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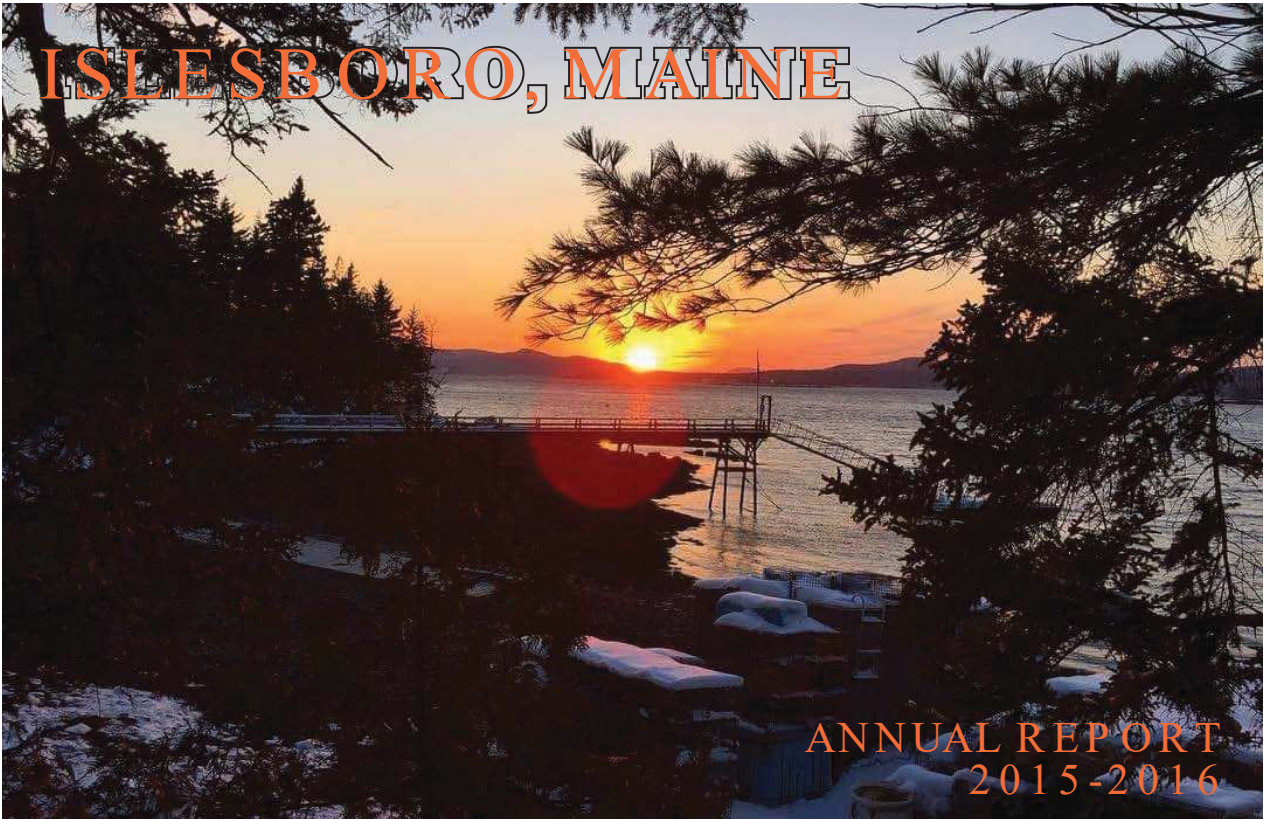
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ISLESBORO, MAINE

ANNUAL REPORT
2015-2016

ISLESBORO FERRY

"Margaret Chase Smith"

between

Islesboro and Lincolnville

3 miles - crossing time 20 minutes

WINTER SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday

January 1 thru March 26

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
7:30 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.*
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Sunday

January 3 thru March 27

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

SUMMER SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday

March 28 thru October 15

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
7:30 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.†
2:30 p.m.†	3:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Sunday

April 3 thru October 16

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
2:30 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Due to traffic load in summer season, actual departure times may vary significantly from posted schedule. Anticipate delays and plan accordingly. Thank you!

FALL SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday

October 17 thru December 31

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
7:30 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.*
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Sunday

October 23 thru December 25

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

* Trip departs @ 10:30 a.m. on Wednesdays due to refueling.

† Does not operate on Wednesdays.

Service will be limited on Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day.

Please call the local terminal for schedule.

Maine State Ferry Service

P.O. Box 214 Lincolnville, ME 04849-0214

Tel. (207) 789-5611

Maine State Ferry Service

Islesboro Terminal

Tel. (207) 734-6935

Town of Islesboro

Waldo County

Maine



Annual Report
July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016

226th Year of Incorporation

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DEDICATION



This year's Town Report is dedicated to Fred Porter, Islesboro's Public Safety Director.

As many of you know, Fred grew up on Islesboro where he attended and graduated from Islesboro Central School. Since graduation, Fred has lived here for the majority of his adult life, but there was a period of time when he left the island to live in California and Portland, Maine. While away from the island, Fred honed many skills, including masonry and guitar playing in hard rock bands.

Upon his return to the island, Fred started and ran his own successful business, providing the island with excellent masonry work. It was during that time, while working in the private sector, that Fred took on the challenge of obtaining an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) license (no small task considering he was operating his own business while studying for his EMT exams). Fred has held an EMT license for over 10 years and currently serves as the EMS Director. Fred also served on the Board of Selectmen and remains an active member of the Masonic Lodge.

In March of 2004 Fred was asked to join the public sector. Fred resigned from the Select Board to take on the responsibilities of law enforcement, animal control and shellfish warden, while continuing his EMT commitment.

For relaxation Fred likes working outdoors and with his hands. Caretaking (cutting, clearing and cleaning up property) and masonry (working with stone to build retaining and sea walls) provide Fred the opportunity to renew his spirit.

Fred's work day is often 14 hours long, as he works from his office, the cruiser and the ambulance. His myriad duties include: reviewing ambulance reports, preparing for EMS training and education, performing maintenance and checking inventories on the ambulances to make certain EMS is ready for the next emergency.

call, working on police complaints, patrolling the island to make sure everyone is safe, trudging through the woods and bogs to make certain hunters and clambers are obeying the law, and counseling young people or island residents who are in need of help and guidance. In addition, during the off season, Fred can be found hiking through the cold and snow to check on vacant homes to make sure that all is safe and secure.

Those who work with Fred wonder if he ever sleeps, because it is not unusual to receive a text or an email from him at any time of the day or night. It takes a special person who will go out in the middle of those cold winter nights to check someone's home when an alarm goes off. Fred is truly concerned about the safety and wellbeing of the island and, even though we do not like to receive traffic citations, he does so, not to be an irritant, but to make sure the laws and rules are obeyed so that no one is endangered, and to keep the island safe for us all. It is very difficult to be a police officer in a small community. It takes a great deal of effort to deal with problems that can arise from daily concerns and complaints; Fred has developed a style that allows him to work effectively in the community. He tries to make sure that however he acts, it is in the best interest of the individual, as well as that of the community. □

Fred has a big heart and a deep sense of responsibility. He will go out of his way to support the people he works with, as well as anyone who comes to him for help. Islesboro is very lucky to have Fred Porter working, caring and looking out for the welfare of the people who live on this island. There isn't anything he wouldn't do to extend a helping hand to someone who is in need, and many times his generosity and caring is known only by the people who receive it... that is his way. We are fortunate to have Fred Porter as a member of our community. He exemplifies the EMS motto of "Neighbor Helping Neighbor." □

So, to Fred Porter, a "Tip of the Hat," and a sincere Thank You, for all you do for our community!

In Memoriam



We May Have Lost the Sparkle, But the Light Shines On!

“At Eileen’s home there was always a light in the window; and when you went in, there was always a sparkling light in her eyes and a smile on her face that lit the room.” —Alice Girvin

Although the light may have dimmed in February, we will keep Eileen’s spirit alive and bright with our many memories.

It is hard to express how hard Eileen’s passing has affected this island community. She leaves a huge void that will not be easily filled. There has never been anyone more happy to be the Town’s Boston Cane Holder and now that honor is being passed on to Stanley Makara, Sr. —Hope you can rise to the challenge, Stan!

TOWN OFFICERS

*Elected Officers

**Established by Ordinance

BOARD OF SELECTMEN*

Jay Zlotkowski □	Term Expires 11/06
Sandra Oliver □	Term Expires 11/06
Frederick Rollins, resigned □	Term Expires 11/06
Gabriel Pendleton □	Term Expires 11/07
Archibald Gillies, Chair □	Term Expires 11/07
Hanna Kerr □	Term Expires 11/07

SCHOOL COMMITTEE*

Lars Nelson □	Term Expires 11/06
Laura Houle, Chair □	Term Expires 11/06
John Gorham □	Term Expires 11/07
Michael Boucher, Chair □ resigned as Chair, 11/05 □	Term Expires 11/07
William Kelly □	Term Expires 11/08
William Boardman, Resigned □	Term Expires 11/08

PRINCIPAL

Heather Knight

SUPERINTENDENT

Patrick Phillips

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS

Kristi Hall

Sally McDonough

PLANNING BOARD**

Gilbert Rivera, Vice Chair □	Term Expires 11/06
Peter Coombs □	Term Expires 11/06
ALT: William Schoppe □	Term Expires 11/06
Jennifer Whyte □	Term Expires 11/07
ALT: Isabel Jackson □	Term Expires 11/07
Janice Harmen, Chair □	Term Expires 11/08
Greg Barron □	Term Expires 11/08

BOARD OF APPEALS**

Maxine Nelson	Term Expires 2016
Fred Thomas	Term Expires 2016
James Mitchell	Term Expires 2017
Paul Nichter, Chair	Term Expires 2017
ALT: Jean Anderson	Term Expires 2017
George Durkee	Term Expires 2018
ALT: Jacob Bethune	Term Expires 2018

SHELLFISH CONSERVATION COMMITTEE**

Elected Annually

Crystal Fairfield, Chair	Robert Bower
Keith Pendleton, Vice Chair	Peter Coombs, Associate
Jon Kerr	Nickolas Day, Associate
Andrew Coombs	EX-OF: Fred Porter

CEMETERY COMMITTEE**

William Boardman	Term Expires 2016
AnnMarie Mouw	Term Expires 2016
Carole Nichter, Chair	Term Expires 2017
Cindy Gorham	Term Expires 2017
Charlotte Mitchell, Resigned	Term Expires 2017
John Boardman	Term Expires 2017
Murton Durkee	Term Expires 2018
Brenda Thomas	Term Expires 2018

HARBOR COMMITTEE**

Tom Daley, Chair	Term Expires 2016
Robert Achorn, Assistant Harbormaster	Term Expires 2016
David Sleeper, Harbormaster Retired 2017-2015	Term Expires 2016
Robert Clayton, Resigned	Term Expires 2017
N. Kenneth Smith	Term Expires 2017
Palmer Sargent, Vice Chair	Term Expires 2018
Gil Rivera	Term Expires 2018
Mark Clayton, Harbormaster	Term Expires 2019
EX-OF: Earl MacKenzie	

HARBOR MASTER

Mark Clayton

ASSISTANT h Ar BOR MASTER
Robert Achorn

g r O u N D w A T E r P r O T E C T i O N C O M M I T T E E **

Michael Boardman □	Term Expires □0 □6
Larry Hobart □	Term Expires □0 □6
Priscilla Fort □	Term Expires □0 □7
James Mitchell □	Term Expires □0 □8
David Pendleton, (Chair) □	Term Expires □0 □8
Richard DeGrasse □	Term Expires □0 □8
EX(OF): Jay Zlotkowski	

ADDr ESSiNg Au Th Or iTy C O M M I T T E E **

Peggy Pike
Fred Porter
EX(OF): Town Manager

P O L L U T I O N C O N T R O L C O M M I T T E E

D Ar k h Ar BOR W A S T E w A T E r T r E A T M E N T F A C I L I T y

ADvISOR y B O A R D **
Elected Annually

Grayson Hartley □	Craig Olson
David Pendleton □	Yvette Reid
Mark Umbach □	EX(OF): Town Manager □

h E A L T H C E N T E r A D v I S O r y B O A R D

Charlotte Mitchell □	Term Expires □0 □6
Linda Gillies □	Term Expires □0 □6
Pastor David Runnion-Bareford □	Term Expires □0 □6
Brenda Thomas □	Term Expires □0 □6
Derreth Roberts □	Term Expires □0 □7
Maura Michael, Resigned Fall □0 □5 □	Term Expires □0 □7
Sharon Ashley □	Term Expires □0 □7
Myra Rolerson □	Term Expires □0 □8
Michael Kerr □	Term Expires □0 □8
ALT: Chloe Joule □	Term Expires □0 □8

Ex Officio Members:

Alison Wood, PA-C □	James Owen Howell, PA-C
Dorie Henning, FNP □	Rhonda Shand
Edward Steele, M.D. □	Cornelius Yetman, M.D.

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PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANT AND LOCAL HEALTH OFFICER

Owen Howell, PA-C, Director
Allison Wood, PA-C

FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER

Dorie Henning, FNP

HEALTH CENTER ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR

Rhonda Shand

HEALTH CENTER DESK CLERK

Mary Fairfield

HEALTH CENTER TRANSCRIPTIONIST/ADMIN. ASSISTANT

E-911 ADDRESSING OFFICER

TOWN WEBSITE MANAGER

SECRETARY TO PLANNING BOARD

SECRETARY TO HARBOR COMMITTEE

SECRETARY TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

SECRETARY TO THE APPOINTED ASSESSOR

SECRETARY TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Peggy Pike

APPOINTED ASSESSOR

C. Vernon Ziegler
Vassalboro

GRINDLE POINT PARKING COMMITTEE

Elected Annually

Robert Achom
David Pendleton
Grayson Hartley

Suzanna Love
Gilbert Rivera
EX OF: Jay Zlotkowski

A.L. Pendleton Library Board of Trustees

Suzanne Small
Kathleen Kerr
Alice Fay
Ruth Hartley
Sarah Randlett
Jack Coffin
Cynthia Hanson

Term Expires 06
Term Expires 06
Term Expires 07
Term Expires 07
Term Expires 08
Term Expires 08
Term Expires 08

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LiBr Ar iAN
Linda Graf

LiBr Ar iAN AiDE
Jennifer Whyte

g r iNDLE POiNT SAiLor 'S Mu SEu M AND Lig h Th Ou SE COMMiTTEE

Elected Annually

James Mitchell, Chair □
Scott Rolerson □
Philip Seymour □

Jennifer Whyte □
Charlotte Mitchell
Katherine Leger

Mu SEu M h OSTESSES
Charlotte Mitchell
Yvette Reid

Air POR T COMMiTTEE
Elected Annually

Stanley Makara, Chair □
John Higginson □
Walter Stafford □
David Pendleton □

Darrell Crate
Rachel Rolerson-Smith □
Jennifer Whyte □

Su MMEr r ECr EATiON Dir ECTOr
Kara Masters-Siekman

DEEr r EDu CTiON COMMiTTEE
Est. 8/4/□□

March 2016 - Activities Suspended indefinitely

~~William Tilden, Chair, Resigned □~~
Linda Gillies □
~~Carol Macaulay, Resigned □~~
Paul Hatch, Jr. □
Michael Boucher □

Gilbert Rivera, Chair
Andrew Coombs
Donald Johnson, Jr.
~~Rachel Rolerson-Smith, Resigned~~
~~N. Kenneth Smith, Resigned~~

i SLESBOR O h EALTh CENTEr
TiCk BOR NE DiSEASE Pr EvENTIOn COMMiTTEE (T-bDPC)
Est. May 2015

Derreth Roberts □
Alison Wood □

Linda Gillies
Douglas Weldon

FLOOD PLAIN UPGRADE COMMITTEE

Est. February 04

Inactive

Bill Boardman
C. Vernon Ziegler
Marc V. Schnur

James "Terry" Cowan
Steve Miller
EX OFF: Archibald Gillies

TOWN CENTERS COMMITTEE

Est. February 05

Ad Hoc

Mark Umbach
Laura Houle
Linda Mahan

Craig Olson
Josh Conover
James Roberts

EX OFF: Town Manager, Assessor, CEO & Planning Board Chair

ISLESBORO BROADBAND COMMITTEE

Est. 05

Ad Hoc

Page Clason
C. Vernon Ziegler

Roger Heinen
EX OFF: Archibald Gillies

RECREATION COMMITTEE

Re-Established March 06

Nancy Wuori
Shey Conover
Merry Alderman Ritsch
Elana Kehoe
Sara Babbidge

Term Expires 06
Term Expires 06
Term Expires 06
Term Expires 06
Term Expires 06

ISLESBORO ROAD ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Est. March 06

Ad Hoc

Stephen Miller
L. Lamont (Ace) Rolerson, III
William Boardman
Murton Durkee

Term Expires 07
Term Expires 07
Term Expires 07
Term Expires 07

CODES ENFORCEMENT OFFICER / LOCAL PLUMBING INSPECTOR

William Boardman

C. Toupie Rooney, Alternate LPI

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER
 PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER
 CONSTABLE
 AMBULANCE DIRECTOR
 ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER
 SHELLFISH WARDEN
 EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS DIRECTOR
 CERTIFIED NIMS INSTRUCTOR
 WATERT RESCUE TEAM LEADER
 Fred Porter

RESERVE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS

Matthew Nadeau □

Nickolas Von Husen

FIRE CHIEF
 Murton Durkee

FIRE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

Randall Pendleton, Asst. Chief □
 Joshua Leach, 1st Lt. □
 William Schoppe, IV □
 Jesse Young □
 Charlie Cilley □
 Krystal Randlett □

Brian Hauprich, 1st Lt.
 Mary Hauprich
 Melissa Cushman
 Janice Leach
 Connor Grindle
 Josh Linscott

Junior Fire Fighters

Devin Small □
 Aiden Randlett

Jazmyne Schoppe □

AMBULANCE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

Fred Porter, EMT/Service Chief

Randall Pendleton, EMT □ Retired □
 Joshua Leach, EMT □
 Odesser Schoppe, EMT □
 Jeanne Porter, EMT

Phil Seymour, AEMT, LT
 Kevin Michael, EMT
 Frank Start, AEMT

AMBULANCE DRIVERS

Gilbert Rivera, EMS-D □
 Janice Leach, EMS-D □
 David Runion-Bareford, EMS-D □
 Ken Smith, EMS-D □

William Schoppe, IV
 Greg Barron, EMS-D
 Nickolas Porter, EMS-D
 Bill Schoppe, EMS-D

PUBLIC WORKS EMPLOYEES

Mark Craig Foreman
R. Justin Quinn

Donald Johnson, Jr.
Craig Starrett, Seasonal

BUILDING CUSTODIANS

Connie Delaney

Judy Smith

DEPUTY TAX COLLECTOR, DEPUTY TREASURER
DEPUTY REGISTER OF VOTERS, DEPUTY TOWN CLERK

Kathy Johnson
Lucinda Gorham

Tina Pendleton
Brenda Thomas

TREASURER
TAX COLLECTOR
ROAD COMMISSIONER
DHWTF ADMINISTRATOR
AIRPORT MANAGER
LAW ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATOR
FIRE DEPARTMENT ADMINISTRATOR
HEALTH CENTER ADMINISTRATOR
TOWN CLERK / REGISTER OF VOTERS
OVERSEER OF THE POOR
TOWN MANAGER
Janet Anderson

TOWN GOVERNMENT

- Board of Selectmen
- Town Meeting
- Employment

TOWN OFFICE

- Assessor
- Code Enforcement & LPI
- Ordinances
- Town Clerk, Registrar & Administrative Assistant
- Town Manager

DEPARTMENTS

- Alice L. Pendleton Library
- Health Center
- Islesboro Central School
- Orindle Point Sailor's Museum
- Public Safety
- Public Works
- Recreation

COMMITTEES

- Addressing Authority
- Alice L. Pendleton Library Board of Trustees
- Board of Appeals
- Broadband Internet
- Building
- Cemetery
- Comprehensive Plan
- Deer Reduction
- DHWTF
- Groundwater Protection
- Planning Board
- Recreation
- Tick-Borne Disease Prevention
- Other



Home » Welcome to Islesboro

Welcome to Islesboro

Islesboro is a vibrant island community in Waldo County, Maine, located approximately three miles off the coast of Lincolnville in the Penobscot Bay. The name has evolved from Long Island to Islesborough eventually settling on Islesboro. Our narrow, 14 mile long island was incorporated into the United States in the late 18th century after being settled by fishermen and farmers. In the late 1900s and early 1900s a summer colony was established by the wealthy. The private Tarratine Club started in that period still carries on traditions today as do many of our other longstanding community organizations.

We now have over 600 year-round residents. We have amenities such as a state-of-the-art Community Center complete with a workout facility, cafe, and cultural arts programming for all. Our health center, a newly renovated K-12 school, and the Boardman Cottage nurture our people. We have a variety of stores and businesses making sure we have what we need to carry on.

Living on an island requires a strong community. We are fortunate to enjoy a community with roots spanning multiple generations of our year-round and seasonal families. Our residents come from all walks of life. Some have spent the majority of their lives here working in traditional roles such as skilled craftsman building houses, painting, lobster fishing, and other trades. Other residents spent time around the world before settling here. Some bring experiences from high level positions in large corporations and government. Our population swells in the summer when many of these people return to vacation with family and friends. We all find our own ways of enjoying life out here.

Use the Google Map below to explore the island. If the information on the site leaves you with questions please contact us.



Open a Larger Map

How to Get Here

Perhaps the most common way to get here is on the Margaret Chase Smith ferry operated 365 days a year by the Maine State Ferry Service. The ferry accommodates vehicles as well as foot passengers. During the summer months the boat can fill up so be early. There are water taxis with more flexible schedules for foot passengers. There are floats providing public access to boaters. We have an airport supporting small personal aircraft and some local commercial flights. There is a bus line connecting us with regional transportation systems. Details are listed on the Getting Here page.

News

Unclaimed Property
Many Island Residents have unclaimed property. Click link to see if...

April 2016 Town Calendar
Click here to review the April 2016 Town Calendar.

Upcoming Events

Showing events after 4/5. [Look for earlier events](#)

Showing events until 5/16. [Look for more](#)



UNITED STATES SENATE
Washington, DC

Dear Friends of Islesboro:

It has been a privilege to serve the State of Maine since being sworn into the U.S. Senate.

Much of my time in Washington this past year has been devoted to the Senate Armed Services Committee and the Select Committee on Intelligence. Protecting our homeland and the people of Maine from terrorism and violence remains one of my top priorities. Through my work on the Armed Services Committee, I was able to secure several provisions in the 2016 National Defense Authorization Act that benefit Maine. The legislation authorizes the construction of an additional DDG-51 Arleigh Burke Class Destroyer that could be built at Bath Iron Works and expands the HUBZone program to stimulate economic growth at former military installations like the former Brunswick Naval Air Station.

Returning control to teachers, school districts, and states has also been a primary concern of mine. I am encouraged that the Every Student Succeeds Act has become law. It eliminates the burdensome requirements of the No Child Left Behind Act and ensures access to a quality education for all students. A provision I helped author in the bill will give states the opportunity to pilot the use of their own proficiency-based assessments in lieu of federally-mandated standardized tests. Also included in the bill are several measures I secured to promote local input, fund education technology initiatives, and explore new strategies to increase student access to the internet outside of school.

Communities across Maine have taken bold action to improve their broadband connectivity, and I have been proud to foster federal support for these types of projects. My amendments to the Every Student Succeeds Act will promote the type of work already occurring in Washington County, where students who lack broadband access are able to check out mobile hotspots from their local libraries. Additionally, a bill I co-sponsored, the Community Broadband Act, helped pave the way for the FCC to enact rules protecting the ability of municipalities to invest in better broadband. I am excited by Maine's leadership on this important economic development issue and will continue to support local efforts in this area.

After extensive negotiations, the Senate passed a five-year transportation bill that will increase highway and transit funding in Maine and provide stability to improve our transportation infrastructure. The legislation contains provisions I co-sponsored to cut red tape and improve predictability and timeliness by streamlining the federal permitting process for large infrastructure projects. Also incorporated in

this bill are my provisions to relieve financial regulations on Maine's community banks and credit unions and to reauthorize the Export-Import Bank, a critical tool that supports communities and small businesses across the state.

Following my inquiries in the Energy and Natural Resources Committee, the National Park Service has announced they will begin exploring strategies to allow park visitors to purchase electronic passes online and will pilot the program at Acadia National Park. These passes would improve access to our nation's most treasured landscapes and would generate resources for years to come. I remain deeply engaged in preserving Maine's natural beauty and strengthening our outdoor recreation economy.

It is with solemn responsibility that I have focused my energy addressing the opioid epidemic in Maine. This work includes convening roundtables with a wide range of health care and law enforcement professionals to combat addiction; introducing a proposal to safely dispose of excess prescription drugs; co-sponsoring a Senate-passed bill that addresses mothers struggling with addiction and the alarming effect it has on newborns; co-sponsoring the TREAT Act, which expands the ability of medical specialists to provide life-saving medication-assisted therapies for patients battling heroin and prescription drug addiction; and calling on the Commander of the U.S. Southern Command to increase efforts to stop the flow of heroin at our southern border.

I like to think of Maine as a big small town and in a small town, the leaders are accessible and eager to listen. In that spirit, I've made it a priority to stay connected with people from all over Maine who e-mail, write, and call with suggestions or questions. If I can ever assist in your interaction with a federal agency, or you have thoughts, concerns, or personal input on a matter that is currently before Congress, I hope you will contact me, let me know where you stand, and engage in this critical part of democracy. Please call my toll-free line at 1-800-435-599 or one of my offices: Augusta ((07) 633-819), Presque Isle ((07) 764-514), Scarborough ((07) 883-588), or Washington, D.C. ((0) 4-5344. You can also write me on our website at www.king.senate.gov/contact.

As always, I am honored to represent the people of Maine and look forward to working with you for the betterment of our great state.

Sincerely,
ANGUS S. KING, JR.
United States Senator

UNITED STATES SENATE
Washington, DC

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 from 2015.

Growing the economy by encouraging job creation was and remains my top priority. The tax-relief bill signed into law at the close of last year contains three key provisions I authored to help foster job creation and provide small businesses with the certainty they need to invest, grow, and, most important, hire new workers. Another provision I authored that became law last year gives a boost to both Maine's economy and traffic safety. This provision permanently changed the federal law that previously had forced the heaviest trucks onto our country roads and downtown streets, rather than allowing them to use Maine's federal Interstates. In addition, I was glad to help secure another significant award for the University of Maine's deepwater offshore wind initiative, which has the potential to advance an emerging industry and create thousands of good jobs in our State.

Maine's historic contributions to our nation's defense must continue. In 2015, I secured funding toward a much-needed additional Navy destroyer, likely to be built at Bath Iron Works. Modernization projects at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard that I have long advocated for were also completed, as were projects for the Maine National Guard.

I was also deeply involved in crafting the new education reform law to better empower states and communities in setting educational policy for their students. The law also extends a program I co-authored that provides additional assistance to rural schools, which has greatly benefitted our State. A \$50 tax deduction I authored in 2004 for teachers who spend their own money on classroom supplies was also made permanent last year.

As a result of a scientific evaluation of the nutritional value of potatoes required by a law that I wrote, the wholesome fresh potato finally was included in the federal WIC nutrition program. I also worked on other issues important to Maine's farmers and growers, including research on wild blueberries and pollinating bees.

As Chairman of the Housing Appropriations Subcommittee, I have made combating veterans' homelessness a priority. This year's housing funding law includes \$60 million for 8,000 new supportive housing vouchers for homeless veterans. Since this program began in 2008, the number of homeless veterans nationwide has dropped by one third. Maine has received nearly 100 vouchers to support homeless veterans.

Last year, I became Chairman of the Senate Aging Committee. My top three priorities for the committee are retirement security, investing more in biomedical research, and fighting fraud and financial abuses targeting our nation's seniors. I advocated for the \$1 billion increase in funding for the National Institutes of Health to advance research on such diseases as diabetes and Alzheimer's. The Senate also unanimously passed my bill to support family caregivers. The Aging Committee's toll-free hotline (1-855-303-9470) makes it easier for senior citizens to report suspected fraud and receive assistance and has already received more than 1,000 calls.

A Maine value that always guides me is our unsurpassed work ethic. As 2015 ended, I cast my 6,071st 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 Islesboro and Maine in the United States Senate. If ever I can be of assistance to you, please contact my Constituent Service Center in Augusta at (603) 684-8444 or visit my website at www.collins.senate.gov. May 2016 be a good year for you, your family, your community, and our state.

Sincerely,
SUSAN M. COLLINS
United States Senator

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

This past year my first as your Congressman in the U.S. House of Representatives – I am proud to have supported Maine families, local businesses and communities by working hard with Republicans and Democrats to promote policies that will preserve and create jobs and lower energy costs. I have worked to ensure our Veterans and active military members have the services they have earned and deserve, protected the individual rights and liberties they have fought for, and strengthened our national security to keep Americans safe and free.

I have fought tooth and nail to protect and create jobs for Maine. I stood up against the Washington political establishment, including Congressional leadership, to oppose granting fast-track authority to the President, a policy that allows him to facilitate massive international trade agreements that are unfair to American businesses, especially those in Maine. I am also extremely proud to have led the charge in successfully ending unfair and job-killing Canadian subsidies and to win a major victory for Maine by pushing into law a provision that will continue the FDA's use of paper inserts, efforts that combined to preserve hundreds of traditional Maine papermaking jobs.

As a proud member of the Military Veterans Caucus, I have been fighting for our Veterans by supporting several bills to increase funding for Veterans' health programs and hold the VA accountable. I also am proud to have introduced my own bill – the Helping Our Rural Veterans Receive Health Care Act – to give our rural Veterans easier access to their earned health care services by letting local hospitals care for them instead of VA centers far from home. I extend my thanks to all who have served.

In this first year, I also had one of my own bills signed into law. My critical and bipartisan Child Support Assistance Act will help children and their families receive legally due support in a timelier manner from delinquent parents. My District offices also helped hundreds of Maine families resolve issues with federal agencies and get the answers, benefits and services they deserved.

There is much more work to be done. Our Great State and Nation face many critical challenges. Please know that I am working hard, every day, to serve you and that I will continue to work here at home and in Washington for our families, local businesses and communities.

If you ever have any concerns or if I can provide assistance, please contact my Congressional Offices in Bangor (94-0583), Lewiston (784-0768), Presque Isle (764-0968) and Washington, DC (1-202-55-6306), or visit my website at poliquin.house.gov. It is an honor to represent you and our fellow Mainers in Congress.

Best wishes,
BRUCE POLIQUIN

G O V E R N O R ' S R E P O R T

Dear Citizens of Islesboro:

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 is the reduction and eventual elimination of the income tax. Some are pushing to raise the minimum wage, but I want Mainers to earn a maximum 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 in Maine. It shows the nation that we are serious about wanting people and businesses to come and stay in Maine.

Another of my priorities is to lower the cost of student debt in Maine. If young people are struggling with too much student debt, they are unable to afford homes or vehicles. We are now offering programs to help them lower their debt, stay in Maine, begin their careers and start families.

To provide good-paying jobs for our young people, we must also work hard to reduce our energy costs. High energy costs are a major factor in driving out manufacturers, mills and other businesses that need low-cost electricity. I am committed to lowering the cost of energy, not only to attract job creators, but also to allow Maine people to heat and power their homes affordably and effectively.

And finally, we are making progress to address the drug pandemic in our state. It is my most important duty to keep the Maine people safe. While education, treatment and prevention efforts are important, we must get the dealers off the streets. I am pleased the Legislature has finally agreed to fund my proposal for more drug agents to stem the supply of deadly opiates flowing into our communities, but our law enforcement agencies are still understaffed. We must do more.

It is a pleasure serving as your Governor. 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 877-353 or by visiting our website at www.maine.gov/governor.

Sincerely,
PAUL R. LEPAGE, Governor

ANNUAL REPORT TO THE TOWN OF ISLESBORO

A Message from Senate President Michael Thibodeau

It is an honor to represent you in the Legislature and to serve as the Maine Senate President. I am grateful for the trust and confidence you have placed in me. We are now in the Second Regular Session of the 127th Legislature. We are scheduled to adjourn in mid-April. The first session is the longer of the two and ended last June. During the first session, the Legislature approved a two-year budget which is now in effect and took up about 500 other pieces of proposed legislation. The second session is typically reserved for emergency bills. This year we have about 300 of them in front of us.

I am proud to say that one of them has already been signed into law. It is an emergency measure to address the escalating drug crisis in Maine. Law enforcement and public health officials have reported a troubling spike in the number of heroin-related overdoses and deaths in recent months. Shortly after the Legislature began work this year, we signed into law a measure that will put 10 new drug agents on the streets and make funding available for drug treatment and prevention efforts. The bill passed unanimously in the Maine Senate and House of Representatives and was quickly signed into law by Governor Paul LePage. This is, by no means, the only steps the Legislature will be taking to combat illegal drugs in Maine, but it is a promising start.

The economic reforms passed by a Republican-led Legislature continue to pay dividends. Maine's unemployment rate is down to 4 percent, statewide. The state reported a surplus of nearly \$60 million at the end of the previous fiscal year, and the quarterly economic reports since have been encouraging, as well.

But there are still enormous challenges ahead of us.

This past year, for example Maine has seen a number of paper mills either declare bankruptcy or close their doors altogether, laying off hundreds of employees. The paper mill owners have identified electricity costs as one of the reasons for their economic woes. I remain committed to lowering energy costs for both businesses and all Maine residents. I believe that Maine can be a leader in paper and pulp production because we have abundant resources and the best-trained, most qualified workers in the nation. But we must do everything in our power to make Maine more attractive to businesses.

Again, thank you for entrusting me to represent you in Augusta. Please feel free to contact me if you ever need my help in navigating the state bureaucracy. I would be happy to help in any way that I can. I can be reached in Augusta at 87-500.

Sincerely,
MICHAEL THIBODEAU

STATE REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT

Dear Islesboro Residents:

It is an honor to serve as your State Representative. As I enter my final year in office, I want you to know that I am working hard to retain your trust through my work both in Augusta and in the community.

This year the Legislature's agenda has been limited mostly to emergency legislation and bills carried over from 2015. We are scheduled to adjourn by the end of April.

One of the most important issues we are working on this year is Maine's growing heroin epidemic. Finding solutions to this crisis is a top priority. We already passed – and the governor signed – one bill that boosts treatment, prevention and enforcement, but we continue to look at bills that go into greater detail in each of those three areas. Key to the process is employing the smartest methods to stop traffickers while also making a better effort to help those who are addicted recover and rejoin society.

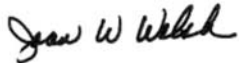
Among the other issues we are working on are finding ways to increase hiring, support seniors, take care of veterans, keep down energy and heating costs, improve schools and protect property taxpayers.

I am also continuing in my role as co-chair of the Environment and Natural Resources Committee. One top issue we are discussing is developing a long-term strategy for solid waste disposal and biomass energy.

Whether we are dealing with the above issues or any other topic, I have been working closely with all of my colleagues, regardless of party affiliation, to make sure we're doing the best work we can for the people of our district and all the people of Maine.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch with me with any questions or concerns or if you need assistance navigating state government. I can be reached by email at joanwelsh08@gmail.com or by phone at 236-6554.

Sincerely,



REPORT OF TOWN MANAGER

This year flew by! I just re-read my last report and I'm pleased to say we are making progress on all four Selectmen's initiatives.

Broadband: This dedicated group of Roger Heinen, Page Clason, Vern Ziegler, and Arch Gillies have been and continue to be working hard on this exciting project - thank you to you all!

Early Education: Since taking this on, the Pre-School board has been invigorated and donations have been collected to be able to purchase land that abuts the Town Office and the board plans to build their own building.

Town Centers: This group of people from each section - north, center and south - are looking at future needs and safety concerns.

Housing: With Tom Tutor's guidance an ordinance was enacted regarding accessory dwelling units.

We're pleased that Dorie Henning, FNP joined the Health Center providers in September. Dorie worked on North Haven so she was broken in!

We received a matching grant from the Division of Parks and Boating Facilities in the amount of \$8,400 to install a 100' concrete plank boat ramp at Moseley Dock, improving boat launching capabilities. This project was completed early January 2016.

Maddie Dodge Field/Tennis Courts: We are still investigating the field and whether to put money into it. Looking for another location did not pan out. Kara Masters-Siekman is applying for grants to re-surface the 10+ year old tennis courts.

Special Town Meetings to date:

August 11, 2015 To fill Fred Rollins' vacated seat by Jay Zlotkowski; and to enact two ordinances entitled "2015 Amendments to the Land Use Ordinance Regarding Accessory Dwelling Units" and "2015 amendments to the Floodplain Management Ordinance for the Town of Islesboro". Passed

February 10, 2016 To see if the Town would vote to request the State Legislature to allow the Town of Islesboro to participate in the Maine State Firearms seasons of 2016, 2017 and 2018 and back to bow hunting only thereafter". Failed. Shall an ordinance entitled "Town of Islesboro Deer Hunting Ordinance" be enacted? Failed

November we had a pilgrimage to Augusta to meet with IF&W Commissioner Chandler Woodcock, Biologist Keel Kemper and Dept. of Health and Human Resources Commissioner Mary Mayhew to discuss possible solutions to Lyme disease here in town. Comm. Woodcock and Keel Kemper attended our Winter Information Meeting on January 11th.

Late November we started various renovations at the Health Center—enlarging the transcription office (by sacrificing the men’s bathroom) to allow all the files in the same area. This was funded through donations to the Health Center in memory of Michael Stevens.

In December we purchased a new town truck. We will continue to use the old one and it will be available for the Fire Dept. during storms. Fred Porter plans on purchasing a new ambulance this year and take the 1987 Ford out of service.

In January we had a solar site assessment and energy audit and are waiting for those reports to see what we can do to improve our energy use.

This spring we will place signs at the Stonewall in the Narrows asking people not to move the stones in the wall to protect the integrity of this 100-year-old flood protection structure.

In December Harbor Master David Sleeper retired after 44 years of service—thank you, Dave, for your service. Mark Clayton will be filling Dave’s shoes—good luck to you, Mark, and welcome aboard!

Winter Information Meeting Jan. 11 Comm. Woodcock and Keel Kemper were our guests. Special Town Meeting Feb. 10 the final vote on a new deer hunting proposal and hunting ordinance; both failed.

We will be placing a plaque at the new Moseley Dock parking lot acknowledging the gift of this land from the family of Pen Stevens.

This has been an “easy” winter weather-wise. Very little plowing and not a lot of additional storm damage to clean up. Thank you to Fire and EMS for always being the ones to respond to these calls. Due to the amount of downed trees in the woods, fire is always a concern. If you are able to clean up your woods, especially close to your home, that would be beneficial. The Town continues to work on our own properties to clear away slash.

I lost my two favorite mentors: Judy Coffin and Eileen Boardman—both great ladies—I will miss their guidance.

My thanks to all town employees for their care and concern for the people of Islesboro!

Respectfully submitted,
JANET RANDLETT ANDERSON



REPORT OF THE TOWN SELECT BOARD

For the past five years, each January the Islesboro Select Board has reviewed and amended Islesboro Looking Ahead, an eight-page statement of current priorities for maintaining the good health and steady growth of the Islesboro community. The document's proposals then become a basis for discussion at well-attended, annual Winter Information Meetings, and in February and March the priorities of the statement assist in the preparation of the yearly budgets for the Town and for the School, culminating in their presentation to the Town at the Annual Town Meeting each spring. A guiding discipline for the Select Board in this process is to maintain a fair, predictable tax rate on existing property, while encouraging prudent Town and private initiatives that will attract private investment and economic activity, thereby adding to the tax base and bringing new jobs and income to the island.

The major, long-term initiative this year is the comprehensive plan to construct a fiber-optic Broadband System that will enable Islesboro residents, students, and businesses to access and use the World-wide Web. The system will serve Islesboro for several generations. It will operate at the nation's highest speeds, opening up commercial, educational, health, and entertainment services at a lesser cost, for the vast majority of taxpayers. Extensive planning and engineering studies for the Islesboro Broadband began in the spring of 2003, culminating in a highly competitive bid process and a vigorous period of negotiation. Special thanks go to Roger Heinen, Page Clason, and Vern Zeigler for their dedication in undertaking this Town initiative, for their many hours of meticulous work, and for their highly skilled and professional approach in achieving a successful outcome.

This year Islesboro will see the concrete beginnings of another major investment in Islesboro's future: Early Education - from Pre-natal Care to Kindergarten. A strong public commitment to support a stable, professional staff encouraged the Board of the Islesboro Preschool to acquire property between the Town Office and Reeby Road, and to raise \$600,000 in private contributions for the design and construction of a new educational building, a large playground, and for parking and utilities. Recognition goes to Bruce Clafin, Chair of the Preschool Board, to Nancy Wuori, Executive Director, and to the contributors to the Islesboro Preschool Capital Fund for their determination to achieve the best in childhood education for the island.

Encouraging new growth and private investment is also a goal of a Town Centers working committee that is focused on three existing physical areas: Dark Harbor Village to the School, the Post Office area from the Town Office to the Community Center, and Up Island - both in the vicinity of Durkee's Store and in the Marshall Cove/Sporting Club area. The committee is preparing ordinances that will encourage new, private investment in apartments, stores, and public spaces

– while continuing to safeguard Islesboro’s singular and essential water supply. Better traffic and pedestrian safety is also a high priority of this initiative.

During this past year Islesboro has responded to new changes that come from beyond our borders – challenges that can have long-term effects – both positive and adverse – on our island community. After helping to defeat in 2003 and 2003 a plan that would have added a potentially dangerous 3 million gallon Liquid Propane (LPG) tank to the Searsport Harbor terminal, in 2004 and 2005 the Select Board joined in a campaign to limit dredging in the Searsport Harbor to maintenance amounts. This successful effort forestalled for the present a massive, expensive, and unnecessary proposal to dredge one million cubic yards of sea bottom in the Belfast – Islesboro Channel, an action that could seriously pollute lobster fields and fisheries in Penobscot Bay. Meanwhile the Select Board supports positive steps to protect and to enhance the Penobscot Bay Watershed and the present economic benefits it brings to those who live in the Bay and on its shores.

Islesboro residents continue to wrestle with the growing incidence of Lyme Disease and other serious tick-borne maladies. A special Town Meeting vote in February, 2006 opposed a Select Board proposal to open Islesboro to mainland hunters for a November shotgun season to reduce the population of deer (the size of the deer herd is a decisive element in the life-cycle of the tick). For the foreseeable future the Town will now emphasize prevention measures that individuals and property owners can take to avoid tick bites and medical actions to take if bitten. The Select Board, with the assistance of an active Tick-Borne Disease Prevention Committee, will closely monitor this serious health threat to Islesboro.

Global warming and the rise of sea-levels is a direct challenge to Islesboro. With the assistance of a federal grant, an analysis is being done of Islesboro shorelines, especially Grindle Point and the Narrows. The technical work, scheduled for completion by December 2006, is being done under the guidance of a Resiliency Planning Committee. Energy Conservation and the Use of Solar Power are positive, climate-affecting steps that Islesboro residents have recently begun to take. The Select Board has authorized energy audits for public buildings and a study to assess the viability of installing solar panels at the Town Office.

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Islesboro is blessed with active, caring, and vibrant residents – year-round and seasonal – who work for and support the island’s many volunteer organizations, who give close attention to civic issues, who vote in high numbers, who pay taxes that enable the community to maintain its assets and to add new ones, and who contribute time and money generously to Islesboro enterprises. The present health of our community depends on this continuing citizen engagement – and with it Islesboro’s future will be bright.

ARCH GILLIES
Chair of the Select Board

March 5, 2006

MAINE ISLANDS COALITION 2015 Annual Report

The Maine Islands Coalition (MIC) was officially formed in March of 2004 to represent and advocate for the concerns and interests of the fourteen year-round Maine Coast Island communities. Each island's municipal governing body or primary civic organization sends an elected or appointed representative to the quarterly meetings in Rockland or Augusta.

There are two constant components on each Meeting's agenda. The first is Island Check-ins, wherein we each speak at some length about current matters, issues and events on our own island and field questions from other island representatives; it is an invaluable exchange of information. The second is Legislative Check-ins; there are usually a couple of legislators present and they inform us about anything happening in Augusta which could affect our communities. Often there is at least one legislator from the House and one from the Senate; also, often there is both a Republican and a Democrat, so that we can enjoy both comprehensive and balanced reporting from the Capitol.

At each four-hour meeting we prepare for and address a major topic of current need and interest on the islands, usually vetted in a panel format. Our first 2015 quarterly meeting took place on February 16 at the State House in Augusta. The topic was substance abuse on the islands. Several legislators both enjoyed our lunch offerings and in turn offered their commentary on this topic.

On May 8th, back in Rockland, we focused on insurance issues for home and business on the islands. On August 7th the panel discussion was on land conservation and related concerns on the islands. Economic development opportunities, challenges, and resources were the topics for November 13. At many meetings we also touch on: lobstering, groundfishing, aquaculture and other updates from Island Institute staff. Ferry service, recycling, economic and community development, solid waste, junk cars, elder health care, public assistance, and fire and EMT are also frequent topics of discussion as issues and changes occur on various islands.

As always any questions about what happens with MIC as well as suggestions for what needs addressing from the Islesboro community's viewpoint will be welcome. Extensive minutes of all meetings are available at <http://www.islandinstitute.org/program/community-development/mic>.

CRAIG OLSON
Islesboro Representative to the MIC

<p>The following Community Organizations appreciate your support</p>
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A.L. Pendleton Library	P.O. Box 77
Baptist Sewing Circle	P.O. Box 43
Beacon Project	P.O. Box 1135
Big Tree Boating	P.O. Box 273
Community Fund	P.O. Box 166
Friends of the Fire Dept.	P.O. Box 298
Health Center Endowment Fund	P.O. Box 137
Island Feral Cat Assoc.	P.O. Box 26
Islesboro Affordable Property	P.O. Box 206
Islesboro Ambulance Assoc.	P.O. Box 277
Islesboro Community Center	P.O. Box 265
Islesboro Historical Society	P.O. Box 301
Islesboro Island Trust	P.O. Box 182
Islesboro Sporting Club	P.O. Box 51

2016 ASSESSOR'S REPORT

Last year in this report I wrote about proposed changes to the Maine Homestead Exemption. None of those changes were enacted for last year, but the exemption was changed beginning with this year's tax commitment. For last year's tax commitment, the exemption in Islesboro was a reduction of \$9,000 in assessed value for qualifying property. State law was changed last year to increase the amount to a \$5,000 value reduction for taxes assessed on April 1, 2016.

To qualify for the Maine Homestead Exemption, you must be a legal resident of the State of Maine, have owned residential property in Maine for at least the past twelve months and the homestead must be your permanent place of residence. You can only claim the exemption for one property and cannot claim the exemption in any other state. When a property is sold, the exemption is removed and the new homeowner must apply for the exemption. Applications for this program are available at the Town Office and must be filed by April 1 each year. Applications received after the filing date are not valid for the current year. Once your application has been approved, it is automatically renewed each year that you qualify for the exemption.

An important change was made to the Veteran's Exemption eligibility. The law eliminated the requirement that a veteran of the Vietnam War must have served on active duty for a period of more than 90 days. If you are a veteran of the Vietnam War who would otherwise qualify for the exemption in the past, but has not because of the 90 days of service requirement, passage of this bill would allow you to apply for the Veteran's Exemption.

Forms for all property tax exemptions are located on the Assessor's Page of the Town website: <http://townofislesboro.com/town-office/assessor/>

They are also available at the Town Office during office hours.

All participants with parcels enrolled in the Maine Tree Growth Tax Program are required to certify to a current forest management and harvest plan and file an application and Forest Type Map with the local assessor every ten years. If a piece of property enrolled in the Program was transferred, the new owner has one year from the date of transfer to comply with the provisions of the law. Landowners who fail to meet the requirements of the law are disqualified from classification, and must be withdrawn from the program and the required penalty assessed by the Town.

The Maine Residents Property Tax and Rent Refund "Circuitbreaker" Program was repealed and replaced by an income tax credit called the Property Tax Fairness Credit that is claimed on the Maine Individual Income Tax Form. This program is administered by the Income/Estate Tax Division of Maine Revenue Services.

Assistance in applying for this credit is available by calling 07-66-8475 weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The Assessor's schedule is available at the Town Office by the first of each month. If you would like to meet with me, please call the office to schedule an appointment.

I am thankful to your dedicated Town Office Staff for their assistance and to the Selectmen for their support. Thank you the opportunity to serve as your Assessor.

VERNON ZIEGLER CMA

Assessor

April 06

2015-2016 TAX ABATEMENTS

MAP	LOT	ACC#	NAME	TAX AMOUNT	REASON	Action	Total Abated
15	51	289	Martin Gliseman & Marilyn Rye	\$3,009.95	Assessed to wrong owner	Abate	\$3,009.95
-	-	PP189	Hughes Network Systems	\$1.49	Error in Equipment	Abate	\$3,011.44
20	22	488	Islesboro Islands Trust	\$993.34	Omitted Open Space	Abate	\$4,004.78
22	4A	523	Islesboro Islands Trust	\$991.85	Omitted Open Space	Abate	\$4,996.63
24	18	574	Islesboro Islands Trust	\$397.94	Omitted Open Space	Abate	\$5,394.57
25	21C	1422	Islesboro Islands Trust	\$2,049.52	Omitted Open Space	Abate	\$7,444.09
30	21C	1408	Islesboro Islands Trust	\$706.11	Omitted Open Space	Abate	\$8,150.20
37	5F	863	Islesboro Islands Trust	\$1,241.68	Omitted Open Space	Abate	\$9,391.88
37	5G	864	Islesboro Islands Trust	\$1,777.25	Omitted Open Space	Abate	\$11,169.13
37	5H	865	Islesboro Islands Trust	\$4,103.53	Omitted Open Space	Abate	\$15,272.66
19	17	438	Harris Pendleton & Janet Gilligan	\$809.33	Error in Building	Abate	\$16,081.99

2015-2016 Tree Growth

Name	Location	Map-Lot	Acres	Current Valuation
ASHLEY, ARTHUR W.	Main Road	0036-0010	8.0	\$2,100
ASHLEY, ARTHUR W.	Pripet Woods Lane	0037-0009-B	10.0	\$58,400
EMERY, ETHAN	700 Acre Island	0005-0002	146.0	\$190,600
EMERY, ETHAN	700 Acre Island	0007-0006	44.0	\$182,300
FLAHERTY, GRETA E, ET AL	Main Road	0036-0002-B	36.0	\$37,900
FLAHERTY, RICHARD & SUSAN	Turtle Head Road	0037-0006	14.0	\$70,200
HANSON, PAUL D. & CYNTHIA R.,	Main Road	0030-0019	20.5	\$63,300
HATCH, M. MELISSA & SPINOSA, VERNON	Main Road	0037-0007-A	19.0	\$59,000
HENRY ROSE, LLC	Main Road	0036-0010-B	7.0	\$1,800
HENRY ROSE, LLC	Main Road	0036-0011	22.0	\$24,200
HENRY ROSE, LLC	Main Road	0037-0008	11.5	\$40,400
HENRY ROSE, LLC	Main Road	0037-0009-A	19.5	\$66,600
HUDAK, SARAH P., ET AL	Main Road	0036-0013	28.0	\$161,100
JOHNSTON, ROBERT C.	Main Road	0025-0016	38.0	\$12,200
LEIGHTON, ROXANNE M.	Point Comfort	0033-0010	117.0	\$818,800
SOUTH POINT, LLC	700 Acre Island	0005-0002-A	24.0	\$337,400

2015-2016 OPEN SPACE PARCELS

Owner	Location	Map-Lot	Acres	Land Assessment
Alexander, Madelaine	Keller Point Road	0023-0004	28.7	\$606,600
Berg, Benjamin, Et Al	Derby Road	0011-0037	1.0	\$30,900
Berg, Benjamin, Et Al	Derby Road	0011-0038	14.0	\$454,100
Berg, Benjamin, Et Al	Shipyard Point	0011-0039	3.6	\$347,300
Boardman, Eileen	East Shore Drive	0017-0039	6.2	\$267,900
Bonnet Farm Trust	Pierce Road	0019-0035	105.3	\$630,600
Bright Meadows Partners, LLC	Keller Point Road	0023-0002	81.5	\$534,100
Campbell, Rebecca	Main Road	0025-0017	49.5	\$291,300
Doyle, Donald	Pierce Road	0019-0035-A	28.0	\$267,600
Dunn, Andrew & Magnay, Caroline	Keller Point	0023-0002-A	22.0	\$540,200
Frame, Phyllis, Trustee	Main Road	0020-0029	5.0	\$294,400
Gillespie, Alexandra	Pierce Road	0017-0003-A	3.8	\$275,600
Hall, Susan & Rivera, Gilbert	Main Road	0030-0021-A	21.7	\$83,700
Hamlem, Margery M.	East Shore Drive	0013-0045-A	7.3	\$332,200
Hamlem, Margery M.	East Shore Drive	0013-0046	7.1	\$41,300
Hatch, Susan, Et Al	Turtle Head	0037-0007-C	6.6	\$153,700
Islesboro Island Trust	Spruce Island	0012-0004	28.0	\$38,900
Islesboro Island Trust	Mill Creek Road	0014-0023-A	46.3	\$57,700
Islesboro Island Trust	Dunn Lane	0020-0022	10.6	\$82,100
Islesboro Island Trust	Main Road	0022-0004-A	1.6	\$79,500
Islesboro Island Trust	Ryder Cove	0024-0018	15.2	\$29,500
Islesboro Island Trust	Ryders Cove	0025-0021-C	39.2	\$149,900
Islesboro Island Trust	Hutchins Island	0028-0003	16.0	\$28,800
Islesboro Island Trust	Hutchins Island Lane	0030-0021-C	25.6	\$60,600
Islesboro Island Trust	Turtle Head	0037-0005-F	4.2	\$91,000
Islesboro Island Trust	Turtle Head	0037-0005-G	3.2	\$130,000
Islesboro Island Trust	Turtle Head	0037-0005-H	19.1	\$285,600
Islesboro Island Trust	West Bay Road	0018-0008	0.1	\$2,400
Kelly, Gale S.	Heald Road	0025-0001-A	55.0	\$406,700
Ladd, Dudley	Pendleton Point Road	0009-0007-A	10.0	\$403,700
Ladd, Ethan	Middle Island	0006-0001	27.0	\$50,500
Ladd, Haven F.	Middle Island	0006-0001	27.0	\$204,000
Philbrook Cove, LLC	700 Acre Island	0007-0003	35.2	\$176,900
Pike, Lys, Et Al	700 Acre Island	0007-0001	14.5	\$315,400
Post Family Trust	Ensign Island	0003-0001	7.0	\$151,400
Turtle Head Cove LLC	Meadow Pond Road	0035-00003	26.3	\$292,300
Utgoff-Islesboro Family Partnership	Utgoff Lane	0020-0010	26.6	\$749,500
Verrill, Charles	East Shore Drive	0017-0037	4.4	\$22,700
Verrill, Charles	East Shore Drive	0017-0038	11.2	\$455,600
West, Frank E.	Spruce Island	0012-0005	3.3	\$87,100
West, Frank E.	Spruce Island	0012-0003	12.3	\$249,300
Williams, Et Al	Mill Creek Road	0014-0023	5.6	\$126,000

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Name ----	Year	Original Tax	Payment / Adjustments	Amount Due
* ADAMS, JENNIFER G. & BENJAMIN C., TRUSTEES	2015	4,625.63	2,312.82	2,312.81
* ANGLE, JEFFREY D. & JUDITH	2015	1,433.17	716.59	716.58
** BLEASDALE, EMMA KATHERINE	2015	4,351.86	4,341.28	10.58
BROWN, ALANNA &	2015	555.02	0.00	555.02
* BURKE, ROGER A. & MARY M., TRUSTEES	2015	625.33	309.75	315.58
* BURKE, ROGER A. & MARY M., TRUSTEES	2015	5,155.22	2,577.61	2,577.61
* BURKE, ROGER A. & MARY M., TRUSTEES	2015	762.96	377.92	385.04
CHANLER, ELIZABETH & SYLVIA	2015	1,344.90	0.00	1,344.90
CILLEY, RICHARD F., JR. & KAREN L. (JT)	2015	1,355.38	677.69	677.69
CLAYTON, MARK	2015	204.95	0.00	204.95
CLAYTON, PATRICIA C.	2015	1,201.29	0.00	1,201.29
* CONGDON, TODD L.	2015	1,105.54	552.77	552.77
* COOMBS, RUSSELL B. & QUINN, R. JUSTIN	2015	2,226.05	1,113.03	1,113.02
COOMBS, STEPHEN	2015	3,044.36	0.00	3,044.36
* CORONADO, JUAN M.J.	2015	5,693.78	4,833.05	860.73
CUSHMAN, LEWIS C.	2015	1,938.82	1,603.90	334.92
* DEGRASSE, SCOTT R., TRUSTEE	2015	4,084.08	4,071.10	12.98
* DEPT. OF HOUSING & URBAN DEVELOPMENT	2015	1,496.00	748.00	748.00
* DONALD, CHARLES R.	2015	2,107.86	1,053.93	1,053.93
* DONALDSON, JOHN B.	2015	8,266.90	4,212.10	4,054.80
DONOVAN, RICHARD J.	2015	555.02	0.00	555.02
DONOVAN, RICHARD J.	2015	5,767.08	0.00	5,767.08
DOOLITTLE, CLYDE B. JR	2015	4,063.14	0.00	4,063.14
DOOLITTLE, CONSTANCE A.	2015	8,248.94	0.00	8,248.94
* DOUGLASS, RICHARD E.	2015	1,138.46	0.00	1,138.46
DOVE, BENJAMIN E.	2015	1,156.41	0.00	1,156.41
DURKEE, MATTHEW M., PERS REP. FOR	2015	2,184.16	0.00	2,184.16
* ELLIOTT, ELIZABETH B.	2015	1,612.69	0.00	1,612.69
ELLSTON, CLIFFORD III & SUSAN	2015	2,371.16	1,185.58	1,185.58
ERSKINE, CHERYL G & JONATHAN	2015	1,398.76	1,081.78	316.98
FAIRFIELD, CRYSTAL	2015	643.28	321.64	321.64
* FALLON, TIMOTHY S, ET AL	2015	7,085.06	0.00	7,085.06
* FALLON, TIMOTHY S, ET AL	2015	623.83	0.00	623.83
* FRAZIER, HARRY IV, CO-PERS.REP. FOR	2015	1,072.63	536.32	536.31
HALL, MAYNARD J. & LYDIA A. (JT)	2015	1,534.90	767.45	767.45
* HALL, STEVAN R.	2015	273.77	0.00	273.77
* HARRIS, DANIEL D. & LINDA G.	2015	611.86	305.93	305.93
* HARRIS, DANIEL D. & LINDA. G.	2015	3,837.24	1,918.62	1,918.62
HOLMES, MENA F.	2015	4,811.14	0.00	4,811.14

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Name ----	Year	Original Tax	Payment / Adjustments	Amount Due
JOHNSON, KATHY & DONALD	2015	2,270.93	0.00	2,270.93
* KATZOFF REALTY, INC.	2015	36,405.16	18,202.58	18,202.58
* KAUER, JOHN A. &	2015	2,626.98	1,276.46	1,350.52
* KAUER, JOHN A. &	2015	2,707.76	1,315.71	1,392.05
* KAUER, JOHN S.	2015	617.85	300.22	317.63
KAYSER, REBECCA S.W.	2015	2,951.61	0.00	2,951.61
* KELLY, GALE S.	2015	6,854.67	0.00	6,854.67
KOOYENGA, KENNETH L.	2015	1,668.04	0.00	1,668.04
LEACH, KATHLEEN	2015	872.17	441.69	430.48
* LEE, G. ROGER	2015	2,837.91	0.00	2,837.91
* LIPCON, JAMES P. & MEGHAN (JT)	2015	8,079.90	4,039.95	4,039.95
LOGAN, LEWIS B. & PITT, JOSHUA L. (JT)	2015	3,490.17	0.00	3,490.17
MAES, MARY M., TRUSTEE	2015	9,112.14	4,556.07	4,556.07
* MAGRO, BENJAMIN & JONATHAN ET ALS	2015	2,710.75	1,355.38	1,355.37
* MAWSON, ANGELA J.	2015	342.58	0.00	342.58
* MCDONALD, JOHN E., JR. AND	2015	4,134.94	2,067.47	2,067.47
* MCDONALD, JOHN E., JR. AND	2015	2,031.57	1,015.79	1,015.78
MCNEIL, ROBERT G TRUSTEE	2015	4,698.94	0.00	4,698.94
MCNEIL, ROBERT G TRUSTEE	2015	4,933.81	0.00	4,933.81
MCNEIL, ROBERT G TRUSTEE	2015	27,725.37	0.00	27,725.37
MCNEIL, ROBERT G TRUSTEE	2015	6,670.66	0.00	6,670.66
NELSON, NAKOMIS N.	2015	3,659.22	0.00	3,659.22
NIZANKIEWICZ, JOANN, ET AL	2015	1,114.52	0.00	1,114.52
* OTTMANN, JUDY AND JANET	2015	1,868.50	934.25	934.25
* PENDLETON, EDWIN P.	2015	3,745.98	3,736.88	9.10
* PENDLETON, RICHARD A.	2015	2,781.06	0.00	2,781.06
* PENDLETON, RICHARD A.	2015	92.75	0.00	92.75
* PENDLETON, STANLEY R.	2015	611.86	305.93	305.93
* PINKHAM, GEORGE W. & KAREN	2015	5,604.02	0.00	5,604.02
PORTER, FRED O.	2015	1,148.93	0.00	1,148.93
PORTER, FRED O.	2015	661.23	0.00	661.23
PRICE, GRACE STURIALE	2015	5,185.14	0.00	5,185.14
* RANDLETT, DAVID Y. AND	2015	16.46	0.00	16.46
* ROBB, STEPHEN C & RAY, CHRISTIE T (JT)	2015	58.34	29.17	29.17
ROLERSON, AMON G.	2015	219.91	0.00	219.91
ROLERSON, STEPHEN C.	2015	1,165.38	0.00	1,165.38
* SALE, JOHN R & BARBARA S ET ALS	2015	3,497.65	1,748.83	1,748.82
SIENKIEWICZ, SCOTT A.	2015	1,629.14	809.82	819.32
SMITH, ANNE L.	2015	288.73	0.00	288.73
* SMITH, BARBARA ET ALS	2015	6,072.26	5,313.26	759.00
SMITH, LESLIE IV	2015	1,358.37	0.00	1,358.37
SPENCER, DEBRA	2015	2,450.45	0.00	2,450.45
* TALAMO, BARBARA R.	2015	2,145.26	1,042.39	1,102.87
* TALAMO, BARBARA R.	2015	668.71	324.93	343.78
TEMPLE REALTY TRUST	2015	7,089.54	7,704.40	-614.86

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Name ----	Year	Original Tax	Payment / Adjustments	Amount Due
THURSTON, STEVEN T.	2015	130.15	0.00	130.15
* TRAIN, JOHN & FRANCES C.	2015	2,965.07	2,952.24	12.83
* TRUSLOW, EDWARD D. & PETER C.	2015	18,895.98	17,982.63	913.35
* VON ELDIK, ALEXANDRA SIJLMANS, TRUSTEE	2015	1,193.81	596.91	596.90
* VON ELDIK, ALEXANDRA SIJLMANS, TRUSTEE	2015	1,217.74	608.87	608.87
* VON ELDIK, ALEXANDRA SIJLMANS, TRUSTEE	2015	1,166.88	583.44	583.44
WALKER, GLENN M. & LESLIE A. (JT)	2015	770.44	0.00	770.44
* WHITEHOUSE, CHARLES F.	2015	634.30	317.15	317.15
WILLEY, HAROLD G., SR.	2015	2,033.06	2,410.05	-376.99
* ZLOTKOWSKI, JAY T.	2015	1,741.34	870.67	870.67
Total for 94 Accounts:		318,194.72	118,462.00	199,732.72

2014 OUTSTANDING REAL ESTATE TAXES

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Name ----	Year	Original Tax	Payment / Adjustments	Amount Due
CHANLER, ELIZABETH & SYLVIA	2014	1,382.63	0.00	1,382.63
COOMBS, STEPHEN	2014	3,020.88	0.00	3,020.88
DONOVAN, RICHARD J.	2014	601.61	0.00	601.61
DONOVAN, RICHARD J.	2014	5,686.92	0.00	5,686.92
DOOLITTLE, CLYDE B. JR	2014	4,004.69	0.00	4,004.69
DOOLITTLE, CONSTANCE A.	2014	8,080.95	0.00	8,080.95
DURKEE, MATTHEW M., PERS REP. FOR	2014	2,175.38	0.00	2,175.38
HOLMES, MENA F.	2014	4,733.67	0.00	4,733.67
JOHNSON, KATHY & DONALD	2014	2,290.64	0.00	2,290.64
KOYENGA, KENNETH L.	2014	1,679.21	0.00	1,679.21
* LOGAN, LEWIS B. & PITT, JOSHUA L. (JT)	2014	2,433.24	1,250.85	1,182.39
NIZANKIEWICZ, JOANN, ET AL	2014	1,132.57	0.00	1,132.57
* PENDLETON, RICHARD A.	2014	2,762.05	0.00	2,762.05
* PENDLETON, RICHARD A.	2014	146.23	0.00	146.23
* ROLERSON, AMON G.	2014	262.29	195.04	67.25
ROLERSON, STEPHEN C.	2014	1,169.09	0.00	1,169.09
SMITH, LESLIE IV	2014	1,370.14	0.00	1,370.14
VEACH, MARSHALL E., INC.	2014	5,110.48	0.00	5,110.48
Total for 18 Accounts:		48,042.67	1,445.89	46,596.78

OUTSTANDING PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

Name ----	Year	Original Tax	Payment / Adjustments	Amount Due
DURKEE'S GENERAL STORE	2015	149.60	0.00	149.60
HUGHES NETWORK SYSTEMS, LLC	2015	2.99	4.48	-1.49
Total for 2 Accounts:		152.59	4.48	148.11

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK 2015

1182 Registered Vehicles	3 Births
407 Boats/ATVs/Snowmobiles	11 Deaths
71 Hunting/Fishing	7 Marriages
116 Dogs	

2015 found our town bustling with many activities! No doubt you remember the initiatives: Broadband, Deer Reduction, Ticks, Town Centers, Pre-School just to name a few... These projects are off and running and no doubt you will read more about them in other entries of this annual report.

Does it make you think about what else might be possible for our town? Do you wonder how to become involved? Maine Municipal Association has a very informative website that can help to answer this question. The most important way to become involved is to attend public meetings, listen and ask questions. Next, attend public hearings. Make your voice heard! Initiate a petition. You must be a Maine resident and a registered voter somewhere in the state, personally witness all signatures and verify this by a circulator's affidavit. A petition must have signatures equal to 10% of the votes cast in the last Gubernatorial Election. For Islesboro, this number is 37.

Do check out the MMA website memun.org

And finally, go to Town Meeting. Raise your card, raise your voice or request a written vote. It's your town!



Respectfully submitted:
 CINDY P. GORHAM
 TINA L. PENDLETON
 Deputy Town Clerks

Some of our favorite customers!

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

In 2015, the Town of Islesboro held one Referendum Election on November 3rd. 35 voters came to the polls that day. We registered 35 new voters. Our current voter list is 553 voters. Looking ahead to 2016, we will have the June 4th Primary and the November 8th General Election. Perhaps now is a good time for a “refresher” on party enrollment and absentee voting...

First of all, Maine is one of six states with a high average voter turnout. 61% of Maine voters go to the polls to exercise their right to vote. That is a statistic to be very proud of! Since 1973, Maine has had same-day registration. In 2011, Gov. LePage amended this law requiring new voters to register two business days before an election. Protect Maine Votes Coalition collected 70,000 signatures to ask Maine voters to reject the new law. Mainers voted 60% in favor of repealing the amendment restoring same-day registration.

At the time of registration, a voter may choose one of three Qualifying Parties: Democrat, Republican or Green Independent or choose not to enroll in a party. An unenrolled voter may enroll in a party at any time. After being enrolled in a party for 3 months, a voter may request a change of party. The Registrar of Voters notes the change in the Central Voter Registry. For 15 days the change is marked with an X. During these 15 days, the voter is ineligible to vote in a Party Caucus, Convention or Primary. After the 15 days, the party change is updated in CVR and the voter may now participate in the Caucus, Convention or Primary.

Absentee Ballots are available 30 days prior to the election. Any registered Maine voter may cast an absentee ballot instead of voting in person on Election Day. You may request an absentee ballot by mail, phone, in person or on-line through Maine.gov.

The deadline to request an absentee ballot is the Thursday before Election Day. After that, a voter is asked to fill out a Special Circumstances Application. There are 3 allowable reasons: unexpected absence (a planned trip or a doctor's appointment is not an unexpected absence) from the municipality during the entire time the polls are open on Election Day, a physical disability or an incapacity or illness that prevents you from leaving your home, and an inability to travel to the polls because the voter is a resident of a coastal island ward or precinct (the coastal island rule does not apply to self-contained islands where there is a voting place on the island). For fairness and equality for all, we must strictly follow this rule and you will be asked to sign an unsworn oath.

Let's raise that voter turnout percentage for Islesboro!

Respectfully submitted,
CINDY GORHAM & TINA PENDLETON
Deputy Registrars

ISLESBORO SCHOOL COMMITTEE Chair Report

What a year it has been for Islesboro Central School! We ended last year's school year facing a number of challenges, including needing to hire about half of our teaching staff, as well as a new Superintendent. While seeming like a daunting task, we made it through several processes and hired and filled these positions. While all of these positions were of significance, I believed the Superintendent position would be considerably consequential, needing to be well-adjusted, well-balanced and well-organized. Patrick Phillips had all of these qualities joining Islesboro with a wealth of knowledge, experience and ideas, all proving to be exactly what ICS needed.

Coming together at the beginning of the school year prior to the arrival of students would prove to be significant in how we would move forward. With obvious reservations, the administration, the teaching staff and the board united, bringing skills, a commitment and insurmountable energy that would prove to be essential in our progress this year. And a busy year it has been. □

We have been focused using our School Vision to drive our conversations and decision making in moving forward and planning our future at ICS. Our emphasis has been and should always be our students, providing and preparing them with an education that will have them ready to face their next set of challenges when they graduate. There have been many themes from the School Vision that have been the driving force with these collective decisions: ICS core values, sustainability, personalization, utilizing and improving student learning experiences with real world experiences. These types of conversations have proven to be exciting, appropriate and extremely powerful. □

The Islesboro School Committee continues to hold educational excellence as its primary goal. On behalf of the Board, I would like to thank Principal Heather Knight and Superintendent Patrick Phillips for their guidance and leadership and working diligently and respectfully with moving ICS forward. I would also like to thank all teaching staff and support staff for their continued devotion and complete dedication to all our students. They are the driving force with teaching our kids and preparing not only through their ICS experience but also upon graduation. And to our year round community and summer community – thank you for your continued support and for believing in the education here on Islesboro. Without your support, we would not have the school we do!

I would also like to take this opportunity acknowledge, recognize and thank our School Committee members for their service, time, efforts and dedication to

the community, our school and the education of all our kids: Mike Boucher, John Gorham, Bill Kelly and Lars Nelson.

In reflecting on this year and thoughts of moving forward, I'd like to quote from our School Vision which has been our driving force:

“Islesboro Central School, serving students kindergarten thru twelfth grade, is essential to the life of the Islesboro community. . . . Islesboro Central School builds on the traditional island values of self-reliance, civic-mindedness, neighbor-helping-neighbor, tolerance, ingenuity, conservation and stewardship to prepare its students to be productive in the global world of the 21st century. . . . Islesboro Central School and the Island community enrich and support each other; together they create a vital place where people can live and learn for their entire lives.”

In reflecting on past board members, Cathy Dove spent many years dedicating herself to the education of our students and had a saying which was also quoted from former Board member Rick Rogers, as I will quote now:

“Come to graduation; celebrate the educational success that is made possible through your support!”

Respectfully submitted,
LAURA HOULE

I EPOr T Fr OM Th E
Su PEr iNTENDENT OF Sch OOLS

Dear Islesboro Citizens and Parents:

It has been a tremendous joy for me to work this year as Superintendent of Schools for the Islesboro Central School. From the beginning of the application and interview process last year, I had a distinct sense that “this was meant to be.” Though I was aware that the school and community had been through some recent challenges, I had such a strong and positive reaction to the people I met, as well as the school itself, that it was not a difficult decision to accept the offer to join the team. I began the year carefully listening to a number of people associated with the school: board members, parents, staff, and citizens. Based on those conversations, along with board and administration, I drafted a plan of action to guide our efforts to give the school a fresh start.

Key to our plan to refocus the school is the idea of starting with our core values, expressed in the school vision statement, and building out from there, rather than attempting to follow the letter of state and federal mandates. A school the size of Islesboro Central School simply does not have the internal capacity to develop curriculum and teacher evaluation practices, for instance, in the same manner as larger schools and districts. Moreover, school improvement at its best requires that the people closest to the operation develop a sense of ownership over how we go about getting better over time. This focus on local ownership for improvement has given the school a new sense of control over our own destiny, and a renewed sense of our mission. Instead of looking to Augusta or Washington, D.C., we have looked to the school’s vision statement to find our highest priorities. The result is a renewed focus on the student experience, on personalizing programming for each student, and on linking student learning with real world experiences and themes such as “sustainability.” As a result of this shift in focus, the school is a very dynamic and exciting place to be these days.

We were also very lucky this year with new hires. Principal Heather Knight and her interview teams did a great job last summer of identifying and vetting a group of new teachers, some experienced and some new, who have brought a wealth of energy, commitment, and skill to the school. With this new group of teachers added to an already talented faculty, the school has been able to make considerable progress in curriculum development and rethinking strategies for student success by dividing the labor across a number of people. □

While the progress this year has been noteworthy, we have identified a few new □

strategies for improvement that are embedded in the proposed 2016-17 budget for ICS. The board, staff, and I are clear that whatever innovations we might consider should have minimal impact on the bottom line of the budget. Therefore, any new efforts to personalize learning for students begin with redefining roles of current staff, rather than adding new people to the budget. Examples of this principle include building on the successful horticulture program, run by Ryan Martin, to create a “sustainability studies” program that will give the school greater capacity to extend and connect learning to real world settings. We are also redefining the role of the school counselor to focus more sharply on personalizing the experience for each of our 7-12 students. Small budget changes will also help us identify and effectively use community resources by expanding the role of our library ed. tech. But even though we are building in new strategies to improve student learning, the bottom line of the proposed budget is up less than 3%, with the expenditure budget up around 0.5%.

The school board, administration, and staff are working very hard to ensure that Islesboro Central School is a model of what small schools can be: linked to the community, focused on each student, and clear about what we can—and cannot—do effectively. By keeping that focus, I am confident that the future of ICS is indeed bright.

Respectfully,
PATRICK R. PHILLIPS,
Superintendent of Schools

P r i N C i P A L ' S R E P O R T

Every organization experiences growth and evolution. In the eight years that I have been principal, Islesboro Central has been a part of a successful renovation project, managed changing state mandates, has seen shifts in our staff and student population, and has built and rebuilt relationships. Learning from these experiences, it seems that we have turned another page and are at the beginning of a new chapter in Islesboro Central School's educational story line.

Starting this past summer, with direction from Superintendent Patrick Phillips, we have revisited the purpose of our work with permission to be as creative and as innovative as we desire. Such music to our public educational ears! The staff rallied and has worked tirelessly on behalf of our students with this prompt in mind. We are more committed than ever to sparking curiosity in every student with rebooted lessons, new classes, and expanded opportunities. Our commitment to innovation is demonstrated in our revamped schedule, increased AP and dual college credit classes and the creation of a support system where we will have personalized pathways for each and every student. We have bolstered our island partnerships with organizations such as the Bonny Lynn, Islesboro Island Trust, the Historical Society and the Dark Harbor Boat Yard, and have increased our early post-secondary connections with institutions like Brigham Young University and University of Maine, Fort Kent. As you can tell, we are highly focused on students — not standards.

Our current enrollment is at 95 students including 73 island students and 22 students who come from the mainland. We did have a level of anticipated and unanticipated turnover this year in our staff and magnet student population which is natural as people's needs change and evolve. Our entire staff consists of 18 hardworking people with 7 staff members who travel every day on the ferry to get to work. To continue the growth of our school, our magnet program presentations have been scheduled on the mainland to re-introduce Islesboro Central School to potential students and new families. As we have enjoyed foreign exchange students in the past, we are also exploring how a foreign exchange program might best work on the island.

It will be no surprise that our ongoing work on curriculum, culture and communication continues to be the common thread throughout all of our efforts and actions. At the top of the list, we are creating the K-12 curriculum document which will outline the learning experiences for students across all of the grade levels and in all of the content areas. This will be a wonderful accomplishment for Islesboro Central School as it will represent how the vision of our school is maintained and comes to life. We look forward to sharing this work with the community through

presentations, student learning events and on our website.

We continue to be grateful for the students whom we serve, for the place in which we work, with the positive level of support that is offered and provided to our school. We are very aware of the conditions that make this community such a great place and we are glad to be a part of it.

Sincerely submitted,
HEATHER A. KNIGHT



New Webcam at the ferry!

i SLESBO r O P r ESCh OOL

The Islesboro Preschool, incorporated in 1981, has been an integral part of our community. With the salary support of the town's people, we are now able to give a consistent, high quality program for our young people aged 3 months to pre-kindergarten. Families can rely on knowing that child care is available for their children. We served seven families this year. Our summer program was booming last year and we are planning for another fun filled season with summer and year round resident participation.

We continue to make progress for a new Preschool facility. We have finished the concept phase and will have our first set of building plans by the end of March. This concept will be as green as we can afford, with hopes of solar in the future. Our goal is to be under one roof by November. In the fundraising effort, we are setting aside a building fund to support the management of the facility.

Thank you to the town for your support in our Christmas Fair, flower sales, Easter Brunch, and bake sales. These fundraising efforts by parents and tuition balance our budget to pay for insurances, programing, and supplies. We will soon have a website, so you can track our events.

NANCY WUORI, Director

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

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This may seem to have been another quiet year for the Planning Board, but the statistics prove otherwise. Among Land Use Ordinance permits granted for two new houses, six additions and/or renovations, two walkway/dock/pier, nineteen garage/shed, three deck/porch, three driveways, two permits for cutting, five for fences/Riprap, three permit amendments, two signs, one swimming pool and one to fill shore land. Under the Development Review Ordinances, there were four applications and permits granted, one for the Read family to convert a storage shed to a craft shop/salesroom, one for Zlotkowski to make changes in a workshop to allow a dwelling place, the Islesboro Central School to build a greenhouse and one for the Tarratine Club to replace a storage building with a larger one for equipment storage and maintenance. □

Over the course of the year, the Planning Board was able to propose and write an ordinance for accessory dwelling units. This was submitted to the residents and then voted on at a Special Town Meeting. The chair of the Planning Board is on the Town Centers Working Committee to develop changes for Land Use Ordinance requirements for the future development of the Town Centers. □

The Board now consists of Janice Harmen, Chair; Gil Rivera, Vice Chair; Peter Coombs, Secretary; Jennifer Whyte and Greg Barron as full members and Bill Schoppe IV and Isabel Jackson as associate members. We give thanks to Bill Boardman, Code Enforcement Officer, and Peggy Pike, Board Secretary, whose years of knowledge and experience are invaluable. □

We do have a full complement of five members and two associate members, and we voted to reduce the quorum to three members and/or associate members. Saying that, I must say that we are always delighted to find new willing hands to serve the Town of Islesboro as associate and later, full members. If you are interested in being a part of this worthy effort now or in the future, please contact the Town Office and express your interest. □

Respectfully submitted, □
 JANICE HARMEN, Chair

Land Use Permits			
LAND USE	2013	2014	2015
New Houses	3	0	0
Garage/shed	6	9	9
Deck/porch	0	3	3
Additions/Renovations	7	8	6
Conversions/Apartments	0	0	0
Walkway/Dock/pier	0	0	0
Driveway	3	0	3
Cutting	5	3	0
Fences/Rip/Rap	0	0	5
Permit/Amendment	0	0	3
Blasting	0	0	0
Signs	0	0	0
Change of Use	0	0	0
Fill/Shore land	0	0	0
Swimming Pool	0	0	0
Tennis Court	0	0	0
TOTALS	34	17	49

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DEVELOPMENT REVIEW PERMITS

- 1) Read Conversion of Shed
- 2) Zlotkowski Dwelling/Business
- 3) Islesboro Central School Greenhouse
- 4) Tarratine Club Storage Building

BOARD OF APPEALS

Because all of the other Town Committees have done such an excellent job, the Board of Appeals has not needed to be called into session in the past year.

Keep up the Good Work!

Respectfully submitted,
PAUL NICTER, Chair

r EPOr T OF Th E PuBLiC SAFETy OFFiCE

The break-down of Public Safety for 2015 is as follows:

Animal Control:

- Dogs at Large □..... □
- Reported dog bites □..... □
- Dog owners summonsed □..... 0
- Stray cats sighted □..... □
- To shelter..... 0

I would like to thank the Islesboro Feral Cat Association for their persistence and commitment in maintaining the feral cat population. □

Please remember in the State of Maine you need to have your dog under your control.

Shellfish:

- Commercial Licenses Issued □..... 3
- Recreational Licenses Issued □..... 59
- Non Resident □..... 9
- Enforcement:
- Warning □..... 3
- Summons □..... 4
- Diggers Checked □..... 6
- Hours Patrolled □..... 30

If you are going to harvest soft shell clams, you need a license. These statistics do not reflect worm diggers that were checked.

Emergency Management: □

Islesboro Emergency Management continued to work on county and municipal planning, continued NIMS/ICS training for the required employees and volunteers. We are always looking for volunteers for the EOC. Thank you to all the contractors and vendors that stay on our support list every year!

Respectfully submitted,
FRED O. PORTER
Public Safety Director



Islesboro Police Department

Law Total Incident Report, by Nature of Incident

<u>Nature of Incident</u>	<u>Total Incidents</u>
911 Disconnect	8
911 Misdial	8
Agency Assistance	20
Alarm	38
Animal Problem - Law Assigned	13
Assault	2
Background Check	2
Be On Lookout	1
Burglary	3
Business Check	56
Accident Car Deer	3
Child Custody	1
Civil Complaint	2
Criminal Mischief	4
Criminal Trespass	7
Detail Bail Chk	7
Miscellaneous Detail	14
Detail OUI	3
Detail Radar	38
Detail Shellfish	30
Detail Traffic	3
Disturbance	5
Domestic Disturbance	2
Controlled Substance Problem	5
Escort	1
Fire Alarm	3
Found Property	3
Fraud	13
Harassment	6
House Check	38
Information Report	19
Juvenile Problem	2
Late Report of PD 10-55	1
Mental Medical	5
Message Delivery	2
Missing Person	1
Motor Vehicle Complaint	9
Paperwork Service	1
Parking Enforcement	56
Parking Problem	10
Traffic Accident with Damage	5
Traffic Accident with Injuries	2
Property Watch	14
Prowler	1
Public Assist	7
Reported Death	3
Shellfish Violation	3
Suspicious Person, Circumstance	25
Theft	7
Threatening	1
Traffic Hazard	7
Traffic Violation	8
Vehicle Off the Road	2

Vehicle Off the Road	2
Wanted Person	1
Welfare Check	8
Wildlife Problem or Complaint	3

Total reported: 542

WALDO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

6 Public Safety Way
Belfast, ME 04915

SHERIFF
Jeffrey C. Trafton

Administrative Offices
207-338-6786
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CHIEF DEPUTY
Jason W. Trundy

Honorable Commissioners,
Citizens of Waldo County,

I am honored to provide you with the annual report of the Waldo County Sheriff's Office. 2015 was an exciting year at the Sheriff's Office. Along with me being sworn in as Sheriff, several promotions were made among the ranks. Jason Trundy was promoted to Chief Deputy. Chief Trundy is a twenty-two year veteran of the Sheriff's Office where he has served as a Corrections Officer, Patrol Deputy, Detective, Jail Administrator, and Patrol/Detective Division Lieutenant. Matthew Curtis was promoted to Lieutenant where he will oversee the Patrol and Detective Divisions. Matt is a twenty year veteran of the Sheriff's Office also with a wide range of experience. He has served as a Patrol Deputy, Detective and Patrol Sergeant. Nicholas Oettinger was promoted to Patrol Sergeant. Nick most recently served as the School Resource Officer at the Mt. View School Complex in Thorndike. In 2015, Sergeant Oettinger received the honor of being named Deputy of the Year by the Maine Sheriff's Association. This leadership team will assist me in taking the Sheriff's Office to even greater levels of service and professionalism.

The patrol division had another very busy year in 2015, handling 7,652 calls for service from the public. These calls include all manner of incidents to include domestic violence, burglaries, thefts, child abuse, sexual abuse, motor vehicle crashes and more. The epidemic of drug dependence continues to ravage the citizens of Waldo County generating much of the crime experienced in our county.

The Maine Coastal Regional Re-entry Center served 52 residents in 2015. These residents were men who were nearing the end of their term of incarceration. Our many programs assist them with their integration back into society as productive and contributing citizens. The re-entry residents provided 6,587 hours of free community service all over Waldo County. If this labor was paid at minimum wage, it would translate to \$48,403 in free labor to Waldo County Communities. The re-entry residents also provided 63,000 pounds of fresh produce to local food pantries from the County's Garden Project overseen by Waldo County Commissioner William Shorey. The residents also paid \$23,992 dollars in room and board payments to the County during the year.

The 72 hour holding and booking facility processed 1,023 persons who were arrested in Waldo County by all the law enforcement agencies serving our County. If a person who has been arrested cannot make bail within 72 hours, he or she has to be transported to the Two Bridges Regional Jail in Wiscasset by our Transport Division. This, along with bringing prisoners to court and medical appointments, generated 390 transports traveling approximately 70,000 miles in 2015.

Our Civil Service Division served 1,536 sets of legal paperwork all over Waldo County.

The members of the Waldo County Sheriff's Office Team are proud to serve the citizens of this great county and we look forward to providing professional law enforcement and corrections services to our County in 2016.

Sincerely,

Sheriff Jeffrey C. Trafton





Waldo County Sheriff's Office

Total CAD Calls Received, by Nature of Call

Nature of Call	Total Calls Received	% of Total
911 Disconnect	3	6.98
911 Misdial	2	4.65
Alarm	10	23.26
Assault	1	2.33
Civil Complaint	1	2.33
Criminal Trespass	1	2.33
Detail Accident Reconstruction	1	2.33
Detail Bail Chk	2	4.65
Detail Eradication	1	2.33
Found Property	1	2.33
Information Report	3	6.98
Late Report of PD 10-55	2	4.65
Medical Emergency EMD	2	4.65
Motor Vehicle Complaint	1	2.33
Traffic Accident with Damage	3	6.98
Traffic Accident with Injuries	1	2.33
Public Assist	1	2.33
Sex Offense	2	4.65
Theft	1	2.33
Unauthorized Burn/Fire	1	2.33
Vehicle/Equipment Fire	1	2.33
Welfare Check	1	2.33
Wildlife Problem or Complaint	1	2.33

Total reported: 43



Waldo County Sheriff's Office

Traffic Stop Report

Waldo County Sheriff's Office (WSO)

Unit	Stops
W11	2
W14	3
W19	1
W21	2
W23	2
W9	1

Total Stops: 11

Total Stops All Agencies: 11

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To the Citizens of Waldo County:

Thank you for this opportunity to report about Waldo County Probate Court.

In the Waldo County Probate Court, we address family matters such as guardianships (for both minors and adults), adoptions, name changes and wills and trusts.

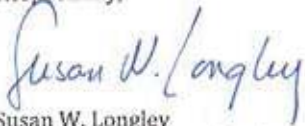
As for this year's probate court news, we are happy to report that in the many contested family matters in this court. We continue to offer and find that our mediation program helps families develop their own skills at solving family problems. We also believe that these mediation opportunities serve to reduce disputes within families.

As a reminder, each fall, I also continue offer free probate basics workshops in town halls, adult education centers and libraries. At these, I provide free legal forms for medical and financial powers of attorney and wills. By then explaining the various legal provisions on these legal document forms, I try to help all understand how we use these documents to state our wishes. I truly believe that in documenting our wishes, in turn, we also greatly help our loved ones know what our wishes are. As for workshop times and places for my next series of these free probate basics workshops, come fall, simply watch for the times, dates and places posted in our local newspapers. Come one. Come all!

Finally, Waldo County Probate Court is located at 39A Spring Street in Belfast (on the floor below District Court). We stand ready to serve you Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., with additional hours as emergencies require.

Thank you for your ongoing interest and support. I deeply value serving you and all our fellow citizens of Waldo County.

Respectfully,



Susan W. Longley
Waldo County Judge of Probate

h Ar BOr MASTE r 'S r EPOr T

The 2015 season was very active. Current personnel assignments are: Chair-Tom Daley, Secretary-Peggy Pike, Harbor Master-David Sleeper, Assistant Harbor Master-Bob Achorn, Ex officio-Earl MacKenzie, members-Ken Smith, Palmer Sargent, Gabe Pendleton, Gil Rivera, Rep from Planning Board.

Harbor Stress: The harbors as well as facilities are currently being stressed by a variety of situations. Islesboro's 40 miles of coastal waterfront are impacted by increased usage. The dingy float is overcrowded, and parking at Grindle Point is impacted by contractor usage. Increased commercial and charter boat activity, and Warren island activities from 8000+/- visitors per year all contribute. An example of this increased boat activity, was the arrival of 100 vessels from the NYYC Club this past season. Moorings and activities without incident. Additionally, we hosted the 10th annual SSCA GAMS presentation of approximately 70 vessels without incident.

Waterfront Activity: Continued requests for floats, coastal improvement and modifications are creating additional commitment. from State, Federal and Town officials. Vessel safety as well as operation is important especially since Islesboro ferry terminal is a MARSEC Level 1 facility.

In conclusion, the Harbor Committee will continue to work with the Selectman, as well as residents of Islesboro. Our primary mission is to enhance the Town facilities for commercial operations, residential boating, as well as visitors who utilize our facilities throughout the boating season.

Respectively submitted,

Dave Sleeper, Harbor Master



A Personal Note from our ex-Harbor Master:

As I conclude my 14th year of tour of duty with Islesboro, it has been an interesting run. I honestly feel that I have provided more services to the

Town than any other elected Town Harbor Master.

I have proposed that the harbor committee revise our Islesboro ordinances to reflect USCG, (marine oil pollution agency (800-424-8802), local USCG agencies such as USCG, Belfast Marine Safety, State agencies, such as DEP, State submerged lands, Harbor Management, A Legal Guide for Harbor Masters and Coastal Officials, as well as US Army Corp of Engineers requirements.



Harbor Committee Report

The past year has seen several improvements to the Town's Marine Facilities:

- The replacement of one of the floats at Grindle Point.
- The installation of concrete planks to improve the boat launching ramp at Seal Harbor.
- Also at Seal Harbor we are beginning the new year with replacing one of the large floats and its moorings.

Plans for the future include replacing the dock at Seal Harbor because of the increase in use over the past few years.

Islesboro Harbor Committee
 TOM DALEY, Chairman
 PALMER SARGENT, Co-Chairman
 GIL RIVERA
 KEN SMITH
 GABE PENDLETON
 MARK CLAYTON, Harbormaster
 BOB ACHORN, Asst. Harbormaster
 EARL MACKENZIE, Ex Officio
 PEGGY PIKE, Secretary



The new boat ramp at Seal Harbor

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The Shellfish Committee met three times this past year. Most of the discussions focused on enforcement, commercial and recreational licensing and identifying closed areas that potentially could be opened for shellfish harvesting. The committee made the decision to enact a two-year DMR approved conservation closure inside the Mill Dam at Ryder's Cove. The closure will begin April 1, 2016. Violations of this closure are a criminal offense. □

This year we issued 3 commercial licenses and 68 recreational licenses. Fees for recreational license were increased \$5.00 for resident and \$10.00 nonresident. Overall clam populations are very healthy. It is great to see many recreational and licensed harvesters enjoying this important natural resource. □

Respectfully submitted,
CRYSTAL FAIRFIELD
Chair Person □

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

The Library Trustees have been busy with various projects. These include the monthly children's programs, summer story time, finishing the "Brick Walkway" project, book sale setup, writing thank you notes, and volunteering in the library. Jack Coffin demonstrated the book reader for the blind and disabled at the Boardman Cottage. This is a Federal and State program. The library has a reader and application information. The wireless usage at the library has increased. We now have a 10mbp bandwidth connection.

This past summer the Reading Club for Kids had the theme of "Every Hero has a Story." The children received a bag of gifts and activities to enjoy such as painting their own "hero" cape. The adult summer book discussion group read four books on the theme "Family Through a Child's Eye."

The library hosted several special events. Jared Leadbetter from the Maine State Library brought two small programmable robots and a 3D printer to the library in August. He demonstrated how they would be used by patrons in an educational format. Shannon Schnagle, an Early Childhood Literacy professional, presented an enjoyable and inspiring workshop. She related how reading to children at a very early age benefits them and how to work reading education in everyday activities.

The water line between the well and the library froze in early 2015. In the spring the line was insulated and a new pump was installed. The library parking lot has been enlarged and graded. A new security box has been installed as the old unit constantly set off a (false) alarm.

The Friends of ALP provided two well attended winter programs. The Friends asked Jay Jolliffe to make a new cabinet for storage and coffee time; thereby eliminating two old mismatched tables. The cabinet is beautiful and Jay did a marvelous job of matching wood and styles to the library's décor. The Friends help fund the purchase of books, DVDs, CDs and other requests of the library. We wish to send a big thank you to the Friends of ALP.

We have started participating in the Maine Reader's Choice awards. After reading these books during the summer, patrons are asked to vote on their favorite in September. The "walk and read" was out on the lawn of the library for a week last summer. A new "walk and read" will be posted on an IIT property next summer. The library now has a Facebook page.

Thank you to all of our volunteers, garden ladies, cookie bakers, and those who donated time and items to the library. A special thanks to Jennifer Whyte. It takes a village to make the library function well and move into the future.

Respectfully submitted,
LINDA L. GRAF, Librarian

THE ALICE L. PENDLETON LIBRARY
TRUSTEES' REPORT

This past year we finished the second part of our memorial brick walkway. Thanks to Trustee Kathy Kerr and Jim Buck's crew. The walkways contain almost 500 inscribed bricks with heart rendering, cute, and cryptic sayings. The bricks are laser cut and burned and should last a long time.

We have offered premium internet access for many years, and now we offer 100 MBPS broadband capability 24-7 inside the Library, and outside anytime. No password is needed and the name of the service is: "Welcome to the Library". Through this connection, you can access many helpful sites covering genealogy, language skills, early childhood topics, and very helpful training aids on many subjects.

Ancestry.com is a favorite site and is free at the Library.

Late last fall, our partner organization "The Friends" completed construction of a garden work and storage shed enabling them to care for the Library's "Remembrance Garden" in a much more efficient manner. The garden is now showing some maturity and is a joy to see. Please come and visit.

And thanks to staffers Linda and Jennifer, as well as all of the volunteers who welcome you and keep the books, book clubs, children's programs, good will, and Sunday programs flowing.

Trustees:

JACK COFFIN, Chair
SUZANNE SMALL, Vice Chair
SARAH RANDLETT, Secretary
KATHY KERR
RUTH HARTLEY
ALICE FAY
CYNTHIA HANSON

REPORT OF THE FIRE CHIEF

The activities of the Islesboro Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 2015 are as follows:

Type of Fire	Number of Calls
Alarm Investigation	19
Structure Fire	1
Smoke Investigation	2
Chimney Fire	1
10/55 Auto Accident	4
Amb Lift Assist	10
Power Outage/Tree on lines	5
Car Fire	1
Grass & Brush Fire	6
Stove Fire	1
Cat in Tree	1
Total	51

During the year, 1775 burning permits were issued. State Law requires that a written burning permit be obtained before burning of brush or leaves. Burning permits may be obtained at the Public Safety building in the outside box or from the Fire Chief. This permit is granted in good faith that the fire is carefully watched and controlled. You shall be liable for suppression costs if the fire escapes due to negligence or not following listed safety requirements. Please fill out the permit completely. I need a Name, Date and Location. If dangerous weather conditions exist (i.e. too dry) the box will be locked down until conditions improve. Also near the burn box at the station there is a new sign that indicates the class day condition. A Class 1 day is good and wet. A Class 5 day is very dry with a ban on burning (no burning). So keep a look out for the condition of the day.

I wish to remind those who burn wood to clean your chimney and test your smoke alarms annually. Backyard incinerator use is no longer allowed in Maine. Please recycle!

During the year the department had 12 regular meetings, 12 drill (training) meetings, 3 special training classes and 11 officers meetings.

This year we had higher volume of alarm investigations and ambulance lift assist. With fewer ambulance members the fire department has been helping out with getting patients to the mainland by Quicksilver or Little Dipper.

The woods are still littered with many down trees which can continue to dry out and cause a fire hazard. The Forest Service has made a Wildland Assessment Survey of Islesboro and found it to be high in many areas on the island. More work must be done to help reduce the risk of wildfires. It is recommended that 30 ft. of defensible space between the home and the forest be maintained. Does the driveway have a clear space of 12 ft. wide and 14 ft. high clearance for emergency vehicle? Do you have a water source near by to help with suppression? Are the house number(s) well marked for location? If you need help in getting a plan and check these safety tips please call the fire department to setup a date and time to get an evaluation of your property.

The New Year brings a new Firefighter Josh Linscott and a new Jr. Firefighter Adin Randlett.

After 9 year of service Firefighter Dick Cilley is retiring from the Islesboro Fire Department. With many changes in his work and family life Dick wanted to slow down and make more time for himself. We the members of the department thank Dick for his faithful service to the department.

All members of the department are required by law to have training every year on Blood borne Pathogens, CPR, Respiratory Protection, Emergency Driving and many other subjects. This year the department also did training on Driver Training (EVOG), Vehicle Extraction, Elevator Rescue, Forestry Firefighting, Cold Weather Operations and Chainsaw Safety.

The department is always looking for new members. The current membership is low and is in need of your willingness to join. If you are interested please stop by or contact a firefighter. Our monthly meetings are posted on the Town calendar.

Reminder: When reporting a fire emergency call: 9-1-1.

Respectfully submitted,
Murton Durkee, Fire Chief

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ISLESBORO AMBULANCE

During the year 2015, Islesboro Ambulance responded to 112 calls for service. March 2015, with the financial support of the Islesboro Ambulance Association, Islesboro EMS had an instructor from Atlantic Partners on the island for a 3 day selection of classes, this training was beneficial for continuing education and credits needed to relicense. One of our long time members Randy Pendleton bid farewell to the service. Randy has been a committed member of the service for over 20 years and he will be greatly missed, EMT Lew Logan moved to the west coast on a new adventure! We wish Lew the best of luck! We welcomed new EMS driver Ken Smith to our ranks. Frank Start obtained his Advanced EMT certification! (Good Job Frank)! Jeanne DesRoches and Odesser Schoppe prepared for the start of their Advanced EMT course in Rockland 2016. Kevin Michael spent the whole year 2015 in paramedic school, we wish him luck as he takes his tests to become a paramedic in 2016. As always we want to thank our medical partners Owen, Allie, and now Dorie, for all the work they do, we have a heck of a team!

Listed below is the current roster of the proud members of Islesboro Ambulance Service.

Providers:

Fred Porter EMT Service Chief
 Josh Leach EMT
 Phillip Seymour AEMT LT.
 Kevin Michael EMT
 Frank Start AEMT
 Odesser Schoppe EMT
 Jeanne DesRoches EMT
 Matthew Nadeau EMT-P (Per diem)
 Abby Planeta EMT-P (Per diem)
 Billy Pendleton EMT-P (Per diem)
 Ann Harrison-Bilat EMT-P (Per diem)
 Earle Albert EMT-P (Per diem)
 Andy Cardinale AEMT (Per diem)
 Health Center/ ALS Providers
 Owen Howell PA-C
 Alison Wood PA-C
 Dorie Henning NP

Drivers:

Gil Rivera EMS-D
 Janice Leach EMS-D
 Greg Barron EMS-D
 David Runnion-Bareford EMS-D
 Nickolas Porter EMS-D
 Ken Smith EMS-D
 Bill Schoppe EMS-D

Respectfully Submitted: Fred O. Porter
 EMS Director



DID YOU KNOW?

THE QUICKEST WAY TO RECEIVE A
RESPONSE FOR A NONEMERGENCY
COMPLAINT FROM FIRE, EMS, OR
POLICE IS TO CALL

WALDO COUNTY DISPATCH AT:

338-2040

For Emergencies Dial:

911

They will quickly dispatch the appropriate
Emergency Personnel.

Please Do Not call the Town Office – Call 338-2040.

Please Do Not call Fred Porter at home.

Please Do Not text Fred as he does not monitor his cellphone
at night.

REPORT OF CODES ENFORCEMENT OFFICER
AND
LICENSED PLUMBING INSPECTOR

In 2015 the Planning Board and the Code Enforcement Office processed 49 applications under our Land Use Ordinance and 4 applications under the Development Review Ordinance. It is the policy of the Board to have me visit each of these sites at least once and often a few more site visits may be required. As Town of Islesboro's Plumbing Inspector it is also a requirement to visit sites where any new plumbing, internal or external, takes place.

Both of these jobs are required by state law to take continuing education credits, which I do as often as they are made available.

As of July 2015 the Town of Islesboro enacted a new Flood Plain Ordinance as well as new Flood Insurance Rate Maps. Some of you in the Flood Hazard Zones may have been affected by these changes.

With the new Flood Hazard Models in hand, under the guidance of Ransom Engineering, Islesboro applied for and received a \$40,000 Coastal Community Grant for Resilience Planning. This study will focus on the flood risk at both "Grindle Point" and at "The Narrows". With the information derived from this study Islesboro can plan for possible adaptation solutions in the coming years to these critical areas. Requirements of the grant specify that the study be completed by December 31, 2016. I look forward to providing more information in next year's report.

Sincerely,
WILLIAM BOARDMAN
CEO/LPI

g r iNDLE P OiNT L i g h T h O u S E
AND
S Ai L O r ' S M u S E u M k E E P E r ' S r E P O r T

The summer of 2015 turned out to be a busy and somewhat different season. The "lady of the light" was "out of commission" for part of the summer, but her days were graciously covered by her husband Jim until her new shiny knee replacement worked just right. He is the historian of the family, so lighthouse visitors got a real bonus in his knowledge of Grindle Point. Yvette Reid continued sharing her lighthouse knowledge and answers to the ever popular question of, "What's it like living on an island?" Your lighthouse is closely connected to the lighthouse museum in Rockland, and the American Lighthouse Committee, joining them this year in three major summer events. Come join us and support your lighthouse functions. Your ancestors hang on our walls.....

Come say hello!

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLOTTE MITCHELL
Lighthouse Keeper

g r iNDLE P O iNT L i g h T h O u S E
AND
S Ai L O r ' s M u S E u M C O M M i T T E E r E P O r T

The Lighthouse and the Sailor's Museum overall are in good repair. Several items need to be looked at, such as reattaching the lightning rod cable to its ground and having CMP move its pole support cable from the lantern fence. This is a poor choice as a secure ground and could create major damage and costly repair to the lantern.

The museum's collection is in need of updating and maintaining its archival records. A plan is being prepared for approval between the Town and the Islesboro Historical Society to work together. The IHS has the computer programs and knowledge and the Sailor's Museum has the photographic documentation of the collection. What is needed is how to get it done and availability of people from the Museum and IHS. As your Chairman I plan to work as a volunteer on whatever is needed. The Museum's collection will remain the Town's and managed by the Town's Lighthouse Committee.

Respectfully submitted,
JIM MITCHELL, Chairman

DEER REDUCTION COMMITTEE REPORT

Since it was established by the Selectmen in 2000, the DRC has looked for ways to reduce Islesboro's deer herd to 10 per square mile. No easy job, for a workable solution is difficult to find, and community consensus is hard to come by.

After the third and last Special Hunt ended in February 2005, DRC members prepared a request to the Department of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife (IF&W) for another three years of the hunt. The request proposed that the hunts be held earlier in the season – from November to the end of January; a second option was to hold the hunts at the same time as the previous ones, from mid-December through February. At a Special Town Meeting on June 14, 2005, voters rejected the November-January option 35 to 36 and approved the December-February plan 45 to 17.

The DRC then took the proposal for a December-February Special Hunt through the IF&W Advisory Council's approval process, which involved meetings in June, August, and September. At the last meeting, the Council rejected Islesboro's request on the grounds that the first series of hunts had taken a total of only 114 deer, not enough to significantly reduce the herd, and that a similar plan would not bring Islesboro close to the goal of 10 per square mile.

In fall 2005, the Board of Selectmen (BoS) reviewed statistics relating to tick-borne disease, the deer population, and tick abundance on Islesboro and found that in each case, the numbers had increased. A pellet count taken by Stantec Consulting in April showed that the deer population on Islesboro had grown slightly from the last count in 2000 from 48 to 50.9 per square mile. The tick-borne disease numbers, which had decreased considerably in 2004 from the year before, were back up by approximately 75%. And the Vector-Borne Disease Laboratory reported an increase in both tick numbers found per hour and infection rates from the year before.

In November 2005, the BoS announced a plan to work with the DRC, Tick-borne Disease Prevention Committee, and the community-at-large to develop a new tick-borne disease prevention strategy for consideration by the voters. Members of the DRC assisted in the development of a proposal to allow Islesboro to participate in the Maine State Firearms seasons of 2006, 2007, and 2008 as well as a series of ordinances that would apply to the proposed change. The article proposing this change was considered at a Special Town Meeting held on February 10, 2006; it was rejected by a written vote of 8-4.

At meetings on February 14 and March 9, 2006 the Selectmen agreed that given the definitive results of the February 2006 vote, the activities of the DRC should be put "on hold" for the foreseeable future. The Tick-borne Disease Prevention Committee will expand its efforts to provide information about tick-borne disease prevention to the community.

Respectfully submitted,
GILBERT RIVERA, Chair

REPORT OF GROUNDWATER COMMITTEE

For years we have been monitoring the height of water in 4 wells during both the wet and dry seasons to see if we could detect changes in the quantity of water available. Our numbers show that normal rainfall replenishes our groundwater and levels appear stable year to year. This is not to say that particular wells might not have a problem. Last year we decided to check for water quality rather than quantity in five test wells. We plan to do the same again this year.

If you are interested in having your well water tested contact the Town Office. Good water is not to be taken for granted and we urge everyone to protect this resource.

Respectfully submitted,
DAVID PENDLETON

HEALTH CENTER ADVISORY BOARD

The Health Center Advisory Board remains committed to excellence in medical care by the Island Health Center. A high standard of care is provided by providers at the clinic, including diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic illnesses, and also preventive care in the form of routine physical exams, immunizations, and health education. Besides existing efforts to provide information on tick-borne diseases by a committee of the Health Center Advisory Board, the Center is currently a research site for a Columbia University study of Lyme disease and discovering information that will aid the prevention and treatment of this tick-borne nemesis. In addition to care by the clinic, physical therapy, social work, and counseling services are available, along with many other providers with whom the clinic coordinates services. Another upcoming Health Fair, this year being developed by Alex Hodges and Chloe Joule under the direction of David Runion-Bareford (David heaps credit on Alex and Chloe), is another important Health Center Advisory Board function.

Dorie Henning, FNP-C, is the current clinic director. A highly experienced practitioner who, although similar to a physician assistant, has skills that complement the considerable capabilities of the two physician assistants, Alison Wood, PA-C, and Owen Howell, PA-C. As a physician myself, I am very favorably impressed with the quality of diagnostic and treatment skills this team provides. They are attentive, caring, available, and highly professional. All three of them maintain and improve their skills and certifications by attending continuing education programs such as Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Pediatric Advanced Life Support, Advanced Trauma Life Support, and annual continuing education in primary and emergency care. In getting treatment myself at the clinic for a tick-borne disease last summer, I came to better appreciate the highly effective coordination that exists between our clinic practitioners and the supervising physicians Edward Steele, M.D., and Cornelius Yetman, D.O. We islanders are in good hands.

The Health Center owes a great debt of gratitude for donations received in memory of Michael Stevens; a very generous gift that has financed much needed renovations in the physical space of the Health Center. Administrative Assistant, Peggy Pike, had been drowning in clinic files—drowning though she was, it did not alter one iota her organization and efficiency—now has a well-deserved comfortable space to exercise her skills. Rhonda Shand, the Center's long-time capable Administrative Coordinator can now navigate the hallways without having to dodge all manner of equipment that has now, mercifully, been tucked away in newly created spaces. Some may be unaware that our highly valued Town Manager, Janet Anderson, is also the Administrator of the Health Center. She has a very important grasp on the history

of the Health Center and what it takes, especially in terms of personnel, to make its functioning hum.

Most importantly, the Health Center has continued to expand and provide primary care to an increasing number of island residents. I have viewed the Center as practicing medicine the way it is meant to be. Everyone involved has a solid grasp on the importance of the relationship between the health care provider and his/her patients. Knowledge and technical skills are important, but relationships patients can count on exponentially increase the effectiveness of care.

The Health Center Board members are Linda Gillies, Brenda Thomas, Myra Rolerson, David Runnion-Bareford, Sharon Ashley, Charlotte Mitchell, and Michael Kerr. Its bimonthly meetings also include Janet Anderson, Dorie Henning, Owen Howell, Rhonda Shand, Edward Steele, and Alison Wood.

MICHAEL E. KERR,
Chairman HCAB

TICK-BORNE DISEASE PREVENTION COMMITTEE

The Tick-borne Disease Prevention Committee (T-bDPC) was established by the Board of Selectmen in May 2014 as a sub-committee of the Health Center Advisory Board. It succeeds two other "tick" committees: the Health Center's ad-hoc group formed in 2008 to prepare a report to the Selectmen on Lyme Disease, and the Lyme Disease Prevention Committee, which put together a more detailed report and recommendations to the Selectmen in 2010/11. To the extent possible, the T-bDPC keeps informed about new developments in tick-borne diseases and prevention through current publications, scientific research, and contact with professionals in the field. The committee also tracks tick-borne disease statistics from the island, the State, and elsewhere. The goal is to disseminate up-to-date information to the island community through monthly box holder bulletins during "tick season" and other mailings, the Town website, and articles in the Islesboro Island News (IIN). □

In the Spring of 2015, Dr. Brian Fallon, Director of the the Lyme & Tick-borne Diseases Research Center at Columbia University, and a member of his research team, visited the Islesboro Health Center (IHC) and toured the island. Impressed by the work done by the IHC and the high incidence of tick-borne disease here, arrangements were made for the IHC to participate in the Columbia University tick-borne disease clinical research study. This study is designed to help in the development of more accurate diagnostic tests for Lyme and other tick-borne diseases, and also in the identification of biological "markers" to learn how quickly the human immune system returns to normal after infection from a tick bite. To date, eight IHC patients are participating in the study. The project is time-consuming for both the patients and IHC staff, but all involved feel it's worth their effort, for discoveries made in this study will potentially lead to better treatments of tick-borne disease. □

In 2016, in response to comments and suggestions from community members, the T-bDPC will make a number of changes to the information that it disseminates. For example, tick-borne disease statistics that appears in the monthly box holder bulletins and in IIN will be calculated on a quarterly rather than a monthly basis. The T-bDPC will also make more information available about disease prevention measures that can be taken by individuals and will work with the Town to ensure that properties used by the public are maintained in such a way that exposure to ticks is minimized. □

Respectfully submitted,
DERRETH ROBERTS, Chair



THE TICKS ARE OUT PLEASE TAKE PRECAUTIONS

- Wear shoes.
- Tuck pants into socks.
- Walk in the middle of trails.
- Stay away from low bushes and leaf litter.
- When home, do a full body check.

TICK-BORNE DISEASE PREVENTION COMMITTEE
ISLESBORO HEALTH CENTER
TICKSONISLESBORO.COM

May 2016

2015-2016 ISLESBORO RECREATION DEPARTMENT

The Recreation Department's mission has been to provide valuable, safe, and inclusive recreational programming, facilities, and equipment for Islesboro residents and visitors of all ages. Programming is updated on the Town of Islesboro web-site.

Summary of Programs, Facilities and Equipment: Life skills and camps have been an important focus during recent years, with programming including weekly swimming lessons & field trips, tennis, soccer camps and community soccer, youth basketball, t-ball/softball for all ages, playground games and play camp, visual and performing arts, and fitness. Safety, maintenance, and improvements of our Maddie Dodge site (tennis courts, field, and playground) have become a major focus, as we work to fund, maintain, and improve our 10-year-old facilities. Equipment is available for programs and to sign out. Tennis racquets of all sizes and training tennis balls with various pressure have been popular for family tennis. Bid specifications are being reviewed to repave the courts in 2016-17. Thank you to many individuals who have contributed in time or funding over the years. Please consider becoming a "Friend of Maddie Dodge Tennis Courts" rehabilitation project at this time.

In 2016, the Recreation Committee was reformed to expand recreation programming to include Islesboro Adventure Camp, a full-time day camp for children ages 6-11. The mission of Islesboro Adventure Camp (IAC) is to provide a safe, full-time, child centered summer program on Islesboro that will encourage hands-on learning, a sense of adventure and stewardship for the environment, off-set summer learning loss, and cultivate community living skills in the young people of Islesboro. Please consider a gift to support a camper (or a sibling) for a week of summer camp (\$85) or full tuition for a camper for 7 weeks of camp (\$95), or a general grant for our new Islesboro Adventure Camp. Consider joining this valuable new venture for Islesboro children and families!

Facilities Update: Maddie Dodge Tennis Courts site visits and the creation of bid specifications for the repaving and resurfacing of the two town tennis courts continued in full force and with the guidance of USTA technical review process and a hired engineer to assess the drainage and bid specs for the two courts. The rigor of establishing the correct bid specs will preserve the town's asset into the future decades. Town support is in place and two potential grants are being sought. The initial look at crack repair and resurfacing has moved to a recommendation for repaving the courts at this time. The technical review has led to a costlier investment of asphalt and grant applications will take place by November 2016. This project has received the town support and is still actively seeking "Friends of Maddie Dodge"

Courts" to support the work to completion.

Summer Program_2015 - If you want to, you can swim! The Swim & Explore program involved 10 swimmers and 3 to 5 chaperones on 5 Wednesdays during July and August. Swimmers have the advantage of three levels of swim instruction, plus an extra hour of free swim to practice and play. It is inspiring how the children practice swimming and want to show their newly developing swim skills. Field trips included the Mt. Battie tower, Camden and Belfast Libraries, and mid-coast parks for exploration, stories, picnics and play. Some of the youth swimmers from the Swim & Explore program practiced and relay raced in Islesboro waters, as coached by our own Islesboro Crossing master swimmers, John Rex-Waller and Todd Siekman. Sublime and safety conscious moments of Islesboro swimming may be your children's and yours! You can swim if you want to!

ACTIVE Pre-school play Camps took place at Maddie Dodge Field and Playground on Thursday mornings during July and August. The children involved in the Islesboro Pre-school daycare (1/2 to 5 y.o.s) played soccer, kickball, short court tennis, yoga/creative movement and had several SPLASH Days as well as free play on the playground.

Soccer! Several homegrown Youth Development Soccer Camps coached by Katherine Lee took place for an affordable price, with two day camps for three age groups offered: ages 3-6; ages 6-8; and middle-high school ages 11-18. The middle school age group had the best attendance. Second was the pre-school group. The high school age group was not well attended. Adult Fitness was offered, but was not well attended in the evening time slot.

Donations to support the work of the Recreation Department will be thankfully received and thoughtfully invested in two current projects: the tennis court rehabilitation project and the new full-time summer daycamp.

Respectfully submitted,
 KARA MASTERS SIEKMAN
 Recreation Director, Town of Islesboro

ISLESBORO CEMETERY COMMITTEE

Documentation of all island burials and preservation of island cemeteries remains the focus for the cemetery committee. Thanks to the hard work of Sue Hatch and Sons and a very generous donation from the Tarratine Club, Phase III of the work at Sherman Point Cemetery (Tarratine) has been done. This involved knocking down a massive weed invasion (sumac the worst) and making paths throughout the cemetery in order to find the headstones. Our next phase will involve locating the worst damaged stones, ground work around such stones, repairing as much as possible and continuing with the battle of the weeds. □

Documentation of island burials continues with the addition of 37 burials in the Pendleton Cemetery that were only marked with a fieldstone and not documented elsewhere. Thanks go to Harris Pendleton for this information. □

□0 plain upright grave markers have been placed on the □0 known pauper graves at the Sprague Cemetery. They are located at the back of the cemetery against the wall. There is a record of those buried here at the town office. The original field stones were left in place.



Respectfully submitted,
 CAROLE NICHTER-Chairman
 CINDY GORHAM-Vice Chair
 BRENDA THOMAS-Secretary
 ANN MARIE MOUW
 MURTON DURKEE
 WILLIAM BOARDMAN
 JOHN BOARDMAN

**RESULTS OF
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 2015**

TO: Fred O. Porter, Constable of the Town of Islesboro, in the County of Waldo, State of Maine

GREETINGS:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF MAINE, you are hereby required to notify and warn the voters of the Town of Islesboro qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the G. H. Kinnicut Center in said Town of Islesboro on Wednesday, August 12, 2015, at six o'clock in the evening then and there to act on the following articles:

Registered Voters: 51	In attendance: Approx. 60
Clerks: Caitlin Anderson, Cindy Gorham, Kathy Johnson, AnnMarie Mouw, Sharon McCorison, Tina Pendleton	
Counters: Alice Girvin, Randy Pendleton, Donna Seymour	

Deputy Town Clerk Tina Pendleton Opened the meeting at 6:04pm.

Article 1.	To elect a moderator to preside at said meeting. TOM TUTOR WAS ELECTED TO MODERATE WITH 3 WRITTEN VOTES.
Article 2.	To elect the following Town official: One Selectman for a term of less than one Year to expire at the 2016 Annual Town Meeting. <i>[This was Fred Rollins seat.]</i> Jay Zlotkowski was elected SELECTMAN for a term of 1 YEAR for the term ending at the 2016 Annual Town Meeting. WRITTEN BALLOT 25-YES/0-NO <i>[To complete Fred Rollin's term]</i>
Article 3.	Shall an ordinance entitled "2015 Amendments to the Land Use Ordinance Regarding Accessory Dwelling Units" be enacted? <i>[The proposed ordinance amendments are available for review and inspection at the Town Clerk's Office and will be available at the Town Meeting.]</i> PASSED BY MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS
Article 4.	Shall an ordinance entitled "2015 Amendments to the Floodplain Management Ordinance for the Town of Islesboro" be enacted? <i>[The proposed ordinance amendments are available for review and inspection at the Town Clerk's Office and will be available at the Town Meeting.]</i> PASSED BY MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS

Meeting adjourned at 6:24pm.

ATTEST: A True Copy


Tina L. Pendleton Date: 8/14/15
Deputy Town Clerk

RESULTS OF
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT
 TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
 Wednesday, February 10, 2016

TO: Fred O. Porter, Constable of the Town of Islesboro, in the County of Waldo, State of Maine
 GREETINGS:
 IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF MAINE, you are hereby required to notify and warn the voters of the Town of Islesboro qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the G.H. Kinnicutt Center in said Town of Islesboro on Wednesday, February 10, 2016, at six o'clock in the evening then and there to act on the following articles:

Registered Voters: 123	In Attendance: Aprox. 125
Clerks: Cindy Gorham, Kathy Johnson, Sharon McCorison, AnnMarie Mouw, Tina Pendleton, Rachel Rolerson Smith, Brenda Thomas	
Counters: Cindy Gorham, Kathy Kerr, Donna Seymour	

Deputy Town Clerk Tina Pendleton opened the meeting at 6:10 pm.

Article 1.	To elect a moderator to preside at said meeting. TOM TUTOR WAS ELECTED TO MODERATE WITH 4 WRITTEN VOTES.
Article 2.	To see if the Town will vote to request the State Legislature to allow the Town of Islesboro to participate in the Maine State Firearms seasons of 2016, 2017, and 2018, and back to bow hunting only thereafter. DID NOT PASS: Written Vote -- 41 YES / 81 NO
Article 3.	Shall an ordinance entitled "Town of Islesboro Deer Hunting Ordinance" be enacted? [The proposed ordinance is available for review and inspection at the Town Clerk's Office and will be available at the Town Meeting.] DID NOT PASS BY MAJORITY SHOW OF HANDS
<p>The Selectmen hereby give notice that the Registrar of Voters will be at the G.H. Kinnicutt Center on Wednesday, February 10, 2016 from 5:30pm to 6:00pm for the purpose of accepting registrations and correcting the voting list.</p> <p><i>A person who is not registered to vote may not vote in any election.</i></p>	

Meeting adjourned at 6:48 pm

ATTES: A True Copy
 Deputy Town Clerk Tina L. Pendleton



Date: February 12, 2016

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**RESULTS OF
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
Tuesday, May 17, 2016**

To: Fred O. Porter, Constable of the Town of Islesboro, in the County of Waldo, State of Maine

GREETINGS:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF MAINE, you are hereby required to notify and warn the voters of the Town of Islesboro qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the ISLESBORO TOWN OFFICE in said Town of Islesboro on Tuesday, May 17, 2016, at six o'clock in the evening then and there to act on the following articles:

Registered Voters: 20	In Attendance: 20
Clerks: Janet Anderson, Cindy Gorham, Tina Pendleton	

Deputy Town Clerk Tina Pendleton opened the meeting at 6:00 PM

Article 1. To elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.
CRAIG OLSON WAS ELECTED TO MODERATE WITH 3 WRITTEN VOTES

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into a license agreement with The Islesboro Preschool ("IPS") to allow IPS to use the Town Office Driveway as pedestrian and vehicular access to IPS's abutting property located southerly of Town Office for so long as IPS' property is used as a preschool and to allow IPS to install, maintain, use and repair underground utilities in a portion of said Town Office driveway, all on such terms and conditions as the Board of Selectmen deems to be in the best interests of the Town.

SELECTMEN RECOMMEND
PASSED BY UNANIMOUS SHOW OF HANDS

The selectmen hereby give notice that the Registrar of voters will be at the Islesboro Town Office on Tuesday, May 17, 2016 from 5:30 pm to 6:00 pm for the purpose of accepting registrations and correcting the voting list.
A person who is not registered to vote may not vote in any election

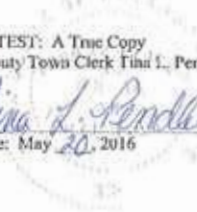
Given under our hands this 4th day of May, 2016

/S/	/S/	/S/
Archibald L. Gillies	Sandra L. Oliver	Hanna E. Kerr
/S/		/S/
Gabriel I. Pendleton		Jay T. Zlotkowski

Meeting was adjourned at 6:06 pm

ATTEST: A True Copy
Deputy Town Clerk Tina L. Pendleton

Tina L. Pendleton
 Date: May 20, 2016



Berry · Talbot · Royer

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS



Board of Selectmen
Town of Islesboro
Islesboro, Maine

We have audited the financial statements of the Town of Islesboro, Maine as of and for the year ended June 30, 2015. The following statements and schedules have been excerpted from the 2015 financial statements, a complete copy of which, including our opinion thereon, is available for inspection at the Town office. Included herein are:

Statement 3	Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds
Statement 5	Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds
Statement 7	Statement of Net Position - Proprietary Funds
Statement 8	Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position - Proprietary Funds
Statement 10	Statement of Fiduciary Net Position - Fiduciary Funds
Schedule 1	Budgetary Comparison Schedule - Budget and Actual - General Fund - Budgetary Basis
Schedule 4	Combining Balance Sheet - Other Nonmajor Governmental Funds
Schedule 5	Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Other Nonmajor Governmental Funds
Schedule 8	Statement of Departmental Operations

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Berry Talbot Royer'.

Certified Public Accountants
March 23, 2016

Statement 3

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
BALANCE SHEET
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2015

	General Fund	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS:			
Cash/Investments	\$ 2,089,436	\$ 59,207	\$ 2,148,643
Cash Held by Third Party	4,588	3,015	7,603
Receivables:			
Liens	109,070	-	109,070
Accounts	8,339	42,686	51,025
Inventory	136	594	730
Prepaid Expense	1,207	-	1,207
Due from Other Funds	-	506,919	506,919
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 2,212,776	\$ 612,421	\$ 2,825,197
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS, AND FUND BALANCES:			
Liabilities:			
Accounts Payable	\$ 462,280	\$ 3,988	\$ 466,268
Accrued Wages	178,078	-	178,078
Unearned Revenues	11,768	-	11,768
Due to Other Funds	624,689	31,067	655,756
Total Liabilities	<u>1,276,815</u>	<u>35,055</u>	<u>1,311,870</u>
DEFERRED INFLOWS:			
Unavailable Revenues-Property Taxes	89,440	-	89,440
Prepaid Property Taxes	6,100	-	6,100
Total Deferred Inflows	<u>95,540</u>	<u> </u>	<u>95,540</u>
Fund Balances:			
Nonspendable:			
Prepaid Expenses & Inventory	1,343	594	1,937
Nonspendable Trust Principal	-	13,252	13,252
Restricted for:			
Special Revenues	-	5,697	5,697
Adult Education	2,159	-	2,159
Other Purposes	-	45,955	45,955
Committed For:			
Capital Projects	-	509,934	509,934
Assigned for:			
Special Revenues	-	1,934	1,934
Subsequent Years' Expenditures	258,913	-	258,913
Use of Fund Balance	50,000	-	50,000
Unassigned	528,006	-	528,006
Total Fund Balances	<u>840,421</u>	<u>577,366</u>	<u>1,417,787</u>
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 2,212,776	\$ 612,421	\$ 2,825,197

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statements.

Statement 5

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	General Fund	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
REVENUES:			
Taxes	\$ 5,515,816	\$ -	\$ 5,515,816
Intergovernmental	56,278	64,674	120,952
Charges for Services	83,948	19,642	103,590
Intergovernmental on Behalf Payments	99,988	-	99,988
Miscellaneous	52,227	24,448	76,675
Total Revenues	<u>5,808,257</u>	<u>108,764</u>	<u>5,917,021</u>
EXPENDITURES:			
Administration	688,165	-	688,165
Protection	156,961	-	156,961
Sanitation	169,328	-	169,328
Public Works	353,875	-	353,875
Health and Welfare	86,352	-	86,352
Education	2,236,257	-	2,236,257
Cultural and Recreational	124,523	-	124,523
Fixed Charges	953,539	-	953,539
Program Expenditures	-	153,674	153,674
Capital Outlays	-	72,405	72,405
Total Expenditures	<u>4,769,000</u>	<u>226,079</u>	<u>4,995,079</u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	<u>1,039,257</u>	<u>(117,315)</u>	<u>921,942</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):			
Transfers In	-	171,014	171,014
Transfers Out	(776,415)	-	(776,415)
Capital Lease Proceeds	19,534	-	19,534
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>(756,881)</u>	<u>171,014</u>	<u>(585,867)</u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	282,376	53,699	336,075
FUND BALANCES - JULY 1, 2014	<u>558,045</u>	<u>523,667</u>	<u>1,081,712</u>
FUND BALANCES - JUNE 30, 2015	<u>\$ 840,421</u>	<u>\$ 577,366</u>	<u>\$ 1,417,787</u>

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statements.

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2015

	Enterprise Funds		Total
	Health Care Center	Wastewater Treatment Facility	
ASSETS			
Cash/Cash Equivalents	\$ -	\$ 10,799	\$ 10,799
Accounts Receivable	21,415	17,299	38,714
Due from Other Funds	122,110	13,198	135,308
Prepaid Expenses	1,116	-	1,116
Inventory	11,961	-	11,961
Deferred Benefits	650	-	650
Total Current Assets	<u>157,252</u>	<u>41,296</u>	<u>198,548</u>
Other Special Funds			
Cash/Cash Equivalents			
Equipment Fund	6,409	-	6,409
Technology Fund	20,207	-	20,207
Cash Held by Third Party			
Endowment Fund	73,753	-	73,753
	<u>100,369</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>100,369</u>
Utility Plant			
Utility Plant, Placed In Service	145,249	1,175,784	1,321,033
Accumulated Depreciation	(123,406)	(384,841)	(508,247)
	<u>21,843</u>	<u>790,943</u>	<u>812,786</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>279,464</u>	<u>832,239</u>	<u>1,111,703</u>
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities:			
Accounts Payable	5,018	403	5,421
Accrued Wages	2,872	-	2,872
Accrued Interest	-	11,678	11,678
Current Portion of Long-Term Debt	-	70,000	70,000
Total Current Liabilities	<u>7,890</u>	<u>82,081</u>	<u>89,971</u>
Noncurrent Liabilities			
Accrued Compensated Absences	17,828	-	17,828
Long-Term Debt, Net of Current Portion	-	370,000	370,000
Total Non-current Liabilities	<u>17,828</u>	<u>370,000</u>	<u>387,828</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>25,718</u>	<u>452,081</u>	<u>477,799</u>
NET POSITION			
Net Investment in Capital Assets	21,843	339,265	361,108
Restricted	80,162	-	80,162
Unrestricted	151,741	40,893	192,634
TOTAL NET POSITION	<u>\$ 253,746</u>	<u>\$ 380,158</u>	<u>\$ 633,904</u>

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statements.

Statement 8

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	Enterprise Funds		
	Health Care Center	Wastewater Treatment Facility	Total
OPERATING REVENUES:			
Charges for Services	\$ 176,112	\$ 16,814	\$ 192,926
Total Operating Revenues	<u>176,112</u>	<u>16,814</u>	<u>192,926</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Salaries and Benefits	457,740	-	457,740
Physicians' Contract and Substitute Coverage	47,133	-	47,133
Supplies	43,396	-	43,396
Maintenance and Repairs	2,494	80,648	83,142
Laboratory Services	2,588	4,500	7,088
Utilities (Net)	5,426	1,295	6,721
Depreciation	7,265	25,338	32,603
Insurance	12,849	-	12,849
Rent	10,558	-	10,558
Professional Fees	14,838	-	14,838
Other	7,809	3,174	10,983
Total Operating Expenses	<u>612,096</u>	<u>114,955</u>	<u>727,051</u>
OPERATING LOSS	<u>(435,984)</u>	<u>(98,141)</u>	<u>(534,125)</u>
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):			
Interest and Realized Gains	2,203	170	2,373
Donations	20,852	-	20,852
Interest Expense	-	(18,513)	(18,513)
Loss on Disposal of Assets	(1,034)	-	(1,034)
Total Nonoperating Revenues	<u>22,021</u>	<u>(18,343)</u>	<u>3,678</u>
NET INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE TRANSFERS	<u>(413,963)</u>	<u>(116,484)</u>	<u>(530,447)</u>
OPERATING TRANSFERS IN	<u>495,220</u>	<u>110,181</u>	<u>605,401</u>
CHANGES IN NET POSITION	81,257	(6,303)	74,954
TOTAL NET POSITION - JULY 1	<u>172,489</u>	<u>386,461</u>	<u>558,950</u>
TOTAL NET POSITION - JUNE 30	<u>\$ 253,746</u>	<u>\$ 380,158</u>	<u>\$ 633,904</u>

The Accompanying Notes are an Integral Part of these Financial Statements.

Statement 10

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2015

	Private-purpose Trusts	Agency Funds
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
ASSETS:		
Cash	\$ 1,207	\$ 56,443
Due from General Fund	<u> -</u>	<u>13,529</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>1,207</u>	<u>69,972</u>
LIABILITIES:		
Due to Other Groups	<u> -</u>	<u>69,972</u>
NET POSITION:		
Held in Trust for Other Purposes	<u>\$ 1,207</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

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Schedule 1

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND - BUDGETARY BASIS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	Original and Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
REVENUES:			
Taxes:			
Property	\$ 5,345,981	\$ 5,345,981	\$ -
Change in Deferred Property Taxes	-	(78)	(78)
Excise	144,000	169,913	25,913
	<u>5,489,981</u>	<u>5,515,816</u>	<u>25,835</u>
Intergovernmental:			
State Revenue Sharing	6,889	12,418	5,529
State Park	3,027	4,724	1,697
Local Road Assistance	30,605	30,844	239
Veterans Tax Exemption	300	276	(24)
Homestead Reimbursement	14,661	8,016	(6,645)
	<u>55,482</u>	<u>56,278</u>	<u>796</u>
Other:			
Interest on Invested Moneys	1,000	2,161	1,161
Interest and Penalties on Delinquent Taxes	8,000	16,730	8,730
Miscellaneous	13,025	16,137	3,112
Rent	11,058	10,178	(880)
Sale of Recyclables	3,500	3,691	191
Donations	7,400	3,330	(4,070)
	<u>43,983</u>	<u>52,227</u>	<u>8,244</u>
Charges for Services:			
Fees:			
Landfill	33,600	39,224	5,624
Ambulance	20,000	30,096	10,096
Planning Board	3,000	2,655	(345)
Plumbing	1,250	2,078	828
Grindle Point Stickers	600	627	27
Other	9,100	9,268	168
	<u>67,550</u>	<u>83,948</u>	<u>16,398</u>
TOTAL REVENUES	<u>\$ 5,656,996</u>	<u>\$ 5,708,269</u>	<u>\$ 51,273</u>

See Notes to Required Supplementary Information

Schedule 1 (Continued)

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND - BUDGETARY BASIS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	Original and Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
TOTAL REVENUES (Forward)	\$ 5,656,996	\$ 5,708,269	\$ 51,273
EXPENDITURES			
Administration	725,056	688,165	36,891
Protection	167,367	156,961	10,406
Sanitation	170,601	169,328	1,273
Public Works	643,945	553,875	90,070
Health and Welfare	98,022	86,352	11,670
Education	2,260,778	2,116,735	144,043
Cultural and Recreational	123,636	124,523	(887)
Fixed Charges	1,056,827	953,539	103,288
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	5,246,232	4,849,478	396,754
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	410,764	858,791	448,027
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):			
Budgeted Use of Surplus	160,000	-	(160,000)
2014 Carry Forwards	207,784	-	(207,784)
Transfer to Health Care Center	(495,220)	(495,220)	-
Transfer to DWWWTF	(112,144)	(110,181)	1,963
Transfer to Capital Projects Fund	(114,000)	(114,100)	(100)
Transfer to Special Revenues	(57,184)	(56,914)	270
	(410,764)	(776,415)	(365,651)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	\$ -	\$ 82,376	\$ 82,376

See Notes to Required Supplementary Information

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
OTHER NON-MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2015

	ASSETS					LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE			
	Cash and Cash Held by Third Party	Accounts Receivable	Inventory	Due From General Fund	Total Assets	Accounts Payable	Due To General Fund	Fund Balance	Total Liabilities and Fund Balance
Special Revenue Funds									
School Categorical Grants	\$ -	\$ 42,686	\$ 594	\$ -	\$ 43,280	\$ 3,988	\$ 31,067	\$ 8,225	\$ 43,280
Capital Project Funds									
Small Community Program	-	-	-	11,041	11,041	-	-	11,041	11,041
Police Cruiser	-	-	-	4,097	4,097	-	-	4,097	4,097
Aging System Replacement	-	-	-	23,884	23,884	-	-	23,884	23,884
Library Equipment & Repairs	-	-	-	6,736	6,736	-	-	6,736	6,736
Fire Engine Reserve	-	-	-	121,585	121,585	-	-	121,585	121,585
Municipal Building	-	-	-	7,200	7,200	-	-	7,200	7,200
Fire Equipment	-	-	-	2,863	2,863	-	-	2,863	2,863
Road Construction	-	-	-	3,367	3,367	-	-	3,367	3,367
Engineering, Architect Survey	-	-	-	10,127	10,127	-	-	10,127	10,127
Emergency Ferry Trips	-	-	-	10,092	10,092	-	-	10,092	10,092
Landscaping & Groundskeeping Equipment	-	-	-	1,405	1,405	-	-	1,405	1,405
Town Truck	-	-	-	41,815	41,815	-	-	41,815	41,815
Technology	-	-	-	1,119	1,119	-	-	1,119	1,119
Maddie Dodge Field	-	-	-	29,089	29,089	-	-	29,089	29,089
Capital Projects Reserve	-	-	-	127	127	-	-	127	127
Public Works Equipment and Repairs	-	-	-	7,619	7,619	-	-	7,619	7,619
Incline and Float Reserve	-	-	-	468	468	-	-	468	468
Subtotal Capital Projects Fund	-	-	-	282,634	282,634	-	-	282,634	282,634

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
COMBINING BALANCE SHEET
OTHER NON-MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2015

	ASSETS					LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE			Total Liabilities and Fund Balance
	Cash and Cash Held by Third Party	Accounts Receivable	Inventory	Due From General Fund	Total Assets	Accounts Payable	Due To General Fund	Fund Balance	
Ambulance Reserve	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 102,828	\$ 102,828	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 102,828	\$ 102,828
Tennis Court Reserve	-	-	-	1,204	1,204	-	-	1,204	1,204
Renovation Fund	3,015	-	-	15,413	18,428	-	-	18,428	18,428
Bus Fund	-	-	-	8,046	8,046	-	-	8,046	8,046
Capital Improvements Fund	-	-	-	96,794	96,794	-	-	96,794	96,794
Total Capital Projects Funds	3,015	-	-	506,919	509,934	-	-	509,934	509,934
Permanent Funds									
Library Funds	50,891	-	-	-	50,891	-	-	50,891	50,891
Cemetery Funds									
Henry P. Hatch Fund	120	-	-	-	120	-	-	120	120
Flora & Floyd Holmes, Jr. Fund	530	-	-	-	530	-	-	530	530
Marshall Fund	1,192	-	-	-	1,192	-	-	1,192	1,192
CC Hatch Fund	199	-	-	-	199	-	-	199	199
Simon S. Sprague Fund	474	-	-	-	474	-	-	474	474
Justina I. Thomas Fund	111	-	-	-	111	-	-	111	111
Mildred Stanley Fund	1,533	-	-	-	1,533	-	-	1,533	1,533
Idella M. Wentworth Fund	530	-	-	-	530	-	-	530	530
Livona Williams Fund	1,275	-	-	-	1,275	-	-	1,275	1,275
Villatoro Fund	1,912	-	-	-	1,912	-	-	1,912	1,912
Kathleen Kerr Fund	440	-	-	-	440	-	-	440	440
Total Permanent Funds	59,207	-	-	-	59,207	-	-	59,207	59,207
Total	<u>\$ 62,222</u>	<u>\$ 42,686</u>	<u>\$ 594</u>	<u>\$ 506,919</u>	<u>\$ 612,421</u>	<u>\$ 3,988</u>	<u>\$ 31,067</u>	<u>\$ 577,366</u>	<u>\$ 612,421</u>

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
 COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
 OTHER NON-MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
 YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	Fund balances beginning of year	Program Revenues			Transfers In (Out)	Program Expenditures	Fund balances end of year
		Intergovern- mental	Charges for Services	Other			
Special Revenue Funds							
School Categorical Grants	\$ 12,697	\$ 64,674	\$ 19,642	\$ 3,747	\$ 56,914	\$ 149,449	\$ 8,225
Capital Project Funds							
Small Community Program	11,041	-	-	-	-	-	11,041
Police Cruiser	4,061	-	-	36	-	-	4,097
Aging System Replacement	23,677	-	-	207	-	-	23,884
Library Equipment & Repairs	1,680	-	-	56	5,000	-	6,736
Fire Engine Reserve	120,531	-	-	1,054	-	-	121,585
Municipal Building	7,227	-	-	91	5,000	5,118	7,200
Fire Equipment	2,070	-	-	793	-	-	2,863
Road Construction	3,337	-	-	30	-	-	3,367
Engineering, Architect Survey	44	-	-	83	10,000	-	10,127
Emergency Ferry Trips	9	-	-	83	10,000	-	10,092
Landscaping & Groundskeeping Equipment	1,813	-	-	12	-	420	1,405
Town Truck	31,457	-	-	358	10,000	-	41,815
Technology	1,070	-	-	49	10,000	10,000	1,119
Maddie Dodge Field	7,132	-	-	1,957	20,000	-	29,089
Capital Projects Reserve	2,117	-	-	10	-	2,000	127
Public Works Equipment and Repairs	15,305	-	-	113	-	7,799	7,619
Incline and Float Reserve	109	-	-	93	15,000	14,734	468
Subtotal Capital Projects Fund	232,680	-	-	5,025	85,000	40,071	282,634

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
 COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
 OTHER NON-MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
 YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

	Fund balances beginning of year	Program Revenues			Transfers In (Out)	Program Expenditures	Fund balances end of year
		Intergovern- mental	Charges for Services	Other			
Ambulance Reserve	\$ 74,232	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,596	\$ 25,000	\$ -	\$ 102,828
Tennis Court Reserve	1,093	-	-	111	-	-	1,204
Renovation Fund	40,625	-	-	10,137	-	32,334	18,428
Bus Fund	3,882	-	-	64	4,100	-	8,046
Capital Improvements Fund	95,954	-	-	840	-	-	96,794
Total Capital Projects Funds	448,466	-	-	19,773	114,100	72,405	509,934
Permanent Funds							
Library Funds	54,260	-	-	856	-	4,225	50,891
Cemetery Funds							
Henry P. Hatch Fund	119	-	-	1	-	-	120
Flora & Floyd Holmes, Jr. Fund	525	-	-	5	-	-	530
Marshall Fund	1,181	-	-	11	-	-	1,192
CC Hatch Fund	197	-	-	2	-	-	199
Simon S. Sprague Fund	469	-	-	5	-	-	474
Justina I. Thomas Fund	111	-	-	-	-	-	111
Mildred Stanley Fund	1,519	-	-	14	-	-	1,533
Idella M. Wentworth Fund	526	-	-	4	-	-	530
Livona Williams Fund	1,265	-	-	10	-	-	1,275
Villatoro Fund	1,895	-	-	17	-	-	1,912
Kathleen Kerr Fund	437	-	-	3	-	-	440
Total Permanent Funds	62,504	-	-	928	-	4,225	59,207
Total	\$ 523,667	\$ 64,674	\$ 19,642	\$ 24,448	\$ 171,014	\$ 226,079	\$ 577,366

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
 STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS
 YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

Schedule 8

	Balances	Other	Total	Expenditures	Balances Lapsed		Balances	
	Forward				Appropriations	Credits		Available
ADMINISTRATION:								
Administration	\$ -	\$ 228,638	\$ -	\$ 228,638	\$ 230,761	\$ 2,123	\$ -	\$ -
Selectmen's Compensation	-	4,100	-	4,100	3,891	-	209	-
Code Enforcement	-	101,604	-	101,604	91,509	-	10,095	-
Major Subdivision	-	4,000	-	4,000	2,500	-	-	1,500
Insurance/Retirement	-	277,820	-	277,820	263,636	-	14,184	-
Municipal Building	-	38,900	-	38,900	38,902	2	-	-
Internet Project	6,245	15,000	53,950	75,195	69,208	-	-	5,987
Board of Appeals	-	5,749	-	5,749	1,055	-	4,694	-
Groundwater	-	3,000	-	3,000	-	-	3,000	-
Professional Services and Consultation	-	25,000	-	25,000	27,595	2,595	-	-
Contingency	-	15,000	-	15,000	13,058	-	1,942	-
	<u>6,245</u>	<u>718,811</u>	<u>53,950</u>	<u>779,006</u>	<u>742,115</u>	<u>4,720</u>	<u>34,124</u>	<u>7,487</u>
PROTECTION:								
Fire Protection	-	54,042	-	54,042	50,153	-	3,889	-
Public Safety Office	-	99,105	-	99,105	92,085	-	7,020	-
Water Rescue	-	2,215	-	2,215	2,734	519	-	-
Street Lights	-	8,500	-	8,500	9,165	665	-	-
Communications	-	2,830	-	2,830	1,870	-	960	-
EMA Training	-	675	-	675	954	279	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>167,367</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>167,367</u>	<u>156,961</u>	<u>1,463</u>	<u>11,869</u>	<u>-</u>
SANITATION:								
Septage Field	-	1,250	-	1,250	5,376	4,126	-	-
Transfer Station	-	169,351	-	169,351	163,952	-	5,399	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>170,601</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>170,601</u>	<u>169,328</u>	<u>4,126</u>	<u>5,399</u>	<u>-</u>
PUBLIC WORKS:								
Cemeteries Maintenance	-	8,000	-	8,000	5,447	-	2,553	-
Personnel and Supplies	-	103,245	-	103,245	106,769	3,524	-	-
Winter Roads	-	192,400	-	192,400	197,018	4,618	-	-
Road Maintenance	-	317,100	-	317,100	212,604	-	3,420	101,076
Building Repair and Maintenance	-	23,200	-	23,200	32,037	8,837	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>643,945</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>643,945</u>	<u>553,875</u>	<u>16,979</u>	<u>5,973</u>	<u>101,076</u>

TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
 STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS
 YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2015

Schedule 8 (Continued)

	Balance	Appropriations	Other Credits	Total Available	Expenditures	Balance Lapsed		Balance Carried
	Forward					Overdrawn	Unexpended	
HEALTH AND WELFARE:								
Ambulance	\$ -	\$ 51,063	\$ -	\$ 51,063	\$ 54,802	\$ 3,739	\$ -	\$ -
General Assistance	-	20,000	-	20,000	13,057	-	6,943	-
Deer Reduction Committee	10,459	16,500	-	26,959	18,493	-	-	8,466
	<u>10,459</u>	<u>87,563</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>98,022</u>	<u>86,352</u>	<u>3,739</u>	<u>6,943</u>	<u>8,466</u>
EDUCATION:								
General Education	187,891	2,067,998	153,484	2,409,373	2,267,489	-	-	141,884
Adult Education	3,189	1,700	-	4,889	2,730	-	-	2,159
	<u>191,080</u>	<u>2,069,698</u>	<u>153,484</u>	<u>2,414,262</u>	<u>2,270,219</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>144,043</u>
CULTURAL AND RECREATIONAL:								
Recreation Program	-	14,170	-	14,170	12,146	-	2,024	-
Library	-	71,683	-	71,683	65,922	-	5,761	-
Memorial Museum	-	7,325	-	7,325	6,740	-	585	-
Memorial Day	-	550	-	550	480	-	70	-
Harbor Facilities	-	13,115	-	13,115	23,192	10,077	-	-
Shell Fish Conservation	-	600	-	600	-	-	600	-
Fireworks	-	150	-	150	-	-	150	-
Provider Agencies	-	16,043	-	16,043	16,043	-	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>123,636</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>123,636</u>	<u>124,523</u>	<u>10,077</u>	<u>9,190</u>	<u>-</u>
FIXED CHARGES:								
Overlay	-	111,063	-	111,063	7,247	-	103,816	-
Upstairs Renovation Loan	-	1,000	-	1,000	1,528	528	-	-
County Tax	-	944,764	-	944,764	944,764	-	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>1,056,827</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,056,827</u>	<u>953,539</u>	<u>528</u>	<u>103,816</u>	<u>-</u>
TOTAL	\$ 207,784	\$ 5,038,448	\$ 207,434	\$ 5,453,666	\$ 5,056,912	\$ 41,632	\$ 177,314	\$ 261,072

NOTES OF P r O C E D u r E

NOTES FOR VOTERS ON TOWN MEETING PROCEDURE

It is important to understand two core concepts. First, rules of procedure are not rules of law. Their purpose is to facilitate the conduct of the meeting, and courts will usually uphold a moderator's decision and the actions of a meeting unless clear unfairness or error resulting in misunderstanding or confusion has actually affected the vote. Second, questions about appropriate procedure or the outcome of a vote should be addressed in the meeting itself (see the discussion of "appeal" and "challenge," below). If questionable decisions or determinations of the vote are not brought to the moderator's attention and addressed on the spot, a court may decline to review the issue later, even where it would otherwise be appropriate for judicial review.

Distinguishing or Separating Voters and Non-Voters. Please respect any measures in effect for distinguishing or separating voters from non-voters.

Unanimous Consent. To expedite procedure, the moderator may from time to time invite or suggest that the meeting give "unanimous consent" to proceeding in a certain way. Cooperation, where you can freely give it, will usually save time and avoid unnecessary complication, but if you do not wish to give consent, simply call out "Objection" or "I object" when the moderator asks for unanimous consent. The moderator may then suggest or invite a motion and vote on procedure and you will then have the opportunity to speak in opposition to the procedure.

Rules of Debate. Maine law makes three rules: (1) a person may not speak without being recognized by the moderator; (2) everyone shall be silent at the moderator's command; and (3) a person who is not a town voter may not speak without the consent of two-thirds of the voters present. In addition, the moderator may ask that one or more of the following rules be observed, and may invoke others to maintain good order and decorum. Raise your hand or stand, as directed by the moderator, to be recognized, and then state your name and what you would like to do. Stand while speaking unless otherwise directed or authorized by the moderator. Refrain from making negative motions ("I move that Article 6 be defeated"). After a motion has been made and seconded, the moderator will open the floor for discussion. The moderator may call on the Selectmen or other sponsors of an article to speak first on a main motion (a motion to approve an article as printed, for example). Thereafter, the affirmative side speaks. A person who makes a motion is entitled but not required

to be the first speaker on the motion and may not vote against the motion but may seek consent to withdraw it. A person seconding a motion may both speak against it and vote against it. Do not make a speech and conclude it with a motion: rather, make the motion and then speak to it after it has been seconded and put to floor debate by the moderator. Address all remarks and all questions to the moderator alone. Remarks must be relevant to the motion. Debate will generally alternate between those in favor and those opposed. No one should address the same subject more than twice without the express permission of the moderator. The meeting may establish a time limit per speaker per question and an overall time limit on a motion. No one may speak a second time until all who wish to speak a first time have done so. Speak to the issue, not to the person, and do not question motives or speak ill of another. Profanity is out of order. Do not read from any document except the warrant without first obtaining the moderator's consent. Listen attentively, do not whisper in the seats, and do not interrupt a speaker. Take conversation outside, and mute all but emergency workers' cell phones.

Nominations and Elections. No second is required for a nomination, but the moderator may request or require a candidate's consent to run (and if elected to serve), as a safeguard not only against the possibility that a nominee who is present will decide not to accept an office once won, but also as a safeguard against election of an absent person who when notified declines the office.

Written Ballot. State law requires the moderator, selectmen, and school committee members to be elected by written ballot, even if there is only one nominee. On motion and a majority of votes cast, or by unanimous consent, the meeting can determine to require written ballot voting on other offices or on any business or other article on the warrant. Do not fold, and do not allow another to fold, your ballot with another, or they may both be invalidated.

Appeal. A voter who thinks it appropriate to follow a procedure other than the one announced by the moderator may seek to be recognized and then move a procedure the voter believes more appropriate.

Methods of Voting. These are, in increasing order of certainty (and, for the most, of the time required): voice vote, show of hands, rising (or standing) vote, division of the house, and written ballot vote.

Challenge. A voter who thinks the moderator has not correctly determined the outcome of a voice or other vote short of an actual count and who wishes to challenge to moderator's determination should immediately seek to be recognized, and when recognized, say "I doubt it." The moderator will then determine whether at least six other voters agree; if so, the moderator will make the determination more certain by using a designated other method of voting.

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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT
TOWN OF ISLESBORO, MAINE
SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2016

TO: Fred O. Porter, Constable of the Town of Islesboro, in the County of Waldo, State of Maine

GREETINGS:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF MAINE, you are hereby required to notify and warn the voters of the Town of Islesboro qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to meet at the G.H. Kinnicutt Center in said Town of Islesboro on Saturday, June 18, 2016, at nine o'clock in the morning then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.
Article 2. To elect the following Town officials:
A. One Selectman for a term of three years, to expire at the 2019 Annual Town Meeting. [Currently Jay Zlotkowski's seat.]
B. One Selectman for a term of three years, to expire at the 2019 Annual Town Meeting. [Currently Sandy Oliver's seat.]
C. One School Board member for a term of three years, to expire at the 2018 Annual Town Meeting. [Completing original term of WTB/Currently held by Lars Nelson.]
D. One School Board member for a term of three years, to expire at the 2019 Annual Town Meeting. [Currently Laura Houle's seat.]

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Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the issuance of up to \$3,800,000 in general obligation bonds, and notes in anticipation of such bonds, for the design, construction and equipping of a municipal broadband network and related infrastructure and improvements, including, without limitation, engineering, survey, legal, construction and other related costs, all as determined to be appropriate by the Board of Selectmen, with the dates, maturities, denominations, interest rate(s), project feasibility, and other details of the bonds or notes (including provisions that the bonds may be subject to call for redemption with or without premium) to be determined by the Board of Selectmen.

SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Total estimated debt service of this bond issue is \$5,313,779, of which principal is \$3,800,000 and estimated interest at rates ranging from 5% to 4.00%, depending on the year of maturity, over 10 years, is \$1,513,779.

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*Bonds Now Outstanding and Unpaid	\$3,390,000
*Interest to be Repaid on Outstanding Bonds	\$1,144,637
*Total to be Repaid on Bonds Issued	\$4,534,637
*Additional Bonds Authorized But Not Yet Issued	\$0-
*Potential New Interest on Bonds Not Yet Issued	\$0-
*Total Additional Bonds (now proposed) to be Issued if Approved by Voters	\$3,800,000
*Estimate of Potential New Interest	\$1,513,779
*Total Additional Bonds To Be Issued and Estimated Interest if Approved by Voters	\$5,313,779

When money is borrowed by issuing bonds, the Town must repay not only the principal amount of the bonds but also interest on the bonds. The amount of interest to be paid will vary depending upon the rate of interest and the years to maturity at the time of issue. The validity of the bonds and of the voters' ratification of the bonds may not be affected by any errors in the estimates made of the costs involved, including varying interest rates, the estimated cost of interest on the bond amount to be issued, and the total cost of principal and interest to be paid at maturity. If the

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actual amount of the total debt service for the bond issues varies from the estimate, the ratification by the voters is nevertheless conclusive and the validity of the bond issue is not affected by reason of the variance.

Janet Anderson
 Janet Anderson, Town Treasurer

NOTE: Broadband Project FY17 funded under:		
Article 5(C)	General Government/Municipal Broadband	\$ 05,630.00
Article 34(C)	Debt Services	\$ 31,250.00
	Total:	\$ 36,880.00

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept delivery of an easement deed from Elana Kehoe to the Town for a perpetual utility easement over, under and across a portion of property located on Meadow Pond Road and further described as Assessor's Tax Map 5, Lot 9 on such terms and conditions as the Board of Selectmen deems to be in the best interests of the Town.

[This article supports Broadband]

SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Next: SCHOOL

ARTICLE #5	
To see what sum the Town will be authorized to expend for Regular Instruction. <input type="checkbox"/>	
Recommend \$983,735.00.	
School Committee Recommends:	\$983,735.00
The Regular Instruction includes expenses directly related to K-12 classroom teaching and learning such as salaries for teachers, substitutes, instructional materials and supplies.	
Teaching salaries	671,062.00
Benefits and health insurance	196,192.00
Professional credits, dues, conferences, travel	23,450.00
Contracted services and copiers	25,156.00
Materials, books, supplies	31,475.00

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Furniture, fixtures, equipment	2,900.00
Computer hardware and software	23,000.00
Secondary tuition classes and field trips	10,500.00
TOTAL REGULAR INSTRUCTION	\$983,735.00

ARTICLE #6	
To see what sum the Town will be authorized to expend for Special Education. <input type="checkbox"/> Recommend <u>\$288,820.00.</u>	
School Committee Recommends:	\$288,820.00
Special Education includes expenses for direct classroom instruction and outside special education services.	
Teaching and coordinator salaries	156,421.00
Benefits and health insurance	41,995.00
Professional credits, dues, conferences, travel	5,093.00
Contracted services and testing	71,350.00
Materials, books, supplies	5,009.00
Furniture, fixtures, equipment	0.00
Computer hardware and software	0.00
Student tuition	8,952.00
TOTAL SPECIAL EDUCATION	\$288,820.00

ARTICLE #7	
To see what sum the Town will be authorized to expend for Career and Technical <input type="checkbox"/> Education. Recommend <u>\$58,127.00.</u>	
School Committee Recommends:	\$58,127.00
Career and Technical Education includes assessment expenses approved by the Region 8 Cooperative Board directly related to student vocational education.	
Student Assessment Vocational	\$58,127.00
TOTAL CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION	\$58,127.00

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ARTICLE #8	
To see what sum the Town will be authorized to expend for Other Instruction. □	
Recommend <u>\$75,419.00.</u>	
School Committee Recommends:	\$75,419.00
Other Instruction includes expenses directly related to extracurricular athletics and co-curricular activities.	
Stipends and salaries	48,656.00
Benefits	4,363.00
Dues and conferences	1,100.00
Officials	5,500.00
Supplies	3,800.00
Student travel	12,000.00
TOTAL OTHER INSTRUCTION	\$75,419.00

ARTICLE #9	
To see what sum the Town will be authorized to expend for Student and Staff Support. □	
Recommend <u>\$126,274.00.</u>	
School Committee Recommends:	\$126,274.00
Student and Staff Support includes expenses for direct support of classroom instruction and learning such as guidance, health services and technology services.	
GUIDANCE	
Teaching salaries	40,693.00
Benefits and health insurance	10,981.00
Professional credits, dues, conferences, travel	2,650.00
Contracted services and testing	16,500.00
Materials, books, supplies	1,200.00
Furniture, fixtures, equipment	0.00
Computer hardware and software	150.00
Field trips and student travel	2,500.00
TOTAL GUIDANCE	\$74,674.00

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STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES	
Health Contracted Services	900.00
Health Supplies	300.00
TOTAL STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES	\$1,200.00
TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	
Summer services, Web Master	4,200.00
Technology Administrator	39,851.00
Benefits	6,349.00
TOTAL TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	\$50,400.00
TOTAL STUDENT AND STAFF SUPPORT	\$126,274.00

ARTICLE #10	
To see what sum the Town will be authorized to expend for System Administration. <input type="checkbox"/> Recommend \$151,442.00.	
School Committee Recommends:	\$151,442.00
System Administration includes all expenses system-wide for the School Committee, financial services and Superintendent's Office.	
BOARD OF DIRECTORS	
Stipends	5,300.00
Benefits	427.00
Contracted services, legal services, advertising	11,500.00
Dues, conferences, supplies, travel	1,415.00
TOTAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS	\$18,642.00
ADMINISTRATIVE TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	
Financial contracted technical services	9,118.00
Audit	11,500.00
Financial system technology supplies	650.00
TOTAL ADMINISTRATIVE TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	\$21,268.00

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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT	
Salaries	83,433.00
Benefits and health insurance	16,449.00
Professional credits, dues, conferences, travel	9,500.00
Contracted services	1,200.00
Computer hardware, software, equipment, furniture and supplies	950.00
TOTAL OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT	\$111,532.00
TOTAL SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION	\$151,442.00

ARTICLE #11	
To see what sum the Town will be authorized to expend for School Administration. □ Recommend <u>\$168,067.00.</u>	
School Committee Recommends:	\$168,067.00
School Administration includes all expenses for the direct operation of the Principal's Office.	
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL	
Salaries	\$122,020.00
Benefits and health insurance	35,297.00
Professional credits, dues, conferences, travel	2,850.00
Contracted and technical services	1,200.00
Printing and binding, periodicals, supplies	5,200.00
Furniture, fixtures, equipment	0.00
Computer hardware and software	1,500.00
TOTAL OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL	168,067.00
TOTAL SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION	\$168,067.00

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ARTICLE #12	
To see what sum the Town will be authorized to expend for Transportation and Buses. Recommend <u>\$72,421.00.</u>	
School Committee Recommends:	\$72,421.00
Transportation and Buses includes all expenses for student transportation and bus purchases and bus maintenance.	
BUS OPERATION	
Salaries	28,612.00
Benefits and health insurance	4,365.00
Contracted services, testing, fees	950.00
Fuel, insurance, travel	11,957.00
Maintenance, parts, supplies	10,000.00
Lease/Purchase payment	11,768.00
Out of District transportation	4,769.00
TOTAL BUS OPERATION	\$72,421.00

ARTICLE #13	
To see what sum the Town will be authorized to expend for Facilities Maintenance. Recommend <u>\$512,765.00.</u>	
School Committee Recommends:	\$512,765.00
Facilities Maintenance includes all expenses for operation of the plant.	
OPERATION OF PLANT	
Salaries	\$77,407.00
Benefits and health insurance	19,747.00
Property and liability insurances	11,949.00
Contracted and repair services	24,200.00
Utilities, fuel oil, propane	70,100.00
Furniture, fixtures, equipment, travel, supplies, fees	12,400.00
Contingency Fund	5,000.00
Roof Renovation Bond Interest	0.00
Roof Renovation Bond Principal	0.00
School Construction Bond Interest	131,962.00

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School Construction Bond Principal	160,000.00
School Construction Refunding Bond R-1 Interest	0.00
School Construction Refunding Bond R-2 Interest	0.00
TOTAL OPERATION OF PLANT	512,765.00
TOTAL FACILITIES MAINTENANCE	\$5□□,765.00

ARTICLE #14	
To see what sum the Town will be authorized to expend for All Other Expenditures □ Recommend <u>\$60,709.00.</u>	
School Committee Recommends:	\$60,709.00
All Other Expenditures includes the local expenses for the school food service program.	
FOOD SERVICE	
Salaries	\$48,065.00
Benefits and health insurance	9,994.00
Contracted services, equipment, repairs, supplies, travel, fees	2,650.00
TOTAL FOOD SERVICE	60,709.00
TOTAL ALL OTHER EXPENDITURES	\$60,709.00

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ARTICLE #15	
<p>To see what sum the Town will appropriate for the total cost of funding public education from kindergarten to grade 12 as described in the Essential Programs and Services Funding Act (Recommends <u>\$977,962.62</u>) ** and to see what sum the Town will raise as the Town's contribution to the total cost of funding public education from kindergarten to grade 12 as described in the Essential Programs and Services Funding Act in accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 20-A, section 15688. (Recommend <u>\$920,499.48</u>)**</p>	
School Committee Recommends:	Approval <input type="checkbox"/> as written.
<p>Explanation: The Town's contribution to the total cost of funding public education from kindergarten to grade 12 as described in the Essential Programs and Services Funding Act is the amount of money determined by state law to be the minimum amount that a municipality must raise in order to receive the full amount of state dollars. **Preliminary estimate numbers from ED279 dated March 17, 2016.</p>	

ARTICLE #16	
<p>To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate for the annual payments on debt service previously approved by the Town voters for non-state-funded school construction projects and non-state-funded portions of school construction projects in addition to the funds appropriated as the local share of the Town's contribution to the total cost of funding public education from kindergarten to grade 12. <input type="checkbox"/> Recommend <u>\$291,962.00</u>.</p>	
School Committee Recommends:	Approval <input type="checkbox"/> as written.
School Construction Bond Interest	131,962.00
School Construction Bond Principal	160,000.00
School Construction Refunding Bond R-1 Interest	0.00
School Construction Refunding Bond R-2 Interest	0.00
Total Debt Service	\$291,962.00
<p>Explanation: Non-state funded debt service is the amount of money needed for the annual payments on the town's long-term debt for major capital school construction projects that are not approved for state subsidy. The bonding of this long-term debt was previously approved by voters.</p>	

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ARTICLE #17	
To see what sum the Town will RAISE and APPROPRIATE to support the food service program. □ Recommend <u>\$60,709.00</u> .	
School Committee Recommends:	\$60,709.00

ARTICLE #18	
(Written Ballot Required) To see what sum the Town will raise and appropriate in additional local funds (Recommend <u>\$1,012,145.52</u>) which exceeds the State's Essential Programs and Services allocation by (Recommend <u>\$992,032.05</u>) as required to fund the budget recommended by the School Committee?	
The School Committee Recommends <u>\$1,012,145.52</u> for additional local funds and gives the following reasons for exceeding the State's Essential Programs and Services funding model by <u>\$992,032.05</u> :	
1. The 2016-17 EPS funding model for Islesboro funds 6.0 teachers at a cost of <u>\$293,688.00</u> . The School Committee has determined that 12.9 teachers are needed to provide instruction at a cost of <u>\$638,118.00</u> . The difference exceeds the EPS model by <u>\$344,430.00</u> .	
2. The EPS model funds Special Education Services at a cost of <u>\$191,543.79</u> . The School Committee has determined that <u>\$288,820.00</u> is needed to fund appropriate services. The difference exceeds the EPS model by <u>\$97,276.21</u> .	
3. The EPS model funds vocational education at the <u>\$56,288.58</u> level. The Islesboro assessment from Region 8 is <u>\$58,126.71</u> . The difference exceeds the EPS model by <u>\$1,838.13</u> .	
4. The EPS model funds <u>\$52,257.62</u> for transportation. The Islesboro School Committee has approved <u>\$72,421.00</u> for transportation services. The difference exceeds the EPS model by <u>\$20,163.38</u> .	
5. The EPS model funds <u>\$22,095.00</u> for 0.3 of a school principal. The Islesboro School Committee allocated <u>\$88,230.00</u> for 1.0 principal. The difference exceeds the EPS model by <u>\$66,135.00</u> .	
6. The EPS model funds <u>\$19,483.00</u> for 0.6 clerical services. The Islesboro School Committee has allocated <u>\$72,806.00</u> for two (2) administrative assistants. This exceeds the EPS model by <u>\$53,323.00</u> .	

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7. The EPS model funds \$6,451.00 for extra and co-curricular activities. The Islesboro School Committee allocated \$75,419.00. This exceeds the EPS model by \$68,968.00.

8. The EPS model funds \$109,340.00 for Operations and Maintenance. The Islesboro School Committee allocated \$220,803.00. ** This exceeds the EPS model by \$111,463.00.

** Please Note: To the extent Operations and Maintenance exceeds EPS, the debt service portion of (\$291,962.00) is not causing the EPS model to be exceeded, since these amounts are raised in the preceding article and not in the additional local funds article.

Explanation: The additional local funds are those locally raised funds over and above the Town's local contribution to the cost of funding public education from kindergarten to grade 12 as described in the Essential Programs and Services Funding Act and local amounts raised for the annual payment on non-state funded debt service that will help achieve the Town budget for educational programs.

ARTICLE #19

To see what sum the Town will authorize the School Committee to expend for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2016 and ending June 30, 2017 from the Town's contribution to the total cost of funding public education from kindergarten to grade 12 as described in the Essential Programs and Services Funding Act, non-state funded school construction projects, additional local funds for school purposes under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 20-A, section 15690, unexpended balances, tuition receipts, state subsidy and other receipts for the support of schools.

Recommend \$2,497,779.

School Committee Recommends:

Approval as written.

ARTICLE #20

To see if the Town will appropriate \$4,000.00 for Adult Education and raise \$4,000.00 as the local share; with authorization to expend any additional, incidental, or miscellaneous receipts in the interest and for the well-being of the Adult Education Program.

School Committee Recommends:

Approval as written.

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ARTICLE #21	
Vocational Education Regional Day Programs “Shall the Regional Career and Technical Operating Budget as approved by the Region 8 Cooperative Board for the year beginning July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 be approved in the amount of <u>\$3,066,778.00?</u> ” Local share from this school district is: <u>\$58,126.71</u> .	
School Committee Recommends:	Approval as written.

ARTICLE #22	
Adult Vocational Education Regional Programs “To see if the career and technical education region will appropriate <u>\$299,468.00</u> for Adult Education for the year beginning July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 and raise <u>\$84,000.00</u> as the local share with authorization to expend any additional, incidental or miscellaneous receipts in the interest and for the well-being of the Adult Education Program.” Local share from this school district is: <u>\$1,651.34</u> .	
School Committee Recommends:	Approval as written.

ARTICLE #23	
To see what sum of money the Town will RAISE and APPROPRIATE for the School Bus Reserve Account.	
School Bus Reserve	\$8,000.00
School Committee Recommends:	\$8,000.00

ARTICLE #24	
To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to expend such sums of money as they deem necessary from the School Bus Reserve and Capital Improvement Reserve Accounts for their designated purposes. These expenditures may be reflected outside of the School’s approved budget.	
School Committee Recommends:	Approval as written.

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Article 25. To see what sum of money the Town of Islesboro will vote to raise and appropriate for each of the following GENERAL ADMINISTRATION purposes:

SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Purpose	FY06 Budget	FY17 Proposed Budget
A. Board of Selectmen	\$4,000.00	\$4,050.00
B. Municipal Building	\$78,150.00	\$80,150.00
C. Municipal Broadband Support	\$06,830.00	\$105,630.00
D. Planning, Assessing, Codes	\$00,500.00	\$108,658.00
E. Groundwater	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00
F. Administration	\$30,460.00	\$240,001.00
G. Early Education	\$65,000.00	\$65,000.00
H. Consultants/Roads & Housing	\$4,000.00	\$24,000.00
I. Board of Appeals	\$4,800.00	\$2,600.00
TOTAL	\$64,840.00	\$633,089.00

Article 26. To see what sum of money the Town of Islesboro will vote to raise and appropriate for each of the following PUBLIC SAFETY purposes:

SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Purpose	FY06 Budget	FY17 Proposed Budget
A. Fire Protection	\$55,090.00	\$56,762.00
B. Public Safety	\$99,798.00	\$101,372.00
C. Emergency Management Training	\$675.00	\$675.00
D. Communication	\$0,990.00	\$2,992.00
E. Street Lights	\$8,500.00	\$8,500.00
F. Water Rescue	\$0,005.00	\$2,215.00
TOTAL	\$069,070.00	\$172,516.00

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Article 27. □ To see what sum of money the Town of Islesboro will vote to raise and appropriate for each of the following HEALTH & WELFARE purposes:
 SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Purpose	FY16	FY17	
	Budget	Proposed Budget	
A. Ambulance	\$51,563.00	\$51,563.00	
B. General Assistance	\$9,000.00	\$3,000.00	
C. Deer Reduction Committee (Public Health/T-bDPC) carry forward. Balance of FY16 into new Public Health Capital Reserve account.	\$3,700.00	FY16 Carry forward \$10,000.00	-0-
D. Health Center Operations	\$479,549.00	\$477,904.00	
TOTAL	\$573,810.00	\$532,467.00	

Article 28. □ To see what sum of money the Town of Islesboro will vote to raise and appropriate for each of the following PUBLIC WORKS purposes:
 SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Purpose	FY16	FY17	
	Budget	Proposed Budget	
A. Road Maintenance	\$17,100.00	\$427,300.00	
B. Personnel & Vehicle Expenses	\$7,485.00	\$109,047.00	
C. Snow Removal	\$93,675.00	\$216,900.00	
D. Building Maintenance	\$3,100.00	\$32,700.00	
TOTAL	\$459,460.00	\$785,947.00	

Article 29. □ To see what sum of money the Town of Islesboro will vote to raise and appropriate for each of the following WASTE REMOVAL purposes:
 SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Purpose	FY16	FY17	
	Budget	Proposed Budget	
A. Septage Field	\$1,385.00	\$910.00	
B. Transfer Station	\$66,730.00	\$173,850.00	
TOTAL	\$68,115.00	\$174,760.00	

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Article 30. To see what sum of money the Town of Islesboro will vote to raise and appropriate for each of the following RECREATION purposes:
 SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Purpose	FY16 Budget	FY17 Proposed Budget
A. Library	\$71,743.00	\$72,960.00
B. Museum	\$7,490.00	\$7,850.00
C. Harbors	\$5,844.00	\$24,300.00
D. Shellfish Conservation	\$400.00	\$200.00
E. Recreation Programs	\$3,650.00	\$17,225.00
F. July 4 th Celebration	\$150.00	\$150.00
TOTAL	\$10,177.00	\$122,685.00

Article 31. To see what sum of money the Town of Islesboro will vote to raise and appropriate for each of the following SOCIAL SERVICE AGENCY purposes:
 SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Purpose	FY16 Budget	FY17 Proposed Budget
A. Waldo Comm. Action Partners	\$619.00	\$619.00
B. Waldo County Hospice	\$500.00	\$500.00
C. New Hope for Women	0.00	-0-
D. Broadreach Family Services	\$150.00	\$250.00
E. American Red Cross	\$500.00	\$500.00
F. Sexual Assault Support Services	\$100.00	\$100.00
G. Spectrum Generation	\$300.00	\$300.00
H. Waldo County Search & Rescue	\$0.00	-0-
I. Mid-Coast Maine Community Action	\$315.00	\$325.00
J. LifeAight Foundation	\$566.00	\$566.00
K. MPBN	\$100.00	-0-
L. Waldo County YMCA	\$50.00	\$50.00
M. Kennebec Valley Mental Health	\$100.00	-0-
TOTAL	\$3,510.00	\$3,210.00

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Article 32. □ To see what sum of money the Town of Islesboro will vote to raise and appropriate for each of the following UNCLASSIFIED purposes:

SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Purpose	FY16 Budget	FY17 Proposed Budget
A. Memorial Day Celebration	\$550.00	\$550.00
B. Town Cemeteries	\$7,500.00	\$8,000.00
C. Health & Liability Insurances	\$86,599.00	\$309,056.00
D. Auditing Report	\$7,000.00	\$28,000.00
TOTAL	\$311,649.00	\$345,606.00

Article 33. □ To see what sum of money the Town of Islesboro will vote to transfer from Unassigned Fund Balance and to raise and appropriate for each of the following

CAPITAL RESERVE ACCOUNT purposes and to appropriate said amounts:

SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

	FY16 Budget Transferred Unassigned Fund Balance	Transfer from Unassigned Fund Balance	FY17 Pro- posed Budget
A. Municipal Buildings	\$5,000.00		\$5,000.00
B. Fire Engine Reserve		\$25,000.00	-0-
C. Ambulance Reserve		\$25,000.00	-0-
D. Emergency Ferry Trips	\$0,000.00		-0-
E. Floats & Inclines	\$5,000.00		\$20,000.00
F. Municipal Vehicles	\$0,000.00		-0-
G. Technology	\$0,000.00		\$10,000.00
H. Engineering	\$0,000.00		-0-
I. Library Equipment & Repairs	\$5,000.00		\$10,000.00
J. Paving	\$00,000.00		-0-
K. Building/Aging Systems	\$0,000.00		\$10,000.00
L. Future Project/Moseley Boat Ramp	\$11,000.00		-0-
M. Tennis Court/Future Resurfacing	\$7,000.00		-0-
N. Dark Harbor Waste Water			\$10,000.00
TOTAL	\$04,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$65,000.00

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Article 34. To see what sum of money the Town of Islesboro will vote to raise and appropriate for each of the following MISCELLANEOUS purposes:
SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Purpose	FY16 Budget	FY17 Proposed Budget
A. Debt Service/DHWWTF-Outfall Pipe Replacement.	\$89,375.40	\$86,653.00
B. Debt Service Tax Anticipation Note	\$0.00	-0-
C. Debit Service/ Islesboro Municipal Broadband	-0-	\$131,250.00
D. Contingency	\$5,000.00	\$15,000.00
TOTAL	\$99,375.40	\$232,903.00

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from the categories of funds listed below and thereby decrease the amount to be raised by taxation:
SELECTMEN RECOMMEND

Source of Funds	FY16 Budget	FY17 Proposed Budget
A. Excise Taxes (Estimated Revenue):	\$30,000.00	\$140,000.00
B. Non-Tax General Fund Revenues (Estimated Revenue):	\$49,438.00	\$149,062.00
C. State Revenue Sharing (Estimated Revenue):	\$1,534.00	\$13,458.00
D. Homestead Exemption Reimbursement (Estimated Revenue):	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00
E. Transfer from Unassigned Fund Balance for two Capital Reserve lines (Fire & Ambulance)	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
TOTAL	\$348,970.00	\$359,520.00

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$30,000 from the Health Center Unassigned Fund balance to the Health Center FY17 operating budget.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$0,000 out of Maddie Dodge Field capital reserve into Tennis Court capital reserve.

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Article 38. □ Shall an ordinance entitled “□ 0□6 Amendments to Pollution Control Ordinance for the Town of Islesboro” be enacted?

[Ordinance is attached to this warrant and on file and available for public inspection at the Town Office.]

Article 39. □ To see if the Town will vote to authorize payment of the overdrafts which may occur in the Town’s operation during the fiscal year ending June 30, □ 0□6 by appropriation from unassigned fund balance.

Article 40. □ To see if the Town will vote to set the following as the due dates for taxes:

First Tax Bill: Due date of September 30, □ 0□6, with the rate of interest on unpaid taxes as of October □, □ 0□6 at seven (7.00) percent annual rate.

Second Tax Bill: Due date of February □ 8, □ 0□7, with the rate of interest on unpaid taxes as of March □, □ 0□7 at seven (7.00) percent annual rate.

Article 41. □ To see if the Town will vote to carry forward the unexpended balances, customarily approved by the auditor, which occurred in the Town’s operation during the fiscal year ending June 30, □ 0□6.

Article 42. □ To see if the Town will vote to accept pre-payment of real estate and personal property taxes not yet due or assessed. The Town does not apply interest on such collections.

Article 43. □ To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to expend such sums of money as they deem necessary from the Capital Reserve Accounts for their designated purposes. These expenditures may be reflected outside of the Town’s approved budget.

Article 44. □ To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and the Treasurer, on behalf of the Town and any of the Town’s departments, to accept gifts, real estate, donations, and other funds, including trust funds that may be given or left to the Town, and to grant the Selectmen the further authority to expend such sums of money as they deem necessary from these donations for their designated purposes. These expenditures may be reflected outside of the Town’s approved budget.

Article 45. □ To see if the Town will vote to set the interest rate to be paid by the Town on abated taxes at 3% for FY □ 0□7 and to authorize such interest paid or abatements granted to be appropriated from overlay funds or, if necessary, from unassigned fund balance (surplus).

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Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen, or the Town Treasurer acting in concurrence with the Selectmen, to accept and expend, on behalf of the Town, any Federal or State funds received in the form of grants during the period July 1, 2016 until June 30, 2017.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen, on behalf of the Town, to dispose of any personal property regardless of how it was obtained and any real estate acquired by the Town for nonpayment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quit-claim deeds, if applicable, for such property. Property to be disposed of shall be advertised and sold by sealed bid except for the purpose of clearing title or conveyance of real estate to a prior owner.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to resolve any disputes with parties having an interest adverse to the Town which do not involve the expenditure of public funds or where there are sufficient funds in budgeted accounts to allow payment of any claim which is to be settled.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to increase the property tax levy limit of \$697,038.00.

Established for the Town of Islesboro by State law in the event that the municipal budget approved under the preceding articles will result in a tax commitment that exceeds that property tax levy limit.

By State law this article must be voted on by WRITTEN BALLOT.

SELECTMEN RECOMMEND: Vote to exceed the levy limit.

The Selectmen give notice that the Registrar of Voters will be at the G.H. Kinnicutt Center on Saturday, June 8, 2016 from 8:30AM to 9:00AM for the purpose of accepting registrations and correcting the voting list.

A person who is not registered to vote may not vote in any election.

ARCHIBALD L. GILLIES SANDRA L. OLIVER
JAY T. ZLOTKOWSKI HANNA E. KERR
GABRIEL L. PENDLETON
Islesboro Board of Selectmen

Date: June 7, 2016

ATTEST: A True Copy TINA L. PENDLETON, Deputy Town Clerk

Date: 6/7/2016 Posted: 6/7/2016

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2016 AMENDMENTS TO THE POLLUTION CONTROL ORDINANCE

The Pollution Control Ordinance of the Town of Islesboro shall be amended as follows (additions are underlined and deletions are ~~struck out~~):

Chapter 167. Pollution Control

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§ 167-5. Pollution Control Committee.

There shall be a Pollution Control Committee formed hereafter called "Committee."

- A. The Committee shall consist of five members, voters in the Town of Islesboro, appointed by the Board of Selectmen.
- B. Terms of the Committee members shall be for one year running from the first day of the fiscal year of the Town of Islesboro.
- C. Not less than three nor more than four members of the Committee shall be users of the system at the time of their appointment.
- D. The Town Manager shall be an ex officio member of the Committee.
- E. Duties of the Committee:

- (1) The Committee shall be responsible for the general oversight of the system, recommending purchases, repairs, replacements of equipment, and changes in operating procedures to the Town Manager and the Board of Selectmen.
- (2) The Committee shall provide the Town Manager with annual estimates of expenses for the ensuing year at least 60 days prior to the end of the fiscal year.
- (3) The Committee may recommend the hiring of operating personnel to the Town Manager.
- (4) The Committee shall hold a hearing on request for the exceptions set forth in § 167-10(D) of this chapter and may recommend the approval of such exception to the local Plumbing Inspector to permit the work.

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§ 167-11. User charges.

- A. At least 30 days prior to the end of the fiscal year, the Town Manager shall consult with the Committee and shall submit an operating budget for the ensuing year to the Board of Selectmen. The budget shall include, but not be limited to, ordinary expenses and expenses for the replacement of equipment necessary to maintain operations of the works. Major capital improvements, including reconstruction and sewer extensions, shall be apportioned as required by the Town Meeting vote authorizing such expenditures.

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- B. All property owners who have any kind of facility connected to the system shall be liable for an annual user or usage charge.
- C. Property owners are required to install a metering device of a type approved by the Town Manager that will measure the amount of flow from their own private water source.
- D. The budget will be prorated to individual users on the basis of a minimum connection fee and water usage. Usage will be measured by water meters. The usage rate shall be based upon the metered amount of flow from the owner's private water source. Once the operating budget is approved by the Board of Selectmen, the Committee shall, after public notice and hearing, determine the annual minimum system connection fee and the annual per cubic foot usage fee using the methodology set forth on Attachment A, which is incorporated herein by reference. (NOTE: See Attachment A for calculations.)
- E. All properties, with buildings that are connected to the system, whether occupied or unoccupied, shall pay at least the minimum rate.
- F. All charges pursuant to this section shall be billed annually or as the Committee determines.
- G. User and/or usage charges are due within 60 days of bills being issued.
- H. Delinquent accounts shall be handled as provided by Maine State Revised Statutes Annotated and as outlined below:
- (1) Interest. As authorized by 30-A M.R.S.A. § 3406, the Committee may charge interest on delinquent accounts at a rate not to exceed the highest lawful rate set by the Treasurer of the State for municipal property taxes.
 - (2) Liens. There shall be a lien on real estate served or benefitted by the system to secure the payment of usage rates and charges and interest on delinquent accounts established under this chapter. This lien takes precedence over all other claims on the real estate, excepting only claims for property taxes.
 - (3) Collection. The Town Treasurer is responsible to collect the fees and interest on delinquent accounts in the same manner as granted by 38 M.R.S.A. §§ 0 and 08.
- I. The Committee may review any meter flow reading on its own initiative, or upon request from the user, or upon request from any other user of the system. After notice and after hearing, if requested by the affected user, the Committee may change the usage charge if warranted.

§ 167-12. Building sewers and connections.

- A. Any building that is (i) intended for human habitation or occupancy, (ii) with facilities for discharge or disposal of waste water, or (iii) with facilities for discharge or disposal of commercial or industrial waste, and that is located within 100 feet of a sewer or drain of the system shall be required to connect to the system per 38 M.R.S.A. § 60, Connection of Private Sewers, as may be

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amended from time to time.

B. No person shall uncover, make any connections with, or opening into, use, alter, or disturb any public sewer or appurtenance thereto without first obtaining a written permit from the licensed plumbing inspector and paying a fee, payable to the Treasurer of the Town of Islesboro. Violation of this section shall make the offender liable to a fine not to exceed \$100 per day.

BC. All costs and expenses incidental to the installation, repair, maintenance, or reconstruction of a building sewer or of a service connection shall be borne by the owners. The owner shall indemnify the Town for any loss or damage that may directly or indirectly be caused by installation of the building sewer and/or service connector. A one-time fee for accessing the system for the first time, i.e., a first-time system connection fee, in the same amount as the minimum system connection fee established by the Committee shall be assessed, and the fee paid, prior to the time that connection to the system is made.

CD. A separate and independent building sewer shall be provided for every building, and where practicable a separate service connector shall be used for each building. Groupings of more than one building on one building sewer or on one service connector shall not be permitted except under special circumstances and for good sanitary reasons or other good cause shown, but only after permission of the Committee in writing shall be secured and subject to such rules, regulations, and conditions as may be prescribed by the Committee.

DE. All materials, connections, repairs, replacements, and installations used or performed on the system shall conform to the State of Maine Plumbing Code (which is herein incorporated by reference) current and in force at the time of the work. All work shall be done by a duly licensed plumber.

EF. No roof drain, cellar drain or discharge from any roof gutter shall be permitted to enter the system.

FG. Backflow devices and connections.

() Users are required to install appropriate backflow control device(s) in their individual systems. Should damage or problems arise due to the fact that the user has not installed such a device, then neither the Town nor the Pollution Control Committee is not responsible for any or all damages that may occur to the user's property.

() Connection from the user's main sewage pipe to the system must be made with a "Y" fitting installed by a Maine licensed plumber.

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§ 167-14. Definitions.

The following definitions shall apply to this chapter:

BACKFLOW CONTROL DEVICE

A valve installed in the building's main sewer pipe that drains to the sewage

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system and prevents sewage from flowing back into the building's waste water system.

BUILDING DRAIN

That outlet for sewage which connects the plumbing facilities inside the building with the service connection and is privately owned and maintained.

OWNER

Owner of record or tenant in possession as of April 1 of any year.

PLUMBING CODE

The current State of Maine State Plumbing Code.

SERVICE CONNECTION

That pipe or fitting that connects the building drain to the sewer line.

SEWAGE SYSTEM ("SYSTEM")

Any portion of the Town of Islesboro sanitary sewer system by whatever formal name it shall be called. Also identified as a "Sanitary District" per 38 M.R.S.A. Chapter 111

SEWER

The pipe or conduit carrying sewage to the treatment plant.

USER

The owner of any building which in any way is connected to the system.

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Attachment A

Determination of Rate

- 1) Total amount of water usage is determined in cubic feet by actual meter readings. (Beginning meter reading is subtracted from final meter reading per user.) All users' amounts are then added together to get a total amount of usage for the entire system.
- 2) Total budget is approved by the Board of Selectmen.
- 3) Each user is charged a minimum system connection fee in an amount no less than: ~~This amount is set at \$350 as of the adoption of this ordinance change.~~
- 4) The total amount charged in Step #3 (for example: e., if connection fee is \$350 for 30 users, total amount = \$10,500) is subtracted from the total budget amount which was approved in Step #2.
- 5) The new budget amount calculated in Step #4 is then divided by the total amount of water usage as determined in Step #1. This gives a per cubic-foot cost rate.
- 6) For each user, the per-cubic-foot cost rate is then multiplied by their individual total usage amount.
- 7) Each user's total yearly assessment will be the minimum system connection fee (Step #3) of \$350 plus the usage fee amount (Step #6).
- 8) Minimum system connection fee shall be recalculated by the Committee at the least every three years.

ISLESBORO SCHOOL DEPARTMENT March 1, 2016
 PROPOSED BUDGET 2016-2017

Description

Regular Instruction Elementary

2014-15

2015-16

2016-17

Comments

Regular Teachers' Salaries	\$364,959.00	\$4□,7□0.00	\$408,□9□0.00
Tutoring	□,□5.00	□,000.00	□,000.00
Library Aide Salary	9,344.00	9,7□0.00	□0,97□0.00
Ed Tech III Salary	□8,8□4.00	0.00	0.00
Island Fellow	6000.00	0.00	0.00
Substitute Salaries	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
Regular Teachers' Blue Cross	□0,863.00	□3□,94□0.00	□04,3□3.00
Library Aide Blue Cross	3,384.00	0.00	0.00
Ed Tech III Blue Cross	6,767.00	0.00	0.00
Medicare	5,530.00	5,95□0.00	6,□48.00
Social Security	355.00	34□0.00	34□0.00
Retirement Sick Leave	3780.00	0.00	0.00
Retirement Maine PERS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Mandated	□0,330.00	□4,336.00	□4,803.00
Unemployment Compensation	□,659.00	□,58□0.00	□,68□0.00
Workers' Compensation	□,634.00	□,858.00	□,740.00
Professional Credits	8,000.00	5,050.00	7,000.00
Conference fees and Workshops	□,□75.00	4,000.00	3,000.00
Contracted Services	6,000.00	□□,000.00	9,500.00
Lease <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Purchase Copiers	□,600.00	□,388.00	□,8□8.00
Staff Travel	□,□00.00	□,800.00	□,000.00
General (Non Instructional) Supplies	□,□5.00	□,400.00	□,400.00
Instructional Supplies	□,735.00	□,000.00	□,000.00
Art Supplies	□,300.00	□,300.00	□,300.00
Music Supplies □	600.00	600.00	600.00
Physical Education Supplies	600.00	600.00	600.00
Science Supplies	800.00	800.00	□,000.00
Textbooks	□,800.00	□,800.00	□,500.00

Books and Periodicals	3,400.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Technology/Supplies	000.00	000.00	0,800.00
Audio/Visual Material	875.00	500.00	400.00
New Equipment	050.00	500.00	500.00
Equipment Repair	974.00	900.00	500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	400.00	400.00	300.00
Computer Hardware	5,790.00	0,500.00	00,000.00
Computer Software	0,375.00	0,000.00	500.00
Dues	950.00	950.00	950.00
Field Trips	4,575.00	4,000.00	4,000.00
Total	\$612,980.00	\$635,427.00	\$612,467.00

Regular Instruction / Secondary
Comments

2014-15 2015-16 2016-17

Regular Teachers' Salaries	\$30,304.00	\$28,003.00	\$29,807.00
Tutoring	070.00	000.00	000.00
Library Aide Salary	9,344.00	9,700.00	0,970.00
Substitute Salaries	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
Regular Teachers' Blue Cross	58,897.00	60,007.00	53,600.00
Library Aide Blue Cross	3,384.00	0.00	0.00
Medicare	3,066.00	3,000.00	3,080.00
Social Security	465.00	340.00	300.00
Retirement/Sick Leave	050.00	0.00	0.00
Retirement/Maine PERS/State Mandated	5,573.00	7,700.00	8,009.00
Unemployment Compensation	0,046.00	905.00	986.00
Workers Compensation	0,040.00	970.00	960.00
Professional Credits	6,050.00	4,050.00	6,000.00
Conference fees and Workshops	0,505.00	0,505.00	0,000.00
Contracted Services	05,505.00	06,505.00	00,000.00
Secondary Tuition Classes	000.00	0,000.00	4,000.00
Lease/Purchase Copiers	0,600.00	0,388.00	0,808.00
Staff Travel	0,300.00	0,000.00	0,000.00

Graduation Exercises	550.00	550.00	550.00
General (Non Instructional) Supplies	□,□50.00	□,400.00	□,600.00
Instructional Supplies	□,375.00	□,375.00	□,375.00
Music Supplies	600.00	600.00	600.00
Art Supplies	□,300.00	□,300.00	□,300.00
Physical Education Supplies	600.00	600.00	600.00
Science Supplies	□,500.00	□,000.00	□,300.00
Textbooks	5,790.00	4,000.00	□,000.00
Books and Periodicals	□,750.00	□,750.00	□,750.00
Technology Supplies	□,□50.00	□,500.00	□,500.00
Audio Visual Material	345.00	345.00	300.00
New Equipment	675.00	400.00	400.00
Equipment Repair	□,7□4.00	□,500.00	□,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	600.00	□00.00	□00.00
Computer Hardware	5,700.00	□□,000.00	□□,000.00
Computer Software	□,600.00	□,000.00	500.00
Dues □	975.00	975.00	□,500.00
Field Trips	5,000.00	4,000.00	□,500.00
Total	\$388,944.00	\$372,323.00	\$371,268.00

Special Education
Comments

2014-15 2015-16 2016-17

Teacher's Salary □□K-5	\$37,38□00	45,368.00	\$47,□79.00
Teacher's Salary □6-□□	45,98□00	38,503.00	46,084.00
Aide's Salary □K-5	□0,406.00	□□,□54.00	□□,785.00
Aide's Salary □Grade □□□	0	0	□□,□73.00
Tutoring	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
Substitute Salary	□,000.00	□,000.00	□,000.00
Special Services Coordinator	9,033.00	9,033.00	9,000.00
Teachers' Blue Cross	□7,5□0.00	9,□□□.00	□4,83□00
Aide's Blue Cross	6767.00	6,098.00	7,□48.00
Medicare	□,78□00	□,799.00	□,□67.00
Social Security	□3□7.00	□,374.00	□,787.00

Other Instruction / Extra Co-Curricular Activities and Athletics

Stipends	\$37,906.00	\$37,909.00	\$37,656.00
Bus Drivers	9,000.00	□0,000.00	□0,000.00
Transportation Coordinator	□,000.00	□,000.00	□,000.00
Medicare	67□00	687.00	683.00
Social Security	□,448.00	□,37□00	□,388.00
Retirement (Maine PERS / State Mandated)	6□7.00	87□00	883.00
Unemployment Compensation	6□6.00	685.00	68□00
Workers' Compensation	867.00	868.00	7□8.00
Conference fees and Workshops	300.00	□00.00	□00.00
Ofcials	5,500.00	6,000.00	5,500.00
Supplies	3,800.00	3,800.00	3,800.00
Dues	650.00	650.00	900.00
Student Travel	□□,000.00	□4,000.00	□□,000.00
Total	\$74,386.00	\$78,041.00	\$75,419.00

Student and Staff Support / Guidance
Comments

2014-15 2015-16 2016-17

Guidance Salary	\$43,70□00	\$45,0□3.00	\$40,693.00
Blue Cross / Blue Shield	□4,□33.00	□4,530.00	8,697.00
Medicare	634.00	653.00	590.00
Retirement/Sick Leave	0.00	0.00	0.00
Retirement (Maine PERS / State Mandated)	□,□58.00	□,5□□00	□,367.00
Unemployment Compensation □	□68.00	□68.00	□68.00
Workers' Compensation	□88.00	□94.00	□59.00
Professional Credits	□,800.00	□,000.00	□,000.00
Conference fees and Workshops	600.00	600.00	500.00
Contracted Services	5,600.00	6,000.00	□6,000.00
Testing	□,000.00	800.00	500.00
Staff Travel	□,000.00	□50.00	□50.00
General (Non Instructional) Supplies	400.00	350.00	□00.00
Instructional Supplies	500.00	500.00	900.00
Books and Periodicals	300.00	□50.00	0.00

Technology/Supplies	00.00	00.00	00.00
Audio/Visual Materials	50.00	50.00	0.00
New Equipment	0.00	0.00	0.00
Equipment Repair	0.00	0.00	0.00
Furniture and Fixtures	0.00	0.00	0.00
Computer Hardware	50.00	0.00	50.00
Computer Software	850.00	350.00	0.00
Dues	380.00	380.00	0.00
Field Trips (Student Travel)	500.00	500.00	500.00
Total	\$76,413.00	\$75,300.00	\$74,674.00

Student and Staff Support / Student Health Services

Health Contracted Services	\$800.00	\$900.00	\$900.00
Health Supplies	300.00	300.00	300.00
Total	\$1,100.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00

Student and Staff Support /
Technology Services
Comments

2014-15 2015-16 2016-17

Summer Technology Services	\$0,600.00	\$0,600.00	\$0,600.00
Technology Administrator	0.00	36,845.00	39,850.00
Web Master	0,600.00	0,600.00	0,600.00
Island Institute Fellow	0.00	0.00	0.00
Anthem/Medicare Health Reimbursement	0.00	4,000.00	5,068.00
Medicare	600.00	595.00	703.00
Social Security	99.00	99.00	99.00
Retirement (Maine PERS / State Mandated)	0.00	0.00	0.00
Unemployment Compensation	59.00	90.00	90.00
Workers' Compensation	8.00	76.00	89.00
Total	\$4,437.00	\$46,106.00	\$50,400.00

System Administration / Board of Directors

School Committee Stipends	\$0,800.00	\$0,800.00	\$0,800.00
Magnet Coordinator	0,500.00	0,500.00	0,500.00

Policy Assistant	367.00	367.00	0.00
Medicare	8□0.00	8□0.00	77.00
Social Security	35□0.00	35□0.00	3□9.00
Unemployment Compensation	5.00	5.00	0.00
Workers' Compensation	□4.00	□4.00	□□.00
Contracted Professional Services	□,800.00	□,800.00	750.00
Legal Services	6,000.00	9,000.00	□0,000.00
Advertising	500.00	500.00	750.00
Staff Travel	300.00	□50.00	□50.00
General Supplies	□00.00	□ 5.00	75.00
Dues and Fees	475.00	400.00	440.00
Conference Fees and Workshops	900.00	900.00	750.00
Total	\$16,304.00	\$19,104.00	\$18,642.00

System Administration / Administrative Technology Services

Financial Contracted Technical Services	\$8,□70.00	\$8,684.00	\$9,□□8.00
Audit	□0,500.00	□□,000.00	□□,500.00
Financial System Technology Supplies	650.00	650.00	650.00
Total	\$19,420.00	\$20,334.00	\$21,268.00

System Administration /

Office of the Superintendent
Comments

2014-15

2015-16

2016-17

Superintendent's Salary	\$45,□00.00	\$45,□00.00	\$39,500.00
Administrative Assistant Salary	39,3□□.00	40,095.00	4□,□96.00
Payroll / AP Assistant	□,673.00	□,706.00	□,637.00
Superintendent's BC/BS	4,334.00	9,□□□.00	3,□□0.00
Administrative Assistant BC/BS	8,□7□.00	8,□90.00	8,697.00
Medicare	□,□48.00	□,□60.00	□,□□0.00
Social Security	□,54□.00	□,59□.00	□,7□4.00
Retirement / Maine PERS / State Mandated	0.00	□,5□5.00	0.00
Unemployment Compensation	359.00	360.00	373.00
Workers' Compensation	370.00	374.00	3□5.00
Professional Credits	0.00	0.00	0.00

Conference fees and Workshops	800.00	800.00	700.00
Contracted Services	700.00	5,800.00	0.00
Staff Travel	5,376.00	500.00	7,000.00
General Supplies	300.00	300.00	50.00
Technology Supplies	0.00	0.00	0.00
New Equipment	0.00	0.00	0.00
Equipment Repair	500.00	500.00	500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	0.00	0.00	0.00
Computer Hardware	0.00	0.00	0.00
Computer Software	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dues and Fees	800.00	800.00	800.00
Total	\$113,884.00	\$121,403.00	\$111,532.00

School Administration / Office of the Principal
Comments

	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Principal's Salary	\$83,980.00	\$85,660.00	\$88,30.00
Administrative Assistant Salary	9,407.00	30,590.00	3,500.00
Principal's Substitute/Temp/Admin Salary	737.00	488.00	0.00
Principal's Blue Cross/Blue Shield	8,360.00	8,530.00	8,054.00
Assistant's Blue Cross/Blue Shield	8,000.00	8,090.00	9,604.00
Medicare	669.00	700.00	769.00
Social Security	880.00	050.00	000.00
Retirement Maine PERS/State Mandated	005.00	878.00	3,005.00
Unemployment Compensation	360.00	370.00	368.00
Workers' Compensation	495.00	500.00	476.00
Professional Credits	800.00	900.00	900.00
Conference fees and Workshops	500.00	000.00	600.00
Contracted and Technical Services	750.00	000.00	000.00
Printing and Binding	800.00	000.00	000.00
Travel	000.00	000.00	500.00
General Supplies	3,900.00	4,000.00	4,000.00
Books and Periodicals	50.00	00.00	00.00

Technology/Supplies	□00.00	□00.00	□00.00
New Equipment	0.00	0.00	0.00
Equipment Repair	0.00	0.00	0.00
Furniture and Fixtures	0.00	0.00	0.00
Computer Hardware	0.00	0.00	□,000.00
Computer Software	0.00	0.00	500.00
Dues and Fees	850.00	850.00	850.00
Total	\$150,386.00	\$154,343.00	\$168,067.00

Transportation and Buses /

Student Transportation and Bus Operation 2014-15 2015-16 2016-17
Comments

Bus Driver's Salary	\$□3,377.00	\$□3,643.00	\$□4,056.00
Magnet Bus Driver's Salary	5,0□6.00	3,4□□.00	7,0□8.00
Substitutes Salary	0.00	0.00	0.00
Region 8 Driver	6,689.00	6,8□□.00	7,0□8.00
Bus Maintenance Coordinator	500.00	500.00	500.00
Bus Driver Blue Cross / Blue Shield	0.00	0.00	0.00
Medicare □	37□00	353.00	4□5.00
Social Security	□,586.00	□,5□□.00	□,774.00
Unemployment Compensation	339.00	3□8.00	37□00
Workers' Compensation	□,954.00	□,860.00	□,804.00
Contracted Services / Testing	550.00	550.00	850.00
Vehicle Insurance	3,□35.00	3,4□8.00	3,457.00
Fuel (Gasoline and Diesel)	□□,000.00	□0,000.00	7,500.00
Staff Travel	850.00	900.00	□,000.00
Maintenance, Parts, Supplies	7,000.00	□0,000.00	□0,000.00
Lease / Purchase Payment	□□,768.00	□□,768.00	□□,768.00
Dues and Fees	□00.00	□00.00	□00.00
Special Education Out of District □ Transportation	8,5□5.00	□□,696.00	4,769.00
Total	\$73,760.00	\$77,850.00	\$72,421.00

Facilities Maintenance / Operation of Plant
Comments

	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Property/Liability/Insurance	\$5,076.00	\$1,667.00	\$1,949.00
Postage	4,400.00	4,000.00	3,900.00
Telephone	3,000.00	1,640.00	1,000.00
Electricity	15,000.00	17,000.00	17,000.00
Propane	4,000.00	3,700.00	5,000.00 Includes Greenhouse
Heating/Oil	50,000.00	47,000.00	31,000.00
Contingency/Fund	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Custodial Salaries	31,980.00	19,358.00	19,991.00
Seasonal Custodial Salaries	6,300.00	6,300.00	11,000.00
Maintenance Salaries	19,661.00	33,050.00	35,415.00
Maintenance BC/BS	0.00	0.00	0.00
Custodial BC/BS	3,857.00	9,878.00	10,365.00
Medicare	985.00	996.00	1,108.00
Social Security	4,111.00	4,160.00	4,737.00
Unemployment Compensation	591.00	561.00	641.00
Workers' Compensation	1,575.00	1,604.00	1,896.00
Contracted Services	11,100.00	19,000.00	16,100.00
Repair/Rental/Services	9,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
Travel for Maintenance	150.00	500.00	500.00
Maintenance Supplies	8,000.00	10,100.00	10,100.00
New Equipment	0.00	0.00	0.00
Equipment Repair	900.00	1,100.00	1,100.00
Furniture/Fixtures	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dues and Fees	500.00	500.00	500.00
Roof Renovation Bond Interest	0.00	0.00	0.00
Roof Renovation Bond Principal	0.00	0.00	0.00
School Construction Bond Interest	149,818.00	140,890.00	131,961.00
School Construction Bond Principal	160,000.00	160,000.00	160,000.00
School Construction Bond Interest General Obligation Refunding Bond R-1	0.00	0.00	0.00

School Construction Interest General Obligation Refunding Bond R- □	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total	\$536,107.00	\$528,304.00	\$512,765.00

All Other Expenditures / Food Service
Comments

2014-15 2015-16 2016-17

Cook's Salary	\$6,707.00	\$8,809.00	\$33,454.00
Assistant Cook's Salary	9,088.00	11,665.00	11,634.00
Substitutes' Salaries	719.00	835.00	977.00
Cook's Blue Cross / Blue Shield	6,767.00	6,908.00	0.00
Assistant Cook's Blue Cross	900.00	3,938.00	4,300.00
Medicare	543.00	535.00	697.00
Social Security	300.00	189.00	980.00
Unemployment Compensation	38.00	360.00	364.00
Workers' Compensation	400.00	399.00	800.00
Contracted Services	500.00	500.00	50.00
Staff Travel	00.00	300.00	00.00
General Miscellaneous Supplies	000.00	000.00	000.00
New Equipment	0.00	0.00	0.00
Equipment Repair	500.00	000.00	000.00
Furniture / Fixtures	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dues and Fees	50.00	00.00	00.00
Total	\$54,184.00	\$55,250.00	\$60,709.00

ISLESBORO SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

BUDGET COMPARISONS

Description	Prior 2014-2015	Current 2015-2016	Proposed 2016-2017
Operating Budget	\$1,075,181 5.59% increase	\$1,161,861 4.8% increase	\$1,205,817 0.3% increase
3. State Allocation	49,300	48,944	57,463
4. Magnet Tuition	11,668	11,517	95,000
5. Fund Balance Contribution	100,000	75,000	60,000
6. Total Anticipated Revenue	160,990	136,471	111,463
7.			
8. Town Appropriation	1,814,181 5.16% increase	1,915,390 6.3% increase	1,993,354 3.53% increase
9. Construction/Renovation			
0. Roof Renovation Interest	0	0	0
1. Roof Renovation Principal	0	0	0
2. School Construction Interest	49,818	40,890	31,961
3. School Construction Principal	160,000	160,000	160,000
4. School Construction Interest General Obligation Refunding Bond R-	0	0	0
5. School Construction Interest General Obligation Refunding Bond R-	0	0	0
6. Total Renovation/Construction	309,818	300,890	191,961
7.			
8. Total School Budget	1,384,936 1.34% increase	1,461,751 3.6% increase	1,497,779 0.4% increase
9. Total Town Appropriation	1,113,946 1.69% increase	1,116,180 4.8% increase	1,185,316 1.65% increase
0. Region 8 Adult Ed	136	186	165
1. Local Adult Education	700	3000	4000
2. Bus Reserve	4000	4000	8000
3. Capital Improvement Reserve	0	0	0
4. Total School Tax Liability	130,881 1.74% increase	134,566 4.87% increase	198,967 1.88% increase

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL ARTICLES

2014-2015 2015-2016 2016-2017

REGULAR INSTRUCTION / □ ELEMENTARY	6□,980	635,4□7	6□,467
REGULAR INSTRUCTION / □ SECONDARY	388,944	37□,3□3	37□,□68
	0	0	0
SPECIAL EDUCATION	□07,□□9	□□8,7□4	□88,8□0
	0	0	0
CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION □ STUDENT VOCATIONAL ASSESSMENT	55,40□	59,04□	58,□□7
CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION □ ADULT VOCATIONAL ASSESSMENT	0	0	0
	0	0	0
OTHER INSTRUCTION / □ EXTRA-CURRICULAR	74,386	78,04□	75,4□9
	0	0	0
STUDENT AND STAFF SUPPORT / □ GUIDANCE	76,4□3	75,300	74,674
STUDENT AND STAFF SUPPORT / □ STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES	□,□00	□,□00	□,□00
STUDENT AND STAFF SUPPORT / □ TECHNOLOGY SERVICES □	4,437	46,□06	50,400
	0	0	0
SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION / □ OF DIRECTORS / □ SCHOOL COMMITTEE	□6,304	□9,□04	□8,64□
SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION / □ ADMINISTRATIVE TECHNOLOGY □ SERVICES □	□9,4□0	□0,334	□□,□68
SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION / □ OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT	□□3,884	□□□,403	□□□,53□
	0	0	0
SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION / □ OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL	□50,386	□54,343	□68,067
TRANSPORTATION AND BUSES □ STUDENT TRANSPORTATION	73,760	77,850	7□,4□□
FACILITIES MAINTENANCE / □ OPERATION OF PLANT	536,□07	5□8,304	5□□,765
ALL OTHER EXPENDITURES / □ FOOD □ SERVICE	54,□84	55,□50	60,709
TOTALS	2,384,936	2,462,751	2,497,779

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL ARTICLES

2014-2015 2015-2016 2016-2017

REGULAR INSTRUCTION / ELEMENTARY	600,980	635,407	600,467
REGULAR INSTRUCTION / SECONDARY	388,944	370,303	370,068
	0	0	0
SPECIAL EDUCATION	07,09	08,704	08,800
	0	0	0
CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION / STUDENT VOCATIONAL ASSESSMENT	55,400	59,040	58,007
CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION / ADULT VOCATIONAL ASSESSMENT	0	0	0
	0	0	0
OTHER INSTRUCTION / EXTRA CURRICULAR	74,386	78,040	75,409
	0	0	0
STUDENT AND STAFF SUPPORT / GUIDANCE	76,403	75,300	74,674
STUDENT AND STAFF SUPPORT / STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES	000	000	000
STUDENT AND STAFF SUPPORT / TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	4,437	46,006	50,400
	0	0	0
SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION / BOARD OF DIRECTORS / SCHOOL COMMITTEE	06,304	09,004	08,640
SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION / ADMINISTRATIVE TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	09,400	00,334	00,068
SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION / OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT	003,884	000,403	000,530
	0	0	0
SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION / OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL	050,386	054,343	068,067
TRANSPORTATION AND BUSES / STUDENT TRANSPORTATION	73,760	77,850	70,400
FACILITIES MAINTENANCE / OPERATION OF PLANT (without Debt Service for Roof and School Renovation)	006,089	007,404	000,803
ALL OTHER EXPENDITURES / FOOD SERVICE	54,084	55,050	60,709
TOTALS	2,075,118	2,161,861	2,205,817

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ambulance

Medical Emergencies.....	911
Other Business	734-2253
Pen Bay Medical Center/Glen Cove.....	596-8000
Waldo County Hospital/Belfast	338-2500

fire

Report a Fire	911
Other Business	734-6787

Police

Emergencies.....	911
<input type="checkbox"/> Waldo County Sheriff's Office/Belfast.....	338-2040
Other Business	734-6787

Municipal Offices

Town Office/Monday-Friday	734-2253
<input type="checkbox"/> Town Office/FAX.....	734-8394
Town Clerk/Registrar of Voters	734-2253
<input type="checkbox"/> Codes Enforcement Officer	734-2253
<input type="checkbox"/> Assessor	734-2253
<input type="checkbox"/> A.L. Pendleton Library (Mon-Wed-Sat-Sun)	734-2218
<input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Station (Sun-Mon-Wed)	734-6811
School	734-2251
School Superintendent	734-6723
HEALTH CENTER	734-2213

Main State Ferry Service

Islesboro Terminal	734-6935
<input type="checkbox"/> Lincolnville Terminal.....	789-5611

EMERGENCY NUMBER – 911

This number is monitored by Waldo County 24-hours a day. This number is to be used for EMERGENCIES ONLY. When you call, please give the dispatcher the following information:

1. Your name
2. Nature of the emergency
3. Exact location of the emergency
4. Your telephone number

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