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Town of Brownville 2016



Annual Town Report

2016 Annual Town Report Dedication

Brownville Free Public Library



The Town Report this year is dedicated to the Brownville Free Public Library and the many people who make its continued operation possible. The Brownville Free Public Library has grown steadily in recent years to offer a wider range of public services and because of this has become a central part of the community.

The library's success is possible because of its valued Board of Directors; Nancy Paprocki, Margaret Williams, Christopher Crockett, Virginia Wentworth, Jean Brown, Allana Washburn and Betsy Bessey. Nancy also volunteers almost every week at the library. Autumn Chadwick, the hard working and dedicated Library Director, is instrumental in ensuring that the numerous programs offered by the library are implemented and that patrons can make use of the library with ease. It is to this group of people and their civic contributions to the library that we dedicate this report.

The Brownville Free Public Library has excelled in the mission of promoting literacy and raising the excitement of learning with our local children by offering a wide variety of programs and activities, from free visits to the Maine Discovery Museum to drawings for free Kindle e-reader devices.

The library is constantly offering new ideas and programs including holiday themed fun activities, summer reading programs, and summertime events. Many of these events have included snacks, prizes for young people, games and other outdoor activities.

In a day when people are spending less time reading, the library truly has become an inspiration and a good reminder to all of the joys of reading, and it has become a focus to many of our young people where they now have a viable alternative for after-school and summertime activities. It has also grown to provide a valuable resource to many of its patrons providing needed internet access and computer resources.

We encourage every citizen of the Town of Brownville to visit and make use of the library. We are also excited to see the library continue to grow and are thankful to all of the people who help make that happen. We thank them for providing such a wonderful commodity to our town and look forward to their continued success.

'There are many little ways to enlarge your child's world. Love of books is the best of all.'

—Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis

2016 TOWN OFFICERS

ELECTED OFFICIALS

Board of Selectpersons

Walter Cook** (Chairman)..... [2018]
Dolly Perkins (Chairman) [2019]
Linda Coburn [2017]
Paula Beuhler [2017]
Stephen Dean [2018]
George Dean [2018]

M.S.A.D.#41 Directors

Leon Farrar Jr. [2017]
Arthur Herbst. [2018]
Chad Perkins [2019]

Moderators Virginia Morrill & Erik Stumpfel (Deputy)

Budget Committee

Appointed: Paul Weist, Robert Brown Jr. & Gary Cook [2018]
Terry Knowles, George Dean**, Marie McSwine & Chad Perkins [2019]

Appointed Officials & Employees

Town Manager, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Welfare Director,
Road Commissioner, Purchasing Agent, Personnel Director,
Town Clerk, Office Manager, Registrar of Voters. Kathy White
Deputy Clerk, Motor Vehicle Agent, Deputy Tax Collector,
Deputy Treasurer, Deputy Welfare Director..... Alicia Harmon
Deputy Clerk Autumn Chadwick
Assistant Clerk Cheryl Gormley
Recreation Director Crystal Cail
Operations Director Kevin Black
Public Works Crew Richard Gallagher, Chris Crockett, Eric Bubar**,
..... Jeff Witham, Eric Shaw
Public Works Part-Time On-Call Labor Pool..... Marvin Lundin & Chris Gibson
Sealer of Weights and Measures Timothy Briggs
Health Officer Ben Kittredge, MD
Chief of Police Nicholas Clukey
Police Sergeant..... Christopher Gibson & Seth Burnes
Corporal Investigator Chad Perkins

Reserve Officers....Chris Gibson, David Henderson, Jr**, Jay Hallett, Jason Heal,
Michael Parady, Scott Mahon, Derek Hersey, David Peters & Seth Burnes
Fire Chief David Preble & Kevin Black
Assistant Fire Chief....Patrick Thomas, Kevin Black**, Rob Coburn & Matt Buck
Fire Department SecretaryAlicia Harmon
Emergency Management Director Terrance Knowles
Deputy Emergency Management Director..... Kevin Black** & Seth Burnes
Code Enforcement Officer & Licensed Plumbing InspectorDan Gilbert
Animal Control Officer.....Christopher Gibson** & Melanee Mitchell
Elections Warden..... Kathy White
Election Clerks..... Linda Coburn, Toni Mihalik
..... Marie McSwine & Alicia Harmon

Brownville Water and Sewer Departments

Superintendent Kevin Black
Finance Director..... Kathy White
Director of Operations Kevin Black
Chief Water and Sewer Operator Steven Jay
Part-Time LaborMarvin Lundin, Christopher Crockett,
..... Jeff Witham & Eric Bubar**
Administrative Clerk.....Alicia Harmon

Appointed Boards and Committees

Planning Board – Larry Foulkes, Nancy Cook** (Chair), Felix Blinn
Lynn Weston, Lynn Gerrish (Associate), Vacant (Associate)
Appeals Board – Thomas Belvin, Terry Knowles, Allana Washburn, Chad Perkins
.....Susan Higgins (Associate) and Jenise McSorley (Associate)
Penquis Solid Waste Corporation – Walter Cook**, Paula Beuhler,
..... Kevin Black & Kathy White
Local Board of Assessment Review –.....Larry Foulkes, Vacant (Associate)
Representative to Legislature, District: 27Peter B Johnson

** *Resigned*



ASSESSOR'S REPORT
VALUATION AND ASSESSMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 2016



TAXABLE REAL ESTATE VALUATION	\$52,926,800.00
TAXABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY VALUATION	\$804,600.00
TOTAL TAXABLE VALUATION.....	\$53,731,400.00
TOTAL HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION VALUE	\$2,816,700.00
TOTAL BETE REIMBURSEMENT VALUE.....	\$155,600.00
TOTAL VALUATION BASE.....	\$56,703,700.00
(AMOUNT SUBJECT TO MIL RATE OF 0.02230)	

APPROPRIATIONS:

MUNICIPAL APPROPRIATION.....	\$1,114,675.00
M.S.A.D #41 ASSESSMENT.....	\$611,316.00
PISCATAQUIS COUNTY TAX	\$79,650.00
OVERLAY	\$15,751.51
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS.....	\$1,821,392.51

ALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS

MUNICIPAL REVENUE SHARING	\$72,000.00
EXCISE TAX.....	\$188,630.79
HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION REIMBURSEMENT	\$62,812.41
TREE GROWTH.....	\$36,824.48
MISCELLANEOUS.....	\$259,444.73
BETE REIMBURSEMENT.....	\$3,469.88
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS.....	\$623,182.29

TAXES COMMITTED TO THE TAX COLLECTOR ...\$1,198,210.22

2017 Brownville Budget Committee Report

The committee is comprised of seven members. The Budget Committee met four times to work on the 2017 budget. The meeting dates were January 31, 2017, February 7, 2017, February 21, 2017, and March 6, 2017. All budget meetings were open to the public and meeting minutes are available at the Town Office. The committee has one new member this year; Gary Chapman replaced George Dean as George was voted in as one of our selectpersons. If you have questions or concerns about the 2017 Budget Committee or the process contact me or any of the other committee members.

The Town Employees and Town Manager have once again practiced due diligence in preparation of the initial budget the committee received. This made it easier for the Budget Committee to do its work. I want to thank the hard working Budget Committee members.

It is very difficult to keep taxes down unless we start looking at cuts in some of the town's basic services. Please let us know what you think of current service levels. One of the biggest town property tax issues is the ever increasing school budget. The school budget last year was 49 percent of the town's overall budget. Brownville normally has had a low turnout on the day voting takes place on the school budget.

Take time to review the 2017 Annual Town Warrant prior to the town meeting so you can come prepared. Come to The Town Meeting, and be part of the truest democracy we have.

Sincerely, Terrance R. Knowles, Chairperson

TOWN OF BROWNVILLE

OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER

2016 a Year in Review

Dear Residents,

Another year has passed and I would like to thank the residents of Brownville for their support. Although I have worked for the Town for 23 years, this past year has been the most challenging. Taking on the job of Town Manager, and continuing to perform my duties as Office Manager and Town Clerk has been a little overwhelming. With the help of the Board of Selectpersons and the great employees that we have here in Brownville I made it through.

The Town was able to save a considerable amount of money by combining the two positions and with all the budget constraints this was very helpful.

Our staff continues to be creative in working as a team to continue to provide various services on a tight budget. The Sewer Pump Station Project will continue this spring and thanks to grants that were available, there will also be a project to replace the Front St. culvert this summer.

Marvin Lundin retired this year after several years working as a part-time employee. Although we wish him well and hope that he enjoys his retirement it left a big gap in our Public Works and W/S Dept. We will miss his great attitude and friendly personality. Eric Bubar also left the Town for different employment and Jeffrey Witham was hired to fill the open position.

Brownville's staff and Select board are a very dedicated group of individuals trying their best to meet the needs of our citizens. If you have ideas, concerns or suggestions please feel free to ask me or any of our Board members. We work on your behalf and want your input. The Board meetings are always open to the public.

Sincerely,

Kathy K. White

Town Manager / Town Clerk

STATE OF MAINE
TOWN OF BROWNVILLE PISCATAQUIS COUNTY
OFFICIAL BALLOT
TOWN OFFICERS TO BE VOTED ON AT SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
MARCH 20, 2017

Penalty for willfully defacing, tearing down or destroying a list of Candidates, or a specimen ballot, up to \$1000.00 fine, up to 11 months in jail or both.

MAKE A [X] OR A [/] IN THE SQUARE AT THE LEFT OF THE NOMINEE FOR WHOM YOU WISH TO VOTE. FOLLOW DIRECTIONS AS TO THE NUMBER OF NOMINEES TO BE ELECTED TO EACH OFFICE.

YOU MAY VOTE FOR A PERSON WHOSE NAME DOES NOT APPEAR ON THE BALLOT BY WRITING IT IN THE PROPER BLANK SPACE AND MARKING A CROSS[X] OR A [/] IN THE PROPER SQUARE AT THE LEFT. DO NOT ERASE NAMES.

LIST OF CANDIDATES

For SELECTPERSON who shall serve as ASSESSOR and OVERSEER of the POOR for a term of three years. (2020) VOTE FOR TWO.

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cody W. Andrews | <input type="checkbox"/> | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Linda M. Coburn | <input type="checkbox"/> | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nicholas A. Jenkins | <input type="checkbox"/> | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brian Wiles | <input type="checkbox"/> | _____ |

For M.S.A.D. #41 DIRECTOR for a term of three years. VOTE FOR ONE.

SAMPLE
BALLOT

Kathy K White

TOWN CLERK

**Town of Brownville
Annual Town Meeting
March 20, 2017**

To: Chad Perkins, a resident of the Town of Brownville, in the County of Piscataquis and State of Maine.

Greetings:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Brownville, in said county, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Brownville Elementary School, in said Town, on Monday, March 20, 2017, at 11:45 a.m., to elect Town Officers, and again at 7:00pm to act on Articles 3 to 44. The polling hours therefore to be from 12:00 Noon to 5 p.m.

1. **Elect Moderator @ 11:45 a.m. Vote:**
2. **Voting: 12 Noon to 5 p.m.**
3. **Town Meeting at 7 p.m. to act on Articles 3- 44**

- Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Article 2. To proceed with voting by secret ballot, as directed by statute, on the election of Town Officers for the ensuing year(s)
- Two Selectpersons, who shall also serve as a member of the Board of Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, for a term of three years.
 - One Director of M.S.A.D. #41 for a term of three years.
- Article 3. To choose three tellers to receive, sort and count votes.
- Article 4. To see if the voters will allow non-residents to speak.
- Article 5. To see if the Town will set a rate of interest to be paid after the due dates on delinquent taxes. 7% is recommended and is charged after September 15, 2017 on unpaid taxes. (M.R.S.A., §505 4-A)
- Article 6. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Administrative Budget.**
- 2016 Budget was: \$163,550*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$157,390
- Article 7. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Administrative Assessing Budget.**
- 2016 Budget was: \$20,150*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$20,300
- Article 8. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Administrative Town Office Budget.**
- 2016 Budget was: \$7,300*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$6,300
- Article 9. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Administrative Insurance Budget.**
- 2016 Budget was: \$23,250*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$22,370
- Article 10. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Safety Police Patrol Budget.**
- 2016 Budget was: \$143,070*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$167,620

- Article 11. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Safety Fire Department Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$33,750*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$33,350
- Article 12. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Safety Officer Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$5,500*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$5,500
- Article 13. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Safety Ambulance Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$4,050*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$4,050
- Article 14. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Safety Animal Control Officer Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$1,300*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$1,900
- Article 15. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Safety Street Lights Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$13,500*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$13,500
- Article 16. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Safety Fire Hydrant Protection Fees Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$71,705*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$71,705
- Article 17. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Works Highway Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$218,850*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$222,400
- Article 18. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Works Sanitation Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$95,056*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$101,445
- Article 19. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Works Penquis Solid Waste Corporation Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$41,056*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$41,056
- Article 20. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Public Works Cemetery Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$23,805*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$23,030
- Article 21. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Recreation Budget**.
- 2016 Budget was: \$5,150*
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$13,330

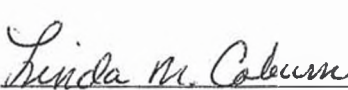
- Article 22. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Recreation-Snack Shack and Dog Sled race.
- 2016 Budget was: 0
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$145.00
Snack shack-70.00 Dog sled race – 75.00
- Article 23. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Unclassified Budget. Flags/Decorations/ Library**
- 2016 Budget was: \$5,750
Selectpersons Recommends \$ 6,050 Budget Committee Recommends \$5,750.00 (no decorations)
 Christmas decorations \$ 300 Flags=750.00 Library = \$5,000.00
- Article 24. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to appropriate for the **General Assistance Budget.**
- 2016 Budget was: \$3,500
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$3,500
- Article 25. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Roads Special project Budget.**
- 2016 Budget was: \$0
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$675.00
- Article 26. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Reserves Fund Budget.**
- 2016 Budget was: \$93,500
Board of Selectpersons and Budget Committee recommend \$91,500.00
Fire= 10,000 Hwy=35,000 Paving=35,000
Admin=500 Police=4,500 Sanitation= 6,500
- Article 27. To see what sum of money the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the **Debt Obligations Budget.**
- 2016 Budget was: \$132,414.12
Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend \$105,440
 Hwy. Truck-24,500 Paving loan - \$80,940.00
- Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to re-appropriate the following 2016 Carry Forward Accounts in addition to the Town Budget:
- | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Administration Projects \$1,212 | Comprehensive Plan \$3,871 |
| Emergency Fuel \$ 15,500 | Fire Dept. sp. project \$7200. |
| Tourism Development \$2,344 | MCJA Training \$3275 |
| Animal Control \$2,497.00 | EMA Training \$955 |
| Wellness Grant \$54 | Snack Shack \$1,011 |
| Recreation Operations \$4,818.00 | Brownville Days \$1,225 |
| Police wireless Grant \$171 | Canopy Grant \$115 |
| Hwy tires \$7,005.32 | Road project \$4,325.00 |
| Road signs \$ 604.68 | Facility maintenance \$1350 |
| Paving project \$27,959.00 | |
- Selectpersons and Budget Committee Recommend passage of this article.**
- Article 29. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectpersons to negotiate and enter into mutual aid agreements and contracts for sanitation, plowing, fire, police services and other municipal services deemed to be in the best interest of the Town of Brownville.
- Board of Selectpersons requests a yes vote.**

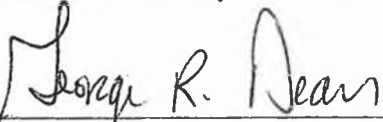
- Article 30. To see if the Town of Brownville will vote to authorize the Board of Selectpersons, on behalf of the Town of Brownville, to sell and dispose of any town owned property, real estate acquired by the Town for non-payment of Taxes, Water Bills, and Sewer Bills thereon, on such terms as they may deem advisable, and to execute a quitclaim deed for such real estate. Before putting the real estate out to a minimum bid, the Selectpersons shall authorize the treasurer to offer to sell the real estate back to the immediate prior owner of record, his / her estate, heirs or assigns on or before a date certain for the total taxes, water & sewer bills, admin. costs and interest owed, within a period to be set by the Selectpersons.
Board of Selectpersons requests a yes vote.
- Article 31. To see if the Town of Brownville will vote to authorize the Board of Selectpersons to transfer funds between operating accounts approved in this warrant, based upon changes and the un-anticipated needs of the town during the current fiscal year of 2017. The total expenditure of all accounts shall not exceed the approved budget. All such transfers shall be so identified at the next annual town meeting.
Board of Selectpersons requests a yes vote.
No transfers were needed in the 2016 Budget.
- Article 32. To see if the Town of Brownville will vote to authorize the Board of Selectpersons to spend an amount not to exceed 3/12 of the budgeted amount in each budget category of the 2017 annual budget during the period from January 1, 2018 to 2018 Annual Town Meeting.
Board of Selectpersons recommends a yes vote.
- Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectpersons to appropriate money from the following projected revenue sources in order to reduce the 2017 General Commitment. (the following are estimates).
Excise tax...\$190,000, Tree growth Reimbursement\$30,000, Municipal Revenue sharing ..\$73,000
Miscellaneous Revenue...\$50,000, URIP.....\$24,000 Homestead Exemption...\$84,300
- Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate funds from SURPLUS to reduce the 2017 TAX COMMITMENT.
Board of Selectpersons and Budget Committee recommend for 2017\$65,000.00
- Article 35. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectpersons to appropriate from the Undesignated/Unrestricted Fund (Surplus) as they deem advisable to meet unanticipated emergencies that occur during fiscal year 2017.
Selectpersons recommend \$10,000.00
- Article 36. To see if the Town of Brownville will vote to authorize the Board of Selectpersons to dispose of town-owned surplus personal property as well as abandoned and unclaimed or surplus property acquired by the town, on such terms as they deem advisable.
Board of Selectpersons requests a yes vote.
- Article 37. To see if the Town of Brownville will vote to exceed the property tax levy (LD1) limit under 30-A MRSA § 5721-A if needed for the 2017 calendar year, based on the amount to be raised by the Town through property taxes.
Note: This article is to be voted on by written ballot in accordance with 30-A MRSA §5721-A(7)(A).
Board of Selectpersons and Budget Committee recommend a yes vote.
- Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to approve the 2017 Water Department operating budget as presented at town meeting, and to appropriate the sum of \$209,150.00 for 2017 Water Department operations as requested in the 2017 Water Department operating budget, to be funded from Water Department rates.
Selectpersons recommend approval.
- Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to approve the 2017 Sewer Department operating budget as presented at town meeting, and to appropriate the sum of \$170,000 for 2017 Sewer Department operations as requested in the 2017 Sewer Department operating budget, to be funded from Sewer Department rates.
Selectpersons recommend approval.
- Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the Snowmobile, ATV Grant Revenue from the State for 2017 and Licensing fees, to the Brownville Snowmobile Club, K.I. Riders ATV Club, Ebeemee Snowmobile Club under the Treasurer's approval upon receiving proper documentation to release the funds.
Selectpersons recommend approval.
- Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to accept any un-anticipated funds that the Town receives and have the Town Treasurer receive the funds and allocate them to the correct accounts.
Selectpersons recommend approval.

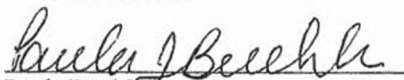
- Article 42. To see if the Town of Brownville will vote to establish that 3% will be paid per year on the amount of overpayment to the taxpayer who is determined to have paid an amount of real estate or personal property taxes in excess of the amount finally assessed on April 1, 2017. (M.R.S.A. 36, §506 – A)
Board of Selectpersons and Budget Committee recommend a yes vote.
- Article 43. To see what sum the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate for the Piscataquis County Assessment expense.
Board of Selectpersons and Budget Committee recommend \$74,000.
- Article 44. To see if the Town of Brownville will vote to raise and appropriate a total to be determined at the June 2017 budget Referendum Vote to pay MSAD #41 School Assessment for 2017.
 2016 Budget was \$611,316.00

Notice is hereby given that the office of the Registrar of Voters in the Brownville Town Office-(located at 586 Main Road in Brownville) will be open for the purpose of correcting the list of voters on Monday, March 20, 2017 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Given under our hands this ninth day of March in the year 2017 AD.


 Dorothea Perkins


 Linda Coburn

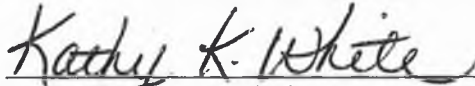

 George Dean


 Paula Buehler


 Stephen Dean

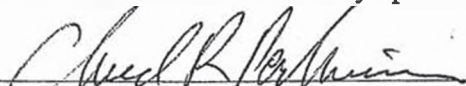
CLERK'S ATTESTATION

A true copy of the March 20, 2017 Annual Town Meeting warrant,

Attest: 
 Kathy K. White, Clerk
 Town of Brownville

CONSTABLE'S RETURN

I certify that I have notified the voters of the Town of Brownville of the time and place of this Annual Town Meeting by posting an attested copy of the within Warrant at the Brownville Town Office, Brownville Post Office, and Brownville Junction Post Office; conspicuous places within the Town of Brownville at least seven days prior to said meeting.


 Chad Perkins - Constable - Town of Brownville

10 Mar 17
 Date

TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

Exhibit A-1

	<u>Estimated</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Over (Under) Budget</u>
Taxes			
Property	1,198,213	1,137,841	(60,372)
Supplemental Taxes	-	9,415	9,415
Interest on Taxes / Liens	12,850	12,062	(788)
Excise	185,000	195,592	10,592
	<u>1,396,063</u>	<u>1,354,910</u>	<u>(41,153)</u>
Intergovernmental Revenues			
Veterans Reimbursement	2,000	2,333	333
BETE Reimbursement	3,470	3,476	6
Tree Growth Reimbursement	64,600	30,000	(34,600)
Snowmobile Reimbursement	1,152	1,152	-
Police Underage Drinking Grant	523	523	-
Police Young Driver Safety Grant	2,317	2,317	-
Police Byrnes Wireless Grant	172	172	-
Police Grant	2,264	2,264	-
Homestead Exemption	62,812	62,812	-
	<u>139,310</u>	<u>105,049</u>	<u>(34,261)</u>
Local Sources			
Interest Income	-	1,276	1,276
Administration Income	16,300	24,225	7,925
Police Income	6,500	979	(5,521)
Fire Income	28,100	30,391	2,291
Animal Control Income	1,000	1,318	318
Highway Income	18,500	15,535	(2,965)
Sanitation Income	11,750	11,681	(69)
Cemetery Income	-	2,020	2,020
Recreation Income	-	1,534	1,534
Brownville Days	11	11	-
Snack Shack Income	296	296	-
Insurance Reimbursement	-	7,925	7,925
ATV Grant	24,460	24,460	-
Snowmobile Grant	14,741	14,741	-
Cable TV	5,600	5,798	198
	<u>127,258</u>	<u>142,190</u>	<u>14,932</u>
Other Financing Sources			
Paving Reserve	107,917	107,914	(3)
Municipal Revenue Sharing	72,000	72,000	-
	<u>179,917</u>	<u>179,914</u>	<u>(3)</u>
Total Revenues	1,842,548	1,782,063	(60,485)
Beginning Fund Balance Used to Reduce Tax Rate	<u>283</u>		
Total Revenue and Use of Fund Balance	<u>1,842,831</u>		

TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS, EXPENDITURES AND ENCUMBRANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	<i>Balance Encumbered Prior Year</i>	<i>Appropriation</i>
<u>General Government</u>		
Administration		163,550
Administration Projects	1,212	
Insurance		23,250
Tourism Development	2,344	
Comprehensive Plan	3,871	
Assessing		20,150
Town Office		7,300
	7,427	214,250
 <u>Public Safety</u>		
Police	-	143,070
Police Grant-Walmart	121	-
Police Grant-Verizon	279	172
Police Grant-Underage Drinking	--	523
Police Grant-Young Drivers Grant	-	2,317
Maine Criminal Justice	3,275	2,264
Fire Department		33,750
Fire Department Special Projects		8,000
EMA Training	955	
Public Safety		5,500
Animal Control	3,261	1,300
Hydrant Rental		71,705
Street Lights		13,500
Ambulance		4,050
	7,891	286,151
 <u>Health and Social Services</u>		
General Assistance		3,500
	-	3,500

Exhibit A-2
Page 1 of 3

<i>Transfers</i>	<i>Expenditures</i>	<i>Balances (Over) Under Lapsed</i>	<i>Encumbered</i>
	153,033	10,517	
	-		1,212
	21,193	2,057	
			2,344
			3,871
	16,348	3,802	
	4,563	2,737	
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-	195,137	19,113	7,427
	135,235	7,835	-
	121	-	-
	280	-	171
	523	-	-
	2,317	-	-
	2,264		3,275
	36,620	(2,870)	
	800	-	7,200
			955
	5,434	66	
	2,064		2,497
	71,705	-	
	12,712	788	
	4,050		
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-	274,125	5,819	14,098
	807	2,693	
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-	807	2,693	-
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TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS, EXPENDITURES AND ENCUMBRANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	<i>Balance Encumbered Prior Year</i>	<i>Appropriation</i>
<u>Public Works</u>		
Highway	3,149	218,850
Paving Debt Payment	-	107,917
Paving	27,959	-
Sanitation		95,525
Cemetery Maintenance		23,805
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	31,108	446,097
<u>Cultural and Recreation</u>		
Recreation	10,371	5,150
Facility Maintenance	1,350	-
Snack Shack	952	296
ATV Grant		24,460
Snowmobile Clubs		15,893
Brownville Days Celebration	1,214	11
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	13,887	45,810
<u>Unclassified</u>		
Village Cemetery Flagpole		750
Brownville Library		5,000
Wellness Grant	54	-
Emergency Fuel	15,500	-
Road Work	4,690	-
Canopy Grant	115	-
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	20,359	5,750

<i>Transfers</i>	<i>Expenditures</i>	<i>Balances (Over) Under Lapsed</i>	<i>Encumbered</i>
	182,416	31,973	7,610
	107,914	3	-
	-	-	27,959
	90,981	4,544	
	13,496	10,309	
	<u>394,807</u>	<u>46,829</u>	<u>35,569</u>
	10,703		4,818
			1,350
	237		1,011
	24,460		-
	15,893		-
	-		1,225
	<u>51,293</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>8,404</u>
	749	1	
	5,000	-	
	-	-	54
		-	15,500
	365	-	4,325
		-	115
	<u>6,114</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>19,994</u>

TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS, EXPENDITURES AND ENCUMBRANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	<i>Balance Encumbered Prior Year</i>	<i>Appropriation</i>
<u>Assessments</u>		
M.S.A.D. #41		611,316
Penquis Solid Waste		41,056
County Tax		79,650
Overlay		15,751
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	-	747,773
<u>Transfers to Other Funds</u>		
Administration		2,500
Police Reserve		4,500
Fire Reserve		10,000
Local Road Assistance Reserve		35,000
Employee Retirement Account		-
Highway Reserve		35,000
Sanitation Reserve		6,500
Cemetery Trust		
	<hr/>	<hr/>
	-	93,500
Total	<hr/> <hr/> 80,672	<hr/> <hr/> 1,842,831

<u>Transfers</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Balances (Over) Under Lapsed</u>	<u>Encumbered</u>
	611,315	1	
	41,056	-	
	79,650	-	
	833	14,918	
<u>-</u>	<u>732,854</u>	<u>14,919</u>	<u>-</u>
	2,500	-	
	6,814	(2,314)	
	10,734	(734)	
	35,000	-	
	6,955	(6,955)	
	35,000	-	
	10,976	(4,476)	
	12,329	(12,329)	
<u>-</u>	<u>120,308</u>	<u>(26,808)</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>-</u>	<u>1,775,445</u>	<u>62,566</u>	<u>85,492</u>

TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
GENERAL FUND
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN UNASSIGNED FUND BALANCE
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

Exhibit A-3

Unassigned Fund Balance - January 1		327,695
Budget Summary:		
Revenue Surplus/(Deficit)	(60,485)	
Unexpended Balances of Appropriations	<u>62,566</u>	2,081
Beginning Fund Balance Used to Reduce Tax Rate		<u>(283)</u>
Unassigned Fund Balance - December 31		<u><u>329,493</u></u>

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
GENERAL RESTRICTED AND RESERVE FUNDS
COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 2016**

Exhibit A-4

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Municipal Revenue Sharing</u>	<u>Reserve Funds</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Cash and Equivalents		653,239	653,239
Due from Other Funds	15,395	60,054	75,449
Total Assets	15,395	713,293	728,688
 <u>Liabilities and Fund Balances</u> 			
<u>Liabilities</u>			
Due to Other Funds	-	19,556	19,556
	-	19,556	19,556
<u>Fund Balances</u>			
Restricted	15,395		15,395
Committed		693,737	693,737
Total Fund Balances	15,395	693,737	709,132
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	15,395	713,293	728,688

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
GENERAL RESTRICTED AND RESERVE FUNDS
COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016**

Exhibit A-5

	<i>Municipal Revenue Sharing</i>	<i>Reserve Funds</i>	<i>Totals</i>
<u>Revenues</u>			
Intergovernmental Revenues	76,475		76,475
Local Sources		2,025	2,025
Interest/Change in Fair Value		7,554	7,554
Total Revenues	76,475	9,579	86,054
<u>Expenditures</u>			
Administration		20,035	20,035
Public Safety		93,052	93,052
Total Expenditures		113,087	113,087
Excess of Revenue Over (Under) Expenditures	76,475	(103,508)	(27,033)
<u>Other Financing Sources (Uses)</u>			
Transfers from Other Funds		44,689	44,689
Transfers to Other Funds	(72,000)	-	(72,000)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(72,000)	44,689	(27,311)
Excess of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures	4,475	(58,819)	(54,344)
Fund Balance - January 1	10,920	752,556	763,476
Fund Balance - December 31	15,395	693,737	709,132

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
GENERAL RESERVE FUNDS
SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITY
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016**

<i>Reserve</i>	<u><i>Balance January 1</i></u>	<u><i>Transfers In</i></u>
Administration	18,763	2,500
Fire Department Equipment	104,624	10,734
Brownville Business Fund	29,171	24,500
Employee Retirement Reserve	442,685	6,955
Town Owned Property	<u>157,313</u>	<u> </u>
	<u>752,556</u>	<u>44,689</u>

Exhibit A-6

<i>Revenues</i>	<i>Transfers Out</i>	<i>Expenditures</i>	<i>Balance December 31</i>
38	-	-	21,301
104	-	(93,052)	22,410
24	-	-	53,695
7,112	-	-	456,752
<u>2,301</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(20,035)</u>	<u>139,579</u>
<u><u>9,579</u></u>	<u><u>-</u></u>	<u><u>(113,087)</u></u>	<u><u>693,737</u></u>

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
 ALL SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS
 COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
 DECEMBER 31, 2016**

Exhibit B-1

<u>Assets</u>	<u>CDBG Housing/ Program Income</u>	<u>Historical Society Grant</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Cash and Equivalents			-
Due from Other Funds	22,072	92	22,164
Total Assets	22,072	92	22,164
 <u>Liabilities and Fund Balances</u> 			
<u>Liabilities</u>			
Due to Other Funds			-
<u>Fund Balances</u>			
Restricted	22,072	92	22,164
Total Fund Balances	22,072	92	22,164
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	22,072	92	22,164

TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
ALL SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS
COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

Exhibit B-2

	<i>CDBG Housing/ Program Income</i>	<i>Historical Society Grant</i>	<i>Totals</i>
<u>Revenues</u>			
Intergovernmental Revenues			-
Local Sources		4,165	4,165
Total Revenues	-	4,165	4,165
<u>Expenditures</u>			
Repairs & Maintenance		650	650
Equipment		2,367	2,367
Other		1,056	1,056
Total Expenditures	-	4,073	4,073
Excess of Revenue Over (Under) Expenditures	-	92	92
<u>Other Financing Sources (Uses)</u>			
Transfers from Other Funds			-
Transfers to Other Funds			-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	-
Excess of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures	-	92	92
Fund Balance - January 1	22,072	-	22,072
Fund Balance - December 31	22,072	92	22,164

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
 CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS
 COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
 DECEMBER 31, 2016**

Exhibit C-1

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Reserve Funds</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Cash and Equivalents	406,356	406,356
Investments	-	-
Due from Other Funds	12,925	12,925
Total Assets	419,281	419,281

Liabilities and Fund Balances

<u>Liabilities</u>		
Due to Other Funds	129,223	129,223
	129,223	129,223
<u>Fund Balances</u>		
Committed	290,058	290,058
Total Fund Balances	290,058	290,058
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	419,281	419,281

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
 CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS
 SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITY
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016**

<i>Reserve</i>	<u><i>Balance January 1</i></u>	<u><i>Transfers In</i></u>
Police Department	17,668	6,814
Public Works	26,635	35,000
Paving-Local Roads	210,341	35,000
Sanitation	<u>55,159</u>	<u>10,976</u>
	<u>309,803</u>	<u>87,790</u>

Exhibit C-2

<u>Revenues</u>	<u>Transfers Out</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Balance December 31</u>
32			24,514
79	(24,500)		37,214
24,666	(107,914)	-	162,093
102			66,237
<u>24,879</u>	<u>(132,414)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>290,058</u>

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
 COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
 ALL PERMANENT FUNDS
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016**

Exhibit D-1

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Cemetery</u>
Investments	108,733
Due From Other Funds	27,128
Total Assets	135,861
 <u>Liabilities and Fund Balances</u> 	
<u>Liabilities</u>	
Due to Other Funds	_____
 <u>Fund Balances</u>	
Non-Spendable	105,575
Assigned	30,286
Total Fund Balances	135,861
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	135,861

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
 COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES
 AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
 ALL PERMANENT FUNDS
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016**

Exhibit D-2

	<u>Cemetery</u>
<u>Revenues</u>	
Investment Income	2,725
Change in Fair Value	(3,053)
	<u>(328)</u>
<u>Expenditures</u>	
Cemetery Maintenance	-
Total Expenditures	-
Excess of Revenue Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>(328)</u>
<u>Other Financing Sources (Uses)</u>	
Transfers from Other Funds	12,329
Transfers to Other Funds	-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>12,329</u>
Excess of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures	12,001
Fund Balance - January 1	<u>123,860</u>
Fund Balance - December 31	<u>135,861</u>

2016 Brownville Police Department Report

I would like to start by saying that I am humbled to be issuing the 2016 yearly report for the first time as the Chief of the Brownville Police Department. We ended the year with a total of 1,725 calls for service, which was up slightly from 2015. We, as a department, issued 33 criminal/civil summonses and we performed approximately 140 traffic stops over the course of the year.

In 2016, we saw a lot of change within the department. In March we implemented a new Law Enforcement computer system that was being utilized by other agency's within the county. This system makes it much easier for our officers to do their job as it is specifically designed around public safety concepts. This system was made available for us to use by the Piscataquis County Sheriff's Office at no additional cost to our citizens.

In April, Christopher Gibson stepped down as the departments Patrol Sergeant. I then had the opportunity to move from a part time patrol officer to the Sergeant's position to fill the void. In Mr. Gibson's absence we also had the opportunity to hire Melanee Mitchell as the towns new Animal Control Officer. ACO Mitchell has done a wonderful job as she has transitioned into her new role.

As we moved into and through the summer months, we, along with many other Law Enforcement Agencies in the region, were struggling to find adequate staffing to fill our open shifts. In an effort to combat this trend, our command staff worked closely with the Town Manager and the Board of Selectmen to provide a pay increase for our reserve officers, which better aligned our wages with the industry standard.

We have also added several part time patrol officers to our roster in order to combat the staffing problems that seems to have affected every department in the region. We added Officer Michael Larson, Officer David Boxwell, Officer Matthew Nadeau, Officer Joseph Stalter and Officer Lance Sanborn. The additional support has allowed us to maintain our standard coverage for the town. Along with Mr. Gibson, we had one other officer resign in 2016. Officer, now Inspector, David Henderson accepted a job with the Maine Fire Marshals Office and his duties prohibited him from continuing his employment with us.

The Brownville Police Department continues to follow a "community policing" model of Law Enforcement. We are striving to make your department as transparent and inclusive as possible to better facilitate positive growth and trust between the department and the people we serve. We will always focus on the needs of the citizens and businesses that call Brownville home.

The Brownville Police Department has continued to work well and create a strong, professional relationship with the Milo Police Department, the Piscataquis County Sheriff's Office, the Maine Warden Service, the Maine Forest Service and the Maine State Police. We both provide and receive assistance to the Milo Police Department in a mutual aid capacity on a regular basis. We have continued to bolster our relationship with the Maine Warden Service by working with them on the ATV Grant program, which, along with the Underage Drinking Task Force Grant, has allowed us to detail additional officers with no added cost to the community. We look forward to maintaining our relationships with these agencies while we work to build and enhance relationships with others.

The Brownville Police Department continues to employ a dedicated group of officers who routinely work with a high level of professionalism and work ethic. These individuals, working together have made it possible for the department to function at the level that it does today. Thank you to Cpl. Chad Perkins, Officer Jay Hallett, Officer Jason Heal, Officer Michael Parady, Officer Scott Mahon, Officer Derek Hersey, Officer David Peters, Officer David Boxwell, Officer Matthew Nadeau, Officer Joseph Stalter and Officer Lance Sanborn for their continued dedication and support to the Brownville community.

I would also like to thank the Milo Police Department, the Maine Warden Service, the Maine State Police, the Maine Forest Service and the Piscataquis County Sheriff's Office for their assistance throughout the year.

And, in closing, I would like to express my gratitude to the citizens and business owners of Brownville. It is no secret that without your overwhelming support, we would not be able to provide the level of law enforcement and services that the town requires to maintain a safe environment for our citizens.

Sincerely,
Seth C. Burnes
Chief of Police, Interim
Brownville Police Department

Brownville Police Department - Incidents January 1, 2016 - December 31, 2016

31	911 Misdeal/Hang-up	1	Message Delivery
2	Abandoned Vehicle	4	Missing Persons
1	Accidental Shooting	29	Motor Vehicle Citations
10	Alarm Response	133	Motor Vehicle Warnings
1	Alcohol Offense	13	Motorist Assistance
62	Ambulance/Medical Assistance	13	Noise Problem
109	Administrative Delivery	9	NSF Check
73	Animal Problem	1	OUI
5	Assault	3	Parking Problem
1	Attempt to Locate	3	Personal Injury Accident
10	ATV Problem	7	Persons Wanted Out
4	Bail Conditions Check	1	Probation and Parole Violation
3	Burglary	2	Property Damage
1	Child Abuse/Neglect	176	Property Watch; Building/House Check
44	Citizen Assist	34	Property Damage Accident
31	Civil Matter	6	Protectoin Order
4	Controlled Substances	30	Public Service/Meeting
15	Court Paper Service	6	Sex Offender Registry Activites
6	Criminal Mischief	2	Sex Offenses
16	Criminal Trespass	276	Special Patrols
3	Dead Body	6	Subpoena Services
2	Debris Fire	6	Suicide Attempts/Threats
18	Disorderly Conduct	49	Suspicious Persons/Circumstances
32	Erratic Vehicle	1	Theft from Motor Vehicle
8	Escort	13	Thefts
21	Family Fight/Domestic	2	Thefts of Automobiles
3	Federal/State Criminal Background Checks	6	Threatening
2	Fire Inspection	30	Traffic Hazards
1	Fireworks Complaint	1	Unsecured Premise
3	Fish and Game Complaint	2	Utility Problem
8	Fraud	9	Vehicle Lockout
12	Harassment	3	VIN Inspections
41	Informational Report	3	Violation of Conditions of Release
2	Intoxicated Person	3	Violation of Protection Orders
11	Juvenile Problem	10	Warrant Arrests
187	Law Enforcement Agency Assist	2	Weapon Dishcharge Complaints
4	Litter/Pollution/Public Health	20	Welfare/Well-being Checks
10	Lost/Found Property	1	Wild Land Fire
12	Mental Health Problem		

Total Calls for Service: 1,725



2016 Animal Control Officer's Report

I am pleased to make this 2016 yearly report as my first year as the Animal Control Officer. 2016 was a good year as far as animal welfare was concerned. I took over in May of 2016 for Christopher Gibson, who resigned from the position.

Since becoming the ACO for the Town of Brownville, the town has maintained a high level of on time licensing and compliance with barking dog, and dog at large ordinances.

It is the goal of the Animal Control Officer to make every reasonable effort to get lost animals back to their owners as opposed to taking them to an animal shelter. In the last year there have been several dogs successfully returned to their owners after getting loose. The Town of Brownville hosts a Rabies Clinic every year, which is typically in the fall, prior to licenses expiring. You can follow us on the Town of Brownville or Brownville Police Department Facebook Pages for more information.

All dog licenses expire on December 31 of each year, regardless of when you license the dog. Dogs must be registered at six months of age or within ten days of ownership. Maine State Law determines the licensing and late dog fees (\$25.00). Neutered and spayed dogs are \$6.00 and non-neutered and non-spayed dogs are \$11.00. You must provide proof of rabies vaccination at the time of registration. You may license your dog(s) at the Town Office during regular office hours.

8:00 am – 4:00 pm Monday – Thursday

8:00 am – 5:00 pm (Last Wednesday of each month)

8:00 am – 3:00 pm Friday

If your phone number or address has changed, or you no longer own a dog that you have previously licensed in the Town of Brownville, please call the Town Office so that our list can remain current on actively licensed dogs.

Melanee Mitchell
Animal Control Officer



Three Rivers Ambulance Service

PO Box 432

Milo, ME 04463

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“Caring For the Community since 1970”

To the town of Brownville:

Once again this year has flown by and as always it has been a pleasure serving the community. We are starting the 47th year of serving our community. We are being served by some of the best professionals in the area, and I could not be more proud of the accomplishments, we have made. This year we have hired a Basic Emergency Medical Technician and have lost a Paramedic, due to moving out of the area and an Emergency Vehicle Operator, due to medical issues.

We have seen an increase again in the call volume to 908. We also were unavailable for many calls, as they came in when we were already out on a previous call. Our mutual aid services were called to cover these calls.

We would like to thank Milo Fire First Responders for all the help they have given us this past year. We continue to work well together in providing the best care possible for our community. Milo and Brownville Police for being on scene to lend a hand and ensuring that the crew is safe when needed. Also, the Milo Public works for clearing the snow to make sure we are able to go out when called.

Brownville	142	Medford	23
LaGrange	126	Unorganized Townships	46
Lakeview Plt	15	Other	5
Milo	551		

We would also like to thank our Board of Directors that volunteer from the various areas we serve: Todd Lyford, Trelba Rollins, Fred Trask, Chad Perkins, Deanne Merrill, Robert Ellison, Ben Kittredge and Corey Roberts

Active Crew Members are: Mike Larson-Paramedic, Becky Hichborn-Witham-Paramedic, Brian Glidden-Paramedic, Matt Buck-Paramedic, Matt Nadeau-Paramedic, Lana Buck-Paramedic, Peter Wallace-Paramedic, Phillip Dow Jr.-Paramedic, Scott Homsted-Paramedic, Amanda Bessey-Advanced EMT, Danny Jay-Basic EMT, Dwayne Applebee-Basic EMT, Jakob Larson-Basic EMT, Lliam Perkins-Basic EMT, Luke Smith-Basic EMT, Mike Surdick, Basic EMT, Robbie Cook-Basic EMT, and David Boxwell-EVO

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Larson, Chief



2016 FIRE DEPARTMENT CALLS



Brush/Grass Fire	2
Car Accident/Fire	5
Chimney Fire	1
Electrical Fire	1
Lift Assist	1
Lost Person	2
Mutual Aid	4
Propane Fire	1
Railcar Fire	1
Railcar Derailment	1
Transformer Fire	1
Tree Harvester Fire	1
Structure Fire	4
Tree on line/road	5
Total Calls.....	30

Brownville Volunteer Fire Department Members

Chief Kevin N. Black, Assistant Chief Robert Coburn, Assistant Chief Matthew Buck, Captain Michael Coburn, Roger Graves, Daniel Gerrish Sr., Barrett Graves, Patrick Thomas, Daniel Thomas, Roscoe Green, David Preble, Nicholas Clukey, Christopher Gibson, Chad R. Perkins, Andrew Coburn, Melanee Mitchell, Thomas Nickerson, Ian Perkins, Lliam Perkins, Zachary Slagle, Matthew Vachon, Jordan Seavey and George Dean.

Secretary Alicia Harmon

WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENTS

Administration & Collection Report

In 2016, we served an average of 359 residential and 34 non-residential water accounts. While many pay their bills in a timely manner, we mailed a total of 417 disconnection notices, with 3 actual disconnections occurring, and 3 reconnections following disconnection. We also negotiated 96 payment arrangements throughout the year. In 2016, we billed customer accounts a total of \$210,608 for water service. At year end, the Brownville Water Department had a total accounts receivable (outstanding customer accounts) balance of \$3,933.70 (principle, interest, & lien costs). This included 33 accounts with credit balances of \$3,444.77 and 43 accounts with outstanding balances totaling \$7,378.47 (principle, interests, and lien costs). The Department followed Maine Public Utilities Commission Rules for disconnection due to non-payment and lien procedures to secure outstanding balances.

Sewer customers were billed a total of \$170,118 for sewer service in 2016. At year end, the Brownville Sewer Department had a total accounts receivable (outstanding customer accounts) balance of \$20,596.62 (principle, interest, & lien costs). This included 2 accounts with credit balances of \$140.05 and 94 accounts with outstanding balances totaling \$20,736.67 (principle, interests, and lien costs). The Department followed lien procedures to secure outstanding balances.



Water and Sewer Department Operations

Personnel were quite busy responding to issues related to operation of the water and sewer systems. In total, 14,403,200 gallons of water were produced in the Village and Junction systems. Much of the Department's time was spent with routine maintenance, flushing, testing, and operations within the systems to ensure compliance with our license standards. We invite folks that would like more information about our specific operations to review the Consumer Confidence Report that we have on file each spring.

In 2016, the Brownville sewer systems (11 small subsurface systems in the Village and one more traditional subsurface system in the Junction) treated 9,466,212 gallons of influent (waste). Much of the Department's time was spent with routine maintenance, testing, and operations within the systems to ensure compliance with the standards outlined in our various wastewater licenses. A great deal of time and money was spent dealing with plugged sewer pumps caused by inappropriate materials being disposed of in the collection system.

Over the last year, we have had many plugged sewer pumps due to inappropriate material being flushed down the drain. These plugs are costly and, if continued, may likely lead to increased sewer fees to pay for overtime and sewer pump repairs. While flushing other material may seem more convenient, it will cost sewer customers a lot of money in the long run if the problem continues.

The ONLY items that should go into the toilet are human waste and toilet paper.

2016 Recreation Department Report

The Recreation Department wrapped up another successful year in 2016 where we were able to offer many different recreation programs for all age groups. This year would not have been successful without the help of our limited and seasonal part-time staff and volunteers.

The Brownville and Milo Recreation Programs continued to work very closely in a partnership that has grown over the past few years. Working together allows us to provide more programs at a lower cost and to keep programs alive with dwindling numbers. We want to give a large thanks to Jessica Atkinson, Milo Recreation Director, and her high school assistants for their hard work and dedication to making this partnership run smoothly.

This year we were able to take our Travel Baseball and Softball Teams to Boston for a Red Sox Game, something that has not occurred in a few years. This was an experience that these kids will not forget, as I have yet to forget the wonderful times I got to go with the Rec. Department. This trip would not have been possible without the help of the parents who spent hours working fundraisers. Special thanks to Lynn's Country Creations for the donation of signs to sell as a fundraiser and to all of the community members who stopped at the Fill the Helmet and other events. We once again were able to partner with the YMCA, MSAD #41 and our local Kiwanis to offer a swim program. Without the Kiwanis' contribution to this we would not be able to offer this fabulous program, which sends up to 40 children to swim, many thanks to them.

We need to thank MSAD #41 for allowing us to use the Brownville Elementary School for our winter youth basketball programs. This collaboration is part of a service swap agreement between the school, for plowing services, and the Town, for use of the building, aimed at saving the taxpayers money. The Recreation Department would like to send out a special thank you to the janitor at Brownville Elementary who is relentless in her efforts to help things run smoothly when we are there. Thank you Miss Heidi Thomas.

2016 Recreation Department Programs

Pee Wee Basketball* Grades 3, 4, and 5	T-Ball 3-5 Years Old	Swim Program***
Wee Pee Wee Basketball* Grades 1, 2, and 3	Farm League Baseball 6-8 Years Old	Halloween Party**
Traveling Basketball* Grades 3-4 and 5-6	Traveling Farm League Baseball*	Dog Days of Winter**
Youth Soccer* Grades 2-3	Traveling Little League Baseball*	Come Take an Outdoor Adventure
Pee Wee Soccer* Grades K-1	Adult Co-Ed Softball	
Traveling Soccer* Grades 4, 5, and 6		

*Offered in Conjunction with the Town of Milo

**Offered in Conjunction with the American Legion

***Offered in Conjunction with the Three Rivers Kiwanis

Town of Brownville Emergency Management Report for 2016

Good news! Once again, we have had no reportable incidents and have not activated the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) once this year.

We had two training events this past year. One dealt with ethanol spills and one tested individuals' response to initial callout. In the training sessions, the County Emergency Management Director and Maine Emergency Management Agency contracted instructors were involved. Local Brownville and Milo firefighters and police were in attendance.

The first session was classroom training dealing with ethanol tank car spills. The contract instructor covered containment and fire fighting. During the next session we did some hands-on training with the purpose of the exercise to evaluate all members' actions and capabilities during a non-standard initial response.

I want to thank all our first responders who attended the trainings. I would also like to thank the Piscataquis County Emergency Management Director and the Maine Emergency Management Agency.

The Police and Fire Departments handle countless calls every year that could be classified as emergency which require the activation of an Incident Command System. They deal with the problems in a quick and professional manner. This truly makes my job much easier and you more secure.

I want to pass on another good news story. The Brownville Fire Department has picked up some more and younger fire fighters. Thanks to Chief Kevin Black and his Officers, regular training is being conducted and a vibrant fire fighting team is emerging.

Thanks to all those who have volunteered their time at no cost to prepare the town to respond to emergencies.

Terrance R. Knowles, Brownville Emergency Management Director

Brownville Free Public Library 2016 Report

Over the past year the Brownville Free Public Library circulated almost 1,000 books and nearly 200 DVDs. The Library welcomed 44 new patrons and had a total of 1,644 visits! Since libraries aren't just for borrowing materials we also offer FREE Wi-Fi (24/7), 2 public computers and copying services. These great extras were used 686 times in 2016. Remember, if you ever need assistance using a computer or any other device we'd love to help!

For the 2nd time in as many years the library applied for, and was selected to participate in a "Let's Talk About It" book discussion program offered by the Maine Humanities Council. All the books and materials for this program were provided by the Maine Humanities Council and the Maine State Library at no cost. The Maine Humanities Council also provided us with an excellent facilitator that guided the group through discussing each book in the "Mysteries by Maine Authors" series. We were thrilled to have a total of 13 participants! We may have the chance to offer another of these great programs in the future, so keep your eyes peeled!

In March the Library hosted an Easter egg hunt at the Church Street playground. Over 100 eggs were hidden and all of them were found by the 35 kids that joined in on the hunt. We plan to host an Easter egg hunt again in 2017. In April the Library purchased a Maine Discovery Museum pass with funds remaining from a Stephen and Tabitha King grant. We were able to loan out 1 pass per day which covered admission for up to 4 people. A total of 26 kids and adults borrowed this pass to visit the Maine Discovery Museum for free! During the month of July we had a group of 13 kids get together on Tuesdays and Thursdays for our summer reading program "On Your Mark, Get Set, Read!". Everyone took turns reading and participating in some friendly competition. We spent a few afternoons at the playground to enjoy the fresh air, read and race. On one of the days we went to the playground we did a rainbow scavenger hunt and brought back 5 bags of very colorful litter! Each day a child attended the reading program their name was entered into a drawing to win 1 of 2 Kindles donated by the Pleasant River Lodge of Masons. Rylee Heal and Michael Drake were very excited to have their names drawn as Kindle winners. On Halloween the Library Board of Directors dressed up in costume and handed out candy and books. We had 11 fabulously dressed Trick or Treaters stop in for a treat. On December 23rd the library opened its doors from 5-6pm for our 3rd annual "Candy Canes, Cocoa & Christmas Stories". We were very excited to share snacks & stories and to celebrate the holidays with 15 little visitors.

As always, everyone at the Brownville Free Public Library is very pleased to have had the opportunity to serve our community for another year and we would like to thank everyone who has supported us, volunteered time or made donations to help us along the way!

Respectfully submitted,

Autumn Chadwick,
Library Director

Brownville Free Public Library
Treasurer's Report 2016

Receipts:

Town of Brownville	5000.00
Maine Highland FCU	122.00
USAC Refund	410.00
Donations/fundraisers	<u>225.10</u>
Total:	\$5757.10

Disbursements:

Rent	600.00
Insurance	400.00
PO Box	84.00
State of Maine	35.00
Networkmaine	100.00
Payroll Services	225.25
Wages & Taxes	4496.16
MEMIC	262.00
Fairpoint Communications	559.37
Book purchases	227.94
Supply purchases	252.03
Improvements/updates (grant)	<u>1016.00</u>
Total:	\$8257.75

In 2017, the Brownville Free Public Library Board of Directors is requesting that the Town of Brownville appropriate funds in the amount of \$5,000 for the operation of the library. These funds will cover most of the library's expenses that cannot be paid with funds received through grants. The library Board of Directors plans to cover the rest of these costs with reserve funds and through fundraising events. Estimated annual costs of the library that cannot be covered with grant money are as follows:

Rent	1000.00
Insurance	400.00
PO Box	84.00
State of Maine	35.00
Networkmaine	100.00
Payroll Fees	825.00
Wages	5616.00
MEMIC	300.00
Books	300.00
Supplies	300.00
Phone Service	<u>600.00</u>
Total:	\$9,560.00

Respectfully submitted,

Christopher A. Crockett
Treasurer

**TOWN OF BROWNVILLE
BUILDING PERMIT REPORT
2016**

2/12/16

KATAHDIN MEDICAL CENTER 180 MAIN ST MAP 1 LOT 83
15 FOOT DOUBLE SIDED SIGN

3/09/16

GRAVES SERVICE STATION 1540 MAIN RD MAP 17 LOT 17
REPLACE GAS PUMP CANOPY AND SIGNS

4/05/16

MAUREEN GORMLEY 208 MAIN RD MAP 14 LOT 2
12 X 32 GREEN HOUSE

JEFF WITHAM 478 CHURCH ST MAP 21 LOT 12
12 X 10 CHICKEN COOP

4/15/16

BRENTEN LaVALLE EAST POND MAP 12 LOT 16
28 X 42 HOUSE W/ATTACHED 16 X 24 GARAGE

GRAVES SERVICE STATION 30 KINEO AVE MAP 17 LOT 29-99
14 X 36 BAKER ON SIDE OF TRUCK GARAGE

WAYNE LATTI 10 CIRCLE DR MAP 18 LOT 121
8 X 12 GREENHOUSE

5/27/16

BRIAN WILES/EASTERN MAINE RR 15 TREATMENT PLANT RD MAP 20 LOT 8
MODULAR BUILDING

BEN BEECHER 161 ABBE POND RD MAP 2 LOT 75-5
30 X 30 METAL BUILDING

HOLLIS TREADWELL 321 SCHOODIC LAKE RD MAP 5 LOT 21-2
10 X 50 METAL STORAGE BUILDING, 30 X 48 FIBER STORAGE BUILDING, 26 X 36 FIBER BUILDING
FOR ANIMALS

WAVERLY CONLOGUE 28 FISHER AVE MAP 20 LOT 9
REPLACE EXISTING DECK, ADD ROOF TO DECK

DONALD BELVIN 28 X 28 POLE BARN	197 DAVIS ST	MAP 7 LOT 53-H
JASON PAUL CHICKEN COOP	22 HENDERSON ST	MAP 18 LOT 81-82
6/08/16 MICHAEL THIBODEAU NEW ROOF, SIDING AND WINDOWS	121 KNIGHT'S LANDING RD	MAP 22 LOT 44
6/22/16 JENNIFER MITCHELL DECK ATTACHED TO HOUSE	71 PAGE ST	MAP 17 LOT 78
8/30/16 BRUCE DEAN ADDING SLAB TO HOUSE & SHED	75 HIGH ST	MAP 1 LOT 8
10/04/16 RANDY McMAHON 28 X28 ADDITION TO GARAGE FOR STORAGE	16 RIPS RD	MAP 1 LOT 83-1
BROWNVILLE JCTN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH DEMO CHURCH PARSONAGE	13 FIRST ST	MAP 18 LOT 130-2
MOE MAHEUX 40 X 40 STORAGE BARN	DOSTY LANE	MAP 2 LOT 18-006
DENNIS GREEN NEW ROOF	310 MAIN RD	MAP 15 LOT 1
DANIEL GERRISH NEW SHED	24 CHARLOTTE'S RD	MAP LOT
11/07/16 WILLIAM BUEHLER CONVERT ATTACHED SHED TO BEDROOM	55 RR AVE	MAP 18 LOT 40
WAYNE DILLON HANDICAP RAMP W/ROOF	304 STICKNEY HILL RD	MAP 2 LOT 9
LANCE GERRISH 28 X 56 NEW MODULAR HOME	147 STICKNEY HILL RD	MAP 1 LOT 100-A

11/07/16 CONT.

PRECISION TANKS INC

RR YARD OFF MAIN RD

20,000 GALLON FUELING STATION FOR LOCOMOTIVES

11/21/16

PHILIP SMITH

4 CHASE LANE

MAP 18 LOT 69

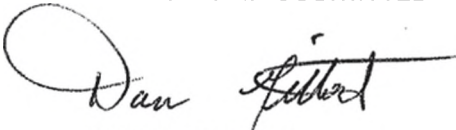
20 X 20 GARAGE

EASTERN MAINE RR

OFF TREATMENT PLANT RD MAP 20 LOT 8

RAIL SIDING FOR FIBER TRANSFER

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dan Gilbert", with a large, stylized initial "D" and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

DANIEL GILBERT

CEO #441

December 8, 2016

TOWN OF BROWNVILLE

LPI REPORT 2016

(The TOWN OF BROWNVILLE has a \$50.00 surcharge on all plumbing permits)

PERMIT#	TYPE	APPLICANT	FEE	TOWN	STATE	DEP
671	X	HOWARD SCHAFFER	315.00	237.50	62.50	15.00
672	I	JOHN MATZILEVICH	150.00	125.00	25.00	
673	I	KATAHDIN MEDICAL	280.00	222.50	57.50	
674	X	KATAHDIN MEDICAL	315.00	237.50	62.50	15.00
675	I	RED MOOSE RESTAURANT	110.00	95.00	15.00	
676	X	RED MOOSE RESTAURANT	315.00	237.50	62.50	15.00
677	X	M&M AUTOMOTIVE	315.00	237.50	62.50	15.00
678	I	RED MOOSE RESTAURANT	110.00	95.00	15.00	
679	X	BRENTEN LaVELLE	315.00	237.00	62.50	15.00
680	X	ADAM COOVER	315.00	237.50	62.50	15.00
681	I	HENRY ZWETSLOOT	130.00	110.00	20.00	
682	X	CHARLES LARSON	315.00	237.50	62.50	15.00
683	X	JAMES COPELAND	315.00	237.50	62.50	15.00
684	I	BRENTAN LaVELLE	210.00	170.00	40.00	
685	I	LANCE GERRISH	90.00	80.00	10.00	
685B	I	LANCE GERRISH	140.00	105.00	35.00	
TOTAL FEES			\$3740.00	2902.50	717.50	120.00

RETAINED BY TOWN \$2902.50

X=SUBSURFACE

REMITTED TO DHS \$837.50 CK#3186 & #3253

I=INTERNAL

REMITTED TO DEP \$120.00 CK#3187 & CK#3254


RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

DAN GILBERT LPI#380

12/08/16

PENQUIS SOLID WASTE CORPORATION

A Quasi-Municipal Transfer Station and CDD Landfill
Serving the Towns of Brownville and Milo, Lake View Plantation, and the
Townships of Ebeemee, Katahdin Ironworks, and Williamsburg

RECYCLING PROGRAM GUIDELINES

NEWSPAPERS AND PAPERS

- Put in a paper grocery bag
- Newspapers including inserts
- Magazines up to 1/2 inch thick
- Junk Mail
- Paperboard (cereal/beverage boxes)



Paper must be bundled

METAL AND ALUMINUM CANS

- Put in a paper grocery bag
- Save all beverage and vegetable cans
- Recycle aluminum and bi-steel
- Rinse clean. Remove caps and metal rings
- No need to sort by type or remove labels



CARDBOARD

- Flatten and bundle
- Cut to 2' x 2' squares
- Corrugated (shipping type) cardboard ONLY



PLASTIC

- No need to remove labels
- Rinse clean and throw away caps
- Containers Only #1 and #2 plastics



DO NOT RECYCLE:

- Paper plates, paper towels or napkins
- Glass of any kind
- Light Bulbs
- Dishes and Drinking Glasses
- Waxed Cardboard
- Product Packages
- Oil Containers
- Paint Cans
- Pails
- Toys
- Hose/Pipe
- Adhesives
- Hazardous Waste Containers
(Currently with Waste or Empty)

Open 8:00AM-4:00PM - Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday

Closed on Sunday during the winter months

LOCATION: 532 LAKE VIEW ROAD, MILO MAINE 04463

TRANSFER STATION USER FEES:

Unstripped Mattress or Box Spring.....	\$5.00 Each
Refrigerators (including gas) and Air Conditioners.....	\$15.00 Each
E-Waste and Universal Waste (Televisions, Computer Monitors, etc.).....	\$5.00 Each
Bulky Waste (Furniture, etc.).....	\$5.00 Each
Wood Waste/Burn Pile (1/2 Ton Truck/Single Axle Trailer).....	\$5.00 Each
Wood Waste/Burn Pile (1 Ton Truck/Double Axle Trailer).....	\$10.00 Each

Carpets:

3ft. x 3 ft. or less	Free with regular household waste
Less than 9 ft. x 12 ft.	\$10.00 Each
Less than 12 ft. x 15 ft.	\$20.00 Each
More than 12 ft. x 15 ft.	\$35.00 Each

Demo (CDD) Debris & Shingle Prices: ½ Ton Truck \$40.00 per load, 1 Ton Truck \$75.00 per load, Single Axle Trailer \$40.00 per load and Dual Axle Trailer \$75.00 per load. *(Updated price as of 1/1/2017)*

IF THE GATE IS CLOSED, THE FACILITY IS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC

OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK

There were two nomination papers filed for the following vacancies to be filled at the March 21, 2016 Municipal Election:

Selectperson 1 Vacancy - 3 Year Term
MSAD 41 Director 1 Vacancy - 3 Year Term

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT



To the Citizens of Brownville:

Licenses sold:

* Fish & Game - 337 * Boats - 235 * Snowmobiles- 196
* ATVs -245 * Dogs - 290 * Kennels -2

Oaths of Office administered - 83

Vital Statistics recorded:

* Marriages - 9 * Births - 8 * Deaths - 17

1 Annual Town Meeting, 3 Special Town Meetings, 3 Municipal Elections,
1 School Budget Referendum, 1 Presidential Primary Election and 1 General/Referendum Election.

Respectfully submitted,
s/ Kathy K. White
Town Clerk

Motor Vehicle Report

Total of 1,749 transactions:

*Re-Registrations - 1,285 *New Registrations - 310
*Transfers - 84 *Miscellaneous - 70

In Memory Of

<i>Bret Babin</i> 6/27/2016	<i>Richard Blodgett</i> 6/15/2016	<i>Rodney Blodgett</i> 9/9/2016	<i>Joseph Cardoza Jr.</i> 3/18/2016	<i>Richard Davis</i> 3/24/2016
<i>Bruce Dean</i> 11/24/2016	<i>Leon Farrar Sr.</i> 6/18/2016	<i>William Hertzog II</i> 10/18/2016	<i>Arthur Larson</i> 5/4/2016	<i>Wanda Purdue</i> 12/12/2016
<i>Ross Rolfe</i> 8/21/2016	<i>John Rosebush</i> 9/21/2016	<i>Walter Sprague</i> 6/14/2016	<i>Eleanor Sprandel</i> 2/10/2016	<i>Frank Sprandel</i> 6/8/2016
<i>Arthur Stevenson</i> 9/18/2016	<i>Patrick Stone</i> 7/3/2016			



TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT 2016

UNPAID 2016 REAL ESTATE TAXES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2016

Alison Berg Trust.....	425.57	Crossman, Joni	903.48
Allan, Clifford & Alicia	821.14	Cyr, David M. Jr.	1,087.81
Anderson, Joshua A.....	436.95	Daigle, Caleb A & John M.....	277.64
Anthony, Mark	1,661.31	Damon, Gerald & Coffman, Robert	1,601.12
Arnold, Merrick H.....	557.56	Dellolio, Judy Lynn.....	1,652.35
Badger, James & Jeannette.....	641.76	Dickey, Darryl.....	1,834.26
Bedinger, Perry F	1,397.32	Doiron, Robert A	27.31
Bellatty, Dean.....	287.68	Dow, Ralph & Lynette	646.32
Belvin, John, Kristen, Donald & Coleen.....	999.06	Doyle, Stephen & Jackie & Patterson, George & Nancy ..	1,815.15
Belvin, John, Kristen, Donald & Coleen.....	418.74	Drake, Cote	365.92
Berg, Robert A.	710.04	Eastern Maine Railway Co.....	5.33
Bessey, David W. & Betsy M	1,055.95	Eckstrom, Denise M.....	1,361.37
Blake, Thomas M.....	450.60	Eckholm, David	411.79
Blanchard-Stone, Lesley	766.93	Ellis, Annette M Devises	66.00
Bottomly, Edward (Heirs).....	2,482.86	Ellis, Annette Devises & Ellis, Donald Heirs	1,253.94
Brackett, Cheri L.....	5,268.39	Ellis, William.	77.38
Brackett, Cheri L.....	819.27	Elwell, Fred J. II.....	746.45
Brackett, Cheri L.....	1,863.85	Emery, Kevin & Emery, Rickie Lee.....	609.90
Brewer, Jeffrey B & Hazel F.....	691.10	Emmons, Wayne B & Kim B	103.51
Brown, Robert J	885.27	Emmons, Wayne B & Kim B	30.80
Brown, Robert J	54.62	Engle, Del.....	685.00
Bunn, Judith A Trustee.....	1,734.13	Farrar, Lance	77.38
Bunn, Judith A Trustee.....	1,058.23	Farrar, Leon Jr.....	362.46
Butt, Clifton	330.24	Farrar, Stanley P	731.79
Cables, Diane Heirs.....	887.55	Finkle, Jason A.....	466.53
Camann, Michael L.	646.32	Finkle, Justin	295.85
Campana-Harris, Sharon	241.23	Fiore, Derek	905.75
Campana-Harris, Sharon	43.12	Fleisher, Nancy Karen.....	112.14
Catalan-Schindelwig, Martha Dee.....	2,139.22	Folsom, Larry & Deborah	3,640.62
Catalan-Schindelwig, Martha Dee.....	207.09	Folsom, Larry & Deborah	459.70
Coburn, Michael V.....	70.55	Folsom, Larry & Deborah	475.63
Coburn, Michael V.....	355.02	Folsom, Larry & Deborah	457.43
Colby, John E Revocable Trust of 1995.....	1.77	Folsom, Larry & Deborah	457.43
Colby, John E Revocable Trust of 1995.....	8.71	Folsom, Larry & Deborah	455.15
Comeau, Joseph & Evelyn	177.51	Folsom, Larry & Deborah	514.32
Compound Holding LLC.....	150.20	Fortin, Gerard E & Meloney L.....	1,071.88
Compound Holding LLC.....	197.99	Frost, Patricia	241.23
Compound Holding LLC.....	1,331.32	Gallant, Penny L.....	1,319.94
Compound Holding LLC.....	11.38	Gallant, William J	13.65
Compound Holding LLC.....	1,267.60	Gormley, Maureen	662.25
Compound Holding LLC.....	191.16	Grant, Ivan Douglas	801.07
Compound Holding LLC.....	77.38	Grant, Russell.....	1,191.74
Compound Holding LLC.....	143.37	Grant, Scott A	1,556.62
Coover, Leonard Jr.....	1,278.98	Gray, Charles & Barbara.....	619.01
Coover, Leonard Jr.....	27.31	Gray, Daniel G & Vickie.....	115.32
Coover, Matthew L.	359.57	Gray, Lorraine Heirs	871.62
Coover, Matthew L. & Angelina	523.43	Gray, Wade	79.65
Corson, Linwood.....	1,226.64	Greeley, Christian D & Donna M.....	1,114.98
Corson, Linwood & Knowlton, Becky	580.32	Hamilton, Eva Heirs.....	293.57
Couture, Leonard T. & Lisa J.....	1,351.80	Hammond, Nicholas.....	1,101.47
Crandall, Rodney & Brooks, Marilyn M.....	1,285.80	Harville, Thomas.....	589.42
Crossman, Donald & Joni	1,381.39	Hathorn, Roy	195.72
		Hawkins, Cory S & Parker, Gail M.....	644.05
		Hayes, Debra J	946.72
		Heath, Guy William	423.29
		Heath, Guy William	955.82
		Heath, Timothy.	1,078.71
		Hemenway, Ira B & Tanya M	632.52
		Hicks, Lisa L Sevick, Isabella (AKA).....	188.89

Unpaid 2016 Real Estate Taxes continued

Hicks, Terri L.....	732.67	Penquis Land Holdings	2,762.77
Hunter, Mary A	102.41	Penquis Land Holdings	382.33
Hyers, Robert D Heirs.....	0.77	Penquis Land Holdings	323.16
Iddins, Patricia A.....	1,121.95	Penquis Land Holdings	252.61
Jameson, David G Heirs.....	1,099.19	Penquis Land Holdings	227.58
Johnson, Steven & Emilie	2,077.77	Penquis Land Holdings	209.37
Jones, Jeffrey.....	109.24	Penquis Land Holdings	209.37
Jones, Jeffrey & Joni	1,605.33	Penquis Land Holdings	211.65
Joslyn, Gordon W	546.18	Penquis Land Holdings	172.96
Joslyn, Maurice Heirs.....	164.08	Penquis Land Holdings	193.44
KAJA Holdings 2 LLC.....	1,795.58	Penquis Land Holdings	223.02
Katahdin Christian Church Inc.....	172.96	Penquis Land Holdings	263.99
KI Riders	63.72	Penquis Land Holdings	261.71
KI Riders	56.89	Penquis Land Holdings	243.51
KI Riders	45.52	Penquis Land Holdings	329.99
KI Riders	166.13	Penquis Land Holdings	1,062.78
KI Riders	31.86	Penquis Land Holdings	223.02
Kinne, Paul E. Jr.	1,224.36	Penquis Land Holdings	414.19
Kowalski, John Jr.	345.92	Penquis Land Holdings	1,008.16
Krause, Brian & Sarah	516.60	Perkins, Charlotte J.	269.20
LaFreniere, Stephen & Oakes, Joy.....	4,956.61	Perkins, Charlotte J.	31.86
Lajoie, Dana P.....	317.10	Perry, William & Elizabeth.....	121.87
Lalime, Michael D.....	197.99	Pforte, Kimberly T	242.23
Lalime, Susan	621.72	Polega, Michael Joseph.....	1,902.91
Lamore, Barbara Leeman.....	195.72	Pomelow, David.....	1,099.19
Landry, Jennifer	350.47	Pratt, Clifford & Miranda.....	842.03
Latti, Wayne.....	778.31	Preble, Kathryn B.....	689.56
Lavergne, Frederick.	935.34	Prostaff Enterprises LLC.....	1,738.68
LeClair, Jerry & Miriam.....	150.20	Purdue, Ronald E	150.05
Leeman, Starr	225.30	R&K Realty Trust	390.26
Legendre, Peter A.....	218.47	Richard, Angel	77.38
Lema, Anthony J	1,142.94	Richard, Angel	1,429.18
Lloyd, Charles Sr & Mary.....	677.53	Richards, Linda J.E.	145.65
Lovejoy, Theresa M.	598.53	Rittenhouse, Brandi & (TC) Magyar, James P.....	630.39
Maher Family Trust.....	56.89	Roasted Maine LLC	787.41
Maine Escapes.....	49.68	Robbins, Bruce & Donna	460.30
McCleary, Paul & Gail.....	582.59	Roberts, Edward.....	350.47
McCormick, Ronald A	123.26	Roberts, Edward & Brenda	873.89
McKenna, Daniel E Devises.....	855.60	Rogers, Leslie J & Liza.....	817.00
McKenna, Daniel E Devises.....	460.10	Rollins, Karen Ann.....	822.87
McKenzie, Chris	18.21	Royal, Michael J & Karen.....	712.27
McKenzie, Otto & Dale	632.66	Rugg, Debra	293.01
McSorley, William & Jenise	837.48	Rugg, Debra	254.89
McSwine, Wayne & Marie.....	150.20	Russell, George & Josephine (Heirs)	482.46
Miguens, Xavier & Jane.....	493.84	Russell, Gregory & Linda	685.00
Mills, Jamey	491.56	Russell, Michael Sr.	484.74
Mitchell, Jennifer	35.94	Santoro, Bruce.....	223.02
Monahan, Matthew P	1,531.59	Sawlivich, Daniel & Tina.....	1,086.65
Moriarty, William & Charlene	293.78	Sawtell, Richard	353.06
Noke, Paul Sr. & Terri	1,319.94	Schoodic Properties LLC	1,624.77
Ogden, David & Judy.....	620.42	Seal 1, LLC	2,207.49
Oliver, Glenwood.....	600.80	Searles, Ronald & Patricia E.....	869.34
Osgood, Pamela Diane	1,037.75	Shedyak, Christopher M.....	1,126.50
Ouellette, Brian & Burch, Denise	368.67	Sickler, Barbara.....	593.97
Parent, Jason & Cynthia.....	5,427.69	Slagle, Vincent J.....	145.65
Parkman, Cheryl.....	668.74	Slagle, Vincent J.....	54.62
Patterson, William.....	539.36	Small, Randall & Lisa	141.38
Paul, Jason C	670.04	Smith, Gary & Glover, Helen.....	828.38
		Smith, Milton Jr	118.34
		Smith, Milton W Jr.....	721.42

Unpaid 2016 Real Estate Taxes continued

Sornberger, Leon C.	705.49
Statler, Joseph	1,365.46
Stamatopoulos, Harry c/o Alicia Conley	1,040.02
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	1,731.85
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	304.95
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	150.20
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	1,149.26
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	873.89
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	1,253.94
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	1,042.30
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	794.24
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	974.03
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	1,142.43
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	1,126.50
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	748.73
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	1,602.14
Steeplechase Properties, LLC	68.27
STEM Inc.	1,714.17
STEM Inc.	402.81
Stickney, Donald S Sr Heirs	1,323.35
Stubbs, David	905.75
Sullivan, Edward M.	548.46
Sullivan, Glennis Heirs	157.03
Szidat-Brackett, Cheri L.	452.88
Tanguay, Mark	263.99
Thibodeau, Paul A.	77.38
Treadwell, Hollis G & Rebecca H.	3,952.59
Tucci, Bridie	2,735.46
Turavani, Marie I	1,365.46
Turgeon, Gerard	614.46
Turner, Randy F & Kimberly A	1,980.25
Varney, Shirley	553.01
Wallace, Cathy W.	744.17
Wallace, Cathy W	1,142.43
Warbin, Douglas & Kathleen B.	1,224.36
Washburn, Michael L	764.66
Washburn, Michael L	1,028.64
Washburn, Michael L	898.93
Watt, Sarah	1,329.04
Webb, Raymond E Jr.	589.06
Wheeler, John	2,086.87
Willette, Charles D.	37.22
Willinski, Douglas A & Michele A	3,572.94
Witham, Carol Durant	1,058.23
Witham, James (Heirs)	773.76
Witham, Jerald W	1,026.37
Worster, Laurie A.	170.68
X-Ring Industries of Maine, Inc.	3,834.66
TOTAL	\$214,136.32

**TAX COLLECTOR'S
REPORT 2016
2015 UNPAID TAX LIENS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2016**

Anderson, Joshua A.	271.86
Arnold, Merrick H.	569.68

Badger, James & Jeanette	793.13
Bedinger, Perry F	1,346.45
Belvin, John & Kristin Belvin, Donald & Coleen	2,593.49
Bessey, David W & Betsy M	1,030.69
Bottomley, Edward C Heirs	1,101.91
Brown, Robert J.	895.97
Brown, Robert J.	104.46
Bunn, Judith A. Trustee	1,706.43
Bunn, Judith A. Trustee	1,062.27
Cables, Diane R Heirs	895.97
Camann, Michael L	664.41
Campana-Harris, Sharon A.	290.02
Campana-Harris, Sharon A.	464.74
Catalan-Schindelwig, Martha Dee	15.61
Catalan-Schindelwig, Martha Dee	87.30
Coburn, Michael V	204.41
Coover, Leonard Jr.	1,342.25
Coover, Leonard R Jr.	92.14
Coover, Matthew L	386.54
Coover, Matthew & Angelina	643.36
Couture, Leonard T & Lisa J.	1,343.96
Crandall, Rodney & Brooks, Marilyn M.	574.59
Cyr, David M. Jr.	1,089.63
Dickey, Darryl	1,723.26
Elwell, Fred J. II	763.35
Engel, Del.	473.49
Farrar, Lance A.	125.51
Finkle, Jason A.	590.74
Fiore, Derek	914.91
Frost, Patricia	179.08
Gormley, Maureen J	269.23
Grant, Scott A.	1,662.53
Gray, Charles & Barbara.	757.04
Hammond, Nicholas	1,102.26
Harville, Thomas	613.88
Heath, Timothy W	967.81
Hicks, Lisa L Sevick, Isabella (AKA)	228.66
Jameson, David G Heirs	51.18
Joslyn, Gordon W.	818.08
KAJA Holdings 2 LLC	1,789.14
Katahdin Christian Church Inc.	213.93
Kinne, Paul E. Jr.	1,233.09
Kowalski, John Jr.	66.46
Lamore, Barbara Leeman	15.72
Landry, Jennifer	388.65
Lavergne, Frederick	942.28
Leclair, Jerry & Miriam	192.88
Leeman, Starr L.	592.84
Legendre, Peter A.	255.98
Lovejoy, Theresa M.	763.97
McKenzie, Chris	160.36
McKenzie, Otto & Dale	141.35
Mills, Jamey	521.27
Noke, Paul Sr & Terri	1,321.51
Oliver, Glenwood	53.15
Ouellette, Brian & Burch, Denise.	532.11
Patterson, William F.	476.49
Penquis Land Holdings LLC	2,622.44
Pomelow, David	744.01
Richards, Linda J E	188.66

Rittenhouse, Brandi & (TC) Magyar, James P	89.93
Rogers, Leslie J & Liza	856.59
Russell, George & Josephine Heirs	510.74
Russell, Michael A Sr	168.83
Searles, Ronald & Patricia	894.18
Shedyak, Christopher M.....	1,095.95
Smith, Gary A. & Glover, Helen	938.38
Sornberger, Leon C	710.11
Stamatopoulos, Harry c/o Alicia Conley	1,039.06
Stubbs, David	914.91
Sullivan, Edward M.....	311.87
Tanguay, Mark	403.38
Thibodeau, Paul A.....	125.51
Turavani, Marie I	1,470.66
Turgeon, Gerard	622.31
Wallace, Cathy W.	872.91
Warbin, Douglas & Kathleen	1,186.48
Washburn, Michael L.....	780.19
Washburn, Michael L.....	1,047.85
Washburn, Michael L.....	1,037.32
Witham, Carol Durant	1,073.11
Worster, Laurie A.....	211.82
X-Ring Industries of Maine, Inc.....	3,613.93
TOTAL.....	\$64,004.59

**TAX COLLECTOR'S
REPORT 2016
UNPAID PERSONAL
PROPERTY TAX
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2016**

2016 Personal Property

Bolstridge, Alton	22.76
Brackett, Cheri	257.16
Dorman, John	359.57
Hammac, Dennis	662.25
Johnson, Steven & Emilie	637.21
Johnson, Steven & Emilie	227.58
KI Kafe.....	113.79
McKenzie, Otto	116.06
McSwine, Wayne	59.17
TOTAL.....	\$2,455.55

2015 Personal Property

Brackett, Cheri	237.87
Hammac, Dennis	612.58
MOC's Powersports & Rentals	309.45
Pribus, Charles Heirs DBA: Station Market.....	126.30
Johnson, Steven & Emilie	122.09
TOTAL.....	\$1,408.29

2014 Personal Property

Brackett, Cheri	247.89
McKenzie, Otto	41.68
MOC's Powersports & Rentals	322.48
Pribus, Charles R. Heirs DBA: Station Market.....	131.62

Johnson, Steven & Emilie	127.24
TOTAL.....	\$870.91

2013 Personal Property

Brackett, Cheri	254.46
McKenzie, Otto	42.79
Pribus, Charles R Heirs DBA: Station Market	135.11
Johnson, Steven & Emilie	130.61
TOTAL.....	\$562.97

2012 Personal Property

Brackett, Cheri	254.28
McKenzie, Otto	42.75
Pribus, Charles R Heirs DBA: Station Market	135.01
Johnson, Steven & Emilie	130.51
TOTAL.....	\$562.55

2011 Personal Property

Brackett, Cheri	268.00
Clement, Raymond.....	118.58
McKenzie, Otto	45.06
Pribus, Charles R Heirs DBA: Station Market	282.23
Johnson, Steven & Emilie	137.56
Turgeon, Gerard	23.72
TOTAL.....	\$875.15

2010 Personal Property

Brackett, Cheri	278.43
McKenzie, Otto	46.82
Pribus, Charles R Heirs DBA: Station Market	293.21
Turgeon, Gerard	24.64
TOTAL.....	\$643.10

2009 Personal Property

McKenzie, Otto	51.31
Pribus, Charles R Heirs DBA: Station Market	361.90
TOTAL.....	\$413.21

2008 Personal Property

Lloyd, Charles Sr.	37.49
McKenzie, Otto	71.23
Pribus, Charles R Heirs DBA: Station Market	551.13
TOTAL.....	\$659.85

2007 Personal Property

Lloyd, Charles Sr	46.96
Pribus, Charles R Heirs DBA: Station Market	976.86
TOTAL.....	\$1,023.82

The Annual Report includes financial statements chosen by our auditor for inclusion in this Report to provide general information about the Town's financial activity in 2016. A complete audit report for 2016 with more comprehensive financial statement and notes will be available for review at the Brownville Town Office after May 20, 2017.

Town of Brownville Auditor
James W. Wadman, CPA
P.O. Box 889
Ellsworth, Maine 04605



STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
1 STATE HOUSE STATION
AUGUSTA, MAINE
04333-0001

Paul R. LePage
GOVERNOR

Dear Citizens of Brownville:

Maine has a long tradition of civil participation in both state and local government, and I thank you for being informed and involved citizens.

My vision for Maine is prosperity, not poverty. For this reason, one of my top priorities continues to be the reduction and eventual elimination of the income tax. Raising the minimum wage is not the path out of poverty; I want Mainers to earn a career wage. Reducing the income tax is the biggest and most immediate pay raise for all hard-working Mainers.

Not only does an income tax cut put more money back in your pockets, but it will also attract businesses that can offer good-paying careers to keep our young people here. It shows the nation that we are serious about wanting people and businesses to come—and stay—in Maine.

Unfortunately, voters approved a referendum question to raise the income tax to 10.15% on successful Maine households and small businesses. Enacting the second highest income tax rate in the country shows the nation we are eager to punish people for being successful. It will drive them out of our state and make it even more difficult to attract much-needed doctors, dentists, scientists, engineers and other professionals to Maine. They can live in neighboring New Hampshire, which takes no income tax from their paychecks. Even worse, there is no guarantee the extra revenue from this tax will go to fund education, as proponents promised.

As successful people leave Maine, state and municipal government will lose the significant amount they pay in property, sales and incomes taxes. This will put even more upward pressure on local property taxes. Municipalities will have to get more creative to provide local services without increasing property taxes. Reforming the tree growth program, collecting property taxes on land in conservation or preservation programs, charging a payment in lieu of taxes on state land that is taken off the property tax rolls and having non-profit organizations pay a two-percent tax on their net revenues are all ways for municipalities to increase revenues.

Such bold measures would take strong leadership and commitment from local officials and residents. If ever I can be of assistance to you or if you have any questions or suggestions, I encourage you to contact my office by calling 287-3531 or by visiting our website at www.maine.gov/governor.

Sincerely,

Paul R. LePage
Governor



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United States Senate
WASHINGTON, DC 20510-1804

Dear Friends:

It is an honor to represent Maine in the United States Senate. I am grateful for the trust the people of our State have placed in me and welcome this opportunity to share some key accomplishments.

Growing our economy by encouraging job creation remains a top priority. The tax relief bill enacted during this last Congress contains provisions I authored to provide small businesses with the certainty that they need to invest, grow, and, most important, hire new workers. The 2017 National Defense Authorization Act includes a provision the Maine delegation worked together to champion requiring that military recruits be provided with athletic footwear made in America, as is required for other equipment and uniform items whenever possible. This is a great victory for our troops and for the 900 skilled workers at New Balance factories here in Maine.

Maine's contributions to our national security stretch from Kittery to Limestone. As a senior member of the Appropriations Committee, I successfully advocated for critical funding for projects at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard and \$1 billion towards the construction of an additional ship that will likely be built at Bath Iron Works. This funding will strengthen the Navy and our national security, and the additional destroyer will help meet the Navy's goal of a 355-ship fleet.

Maine's growing population of older individuals creates many challenges. That's why, as Chairman of the Senate Aging Committee, my top three priorities are fighting fraud and financial abuse directed at our nation's seniors, increasing investments in biomedical research, and improving retirement security.

The Aging Committee's toll-free hotline (1-855-303-9470) makes it easier for senior citizens to report suspected fraud and receive assistance. Last May, a call to the hotline helped lead to the arrest of a national crime ring targeting seniors, and in June I worked to secure the humanitarian release of a Maine senior who had been imprisoned in Spain after being victimized by an international drug smuggling scam.

The Aging Committee also released an extensive report detailing the findings of our bipartisan investigation into the abrupt and dramatic price increases for prescription drugs whose patents expired long ago.

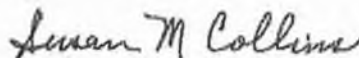
I advocated strongly for the \$2 billion increase in funding for the National Institutes of Health to advance research on such diseases as diabetes and Alzheimer's. I also championed and authored portions of the 21st Century Cures Act that will further support biomedical innovation and make significant reforms to our mental health system.

The Senate also took steps in the past year to combat the nation's heroin and opioid epidemic by passing the Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act (CARA), which I was proud to cosponsor. CARA is a monumental step forward in our effort to address the devastating addiction crisis affecting countless families and communities across the country and right here in Maine.

A Maine value that always guides me is our unsurpassed work ethic. In December 2016, I cast my 6,236th consecutive vote, continuing my record of never missing a roll-call vote since my Senate service began in 1997.

I appreciate the opportunity to serve Piscataquis County and Maine in the United States Senate. If ever I can be of assistance to you, please contact my Bangor state office at (207) 945-0417 or visit my website at www.collins.senate.gov. May 2017 be a good year for you, your family, your community, and our state.

Sincerely,



Susan M. Collins
United States Senator



Senator Paul T. Davis, Sr.
3 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0003
(207) 287-1505

Dear Friends and Neighbors:

Let me begin by thanking you for the honor of serving you in the Maine Senate. I am humbled that you have put your trust in me to represent your interests and can assure you I will continue to work tirelessly on your behalf. Please let me provide you with a recap of the 127th Legislature, as well as my hopes for the upcoming 128th Legislature, which convenes in December.

Last year, we continued the work of reforming our state's welfare system and achieved the long sought-after goal of banning the purchase of alcohol, tobacco and lottery tickets with welfare benefits. While there is more work to be done in reforming our welfare system, I believe these efforts will help to deter such abuse of the system and help ensure that benefits are going to those who truly need them.

Another accomplishment of the last session was the passage of tax relief for commercial agriculture, aquaculture, and wood harvesting businesses that employ so many of our fellow Mainers. We were also successful in conforming Maine's tax code to the federal code, making permanent tax cuts meant to stimulate job creation in Maine.

I was pleased to have played a part supporting tax relief efforts in my previous term, and am hopeful we can build on that momentum to enact further relief during the coming session. It is clear that we must continue to do all we can to attract more jobs to our state and you have my promise to continue advocating for proposals which will expand economic opportunity for all Mainers.

You have my sincere thanks for allowing me to represent you in Augusta. Please feel free to contact me at 287-1505 or sendavis@myottmail.com if you have comments, questions or if you would like assistance in navigating our state's bureaucracy.

Sincerely,

Paul T. Davis, Sr.
State Senator, District 4



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January 2017

Dear Friends & Neighbors:

Our county and communities continue to face significant challenges, as we are experiencing the effects of an on-going, 20-year decline in our population. The 25-54 age cohort dropped 26% this decade alone. Furthermore, student enrollment in Piscataquis County has lost over 1,000 students in the past 20 years, while our senior population continues to expand, leaving healthcare services strained.

Jobs and the Economy – The forest products industry is a key foundation in sustaining and creating jobs. As a member of the Commission to Study the Economic, Environmental, and Energy Benefits of the Maine Biomass Industry, along with my appointment to the Agriculture, Conservation, and Forestry Committee, I have been given the opportunity to be an influential advocate for matters involving agriculture and forestry.

Broadband/Technology – It is an honor to be working as part of a bi-partisan coalition that is backing a \$10 million bond for broadband development in rural Maine. Currently, the county-wide broadband planning process will lay the foundation for accessing funds from the bond.

Education – The proposed State budget challenges our current funding practices. Being a long-time educator, having experienced the impact of school funding on rural schools, it is important that our interests are heard. Rest assured, I plan to maintain an open dialogue with leaders from both parties in order to ensure equitable resources for our young people.

Drug Epidemic – In partnership with the Maine Medical Association and the Prevention and Harm Reduction Task Force, legislation has been submitted to fund a model prevention program for the State in Piscataquis County. It will create a collaboration of schools, healthcare providers, law enforcement, and community action groups.

Seniors/Health Care – The aging tour conducted by Maine's previous Speaker of the House clearly identified challenges in our region. As such, I am coordinating with telemedicine officials, in conjunction with the broadband initiative, to create expanded access to in-home healthcare monitoring.

Thank you for allowing me to be your voice Augusta. I look forward to responsibly "cooperating" with my fellow lawmakers to create a promising future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Norman E. Higgins".

Norman E. Higgins

State Representative

District 120 Atkinson, Brownville, Dover-Foxcroft, Medford, Milo and Plantation of Lake View, plus the unorganized territory of Orneville Township



Norman E. Higgins

Representative to the Legislature

Term Expires: December 5, 2018

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Representing: District 120 - Atkinson, Brownville, Dover-Foxcroft, Medford, Milo and Plantation of Lake View, plus the unorganized territory of Orneville Township

Committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry

Party: Republican

Legal Residence: Dover-Foxcroft

Seat in House Chamber: 129

Legislative Service: House: 127th, 128th

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State House Message Phone: 1-800-423-2900

House web site: <http://legislature.maine.gov/house/>

Please include this information in your municipal annual report to aid residents in contacting their State Representative. Thank you. Robert B. Hunt, Clerk of the House.

Preserve This Report

A sufficient number of these reports have been printed to furnish every interested citizen with a copy. An effort has been made to get them into the hands of voters in advance of the Annual Town Meeting day. It should be kept in mind that if copies are left at home, there may not be enough remaining to go around on Town Meeting day. This year or any year; it is desirable for you to have a copy of the annual report as soon as issued. It is also important for you to preserve it and bring it with you to the Annual Town Meeting on Monday, March 20, 2017.

Brownville Town Office Hours of Operation

Mondays	8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Tuesdays	8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Wednesdays	8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
<i>(Last Wednesday of each month - 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)</i>	
Thursdays	8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Fridays	8:00 AM – 3:00 PM

If residents and taxpayers are unable to make it into the Town Office during these posted hours, you are encouraged to contact the Town Office to see if you can use the mail to complete your transaction or to schedule an appointment outside of regular business hours.

TOWN OF BROWNVILLE REFERENCE NUMBERS

Brownville Town Office	965-2561
Fax	965-8768
Water/Sewer Department	965-8374
Police Department (non-emergency).....	564-3304
	or 1-800-432-7372
Recreation Department (messages only)	965-2561
Code Enforcement/Plumbing Inspector	938-3866
Fire Chief (non-emergency)	965-2561
Animal Control.....	564-3304
Fire Warden – Roger Graves (Burning Permits).....	965-3733

MAINE LAW REQUIRES BURNING PERMITS FOR ALL OUTDOOR FIRES

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

BROWNVILLE POLICE & FIRE.....	9-1-1
AMBULANCE.....	9-1-1
MAINE STATE POLICE.....	1-800-432-7381

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