-eight Thousand (\$28,000.00) Dollars to acquire 24.87 acres of land off Littleton Road, containing old lime quarries. This motion failed.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money to the Conservation Fund to be used for conservation purposes in accordance with Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 132 A, Section 11, and Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 40, Section 8C, as amended, the sum to be used to purchase the land bounded and described as follows: seven (7) lots of land now or formerly of D & B Construction, Inc. and located on the southeasterly side of Cambridge Street in Chelmsford being more particularly described as lots, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, and 60 on a plan of land entitled "Subdivision Plan of Land in Chelmsford, Mass., Scale 80 feet to an inch, September 13, 1965. D & B Construction Co., Inc., Carter & Towers Engineering Corp., Swampscott, Mass., said lots containing 358,900 Square feet more or less.

UNDER ARTICLE 4. Mr. Polubinski moved that this Article regarding land on the Southeasterly side of Cambridge Street to be used for Conservation purposes be dismissed. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following by-law:

1. Every outdoor residential swimming pool shall be completely surrounded at all times, whether or not the same be filled with water, by a fence or wall not less than (4) feet in height.

“Every such fence or wall shall be so constructed as not to have openings, holes or gaps larger than four (4) inches in any dimension except for doors or gates, and except for picket fences, in such cases, however the gaps between pickets shall not exceed four (4) inches.

2. All gates or doors opening through such enclosures shall be of not less than the same height as the fence or wall and shall be equipped with a self-closing and self-latching device located at least four (4) feet above the under-lying ground and inaccessible from the outside to small children. Every such gate or door shall be kept locked at all times when the swimming pool enclosure is not in use.

3. For the purposes of this by-law a swimming pool is defined as follows:

Swimming Pool: Any constructed pool, located above or below the ground whether portable or fixed, used or capable of being used for swimming, wading or bathing purposes and having a depth of at least two (2) feet and having a capacity of at least two hundred (200) cubic feet in volume. Also any bath houses, equipment and appurtenances used in connection with the pool.

4. This by-law shall be enforced by the Building Inspector who shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen.

5. *Penalty:* Any person violating any of the provisions of this by-law shall be fined not more than twenty and no/100 (\$20.00) dollars for the first offense. Each day that such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 5. Mr. David Dutton moved that the Town vote to adopt the following by-law as amended:

1. Every outdoor swimming pool shall be completely surrounded at all times, whether or not the same shall be filled with water, by a fence or wall not less than (4) feet in height.

Every such fence or wall shall be so constructed as not to have openings holes or gaps larger than four (4) inches in any dimension except for doors, gates, and except for picket fences, in such case, however, the gaps between pickets shall not exceed four (4) inches.

2. All gates or doors opening through such enclosure shall be of not less than the same height as the fence or wall and shall be equipped with a self-closing and self-latching device located at least four (4) feet above the under-lying ground and inaccessible from the outside to small children. Every such gate or door shall be kept locked at all times when the swimming pool enclosure is not in use.

3. For the purposes of this by-law a swimming pool is defined as follows:

SWIMMING POOL: Any constructed pool, located above or below the ground whether portable or fixed, used or capable of being used for swimming, wading or bathing purposes and having a depth of at least two (2) feet and having a capacity of at least two hundred (200) cubic feet in volume.

4. This by-law shall be enforced by the Building Inspector who shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen.

5. Penalty: Any person violating any of the provisions of this by-law shall be fined not more than twenty and no/100 (\$20.00) dollars for the first offense Each day that such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense.

On amendment regarding a six (6) foot chain link fence around a swimming pool a hand vote was taken:

Yes 205  
No 332

The motion was defeated.

Tellers appointed were:

Claude A. Harvey  
Alfred Coburn  
Richard Monahan

Malcolm Weeks  
Arthur Pratt  
Edward Judge

It was so voted.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 58 of Chapter 32 of the Massachusetts General Laws as amended which reads as follows:

Retirement after thirty years' service. A veteran who has been in the service of the commonwealth, or any county, city, town or district, for a total period of thirty years in the aggregate, shall, at his own request, with the approval of the retiring authority, be retired from active service at sixty-five percent of the highest annual rate of compensation, including any bonuses paid in lieu of additional salary or as a temporary wage increase in addition to his regular compensation and including any maintenance allowance, payable to him while he was holding the grade held by him at his retirement, and payable from the same source.

UNDER ARTICLE 6. Regarding the acceptance of the provisions of Chapter 32, Section 38, Veteran's Retirement after 30 years service, this Article was dismissed.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds to the Town of Chelmsford Cemetery Commission for the purpose of hot-topping roads in the Pine Ridge Cemetery; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 7. Mr. Archie Jordan moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate Fourteen Hundred (\$1,400.00) Dollars for the

purpose of hot-topping roads in Pine Ridge Cemetery. It was so voted unanimously.

The Special Town Meeting adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

AND YOU ARE DIRECTED to serve this Warrant by posting at-tested copies thereof at the McFarlin School - All purpose room, Cafeteria - North School, Band Room - Jr. High, East Chelmsford School, Liberty Hall - So. Chelmsford, Auditorium - Westlands School, Auditorium - North School, Small Cymnasium - High School Cafeteria - So. Row School, Play Room - So. Row School. Library - Westlands School seven days at least, before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

HEREOF FAIL NOT and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding of this meeting aforesaid.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS this 28th day of February, 1966.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Charles Egerton

Howard E. Humphrey

William L. Harvey

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, SS.

March 4, 1966

Pursuant to the Within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, wit: McFarlin School - All Purpose Room, Cafeteria, North School, Band Room - Jr. High, East Chelmsford School, Liberty Hall - So. Chelmsford, Auditorium-Westlands School, Auditorium - North School, Small Gymnasium - High School, Cafeteria -So. Row School, Play Room - So. Row School, Library, Westlands School, seven days, at least, before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

Ralph J. Hulslander

Constable of Chelmsford

A true copy, Attest:

Ralph J. Hulslander

Constable of Chelmsford

The Annual Town Meeting reconvened at 9:05 p.m. and proceeded with the business of the Annual Warrant.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 24, subtitled "Job Titles and Standard Rates for Wages and Salaries of the Personnel, Wage and Salary By-Law" to read as follows:

## A. ADMINISTRATIVE AND CLERICAL

Recommended 1966

1. Agent, veteran's .....	\$ 1,605.00
2. Clerks, Senior .....	\$ 4,140.00
3. Clerks .....	\$ 3,623.00
4. Clerks, Junior .....	\$ 3,105.00
5. Town Accountant .....	\$ 7,038.00
*6. Town Counsel .....	\$ 500.00
*7. Selectmen's Clerk .....	\$ 1,550.00
*8. Personnel Board's Recording Clerk .....	\$ 1.92 hr.
*9. Board of Registrar's Clerk .....	\$ 250.00
*10. Clerk (Part time) .....	\$ 1.92 hr.
*11. Planning Board Clerk .....	\$ 1.92 hr.
*12. Board of Registrars (3 members) .....	\$ 275.00 ea.

## B. CONSERVATION AND CEMETERY

1. Cemetery Superintendent .....	\$ 7,142.00
1a. Cemetery Attendant .....	\$ 2.43 hr.
*2. Moth Superintendent .....	\$ 450.00
*3. Laborer, Park .....	\$ 2.25 hr.
*4. Laborer, Skilled Tree Climber .....	\$ 2.58 hr.
*5. Unskilled Laborer .....	\$ 1.39 hr.

## C. CUSTODIAL

1. Custodian (Center Hall) .....	\$ 2.10 hr.
*2. Custodian (North Hall) .....	\$ 2.10 hr.
3. Custodian (Library) .....	\$ 2.10 hr.
*4. Custodian (Police Department) .....	\$ 2.10 hr.
*5. Custodian (Fire Department) .....	\$ 160.00

## D. LIBRARY

1. Librarian (in charge of Libraries) .....	\$ 6,000.00
2. Branch Librarian .....	\$ 2,624.00
3. Assistant Librarian .....	\$ 2.07 hr.
*4. Junior Assistant Librarians (Part-time) .....	\$ 1.81 hr.
*5. Clerk .....	\$ 1.92 hr.
*6. Page .....	\$ 1.19 hr.

## E. MECHANICAL AND CONSTRUCTION

1. Highway Superintendent .....	\$ 9,005.00
2. Heavy Vehicle Operator .....	\$ 2.53 hr.
3. Special Equipment Operator - Catagory I .....	\$ 2.64 hr.
4. Special Equipment Operator - Catagory II .....	\$ 2.80 hr.
5. Engineering Equipment Operator .....	\$ 3.03 hr.
6. Laborer .....	\$ 2.25 hr.
7. Laborer (Ashes and waste) .....	\$ 2.43 hr.
8. Automotive Mechanic .....	\$ 2.75 hr.
9. Mobile Equipment Operation Foreman .....	\$ 2.75 hr.
10. Automotive Mechanic Foreman .....	\$ 3.10 hr.

## F. PUBLIC SAFETY AND INSPECTION - FIRE

1. Chief .....	\$ 9,005.00
1a. Deputy Chief .....	\$ 8,280.00
2. Captain, Permanent .....	\$ 7,650.00
3. Firefighter, Regular (1 year) .....	\$ 6,210.00
(2 years) .....	\$ 6,365.00
(3 years) .....	\$ 6,520.00
*4. Firefighter, Call .....	\$ 60.00 - \$ 2.10 hr.

## G. PUBLIC SAFETY AND INSPECTION - POLICE

1. Chief .....	\$ 9,005.00
2. Captain .....	\$ 8,280.00
3. Sergeant .....	\$ 7,650.00
4. Patrolman (1 year) .....	\$ 6,210.00
(2 years) .....	\$ 6,365.00
(3 years) .....	\$ 6,520.00
*5. Matron .....	\$ 2.07 hr.
*6. Special Police .....	\$ 2.44 hr.
*7. School Traffic Supervisor .....	\$ 2.44 hr.

## H. MISCELLANEOUS

*1. Animal Inspector .....	\$ 750.00
*2. Building Inspector .....	\$ 1,500.00
	visit 3.50
*3. Gas Inspector .....	visit 3.50
*4. Electric Inspector .....	visit 3.50
*5. Sealer of Weights and Measures .....	\$ 400.00
*6. Dog Officer .....	\$ 500.00
*7. Beach Attendant .....	\$ 80.00 wk.
*8. Life Guard .....	\$ 1.35 hr.
*9. Clock Winder .....	\$ 100.00

\*—Part-time

## UNDER ARTICLE 2:

Mr. John Kenney moved the Town vote to amend Section 24 sub-titled "Job Titles and Standard Rates for Wages and Salaries of the Personnel Wage and Salary By-Law" as follows:

## A. ADMINISTRATIVE AND CLERICAL

Recommended 1966

1. Agent, Veteran's .....	\$ 1,605.00
2. Clerks, Senior .....	\$ 4,140.00
3. Clerks .....	\$ 3,623.00
4. Clerks, Junior .....	\$ 3,105.00
5. Town Accountant .....	\$ 7,038.00
*6. Town Counsel .....	\$ 500.00
*7. Selectmen's Clerk .....	\$ 1,550.00

*8. Personnel Board's Recording Clerk .....	\$	1.92 hr.
*9. Board of Registrar's Clerk .....	\$	250.00
*10. Clerk (Part-time) .....	\$	1.92 hr.
*11. Planning Board Clerk .....	\$	1.92 hr.
*12. Board of Registrars (3 members) .....	\$	275.00 ea.

#### B. CONSERVATION AND CEMETERY

1. Cemetery Superintendent .....	\$	7,142.00
1a Cemetery Attendant .....	\$	2.43 hr.
*2. Moth Superintendent .....	\$	450.00
*3. Laborer, Park .....	\$	2.25 hr.
*4. Laborer, Skilled Tree Climber .....	\$	2.58 hr.
*5. Unskilled Laborer .....	\$	1.39 hr.

#### C. CUSTODIAL

1. Custodian (Center Hall) .....	\$	2.10 hr.
*2. Custodian (North Hall) .....	\$	2.10 hr.
3. Custodian (Library) .....	\$	2.10 hr.
*4. Custodian (Police Department) .....	\$	2.10 hr.
*5. Custodian (Fire Department) .....	\$	160.00

#### D. LIBRARY

1. Librarian (in charge of Libraries) .....	\$	6,000.00
2. Branch Librarian .....	\$	2,624.00
3. Assistant Librarian .....	\$	2.07 hr.
*4. Junior Assistant Librarians (Part -time) .....	\$	1.81 hr.
*5. Clerk .....	\$	1.92 hr.
*6. Page .....	\$	1.19 hr.

#### E. MECHANICAL AND CONSTRUCTION

1. Highway Superintendent .....	\$	9,005.00
2. Heavy Vehicle Operator .....	\$	2.53 hr.
3. Special Equipment Operator - Category I .....	\$	2.64 hr.
4. Special Equipment Operator - Category II .....	\$	2.80 hr.
5. Engineering Equipment Operator .....	\$	3.03 hr.
5a Skilled Laborer .....	\$	2.43 hr.
6. Laborer .....	\$	2.25 hr.
7. Laborer (Ashes and waste) .....	\$	2.43 hr.
8. Automotive Mechanic .....	\$	2.75 hr.
9. Mobile Equipment Operation Foreman .....	\$	2.75 hr.
10. Automotive Mechanic Foreman .....	\$	3.10 hr.

#### F. PUBLIC SAFETY AND INSPECTION - FIRE

1. Chief .....	\$	9,005.00
1a. Deputy Chief .....	\$	8,280.00
2. Captain, Permanent .....	\$	7,650.00
3. Firefighter, Regular (1 year) .....	\$	6,210.00
(2 years) .....	\$	6,365.00
(3 years) .....	\$	6,520.00

*4. Firefighter, Call .....	\$ 60.00 yr. - \$	2.00 hr.
<b>G. PUBLIC SAFETY AND INSPECTION - POLICE</b>		
1. Chief .....	\$	9,005.00
2. Captain .....	\$	8,280.00
3. Sergeant .....	\$	7,650.00
4. Patrolman (1 year) .....	\$	6,210.00
(2 years) .....	\$	6,365.00
(3 years) .....	\$	6,520.00
*5. Matron .....	\$	2.07 hr.
*6. Special Police .....	\$	2.44 hr.
*7. School Traffic Supervisor .....	\$	2.44 hr.
<b>H. MISCELLANEOUS</b>		
*1. Animal Inspector .....	\$	750.00
*2. Building Inspector .....	\$	1,500.00
*3. Gas Inspector .....	visit	3.50
*4. Electric Inspector .....	visit	3.50
*5. Sealer of Weights and Measures .....	\$	400.00
*6. Dog Officer .....	\$	500.00
*7. Beach Attendant .....	\$	80.00 wk.
*8. Life Guard .....	\$	1.35 hr.
*9. Clock Winder .....	\$	100.00

It was so voted.

ARTICLE 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town Charges for the current year; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 3. Mr. Richard McDermott moved that the Town raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be required to defray Town charges for the current year.

#### SELECTMEN'S DEPARTMENT

##### Salaries:

1. Chairman .....	\$	1,500.00
2. Board Members .....	\$	2,000.00
3. Recording Clerk .....	\$	1,550.00

##### Expenses:

4. Expenses .....	\$	1,800.00
5. Outlays .....	\$	175.00
Total Selectmen's Department ..	\$	7,125.00

it was so voted

#### ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT

6. Accountant .....	\$	7,038.00
7. Senior Clerk (3) .....	\$	12,420.00
8. Additional Clerk Hire .....	\$	00.00



8a Clerk .....	\$	00.00
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## Expenses:

9. Expenses .....	\$	750.00
10. Outlays .....	\$	900.00
Total Accounting Department ..	\$	21,108.00 It was so voted

## TREASURER AND COLLECTOR DEPARTMENT

## Salaries

11. Treasurer & Collector .....	\$	5,072.00
12. Senior Clerk (4) .....	\$	16,560.00
13. Clerk .....	\$	00.00
14. Additional Clerk Hire .....	\$	00.00

## Expenses:

15. Stationery & Postage .....	\$	1,800.00
16. Printing, Advertising & Binding.	\$	1,400.00
17. Bonds .....	\$	650.00
18. Other Expenses .....	\$	1,300.00
19. Outlays .....	\$	1,193.00
20. Foreclosing Tax Titles .....	\$	00.00
Total Treasurer & Collector Dept. ....	\$	27,975.00 It was so voted

## ASSESSORS DEPARTMENT

## Salaries:

20. Chairman .....	\$	7,038.00
21. Board Member .....	\$	6,728.00
22. Board Member (part time) .....	\$	2,070.00
23. Senior Clerk .....	\$	4,140.00
24. Clerk .....	\$	3,623.00
24a Clerk (part time) .....	\$	700.00

## Expenses:

25. Office supplies, printing & advertising .....	\$	1,700.00
26. Transportation and expenses ....	\$	850.00
27. Other expenses .....	\$	900.00
28. Outlays, Cutting of maps and New plans .....	\$	1,700.00
Total Assessors Department ....	\$	29,449.00 It was so voted

## TOWN CLERK DEPARTMENT

## Salaries:

29. Town Clerk .....	\$	3,209.00
30. Additional Clerk Hire .....	\$	none

31. Senior Clerk .....	\$	4,140.00
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## Expenses:

32. Other expenses .....	\$	2,700.00
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33. Outlays .....	\$	00.00
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34. Board of		
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Appeals-Variance Rec. fees ..	\$	100.00
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35. Printing By-Law Books .....	\$	00.00
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Total Town Clerk's Department	\$	10,149.00	It was so voted
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## REGISTRARS DEPARTMENT

## Salaries:

36. Registrars (3) .....	\$	825.00
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37. Ass't Registrars:		
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Wages & Mileage .....	\$	1,800.00
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38. Clerk .....	\$	250.00
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## Expenses:

39. Printing:		
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Men & Women Directory .....	\$	600.00
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40. Printing: Voters' Lists .....	\$	400.00
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41. Other Expenses .....	\$	600.00
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Total Registrar's Department	\$	4,475.00	It was so voted
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## PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT

## Salaries:

42. Salaries of Janitors .....	\$	6,006.00
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42a Vacation & Sickness .....	\$	200.00
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## Expenses:

43. Fuel, Light, & Water .....	\$	4,600.00
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44. Repairs, Equipment & expenses	\$	6,000.00
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45. Outlays .....	\$	3,500.00
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Total Public		
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Buildings Department .....	\$	20,306.00	It was so voted
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## LAW DEPARTMENT

## Salaries:

46. Town Counsel .....	\$	500.00
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## Expenses:

47. Prosecution &		
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Defense of lawsuits .....	\$	3,000.00
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48. Settlement of Claims & Suits ...	\$	500.00
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49. Legal Service .....	\$	3,000.00
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50. Land Transactions .....	\$	none
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Total Law Department .....	\$	7,000.00	It was so voted
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## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENT

51. Moderator's Salary .....	\$	150.00	
52. Constable's Salary .....	\$	60.00	
53. Elections (Wages & Expenses) \$		6,000.00	
54. Board of Appeals - Clerk Hire ..	\$	500.00	
55. Board of Appeals—Expenses ....	\$	900.00	
56. Planning Board—Clerk Hire ....	\$	1,250.00	
57. Planning Board—Expenses .....	\$	600.00	
58. Planning Board—Consultant ....	\$	1,500.00	
59. Planning Board—Outlays .....	\$	00.00	
60. Personnel Board .....	\$	650.00	
61. Finance Committee .....	\$	100.00	
62. Town Forest Committee .....	\$	1,350.00	
62a Town Forest Committee— Outlays .....	\$	15,060.00	
63. Conservation Commission .....	\$	\$500.00	
63a Commission to Update Town History .....	\$	1,500.00	
Total Miscellaneous Department \$		15,060.00	It was so voted

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Salaries:

64. Chief .....	\$	9,005.00
65. Sergeants .....	\$	38,250.00
66. Patrolmen .....	\$	135,680.00
67. Special Account .....	\$	31,162.00
68. Clerk, Senior .....	\$	4,140.00
68a Captain .....	\$	5,520.00
68b. Custodian .....	\$	2,184.00

## Expenses:

69. Auto Maintenance & repairs ....	\$	3,500.00
70. Gasoline .....	\$	5,200.00
71. Telephone Service .....	\$	1,200.00
72. Radio Service .....	\$	1,000.00
73. Uniforms .....	\$	2,800.00
74. Chief's Out of State Expenses ..	\$	150.00
75. Other Expenses .....	\$	2,500.00
76. Outlays .....	\$	2,066.00
76a. Building Maint. & Supply .....	\$	2,455.00

Total Police Department ..... \$ 246,812.00 It was so voted

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

## Salaries:

77. Chief .....	\$	9,005.00
77a Deputy Chief .....	\$	8,280.00
78. Captains .....	\$	30,600.00
79. Lieutenants .....	\$	none

80. Regular Fireman .....	\$ 137,000.00	
81. Substitutes .....	\$ 17,474.00	
82. Call Firefighters .....	\$ 2,700.00	
83. Labor at fires and emergencies	\$ 5,000.00	
84. Janitors .....	\$ 320.00	
Expenses:		
85. Maintenance of fire alarm system	\$ 3,000.00	
86. Fuel, light, water & telephone ..	\$ 4,900.00	
87. Automobile & radio repairs and service .....	\$ 3,025.00	
88. Building Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 1,100.00	
89. Equipment, supplies for Men, stations ....	\$ 1,600.00	
90. Other Expenses .....	\$ 350.00	
91. Outlays .....	\$ 2,380.00	
92. Clothing Allowance .....	\$ 625.00	
92a Out of State .....	\$ 150.00	
Total of Fire Department .....	\$ 227,509.00	It was so voted
HYDRANT SERVICE DEPARTMENT		
93. Center District .....	\$ 22,000.00	
94. North District .....	\$ 6,500.00	
95. East District .....	\$ 4,300.00	
96. South District .....	\$ 2,500.00	
Total Hydrant Service Department	\$ 35,300.00	It was so voted
SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES		
97. Salary .....	\$ 400.00	
98. Expenses .....	\$ 50.00	
Total Sealer of Weights & Measures .....	\$ 450.00	It was so voted
TREE WARDEN'S DEPARTMENT		
Salaries:		
99. Tree Warden .....	\$ 750.00	
99a Fees .....	\$ 4,000.00	
100. Wages for Laborers .....	\$ .....	
Expenses:		
101. Other Expenses .....	\$ 7,000.00	
Total Tree Warden's Department .....	\$ 11,750.00	It was so voted
MOTH DEPARTMENT		
Salaries:		
102. Superintendent .....	\$ 450.00	
103. Wages for Laborers .....	\$ none	
Expense:		
104. Expenses .....	\$ 4,800.00	
Total Moth Department .....	\$ 5,250.00	It was so voted

**DUTCH ELM CONTROL DEPARTMENT**

## Salaries:

105. Superintendent .....	\$	800.00
106. Wages for Laborers .....	\$	.....

## Expenses:

107. Expenses .....	\$	6,200.00
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Total Dutch Elm

Control Department ..... \$ 7,000.00 It was so voted

**POISON IVY CONTROL**

108. Wages for Laborers .....	\$	none
109. Expenses .....	\$	1,000.00

Total Poison Ivy Control Dept. \$ 1,000.00 It was so voted

**MOSQUITO CONTROL DEPARTMENT**

## Salaries:

110. Superintendent .....	\$	750.00
111. Wages for Laborers .....	\$	500.00

## Expenses:

112. Expenses .....	\$	860.00
112a Outlays .....	\$	2,350.00

Total Mosquito Control Dept. .... \$ 4,460.00 It was so voted

**DOG OFFICER DEPARTMENT**

113. Salary—Dog Officer .....	\$	500.00
114. Fees (For killing) .....	\$	.....

Total Dog Officer Department .. \$ 500.00 It was so voted

**BUILDING INSPECTOR'S DEPARTMENT**

115. Inspector's Salary .....	\$	1,500.00
115a Inspector's Fees .....	\$	5,000.00
116. Inspector's Expenses .....	\$	600.00

Total Building Inspector's Dept. \$ 7,100.00 It was so voted

**WIRING INSPECTOR'S DEPARTMENT**

117. Inspector's Fees .....	\$	4,000.00
118. Expenses .....	\$	50.00

Total Wiring Inspector's

Department ..... \$ 4,050.00 It was so voted

**GAS PIPING & FIXTURES INSPECTOR**

119. Fees .....	\$	1,500.00
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It was so voted

**ANIMAL INSPECTOR'S DEPARTMENT**

120. Inspector's Salary .....	\$	750.00
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It was so voted

**CIVILIAN DEFENSE DEPARTMENT**

121. Expenses .....	\$	1,100.00
122. Outlays .....	\$	2,910.00

Total Civilian Defense Dept. .... \$ 4,010.00 It was so voted

## HEALTH AND SANITATION DEPARTMENT

## Salaries:

123. Chairman .....	\$	300.00
124. Board Members .....	\$	528.00
125. Director of Public Health .....	\$	7,400.00
126. Senior Clerk & Laboratory Assistant. ....	\$	4,140.00
127. Senior School Nurse .....	\$	5,600.00
128. Junior School Nurses .....	\$	14,000.00
129. Slaughtering Inspector .....	\$	100.00
130. Plumbing Inspector— Fees & Trans .....	\$	6,000.00
131. Physicians .....	\$	500.00
132. Sickness Account .....	\$	450.00
132a Professional Services .....	\$	300.00

## Expenses:

133. Quarantine & Contagious Diseases .....	\$	6,000.00
134. Testing, Immunization .....	\$	500.00
135. Care of Premature Children ....	\$	1,000.00
136. Collection of Garbage .....	\$	26,300.00
137. Animal Disposal Fees .....	\$	800.00
138. Transportation, Directors & Nurses .....	\$	2,500.00
139. Laboratory Supplies .....	\$	150.00
140. Vision & Hearing Test'ng Program .....	\$	6,000.00
141. Other Expenses .....	\$	850.00
142. Outlays .....	\$	25.00
143. Mental Health & Child Guidance	\$	750.00

Total Health & Sanitation Dept. \$ 84,193.00 It was so voted

## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

## Salaries:

144. Superintendent .....	\$	9,005.00
145. Secretary .....	\$	4,140.00
146. Engineer's Fees .....	\$	4,000.00
147. Transportation, Sup't— Foreman .....	\$	none

## Expenses:

148. Gas & Oil for Equipment .....	\$	7,000.00
149. Fuel, Light & Water .....	\$	2,700.00
150. Telephone & Office Supplies ....	\$	900.00
151. Street Signs .....	\$	1,500.00
152. Miscellaneous Expenses .....	\$	500.00
152a Waste Collection .....	\$	68,000.00

## HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES &amp; DRAINAGE:

153. Highway .....	\$	25,000.00
154. Misc. Equipment & Small Tools	\$	1,400.00

155. Machinery Depreciation .....	\$ 10,000.00
156. Machinery Hire—Other .....	\$ 1,500.00
157. Labor—Men .....	\$ 106,600.00
158. Vacations and Sickness .....	\$ 13,000.00
159. Labor—Overtime .....	\$ 3,000.00
160. Outlay .....	\$ .....

ROAD MACHINERY ACCOUNT:

161. Repairs .....	\$ 12,000.00
162. Mechanic's Wages .....	\$ .....
163. Snow and Ice Removal .....	\$ 85,000.00
164. Highways, Bridges and Drainage Const.	\$ 20,000.00
165. Chapter 90, Maintenance .....	\$ 4,500.00
166. Sidewalks .....	\$ 5,000.00
167. Street Lighting .....	\$ 28,300.00

Total Highway Department ..... \$ 413,045.00 It was so voted

WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Salaries:

168. Board Chairman .....	\$ 190.00
169. Board Members (2) .....	\$ 320.00
170. Director .....	\$ 8,940.00
170a. Vacation .....	\$ 344.00
171. Social Worker #1 .....	\$ 5,220.00
172. Social Worker #2 .....	\$ 6,180.00
173. Senior Clerk #1 .....	\$ 4,180.00
174. Clerk #2 .....	\$ 3,600.00
175. Bureau of Old Age Assistance ...	\$ 750.00
176. Court and Attorney Fees .....	\$ 200.00

Expenses:

177. Cash Grants .....	\$ 6,000.00
178. Material Grants and Buriels ...	\$ 3,500.00
179. State Institutions .....	\$ .....
180. Relief Other Cities and Towns	\$ .....

Cash and Material Grants:

181. Disability Assistance .....	\$ 25,000.00
182. Aid to Dependent Children .....	\$ 35,000.00
183. Old Age Assistance & MAA .....	\$ 175,000.00

Total Welfare Department ..... \$ 274,424.00 It was so voted

VETERANS' BENEFITS DEPARTMENT

184. Salary of Veteran's Agent .....	\$ 1,605.00
185. Expenses .....	\$ 200.00
185a. Outlays .....	\$ .....
186. Cash and Material Grants .....	\$ 26,000.00
186a. Part Time Clerk .....	\$ 360.00

Total Veteran's Benefits

Department. .... \$ 28,165.00 It was so voted

Mr. Gerald Tucke moved that the sum of \$3,000,710 be raised and appropriated for the operation of the Chelmsford Public School System including vocational education said sum to be reduced by the use of available and anticipated Federal Funds of \$141,426.00 to \$2, 859,-284.00.

### SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

#### Salaries:

187. Teachers and Supervisors .....	\$2,010,670.00
188. Janitors .....	\$ 181,770.00
189. Administration .....	\$ 60,861.00
190. Secretaries .....	\$ 44,177.00
191. Physicians .....	\$ 3,000.00
192. Attendance Officer .....	\$ .....
Total Salaries .....	\$2,300,478.00

#### Expenses:

193. Educational Supplies & Services	\$ 180,303.00
194. Fuel, Light and Water .....	\$ 94,900.00
195. Repairs .....	\$ 68,000.00
196. Playgrounds .....	\$ 1,000.00
197. Janitors and Nurses Supplie ...	\$ 10,800.00
198. Transportation .....	\$ 235,550.00
199. New & Replacement of Equip.	\$ 73,668.00
200. Athletic Program .....	\$ 10,500.00
201. Vocational .....	\$ 5,000.00
202. Administration .....	\$ 10,715.00
203. Adult Evening Education .....	\$ 9,796.00
Total Expenses .....	\$ 700,232.00
Total Salaries and Expenses ...	\$3,000,710.00
Less available and anticipated Federal funds	\$ 141,426.00

Total Salaries and Expenses to be raised  
and Appropriated \$2,859,284.00 It was so voted

### LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

#### Salaries:

204. Librarians .....	\$ 6,000.00
205. Branch Librarian .....	\$ 2,624.00
206. Assistant Librarians & Library Clerks .....	\$ 33,595.00
207. Library Aides .....	\$ 930.00
208. Custodian & Security .....	\$ 5,954.00
208a Vacation & Sickness .....	\$ 350.00

#### Expenses:

209. Repair & Maintenance of Buildings .....	\$ 1,500.00
210. Fuel, Light & Water .....	\$ 3,200.00
211. Books and Periodicals .....	\$ 18,700.00
212. Other Expenses .....	\$ 4,000.00



213. Outlays .....	\$ 19,000.00	
Total Library Department .....	\$ 95,853.00	It was so voted

## PARK DEPARTMENT

214. Labor .....	\$ 4,270.00
215. Expenses .....	\$ 1,020.00
216. Outlays .....	\$ 1,000.00
Total Park Department .....	\$ 6,290.00

## VARNEY PLAYGROUND

217. Labor .....	\$ 650.00	
218. Expenses .....	\$ 300.00	
219. Outlays .....	\$ 1,000.00	
Total Varney Playground .....	\$ 1,950.00	It was so voted

## EDWARDS MEMORIAL BEACH

220. Labor .....	\$ 1,950.00	
221. Expenses .....	\$ 600.00	
221a Outlays .....	\$ 700.00	
Total Edwards Memorial Beach Dept. ....	\$ 3,250.00	It was so voted

## UNCLASSIFIED DEPARTMENTS

222. Town and Finance Committee Reports .....	\$ 3,500.00	
223. Workmen's Compensation Claims	\$ 1,144.00	
224. Expenses for Memorial Day ....	\$ 1,500.00	
225. Expenses for Town Clock .....	\$ 300.00	
226. Development & Industrial Commission .....	\$ 500.00	
Total Unclassified Departments	\$ 6,944.00	It was so voted

## INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

227. Prop. Liab. and All Types of Ins	\$ 51,000.00	
228. Chapter 32B Insurance-Employees .....	\$ 42,000.00	
Total Insurance Department	\$ 93,000.00	It was so voted

## DEBT AND INTEREST

## Maturing Debt:

229. North School Loan .....	\$ 30,000.00
230. Center Fire Station Loan .....	\$ .....
231. Center School Loan .....	\$ 55,000.00
232. North Fire Station Loan .....	\$ 1,000.00
233. High School Loan #1 .....	\$ 50,000.00
234. High School Loan #2 .....	\$ 90,000.00
235. Highway Garage Loan .....	\$ 5,000.00
236. Boston Road Elementary School Loan .....	\$ 50,000.00

236a	Addition to High School .....	\$ 50,000.00	
236b	Junior High School Loan .....	\$ 110,000.00	
236c	Pine Ridge Equipment .....	\$ 2,700.00	
Interest:			
237.	North School Loan .....	\$ 2,975.00	
238.	Central Fire Station Loan .....	\$ .....	
239.	Center School Loan .....	\$ 4,320.00	
240.	North Fire Station Loan .....	\$ 65.00	
241.	High School Loan #1 .....	\$ 20,125.00	
242.	High School Loan #2 .....	\$ 34,400.00	
243.	Highway Garage Loan .....	\$ 1,615.00	
244.	Anticipation of Revenue and Reimbursement Loans ....	\$ 23,000.00	
245.	Boston Road Elementary School Loan .....	\$ 25,375.00	
245a	Addition to High School .....	\$ 9,180.00	
245b	Junior High School .....	\$ 65,325.00	
245c	Pine Ridge Equipment .....	\$ 413.00	
Total Debt and Interest .....		\$ 630,493.00	It was so voted

## CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

## Salaries

246.	Commissioners (3) .....	\$ 300.00
247.	Superintendent .....	\$ 7,142.00
248.	General Labor .....	\$ 8,385.00
249.	Special Labor for Lot Owners ..	\$ 500.00

## Expenses:

250.	Interments and Liners .....	\$ 3,000.00
251.	Repairs to Headstones and Stone Posts .....	\$ none
252.	Repairs to Equipment .....	\$ 750.00
253.	Transportation-Superintendent ..	\$ 250.00
254.	Expenses .....	\$ 3,000.00
255.	Outlays .....	\$ 1,328.00
256.	Town Clerk-Salary .....	\$ 250.00
257.	Town Clerk-Expenses .....	\$ 50.00
258.	Beautification-Perpetual Care Area .....	\$ 2,000.00

Total Cemetery Department ..... \$ 26,955.00 It was so voted

## RECREATION COMMISSION

259.	Salaries Directors & Assts. ....	\$ 10,350.00
260.	Expenses .....	\$ 10,807.00
260a	Outlay .....	\$ 750.00

Total Recreation Department .... \$ 21,907.00 It was so voted

## REGIONAL SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

## Salaries:

261.	Administration .....	\$ 6,513.00
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Expenses:

262. Educational Supplies .....	\$	1,302.00
263. Administration .....	\$	5,712.00
264. Supt. & Principal		
Out of State .....	\$	271.00
265. Interest .....	\$	5,121.00
Total Regional School Dept. ....	\$	18,919.00

TOTAL BUDGET \$5,264,760.00

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year, with authority to settle and adjust claims or demands for or against the Town; and to employ counsel whenever in their judgement it is necessary; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 4. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year, with authority to settle and adjust claims or demands for or against the Town; and to employ counsel whenever in their judgement it is necessary. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in the year 1967 in anticipation of revenue of the year 1967; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 5. Mr. William L. Harvey moved that the Town vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectman to borrow money in the year 1967 in anticipation of revenue for the year 1967. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money with which to meet bills for previous years; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 6. Mr. Howard E. Humphrey moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate Five Hundred Fifty-one Dollars and Nine Cents (\$551.09) with which to meet bills for previous years. It was so voted, unanimously.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a certain sum of money to pay the Treasurer of the Middlesex County Retirement System, the said amount being the Town's share of the pension, expense and military service funds; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 7. Mr. Howard E. Humphrey moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty-eight Thousand Forty-nine Dollars and Forty-eight cents (\$58,049.48) to pay to the Treasurer of the Middlesex County Retirement System the said amount being the Town's share of the pension, expense and military service funds. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars or some other sum, to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 8. Mr. Richard McDermott moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars, to be used as a Reserve Fund at the discretion of the Finance Committee, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a certain sum of money for the purpose of purchasing four (4) 1966 DeLuxe Tudor Police Cruisers to be used by the Police Department, said purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 9. Mr. Howard E. Humphrey moved that the Town transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Fund the sum of Five Thousand Four Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$5,480.00) for the purpose of purchasing four (4) 1966 DeLuxe Tudor Police Cruisers to be used by the Police Department, said purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 10. In the event of an affirmative vote under the above article, to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell by good and sufficient Bill of Sale the four (4) 1965 Police Cruisers now being used by the Police Department; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 10. Mr. Howard E. Humphrey moved that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell by good and sufficient Bill of Sale the four (4) 1965 Police Cruisers now being used by the Police Department. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 90 Construction or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 11. Mr. Howard E. Humphrey moved that the Town vote to transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Fund Treasury, the sum of Fifty Thousand Four Hundred Dollars (\$50,400.00) for Chapter 90 Construction. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of Four Hundred and no/100 (\$400.00) Dollars to provide quarters for the Chelmsford Chapter #42, Disabled American Veterans under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 9; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 12. Mr. Howard E. Humphrey moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred (\$400.00) Dollars to provide quarters for Chelmsford Chapter 42 Disabled American Veterans under the provisions of Mass. General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 9. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 8D of the General Laws, authorizing the Board of Selectmen to appoint an historical commission; and the Board of Selectmen are hereby directed, within thirty days of the acceptance of this article, by vote of the Town Meeting, to appoint an historic commission composed of seven members; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 13. Mrs. Margaret Mills moved that the Town vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 8D of the General Laws, authorizing the Board of Selectmen to appoint a historical commission; and the Board of Selectmen are hereby directed, within thirty days of the acceptance of this article, by vote of the Town Meeting, to appoint

ARTICLE 14. In the event of an affirmative vote under the previous article, to see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of Five Hundred and no/100 (\$500.00) Dollars to defray costs of said commission; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 14. Mrs. Margaret Mills moved that the Town, in the event of an affirmative vote under Article 13, vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars to defray costs of said commission. It was so voted.

After Article 14, Mrs. Mills moved that Article 51 be taken up out of order. It was so voted.  
a historic commission composed of seven (7) members. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from other available funds a certain sum of money for purpose of constructing and equipping tennis courts on the High School site, said money to be deposited into the "constructing, originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the High School" account and to authorize the Elementary School Needs Committee to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect therto and to do all and any acts necessary for the construction to said project; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 15. Mr. Roy Stephenson moved that the Town vote to transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Fund the sum of Thirty-three Thousand (\$33,000.00) Dollars, said sum to be used for the purpose of constructing and equipping tennis courts on the High School site, said money to be deposited in the "Constructing, Originally Equipping and Furnishing an Addition to the High School" account, and to authorize the Elementary School Needs Committee to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect therto. It was so voted.

Annual Town Meeting adjourned to March 21, 1966 at 7:30 p.m.

The adjourned Town Meeting was called to order by Moderator Daniel J. Coughlin Jr., at 7:42 p.m., who recognized the presence of a quorum.

Mr. Burton questioned the presence of a quorum. Mr. Coughlin instructed the tellers to make a count. Three Hundred Forty-five (345) voters were present in the hall, more than the required Two Hundred (200).

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purchase of a Pumping Engine for the Fire Department, said purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 16. Mr. Frederick Reid moved that the Town vote to transfer from the Stabilization account the sum of Twenty-one Thousand Three Hundred Sixty-four (\$21364.00) Dollars and to raise and appropriate Six Thousand Ninety-nine (\$6,099.00) Dollars for the purchase of a pumping engine for the Fire Department, said purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen. It was so voted.

Yes 298

No 20

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for highway construction purposes in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 679 of Acts of 1965, Massachusetts General Laws; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 17. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to transfer from available funds Twenty-three Thousand Forty-eight Dollars and Seventy-two cents (\$23,048.72) said sum to be used for highway construction purposes in accordance with Section 5, Chapter 679 of the acts of 1965. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for the purchase of one Power Sweeper Broom for the Highway Department, such purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 18. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to transfer from the Machinery Fund the sum of Twelve Thousand (\$12,000.00) Dollars for the purchase of one power sweeper broom for the Highway Department, said purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 19. In the event of an affirmative vote under Article 18, to see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell by good and sufficient Bill of Sale a power sweeper broom being used by the Highway Department; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 19. Mr. Howard E. Humphrey moved that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell by good and sufficient bill of sale a power sweeper broom now being used by the Highway Department. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for the purchase of one grader bulldozer blade for the Highway Department, such purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 20. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Twenty-five (\$1,325.00) Dollars for the purchase of one (1) grader bulldozer blade for the Highway Department, said purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for the purchase of one pick-up truck for the Highway Department, such purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 21. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Fifty Dollars (\$2,050) for the purchase of one pick-up truck for the Highway Department, such purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 22. In the event of an affirmative vote under Article 21, to see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell by good and sufficient Bill of Sale a pick-up truck being used by the Highway Department; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 22. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell by good and sufficient Bill of Sale a pick-up truck now being used by the Highway Department. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for the purchase of one truck chassis for the Highway Department, such purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 23. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-four Dollars (\$7,374) for the purchase of one truck chassis for the Highway Department, said purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 24. In the event of an affirmative vote under Article 23, to see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell by good and sufficient Bill of Sale a truck chassis being used by the Highway Department; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 24. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell by good and sufficient Bill of Sale a truck chassis being used by the Highway Department. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for the purchase of one rotary compressor for the Highway Department, such purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 25. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand One Hundred Ninety-four Dollars (\$5,194.00) for the purchase of one rotary compressor for the Highway Department, said purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will authorize the Health Department to appoint a committee to be known as the Sewer Advisory Committee of five persons to advise the Town with regard to its sewerage needs, including the necessary steps required to implement a sewerage collection and disposal system; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 26. Mr. Edward Tyler moved that the Town authorize the Board of Health to appoint a committee to be known as the Sewer Advisory Committee, said committee, as amended, to be comprised of seven (7) persons with one member from the Board of Selectmen, one member from the Board of Health, one member from the Planning Board and three (3) other registered voters of the Town of Chelmsford, and one (1) member from the Conservation Commission said committee to advise the Town with regard to its sewerage needs, including all necessary steps required to implement a sewerage collection and disposal system. Said Committee is instructed to report back to the next Annual Town Meeting. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 27. In the event of an affirmative vote under Article 26, to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars to be used to defray the expenses of the Sewer Advisory Committee; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 27. Mr. Edward Tyler moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the amount of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars to be used to defray the expenses of the Sewer Advisory Committee. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds or borrow a sum of money for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an Elementary School in Chelmsford; determine how the money shall be provided for, by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, by borrowing from time to time under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948, as amended, or take any action in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 28. Mr. Charles Harrington moved that the Town vote that the sum of \$1,400,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of constructing an elementary school building, and for originally equipping and furnishing said building; and that the Treasurer, with



the approval of the Selectmen and subject to approval of the State Emergency Finance Board, be authorized and directed to issue and sell as one issue or from time as two or more separate issues, serial bonds or notes of the Town aggregating \$1,400,000.00 in principal amount under authority of Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948, as amended and that all of the bonds or notes be issued and sold in accordance with the applicable provision of said Chapter 44 of the General Laws, as amended, but each issue of bonds or notes be a separate loan which shall be paid in not more than twenty (20) years from the date thereof; and that, in the event Federal Funds are available for the construction and originally equipping and furnishing of said building, and that the Treasurer be authorized to adjust downward the amount of the bond issue by the sum of monies awarded by the Federal Government. It was so voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Elementary School Needs Committee to proceed with the construction, originally equipping and furnishing of said Elementary School voted upon under Article 28, and to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, including the procuring of legal and technical advice, and other data and information, and to do all other acts necessary for constructing said project; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 29. Mr. Charles Harrington moved that the Town vote to authorize the Elementary School Needs Committee to proceed with the construction, originally equipping and furnishing of said Elementary School voted upon under Article 28 and to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, including the procuring of legal and technical advice, and other data and information, and to do all other acts necessary for constructing said project. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of Ten Thousand and no/ 100 (\$10,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of planning additions to existing schools and/or a new school; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 30. Mr. Charles Harrington moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of planning additions to existing schools and/or a new school. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Elementary School Needs Committee to proceed with planning additions to existing schools and/or a new school voted under Article 30, and to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, including the procuring of preliminary plans and specifications, legal and technical advice, and other data and information and to do all acts necessary for planning said projects; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 31. Mr. Charles Harrington moved that the Town vote to authorize the Elementary School Needs Committee to proceed with planning additions to existing schools and/or a new school voted under Article 30, and to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, including the procuring of preliminary plans and specifications, legal and technical advice, and other data information, and to do all acts necessary for planning said project. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint a committee of five persons to study the present ambulance service now being rendered to the Town and to give its report and recommendations at a future town meeting; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 32. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint a committee of five (5) persons to study the present ambulance service now being rendered to the Town and to report and make recommendations at a future Town Meeting. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to change the name of Randall Street to Randall Road; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 33. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to change the name of Randall Street to Randall Road. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money, for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing a fire station at South Chelmsford on land now owned by the Town; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 34. Mr. Frederick Reid moved that the Town vote to transfer from Excess and Deficiency account the sum of Seventy-five Thousand (\$75,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing a fire station at South Chelmsford on land now owned by the Town. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 35. In the event of an affirmative vote of the preceding Article, to see if the Town will vote the Board of Selectmen to appoint a South Chelmsford Fire Station Building Committee and authorize it to proceed with the construction of said project and to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto and to do all other acts necessary for constructing said project; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 35. Mr. Frederick Reid moved that the Town vote to appoint a South Chelmsford Fire Station Building Committee and to authorize it to proceed with the construction of said project and to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, and to do all other acts necessary for constructing said project. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of the present South Chelmsford Fire Station located on Acton Road and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for removal of said building; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 36. Mr. Frederick Reid moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of the present South Chelmsford Fire Station located on Acton Road and to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred (\$800.00) Dollars for the removal of said building. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to request the Department of Corporations and Taxation, Division of Accounts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to make an audit of all accounts in all departments in the Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 37. Mrs. Charlotte P. DeWolf moved that the Town vote to request the Department of Corporations and Taxation, Division of Accounts of the Commonwealth to make an audit of all accounts in all departments in the Town of Chelmsford, It was so voted.

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Two Hundred Seventy and no/100 (\$2,270.00) Dollars as the Town's assessment for membership in the Greater Lowell Regional Planning Commission; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 38. Mr. Thomas A. St. Germain moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Two Hundred Seventy (\$2,270.00) Dollars as the Town's assessment for membership in the Greater Lowell Regional Planning Committee. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section III (3.1) of the zoning by-laws and the map accompanying said Section and on file with the Clerk of the Town of Chelmsford, entitled "Zoning Map" dated May 1963, that the existing zoning district on the easterly side of Concord Road, opposite Sonora Drive, designated as CB, be relocated by 100 feet in a northerly direction. This is to correct an error of measurement.

UNDER ARTICLE 39. Mr. David Dutton moved that the Town vote to amend section III (3.1) of the Zoning By-Law and the map accompanying said section and on file with the Town Clerk, entitled "Zoning Map" dated May, 1963, that the existing Zoning District on the easterly side of Concord Road opposite Sonora Drive, designated as CB, be relocated by 100 feet in a northerly direction. It was so voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section III (3.1) of the zoning by-laws and the map accompanying said Section and on file with the Clerk of the Town of Chelmsford, entitled "Zoning Map"

dated May 1963, by removing from the RC and CC district and changing to CA the following described premises:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Summer Street 200 feet easterly from Boston Road; thence running southerly 350 feet more or less to land of K.A.S. Realty, Inc; thence running easterly 1,000 feet more or less along land of Peterson across land of Ducharme and continuing along land of Peterson to lot 49-54 owned by Campanelli Builders, Inc.; thence turning and running in a northeasterly direction by two courses along the following lots owned now or formerly by Campanelli Builders, Inc. Lots 59-54, 59-55, 59-56, 59-57, 59-58, 400 feet and 200 feet to the Southeasterly junction of Newbrook Street and Summer Street; thence northerly to the center line and along the center line of said Summer Street 250 feet more or less to the center line of Beaver Brook; thence turning westerly along the center line of Beaver Brook and running westerly along the center line of said brook to a point approximately 575 feet easterly from Boston Road; thence southwesterly 350 feet to a point 300 feet easterly from said Boston Road; thence turning and running southerly to Summer Street 300 feet thence turning and running southerly to Summer Street 300 feet thence turning and running westerly along Summer Street 125 feet to the point of beginning.

UNDER ARTICLE 40. Mr. Bradford Emerson moved that the Town vote to amend Section III (3.1) of the zoning by-laws and the map accompanying said Section and on file with the Clerk of the Town of Chelmsford, entitled "Zoning Map" dated May, 1963 by removing from RC and CC District and changing to CA the following described premises:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Summer Street 200 feet easterly from Boston Road; thence running southerly 350 feet more or less to land of K.A.S. Realty, Inc; thence running easterly 1,000 feet more or less along land of Peterson across land of Ducharme and continuing along land of Peterson to lot 49-54 owned by Campanelli Builders, Inc.; thence turning and running in a northeasterly direction by two courses along the following lots owned now or formerly by Campanelli Builders, Inc. Lots 59-54, 59-55, 59-56, 59-57, 59-58, 400 feet and 200 feet to the Southeasterly junction of Newbrook Street and Summer Street; thence northerly to the center line and along the center line of said Summer Street 250 feet more or less to a point 100 feet southerly of the center line of Beaver Brook; thence turning westerly along a line 100 feet southerly of the center line of Beaver Brook; thence turning westerly along a line 100 feet southerly of said center of Beaver Brook to a point approximately 575 feet easterly from Boston Road; thence southwesterly 350 feet to a point 300 feet easterly from said Boston Road; thence turning and running southerly to Summer Street 300 feet; thence turning and running westerly along Summer Street 125 feet to the point of beginning.

Yes 150

NO 30      It was so voted.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning map accompanying said section and on file with the Clerk of the Town of Chelmsford, entitled "Zoning Map" dated May 1963, by removing from the single residence district RB the following described premises so as to include the following described premises in the Neighborhood Commercial District CA.

The land and buildings situated Easterly of Boston Road and Mill Road and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the most southerly corner of the land of the New England Power Company on Boston Road; thence running in a Southerly direction along Boston Road for a distance of 300 feet to the junction of Boston Road and Mill Road; thence in a Southeasterly direction along Mill Road a distance of 600 feet to the Northeasterly corner of the property of James M. and Karen A. Spinney; thence in a North-easterly direction along the Northeasterly line of the Spinney property for a distance of 180 feet to the junction of the Spinney property and property of the Chelmsford Water District; thence Northwesterly along the Southerly line of the property of the Chelmsford Water District; thence Northwesterly along the Southerly line of the property of the Chelmsford Water District; thence in a Westerly direction along the Southerly line of the Chelmsford Water District property to the junction of the property of the Chelmsford Water District and property belonging to Fred and Alice M. Corfield; thence continuing in the same westerly direction across the above Corfield property to the Easterly corner of the property of Frederick J. and Claire B. Corfield; thence in a Northerly direction along the said Corfield property a distance of approximately 80 feet; thence turning in a Westerly direction and running for a distance of 180 feet to the point of beginning.

UNDER ARTICLE 41. Mr. Bradford Emerson moved that the Town vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map on file with the Clerk of the Town of Chelmsford entitled "Zoning Map" dated May, 1963, by removing from single residence district R.B. the following described premises so as to include the following described premises in the "Neighborhood Commercial District," C.A.

The land and buildings situated Easterly of Boston Road and Mill Road and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the most southerly corner of the land of the New England Power Company on Boston Road; thence running in a Southerly direction along Boston Road for a distance of 300 feet to the junction of Boston Road and Mill Road thence in a Southeasterly direction along Mill Road to a distance of 600 feet to the Northeasterly corner of the property of James M. and Karen A. Spinney thence in a Northeasterly direction along the Northeasterly line of the Spinney property for a distance of 180 feet to the junction of the Spinney property and property of the Chelmsford Water District; thence Northwesterly along the Southerly line of the property of the Chelmsford Water District; thence in a Westerly direction along the Southerly line of the

Chelmsford Water District property to the junction of the property of the Chelmsford Water District and property belonging to Fred and Alice M. Corfield; thence continuing in the same westerly direction across the above Corfield property to the Easterly corner of the property of Fred-erick J. and Claire B. Corfield; thence in a Northerly direction along the said Corfield property a distance of approximately 80 feet; thence turning in a Westerly direction and running for a distance of 180 feet to the point of beginning. Motion fails.

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law on file with the Clerk of the Town of Chelmsford entitled "Zoning By-Law" dated May 1963 by adding Section VIII Planned Unit Development as follows:

8.1 The tract be of 10 acres or more in area, to be developed and constructed by a single owner or group of owners acting jointly.

8.2 That within that tract exclusive of streets, there shall be a total of 40,000 square feet of land devoted to residential or conservation purposes per dwelling unit, although each lot need not contain 40,000 square feet.

8.3 That the minimum yard and lot requirements shall be those listed in Section 5.5 for the RC district.

8.4 That any area proposed for conservation use be open space acceptable and deeded to the Conservation Commission as established under the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 40, Section 8C. Such land shall be deeded prior to development of any parcel, or sale of any lots.

8.5 The design of land uses, street pattern, and utilities shall be logical orderly, and contribute to the protection of public health, safety and welfare.

8.6 No part of such Planned Unit Development may be developed prior to approval of the definitive subdivision plan by the Planning Board, and receipt of any contracts, covenants, or agreements required under the subdivision control law.

UNDER ARTICLE 42. Regarding Cluster zoning, the Planning Board, by unanimous vote, moved dismissal of Article 42. It was so voted.

After Article 42, Mrs. Margaret Mills moved that Article 54 be taken up out of order. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the Sale of Lots and Graves Account a certain sum of money for the purpose of continuing the hot-topping of roads in the Pine Ridge Cemetery or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 43. Mr. Archie Jordan moved that the Town vote to transfer from the Sale of Lots and Graves Account the sum of Three Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$3,000.00) for the purpose of continuing the hot-topping of roads in the Pine Ridge Cemetery. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a certain sum of money for the purpose of adding to the present cemetery garage; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 44. Mr. Archie Jordan moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) for the purpose of adding on to the present Cemetery garage. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds, or raise and appropriate a certain sum of money for the purpose of restoring a wood fence approximately 670' long at the Hart Pond Cemetery; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 45. Mr. Archie Jordan moved that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Four (\$2,974.00) Dollars for the purpose of restoring a wood fence approximately Six Hundred Seventy (670) feet long at the Hart Pond Cemetery. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 46. To see if the Town will vote to amend a by-law enacted under Article 34, Town of Chelmsford, Town Meeting on the 14th of March, 1955, so as to read as follows:

Whenever a department appropriation is subdivided to include Outlays, that is Capital items which cost Fifty and no/100 (\$50.00) Dollars or more and have a life of more than one year, no other appropriation for any department shall be used per the preceding definition of Outlays, accept by action of the voters at a Town Meeting; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 46. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to amend a by-law enacted under Article 34, Town of Chelmsford, Town Meeting on the 14th of March 1955, so as to read as follows:

Whenever a department appropriation is subdivided to include Outlays, that is Capital items which cost One Hundred and no/100 (\$100.00) Dollars or more and have a life of more than one year, no other appropriation for any department shall be used as per the preceding definition of outlays, accept by action of the voters at a Town Meeting. It was so voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary Administration By-Law by striking there from the present Section 15 and substituting therefor the following section:

15. Holiday Duty and Legal Holidays:

When a holiday falls on a regularly scheduled work day, that day usually will be observed as the holiday by each employee. When a holiday falls on a Sunday the following Monday will be observed as the holiday by each employee. When a Holiday falls on a Saturday the preceding Friday will be the observed day of each employee. The Legal Holidays to which full time employees are entitled with pay are January

1, February 22, April 19, May 30, July 4, Labor Day, October 12, November 11, Thanksgiving, and December 25.

UNDER ARTICLE 47. Mr. John Kenney's motion regarding Holiday duties and Legal Holidays was defeated.

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel Wage and Salary Administration By-Law by striking therefrom the present Section 16 and substituting therefor the following Section:

16. Sick Leave

All permanent employees of the Town, regardless of their length of service, will earn 10 days sick leave per year. At the end of the calendar year each employee may carry over unused sick leave balance with no limit on the amount that may be accrued. All employees who are absent because of sickness for a period exceeding three days shall present a doctor's certificate to their department head upon returning to work in order to receive payment for sick leave; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 48. Mr. John Kenney moved and it was amended that the Town vote to amend the Personnel, Wage and Salary Administration By-Law by striking therefrom the present Section 16 and substituting therefor the following Section:

16. *Sick Leave:*

All permanent employees of the Town regardless of their length of service will earn 10 days sick leave per year. At the end of the calendar year each employee may carry over unused sick leave balance so that 90 days may be accrued. All employees who are absent because of sickness for a period exceeding three days shall present a doctor's certificate to their department head upon returning to work in order to receive payment for sick leave. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 49. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article VI of the Town of Chelmsford Building Code by deleting Section 3 therein and substituting the following:

Every dwelling shall have two means of egress from the cellar area as well as two means of egress from the dwelling area. For the purposes of this section a cellar stairway leading to an area of the dwelling unit is considered sufficient as one means of egress from the cellar; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 49. Mr. David Dutton moved that the Town vote to amend Article VI of the Town of Chelmsford Building Code by deleting Section 3 therein and substituting the following:

Every dwelling shall have two means of egress from the cellar area as well as two means of egress from the dwelling area. For the purposes of this section a cellar stairway leading to an area of the dwelling unit is considered sufficient as one means of egress from the cellar. It was so voted.



ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will vote to approve the Two Thousand Six Hundred and no/100 (\$2,600.00) Dollars indebtedness authorized by the Nashoba Valley Technical High School District Committee on February 15, 1966, for the purpose of acquiring land for and constructing, originally equipping and furnishing the Nashoba Valley Technical High School; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 50. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town dismiss Article 50. It was so voted.

In the Special Town Meeting see Article #2.

UNDER ARTICLE 51. Taken up after Article 14.

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to proclaim the following:

All Town Commons, Greens, and Parks; all Cemeteries; the 1802 Brick School house, now standing on the site of the first school house, built in 1718; and the Toll House from the Middlesex Canal should become Historic Sites, and be preserved for future generations; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 51. Mrs. Margaret Mills moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to proclaim the following:

All Town Commons, greens and Parks all Cemeteries; the 1802 Brick School House, now standing on the site of the first school house, built in 1718; and the Toll House from the Middlesex Canal; should become Historic Sites, and be preserved for future generations. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 52. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for application to the Conservation Board or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 52. Mr. Edmund Polubinski moved and it was amended that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Five Hundred (\$5,500.00) Dollars for application to the Conservation Fund. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 53. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by purchase, Eminent Domain; or otherwise, in fee simple, a certain parcel of land containing about seventeen (17) acres, situated on the Northerly side of Littleton Road in said Chelmsford and being the land owned now or formerly by one Russell, said land to be used for Conservation purposes, in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 14 and/or Chapter 79 of the General Laws shown as most recently amended and for the purpose of acquiring said land to see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of Twenty-five Thousand and no/100 (\$25,000.00) Dollars or any other sum; to determine how any such appropriation shall be raised whether by transfer from any available funds in the treasury, by taxation, by borrowing under the authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or any other enabling authority,

or by any or all of said methods, and if by borrowing; to authorize the issuance of bonds or notes of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 53. Mrs. Margaret Mills moved that the Town dismiss Article #53. It was so voted.

In the Special Town Meeting see Article #3.

ARTICLE 54. To see if the Town will vote to convey by lease to the Chelmsford Historical Society, Inc. for the annual rental of One and no/100 (\$1.00) Dollar and for a period of ninety-nine (99) years the old School house adjacent to the Fore-Fathers Cemetery, known as the Hearse House together with the land on which it stands and sufficient land to assure access to the building from Westford Street to serve the educational and cultural purposes of the aforesaid society; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 54. Taken up out of order after Article 42.

UNDER ARTICLE 54. Mrs. Margaret Mills moved and it was amended that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to convey by lease to the Chelmsford Historical Society, Inc., for the annual rental of One and no/ 100 (\$1.00) Dollar for a period of five (5) years the old school house adjacent to the Fore-Fathers Cemetary known as the Hearse House together with the land on which it stands and sufficient land to assure access to the buildings from Westford Street to serve the educational and cultural purposes of the aforesaid society.

ARTICLE 55. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following by-law:

1. Every outdoor residential swimming pool shall be completely surrounded at all times, whether or not the same be filled with water, by a fence or wall not less than five (5) feet in height, except the fences or walls in existence at the time this by-law becomes effective shall be deemed to satisfy this requirement if they are not less than four (4) feet in height. Every such fence shall be so constructed as not to have openings, holes or gaps larger than four (4) inches in any dimension except for doors or gates, and except for picket fences, in such case, however the gaps between pickets shall not exceed four (4) inches.

2. All gates or doors opening through such enclosure shall be of not less than the same height as the fence or wall and shall be equipped with a self-closing and self-latching device located at least four (4) feet above the under-lying ground and inaccessible from the outside to small children. Every such gate or door shall be kept locked at all times when the swimming pool enclosure is not in use.

3. For the purposes of this by-law a swimming pool is defined as follows:

Swimming Pool: Any constructed pool, located above or below the ground, whether portable or fixed, used or capable of being used for swimming, wading or bathing purposes and having a depth of at least

two (2) feet and having a capacity of at least two hundred (200) cubic feet in volume. Also any bath houses, equipment, and appurtenances used in connection with the pool.

UNDER ARTICLE 55. Mr. David Dutton moved to dismiss Article #55. In the Special Town Meeting see Article # 5.

ARTICLE 56. To see if the Town will vote to accept Katrina Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Katrina Road; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 56. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to accept Katrina Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 57 To see if the Town will vote to accept Kidder Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Kidder Road or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 57. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to accept Kidder Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars for the purpose of reconstructing Kidder Road. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 58. To see if the Town will vote to accept Checkerberry Lane as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Checkerberry Lane; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 58. Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town vote to accept Checkerberry Lane as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 59. To see if the Town will vote to accept Overlook Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Overlook Drive; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 59. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to accept Overlook Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 60. To see if the Town will vote to accept Singlefoot Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report

and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Overlook Drive; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 60. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to accept Singlefoot Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 61. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chestnut Hill Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Chestnut Hill Road or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 61. Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town vote to accept Chestnut Hill Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 62. To see if the Town will vote to accept Amble Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money, for the purpose of reconstructing Amble Road; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 62. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to accept Amble Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 63. To see if the Town will vote to accept Trotting Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, as shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Trotting Road; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 63. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to accept Trotting Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 64. To see if the Town will vote to accept Johnson Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Johnson Road; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 64. Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town vote to accept Johnson Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 65. To see if the Town will vote to accept Blaisdell Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Blaisdell Road; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 65. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to accept Blaisdell Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 66. To see if the Town will vote to accept Reid Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Reid Road; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 66. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to accept Reid Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 67. To see if the Town will vote to accept Lord Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Lord Road; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 67. Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town vote to accept Lord Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 68. To see if the Town will vote to accept Nobel Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Nobel Drive; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 68. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to accept Noble Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 69. To see if the Town will vote to accept Julio Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Julio Street; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 69. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to accept Julio Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 70. To see if the Town will vote to accept Vincent Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Vincent Street; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 70. Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town vote to accept Vincent Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 71. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing State Street; or act in relation thereto. |

UNDER ARTICLE 71. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to accept State Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 72. To see if the Town will vote to accept Empire Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Empire Street; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 72. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to accept Empire Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 73. To see if the Town will vote to accept Sands Place as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Sands Place; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 73. Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town vote to accept Sands Place as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 74. To see if the Town will vote to accept Bishop Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Bishop Street; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 74. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to accept Bishop Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 75. To see if the Town will vote to accept Freeman Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Freeman Road; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 75. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to accept Freeman Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 76. To see if the Town will vote to accept Dayton Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Dayton Street; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 76. Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town vote to accept Dayton Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 77. To see if the Town will vote to accept Doral Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Doral Drive; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 77. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to accept Doral Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 78. To see if the Town will vote to accept Sonora Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Sonora Drive; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 78. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to accept Sonora Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 79. To see if the Town will vote to accept Laredo Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Laredo Drive; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 79. Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town vote to accept Laredo Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 80. To see if the Town will vote to accept Old Stage Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Old Stage Road; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 80. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to accept Old Stage Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 81. To see if the Town will vote to accept Waco Circle as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Waco Circle; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 81. Mr. William Harvey moved that the Town vote to accept Waco Circle as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 82. To see if the Town will vote to accept Dakota Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Dakota Drive; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 82. Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town vote to accept Dakota Drive as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 83. To see if the Town will vote to accept Part of Miland Avenue as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Part of Miland Avenue; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 83. Mr. Howard Humphrey moved that the Town vote to accept part of Miland Avenue as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate Seven Hundred (\$700.00) Dollars for the purpose of reconstructing part of Miland Avenue. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 84. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Board of Assessors to use the sum of Two Hundred Thousand and no/100 (\$200,000.00) Dollars or some other sum from Free Cash in the Treasury for the reduction of the 1965 tax rate; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 84. Mr. Richard McDermott moved that the Town vote to instruct the Board of Assessors to use the sum of Two Hundred



Thousand and no/100 (\$200,000.00) Dollars from Free Cash in the Treasury for the reduction of the 1965 tax rate. It was so voted.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

To be raised and appropriated by taxation .....	\$5,392,846.57
To be borrowed .....	\$1,400,000.00
To be transferred .....	\$ 223,292.72

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

To be raised and appropriated by taxation ....	\$ 1,900.00
Total for approval only .....	\$2,700,000.00

Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town Meeting be dissolved at 10:18P.M.

Daniel J. Coughlin, Jr. Moderator Charlotte P. Dewolf, Town Clerk

AND YOU ARE DIRECTED to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the McFarlin School - All Purpose Room, Cafeteria - North School, Band Room - Jr. High, East Chelmsford School, Liberty Hall - So. Chelmsford, Auditorium - Westlands School, Auditorium - North School, Small Gymnasium - High School, Cafeteria So. Row School - Play Room, So. Row School, Library - Westlands School, seven days, at least, before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

HEREOF FAIL NOT and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding this meeting aforesaid.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS this Thirty-First day of January, 1966.

Board of Selectmen

CHARLES EGERTON  
HOWARD E. HUMPHREY  
WILLIAM L. HARVEY

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

January 31, 1966

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, wit; McFarlin School - All Purpose Room, Cafeteria, North School, Band Room - Jr. High, East Chelmsford School, Liberty Hall - So. Chelmsford, Auditorium - Westlands School, Auditorium - North School, Small Gymnasium - High School, Cafeteria - So. Row School, Play Room - So. Row School, Library - Westlands School, seven days, at least, before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

RALPH J. HULSLANDER  
Constable of Chelmsford

A true copy, Attest:  
RALPH J. HULSLANDER  
Constable of Chelmsford

## TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

## WARRANT

## THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To the Constable for the Town of Chelmsford;

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in elections, and also in Town affairs, to meet at their several polling places in said Chelmsford, viz:

- Precinct 1. McFarlin School - All Purpose Room.
- Precinct 2. Cafeteria - North School.
- Precinct 3. Band Room - Jr. High.
- Precinct 4. East Chelmsford School.
- Precinct 5. Liberty Hall - So. Chelmsford.
- Precinct 6. Auditorium - Westlands School.
- Precinct 7. Auditorium - North School.
- Precinct 8. Small Gymnasium - High School.
- Precinct 9. Cafeteria - So. Row School.
- Precinct 10. Play Room - So. Row School.
- Precinct 11. Library - Westlands School.

on TUESDAY, THE THIRTEENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1966 at 12:00 o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

To Bring in their votes for the following offices:

SENATOR IN CONGRESS, for this Commonwealth.

GOVERNOR, for this Commonwealth.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, for this Commonwealth.

ATTORNEY GENERAL, for this Commonwealth.

SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, for this Commonwealth.

TREASURER AND RECEIVER-GENERAL, for this Commonwealth.

AUDITOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH, for this Commonwealth.

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS for the 5th Congressional District.

COUNCILLOR, for the 3rd Councillor District.

SENATOR, for the 1st Middlesex Senatorial District.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT, for the 35th Middlesex Representative District.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, for the Northern District.

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY, for the Middlesex County.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER (1), for the Middlesex County.

COUNTY TREASURER VACANCY, for the Middlesex County.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER (1), for the Middlesex County.

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The polls will be open from 12:00 o'clock noon to 10:00 o'clock p.m.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the eleven precincts named herein in said Chelmsford seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make 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 29th day of August, 1966.

William L. Harvey

Howard E. Humphrey

Gerald J. Lannan

Selectmen of Chelmsford

A true copy Attest:

RALPH J. HULSLANDER

Constable of Chelmsford

CANDIDATE	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Pc. 6	Pc. 7	Pc. 8	Pc. 9	Pc. 10	Pc. 11	Total
Senator in Congress												
Endicott Peabody 19 Larch Rd. Cambridge	51	89	64	68	33	96	62	77	69	65	82	756
Thomas B. Adams Concord Rd. Lincoln	9	13	11	8	3	10	8	9	11	19	9	110
John F. Collins 20 Mytle St. Boston,	41	85	70	49	38	85	54	98	64	66	58	708
Blanks	1	3	1	3	1	4	4	3	4	4	5	33
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607
Governor												
Edward J. McCormack, Jr. 1110 Morton St. Boston, Mass.	55	94	64	86	44	112	60	82	75	59	87	818
Kenneth P. O'Donnell 56 Lochstead Rd. Boston	47	93	81	40	29	81	67	101	68	87	66	760
Blanks	0	3	1	2	2	2	1	4	5	8	1	29
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607

Lieutenant Governor																		
Joseph E. McGuire 12 Schussler Rd. Worcester	59	121	96	89	42	113	71	98	75	62	93	919						
Herbert L. Connolly 80 Claremont St. Newton	36	56	38	34	27	73	49	72	60	78	49	572						
Blanks	7	13	12	5	6	9	8	17	13	14	12	116						
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607						
Attorney General																		
Francis X. Bellotti 120 Hillside Ave. Quincy	49	115	62	87	40	97	68	65	67	69	98	817						
Robert J. Degiacomo Ocean Ave. Marblehead	29	27	53	14	17	50	27	72	44	49	24	406						
Foster Furcolo 558 Beacon St. Newton	21	43	28	24	14	41	32	45	33	32	27	310						
Blanks	3	5	3	3	4	7	1	5	4	4	5	44						
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607						

Secretary	91	169	138	121	70	184	119	170	129	132	140	1463
Kevin H. White 158 Mount Vernon St. Boston												
Blanks	11	21	8	7	5	11	9	17	19	22	14	144
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607
Treasurer	99	165	138	120	69	176	117	159	126	124	136	1429
Robert Q. Crane 10 Burton St. Boston												
Blanks	3	25	8	8	6	19	11	28	22	30	18	178
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607
Auditor	41	119	93	82	46	140	84	127	100	95	79	1006
Thaddeus Buczko 47 Butler St. Salem												
Blanks	59	65	49	41	25	48	37	48	36	49	69	526
James H. Kelly 372 Arborway Boston												
Blanks	2	6	4	5	4	7	7	12	12	10	6	75
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607

Congressman												
Charles N. Tsapatsaris	77	155	126	110	66	162	105	142	119	121	129	1312
12 Pearl St. Woburn												
Blanks	25	35	20	18	9	33	23	45	29	33	25	295
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607
Councillor												
George F. Cronin	80	162	126	114	64	169	107	144	118	116	128	1328
97 Spring St. Boston												
Blanks	22	28	20	14	11	26	21	43	30	38	26	279
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607
Senator												
William J. Buckley	73	150	101	108	63	154	107	145	118	99	131	1249
Thoreau St. Concord												
Albert J. Hayes	20	23	34	15	8	34	14	23	14	32	16	233
308 Lake St. Waltham												
Blanks	9	17	11	5	4	7	7	19	16	23	7	125
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607

Rep. In General Court													
87	166	133	121	67	171	111	154	120	123	140	1393		
George J. O'Dell 35 Westford St. Chelmsford													
15	24	13	7	8	24	17	33	28	31	14	214		
102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607		
District Attorney													
82	160	131	113	67	169	112	150	120	123	134	1361		
John J. Droney 328 Broadway Cambridge													
20	30	15	15	8	26	16	37	28	31	20	246		
120	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607		
Register of Probate & Insolvency													
62	124	80	78	49	117	83	118	88	84	98	981		
John V. Harvey 29 Radcliffe Rd. Belmont													
34	56	58	43	21	58	38	45	41	49	44	487		
Frank M. Defino 68 Corbett St. Lowell, Mass.													
6	10	8	7	5	20	7	24	19	21	12	139		
102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607		
Total													





Rocco J. Antonelli 187 Central St. Somerville	13	24	39	25	11	26	25	20	22	12	28	245
Robert H. Boland 271 Huron Ave. Cambridge	5	10	8	12	6	15	7	19	10	10	10	112
Thomas A. Corkery 60 Hillcrest Rd. Reading	24	41	14	24	8	19	15	32	22	28	26	255
Blanks	8	19	12	8	9	22	12	31	19	33	15	188
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607
County Commissioner												
Frederick J. Connors 88 Powder House Blvd. Somerville	60	115	82	76	38	119	70	83	78	61	83	865
Richard F. Brennan 40 Fabyan St. Arlington	14	21	23	16	18	29	26	34	23	31	29	264
John R. O'Neill 8 Marion Rd. Belmont	17	33	25	29	11	22	20	39	25	32	27	280
Blanks	11	21	16	7	8	25	12	31	22	30	15	198
Total	102	190	146	128	75	195	128	187	148	154	154	1607

Senator In Congress	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Pc. 6	Pc. 7	Pc. 8	Pc. 9	Pc. 10	Pc. 11	Total
CANDIDATE												
Edward W. Brooke 535 Beacon St. Newton	60	30	30	17	38	46	38	64	16	47	72	458
Blanks	11	6	4	3	4	6	5	5	2	6	2	54
Total	71	36	34	20	42	52	43	69	18	53	74	512
Governor												
John A. Volpe 10 Everett St. Winchester	68	28	33	16	38	51	37	67	16	51	72	477
Blanks	3	8	1	4	4	1	6	2	2	2	2	35
Total	71	36	34	20	42	52	43	69	18	53	74	512
Lieutenant Governor												
Francis W. Sargent Farm St. Dover	68	24	30	18	37	50	36	64	15	50	72	464
Blanks	3	12	4	2	5	2	7	5	3	3	2	48
Total	71	36	34	20	42	52	43	69	18	53	74	512







Frederick Lowe 40 Walton St. Lowell	43	25	18	10	25	38	30	30	12	39	51	321
Irene K. Thresher 100 Memorial Dr. Cambridge	12	4	8	6	8	9	5	25	3	9	15	104
Blanks	8	7	1	1	4	2	4	9	3	2	5	46
Total	71	36	34	20	42	52	43	69	18	53	74	512

**WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION****NOVEMBER 8, 1966****COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To Ralph J. Hulslander, Constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford:

**GREETING:**

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in elections, to meet in their several polling places, viz:

- Precinct 1. McFarlin School Cafeteria, Chelmsford Center
- Precinct 2. North Elementary School Auditorium
- Precinct 3. Junior High School Band Room
- Precinct 4. East Chelmsford School
- Precinct 5. Liberty Hall, South Chelmsford
- Precinct 6. Westlands School Cafeteria
- Precinct 7. North Elementary School Auditorium
- Precinct 8. Senior High School Gym
- Precinct 9. South Row School Auditorium
- Precinct 10. South Row School Playroom
- Precinct 11. Westlands School

On Wednesday, the eighth day of November, 1966, at 8:00 o'clock a.m. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the following officers:

SENATOR IN CONGRESS, for this Commonwealth  
 GOVERNOR, for this Commonwealth  
 LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, for this Commonwealth  
 ATTORNEY GENERAL, for this Commonwealth  
 SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, for this Commonwealth  
 TREASURER OF THE COMMONWEALTH, for this Commonwealth  
 AUDITOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH, for this Commonwealth  
 REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, For 5th Congressional District  
 COUNCILLOR, for 3rd Councillor District  
 SENATOR, for 1st Senatorial District  
 REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT, for 35th Middlesex Representative District  
 DISTRICT ATTORNEY, Middlesex County  
 REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY, for Middlesex County  
 COUNTY COMMISSIONER, for Middlesex County  
 COUNTY TREASURER, for Middlesex County



## QUESTIONS

## QUESTION NO. 1: PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 11, 1963 received 228 votes in the affirmative and 29 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 5, 1965, received 225 votes in the affirmative and 24 in the negative?

YES  
NO

## SUMMARY

The proposed amendment provides that at state elections candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor shall be grouped on the official ballot according to the party that they represent and that it shall not be possible to vote for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor except as a partisan group.

## QUESTION NO. 2: PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held July 16, 1963, received 169 votes in the affirmative and 100 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 5, 1965, received 200 votes in the affirmative and 64 in the negative?

YES  
NO

## SUMMARY

The proposed amendment provides that the Governor, for the purpose of making certain structural changes in the executive department, may from time to time prepare reorganization plans to be presented to the General Court. If the General Court fails to disapprove a reorganization plan within sixty days, the plan at that time shall have the force of law.

## QUESTION NO. 3: PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 11, 1963, received 232 votes in the affirmative and 18 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 19, 1965, received 159 votes in the affirmative and 91 in the negative?

YES  
NO

## S U M M A R Y

The proposed amendment authorizes the Commonwealth and the cities and towns therein to provide for municipal industrial development in such manner as the General Court may determine.

## QUESTION NO. 4: PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held July 16, 1963, received 208 votes in the affirmative and 43 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 19, 1965, received 219 votes in the affirmative and 39 in the negative?

YES

NO

## S U M M A R Y

The proposed amendment confers considerable authority upon cities and towns with respect to the conduct of municipal government, including the authority to adopt, repeal and amend city and town charters and in accordance therewith, local ordinances and by-laws. The General Court retains general power to act in relation to cities and towns and classes thereof and, in some circumstances, to enact special laws regarding a particular municipality, including laws for its incorporation, dissolution or merger. Cities and towns are not empowered to act with respect to general elections, taxation, pledges of credit, dispositions of park land, general civil relationships, the punishment of felonies, or the imposition of imprisonment except as the General Court may lawfully confer such powers upon them.

## QUESTION NO. 5: LAW SUBMITTED UPON REFERENDUM AFTER PASSAGE

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was approved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 118 in the affirmative and 102 in the negative and was approved in the Senate by a vote of 21 in the affirmative and 16 in the negative?

YES

NO

## S U M M A R Y

The Act imposes a temporary tax upon all retail sales of tangible personal property at the rate of three per cent of the selling price. Sales of certain items are exempted from the tax, including but not limited to sales of food products for human use, articles of clothing, prescription medicines, agricultural machinery and certain publications. The statute contains specific provisions relating to the registration of vendors, the filing of returns and the payment of the amounts collected by such vendors. Vendors may apply to the State Tax Commission for

abatements of the amounts owed where they believed such amounts to be excessive, and decisions of the Commission on such applications may be reviewed by the Appellate Tax Board. The Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation shall have the usual powers and remedies provided for tax collection for the collection of the taxes imposed by this section. The State Tax Commission shall issue regulations necessary for proper administration and enforcement of the section.

The Act further imposes a temporary excise upon the storage, use or other consumption in Massachusetts of tangible personal property at the rate of three per cent of the sales price of such property. Sales upon which the retail sales tax described above has been imposed, or which are exempt from the retail sales tax, shall be exempt from the use tax. Sales upon which a tax has been paid in another jurisdiction shall also be exempt. Assessment, abatement and collection of the use tax shall be governed by the provisions which relate to the tax upon retail sales. The tax upon retail sales and the excise upon storage, use or other consumption shall be effective during the period from April 1, 1966 to December 31, 1967.

Each qualified taxpayer shall be entitled to a credit of four dollars for himself, four dollars for his spouse and eight dollars for each qualified dependent, but such credit shall not be allowed if the taxable income of such individual and his spouse exceeds five thousand dollars for the year. In addition to the taxes described above, the Act provides for new excises upon certain banks; new taxes upon the income of certain corporations; new taxes upon cigarettes; a room occupancy excise upon rent paid for the use of hotel rooms and other lodging places and excises upon sales of certain alcoholic beverages.

The Act creates the Local Aid Fund for the purpose of providing educational assistance, and authorized the periodic distribution of amounts from such Fund to the cities and towns. In addition, the Act contains a variety of provisions relating to the program of State aid to public schools, and to its administration.

#### QUESTION NO. 6

Do you approve of an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and sixty-six, entitled An Act imposing a temporary tax on retail sales, and a temporary excise upon the storage, use or other consumption, of certain tangible personal property, revising and imposing certain other taxes and excises, establishing the Local Air Fund, and providing for the distribution of funds there from to cities and towns?

YES  
NO

#### QUESTION NO. 7

(a) Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale

therein of all, alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES

NO

(b) Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES

NO

(c) Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

YES

NO

(d) Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale of all alcoholic beverages by hotels having a dining room capacity of not less than ninety-nine persons and lodging capacity of not less than fifty rooms?

YES

NO

POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM 8 O'CLOCK A.M. TO 8 O'CLOCK P.M.

AND YOU ARE DIRECTED to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof, seven days at least before the time of said meeting.

HEREOF FAIL NOT and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and places of said meetings.

Given under our hands this twenty-seventh day of October, 1966.

SELECTMEN OF CHELMSFORD

William L. Harvey

Howard E. Humphrey

Gerald J. Lannan

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

October 31, 1966

Pursuant to the within Warrant I, have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford who are qualified to vote in elections by posting up attested copies of same at the following places to wit; McFarlin School Cafeteria, Chelmsford Center; North Elementary School Auditorium; Senior High School Gym South Row School Auditorium South Row School Playroom; Westlands School, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

Constable of Chelmsford

A true copy, attest:

Constable of Chelmsford

Senator in Congress	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Pc. 6	Pc. 7	Pc. 8	Pc. 9	Pc. 10	Pc. 11	Total
CANDIDATE	707	490	644	315	445	648	491	1038	502	664	606	6550
Edward W. Brooke 535 Beacon Street Newton	194	311	165	208	120	284	239	233	168	186	244	2352
Endicott Peabody 19 Larch Road Cambridge	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	2	8
Lawrence Gilfedder 21 Field Street Maynard	3	1	4	2	2	3	0	2	1	0	2	20
Mark R. Shaw 114 Trenton Street Melrose	19	9	11	8	9	11	16	11	5	5	10	114
Blanks	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
Total												
Governor												
John A. Volpe 10 Everett Ave. Winchester	729	436	631	279	454	645	456	1054	483	670	585	6422
Edward J. McCormack, Jr. 1110 Morton Street Boston	184	363	188	251	121	300	282	223	184	178	272	2546

Henning A. Blomen 38 Madison Street Sommerville	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	2	3	1	16
John Charles Hedges 48 Linden Street Needham	3	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	2	3	15
Blanks	5	8	4	3	2	1	7	3	6	3	3	3	45
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044	
Lieutenant Governor													
Joseph E. McGuire 12 Schussler Road Worcester	245	410	238	268	143	343	308	288	219	229	322	3013	
Francis W. Sargent Farm Street Dover	664	380	566	256	425	593	423	972	444	613	519	5855	
Grace F. Luder 112 Wetherbee Rd. Waltham	2	1	3	1	0	1	2	5	1	4	2	22	
Francis A. Votano 95 Park Street Lynn	3	5	2	0	1	1	2	4	3	2	4	27	
Blanks	9	16	15	8	8	9	11	16	10	8	17	127	
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044	



Willy N. Hogseth 8 Hemingway Road Saugus Blanks Total	2	6	1	0	0	1	3	3	4	4	3	27
Treasurer Robert Q. Crane 10 Burton Street Boston	366	554	463	331	262	547	466	659	450	491	469	5058
Joseph E. Fernandes Fernandes Circle Norton	514	238	341	180	289	371	261	585	211	348	366	3704
Domenico A. Digirolamo 82 Plymouth Street Quincy	19	0	4	1	1	3	1	1	3	2	5	40
Julia B. Kohler 37 Casleton Street Boston Blanks Total	5	5	0	3	3	4	2	8	2	0	7	39
Auditor Thaddeus Buczko 47 Butler Street Salem	19	15	16	18	22	22	16	32	11	15	17	203
	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
	293	490	378	297	206	470	393	526	366	402	369	4190



John J. Buckley 11 Leicester Rd. Belmont	614	303	431	218	356	461	325	735	297	438	469	4647
August O. Johnson 9 Cook Circle Medford	4	0	4	2	1	1	4	0	4	2	8	30
Roger I. Williams 118 Bryn Mawr Ave. Auburn	4	1	1	0	2	1	2	0	0	1	2	14
Blanks	8	18	10	16	12	14	22	24	10	13	16	163
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
Congressman												
F. Bradford Morse 474 Beacon Street Lowell	807	623	714	401	494	815	564	1141	549	730	720	7559
Charles N. Tsapatsaris 12 Pearl Street Woburn	111	182	107	123	78	129	170	181	122	116	136	1405
Blanks	5	7	3	9	5	3	12	12	6	10	8	80
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
Councillor												
George F. Cronin, Jr. 79 Spring Street Boston	293	623	374	324	216	487	422	474	346	353	402	4314

James Malcom Whitney 31 Everett Ave. Watertown	603	182	415	179	343	432	295	752	296	460	432	4389
Blanks	27	7	35	30	18	28	29	59	35	43	30	341
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
Senator												
James Denormandie Trapelo Road Lincoln	651	320	531	193	381	497	322	876	383	517	470	5141
William J. Buckley Thoreau Street Concord	260	470	272	314	189	433	408	380	277	318	376	3697
Blanks	12	22	21	26	7	17	16	29	17	21	18	206
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
Rep. In General Court												
Chandler H. Stevens, Jr. 3 Elm Brook Road Bedford	337	174	375	95	233	305	161	597	363	421	235	3296
Paula K. Lewellyn 145 Davis Road Bedford	305	174	210	91	172	228	195	304	97	182	216	2174

George J. Odell 45 Westford Street Chelmsford	265	451	234	335	161	400	368	369	209	242	400	3434
Blanks	16	13	5	12	11	14	22	15	8	11	13	140
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
District Attorney												
John J. Droney 323 Broadway Cambridge	343	540	442	347	251	533	456	571	391	417	463	4754
James N. Gabriel 49 Sacramento St. Cambridge	549	253	368	165	307	393	273	678	267	410	376	4039
Blanks	31	19	14	21	19	21	17	36	19	29	25	251
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
Register of Probate & Insolvency												
John V. Harvey 29 Radcliffe Rd. Belmont	678	699	664	444	433	790	619	995	540	685	673	7220
Blanks	245	113	160	89	144	157	127	290	137	171	191	1824
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044

County Commissioner Ralph J. Bems, Jr. 144 Oak Street Reading	628	325	469	193	375	497	361	820	362	510	471	5011
John L. Danchy 37 Yerxa Drive Cambridge	234	448	300	290	166	402	346	380	276	286	340	3468
Blanks	61	39	55	50	36	48	39	85	39	60	53	565
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
County Treasurer Thomas B. Brennan 541 High Street Medford	671	605	632	422	418	748	592	929	531	659	628	6835
Blanks	318	141	192	111	159	199	154	356	146	197	236	2209
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
County Commissioner Frederick J. Connors 88 Powder House Blvd. Somerville	265	502	361	330	220	467	399	448	377	344	393	4066
Irene K. Thresher 100 Memorial Drive Cambridge	592	268	413	157	322	435	303	745	293	441	416	4385
Blanks	66	42	50	46	35	45	44	92	47	71	55	593
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044

Question #1

Yes	635	451	576	302	381	634	452	979	462	605	566	6043
No	143	169	174	126	119	203	154	213	155	178	152	1786
Blanks	145	192	74	105	77	110	140	98	60	73	146	1215
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044

Question #2

Yes	664	459	609	306	400	642	474	992	501	625	574	6246
No	123	169	130	121	94	183	133	185	117	145	131	1531
Blanks	136	184	85	106	83	122	139	108	59	86	159	1267
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044

Question #3

Yes	608	481	553	290	355	641	466	842	463	554	515	5768
No	148	144	181	126	132	177	131	311	139	199	182	1870
Blanks	167	187	90	117	90	129	149	132	75	103	167	1406
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044

Question #4

Yes	654	470	624	309	423	685	461	1020	526	658	568	6398
No	97	127	103	98	72	116	117	132	79	96	122	1159
Banks	172	215	97	126	82	146	168	133	72	102	174	1487
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044

Question #5												
Yes	706	503	648	330	449	710	529	1088	527	682	643	6815
No	153	185	141	153	91	177	152	144	128	138	160	1622
Blanks	64	124	35	50	37	60	65	53	22	36	61	601
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
Question #6												
Yes	552	407	525	245	355	587	393	901	449	572	485	5471
No	214	237	201	199	148	249	220	244	170	187	229	2298
Blanks	157	168	98	89	74	111	133	140	58	97	150	1275
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
Question #7A												
Yes	615	602	588	397	402	701	528	905	499	601	592	6430
No	230	154	184	84	142	172	157	309	143	198	188	1961
Blanks	78	56	52	52	33	74	61	71	35	57	84	653
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044
Question #7B												
Yes	604	596	597	386	393	706	522	904	504	599	593	6404
No	217	147	161	74	137	148	145	280	126	179	164	1778
Blanks	102	69	66	73	47	93	79	101	47	78	107	862
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044

## Question #7C

Yes	648	614	627	392	418	750	536	976	554	652	607	6774
No	173	134	134	66	112	120	126	219	73	130	149	1436
Blanks	102	64	63	75	47	77	84	90	50	74	108	884
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044

## Question #7D

Yes	617	614	609	390	411	722	523	947	532	623	595	6583
No	203	135	149	73	125	144	138	245	103	154	161	1630
Blanks	103	63	66	70	41	81	85	93	42	79	108	831
Total	923	812	824	533	577	947	746	1285	677	856	864	9044

**WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING  
DECEMBER 7, 1966  
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To Ralph J. Hulslander, Constable, or any other suitable person of the Town of Chelmsford:

**GREETING:**

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the legal voters of the Town of Chelmsford to meet in the High School Auditorium at Chelmsford, on the 7th day of December, 1966, at 8:00 o'clock P.M., then and thereto act upon the following articles, viz:

**SPECIAL TOWN MEETING  
DECEMBER 7, 1966**

Moderator Daniel J. Coughlin, Jr. called the meeting to order at 8:08 p.m. Recognizing the presence of a quorum, he entertained a motion made by Selectman William L. Harvey to waive the reading of the Constable's service of the warrent. It was so voted.

The following persons were appointed to act as tellers for the evening:

Peter Curran, Bertram Needham, Roger Welch, Robert Sullivan.

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to accept Churchill Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, and shown by their report and plans duly filed in the Office of the Town Clerk; and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, a certain sum of money for the purpose of reconstructing Churchill Road; or act in relation thereto.

**UNDER ARTICLE 1:**

Mr. Philip Bucalo moved that the Town vote to accept Churchill Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and shown by their report and plan duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk and to transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Fund the sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred and no/100 (\$3,600.00) Dollars for the purpose of reconstructing Churchill Road.

It was so voted.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to accept a gift of land from D & B Home Builders, Inc., said land being situated on the shore of Russell Mill Pond and to be held and managed by the Town of Chelmsford Conservation Commission under the terms of Mass. G.L. Chapter 40, Section 8C: or act in relation thereto.



## UNDER ARTICLE 2:

Mr. Edmund Polubinski moved that the Town vote to accept a gift of land from D & B Home Builders, Inc., said land being on the shore of Russell Mill Pond and to be held and managed by the Town of Chelmsford Conservation Commission. It was so voted.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for constructing, originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school on the Westlands School site, and to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise.

## UNDER ARTICLE 3:

Mr. Charles D. Harrington moved that articles re: Schools be taken up out of order. It was so voted.

Mr. Charles Harrington moved that One Million Two Hundred Thousand and no/100 (\$1,200,000.00) Dollars be appropriated for constructing, originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school on the Westlands School site; that to raise this appropriation the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to borrow \$1,200,000.00, as amended; and that, in the event federal funds are received for the project, the Treasurer shall reduce the amount of the bond issue by the amount of such aid received prior to the offering of the bonds for sale.

It was so voted.                      385 YES                      17 NO

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Elementary School Needs Committee to proceed with the construction, originally equipping and furnishing of said Elementary School voted upon under Article 3, and to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, including the procuring of legal and technical advice, and other data and information, and to do all other acts necessary for constructing said project; or act in relation thereto.

## UNDER ARTICLE 4:

Mr. Charles Harrington moved that the Town vote to authorize the Elementary School Needs Committee to proceed with the construction, originally equipping and furnishing of said Elementary School voted upon under Article 3, and to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, including the procuring of legal and technical advice, and other data and information, and to do all other acts necessary for constructing said project.

It was so voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to acquire by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise, in fee simple, a certain parcel of land, situated on Richardson Road in said Chelmsford and being the property of William H. Fulton, supposed to contain 13.86 acres, more or less; said land to be used as and for the site of a proposed new Elementary School, accessory buildings, and other

school facilities connected therewith, in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 14 and/or Chapter 79 of the General Laws, as amended, and, for the purpose of acquiring said land, to see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sufficient sum of money therefor; to determine how any such appropriation shall be raised, whether by transfer from any available funds, by taxation, by borrowing under the authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, by borrowing under the authority of Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948, as amended, or by any or all said methods, and, if by borrowing, to authorize the issuance of bonds or notes of the Town; or act in relation thereto.

#### UNDER ARTICLE 5:

Mr. Charles Harrington moved that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of Thirty Thousand and no/100 (\$30,000.00) Dollars. Said sum to be used by the Selectmen to acquire by purchase, eminent domain, or otherwise in fee simple a certain parcel of land situated on Richardson Road, and being the property of William H. Fulton supposed to contain 13.86 acres, more or less; said land to be used as a site of a proposed new Elementary School excessory building and other school facilities connected therewith in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 14 and Chapter 79 of the General Laws, as amended.

It was so voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of One Thousand and no/100 (\$1,000.00) Dollars for legal expenses and or services incurred or to be incurred by the Town of Chelmsford Planning Board in the prosecution of its case instituted in Middlesex Superior Court against the Board of Appeals and William H. Fulton, et al; or act in relation thereto.

#### UNDER ARTICLE 6:

Mr. Bradford Emerson moved that the Town vote to transfer from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of One Thousand and no/100 (\$1,000.00) Dollars for legal expenses for services incurred or to be incurred by the Town of Chelmsford Planning Board in the prosecution of its case against the Board of Appeals and William H. Fulton.

It was so voted, unanimously.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing a road grader to be used by the Highway Department, said purchase to be made under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen; or act in relation thereto.

#### UNDER ARTICLE 7:

Mr. William Harvey moved to dismiss Article 7; regarding purchase of graders.

It was so voted.

ARTICLE 8. In the event of an affirmative vote under the above article, to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell by good and sufficient bill of sales two road graders now being used by the Highway Department; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 8:

Mr. Gerald Lannan moved to dismiss Article 8, regarding the sale of two road graders.

It was so voted.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law for the Town of Chelmsford under Section VII, entitled "Noise-Dirt and Smoke Standard," Section 7.1 by adding after the words "residence District" the words "or existing residential use."

UNDER ARTICLE 9. Mr. Bradford Emerson moved that the Town vote to amend the Town of Chelmsford Zoning By-Law under Section VII, entitled "Noise-Dirt and Smoke Standard," Section 7.1 by adding after the words "residence district" the words "or existing residential use."

Dismissed.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law for the Town of Chelmsford, Section V entitled, "Use and Intensity Regulations 5.3 entitled Use Regulations Schedule under the subtitle Residential Uses, by changing the letter "A" to the letter "O" Apartment Houses in "R.C." District.

UNDER ARTICLE 10:

Mr. Bradford Emerson moved to amend the Zoning By-Law for the Town of Chelmsford, Section V entitled, "Use and Intensity Regulations 5.3 entitled Use Regulations Schedule under the subtitle Residential Uses, by changing the letter "A" to the letter "O" Apartment Houses in "R.C." District.

It was so voted.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the town will vote to rescind the action taken under Article 28 at the annual town meeting on March 14, 1966, in which they voted that \$1,400,000.00 be appropriated for constructing originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school and that said appropriation be borrowed on bond issues.

UNDER ARTICLE 11:

Mr. Charles Harrington moved that the Town vote to rescind the action taken under Article 28 at the annual meeting of March 14, 1966, in which they voted that \$1,400,000.00 be appropriated for constructing, originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school.

It was so voted, unanimously.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for constructing, originally equipping and furnishing an ele-

mentary school on the Richardson Road site, and to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise.

UNDER ARTICLE 12:

Mr. Charles Harrington moved that One Million Four Hundred Thousand and no/100 (\$1,400,000.00) Dollars be appropriated for constructing, originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school on the Richardson Road site; that to raise this appropriation the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is authorized to borrow \$1,400,000.00 as amended; and that, in the event federal funds are received for the project, the Treasurer shall reduce the amount of the bond issue by the amount of such aid received prior to the offering of the bonds for sale.

It was so voted, unanimously.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Elementary School Needs Committee to proceed with the construction, originally equipping and furnishing of said Elementary School voted upon under Article 12, and to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, including the procuring of legal and technical advice, and other data and information, and to do all other acts necessary for constructing said project; or act in relation thereto.

UNDER ARTICLE 13:

Mr. Charles Harrington moved that the Town authorize the Elementary School Needs Committee to proceed with the construction, originally equipping and furnishing of said Elementary School voted upon under Article 12, and to enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, including the procuring of legal and technical advice, and other data and information, and to do all other acts necessary for constructing said project.

It was so voted, unanimously.

Mr. Gerald Lannan moved that the Town Meeting be dismissed at 9:45 p.m.

Daniel J. Coughlin, Jr. Moderator      Charlotte P. DeWolfe, Town Clerk

AND YOU ARE DIRECTED to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the McFarlin School - All Purpose Room, Cafeteria - North School, Band Room - Jr. High, East Chelmsford School, Liberty Hall - So. Chelmsford, Auditorium - Westlands School, Auditorium - North School, Small Gymnasium - High School, Cafeteria - So. Row School, Play Room - So. Row School, Library - Westlands School, seven days at least, before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

HEREOF FAIL NOT and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding this meeting aforesaid.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS this 28 day of November 1966.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN                      Howard E. Humphrey  
    William L. Harvey      Gerald J. Lannan

*COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS*

MIDDLESEX, SS.

November 29, 1966

Pursuant of the Within Warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Chelmsford by posting up attested copies of same at the following places, wit: McFarlin School - All Purpose Room, Cafeteria North School, Band Room - Jr. High, East Chelmsford School, Liberty Hall - So. Chelmsford, Auditorium - Westlands School, Auditorium - North School, Small Gymnasium - High School, Cafeteria - So. Row School, Play Room - So. Row School, Library - Westlands School, seven days, at least, before the time appointed for holding the meeting aforesaid.

RALPH J. HULSLANDER

Constable of Chelmsford

A true copy, Attest:

RALPH J. HULSLANDER

Constable of Chelmsford

# Public Welfare

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN'S' SERVICES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen  
Town of Chelmsford

Gentlemen:

During the year 1966 monetary and material aid was granted to 56 cases representing 141 persons.

This department during the past year has assisted numerous veterans seeking information and assistance concerning personal problems.

Your Agent continues to work in close co-operation with the Veterans Administration, assisting in aiding veterans in need of hospitalization or medical care.

Year	Budget	Expenditures
1965	\$25,750.00	\$25,526.00
1966	28,165.00	30,605.00

Respectfully submitted,

Terrence E. O'Rourke  
Veterans' Agent

**WELFARE DEPARTMENT**

Paul MacMillan, Director

Howard Humphrey, Chairman

William Harvey

Gerald Lannan



Old Age Assistance and Medical Assistance for the Aged, and Medic Aide General Relief  
 Aid to Dependent Children  
 Disability Assistance  
 Administration Expenses

	Spent	Chelmsford	U.S. Grant	State	Other
	\$500,430.44	\$42,835.92	\$154,404.96	\$ 86,021.69	\$17,167.87
	5,013.03	5,013.03			
	72,660.80	11,607.78	26,628.00	26,480.37	7,944.65*
	35,128.73	7,301.10	12,860.00	14,316.53	651.10*
	35,183.23	838.20	20,769.74	13,575.29	*
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$448,416.23</b>	<b>\$67,596.03</b>	<b>\$214,662.70</b>	<b>\$140,393.88</b>	<b>\$25,763.62**</b>

\* Include Recoveries of \$16,055.00

\*\* Include Recoveries of \$ 115.05

In 1966 there were 134 applications. ADC 22 approved, 4 denied; DA 7 approved, 1 denied; OAA 13 approved; MA 72 approved, 2 denied; General Relief 9.

On March 31 Director Arthur Cooke retired. Director Paul MacMillan was appointed April 1. February 28 Mrs. Barbara Muul was appointed Social Worker.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Paul MacMillan, Director

**VETERAN'S EMERGENCY FUND****TREASURER'S REPORT TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

January 1, 1966 to December 31, 1966

**RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS**

Balance on Hand January 1, 1966		\$4,185.36
Add - Receipts:		
The Central Savings Bank, Lowell, Mass.		
Dividends	\$ 65.88	
The First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Lowell, Mass.		
Dividends	110.50	
Total Receipts		\$ 176.38
Total:		\$4,361.74
Deduct: Disbursements		None
Balance on Hand December 31, 1966		\$4,361.74

**ASSETS**

December 31, 1966

Town of Chelmsford, General Treasury, on Deposit		\$ 136.38
The Central Savings Bank, Lowell, Mass.		
On Deposit, Book No. 128790	\$1,570.11	
Deposit in transit	55.25	\$1,625.36
First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Lowell, formerly Middlesex Cooperative Bank, Lowell, Mass.		
Ten (10) Paid-Up Shares		
Certificate No. 3025	\$2,000.00	
Three (3) Matured Shares,		
Certificate No. 2380	600.00	\$2,600.00
Total Assets:		\$4,361.74

**LIABILITIES**

Total Liabilities	None
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Respectfully submitted,

Town of Chelmsford,  
Veterans' Emergency Fund

Charlotte P. DeWolf, Treasurer



# Financial Reports

## REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER

Balance January 1, 1966	\$1,209,850.47
Receipts to December 31, 1966	8,824,166.49
	<u>\$10,034,016.96</u>
Paid out on 227 Warrants	9,557,678.29
Balance December 31, 1966	<u>\$ 476,338.67</u>

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Levy of 1965	Outstanding	
Personal Property	436.80	
Real Estate	1,367.20	
Excise	5,198.69	
		<u>\$ 7,002.69</u>
 Levy of 1966		
Personal Property	2,627.50	
Real Estate	48,853.55	
Excise	3,769.34	
		<u>\$55,250.39</u>
Total outstanding for 1966		<u>\$55,250.39</u>
Total outstanding for all years		<u>\$62,253.08</u>

Respectfully submitted,  
 Charlotte P. DeWolf  
 Town Clerk, Treasurer  
 Tax Collector

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS**

Warren Wright, Chairman

Claude A. Harvey



Charles A. House

The following table is presented as a comparison of the financial and physical growth of the town in the last six years:

	1961	1966	Increase	Per Cent
Number of motor vehicles	9,511	14,954	5,443	57%
Motor vehicle excise tax	\$353,167.00	\$630,600.00	\$277,433.00	78%
Number of dwellings	4,732	6,457	1,725	37%
Real Estate valuation	\$19,872,460.00	\$32,719,870.00	\$12,847,410.00	64%
Personal property valuation	\$2,474,505.00	\$3,425,213.00	\$950,708.00	30%

**RECAPITULATION**

	1965	1966
Town appropriations:		
(Voted by Town Meetings)	\$4,951,650.00	\$5,739,939.74
State assessments	19,920.82	18,915.01
County tax and hospital assessments	78,222.29	93,248.43
Overlay	139,395.20	176,813.20
<b>Gross Amount to Be Raised</b>	<b>\$5,189,188.31</b>	<b>\$6,023,916.38</b>

## ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

	1965	1966
Town- All revenue derived from motor vehicle excise and all departmental receipts	\$488,003.31	\$645,706.00
Total amount from state and authorized on Cherry Sheet including sales tax estimates	\$416,603.66	\$1,270,063.68
	<u>\$904,606.97</u>	<u>\$1,915,769.68</u>
Available funds (From Excess and Deficiency Account: Unexpended balances from previous years)	\$1,084,710.49	\$493,638.40
Total estimated receipts and available funds	\$1,989,317.46	\$2,409,408.08
Total to be raised by taxation	<u>\$3,199,870.85</u>	<u>\$3,614,508.30</u>

\$3,614,508.30 to be raised on personal and real estate taxes (levied and collected by the town).

The Board wishes at this time to thank all town officials and departments for the cooperation extended to them during the past year and wishes to especially extend their appreciation to the members of our staff who have performed so conscientiously and efficiently.

## SINKING FUND COMMISSION

### REPORT OF THE INSURANCE SINKING FUND COMMISSIONERS

Town of Chelmsford, Massachusetts

	12/31/65	Interest	Withdrawal	Purchase	12/31/66
Central Savings 147157	\$50,954.37	\$2,449.05			\$53,403.42
Lowell 5c Savings 105588	10,347.93	436.83	\$10,227.45		557.31
Lowell 5c Savings 99250	1,869.07	85.05	85.05		1,869.07
10MN H Pub Ser 6 ½ 96				\$10,312.50	10,312.50
	\$63,171.37	\$2,970.93	\$10,312.50	\$10,312.50	\$66,142.30

Respectfully Submitted,

HAROLD A. FRASER, *Chairman*

Insurance Sinking Fund Commissioners

GEORGE A. WATSON, *Secretary*

EUSTACE B. FISKE, *Treasurer*

**TOWN ACCOUNTANT**

Nathaniel M. Sweet

The expenditures for the year 1966 amounted to \$9,557,678.29 and the receipts for the year 1966 amounted to \$8,824,166.49.

The books, records and reports, in further detail, are always open to townspeople and the Accounting Dept. is always willing to assist any voter or resident, in answering any questions regarding same.

**THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Department of Corporations and Taxation

Bureau of Accounts

State Office Building, Government Center

100 Cambridge Street, Boston, Mass. 02202

Board of Selectmen

Chelmsford, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

This is to certify that the books and accounts of the town of Chelmsford were audited by the Bureau of Accounts, Department of Corporations and Taxation, as of August 20, 1966, at which time they were found to be correct with all funds properly accounted for.

A detailed report of the audit will be forwarded as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

Signed, William Schwartz

Assistant Chief of Bureau

## TOWN OF CHELMSFORD

Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1966

## GENERAL ACCOUNT

## LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

## ASSETS

Cash - General	\$ 476,338.67	Payroll Deductions:	
Revenue Investment	300,000.00	Federal Taxes	42,990.48
Advance for Petty Cash:		State Taxes	4,741.73
Treasurer	\$ 50.00	County Retirement	5,099.18
Collector	100.00	Blue Cross, Blue Shield	
Town Clerk	25.00	P.I.C.	2,328.88
		Group Insurance	221.46
			<u>55,381.73</u>
Accounts Receivable:		Tailings:	
Taxes:		Unclaimed Checks	1,913.29
Levy of 1965:		Treas. & Coll. Overage	138.88
Personal Property	436.80		<u>2,052.17</u>
Real Estate	1,367.20		
		Gifts & Bequests:	
Levy of 1966:		School - Estate of	
Personal Property	2,627.50	Susan B. MacFarlin	
Real Estate	48,853.55	Trust Funds:	
		Veterans' Emergency Fund	136.38
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise:		Cash in lieu of Bonds	35,095.00
Levy of 1965	5,198.69		<u>35,231.38</u>
Levy of 1966	3,769.34	Recoveries:	
		Old Age Assistance	4,950.00
Taxes Under Litigation	8,968.03		
	8,417.99		

Taxes Titles & Possessions:			
Tax Titles	11,746.04		
Tax Possessions	825.83		
Departmental Accounts:			
Park Department	90.00		
Fire Department	80.00		
Welfare Department	253.26		
Veterans Benefits	5,776.47		
Cemetery Department	1,697.50		
Cemetery P/C Bequest	1,140.00		
Aid to Highways:			
State	45,007.01		
County	26,700.00		
Estimated Receipts to be Collected:			
Cash Discrepancy 1962		310.20	
Unprovided for or Overdrawn Accounts:			
Overlay 1962	165.60		
Overlay 1965	1,927.20		
County Taxes	20,621.74		
State Parks & Reservations	2,606.66		
Employee Pension Expense	12,654.55		
		71,707.01	
Disability Assistance			115.05
Federal Grants:			
Disability Assistance:			
Administration	1,429.39		
Aid	8,087.54		
Aid to Dependent Children:			
Administration	8,696.22		
Aid	5,924.17		
Old Age Assistance:			
Administration	3,697.99		
Aid	47,535.03		
Medical Assistance:			
Administration	935.86		
Aid	19,543.66		
			95,849.86
Revolving Funds:			
School Athletic	1,425.96		
School Lunch	9,880.67		
Public Law 874	47,863.85		
Public Law 89	735.00		
George Barden Vocational Fund	7,267.09		
Tax Title Foreclosure Fees	6.00		
			67,178.57
Non Revenue Accounts:			
Construction:			
Boston Road School		106,947.53	
	37,975.75		
			5,065.05

Unused Authorization:			
Loan to Construct School	2,600,000.00		
Transfer from Stabilization Fund to Purchase Fire Truck	<u>21,364.00</u>		
		2,621,364.00	
Junior High School	53,957.61		
Addition to High School Highway Garage	14,923.63		
Cemetery Equipment	122.54		
	<u>752.29</u>		176,703.60
Sale of Real Estate	899.87		
Sale of Cemetery Lots	1,409.50		
Sale of Dogs Due the County	39.00		
Dog Licenses Due the County	73.25		
Reserve for Road Machinery	<u>19,050.50</u>		21,472.12
Overlay Reserve for Abateements:			
Levy of 1966	1,202.00		
Revenue	<u>8,983.93</u>		10,185.93
Appropriation Balances			79,238.85
Chapter 90 Construction	34,841.19		
Chapter 679, Section 5	1,243.74		
Construct Auxiliary Building			
MacFarlin School	3,581.46		
Elementary School needs	14,631.75		
State Aid to Library	<u>7,565.00</u>		62,163.14
Revenue Reserve until Collected:			
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise			8,959.78



Tax Titles & Possessions	12,571.87	
Taxes Under Litigation	8,417.99	
Departmental	9,037.23	
State & County Aid o Highway	<u>71,707.01</u>	110,693.88
Authorization to:		
Borrow to Construct		
School	2,600,000.00	
Transfer from Trust Funds to Purchase Pumper	<u>21,364.00</u>	2,621,364.00
Reserve for Petty Cash		175.00
Surplus Revenue (C & D)		<u>257,295.52</u>
		\$3,600,150.80
<b>Total Assets</b>	<u>\$3,600,150.80</u>	
		<b>Total Liabilities &amp; Reserve</b>
		<u>\$3,600,150.80</u>

## DISBURSEMENTS

	1966	1965
<b>GENERAL GOVERNMENT:</b>		
Moderator's Salary	\$ 150.00	\$ 150.00
Selectmen - Salaries, Expense, Outlays	6,467.84	6,802.46
Town Accountant - Salaries, Expenses, Outlays	20,818.77	19,137.61
Treasurer - Collector - Salaries, Expenses, Outlays	27,923.30	26,134.00
Assesors - Salaries, Expenses, Outlays	29,278.87	27,741.22
Town Clerk - Salaries, Expenses, Outlays	9,729.45	10,096.30
Law - Salary, Legal Services, Expenses	6,511.30	5,228.17
Elections - Wages & Expenses	6,596.08	1,295.00
Registrars - Salaries & Expense	4,939.74	5,732.77
Finance Committee Expense	45.50	35.00
Planning Board - Clerk Hire, Expense, Outlays	5,879.50	1,661.58
Board of Appeals - Clerk Hire & Expenses	1,504.03	1,311.10
Personnel Board - Expense	205.20	304.01
Public Buildings - (Town Hall) Salaries, Expenses, Outlays	15,603.07	16,738.64
Town Forest Committee - Expenses & Outlays	670.60	850.47
Conservation Commission - Expense	630.26	146.89
Recreation Commission	19,845.45	18,307.98
Historical Commission	119.51	.00
Up-dating Town History Committee	1,062.63	.00
Total General Government	\$ 157,981.10	\$ 141,673.20

**PUBLIC SAFETY:****POLICE DEPARTMENT:**

Salaries	\$ 222,020.18	\$ 176,634.15
Expense & Outlays	20,197.00	15,758.16
Four Cruisers Purchased	5,419.20	5,990.00
Construction New Police Station	32,352.18	125,463.00
Total Police Protection	\$ 279,988.56	\$ 323,845.31

**FIRE DEPARTMENT:**

Salaries	\$ 202,324.62	\$ 191,633.27
Salaries		
Expenses & Outlays	16,730.56	14,413.71
Pick-up Truck	.00	.00

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Station Wagon	.00	2,374.00
Purchase Land for New Fire Station	.00	1,100.00
Dispose Old Fire Station (South)	750.00	.00
Construct New Station (South)	40,274.10	.00
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Total Fire Department	\$ 260,079.28	\$ 209,520.98

## MISCELLANEOUS PROTECTION:

Moth, Tree Warden, Dutch Elm, Mosquito,		
Poison Ivy - Labor & Expense	\$ 29,240.29	\$ 31,020.38
Hydrant Service	35,300.00	28,800.00
Wire Inspection - Salary & Expense	4,349.87	3,568.33
Dog Officer - Salary & Fees (killings)	500.00	500.00
Animal Inspectors Salary	750.00	750.00
Building Inspector - Salary, Fees & Expenses	7,250.99	6,383.06
Sealer of Weights & Measures - Salary & Expenses	447.04	437.40
Gas Inspection - Salary & Expense	2,708.74	1,216.07
Civilian Defense - Expenses & Outlays	4,297.09	1,624.92
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Total Miscs. Protection	\$ 84,844.02	\$ 74,300.16
Total Public Safety	624,911.86	607,666.45

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT:

Salaries & Expenses	\$ 38,471.10	\$ 36,279.64
Quarantine & Contagious Disease & Vaccine Treatment	170.84	6,072.22
Collection of Garbage	26,300.00	19,300.00
Animal Disposal Fees	800.00	750.00
Visual & Hearing Testing Program	4,408.00	4,452.00
Care of Premature Children	492.00	624.00
Outlays	150.00	445.40
Mental Health & Child Guidance	750.00	750.00
Sewer Advisory Committee Expense	46.35	
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Total Health Department	\$ 71,588.29	\$ 68,673.26

## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

Salary & Wages	\$ 130,213.40	\$ 184,223.38
Gasoline & Oil	6,997.79	9,134.41
Fuel, Light & Water	2,687.98	2,649.39
Telephone & Office Expense	895.93	800.00
Street Signs	933.25	1,489.78
Miscellaneous Expense	598.71	348.80
Highway, Bridges & Drainage-Materials	24,781.27	24,924.64
Miscellaneous Equipment & Small Tols	1,318.51	1,383.40
Construction	19,650.95	19,854.45

Road Machinery Repairs	11,915.85	13,897.89
Snow & Ice Removal	86,811.22	41,018.14
Chapter 90 - Maintenance & Reconstruction	56,674.87	54,288.58
Reconstruction - Variance Streets (Approved Town Meeting)	2,801.28	1,637.67
Purchase of Road Equipment	27,941.14	41,991.00
Machinery Hire & Depreciation	10,405.00	11,269.00
Chapter 679 - Highway Improvement	21,804.98	.00
Chapter 822 - Highway Improvement	.00	64.06
Outlays	.00	7,999.93
Waste Collections	68,591.20	.00
Sidewalks	4,561.40	.00
<b>Total Highway Department</b>	<b>\$ 479,584.73</b>	<b>\$ 416,974.52</b>
<b>STREET LIGHTING:</b>		
Expense of Street Lights	\$ 28,521.00	\$ 24,965.17
<b>CHARITIES DEPARTMENT:</b>		
Salaries	\$ 30,146.98	\$ 26,079.05
General Welfare:		
Relief - Other Cities & Towns	00	.00
Relief - Cash & Material Grants & Burials	5,013.03	7,750.14
Disability Assistance	35,223.88	29,536.10
Aid to Dependent Children	74,495.58	66,163.65
Old Age Assistance & Medical Assistance to Aged	303,986.76	261,157.80
<b>Total Charities Department</b>	<b>\$ 448,866.23</b>	<b>\$ 390,686.74</b>
<b>VETERAN'S BENEFITS DEPARTMENT:</b>		
Salaries & Expenses	\$ 1,750.30	\$ 1,669.20
Cash & Material Grants	28,301.84	23,857.66
Outlays	.00	.00
<b>Total Veteran's Benefits Department</b>	<b>\$ 30,052.14</b>	<b>\$ 25,526.86</b>
<b>SCHOOL DEPARTMENT:</b>		
Salaries	\$2,225,211.29	\$1,876,919.63
Administration	3,449.75	9,876.30
Educational Supplies & Services	137,143.77	110,107.07
Fuel, Light & Water	90,418.53	61,835.64
Repairs	30,002.64	29,998.23
Janitors' & Nurses' Supplies & Expense	10,798.96	9,799.72
New & Replacement of Equipment	25,010.67	10,999.82
Playgrounds	990.35	999.90
Transportation	233,813.70	201,208.65

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Vocational School Expense	6,074.38	4,746.67
Adult Evening Education	8,149.06	6,244.73
Total School Expense	\$2,771,063.10	\$2,322,736.36

## SCHOOL REVOLVING FUNDS:

Cafeteria	\$ 280,887.85	\$ 224,064.56
Athletic Program	21,997.52	17,064.85
Public Law No. 874	107,127.37	117,451.45
George Barden Vocational Fund	2,925.00	1,250.00
Public Law 89-10	15,346.91	.00
Total School Revolving Funds	\$ 428,284.65	\$ 359,830.86
Construction of New School Buildings	222,644.78	1,242,578.02
Elementary School Needs Committee	10,051.75	2,061.25
Regional Vocational Planning Board	.00	860.36
Total School Department	\$3,432,044.28	\$3,928,066.85
Regional Vocational School Committee	\$ 18,919.00	.00

## LIBRARY DEPARTMENT:

Salaries	\$ 43,954.06	\$ 37,107.45
Repairs & Maintenance of Buildings	568.60	1,915.96
Fuel, Light & Water	3,356.57	2,831.82
Books & Periodicals	16,767.32	15,541.42
Other Expense	3,319.05	2,934.68
Outlays	17,971.90	37,562.06
Transfer to Pay Bills Account	7.75	.00
Total Library Department	\$ 85,945.25	\$ 97,893.39

## RECREATIONAL &amp; UNCLASSIFIED ACCOUNTS:

Park Department - Wages, Expenses, Outlays	\$ 6,075.12	\$ 5,271.81
Varney Playground - Wages, Expenses, Outlays	2,410.46	1,475.71
Edward Memorial Beach - Wages, Expenses, Outlays	1,969.64	2,170.30
Unpaid Bills of Previous Years	551.09	3,234.37
Memorial Day Expense	1,463.80	1,499.80
Town Clock - Winding & Maintenance	305.67	506.89
Insurance:		
Life & Health Employees - Town Share	41,379.13	35,195.36
General	50,888.28	51,263.62
Town & Finance Committee Reports	3,121.14	3,113.30
Workmen's Compensation Claims	1,144.00	1,144.00
Constables Salary	110.00	36.00

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Conservation Fund	10,000.00	30,300.00
Purchase of Land for School Purposes	.00	36,875.00
Provide Quarters for		
Disabled Veterans	299.97	.00
Seizure of Land - Cemetery Purposes	.00	.00
Tax Title Foreclosure Costs	116.00	274.00
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Total Recreational & Unclassified Accounts	\$ 119,834.30	\$ 172,360.16

## CEMETERY DEPARTMENT:

Salaries	\$ 7,442.00	\$ 7,200.00
Special Labor for lot Owners	499.41	497.87
Labor - General	8,384.05	7,487.24
Interments	2,997.75	2,931.34
Repairs to Equipment & Expense	3,813.56	3,609.69
Additional Salary of Town Clerk	250.00	250.00
Supplies, Expenses of Town Clerk	.50	50.00
Improvement Project - P/C Cemeteries	1,993.37	12,310.68
Construct Addition to Garage	3,500.00	.00
Outlays	1,848.05	834.00
Superintendent's Transportation	250.00	250.00
Restore Wooden Fence (Hart Pond)	2,974.00	.00
Hot Top Roads	4,390.00	.00
Beautification of LaDuke's Lot	10.00	.00
Interest P/C Deposits	133.75	.00
Cemetery Equipment (Water)	5,445.63	.00
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Total Cemetery Department	\$ 43,932.07	\$ 35,420.82

## NON REVENUE ACCOUNTS:

Carbonated Beverage Permits		
Due the State	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00
Sunday Entertainment Licenses		
Due the State	650.00	674.00
Payroll Deduction - Federal, State Taxes, County Retirement, Blue Cross, & Life Insurance	585,969.17	408,610.73
County Retirement, Pension Expense	70,704.03	52,097.79
State & County Assessments	124,952.19	99,956.33
Dog License Fees due County -		
From sale of Dogs for County	4,939.75	4,703.75
Cemetery Perpetual care Bequests & Int.	6,895.00	6,889.25
Tax Levy Refunds	56,475.17	51,499.56
Miscellaneous Refunds	398.82	24.00
Performance Bonds -		
Custody of Treasurer	36,814.50	14,045.50
Insurance Claims	.00	.00

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Sewerage Survey	.00	.00
Tailings	.00	131.10

Total Non-Revenues Accounts	\$ 887,808.63	\$ 638,642.01
Revenue Cash Investment	\$ 900,000.00	\$ 900,000.00

## INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT:

Interest - Bonded Debt	\$ 163,792.75	\$ 176,882.50
Interest - Anticipation of Revenue & Reimbursement Loans	28,796.66	12,143.17
Bonded Debt	443,700.00	441,000.00
Anticipation of Revenue & Reimbursement Loans	1,591,400.00	1,022,800.00

Total Interest & Maturing Debts	\$2,227,689.41	\$1,652,825.67
Total Payments for the Year	9,557,678.29	8,201,375.10
Cash on Hand as of December 31st.	476,338.67	1,209,850.47

Total Payments & Cash on Hand as of December 31st.	\$10,034,016.96	\$9,411,225.57
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## RECEIPT

## GENERAL REVENUE:

Poll Taxes	\$ 4.00	\$ 26.00
Personal Property Taxes	343,897.13	310,469.01
Real Estate Taxes	3,143,557.79	2,768,371.33
Farm Animal Excise Taxes	378.14	388.26
Motor Vehicles Excise Taxes	607,009.71	553,358.55
Tax Title Redemptions	3,574.95	2,713.64
Total Taxes	\$4,098,421.72	\$3,635,326.79

## FROM STATE:

Apportionment Basis	\$ 196,831.13	\$
Income Taxes		44,493.79
Corporation Tax	16,790.08	122,416.29
School - Chapter 69, 70, 71	348,850.16	263,491.57
Old Age - Meals Tax	11,139.19	9,300.68
Total Taxes from State	\$ 573,610.56	\$ 439,702.33
Court Fines	\$ 659.00	\$ 307.46
Permits, Fees and Licenses	26,828.50	24,945.50
Total Fines and Permits	\$ 27,487.50	\$ 25,252.96

## GRANTS AND GIFTS:

County:		
Dog Licenses	\$ 2,837.26	\$ 2,196.10
Chapter 90 - Highway Funds	10,500.65	3,599.11
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Total Grants and Gifts for County	\$ 13,337.91	\$ 5,795.21
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## Federal Government:

Disability Assistance	\$ 14,238.19	\$ 11,373.56
Aid to Dependent Children	38,268.14	30,892.40
Old Age Assistance	59,457.40	67,978.06
Medical Aid to Aged	102,724.97	79,466.88
Under Public Law - 874	134,474.11	90,976.55
Under Public Law - 89-10	21,939.00	
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Total Grants & Gifts from Federal Government	\$ 371,101.81	\$ 280,687.45
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## State:

Jr. High School Equipment	\$ 11,110.54	\$
Care of Premature Children	330.00	
Quarantine of Contagious Diseases	1,959.34	
Chapter 90 - Highway Funds	2,394.29	8,698.21
Aid to Industrial School	2,121.50	2,346.53
Reimbursement - Construction & Furnishing & Equipping New Schools	230,932.48	255,482.48
Abatement Real Estate Taxes - Paraplegic Veterans	3,465.00	4,104.00
Tuition & Transportation - State Wards	9,576.74	
School Aid & Transportation	81,858.00	151,255.00
School Cafeteria - Reimbursement from State	58,393.20	60,315.80
Youth Service Board Counsellors	4,500.00	
George Barden Vocational Fund	3,660.00	1,250.00
Aid to Public Libraries	3,782.50	3,782.50
Highway Improvement 1 Chapter 822	23,048.72	
Reimbursement Conservation Comm.	15,000.00	
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Total Grants & Gifts from State	\$ 476,132.31	\$ 487,234.52
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Total Grants & Gifts	\$ 860,572.03	\$ 773,717.18
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## DEPARTMENTAL RECEIPTS:

Selectmen	\$ 419.50	\$ 264.50
Treasurer & Collector	601,055.46	1,250.50



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Town Clerk	3,833.24	3,599.25
Assessors	41.00	174.00
Registrars	298.50	251.00
Board of Appeals	1,385.00	1,200.00
Planning Board	402.50	768.00
Public Buildings	240.00	355.00
Police	1,174.75	323.00
Fire	54.50	288.00
Building Inspector	6,693.00	7,665.50
Sealer, Weights & Measures	760.80	
Wire Inspection	4,973.50	3,519.00
Gas Piping Inspector	3,135.50	1,995.00
Health		228.00
Highway	22,584.38	20,601.31
Dog Officer	465.00	363.00
Tree Warden	3,755.00	2,267.50

## WELFARE:

General Relief - Other Cities & Towns & State	\$ 1,300.31	\$ 1,673.16
Disability Assistance from State	14,579.23	12,136.69
Aid to Dependent Children from State	29,801.39	24,511.00
Old Age Assistance from State	30,288.25	30,047.54
Old Age Assistance from Other Cities & Towns	.00	.00
Old Age Assistance from Recoveries	16,055.00	11,499.65
Medical Aid to Aged from State	65,725.01	52,943.90
Veterans Benefits from State	17,325.52	6,678.08
Aid to Dependent Children from Recoveries	.00	510.00

## SCHOOL:

Lunch-Cafeteria Cash from Sales	\$ 216,509.25	\$ 166,913.30
Tuition, Rents & Misc. Receipts	5,608.46	4,806.90
Athletic Program	12,563.85	6,869.21

## LIBRARY:

Fines	\$ 2,923.13	\$ 2,581.68
Miscellaneous	160.70	163.25

## CEMETERY:

Sale of Lots & Graves	\$ 2,242.00	\$ 2,382.00
Interments, Labor, Materials, Use of Equipment	5,444.00	4,546.00
Annual Care	1,311.50	1,391.50
Reimbursement to Town for Care of Lots & Graves	4,000.00	4,000.00
Miscellaneous Receipts	4.00	6.00

Total Departmental Receipts	<u>\$1,077,113.23</u>	<u>\$ 378,772.42</u>
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## MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:

Temporary Loans:		
Anticipation of Revenue from Taxes	\$1,500,000.00	\$1,000,000.00
Anticipation of		
Reimbursement - Chapter 90	35,800.00	55,600.00
Bond Issue, Jr. High School	.00	.00
Loan Premium:	.00	.00
Cemetery Loan	3,500.00	12,700.00
Interest:		
Taxes	4,539.22	4,632.09
Deposits	19,522.56	40,295.85
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Total from Loans & Interest	\$1,563,361.78	\$1,113,227.94
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## MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS:

Refunds, Received -		
Sundry Accounts	\$ 11,115.92	\$ 38,158.28
Demands - Tax Delinquents	3,843.87	4,192.26
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Total Miscellaneous Receipts	\$ 14,959.79	\$ 42,350.54
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## DEDUCTIONS &amp; AGENCY ACCOUNTS:

Withheld from Employees:		
Federal Taxes	\$ 414,954.71	\$ 326,410.49
State Taxes	46,348.66	37,167.61
County Retirement	56,047.32	48,472.79
Blue Cross-Blue Shield-P.I.C.	16,320.43	14,305.73
Group Life Insurance	1,871.68	1,582.56
Cemetery Perpetual Care Bequests	6,895.00	6,915.00
Licenses Fees		
Collected from County (Dog)	4,612.50	4,426.00
States Share - Bottling License	10.00	10.00
Cash in Lieu of Bonds	59,939.50	6,810.00
States Share - Sunday		
Entertainment Licenses	650.00	674.00
Town's Share - State		
Withholding Tax	247.94	203.61
Insurance Claims	585.57	.00
Transfer from Library Funds		
for Expenditures	156.57	27,034.76
Federal Grant for Sewer Survey	.00	.00
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Total Deductions & Agencies	\$ 608,639.88	\$ 474,012.55
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Total Receipts	\$8,824,166.49	\$6,882,362.71
Cash on Hand as of Jan. 1st.	1,209,850.47	2,528,862.86
Audit Adjustment	.00	.00
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Total Receipts & Cash on Hand - as of January 1st.	\$10,034,016.96	\$9,411,225.57
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TRUST AND SECURITIES ACCOUNTS

	Balance 12/31/65	New Funds & Income	Payments	Balance 12/31/66
Custody of Library Trustees				
Amos F. Adams	\$ 13,138.20	\$ 615.05		\$ 13,753.25
Albert H. Davis	418.92	19.04		437.96
Mary Proctor	4,761.17	195.18		4,956.35
George Memorial	2,647.72	113.69		2,761.41
George Cemetery	1,272.51	54.63		1,327.14
Joseph E. Warren	698.31	29.98		728.29
Adams Emerson	88.24	3.78		92.02
Selina Richardson	235.44	10.09		245.53
Francis Clark	642.39	29.21		671.60
Gertrude Wright	1,074.44	43.38		1,117.82
Victor E. Edwards	1,267.08	57.65		1,324.73
Clements	9,396.58	427.56		9,824.14
N. B. Edwards	1,132.26	48.63		1,180.89
Charles W. Flint	2,089.31	89.72		2,179.03
Frederick B. Edwards	11,933.85	512.55		12,446.40
Custody of Sinking Fund Commissioner				
Insurance Investment	64,219.81	2,970.93		67,190.74
Custody of Town Treasure				
Stabilization	21,364.61	972.20		22,336.81
Conservation		10,212.50		10,212.50
Adams Emerson	327.95	14.05		342.00
Cemetery P/C	126,195.65	11,702.57	\$ 4,000.00	133,898.22

Custody of Selectmen		259.83
Emma Gay Varney Playground	249.14	10.69
Custody of Veterans Emergency Committee	4,048.98	176.38
Veteran's Emergency Fund	\$ 267,202.56	\$ 28,309.46
		\$ 4,000.00

\* This amount does not include \$136.38 in General Cash.

**DEBT STATEMENT**

	Outstanding 12/31/65	Int. Rate	Paid In 1966	Outstanding 12/31/66	Principal Due in 1967	Int. Due In 1967
Construction Loan						
North School	\$ 190,000.00	1.70%	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 160,000.00	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 2,465.00
Center School	160,000.00	2.70%	55,000.00	105,000.00	55,000.00	2,835.00
North Fire Station	2,000.00	3.25%	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	32.50
High School, #1 Issue	600,000.00	3.50%	50,000.00	550,000.00	50,000.00	18,375.00
High School, #2 Issue	1,120,000.00	3.20%	90,000.00	1,030,000.00	90,000.00	31,520.00
Highway Garages	50,000.00	3.40%	5,000.00	45,000.00	5,000.00	1,445.00
Boston Road School	750,000.00	3.50%	50,000.00	700,000.00	50,000.00	23,625.00
Addition to High School	340,000.00	2.70%	50,000.00	290,000.00	50,000.00	7,830.00
Junior High School	2,065,000.00	3.25%	110,000.00	1,955,000.00	110,000.00	61,750.00
Cemetery Equipment	12,700.00	3.25%	2,700.00	10,000.00	2,700.00	325.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,289,700.00</b>		<b>\$443,700.00</b>	<b>\$4,846,000.00</b>	<b>\$443,700.00</b>	<b>\$150,202.50</b>

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