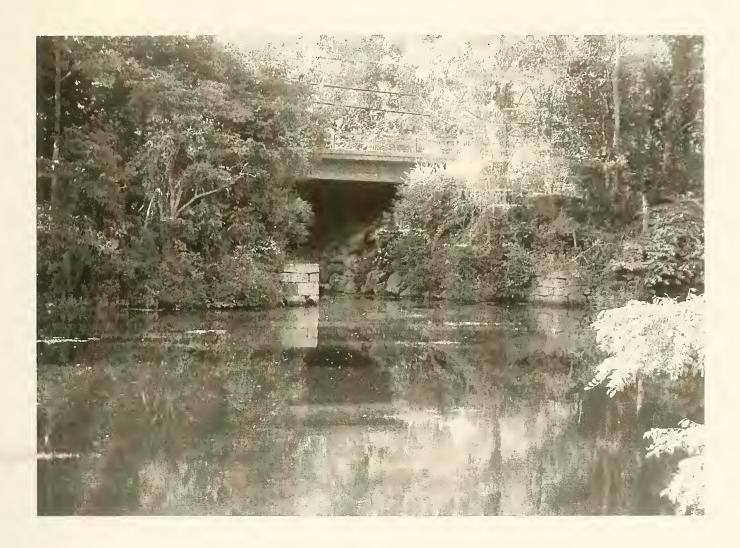


# TOWN OF GREENLAND NEW HAMPSHIRE

# **ANNUAL REPORT**



# For the year ended December 31, 2009

#### **TOWN OF GREENLAND**

Town Clerk/Tax Office 431-7111 ext. 110	Office Hours	Monday Tues. – Friday	11:00 AM - 7:00 PM 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM
<b>Town Office</b> 431-7111 430-3761 (Fax)	Office Hours	Monday – Friday	9:00 AM – 4:30 PM
Selectmen	Meetings	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Mondays	7:00 PM
Building Inspector 431-7111 ext. 107 OR 43	1-3070	Monday - Friday	8:00 AM – 4:30 PM
Police Department 431-4624 Emergency 911	Office Hours	Monday – Friday	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM
Health Officer Animal Control Officer		433-3169 431-4624	
Weeks Library 436-8548 Email: <u>weekspl@comcast</u> Website: <u>www.weekslibra</u> Twitter: http://twitter.com	ary.org	Monday - Thursday Friday Saturday	10:00 AM - 8:00 PM 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
		Meetings	
<u>Board</u> Library Trustees	<u>Location</u> Library	<u>Date</u> Monthly-Tues. as posted	<u>Time</u> 4:30 PM
Fire Department	Fire Station	2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesdays	7:30 PM
School Board	School	3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday	6:30 PM
Planning Board	Town Office	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursdays	7:00 PM
Recreation Comm.	Town Office	1 <sup>st</sup> Monday	7:00 PM
Conservation Comm.			
conservation comm	Town Office	1 <sup>st</sup> Monday	7:00 PM
Zoning Board	Town Office Town Office	1 <sup>st</sup> Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday	7:00 PM 7:00 PM

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AS COMPILED BY THE TOWN OFFICERS

# 2009

# FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31

# **New Hampshire**

# Greenland

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**Annual Reports** 

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# **CS DEDICATION**

This year's Annual Report is dedicated to the memory of the following persons who served in Town government positions – both elective and appointive, as well as those persons that were active in community service. An appreciative community honors their years of public service.

## « Donald H. Ladd 3/7/09 »

Board of Adjustment - 40 years Greenland Volunteer Fireman – 10 years Greenland Veterans

## « Marion (Holley) Weeks 7/19/09 »

Trustee of the Weeks Public Library Deacon Emeritus-Greenland Comm. Congregational Church Greenland Grange member

« Eleanor Pearl (Chapman) Ireland 10/4/09 »

Greenland Historical Society Friends of the Library member -Weeks Public Library Greenland Grange officer & member [Evidence concerning the Massachusetts events described below was provided by UFO historian Barry Greenwood, of Stoneham, Mass.]

#### A CHRISTMAS VISIT

On December 13, 1909, New England's newspapers were full of reports of a remarkable interview with Wallace E. Tillinghast, a Worcester, Mass., businessman, who described a flight he had made on the night of the eighth and ninth of September, in a marvelous monoplane of his own invention. According to Mr. Tillinghast, he and two companions had flown from a location near Worcester to New York City, then to Boston, and finally back to their point of origin -- a flight of over 400 miles. He described his craft as having a 72-foot wingspan, weighing 1550 pounds, and being powered by a 120-horsepower gasoline engine. It had traveled at speeds as great as 140 miles an hour, reached a maximum altitude of 4000 feet, and, when an engine cylinder had missed fire over New York City, had floated without power for 46 minutes while repairs were made. He was unwilling to produce his aircraft for inspection by the press or public at the moment, but promised to do so in a few months.

Had he been telling the truth, Mr. Tillinghast's brainchild would have been far superior to any other aircraft of its time, including those of Wilbur and Orville Wright. Certain aspects of his story, however, raised the eyebrows of men who knew something about the problems of manned flight. That 46-minute midair repair job especially aroused the suspicions of members of the Aero Clubs of Worcester and Boston, to whom Mr. Tillinghast was a complete stranger. The absence of his name from today's encyclopedias and biographical dictionaries indicates that their suspicions were perfectly correct. Events of the latter part of December 1909 suggest, however, that news of his claims may have come to the ears -- or analogous organs -- of someone far more skilled than he at aerial maneuvers, who decided to put him in his place.

Tillinghast's claims, while interesting, seem to have generated little response. on the part of the general public. It was only on the night of Wednesday, December 22, according to the next day's <u>Worcester Telegram</u>, that something resembling his ship was seen in action:

An airship with a strong searchlight sailed over Worcester from southeast to northwest, cut a course directly west, then made a wide circle and returned toward the southeast, at 5.50 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The strong searchlight rays were seen by crowds of people on Main and other streets at the time, and at 8.40 o'clock, when the light was again seen to approach, big crowds were watching for it. The light was seen to approach from the southeast, swing, circle over the city four times, cutting a circle apparently about a mile wide, then make off to the southeast again.

Another report to the <u>Telegram</u> from Marlboro, Mass., said that "the machine was seen flying over that place at 5.20 o'clock," although where it originally came from was uncertain. The "women of the house" at Tillinghast's home told reporters that "they had no idea whether or not he was testing his airship."

On the night of Thursday, December 23, however, there was no doubt that <u>somebody</u> was performing unusual aerial feats over much of central New England -- and Mr. Tillinghast was reliably reported to be in his Worcester office. The <u>Boston Herald</u> printed a map showing places where the "mysterious air craft" was seen between six o'clock and midnight: "it was trailed from Marlboro to Fitchburg and back through Worcester, thence to Boston via Natick, Wellesley, Newton and Needham. From Boston the light passed to the northeast, circling over Chelsea and Revere, through Lynn toward the Salem line, then returning as far as Framingham, where it mysteriously disappeared from the eager searchings of newspaper men." Unknown to the Boston papers, however, the ship, or one much like it, was seen over Salisbury Beach around three o clock on the morning of Friday, the 24th, and, according to that afternoon's <u>Portsmouth Herald</u>, had previously been even farther north:

> The night travelling airship, which has puzzled so many people in the vicinity of Worcester, paid a short visit to New Hampshire on Thursday evening and was seen by many people in Newington, Greenland and Stratham....

The strange lights, which could not have been carried on anything but a flying machine of some kind, was [sic] seen flying well in the air in the direction of Lee or across Great Bay.

It was seen by Miss Amanda Pickering, who saw the light which appeared to be a small search light, travelling in an easterly direction well up in the air, and from her home it was across the bay and in the direction of Lee.

She, with neighbors, watched the strange craft as it sailed along, and soon after the light changed its course and swung to more of a southerly direction and came across the bay toward Greenland.

This brought it up against a wind that was blowing from fifteen to twenty miles an hour, and while it slowed down somewhat in speed, it did not apparently have any difficulty sailing against the wind. As it swung more over toward Greenland or Stratham, a light, such as would be hung for a search light, was seen.... From Newington it was too far away to hear the engines or distinguish the shape of the object carrying the light.

Shortly before eight o'clock the strange light was seen by many people in Greenland and Stratham, and they were all confident that it was an airship.

There were many in the Exeter car who saw the light, [and] watched it fly off in the direction of Boston at a fast speed.

Unfortunately, the <u>Herald</u> failed to quote or identify any of those Greenland or Stratham people. Miss Pickering was probably the same Amanda Pickering of Newington who was paid \$30 a month for teaching in Greenland in 1873. The "Exeter car" must have been the trolley car that left Portsmouth for Exeter at 7:05 p. m. The <u>Herald</u> also reported a strange light "like a lantern in the sky" spotted in South Eliot at 8:20; "at H. E. Spinney's more than twenty watched the curious sight." If the strange lights were of terrestrial origin, it is hard to say where they can have come from, and no such explanation was ever forthcoming.

Disappointingly for the historian, Christmas fell on Saturday in 1909, and the <u>Herald</u> didn't publish a Sunday paper until very much later in the 20th century. Only one more report on the phenomenon, concerning events of Friday, the 24th, appeared in the paper of the 27th:

The mysterious light, which has been keeping the people of New England guessing for the past week, gave the people of this city a chance to speculate on its origin Friday evening.

It appeared in the western sky rather high up, shortly before seven o'clock and by many it was taken for Venus, which is the evening star, but it was altogether too large and bright for a star.

The movement of the light was northwest, and it was visible until after eight o'clock and finally disappeared in the direction of Newington. It was going away, but still the bright light, such as would be made by a search light, was visible at all times.

The light was seen by thousands of people and at one time there were several hundred on Congress street watching and speculating on it. The general opinion was that it was an airship of some description.

The mysterious aerial activity in the Seacoast area appears to have been ended by a Christmas weekend snowstorm, although scattered sightings were reported elsewhere (especially in the Nashua area) for a few more days. At this remove, it seems, we can only classify whatever caused them as truly unidentified flying objects. Submitted by Mr. Paul Hughes

## GREENLAND'S BOSTON POST CANE

As Barbara Staples explained in her 1999 book, <u>The Granite State's Boston Post</u> <u>Canes</u>, Edwin A. Grozier, editor and publisher of the daily <u>Boston Post</u> newspaper, on August 2, 1909,

sent out 700 letters to Chairmen of the Boards of Selectmen of towns in Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Rhode Island, asking them to be trustees of...700 ebony, gold-tipped canes. Mr. Grozier stipulated that the canes were to be given to the oldest citizen of the town; at the holder's demise, the cane was to be returned to the town and transmitted to the next oldest citizen.

Mr. Grozier's intention was to increase the circulation of his newspaper, while paying "a tribute to honored and useful lives, to thrift, temperance, and right living, and above all, to the superb vigor of New England manhood." The use of the last noun was no accident. In the August 22 edition of the paper, in response to inquiries; it was expressly stated that "The intention of the <u>Post</u> from the onset has been that the cane should be presented to the oldest male. The word 'citizen' has been intended by the <u>Post</u> to mean the oldest registered male voter." Although women in some towns protested, this rule appears to have been enforced at least until the ratification of the Nineteenth Amendment to the Constitution, giving voting rights to women, in August 1920.

As part of his attempt to increase circulation, Mr. Grozier planned to print photographs of the canes' recipients in his Sunday editions, along with brief descriptions of their life histories. The first photograph appeared in the August 21 paper, and by the end of November, over 250 photos had appeared. Whether a photo of any Greenland recipient ever was printed isn't known.

The first presentation of Greenland's <u>Post</u> Cane was announced by the August 26, 1909 <u>Hampton Union</u>:

In the town of Greenland the Boston cane will be presented to Josiah Edgerly, who is ninety-four years old. Mr. Edgerly has always lived in Greenland, and he is one of the town's best known citizens. John H. Brackett, chairman of the board of selectmen, will make the presentation.

The next day's <u>Exeter News-Letter</u> called Mr. Edgerly "a longtime resident," who lived with Mr. and Mrs. John E. Seavey. The 1870 census called Mr. Edgerly, who was Mr. Seavey's uncle, a farm laborer, who was deaf and dumb, and unable to read or write. The 1880 census described his occupation as "Wheelwright." The Seaveys lived at today's 514 Post Road, in a house that burned in 1975.

Mr. Edgerly died on March 8, 1911. The <u>Post</u> Cane passed from him to Dr. Edward Robie, Greenland's Congregational pastor since 1852, who was nearly 90 years old. Dr. Robie carried out the duties of his profession with scarcely diminished vigor until September 1917, when, while visiting Boston, he fell on some steps near the State House, and was taken to a hospital, where he died on the 20th. The <u>New York Times</u> called Dr. Robie "hale and vigorous up to within a few days of his death" at 96 – the kind of caneholder dear to Mr. Grozier's heart.

Dr. Robie's successor as caneholder appears to have been the 81-year-old Edward A. Libby, a native of Scarborough, Maine, who had resided in Greenland at least since 1880. His house stands today at 420 Portsmouth Avenue. Mr. Libby died on November 15, 1928, aged nearly 93.

Reflecting the changing times, the <u>Post</u> Cane was next awarded to Mrs. Abby (Drake) Littlefield, a Rye native and widow of Dudley Littlefield, who turned 90 in 1928. She lived at a former Brackett farmhouse, built around 1740, which was then located on Depot Road, but is now at 7 Tidewater Farm Road. Mrs. Littlefield died on November 12, 1931, aged 93.

George H. Berry, a native of Nova Scotia who had settled in Greenland in the 1870s, was the next caneholder (and, for a considerable time, the last). He was 82 and lived at today's 720 Post Road, in a house that would burn in 1937. He died on December 5, 1934.

No one knows just what happened to the <u>Post</u> Cane after Mr. Berry's death, but it appears not to have been returned to the selectmen. Although the criteria for selection in the 1930s weren't always consistent, and some dates of birth are dubious, it seems likely that Mr. Berry should have been succeeded as caneholder by Abbie E. Rand (1848-1936), who may have been older than he. Subsequent caneholders might have been: Cirillo A. Rand (not a close relation), who lived from 1849 to 1947; James A. Record (1859-1955); John Farr (1861-1956); Mary M. Clough (1861-1958); and Frank Graves (1869-1967).

The formation of Greenland's Historical Society, late in 1966, gave rise to a search for information about the town's missing <u>Post</u> Cane. In the September 1967 issue of the society's Bulletin, President Russell A. Rolston (1903-1971) reported:

The question of the Boston Post Cane was brought up at one of our meetings by Admiral Charles Ferriter, and it was left up to the President to see if he could locate it. After much search, it was located in New York state. The owner very graciously agreed to turn it over to the Greenland Historical Society on condition that the Society would see that it was given to the oldest resident of Greenland, and on his decease it should be passed on to the next oldest resident. This person had purchased the cane at a rummage sale some years ago. It was brought to the sale by a woman who had cleaned out her attic of an accumulation of thirty years. The committee has presented the cane to Mrs. Jane Bouchard, mother of Mrs. Charles A. Burris, who will be 95 years old on September 14. It is unfortunate that there were many others over the years who were entitled to it.

The unnamed owner of the cane was Rev. Sion M. Lynam (1898-1989), pastor

of the 'Community Church from 1949 to 1964, who had retired to upstate New York at the end of his pastorate. Although a story that Mr. Lynam found Greenland's cane in New York after his retirement has found its way into print, my late father, who was the Historical Society's vice president when the cane. was recovered, and ought to have known, wrote (more believably) that it "was recovered from Rev. Lynam at his home in New York State in 1967. He had purchased it at a rummage sale in Greenland several years earlier." Fittingly, Mr. Lynam's body was also returned to Greenland upon his death, and buried in Prospect Hill Cemetery beside that of his first wife, the former Mary Elizabeth Swanson (1898-1964).

Mrs. Bouchard died Sept. 10, 1968. Her successors as caneholders were:

Mrs. Jennie L. Haines, 95, who died Aug. 14, 1970.

Mrs. Alice C. Reynolds, 93. She died Feb. 12, 1975.

Mrs. Florence M. Ireland, 94. She celebrated her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday on June 2, 1980, and died the following Oct. 11.

Mrs. Bertha I. Norton, 95, who died Nov. 4, 1982.

Mrs. Emma J. Ladd, 93. She died Aug. 28, 1984.

Miss Edna G. Wilcox, 91, who died Oct. 25, 1986.

Mr. Richard B. Carlton, 92, who died Jan. 28, 1989.

Mrs. Edith M. Fisher, 95. She died March 13, 1990.

Mrs. Anna F. McGrath, 92, who died Jan. 13, 1992.

Mrs. Edith G. Gardner, 93. She died Sept. 9, 1993.

Mr. Frank M. Emery, Sr., 94, who died March 20, 1997.

Mr. A. Parker Twombly, 94. He died March 17, 2002.

Mrs. Rosamond Hughes, 95, who died June 25, 2003.

Mrs. Dorothy A. Dowling, 93. She died March 18, 2004.

In a 2002 Portsmouth Herald article on the Post Canes, correspondent Larissa

#### Mulkern wrote:

Over the years, officials admit to confusion over how to choose a recipient. The criteria over who exactly is the eldest can hit a gray area when choosing between "resident" or "native." Officials in towns like Rye and Exeter ponder whether residents of nursing homes or senior housing, or those who may have just recently moved into those facilities in town, are eligible. A number of Greenland's caneholders between 1967 and 2004 had in fact been former residents of the town, who were living in nursing homes elsewhere. It was probably uncertainty about how to deal with such situations that kept Greenland's cane from being awarded between 2004 and 2009. At the 2009 town meeting, however, our <u>Boston Post</u> Cane was awarded once more, to Mrs. Palmyre Sirois, 97. Ad <u>multos annos!</u> Submitted by Mr. Paul Hughes

## **\*GREENLAND RECIPIENTS OF THE BOSTON POST CANE\***

Name	Age when presented	Date of death
Josiah Edgerly	94	8/11/1911
Rev. Dr. Edward Robie	89	9/20/1917
Edward A. Libby	81	11/15/1928
Mrs. Abby D. Littlefield	90	11/12/1931
George H. Berry	82	12/5/1934

Greenland's <u>post</u> cane was lost after Mr. Berry's death. Rev. Sion M. Lynam, community church pastor from 1949-1964, bought it at a rummage sale, and took it with him to New York state when he retired. After the Greenland historical society was organized in 1967, Mr. Lynam returned the cane to the town.

94	9/10/1968
95	8/14/1970
93	2/12/1975
94	10/11/1980
95	11/4/1982
93	8/28/1984
91	10/25/1986
92	1/28/1989
95	3/13/1990
92	1/13/1992
93	9/9/1993
94	3/20/1997
94	3/17/2002
95	6/25/2003
93	3/18/2004*
97	
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\*The post cane was not presented between 2004 and 2009.

# **ℜ** GREENLAND CITIZEN OF THE YEAR **ℜ**

Mo & Colleen Sodini	2009	Cynthia Smith	1994
George P. Hayden	2008	Roy & Violet Chisholm	1993
Marie Hussey	2007	Carol Sanderson	1991
Laurie Lebar	2006	Luther Preston	1990
Luther Preston	2005	Chip Hussey	1989
Jerrian Hartmann	2004	Sharon Fernald	1 <b>988</b>
Shirley G. Hoonhout	2003	Duncan Brackett	1 <b>98</b> 7
Ruth Barnes	2002	Lena Kohlhase	1986
Edith Lovering	2001	Herbert Wilson	1985
Ann Mayer	2000	Paul Hughes	1 <b>98</b> 4
Trudy Beck	1999	Philip Rowe	1 <b>98</b> 4
Bonnie Gardner	1998	Edna Weeks	1983
Carl & Mary Mueller	1997	Frederick Bourassa	1982
Richard Carlin	1996	Frank Richards	1981
Robert W. Grodan	1995		

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Mo & Colleen Sodini- 2009 Citizens of the Year

#### ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS

#### **MODERATOR** Term Expires 2010 Dean Bouffard TOWN CLERK-TAX COLLECTOR Term Expires 2010 "Marge" Morgan **BOARD OF SELECTMEN** Term Expires 2012 Mo Sodini, Chairman Term Expires 2011 Paul Sanderson, Vice Chairman Term Expires 2010 Bruce Dearborn Term Expires 2010 Jon Wendell Charles H. Cummings, Jr. Term Expires 2011 TREASURER James Rolston Term Expires 2010 SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST Term Expires 2012 Carol Scherer Term Expires 2014 Joseph Philbrick

#### **NH STATE SENATE (District 24)**

Senator Martha Fuller-Clark

Winston "Gus" Gouzoules

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2010

#### **REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT (District 17)**

Pamela Tucker, Representative

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Term Expires

(202) 224-3324 (202) 224-2841

#### **U.S. REPRESENTATIVE**

Carol Shea-Porter

Manchester Office (603) 641-9536

#### U.S. SENATOR

Judd Gregg (R-NH) Jeanne Shaheen (D-NH)

#### **BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT**

BOARD OF ADJU		
Chris Halligan, Chairman	Term Ends	2012
Lizbeth Cummings, Vice Chairman	Term Ends	2010
Donald L. Arsenault	Term Ends	2011
Sean Connor	Term Ends	2012
Stephanie Glennon (Appointed to fill T. Wendell's seat)	Term Ends	2010
Tina Ho Wendell (Resigned 4/09)	Term Ends	2010
Ron Gross, Alternate	Term Ends	2010

#### TRUSTEES OF THE TRUST FUNDS

Leroy Syphers, Secretary John Soltis Richard Rugg

Term Expires	2010
Term Expires	2012
Term Expires	2011

#### **CEMETERY TRUSTEES**

Leroy Syphers, Chairman/Bookkeeper	Term Expires	2010
Lenny Fitzgerald	Term Expires	2012
Richard Rugg	Term Expires	2011

#### PLANNING BOARD

John McDevitt, Chairman	Term Expires	2012
Bill Bilodeau, Vice Chairman	Term Expires	2010
Aidan Moore	Term Expires	2010
Stu Gerome	Term Expires	2011
Deborah Beck	Term Expires	2012
Rich Winsor	Term Expires	2012
Paul Sanderson, Selectmen's Representative	Term Expires	2010
Ken Fernald, Alternate	Term Expires	2010
Patrick Crimmins, Alternate	Term Expires	2010

#### LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Carolyn Weeks-White, Co Chairman	Term Expires	2012
Adele Wick, Co-Chairman	Term Expires	2011
Dale Rockefeller	Term Expires	2010
Julie Gilston	Term Expires	2010
Mark Fodero	Term Expires	2010
Donalee Brothers, Alternate	Term Expires	2010
Ashlie O'Brien, Youth Advisor to Library Board	Term Expires	2010

#### **CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

Richard Mauer, Chairman	Appointment Ends	2010
Chip Hussey, Vice Chairman	Appointment Ends	2010
Nancy Zuba	Appointment Ends	2012
Jean Eno	Appointment Ends	2012
Jane Man	Appointment Ends	2010
Jill Scahill, Alternate	Appointment Ends	2010

#### **BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Mary McDonough, Chairman	Term Expires	2011
Robert Krasko, Vice Chairman	Term Expires	2012
Ron Gross	Term Expires	2010
Stephen Gerrato	Term Expires	2012
John Weeks	Term Expires	2010
Patrick Walsh	Term Expires	2010
Sandra Trull-Smith	Term Expires	2011
Michael Marsh	Term Expires	2011
Bruce Dearborn	Selectmen's Representative	
Jim Haslam	School Board Representative	

#### **RECREATION COMMITTEE**

Brian Pafford, Chairman	Appointment Ends	2012
Jose Roy	Appointment Ends	2012
Erica Rahn	Appointment Ends	2010
Carol Destefano	Appointment Ends	2010
Cynthia Smith	Appointment Ends	2010
Jodi Thibeau	Appointment Ends	2011
Charles Cummings	Selectmen's Representative	

#### **BUILDING INSPECTOR/CODE ENFORCEMENT**

#### **TOWN COUNSEL**

## Robert Cushman

Michael P. Maloney

Peter Loughlin, Esquire

#### **ROCKINGHAM PLANNING COMMISSION**

Commissioners Bruce Dearborn

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT

#### **CHIEF OF POLICE**

**HEALTH OFFICER** 

**Full Time Personnel** 

Dawn M. Sawyer, Sergeant David M. Kurkul, Detective Wayne M. Young, Patrol Officer Keith Dietenhofer, Patrol Officer (Resigned 8/09) David LoConte, Patrol Officer James Cormier, Patrol Officer Timothy McClare (Appointed 10/09)

Theodore S. Hartmann, Patrol Officer Thomas F. Simmons, Patrol Officer Part-Time Personnel

Jeffrey T. Peirce, Patrol Officer Carole Smith, Administrative Assistant

Wallace Berg Jeffrey Canfield, Deputy

Ralph Cresta, Fire Chief Rick Hussey, Deputy Chief Mo Sodini, Sec./Treasurer

Kenneth Fernald

Karen M. Anderson

VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DIRECTOR

TOWN ADMINISTRATOR kanderson@greenland-nh.com

#### TOWN OF GREENLAND TOWN MEETING MARCH 14, 2009

The Town Meeting was called to order by Dean Bouffard, Town Moderator, at 9:00 A.M., Saturday, March 14, 2009, at the Greenland Central School, Post Road, Greenland, NH.

Madison Bellevue, Eagle Scout, presented the flag. Dean Bouffard led the meeting in a salute to the flag and Pledge of Allegiance.

Alison Mann, member of the Greenland Women's Club, presented the Citizens of the Year Award to two corecipients Colleen and "Mo" Sodini, who give of themselves with compassion and dedication to the citizens of Greenland. Colleen is a paraprofessional at the Greenland Central School and first responder for the Greenland Fire Department. Colleen has been involved with the Greenland School to advance our children's education and extracurricular activities for many years working tirelessly with a deep commitment. Maurice "Mo" Sodini is Chairman of the Greenland Board of Selectmen, the Selectmen's liaison on the Budget Committee, EMT and volunteer fire fighter. He serves our Town well by being fair, respectful and unbiased when difficult decisions have to be made by the Board.

The Town has reinstituted the presentation of the Boston Post Cane to the oldest, known Greenland citizen. A resolution was read and a replica of the Boston Post Cane was presented to Palmyre M. Sirois by Selectman, Maurice "Mo" Sodini.

Maurice "Mo" Sodini read a citation honoring the longest serving current Selectman, Bruce Dearborn, and presented a plaque with a framed gavel for his service to our Town.

Dean Bouffard then introduced the Select Board members, Charles H. Cummings, Jr., Bruce Dearborn, Paul G. Sanderson, Maurice "Mo" Sodini, Town Administrator, Karen Anderson, and Town Clerk/Tax Collector, Marguerite "Marge" Morgan. Mr. Bouffard explained the rules of order for the Town Meeting.

#### **ARTICLE 1**

To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing. The following newly elected Town Officers were sworn in by Town Clerk, Marguerite Morgan.

	<b>Expires</b>
Selectman: Maurice "Mo" Sodini – 3 yrs.	2012
Town Clerk/Tax Collector: Marguerite "Marge" Morgan – 1 yr.	2010
Treasurer: James "Jim" Rolston – 1 yr.	2010
Library Trustees: Mark Fodero – 3 yrs.	2012
Carolyn Weeks-White – 3 yrs.	2012
	Expires
Trustee Trust Funds: John Soltis – 3 yrs.	2012
Cemetery Trustee: Leonard Fitzgerald – 3 yrs.	2012
Planning Board: Deborah Beck – 3 yrs.	2012
John McDevitt – 3 yrs.	2012
Planning Board: Richard Winsor – 2 yrs.	2011
Budget Committee: Robert "Bob" Krasko – 3 yrs.	2012
Michael Lebar (write-in) $-3$ yrs.	2012
Stephen G. Gerrato (write-in) – 3yrs.	2012
Zoning Board of Adjustment: W. Sean Conner – 3 yrs.	2012
Chris Halligan – 3 yrs.	2012
Greenland School District:	
School Board Members: Leonard Couture – 3 yrs.	2012
Martha Stone – 3 yrs.	2012
School District Treasurer: Jerrian Hartmann – 3 yrs.	2012

To amend Article II, <u>Definitions</u> to add: Accessory Use: A use or a structure subordinate to the principal use of a lot, or of a principal building on the same lot, and serving a purpose clearly incidental to a permitted use of the lot or of the building and which accessory use or structure is compatible with the permitted uses or structures authorized under zoning regulations applicable to the parcel.

Recommended by the Planning Board YES 208 NO 25

ARTICLE 3 To amend Article II, Definitions to add: Affordable: per RSA 674 as amended.

#### Recommended by the Planning Board YES 200 NO 24

#### **ARTICLE 4**

To amend Article II, Definitions to replace Frontage with the following definition to correspond with the definition in the subdivision/site plan regulations as amended in 2008: amend Section II, Definitions, 2.1.5: The length of the lot bordering on and providing access to a Class V (or better) highway but excluding limited or restricted access highways, or a street, as defined and as used in Title LXIV, Planning and Zoning, of the Revised Statutes Annotated, shown on a plat approved by the Planning Board. Footage requirements specified in Article IV, Dimensional Requirements, of this Ordinance shall be contiguous. In the case of corner lots, frontage and front lot lines shall mean the dimensions and lines on both intersecting streets.

#### Recommended by the Planning Board YES 200 NO 23

#### ARTICLE 5

To amend Article II, Definitions to strike the definition of Structure and replace with: Structure: Anything that is built or constructed excluding driveways, boundary walls not over four feet in height or boundary fences not over six feet in height, the use of which requires location on the ground or attachment to something on the ground.

#### Recommended by the Planning Board YES 199 NO 31

ARTICLE 6 To amend Article II, Definitions to add: Workforce Housing: per RSA 674 as amended.

> Recommended by the Planning Board YES 205 NO 24

#### To amend Article I-Authority & Purpose to add sections 1.4-Applicability, 1.5-Severability Clause & 1.6-Interpretation

#### 1.4 Applicability

This Zoning Ordinance shall apply to:

- All buildings and structures erected, reconstructed, altered, enlarged, or relocated subsequent to the effective date of this Ordinance or subsequent amendments thereto;
- The use of any building, structure, or land which differs from its use prior to the effective date of this Ordinance or any subsequent amendment thereto; and
- Any land subdivided subsequent to the effective date of this Ordinance or any subsequent amendment thereto.

#### 1.5 <u>Severability Clause</u>

If any Section, clause, provision, portion or phrase of this Ordinance shall, for any reason, be held invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect, impair or invalidate any other Section, clause, provision, portion or phrase of this Ordinance.

#### 1.6 Interpretation

In interpreting and provision of the Ordinance, it shall be held as the minimum requirement adopted for the promotion of the public health, safety and general welfare of the Town of Greenland. Whenever any provision of this Ordinance is deemed to be in conflict with any other provision of the Ordinance or the requirements of any other adopted Ordinance, Regulation, Rule or Law, the most restrictive, or that imposing the highest standard, shall control pursuant to the provisions of RSA 676:14.

#### Recommended by the Planning Board YES 194 NO 20

#### ARTICLE 8

To amend Table of Uses under Institutional Uses: Add "In accordance with Section 3.7.14" to Licensed Daycare Facilities

#### Recommended by the Planning Board YES 196 NO 22

#### ARTICLE 9 To amend Table of Uses under Residential Uses: Remove Licensed Family Day Care

#### Recommended by the Planning Board YES 181 NO 37

#### **ARTICLE 10**

To amend Ordinance 3.7.1.5 (second paragraph)-Home Occ./Commercial vehicle parking in the residential zone: Type II Cottage Industries shall not have more than one (1) business vehicle with a maximum gross weight of 17,500 (seventeen thousand, five hundred) pounds, two (2) business vehicles with a maximum gross vehicle weight of 9,700 (nine thousand, seven hundred) pounds for each vehicle and a maximum loaded trailer weight of 12,400 (twelve thousand, four hundred) pounds.

#### Recommended by the Planning Board YES 173 NO 50

#### To add section 3.7.14 Child Day Care Facilities:

- 1. **Purpose:** In order to provide affordable, good quality and licensed child day care within the Town of Greenland the following standards in accordance with NH RSA 170-E:1-22 are hereby incorporated into the Town zoning ordinance to insure the health, safety, and welfare of its residents.
- 2. **Definitions:** Child day care for this ordinance means the provision of supplemental parental care and supervision:
- A. for a non-related child or children;
- B. on a regular basis;

C. under license by the New Hampshire Division of Public Health Services, Bureau of Child Care Standards and Licensing.

As used in this ordinance, the term is not intended to include babysitting services of a casual, non-recurring nature or in the child's own home. Likewise, the term is not intended to include cooperative, reciprocative child care by a group of parents in their respective domiciles.

Child day care facility means a building or structure wherein an agency, person, or persons regularly provides care for a group of children.

- a. Family Day Care Home as defined in RSA 170-E: 2-IV(a). Family Day Care Homes shall be permitted in the residential and commercial districts in Town. A Family Day Care Home shall be reviewed by the Planning Board and shall require site plan review.
- b. Family Group Day Care Home as defined by RSA 170-E: 2-IV(b). Family Group Day Care Homes shall be allowed in the commercial and industrial districts in Town and shall require a site plan review.
- c. Group Child Day Care Center as defined in RSA 170-E: 2-IV(c). Group Child Day Care Centers shall be allowed in the commercial and industrial zoning districts only and shall require a site plan review.
- d. Day Care Nursery as defined in RSA 170-E: 2-IV(d). Day care Nurseries shall be allowed in the commercial and industrial zoning districts only and shall require a site plan review.
- e. Night Care Agency as defined in RSA 170-E: 2-1V(e). Night Care Agencies shall be allowed in the commercial and industrial zoning districts only and shall require a site plan review.

3. Permits: All applicable State permit and license **applications** must be in-hand before applying to the Planning Board for review of the child day care facility proposal. Permits for the operation of Family Day Care Home, Family Group Day Care Home, Group Child Day Care Center, Day Care Nursery, or Night Care Agencies are under the purview of the Planning Board. For all categories of child care facilities that require a site plan review (A-E above), the following, in addition to existing site plan review standards must be met:

A. One (1) parking space must be provided for each staff person and one space must be provided for each five (5) licensed capacity slots.

B. Loading and unloading of children from vehicles shall be permitted only on facility property in approved parking areas. No vehicles shall be allowed to back-up on to the travel lane or shoulder of a public right of way nor shall vehicles queue on any public right of way during drop-off and pick up times.

C. The exterior play area (fifty square feet per child as per State of NH requirements) shall be fenced. D. All signage shall conform to the Town regulations for the underlying zone.

Recommended by the Planning Board

YES 196 NO 27

**ARTICLE 12** 

To delete Article XV, Section 15.4-Fireworks: Remove entire fireworks section *Recommended by the Planning Board* YES 178 NO 29

#### ARTICLE 13 To add Article XV, Section 15.5-Blasting ordinance 15.5 EXPLOSIVES

- 15.5.1 The storage of explosives, as defined in NH Code of Administrative Rules Saf-c 1602.13, not otherwise permitted by ordinance, shall be prohibited in the Town of Greenland.
- 15.5.2 No person shall perform or cause to be performed any blasting in the Town of Greenland unless a Blasting Permit is obtained from the Building Inspector. This permit shall not be issued until the following terms and conditions have been satisfied by the applicant.
  - A. A properly executed application form will be submitted to and approved by the Building Inspector. The application form shall be developed by the Building Inspector and approved by the Board of Selectmen.
  - B. Evidence of general liability and property insurance issued by a carrier authorize by the State of New Hampshire Insurance Commissioner to do business in New Hampshire.
  - C. The Applicant shall submit a completed application to the Building Inspector at least two weeks prior to commencing drilling and/or blasting operations.
  - D. The Applicant shall submit evidence, at the time of application, that a pre-blast survey has been completed by the blasting company for an area within five hundred (500) feet of the proposed blasting.
  - E. Any reports or measurements made in conjunction with this pre-blast survey or with the subsequent blasting shall be made available upon request to all abutters within five hundred (500) feet of the area. Videotapes of individual homes shall be made available to the owner of the home videotaped upon request by the owner.
  - F. The cost of the pre-blast survey shall be borne by the blasting company.
  - G. The Applicant shall submit evidence, at the time of application, that all residents with five hundred (500) feet of the blasting area have been notified of the blasting activities and the warning signals to be used prior to detonation of the explosives.
  - H. Seismic monitory shall be required within five hundred (500) feet of the blast area. The Building Inspector may require additional seismic monitoring beyond this radius and such additional requirements may be prerequisites to obtaining permit approval.
  - 1. The applicant shall insure that any blasting in an Aquifer Protection District does not alter water quantity or quality.
  - J. The applicant is liable for any and all damages resulting from the blasting operation.
- 15.5.3 Blasting shall only take place between the hours of 7.00 AM and 6.00 PM Monday
- through Friday. Blasting on holidays is prohibited.
- 15.5.4 The use and handling of all explosives, blasting materials and blasting shall conform to NHDOT Standards, NFPA 495 Explosive Materials Code and NH Code of Administrative Rules Saf-C1600 (State Police regulations).
- 15.5.5 One hour prior to detonation the Rockingham County Sheriff's Dispatch Center will be notified. The Dispatch Center will also be notified when blasting operations have ceased for the day.
- 15.5.6 Prior to detonation all appropriate audible-warning signals will be given.
- 15.5.7 Immediately following any detonation of explosives the Blasting Contractor shall insure that all charges have detonated properly and then an appropriate audible "all clear" signal shall be sounded.
- 15.5.8 After detonation the printed report from the site seismograph shall be turned over to the Building Inspector or a representative of the Town of Greenland.
- 15.5.9 The Blasting Contractor shall insure that all explosives and blasting material has been removed from the Town of Greenland at the end of each workday.
- 15.5.10 Blasting permits are required based on the cubic yards of materials to be blasted and the length of time to complete the blasting operations.
  - A. A 30-day permit where a total aggregate of five hundred (500) to four thousand (4000) cubic yards will be removed. Such permit will expire at the end of 30 days from issuance unless otherwise revoked.
  - B. A 60-day permit where a total aggregate of four thousand (4000) to fifteen thousand (15,000) cubic yards will be removed. Such permit will expire at the end of 60 days from issuance unless otherwise revoked.

- C. A 90-day permit where a total aggregate of more than fifteen thousand (15,000) cubic yards will be removed. Such permit will expire at the end of 90 days from issuance unless otherwise revoked.
- D. For a total aggregate of less than five hundred (500) cubic yards, a 1-day permit may be granted by the Building Inspector and conditions set forth in paragraph 15.5.2, C, D and H may be waived at the discretion of the Building Inspector.
- E. Successive or renewed permits are permitted, provided application information is updated and a new application fee is paid.
- F. After a second renewal, submission of a written impact evaluation of the site and potentially affected properties may be required by the Building Inspector, dependent on the type of the original permit issued.
- 15.5.11 An Application fee as outlined in the fee schedule is required at the time the application is submitted.
- 15.5.12 A Blast Permit issued may be revoked by the Building Inspector for just cause including but not limited to a violation of any of the above, violation of the conditions of the Blasting Permit, damage to surrounding property or unsafe operations. An applicant who has had a permit revoked may apply for re-issuance to the Board of Selectmen who will hold a public hearing on such request to determine if said request should be granted.
- 15.5.13 This ordinance does not apply to the use of blank cartridges for use in show or theater, or for signal or ceremonial purposes in athletic or sports or for use by veteran or military organizations.

#### Recommended by the Planning Board YES 177 NO 47

#### ARTICLE 14 To delete Article XVIII, Section 18.9.3-Planning Board Waivers: Remove entire waivers section

#### Recommended by the Planning Board YES 177 NO 23

#### ARTICLE 15

To add Article XXVI-Residential Open Space Conservation Subdivision Development: Density Bonus: A density bonus of 15% above that indicated by the yield plan will be allowed for developments that will guarantee: 20% of the total number of units proposed within the development (including all units allowed by density bonuses) shall meet the requirements of the definition of workforce housing per RSA 674 as amended; Such designated workforce housing units shall be incorporated within the development as a whole (not clustered contiguously) and shall match the architectural characteristics of such development; Workforce housing units will be sold with deed restrictions and a recorded housing agreement that limit;

- a. For a period of 15 years, renewable upon sale or transfer, the resale value of the unit is limited to not more than the purchase price plus two times the accumulated consumer price index;
- b. Any workforce housing units will ensure that any purchasers of these units shall meet the income requirements of a median family income for the New Hampshire portion of the Portsmouth-Rochester NH-ME PMSA as published by the US Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Recommended by the Planning Board YES 191 NO 29

#### To add Article XXVII- Small Wind Energy Systems Ordinance

A. <u>Purpose</u>: This small wind energy systems ordinance is enacted in accordance with RSA 674:62-66, and the purposes outlined in RSA 672:1-III-a. The purpose of this ordinance is to accommodate small wind energy systems in appropriate locations, while protecting the public's health, safety and welfare. In addition, this ordinance provides a permitting process for small wind energy systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of the requirements and standards established herein.

#### B. <u>Definitions</u>:

Fall zone: The potential fall area for the small wind energy system. It is measured by using 110% of the total height as the radius around the center point of the base of the tower.

Flicker: The moving shadow created by the sun shining on the rotating blades of the wind turbine.

**Meteorological tower (met tower)**: Includes the tower, base plate, anchors, guy wires and hardware, anemometers (wind speed indicators), wind direction vanes, booms to hold equipment for anemometers and vanes, data loggers, instrument wiring, and any telemetry devices that are used to monitor or transmit wind speed and wind flow characteristics over a period of time for either instantaneous wind information or to characterize the wind resource at a given location. For the purpose of this ordinance, met towers shall refer only to those whose purpose are to analyze the environmental factors needed to assess the potential to install, construct or erect a small wind energy system.

Net metering: The difference between the electricity supplied over the electric distribution system and the electricity generated by the small wind energy system which is fed back into the electric distribution system over a billing period.

**Power grid**: The transmission system, managed by ISO New England, created to balance the supply and demand of electricity for consumers in New England.

Shadow: The outline created on the surrounding area by the sun shining on the small wind energy system.

Small wind energy system: A wind energy conversion system consisting of a wind turbine, a tower, and associated control or conversion electronics, which has a rated capacity of 100 kilowatts or less and will be used primarily for onsite consumption.

Tower: The monopole or guyed monopole structure that supports a wind turbine.

Total height: The vertical distance from ground level to the tip of the wind turbine blade when it is at its highest point.

Tower height: The height above grade of the fixed portion of the tower, excluding the wind turbine.

Wind turbine: The blades and associated mechanical and electrical conversion components mounted on top of the tower whose purpose is to convert kinetic energy of the wind into rotational energy used to generate electricity.

- C. <u>Procedure for Review</u>:
  - 1. **Building Permit:** Small wind energy systems and met towers are an accessory use permitted in all zoning districts where structures of any sort are allowed. No small wind energy system shall be erected, constructed, or installed without first receiving a building permit from the building inspector. A building permit shall be required for any physical modification to an existing small wind energy system. Met towers that receive a building permit shall be permitted on a temporary basis not to exceed 3 years from the date the building permit was issued.
  - 2. Application. Applications submitted to the building inspector shall contain a site plan with the following information:

- i) Property lines and physical dimensions of the applicant's property.
- ii) Location, dimensions, and types of existing major structures on the property.
- iii) Location of the proposed small wind energy system, foundations, guy anchors and associated equipment.
- iv) Setback requirements as outlined in this ordinance.
- v) The right-of-way of any public road that is contiguous with the property.
- vi) Any overhead utility lines.
- vii) Small wind energy system specifications, including manufacturer, model, rotor diameter, tower height, tower type (freestanding or guyed), nameplate generation capacity.
- viii) If the small wind energy system will be connected to the power grid, documentation shall be provided regarding the notification of the intent with the utility regarding the applicant's installation of a small wind energy system.
- ix) Tower foundation blueprints or drawings.
- x) Tower blueprint or drawings.
- xi) Sound level analysis prepared by the wind turbine manufacturer or qualified engineer.
- xii) Electrical components in sufficient detail to allow for a determination that the manner of installation conforms to the NH State Building Code.
- xiii) Evidence of compliance or non-applicability with Federal Aviation Administration requirements.
- xiv) List of abutters to the applicant's property.
- D. <u>Standards</u>: The building inspector shall evaluate the application for compliance with the following standards;
- 1. Setbacks: Small wind energy system shall be set back a distance equal to 110% of the total height from:

a) Any public road right-of-way, unless written permission is granted by the governmental entity with jurisdiction over the road.

b) Any overhead utility lines.

c) All property lines, unless the affected land owner provides written permission through a recorded easement allowing the small wind energy system's fall zone to overlap with the abutting property.

d) Any travel ways to include but not be limited to driveways, parking lots, nature trails or sidewalks.

e) Small wind energy systems must meet all setbacks for principal structures for the zoning district in which the system is located.

f) The setback shall be measured to the center of the tower's base.

g) Guy wires used to support the tower are exempt from the small wind energy system setback requirements.

2. Tower:

a) Wind turbines may only be attached to freestanding or guy wired monopole towers. Lattice towers are explicitly prohibited.

b) The tower height shall not exceed 150 feet.

c) The applicant shall provide evidence that the proposed tower height does not exceed the height recommended by the manufacturer of the wind turbine.

3.Sound Level: The small wind energy system shall not exceed 60 decibels using the A scale (dBA), as measured at the property line, except during short-term events such as severe wind storms and utility outages.

4.Shadowing/Flicker: Small wind energy systems shall be sited in a manner that does not result in significant shadowing or flicker impacts. The applicant has the burden of proving that this effect does not have significant adverse impact on neighboring or adjacent uses either through siting or mitigation.

5. Signs:All signs, both temporary and permanent, are prohibited on the small wind energy system, except as follows:

a) Manufacturer's or installer's identification on the wind turbine.

b) Appropriate warning signs and placards.

6. Code Compliance: The small wind energy system shall comply with all applicable sections of the New Hampshire State Building Code.

7. Aviation: The small wind energy system shall be built to comply with all applicable Federal Aviation Administration including but not limited to 14 C.F.R. part 77, subpart B regarding installations close to airports, and the New Hampshire Aviation regulations, including but not limited to RSA 422-b and RSA 424.

8. Visual Impacts: It is inherent that small wind energy systems may pose some visual impacts due to the tower height needed to access the wind resources. The purpose of this section is to reduce the visual impacts, without restricting the owner's access to the wind resources.

a) T he applicant shall demonstrate through project site planning and proposed mitigation that the small wind energy system's visual impacts will be minimized for surrounding neighbors and the community. This may include, but not be limited to information regarding site selection, turbine design or appearance, buffering, and screening of ground mounted electrical and control equipment. All electrical conduits shall be underground.

b) The color of the small wind energy system shall either be the stock color from the manufacturer or painted with a non-reflective, unobtrusive color that blends in with the surrounding environment.

c) A small wind energy system shall not be artificially lit unless such lighting is required by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA). If lighting is required, the applicant shall provide a copy of the FAA determination to establish the required markings and/or lights for the small wind energy system.

9. Utility Connection: If the proposed small wind energy system is to be connected to the power grid through net metering, it shall adhere to RSA 362-A:9.

10. Access:

a) All ground mounted electrical and control equipment shall be labeled and secured to prevent unauthorized access.

b) The tower shall be designed and installed so as to not provide step bolts, lattice, or a ladder readily accessible to the public for a minimum height of 8 feet above the ground.

11. Approved Wind Turbines: The manufacturer and model of the wind turbine to be used in the proposed small wind energy system must have been approved by the California Energy Commission or the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority, or a similar list approved by the State of New Hampshire, if available.

12. Clearing: Clearing of natural vegetation shall be limited to that which is necessary for the construction, operation and maintenance of the small wind energy system and as otherwise prescribed by applicable laws, regulations, and ordinances.

E. <u>Abandonment</u>:

1. At such time that a small wind energy system is scheduled to be abandoned or discontinued, the applicant will notify the Building Inspector by certified U.S. mail of the proposed date of abandonment or discontinuation of operations.

2. Upon abandonment or discontinuation of use, the owner shall physically remove the small wind energy system within 90 days from the date of abandonment or discontinuation of use. This period may be extended at the request of the owner and at the discretion of the Building Inspector. "Physically remove" shall include, but not be limited to:

a) Removal of the wind turbine and tower and related above grade structures.

b) Restoration of the location of the small wind energy system to its natural condition, except that any landscaping, grading or below-grade foundation may remain in the after-conditions.

3. In the event that an applicant fails to give such notice, the system shall be considered abandoned or discontinued if the system is out-of-service for a continuous 12-month period. After the 12 months of inoperability, the Building Inspector may issue a Notice of Abandonment to the owner of the small wind energy system. The owner shall have the right to respond to the Notice of Abandonment within 30 days from Notice receipt date. After review of the information provided by the owner, the Building Inspector shall determine if the small wind energy system has been abandoned. If it is determined that the small wind energy system has not been abandoned, the building inspector shall withdraw the Notice of Abandonment and notify the owner of the withdrawal.

4. If the owner fails to respond to the Notice of Abandonment or if after review by the Building Inspector it is determined that the small wind energy system has been abandoned or discontinued, the owner of the small wind energy system shall remove the wind turbine and tower at the owner's sole expense within 3 months of receipt of the Notice of Abandonment. If the owner fails to physically remove the small wind energy system after the Notice of Abandonment procedure, the building inspector may pursue legal action to have the small wind energy system removed at the owner's expense.

- F. <u>Violation</u>: It is unlawful for any person to construct, install, or operate a small wind energy system that is not in compliance with this ordinance. Small wind energy systems installed prior to the adoption of this ordinance are exempt from this ordinance except when modifications are proposed to the small wind energy system.
- G. <u>Penalties</u>: Any person who fails to comply with any provision of this ordinance or a building permit issued pursuant to this ordinance shall be subject to enforcement and penalties as allowed by NH Revised Statutes Annotated Chapter 676:17.

#### Recommended by the Planning Board YES 216 NO 19

#### ARTICLE 17

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the operating budget. The Budget Committee recommends \$2,724,208 the Selectmen recommend \$2,752,205. This article does not include appropriations voted in other warrant articles. (Majority vote required)

#### RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGT COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Motion to accept Article 17 as written was made by Paul Sanderson and was seconded by Ron Gross. Mr. Sanderson recognized and thanked the Budget Committee and the Selectmen for all of their hard work in the preparation of the operating budget.

Mr. Richard Rugg questioned line item #4155-4159 on the budget as to why there was an increase in the Police Dept. from \$146,000 to \$284,000. Mr. Sanderson explained that Police health, dental and disability were moved from the Police Dept. line item to the Personnel Administration line item.

Mr. Rugg then questioned the hiring of Property Maintenance Supervisor/Road Agent. Mr. Sanderson explained that the maintenance position better serves the town at a lower cost. Public works suffered in many areas. The Board of Selectmen combined all of the contractor functions, now being performed by outside contractors, into one position. The purpose being that, as problems arise, this person would be dispatched to handle them, which gives the Town better control and better serves our residents. There was a long discussion as to the job description and hours being spent to complete all of the work listed. Questions arose as to where the monies to fund this position were in the budget. It was explained that the monies to fund this position are not delineated in the budget. Mr. Rugg also questioned the actual expenditures and why some were not showing. Mr. Sanderson explained that they were in the Unreserved Fund Balance.

Alison Mann questioned line item #4414 – Pest Control. It was explained that a contractor the town hires sprays larvacide into the salt marshes and inland woods. It does not include spraying of the town.

There being no further discussion on this Article 17 it was voted by a majority vote to accept the Operating Budget: **ADOPTED** 

To see if the Town of Greenland will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) to be added to the capital reserve fund established by the 2007 Town Meeting for the purpose of funding the future growth of the Weeks Public Library. This sum to come from fund balance (surplus) and no amount to be raised from taxation.

#### **RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN NOT RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Mr. Charles Cummings made a motion to accept Article 18 as read and it was seconded by Mr. Dale Rockefeller.

Mr. Sanderson proceeded to explain the reason for this appropriation. It becomes an accounting principal, i.e. accrual vs. cash. This is a prudent way to save for future problems. DRA requires that we must have 8-17% surplus for emergencies.

Mr. Mark Fodero requested this Article be approved. He stated that in 2007 it was voted to form a capital reserve fund and this would be a move in a positive direction.

Mr. Mike Marsh, member of the Budget Committee, explained the reason the Budget Committee was in opposition to this Article was the current financial conditions of our country. Mr. Ron Gross also stated in opposition to this Article.

Mr. Maurice Sodini spoke in favor of this Article stating that this is way to put aside money for the future and further explained that our Town is in good financial shape.

Mrs. Anne Beauchemin spoke in support and explained that years ago the Library was basically for the children of Greenland. Today, it appeals and is used by all age groups.

There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept this article:

#### ADOPTED

#### **ARTICLE 19**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars \$50,000 to be added to the Road Improvement Capital Reserve Fund for the continuation of the improvements to Portsmouth Avenue. This sum to come from fund balance (surplus) and no amount to be raised from taxation.

#### RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE

Mr. Maurice Sodini made a motion to accept Article 19 as read. Mr. Paul Sanderson seconded it.

Mr. Sodini spoke in support of this Article, explained about the work previously done on Portsmouth Avenue and the reason for raising and appropriating the sum of \$50,000 to be added to the Road Improvement Capital Reserve Fund was to complete the project in the future.

Mr. Rugg questioned the completion of the sidewalk to the Post Office and questioned why it was not completed. Mr. Sanderson explained that at the time the project was done the cost of oil and asphalt had doubled. When the road plans were developed by the professional engineers the town had hired, it was decided to scale back the project due to these increased costs and complete the work with the monies that had been budgeted and not overspend. Therefore, the project was completed as far as the monies available were allowed. Mr. Sanderson also explained that this Article was to save money for the future completion of this sidewalk/road improvement.

Ms. Alison Mann questioned the maintenance of the sidewalks from the school to the Feminist Health Center in winter. Mr. Sanderson stated that Jim Jones, the plowing contractor for the town, needs to improve the snow removal on the sidewalks and that this Article is strictly for road improvement, not maintenance.

There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept this Article:

#### ADOPTED

To see if the Town will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund for the purpose of Construction and Maintenance of Town Property and to appoint the Board of Selectmen as agents to expend from this fund, and to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) to be added to the fund. This fund to be used for construction, repairs, renovations or equipment purchases needed to maintain or improve town property. This sum to come from fund balance (surplus) and no amount to be raised from taxation.

#### **RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN NOT RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Mr. Maurice Sodini made a motion to accept Article 20 as read, and it was seconded by Mr. Paul Sanderson.

Mr. Sodini explained that the Article was a budget leveling mechanism for the maintenance of Town property. The purpose of this Article is to purchase a lawnmower (if the maintenance position goes forward), or any equipment for building maintenance, etc. of all town properties. It was voted to accept this Article:

#### ADOPTED

#### **ARTICLE 21**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty One Thousand, One Hundred Dollars (\$31,100.00) for the purpose of purchasing a new police cruiser.

Mr. Bruce Dearborn made a motion to accept Article 21 as read and Mr. Ralph Cresta seconded it.

Police Chief Michael Maloney explained that this would be a replacement of the 2004 cruiser and that the \$31,100 included the cost of the vehicle plus the setup of the police equipment required.

There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept Article 21 as read:

ADOPTED

#### ARTICLE 22

To see if the Town will vote to establish an Expendable Trust Fund for the purpose of Unanticipated Storm Expenses and to appoint the Board of Selectmen as agents to expend from this fund, and to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) to be added to the fund. This sum to come from fund balance (surplus) and no amount to be raised from taxation.

#### **RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Mr. Charles Cummings made a motion to accept Article 22, as read and Mr. Ron Gross seconded it. Mr. Cummings went on to explain the unpredictability of storms/weather and that it is a constant struggle. If we exceed fifteen (15) storms costing approximately \$15,000 each, additional money is needed for these unanticipated snow storms, hurricanes, etc. He further explained that this money was not from taxes, but from our Unreserved Fund Balance.

There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept this Article: ADOPTED

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000) for the purchase of one (1) power stretcher for use by the Fire Department, and to further withdraw from the Ambulance Special Revenue Fund an amount up to \$12,000 for that purpose. There is no impact to the 2009 tax rate from this article.

#### **RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Mr. Maurice Sodini made a motion to accept Article 23, as read and Mr. Charles Cummings seconded it.

Mr. Sodini explained the need for the power stretcher for use by the Fire Department, which would make the lifting and moving of patients into and out of the ambulance easier. He also explained that they would continue to use the current stretcher and would not dispose of it.

Mr. Ron Gross questioned where this amount was in the Capital Reserve Fund and Mr. Sodini explained that it is in the Treasurer's Report.

There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept this Article:

#### ADOPTED

#### ARTICLE 24

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$7,700) to be deposited into the Weeks Public Library Expendable Trust Fund for the purpose of emergency or unforeseen repairs as established by the 2007 Town Meeting. This appropriation will replenish funds spent in 2008 from the expendable trust fund for the Weeks Public Library. This sum to come from fund balance (surplus) and no amount to be raised from taxation.

#### **RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Mr. Charles Cummings made a motion to accept this Article as read and Mr. Ron Gross seconded it. Mr. Charles Cummings explained that he was the Selectmen's liaison to the Library and explained the need for this Article to help fund and replenish monies spent for unforeseen repairs to the Library.

Mr. Mark Fodero spoke of future problems regarding repairs and unforeseen problems and urged the passage of this Article.

There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept this Article:

#### ADOPTED

#### ARTICLE 25

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500) to be deposited into the Retirement Liabilities Expendable Trust Fund as established in 2008 to fund retirement liabilities for town employees. This sum to come from fund balance (surplus) and no amount to be raised from taxation.

#### **RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Mr. Paul Sanderson made a motion to accept Article 25 as read and it was seconded by Mr. Maurice Sodini.

Mr. Paul Sanderson explained the purpose of this article was to assure that the Town would have funds for retiring town employees. This article also deals with the funding of projected liabilities.

There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept this Article as read:

ADOPTED

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00 to provide to permanent town employees working 20 or more hours per week the employment benefit of life insurance equal to their annual salary and to further provide the benefit of long term disability insurance.

Mr. Paul Sanderson made a motion to accept Article 26 as read, and Mr. Bruce Dearborn seconded it.

Mr. Paul Sanderson explained that the purpose of this Article was to improve the Town's personnel plan. During the discussions regarding permanent town employees, the Town decided it was appropriate to fund basic life insurance and long term disability. There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept this Article:

#### ADOPTED

#### ARTICLE 27

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) to provide funding to COAST, a transportation program that serves Greenland residents and to authorize the withdrawal of \$3,000 for that purpose from the Municipal/Regional Transportation Improvement Capital Reserve Fund established in 2006 under the provisions of RSA 261:153 VI and funded through the additional charge to motor vehicle registrations.

#### **RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Mr. Bruce Dearborn made a motion to accept this Article as read and Mr. Paul Sanderson seconded it.

Mr. Dearborn went on to explain the need for this Article and to continue this funding as it had been in effect for the last three (3) years.

There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept this Article:

#### ADOPTED

#### **ARTICLE 28**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500) to be deposited into the Mosquito Control Expendable Trust Fund established by Town Meeting in 2008 for the purpose of mosquito control measures that may be necessary on an emergency basis due to mosquito borne illnesses.

#### **RECOMMENDED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN RECOMMENDED BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Mr. Charles Cummings made a motion to accept Article 28 as read. It was seconded by Mr. Paul Sanderson.

Mr. Cummings explained that this additional money was for unforeseen emergencies, such as "Triple E" or West Nile Virus. This threat still looms in our community due to these mosquito borne illnesses. This would bring the Mosquito Control Expendable Trust Fund total to \$5,000.

Mr. Rich Mauer questioned what this amount was going to "buy" for the Town. Ms. Karen Anderson, Town Administrator, explained that this includes two to three perimeter sprayings and that catch basis testing determines where to spray. Mr. Mauer asked if this amount should be increased. Due to the uncertainty of this situation, it was noted that this amount would stay as proposed. If additional spraying was required, the Select Board would bring in an outside source and determine the extent of the spraying required.

There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept this Article: ADOPTED

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Police Chief, after an inspection by the Fire Chief to issue permits to display fireworks in accordance with RSA 160-B:7. Applications for display permits shall be made in writing at least 15 days in advance of the date of the display and shall be accompanied by a \$35.00 fee. The display shall be of such a character, and so located and displayed that it shall not be hazardous to property or endanger any person.

A motion was made by Mr. Paul G. Sanderson to accept this Article as read. It was seconded by Mr. Maurice Sodini.

Police Chief Michael Maloney stated that the Police Department cannot control the displays of fireworks in Town. Safety is the biggest issue. With the passage of this Article the Police will meet with the citizens requesting a permit to determine if a permit should or should not be issued. He further explained that this will give the Police the power to enforce these displays.

Mr. Dennis O'Neil spoke about his concerns, as his neighbors have a fireworks display every year causing problems in his neighborhood.

Ms. Pam Tucker questioned whether this covers a little display within a neighborhood.

Ms. Robin Bellantone asked if a specific dollar amount would be allowed as a control.

Chief Maloney replied that no matter how small the display or how much money was spent on the display, the Police must control these due to safety concerns. If the resident does not comply with this Article, the Police have the right to bring this resident to Court.

There being no further discussion, it was voted to accept this Article:

#### **ADOPTED**

#### **ARTICLE 30**

On petition of 25 or more registered voters, to see if the Town will vote to change the term of the Town Clerk/Tax Collector from a one (1) year term to a three (3) year term as authorized by RSA 41:16-b and RSA 41:2-b respectively. (By petition)

Mr. Paul Sanderson made a motion to accept this article as read. It was seconded by Gus Gouzoules. Mr. Sanderson then made a motion to amend the Article to read "Are you in favor of changing the term of the Town Clerk/Tax Collector from one (1) year to three (3) years, beginning with the term of the town clerk/tax collector to be elected at next year's regular Town Meeting?" as this wording was omitted in citizens' petition. He further explained that the vote on adoption of this article must be made by a secret, written yes/no ballot. It was seconded by Mr. Gus Gouzoules. The motion to amend was adopted.

Mrs. Lizabeth Cummings spoke, from her own experience, about the difficulty of the position and the need for continuity in this position, due to the ongoing education, software upgrades, etc.

Mr. Bruce Dearborn also spoke in support of the three (3) term and further explained why the Selectmen chose to previously change this position to a one (1) year position.

There being no further discussion, the polls were opened and voters present were given a printed ballot as required by law. On this matter it was

#### VOTED: YES 71 NO 5 ADOPTED

To see if the Town of Greenland will vote to deposit into the Capital Reserve Fund for Town Vicinity Land the proceeds from the sale of any town lands or buildings. There being no motion to accept this Article, it:

#### NOT ADOPTED

There being no further business to come before the meeting, meeting adjourned at 11:06 A.M. Respectfully submitted,

> Marguerite F. Morgan Town Clerk/Tax Collector



Greenland Vets presenting check to Pease Greeters

## REPORT OF APPROPRIATIONS ACTUALLY VOTED (RSA 21- J: 34) Date of Meeting March 14, 2009

#### Town: Greenland, County: Rockingham

PO Box 100, Greenland NH 03840-0100

#### Certificate of Appropriations voted

This is to certify that the information contained in this form, appropriations actually voted by the town/city meeting, was taken from official records and is completed to the best of our knowledge and belief.

/s/ Maurice Sodini

/s/ Paul G. Sanderson		
/s/ Bruce Dearborn	}	Selectmen of Greenland
/s/ Jon Wendell		

/s/ Charles Cummings, Jr.

WA	\$188,905
	\$52,788
	\$110,855
	\$60,500
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26	\$290,238
	\$29,150
	\$29,150
	\$42,611
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	\$23,500
	\$53,788
	\$6,116
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	\$572,237
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	\$51,715
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		\$432,500
Highways and Streets		
Administration		\$26,400
Street Lighting		\$13,750
Solid Waste Administration		\$38,767
Solid Waste Collection		\$64,664
Solid Waste Disposal		\$98,885
Health Administration		\$1,950
Pest Control		\$20,150
Health Agencies		\$30,694
Direct Assistance		\$22,250
Other Programs		\$30,000
Parks & Recreation		\$5,215
Library		\$227,808
Patriotic Purposes		\$725
Conservation & Natural Resources		\$8,000
		\$24,400
Other Culture & Recreation		\$1,000
Interest on TAN	21	\$31,100
Capital Outlay	18,19, 20,25	\$157,500
To Capital Reserve Funds	22,24, 28	\$40,200
To Exp. Trust Funds		-0-
Payments to Other Government		\$2.074.009
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS		\$2,974,008

# ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES FOR TOWN OFFICER'S SALARIES 2010

\$ 3,000
15,000
41,560
1,200
1,500
27,707
1,200
5,000
\$96,167
\$ 

# ACTUAL EXPENDITURES FOR TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES 2009

\$15,000
\$41,200
\$1,200
\$1,000
\$24,200
\$1,200
\$5,000
\$88,800

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN INSURED PROPERTY

### As of December 31, 2009

Property Name	Location	<b>Building Value</b>	Contents
Bandstand	Remembrance Park	\$ 25,300.00	N/A
Concession Stand	Caswell Field	\$ 56,380.00	\$ 3,731.00
Concession Stand	Krasko Field	\$ 14,300.00	\$ 13,200.00
Dump Building	Cemetery Lane	\$ 19,800.00	\$ 71,500.00
Gazebo	Post Road/Ptsmth Ave.	\$ 27,500.00	N/A
Highway Building	575 Portsmouth Ave.	\$ 188,050.00	\$ 50,941.00
Municipal Complex	575 Portsmouth Ave.	\$1,009,389.00	\$311,767.00
Police Station	579 Portsmouth Ave.	\$ 1,185,557.00	\$220,161.00
Recreation Storage	Krasko Field	\$ 38,514.00	\$ 13,440.00
Shed/Recycling Center	Cemetery Lane	\$ 6,000.00	N/A
Weeks Public Library	36 Post Road	\$ 595,599.00	\$250,268.00
Former Piscataqua	583 Ptsmth Ave.	\$ 350,000.00	N/A-purchased
Transpo. property			in July 2009
		A 12 750 00	
Outside Equipment	Caswell Field	\$ 13,750.00	
	Krasko Field	\$ 29,300.00	
	Krasko Field	\$ 16,500.00	
	Veh	icle Schedule	
Year	Make/Model	Description	<b>Department</b>
1979	Maxim	Reel Truck	Fire Dept.
2007	Maxim	Fire TruckPumper	Fire Dept.
2008	Smeal	Fire Truck-Tanker	Fire Dept.
2003	Ford	F250 Utility	Fire Dept.
2001	Ford	E450 Ambulance2	Fire Dept.
2006	Ford	Crown Victoria	Administration
2006	Ford	F550	Prop. Maint.
2006	Ford	Crown Victoria	Police Dept.
2007	Ford	Crown Victoria	Police Dept.
2008	Ford	Crown Victoria	Police Dept.
2009	Ford	Crown Victoria	Police Dept.
2009	Harley Davidson	Motorcycle	Police Dept.

## **ℜ** REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN **ℜ**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the members of various boards and committees, both elected and appointed, for all their hard work in 2009. I would like to thank all of our Town employees for all that they have done to keep Greenland running.

This has been a difficult year from a budget stand point as we as a town were faced with reduced revenue sharing from the State, as well as an increase in the retirement contributions. Luckily it happened midyear and we were able to, with the help of the various departments, make reductions in spending to allow us to continue all projected services and projects. We still face many challenges in the future. We must continue to work on our town maintained roads and we must continue to try and maximize our revenue from recyclables while minimizing waste going to the land fill. The Town Administrator and Paul Hayden continue to work on getting our Transfer Station more efficient while trying to expand the services offered.

The Greenland Police continue to provide outstanding service to the residents of our town. We continue to attract seasoned officers. With the loss of Keith Dietenhofer to Seabrook, we were fortunate to have Tim McClare join our force. Tim brings a wealth of experience and is a great addition to our force and I and the Board of Selectmen welcome him.

Chief Cresta and the Greenland Volunteer Fire Department continue to provide Fire and Emergency Medical Services to the Town. Through the ongoing recruitment process, Chief Cresta has brought on new members who are currently in training as Emergency Medical Technician Basics. These new members should be licensed by early summer and serving the Town.

The Library continues to expand its service to the town and should be commended for the services they provide.

I urge all residents to become involved in your town; either on the various boards or commissions, local groups such as the Greenland Veterans or Greenland Women's Club, serving as coach for the various recreation programs, or a leader with Boy Scouts or Girl Scouts. I urge citizens to attend the meetings of our elected boards and offer comments; we seek your input and value your opinion.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Jon Wendell and Bruce Dearborn for their service to the Town on the Board of Selectmen; it has been my pleasure serving with them. The five member board has served this Town well and I thank the Town for increasing the Board from three to five. It affords us more flexibility and increases the thought process; allowing us to make informed decisions while giving us a more visible role on the various boards, commissions and town departments. On a personal note, I would like to thank the residents for their support shown to my family when our oldest daughter, Catherine, was injured this past December. Colleen and I were overwhelmed by community support. It was greatly appreciated.

Maurice "Mo" Sodini Chairman, Board of Selectman

## ✤ TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT 卷

The best laid plans of mice and men ... That phrase came to my mind several times during 2009 here in Greenland. Opportunities presented themselves throughout the year that allowed us to accomplish tasks more efficiently and economically than had previously been planned, mechanical breakdowns occurred that had not been anticipated, vandalism at our parks increased and changes at the State level mid-year impacted our planned revenues and expenditures.

We welcomed Paul Hayden as the Town's Property Maintenance Supervisor after determining that the consolidation of several contracted duties into one full-time employee would allow us to accomplish more work, in a more efficient manner. After advertising the position and receiving well over 100 applications, Mr. Hayden was hired and began his duties in May. The speed with which we are able to respond to road, property maintenance needs and vandalism damages improved dramatically and his assistance at the Transfer Station this year has been invaluable.

As the State of New Hampshire was preparing their budget, it became clear that costs were going to be passed along to towns. Due to the difference between the State's fiscal year and the Town's calendar year, these changes were going to impact Greenland on July 1<sup>st</sup>, without our ability to have planned for them. The Board of Selectmen reviewed the impact of approximately \$35,000 in reduced revenues and directed our staff to reduce their planned expenditures accordingly to meet the deficit.

The Town's advance planning with Capital Reserve Funds for Acquisition of Town Property allowed us to acquire the former Piscataqua Transportation property when the owner approached the Town indicating that he was going to put the property on the market. The funds were already available and after the required public hearings and positive comments from the public, the Board of Selectmen acquired that property for the Town at a cost of \$320,000. The front building will be demolished in 2010 and the rear building is being used for our public works equipment and maintenance. We are pleased to be able to provide a parking space for a medical van owned by Families First at this same location.

Another unplanned expense that I would like to highlight involved the one highway truck that the Town owned, a Ford F550. The vehicle had been used by the Town for plowing and various maintenance needs around town, but during 2008 and 2009 became a source of continual mechanical failures. At year-end, the Board of Selectmen reviewed the funds remaining in the 2009 appropriations and requested that we investigate the costs to replace that vehicle with a smaller truck that will better meet the Town's needs. While unplanned, we were able to replace the truck with a new GMC truck that better meets our needs, including being able to plow the library parking lot easier, for a net cost of \$20,437.00. Hopefully, we have eliminated the unplanned towing and repair expenses that occurred too frequently.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Town's employees for their very hard work this year – it was difficult to maintain a high level of service to our residents while overcoming the unplanned challenges that we faced. The support I receive from the Board of Selectmen and other elected officials is very much appreciated and I will continue to do my very best for the Town of Greenland.

Respectfully submitted, Karen Anderson, Town Administrator

### ★ TOWN CLERK/TAX COLLECTOR'S ANNUAL REPORT

A nother year has gone by, during which there have been many changes to our motor vehicle program. Now that we are on MAAP, which is the on-line system with the State Department of Motor Vehicles in Concord, we are able to access current information on file with the State regarding vehicle registration, titles and owner residency. Updates are processed each month by our software company, which enable us to keep motor vehicle records up to date and correct. Reminder notices for vehicle registration contain far fewer errors as we are capturing information on new Greenland residents, and culling out those who have moved away. If there has been a discrepancy between the Town's records and the State's records in the past, it must be corrected before the registration can be completed. Although this may be frustrating when it first is discovered, it will avoid future problems for our residents.

Effective August 1, the State instituted a number of different rate increases on motor vehicle registration. There were increases across the board on almost all categories of motor vehicles, causing a case of "sticker shock" for many of our residents when they received their renewal notices. The good news however, is that the Town fees have not increased.

The year 2009 was an economically difficult time for many. Our tax rate increased by five cents from \$13.50 to \$13.55, with an equalization rate of 102.1% (this rate represents a percentage of the fair market value). However in spite of these tough times, our taxes have been paid in a very timely manner with delinquencies remaining on the low side.

Electronic payments can now be accepted via the Town website not only for renewals of motor vehicle registration, but for payment of property taxes and re-registration of dogs (when rabies certificates are up to date). There is a small convenience fee for these functions.

In September 2009, the State Department of Vital Records made changes to our software and forms due to the changes in the law allowing marriages between same sex couples effective January 1, 2010, HB436 and RSA-A:1.

State law requires that the Town Clerk maintain and preserve many records. With the money the Town appropriated for the preservation of vital records, we have continued our planned preservation with the firm of Brown's River. This year we have preserved several books on residents' marriages and births, maps, planning board documents and miscellaneous records. There is much more to be done, and with the help of the appropriated funding, it is my intent to continue with the preservation of our Town records on a yearly basis.

Now in my third year as your Town Clerk/Tax Collector, I can reflect with some sense of satisfaction on the changes and improvements we've made, and I hope to serve the Town for many years to come.

Marge Morgan Town Clerk / Tax Collector

# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT TO GREENLAND Fiscal year ending December 31, 2009

	2009
Motor Vehicle Permits	\$719,531.11
Motor Vehicle Decals	14,118.00
E-Reg Verification	56.70
E-Reg – Interware	345.00
Transportation Improvement Fund	12,420.00
Dog Licenses w/fines	4,481.00
NSF Fees	100.00
Marriage Licenses	119.00
Vital Statistics-Town	433.00
Vital Statistics-State	1,460.00
Transfer Station Permits	2,269.50
Sale of Town Property	5,462.56
Income from Wetland Permits	0.00
Total	\$760,795.87



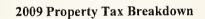
A winter's view of Great Bay

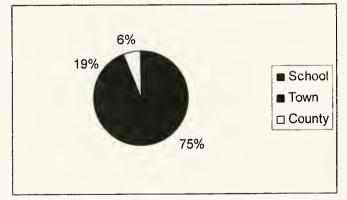
## 卷 Rate of Taxation - 15 Year History 卷

The following is a comparison chart of the Tax Rate and percentage breakdown of the rate.

YEA	R	TOWN	SCHOOL	COUNTY	TOTAL
1993	\$	3.51	11.29	1.02	15.82
1994	\$	3.73	10.74	1.03	15.50
1995	\$	3.19	11.31	1.10	15.60
1996	\$	2.74	11.89	1.17	15.80
1997	\$	2.86	12.01	1.18	16.05
1998	\$	2.76	12.49	1.15	16.40
1999	\$	2.36	12.78	1.06	16.20
2000	\$	1.50	14.50	1.20	17.20
2001	\$	1.74	11.21	1.30	14.25
2002	\$	2.25	11.50	1.15	14.90
2003	\$	2.58	11.83	1.04	15.45
2004	\$	2.87	11.71	1.04	15.62
2005	\$	3.16	12.48	1.04	16.68
2006	\$	2.64	12.79	1.07	16.50
2007	\$	3.77	12.46	1.07	17.30
2008	\$	2.26	10.36	0.88	13.50
2009	\$	2.01	10.59	0.95	13.55

Tax Rate – Per \$1000 of Valuation





FORM MS - 1	NEW	HAMPSHIRE DEI SUMMARY FO MI PO BOX 487, Con Email Add	Orginal Date Copy (check box if copy)	
CITY/TOWN OF	GREENLAND	IN	ROCKINGHAM	COUNTY
This is to cert	ify that the information provided	l in this report was	CERTIFICATION taken from the official records and i Rev 1707.03(d)(7)	s correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.
PRINT	AMES OF CITY/TOWN OFFIC	IALS	SIGNATURES O	F CITY/TOWN OFFICIALS* (Sign in ink)
	MAURICE SODINI		MART	
	PAUL G. SANDERSON		Jaul S	sander_
	JON WENDELL		In Cou	de 11
	BRUCE L. DEARBORN		Bruce & De	arkosn
	CHARLES H. CUMMINGS, JR.		Charles of Cumm	ing
Under penal	ies of perjury, I declare that I have	examined the infor	mation contained in this form and to th	e best of my belief it is true, correct and complete.
Date Signed	<u>8/24/2009</u>			neck one: Governing Body X
City/Town Telephone #	603-431-7111			Assessors
			Du	e date: September 1, 2009
Comp	•		he name of the city/town officials, th s of the board of selectmen/assessi	e date on which the certificate is signed, ng officials sign in ink.
such other information a	es the Department of Revenue	Administration may	ion of valuations, appropriations, es / require upon forms prescribed for	that purpose.
			t are used in the city/towns tax asse nd refer to the instructions tab for in	
THIS FORM MUST BE	RECEIVED BY THE DRA NO	LATER THAN SE	PTEMBER 1ST.	
VIIIage Districts - page	es 8-9 must be completed for	EACH village dis	trict within the municipality.	
RETURN THIS SIGNED	O AND COMPLETED INVENTO	ORY FORM TO:		
		MUNICIP/ PO BOX 4	ARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINIS AL SERVICES DIVISION 187 D, NH 03302-0487	STRATION
	ry, I declare that I have examin eclaration is based on all inform			ect and complete. (If prepared by a person other than the
Preparer:	KAREN ANDERSON, TOWN	ADMINISTRATOR (Print/type)		E-Mail Address:kanderson@greenland-nh.con
FOR DRA USE ONLY	Regular office hour	s:	MON-FRI 8:00 AM - 5:0	0 PM
	See instructions on pag	e 10, as needed.		

	DRM MS-1 FOR 2009						
LAND Lines 1 A, B, C, D, E, F & G List all improved and un - include wells, septic & paving. BUILDINGS Lines 2 A, B, C, D & E List all buildings.	improved land	NUMBER OF ACRES	2009 ASSESSED VALUATION BY CITY/TOWN				
1 VALUE OF LAND ONLY - Exclude Amount Listed in Lines 3A, 3	B and 4						
A Current Use (At Current Use Values) RSA 79-A (Se	e page 10)	2,521.00	\$439,000				
B Conservation Restriction Assessment (At Current U	B Conservation Restriction Assessment (At Current Use Values) RSA 79-B 0.00						
C Discretionary Easement RSA 79-C		247.00	\$98,800				
D Discretionary Preservation Easement RSA 79-D		0.00	\$0				
E Taxalion of Farm Structures & Land Under Farm Stru	ictures RSA 79-F	0.00	\$0				
F Residential Land (Improved and Unimproved Land)		2,146.00	\$243,325,200				
G Commercial/Industrial Land (Do Not include Utility La	ind)	648.00	\$37,209,300				
H Total of Taxable Land (Sum of Lines 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D,	1E, 1F and 1G)	5,562.00	\$281,072,300				
I Tax Exempt & Non-Taxable Land		726.00	\$13,281,800				
2 VALUE OF BUILDINGS ONLY - Exclude Amounts Listed on Lin A Residential	es 3A and 3B		\$274,509,700				
B Manufactured Housing as defined in RSA 674:31			\$8,700				
C Commercial/Industrial (DO NOT Include Utility Build	dings)		\$73,533,700				
D Discretionary Preservation Easement RSA 79-D	Number of Structures	0	\$0				
E Taxation of Farm Structures & Land Under Farm Stru	ctures RSA 79-F # of Structures	0	\$0				
F Total of Taxable Buildings (Sum of lines 2A, 2B, 2C,	2D and 2E)		\$348,052,100				
G Tax Exempt & Non-Taxable Buildings			\$23,591,500				
3 UTILITIES (see RSA 83-F:1 V for complete definition)							
A Utilities (Real estate/buildings/structures/machinery/d and descriptions/pipelines etc.)	ynamos/apparatus/poles/wires/lixit		\$15,179,800				
B Other Utilities (Total of Section B from Utility Summar	y)		\$0				
4 MATURE WOOD and TIMBER RSA 79:5			\$0				
5 VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS (Total of Lines 1H, 2F, 3A, 3 This figure represents the gross sum of all taxable property in your			\$644,304,200				
6 Certain Disabled Veterans RSA 72:36-a (Paraplegic & Double Amputees Owning Specially Adapted Homes	Total # granted teads with V.A. Assistance)	0	\$0				
7 Improvements to Assist the Deaf RSA 72:38-b V	Total # granted	0	\$0				
8 Improvements to Assist Persons with Disabilities RSA 72:37-a	Total # granted	0	\$0				
9 School Dining/Dormitory/Kitchen Exemption RSA 72:23 IV (Slandard Exemption Up To \$150,000 maximum for each)	Total # granted	0	\$0				
10 Water and Air Pollution Control Exemptions RSA 72:12-a	Total # granted	0	\$0				
11 MODIFIED ASSESSED VALUATION OF ALL PROPERTIES (Line							
This figure will be used for calculating the total equalized value for 12 Blind Exemption RSA 72:37	your municipality. Total # granted	3	\$644,304,200				
·	Amount granted per exemption	\$15,000	\$45,000				
13 Elderly Exemption RSA 72:39-a & b	Total # granted	29	\$3,205,000				
14 Deaf Exemption RSA 72:38-b	Total # granted	0					
	Amount granted per exemption	\$0	\$0				
15 Disabled Exemption RSA 72:37-b	Total # granted	1					
	Amount granted per exemption	\$50,000	\$50,000				

16 Wood-Heating Energy Systems Exemption RSA 72:70	Total # granled	0	\$0
17 Solar Energy Exemption RSA 72:62	Total # granled	0	\$0
18 Wind Powered Energy Systems Exemption RSA 72:66	Total # granled	0	\$0
19 Additional School Dining/Dormitory/Kitchen Exemptions RSA 72:23 IV	Total # granled	0	\$0
20 TOTAL DOLLAR AMOUNT OF EXEMPTIONS (Sum of Lines 12-19)			\$3,300,000
21 NET VALUATION ON WHICH THE TAX RATE FOR MUNICIPAL, COUNTY & L EDUCATION TAX IS COMPUTED (Line 11 minus Line 20)	OCAL		\$641,004,200
22 Less Utilities (Line 3A) Do NOT include the value of OTHER utilities listed in	\$15,179,800		
23 NET VALUATION WITHOUT UTILITIES ON WHICH TAX RATE FOR STATE EI COMPUTED (Line 21 minus Line 22)	DUCATION TAX IS		\$625,824,400

Additional notes (example: update, reval, changes to exemptions, mapping, increases to value, decreases to value, etc.)

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UTILITY SUMMARY: ELECTRIC, HYDROELECTRIC, RENEWABLE-MISC., NUCLEAR, GAS/PIPELINE,	WATER & SEWE	R	
List by individual company/legal entity the valuation of operating plants employed in the production, distribution	n, and transmissio	on of electric	city, gas
pipeline, water and petroleum products. Include ONLY the names of the companies listed on the Instruction S	heets. (See instr	uctions page	e 11)
DOES YOUR MUNICIPALITY USE THE DRA UTILITY VALUES?	YES	NO	x
IF YES, DO YOU EQUALIZE IT BY THE RATIO? (please check appropriate box, if applicable)	YES	NO	
SECTION A: LIST ELECTRIC COMPANIES:		2009	9
(Attach additional sheet if needed.) (See instructions page 11)		VALUAT	ION
FPL ENERGY SEABROOK, LLC			\$43,513
MASS MUNICIPAL WHOLESLE ELECTRIC			\$5,600
PUBLIC SERVICE CO OF NH			\$6,790,700
HUDSON POWER & LIGHT -FPL NORTHEAST DIV			\$38
PUBLIC SERVICE CO OF NH			\$3,200
PUBLIC SERVICE CO OF NH			\$445,300
TAUNTON MUNICIPAL LIGHTING CO			\$49
A1 TOTAL OF ALL ELECTRIC COMPANIES LISTED IN THIS SECTION:			
(See instructions page 11 for the names of the limited number of companies)			\$7,288,400
GAS COMPANIES			
UNITIL GRANITE STATE GAS (TRANSMISSION=\$333,100)			\$516,800
PORTLAND NATURAL GAS			\$2,597,200
MARITIMES & NORTHEAST PIPELINE			\$4,777,400
A2 TOTAL OF ALL GAS COMPANIES LISTED:			
(See instructions page 11 for the names of the limited number of companies)			\$7,891,400
WATER & SEWER COMPANIES			
			\$0
			\$0
			\$0
A3 TOTAL OF ALL WATER & SEWER COMPANIES LISTED:			
(See page 11 for the names of the limited number of companies)			\$0
GRAND TOTAL VALUATION OF ALL A UTILITY COMPANIES (Sum of Lines A1, A2 AND A3). This grand total of all sections must agree with the total listed on page 2, Line 3A.			\$15,179,800
SECTION B: LIST OTHER UTILITY COMPANIES (Exclude telephone companies):		2009	
(Attach additional sheet If needed.)		VALUAT	ION
			\$0
			\$0
			\$0
TOTAL OF ALL OTHER COMPANIES LISTED IN THIS SECTION B:			
Total must agree with total on page 2, line 3B.			\$0

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TAX CREDITS	LIMITS	*NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS	ESTIMATED TAX CREDITS
RSA 72:28 Veterans' Tax Credit / Optional Veterans' Tax Credit \$50 Standard Credil \$51up Io \$500 upon adoption by city or town	\$500	224	\$112,000
RSA 72:29-a Surviving Spouse "The surviving spouse of any person who was killed or died while on aclive duly in the armed forces of the United States" \$700 Standard Credit \$701 up to \$2,000 upon adoption by city or town	\$2.000	2	\$4,000
RSA 72:35 Tax Credit for Service-Connected Total Disability "Any person who has been honorably discharged from the military service of the United States and who has total and permanent service- connected disability, or who is a double amputee or paraplegic because of service-connected injury" \$700 Standard Credit \$701 up to \$2,000 upon adoption by city or town	\$2,000	8	\$16,000
TOTAL NUMBER AND AMOUNT * If both husband & wife/civil union partner qualify for the credit they count as 2. * If somene is living at a residence such as brother & sister, and ane qualifies, count as 1, no	t ane-half.	234	\$132,000

DISABLED EXEMPTION REPORT - RSA 72:37-b					
INCOME LIMITS: SINGLE	\$13,400	ASSET LIMITS:	SINGLE	\$35,000	
MARRIED/CIVIL UNION PARTNER	\$20,400	MARRIED/CIVIL	UNION PARTNER	\$50,000	

DEAF EXEMPTION REPORT - RSA 72:38-b					
INCOME LIMITS: SINGLE	\$0	ASSET LIMITS:	SINGLE	\$0	
MARRIED/CIVIL UNION PARTNER	\$0	MAR	RIED/CIVIL UNION PARTNER	\$0	

	ELDERLY EXEMPTION REPORT - RSA 72:39-a							
GRANTED ELDE	RST TIME FILERS RLY EXEMPTION URRENT YEAR	TION PER AGE CATEGORY TOTAL NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS GRANTED AN ELDERLY EXEMPTION FO						
AGE	#	AMOUNT PER INDIVIDUAL		AGE	#	MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE EXEMPTION AMOUNT	TOTAL ACTUAL EXEMPTION AMOUNT	
65-74	3		\$90, <b>00</b> 0	65-74	9	\$810,000	\$630,000	
75-79	2	<u> </u>	\$115,000	75-79	6	\$690,000	\$690,000	
80+	0		\$145,000	80+	14	\$2,030,000	\$1,885,000	
				TOTAL	29	\$3,530,000	\$3,205,000	
INCOME LIMITS:		SINGLE	\$35,000	ASSET LIMITS:		SINGLE	\$125,000	
	MARRIED/CIVIL L	JNION PARTNER	\$50,000		MARRIED/CIV	LUNION PARTNER	\$125,000	

COMMUNITY REVITALIZATION TAX RELIEF INCENTIVE - RSA 79-E							
ADOPTED:	ADOPTED: YES NO NUMBER ADOPTED						

	CURRENT USE REPORT - RSA 79-A						
	TOTAL NUMBER ACRES RECEIVING CURRENT USE	ASSESSED VALUATION	OTHER CURRENT USE STATISTICS	TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES			
FARM LAND	1,183.00	\$173,800	RECEIVING 20% RECREATION ADJUSTMENT	0.00			
FOREST LAND	1,066.00		REMOVED FROM CURRENT USE DURING CURRENT TAX YEAR	42.00			
FOREST LAND WITH DOCUMENTED STEWARDSHIP	0.00	\$0					
UNPRODUCTIVE	0.00	\$0		TOTAL NUMBER			
WET LAND	272.00	\$5,300	TOTAL NUMBER OF OWNERS IN CURRENT USE	56			
TOTAL (must match page 2)	2,521.00	\$439,000	TOTAL NUMBER OF PARCELS IN CURRENT USE	132			

		LAND US	SE CHANGE TAX		
	ECEIVED FOR CALENDAR YEA			8). ระดักระวงค์มีสีรีวิตรีวดี เรา กรุง และโอการการสุดตาสตรรฐการการกา	\$110,640
CONSERVATION ALLOCATION:	PERCENTAGE	0%	AND/OR	DOLLAR AMOUNT	\$0
MONIES TO CONSE	ERVATION FUND				\$0
MONIES TO GENER	RAL FUND				\$0

CONSERVATION RESTRICTION ASSESSMENT REPORT - RSA 79-B						
	TOTAL NUMBER ACRES RECEIVING CONSERVATION	ASSESSED VALUATION	OTHER CONSERVATION RESTRICTION ASSESSMENT STATISTICS	TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES		
FARM LAND	0.00	\$0	RECEIVING 20% RECREATION ADJUSTMENT	0.00		
FOREST LAND	0.00	\$0	REMOVED FROM CONSERVATION RESTRICTION DURING CURRENT YEAR	0.00		
FOREST LAND WITH DOCUMENTED						
STEWARDSHIP	0.00	\$0				
LAND	0.00	\$0		TOTAL NUMBER		
WET LAND	0.00	\$0	TOTAL NUMBER OF OWNERS IN CONSERVATION RESTRICTION	0		
TOTAL	0.00	\$0	TOTAL NUMBER OF PARCELS IN CONSERVATION RESTRICTION	0		

DISCRETIONARY EASEMENTS - RSA 79-C						
TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES IN DISCRETIONARY EASEMENTS DISCRETIONARY EASEMENTS		DESCRIPTION OF DISCRETIONARY EASEMENTS GRANTED: (i.e.: Golf Course, Ball Park, Race Track, etc.)				
247.00	1	GOLF COURSE				
ASSESSED VALUATION		DESCRIPTION				
\$98,800		DESCRIPTION				
		DESCRIPTION				

TAXATION OF FARM STRUCTURES & LAND UNDER FARM STRUCTURES - RSA 79-F							
TOTAL NUMBER GRANTED	TOTAL NUMBER OF STRUCTURES	TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES	ASSESSED VALUATION LAND	ASSESSED VALUATION STRUCTURES			
0	0	0.00	\$0	\$0			

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#### NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION

#### SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

#### FORM MS-1 FOR 2009

DISCRETIONARY PRESERVATION EASEMENTS - RSA 79-D							
	Historic Agricultural Structures						
TOTAL NUMBER OF STRUCTURES IN DISCRETIONARY PRESERVATION EASEMENTS	DESCRIF	DESCRIPTION OF DISCRETIONARY PRESERVATION EASEMENTS GRANTED: (i.e.; Barns, Silos etc.) MAP & LOT - PERCENTAGE GRANTED					
C	DESCRIPTION			DESCRIPTION			
TOTAL NUMBER OF ACRES	DESCRIPTION			DESCRIPTION			
0.00	DESCRIPTION			DESCRIPTION			
ASSESSED VALUATION	DESCRIPTION	DESCRIPTION		DESCRIPTION			
\$0 L/O	DESCRIPTION			DESCRIPTION			
\$0 B/O	DESCRIPTION			DESCRIPTION			
TOTAL NUMBER OF OWNERS	DESCRIPTION			DESCRIPTION			
0	DESCRIPTION			DESCRIPTION			
	DESCRIPTION	<u> </u>		DESCRIPTION			
	DESCRIPTION		DESCRIPTION				
			DESCRIPTION				
TAX INCOGMENT FINANCING DI	TRICTS						
TAX INCREMENT FINANCING DIS RSA 162-K		TIF #1	TIF #2	TIF #3	TIF #4		

RSA 162-K	TIF #1	TIF #2	TIF #3	TIF #4
(See Tax Increment Finance Dist Tab for instructions)				
Date of Adoption\Modification	mm/dd/yy	mm/dd/yy	mm/dd/yy	mm/dd/yy
Original assessed value	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
+ Unretained captured assessed value	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
= Amounts used on page 2 (tax rates)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
+ Retained captured assessed value	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Current assessed value	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

LIST REVENUES RECEIVED FROM PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAX Amounts listed below should not be included in assessed valuation column on page 2.	MUNICIPALITY	LIST SOURCE(S) OF PAYMENT In Lieu of Taxes
	地和国家的制度的思想。	Number of Acres
State & Federal Forest Land, Recreation, and/or Flood Control Land from MS-4, acct. 3356 & 3357.	\$0	
White Mountain National Forest, Only acct. 3186.	\$0	0.00
Other from MS-4, acct. 3186	\$0	
Other from MS-4, acct. 3186	\$0	2
Other from MS-4, accl. 3186	\$0	D
Other from MS-4, accl. 3186	\$0	0
Other from MS-4, accl. 3186	\$0	0
Other from MS-4, accl. 3186	\$0	2
Other from MS-4, acct. 3186	\$0	
Other from MS-4, accl. 3186	\$0	
TOTALS of account 3186 (Exclude WMNF)	\$0	

\* RSA 362-A:6 was reinstated, effective 4/1/2006. This statute allows municipalities to enter into payment in lieu of tax agreements with small scale power facilities. However, these new PILOT agreements are <u>also</u> taxable under RSA 83-F.

Questions regarding these laws please consult with the DRA Utility Tax Appraiser at (603) 271-2687.

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# ❀ BUILDING INSPECTOR / CODE ENFORCEMENT ※ ANNUAL REPORT

The Building Department experienced a productive year with permit revenues, commercial property square footage and the number of residential homes surpassing 2008 statistics. The total number of 2009 permits is almost identical with the previous year's performance. The majority of residential construction is occurring in the Falls Way subdivision. A total of 16 new home permits were issued during the year.

During December 2009, the Falls Way developer extended Skyview Drive westward (toward North Hampton) for approximately 1,900 linear feet. The majority of this road extension was graded and paved with a binder course prior to cold weather. Altus Engineering, Portsmouth, NH inspects all phases of new road construction in Greenland.

Greenland's first windmill was permitted and constructed this year. The vertical axis wind turbine or Helix Wind Turbine device is located on the corner of Ocean and Greenland Roads in the Volkswagen parking lot.

A new state building code will become effective on 1 April 2010. The code includes the 2010 editions of the International Code Conference (ICC); Residential, Building, Plumbing, Mechanical and Energy Codes.

During the 2009 legislative session RSA 153: 10-a, the law for "Fire Protection and Warning Devices in Multi-Family Dwellings, was revised to include carbon monoxide detection and now reads: "Automatic Fire Warning Devices and Carbon Monoxide detection devices in dwellings". The law became effective on 1 January 2010 and stipulates when carbon monoxide and automatic fire warning detection equipment is required in residential occupancies. A section of the law only requires carbon monoxide detection equipment in existing single family homes built or substantially rehabilitated after 1 January 2010. There are separate requirements for rental units and multi-unit dwellings. Division of Fire Safety, Office of the State Fire Marshall informational Bulletin 2009-07 was published to help clarify the requirements of RSA 153:10-a. Also, Section Saf-C 6015.02 of the State Fire Code mandates that automatic fire warning devices in multi-unit dwellings, condominiums and rental units shall be powered by the house electrical service. I suggest that all property owners review these important documents to determine how these new laws apply to their individual situations.

The Building Department is open five days a week. Most all verbal inquires are handled the day they are initiated. All DES and Fire Codes are available on the State web site <u>www.nh.gov</u>. All local building and zoning ordinances are available on the Town website www.greenland-nh.com.

OFFICE: 431-3070, ext. 107 CELL: 502-4623 EMAIL: <u>bcushman@greenland-nh.com</u>

Respectfully submitted,

Robert A. Cushman Building Inspector/Code Enforcement Official

# ★ BUILDING DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY – 2009 ※

#### Permits Issued

New Homes	16 Pools – Above Ground		0
Second Dwelling Units	0	Pools – In-ground	
Duplexes	0	Reroofing	29
Renovations over \$50,000	3	Siding	7
Renovations	5 I	Signs (Temporary)	1
Garages/Small Barns	10	Signs	19
Commercial Over \$50,000	3	Electric	73
Commercial	5	Plumbing	44
Decks / Porches	12	Test Pits	27
Demolitions	5	Miscellaneous Under \$1,500	0
Septic Replacement	13	Septic New	16
Driveway	19	Occ. Permit-Commercial	14
Occupancy Permit-Res.	23	Mylar Fines	0
Sheds	13	Miscellaneous	23
Home Occupation	0	Septic Review	<u>14</u>
Mechanical	48		
		<b>Total permits</b>	489



Greenland's first windmill

### ✤ POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT 卷

I am proud to present the report of the Greenland Police Department for the year 2009. The technology in communications is forever changing in how information is disseminated to the public. This past year the Police Department has partnered with Nixle and Twitter to get out real time information to you, the citizens of Greenland.

#### Nixle, the New Greenland Alert System

The Greenland Police Department and the Town of Greenland are partnering with Nixle with a new Public Information alert system. Communication problems during the Ice Storm of 2008 highlighted the need for another layer of communication. With power and telephone lines down, communication was difficult, but most people were able to still use their cell phones; this is where Nixle fills the gap.

Nixle is a Community Information Service that sends alerts three ways: E-mail, Text Message and Website. Information on emergency situations, road closures, school closing, and community events can all be disseminated through Nixle. Registration is free and easy and takes only a few minutes at <u>www.nixle.com</u>.

Nixle is set up and ready to be implemented; however, it won't work if you don't register. This system is secure and there is no spam. It is customizable so that you receive the information that matters to you, the way you wish to receive it. Please contact me with any questions or if you need assistance with registration, I can be reached at 603-431-4624 or <u>dsawyer@greenlandpd.us</u>. See the image for a sample alert.

#### The Greenland Police Department is now on Twitter

The Greenland Police Department has joined the Twitter community as a way of keeping the community informed of our activity and to provide community event information. Follow us at <u>www.twitter.com/GreenlandPolice</u>. If you need assistance with registration or locating us, please contact Sgt. Dawn Sawyer at 603-431-4624 or <u>dsawyer@greenlandpd.us</u>.

The Department continues to be active with the School. Officer Wayne Young is in his tenth year at the school teaching the DARE Program. I would like to thank the School Staff for their continued support of this program.

This past year Officer Keith Dietenhofer resigned his position with the Department and joined the Seabrook Police Department. I wish him the best in his new endeavors. The Department was very fortunate to be able to replace him with Officer Timothy McClare. Officer McClare has 24 years of law enforcement with the majority of his time spent with the New Hampshire Fish and Game Department.

The Police Department offers 24 hour service to the community, so please call anytime you see something out of the ordinary. In the case of any emergency, please call **911**. For any other services, call **603-431-4624**.

I want to thank the Town for its support of the Police Department, and also would like to thank my staff for their professionalism over the course of last year.

Respectfully submitted, Michael P. Maloney Chief of Police

# ✤ POLICE ACTIVITY STATISTICS 卷

Police Activity	2007	2008	2009
Homicide/Accidental Death	0	0	0
Robbery	0	1	1
Kidnapping/Interference w/ Custody	3	4	0
Sexual assaults	5	2	0
Assaults	23	14	10
Criminal threatening	28	34	36
Arson	0	0	1
Burglary	5	4	б
Child Pornography	0	0	0
Thefts	80	69	56
Fraud/forgery	52	25	28
Criminal mischief	23	17	39
Drug offenses	9	15	5
Bomb Threat	0	0	0
DWI	13	21	10
Other alcohol offenses	150	23	17
Juvenile offenses	43	22	19
Criminal trespass	13	15	13
Violation of restraining orders/domestic	36	35	59
Restraining orders issued	13	15	8
Motor vehicle stops	1206	1382	1128
Accidents	199	161	146
Fatal Accident	0	0	0
E911 call	44	51	57
Arrests	144	135	89
Burglar alarms	208	200	185
Unsecured buildings	11	13	13
House checks / building checks	274	508	409
Suspicious activity	400	183	239
Suicide & Attempted Suicide	3	5	4
Unattended Deaths	0	2	0
Follow up investigations	604	428	633
Public assists	642	809	774
Assist to other police departments	378	449	547
Misc. Calls for Service & Complaints	422	944	1632
Incident Reports Taken	346	262	260
Total calls for service	6448	7238	6612
Amount of Property stolen/damaged	\$49,482	\$60,485	\$49,991
Amount of Property recovered/reimbursed	\$82,791	\$4,652	\$1,377

Police Department Revenues	2007	2008	2009
Pistol Permits	\$250.00	\$280.00	\$380.00
Grants	\$9,381.44	\$9,785.08	\$7,050.16
Witness Fees	\$743.46	\$630.00	\$643.20
Report Fees	\$2,480.00	\$1,881.00	\$1,245.00
Town Ordinance Fines	\$1,275.00	\$315.00	\$120.00
Detail Revenue (Budget Reimbursement)	\$121,477.60	\$239,550.00	\$176,025.00
Miscellaneous	\$279.19	\$16.00	\$6,214.49
Total Revenues & Budget Reimbursements to the General Fund	\$135,886.69	\$252,457.08	\$191,677.85

Detail Revenue Breakdown	2009
Total Hours Billed	3,592
Total Salary Billed	\$136,116.00
Total Administrative Billed	\$35,898.00
Total Equipment Fees Billed	\$27,540.00
Total Billed	\$199,554.00

#### **Current Greenland Police Department Roster 2009**

#### **Fulltime Personnel**

Chief Michael P. Maloney Sergeant Dawn M. Sawyer Detective David M. Kurkul Officer Wayne M. Young Officer James C. Cormier Officer David M. LoConte Officer Timothy McClare Officer Keith W. Dietenhofer (Resigned 8/09)

Part Time Personnel Officer Thomas F. Simmons Officer Jeffrey T. Peirce Officer Theodore S. Hartmann Administrative Assistant Carole Smith

### **※** GREENLAND VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT **※**

he Greenland Volunteer Fire Department responded to 304 emergency calls in 2009. With increased growth within our town, we encourage Greenland residents to join the Greenland Volunteer Fire Department. Visit <u>www.GreenlandFire.org</u> for more information.

As a department, we continued our efforts to recruit new volunteers and expand our firefighting and EMT skills. In 2009 we welcomed Greenland residents William Bonacci, John Devine, Jeff Milks, Stacey Mood, Maureen Moore, John Seavey and Karen Sullivan as well as North Hampton residents Harold Buzzell and Julie Johnson. Members participate in monthly department Fire and EMS training.

We continue to use COMSTAR to bill for our ambulance service. In calendar year 2009, COMSTAR collected \$40,193.40 for Greenland.

#### WE NEED VOLUNTEERS

We've continued our effort to recruit new members to the Greenland Volunteer Fire Department. We are asking anyone in Greenland who has considered joining the fire department to take the next step - contact us (by phone or email GVFD21@yahoo.com), attend a monthly Business Meeting (second Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m.), or talk to our current members.

We are accepting applications for volunteers who live in towns abutting Greenland. As a volunteer, you may train to become an EMT, Firefighter, Dispatcher or provide support. We provide training to all of our volunteers; no experience is necessary to join. Volunteers must be at least 18-years old; there is no upper age limit.

Ralph Cresta, Jr.	Matt Tobey	Rick Hussey	Kevin Schmit
Myrick Bunker	Brian DiPietro	Tom Tillman	Ted Hartmann
Chip Hussey	Chris Pearl	Tom Maher	Josh Bunker
Ryan DeFreze	John Chick	Jeff Milks	John Seavey
John Devine	William Bonacci	Mo Sodini	Dan Gravelle
Kathi Hussey	Susan Dame	Judy Graham	Derek Simpson
Julie Johnson	Stacey Mood	Maureen Moore	Carl Mueller
Colleen Sodini	Dick Hazzard	Carl Beatrice	Rhonda Bunker
Karen Sullivan	Sara MacCorkle	Harold Buzzell	Pat Beatrice

#### 2009 Greenland Volunteer Fire Department Members

The Ladies Auxiliary is also seeking new members, contact <u>GVFD21@yahoo.com</u> or Barbie Hazzard.

#### **October -- Fire Safety Month**

In October, we held an Open House and conducted fire safety training at Greenland Central School. Both events included the Fire Safety House, on loan from the Hampton Fire Department. The Fire Safety House is designed as a home's interior with a full-sized kitchen and bedroom. Participants learned about kitchen safety, fire safety in their home, what to do in a fire and the importance of practicing home fire drills.

I would like to sincerely thank the members of the Greenland Volunteer Fire Department for their continued commitment, dedication and professionalism while serving the community. 1 would like to thank the town and the residents for their continued support of the Fire Department.

Respectfully submitted, Ralph Cresta Jr., Chief

#### Incident Reports by Type of Incident Found:

EMS Calls including Motor Vehicle Accidents 172 Building Fires 13 Hazardous Condition 22 Alarm System Activation 59 Public Assist 6 Miscellaneous Fire 4 Canceled En Route 24 Brush Fires 2 Car Fires 2 Total Calls in 2009: 304

Greenland is a member of a mutual aid agreement with surrounding towns. In 2009 we participated in the mutual aid agreement as follows:

#### **Mutual Aid Given**

Fire 11 Ambulance 0

#### **Mutual Aid Received**

Fire 1 Ambulance 4 Exeter Advanced Life Support (ALS) 14 Portsmouth ALS 1

#### 2009 Officers:

Fire Chief: Ralph Cresta, Jr. Deputy Fire Chief: Matt Tobey Deputy Fire Chief: Rick Hussey Captain: Kevin Schmit Captain: Myrick Bunker Engineer: Brian DiPietro

#### How to Reach Us:

#### Always dial 9-1-1 in an emergency.

- Business number is 603-436-1188
- E-mail <u>GVFD21@yahoo.com</u>
- Website www.GreenlandFire.org

#### Help Us Find You in an Emergency:

- Make sure the telephone company has your correct street address.
- Post your street number on both sides of your mailbox in 4-inch (or larger) reflective numbers.
- Ensure that your house number is clearly visible from the street, both during the day and night.



Members of the Fire Department

#### Fire Permit Requirements:

- 1. You must request a burn permit from the Fire Warden or a Deputy Fire Warden at least 24-hours prior to the start of the burn.
- 2. You must obtain a signed burn permit from the Fire Warden or a Deputy Fire Warden prior to starting the burn.
- 3. Chimineas, fire pits, outdoor fireplaces, etc need burn permits.
- 4 The Fire Warden or Deputy Fire Warden will determine if the burn pile is reasonable in size, or if it must be reduced.
- 5 You may <u>not</u> burn brush over 5-inches in diameter, pressure treated or painted wood, plywood, leaves, tires, tubes, refuse or other waste.
- 6 You must own the land where you intend to burn. If you do not own the land, you must have the owner's written approval.
- 7 You must be at least 18 years of age to obtain a permit.
- 8 Open burning must be 50 feet away from nearest field, brush, woodland, or structure.
- 9 You must have the means to extinguish the fire at any time. A hose, shovel or rake, and a bucket of water should be available at the fire.
- 10 Open burning must be constantly attended until the fire is completely extinguished.
- 11 The Fire Department shall order the extinguishment of any open burning that creates or adds to a hazardous or objectionable situation. If the fire becomes a nuisance it must be extinguished.
- 12 Even with a valid permit, under State law, any damage caused as a result of a kindled fire becomes the obligation of the party responsible for kindling the fire; *including the cost of suppression*.
- 13 Permitted burning is allowed between the hours of 5 p.m. and midnight. If it is raining or the ground has sufficient snow cover a permit may be issued for burning earlier than 5 p.m.

#### Annual Burn Permits for Chimineas, fire pits and outdoor fireplaces:

Permits are issued at the Fire Station on: Tuesday, March 9 from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 13 from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 11 from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. \*\*This is not a permit to burn brush.\*\*

#### **To Obtain Burn Permits:**

Contact the Fire Warden or one of the Deputy Fire Wardens listed below, before 5 p.m. Request a burn permit at least 24-hours prior to the start of your burn.

Deputy Fire Warden	Brian DiPietro	603-498-3162
Deputy Fire Warden	Kevin Schmit	603-433-5572
Deputy Fire Warden	Myrick Bunker	603-436-8698
Deputy Fire Warden	Mo Sodini	603-765-7904
Fire Warden	Ralph Cresta, Jr.	603-235-7676

## ❀ EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ※

Throughout 2009 we have continued to work on upgrading the Town's Emergency Operations Plan. The plan contains what are called "Essential Service Functions". Through a grant from Homeland Security/Emergency Management (HSEM) we have been working on the ESF's for Emergency Transportation, Mass Care & Sheltering, Food & Water and Health & Medical Services. We will be incorporating those into the basic plan during 2010.

We continue to insure that the Town is compliant with the requirements of the National Incident Management System or NIMS. This program requires that Town Personnel in all departments, including the school, take specific Incident Command courses related to their responsibility.

Because the Town is compliant in its Emergency Management function I was able to secure a grant from HSEM for \$24,000 to be used in conjunction with the monies appropriated by the School District for a generator for the Central School.

In 2010, Greenland Emergency Management and all Town departments will participate in three exercises conducted by the State of NH Office of Homeland Security & Emergency Management and the Federal Emergency Management Agency to test the Town's Radiological Emergency Response Plan. EM Team.

As we have seen from recent events in New Hampshire and elsewhere around the country, in emergency situations it is the local community that must be prepared to respond first to take care of its neighbors. We continue to seek individuals to join our emergency management team in protecting our community. Please contact me or leave your name at the Town Office if you are interested.

Any individual who has a special need or requires special assistance during an emergency should contact myself, the Town Clerk, Fire or Police Departments or the NH Office of Emergency Management so that we can have this information on file to help you if the need arises. This information is held in the strictest confidence in a sealed file.

Kenneth N. Fernald Emergency Management Director Greenland NH

### **※**GENERATOR SAFETY TIP **※**

#### Reminder from last year:

#### Handle With Care

If you own an emergency generator, it is critical for your safety and the safety of PSNH line crews that your equipment be properly installed. Improper installation can result in house fires or feeding electricity back into our lines, endangering the lives of repair crews.

It's also critical that PSNH be aware that you have a generator. If you have not already done so, <u>register</u> your generator so we can note the generator location and confirm that a safe transfer switch is being used to switch between standby and utility power. We may also be able to help with any questions you might have. Call us at (603) 634-2312, or write to PSNH's Supplemental Energy Sources Department at 780 North Commercial Street, Manchester, NH 03031.

#### **Other Important Considerations:**

Before you buy a generator, make sure it's the right size for your needs. Always have a qualified electrician install the generator, which must be connected to your home's wiring through a special transfer switch. This will ensure that the house wires are isolated from the utility wires.

Generators must be vented outside and must never be refueled while operating. You may need a town permit or an official inspection for the generator.

### **\*** FREE SENIOR WELLNESS CLINICS **\***

Where: Greenland Town Hall When: Third Tuesday of each month 1:00 – 3:00 P.M.

A registered nurse provides:

- Blood pressure checks
- Medications review
- Help with managing diabetes and other chronic illnesses
- Lifestyle changes including: Exercise, Nutrition and Stress Management

Sponsored by the Town of Greenland and Wentworth Connections

#### ✤ HEALTH OFFICER REPORT ♣

The year started with worldwide concerns over the Swine Flu virus and its potential to affect our health. Because of these concerns, there was considerable federally directed training and planning at both the state and regional level. Greenland officials, including your health officers, participated in several sessions. An extensive inspection of Camp Gundalow (YMCA) was accomplished; this in preparation for an expanded childcare operation for both pre-school and school age children. We were involved in several investigations involving both commercial and residential rental properties having health and safety implications; all were successfully resolved.

Last year, in this space, we provided a broad overview of the duties, responsibilities and authority of your health officers and touched upon your responsibilities as citizens. As part of the report, we included information about the prevalence of mosquitoes within our borders and the need for mosquito control. In this report, we should like to address naturally occurring radon in both the water we drink and the air we breathe. Radon is an odorless and invisible radioactive gas that emanates from soil and bedrock, including our famous granite. It enters our homes thru foundation cracks and pores, (older concrete is more porous than new and there is an increased hazard). Radon charged well water, when used for normal uses, such as laundry, bathing and cooking, releases radon gas into the atmosphere.

Of the states, New Hampshire has higher than average radon exposure potential. The average level of indoor radon in the U.S. is 1.25 picocuries per liter (pCi/L). In New Hampshire, it is estimated to be 1.80 pCi/L (44% higher). The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has established that 4.0 pCi/L is the level at which action should be taken to reduce radon concentration to less than 2 pCi/L. Even though there are no mandatory testing requirements, testing is recommended. In some NH communities more than half of homes tested have elevated radon levels (greater than 4.0 pCi/L); the seacoast is prone to higher radon levels than other parts of the state. Self-testing is possible and quite inexpensive. Kits are readily available locally for both water and air and either could cost less than a dinner for two.

The only way to determine residential radon exposure is by testing. If, after testing, there is an indicated radon problem, information and corrective recommendations are available from the NH Department of Environmental Services (DES) or in local Yellow Pages. For DES assistance, on-line help can be found at <u>http://des.nh.gov/onestop</u>. In most cases, it is possible to control radon levels at reasonable expense and this is recommended, especially if found in heavily used or occupied areas. These measures involve sealing of surfaces or soil ventilation to remove the gas.

Because of our geology, potential exposure to radon in New Hampshire is greater than the national average. It is estimated that long-term radon exposure leads to the deaths of an estimated 100 New Hampshire residents each year. For several years, State agencies have been collecting data to determine the incidence of radon in all parts of the state. Radon is a significant lung cancer contributor and second only to tobacco smoking as a causative agent in this disease; it was found that New Hampshire lung cancer rates are consistently at or above the national average. Because of these studies, it is estimated that, at a minimum, a quarter million New Hampshire homes remain untested for radon. Every home should have an initial test and if radon is found the results should be evaluated to determine what future testing or remedial action is required.

MANY THANKS to those of you who called us regarding potential health or environmental pollution problems. Mainly through your efforts, we have been able to prevent possible contamination of our water supply, Great Bay and a neighbor's property. The participation of every citizen is a necessity.

Wallace Berg and Jeff Canfield Health Officers

#### ✤ MONEY IN THE BANK-----SERVICE YOUR SYSTEM ※

The majority of homes in Greenland use septic systems and every year many home owners experience expensive failures! The majority of these failures can be traced back to **infrequent or no maintenance**, or overuse of the design capacity. Experience indicates that a majority of leach field failures are preventable and that the useable life of a leach field may exceed that of the owner. When the system gets clogged with particulate matter there is reduced effluent flow into the soil and a septic blowout occurs or there is a waste water back-up into the house. Field failures result in expensive repair or replacement contracts and can cost many thousands of dollars.

Warning signs of system failure are slow toilet flushing and/or slow draining sinks, especially during laundry operations. If the homeowner ignores these warning signs, and in the event the filter becomes totally clogged, the wastewater will back up into the home or seek relief by venting out somewhere in the leach system. These surface observable failures are serious environmental violations and may result in monetary penalties and legal action. Even if there is no filter in your system, and you notice the above symptoms, it is time to investigate the cause; better now than in the middle of the night! A properly designed system, with scheduled pumping, should, on average, need pumping only every two or three years. Cleaning can be done by the pumper.

Filters are biomat cylinders that reduce the size of solids that may flow and clog a leach system. The cylinder is constructed with 1/16" filter slots that will stop the passage of solids greater than 1/16". The cylinder is designed in such a way that a biomat will form on the tube. This biomat consists of anaerobic organisms and biologically active substrates that will help keep nutrients in the tank and out of the effluent stream. The filter is designed to prevent the escape of sludge and scum during normal operation.

Home kitchen and commercial food service operations discharge large quantities of byproducts into the effluent waste stream; these should be removed before they reach the leach bed. Commercial filters such as grease traps and grease interceptors are mandatory for commercial facilities which also require regular maintenance. Commercial filters are designed to filter out solids to 1/32", and will reduce the amount of grease, lint, flour, hair, food particles and high rates of suspended solids in the waste stream. All new systems should be designed with access risers and filters. Almost all tanks can be retrofitted with a proper filter and risers, installation of which can save the homeowner thousands of dollars and considerable inconvenience! Remember to pump your tank every 2-3 years, even if there are no apparent problems. I have seen tank fluids so **scum and sludge loaded** that hundreds of gallons of water had to be injected and the mass broken up with a shovel before the effluent could be pumped.

Wallace Berg Health Officer

**※** TRUSTEES OF THE TRUST FUNDS **※** 

Status of Trust Funds as of 31 December, 2009 Charles Schwab Investments (Weyland Capital Management LLC)

Account No.	Fund	Value 12/31/09
9077-9547	Gwendolyn Sanderson Fund	\$ 21,250.01
9414-7551	Cemetery Fund	226,139.37
8272-3291	Library Fund	82,674.64
8139-4770	Library Emergency Repair Fund	16,185.99
5547-4714	Library Future Growth Fund	284,967.26
2981-9618	Conservation Fund	86, 142.29
2797-1458	Fire Truck Fund	12,985.17
4256-8993	Vicinity Land Fund	31,302.04
2720-3242	Town Land Fund	265.02
1258-2807	Road Maintenance Fund	30, 338.69
6029-4601	School Bldg/Ground Maint. Fund	146,264.04
3125-3319	School District Rental Maint. Fund	132,788.90
9970-3503	Retirement Liability Fund	12,791.49
7242-0308	Mosquito Emergency Control Fund	2,432.37
2817-0515	Portsmouth Ave. Improvement Fund	107,158.49
5297-8077	Weeks School Fund	794.30
6851-6555	Weeks Sidewalk Fund	4,562.38
7427-9840	Construction Maintenance Fund	19,970.25
9199-1816	Unanticipated Storm Damage Fund	32,029.73
7663-9909	Generator Expendable Fund	60,245.90
	U.S. Trust Fund	Value 12/31/09

U.S. Trust Fund Emma Perkins Cemetery Fund

The Trustees had another busy year in 2009.

 Due to a change in State Laws, the Trustees were required to change investment representatives. After interviewing three individual firms, at two public hearings, Weyland Capital Management, LLC, representing Charles Schwab Investments, was selected. During the change over to the new firm, any co-mingled funds were separated and re-established as independent funds to conform to the 2008 audit findings. At the same time, the types of investments were changed to further protect the capital.

\$ 101,811.59

- Two new funds were established as a result of the 2009 Town Meeting. Those were: Construction and Maintenance of Town Property, and Unanticipated Storm Expense Expendable Fund.
- 3. Funds were added to several existing funds as directed by the 2009 Town Meeting warrant articles.
- 4. Funds were procured for the purchase of property abutting Town Hall. These funds came from the Town Land Fund and the Vicinity Town Land Fund.
- 5. Funds were paid out for the purchase of property abutting the Town Hall.
- 6. All the Trustees attended the spring seminars held by the Division of Charitable Trusts. The seminars are necessary to learn of changes in RSA's and associated information.

Respectfully Submitted, Leroy Syphers, Richard Rugg, John Soltis

## ※ CEMETERY TRUSTEES ※

Plots Sold:	
Mr. Douglas Wilson	\$1,000.00
Mr. & Mrs. Fred Lloyd	1,000.00
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Pinney	<u>2,000.00</u>
Total	\$4,000.00

50% of those funds have been invested in the Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund.

- 1. The Trustees continued updating the computer-aided map of Prospect Hill Cemetery. When this is completed, there will be a permanent record of all lots by family name. There is no permanent record at this point.
- 2. With information provided by Town Historian Paul Hughes, the Trustees have completed a map of Greenland, identifying some 37 private burial grounds. This map is displayed at the Town Hall. It should be noted that Mr. Hughes records all burials in Greenland. This project was started by his father, Paul C. Hughes and spans the years from the early 1700's through to present day. These records are also ready to be entered onto computer discs for a permanent record.
- 3. A set of Cemetery Rules and Regulations is being developed and will be ready for final adoption in the near future.
- 4. The Trustees would like to remind those who visit the cemeteries that there are no trash receptacles in place and clippings, etc. must be carried out. A substantial amount of time has been expended in the past to keep the areas free of trash.
- 5. Anyone needing information may contact L. Fitzgerald at 603-431-5122 (during the day) or 603-431-4632 (during the evening), or any of the Cemetery Trustees.

Respectfully submitted, Trustees: Leroy Syphers, Richard Rugg, Leonard Fitzgerald

The following is a report on Individual Perpetual Care Trust Funds for the Town of Greenland Cemetery Accounts. This report was done by Leone, McDonnell & Roberts, PA and CPA's. This report has been accepted by the State of NH, Attorney General's Office. Funds were co-mingled by previous Trustees and considerable time and effort has gone into trying to "right the ship". Hopefully, we should be able to produce a report in a much more timely manner in the future.

Respectfully submitted, Cemetery Trustees January 22, 2010

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# Listing of Common and Individual Trust Funds - Group A Greenland, NH

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Date Name of Fund	Type/Inv	01/01/05	New Funds	12/31/08	12/31/08	01/01/05	Gains	12/31/08	Expense	12/31/08	12/31/08
1936 NORTON, HELEN C.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1936 WEBSTER, MRS. JAMES	Cem/Com	370.20		(0.24)	369.96	10.27		10.36		20.63	390.59
1937 DAVIS, GEORGE E.	Cem/Com	1,099.07		(0.72)	1,098.35	30.66		30.76		61.42	1,159.78
1937 DURAND, JACOB M.	Cem/Com	1,099.07		(0.72)	1,098.35	30.66		30.76		61.42	1,159.78
1938 BARNETT, INEZ	Cem/Com	370.20		(0.24)	369.96	10.27		10.36		20.63	390.59
1938 DURGIN H & PETTIGREW J	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1939 WIGGIN, LAURA M.	Cem/Com	739.68		(0.48)	739.20	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.51
1939 YORK, E.J.	Cem/Com	1,029.98		(0.67)	1,029.31	28.24		28.83		57.07	1,086.38
1940 BERRY, GEORGE W.	Cem/Com	1,099.07		(0.72)	1,098.35	30.66		30.76		61.42	87.961,1 760 41
1940 DUNTLEY, LORENZO D.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	CBU.45
1940 JOY, ARTHUR	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	180.40
1940 LINGLEY, ANNIE	Cem/Com	1,099.07		(0.72)	1,098.35	30.66		30./6		147.10	1,109.78
1940 MARGESON, BERTHA B.	Cem/Com	2,875.34		(1.87)	2,873.47	82.92		80.49		163.41	3,030.88
1940 SHERWOOD, BRADBURY K.	Cem/Com	370.20		(0.24)	369.96	10.27		10.36		20.03	390.095
1940 TRUEMAN NELLIE & MAHONEY	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	1 750 22
1940 VAUGHAN, BERTHA	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1941 STIMPSON, ROBERT W.	Cem/Com	769.41		(0.50)	768.91	21.15		21.54		42.69	811.60
1942 CHAPMAN, ANNIE B.	Cem/Com	769.41		(0.50)	768.91	21.15		21.54		42.69	811.60
1942 MAHONEY, DENNIS	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	/80.45
1942 MANN, SARAH L.	Cem/Com	370.20		(0.24)	369.96	10.27		10.36		20.63	390.59
1942 ROWE, PERCY	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	78.066,1
1943 BRACKETT, CHARLES & FAN.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	1 1 1 0 20
1943 CHAPMAN, ANNIE	Cem/Com	1,099.07		(0.72)	1,098.35	30.66		30.76		61.42	87.8CT,T
1943 HOLMES, EDWARD W.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1943 ROKES, MARY P.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	- 739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1943 WEEKS, ADELAIDE	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1944 ANTROBUS, DAVID	Cem/Com	1,099.07		(0.72)	1,098.35	30.66		30.76		61.42	1,159.78
1944 CLOUGH, ALFRED	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1944 MAYERS, JAMES R.	Cem/Com	1,099.07		(0.72)	1,098.35	30.66		30.76		61.42	1,159.78
1946 SMITH, JAMES	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1947 BERRY AVERY & CAROLINE	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(96.0)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1947 CLOUGH, E.G.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1947 EVANS, STEPHEN	Cem/Com	439.70		(0.29)	439.41	12.76		12.31		25.07	464.48
1947 FITZGERALD, SAMUELL	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1948 JEWETT, LOT	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(96.0)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1948 PERKINS, PERCY T.	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1949 BRACKETT, THOMAS J.	Cem/Com	1,320.17		(0.86)	1,319.31	37.08		36.96		74.04	1,393.35
1949 STIASEN EMMA OWEN	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1949 WHITTEW, MARY MRS.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
<b>1950 TROFRIMOVICH EFRIM</b>	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1951 COOK, ARTHUR F.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45

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Greenland, NH Listing of Common and Individual Trust Funds - Group A

Principal

Income

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		Opening	-	Gains/Losses	Closing	Opening	•	Income		Closing	Total Closing
Date Name of Fund	Purpose Type/Inv	Balance 01/01/05	New Funds	1/1/05 - 12/31/08	Balance 12/31/08	Balance 01/01/05	Interest Gains	- c0/10/10 12/31/08	Expense	12/31/08	12/31/08
1061 DIIDELL ADDIE	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
	Cam/Com	739 67		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1951 IRELAIND, WITKA C.	Cem/Com	1 469 66		(0.96)	1.468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1951 LAIVIPRET, IVIAT 1961 DAI STAN DI ISSEIL & IDVING	Cem/Com	1,099.07		(0.72)	1.098.35	30.66		30.76		61.42	1,159.78
	Cem/Com	1.099.07		(0.72)	1,098.35	30.66		30.76		61.42	1,159.78
1951 SMITH FULLS NA	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
	Cem/Com	739.63		(0.48)	739.15	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.46
1957 RORINSON AREDNEGO	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1952 WALKER, WILLIAM A.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1953 BRACKETT, EDWIN	Cem/Com	1,099.07		(0.72)	1,098.35	30.66		30.76		61.42	1,159.78
1953 PACKER, CLINTON M.	Cem/Com	2,939.34		(1.91)	2,937.43	80.98		82.28		163.26	3,100.68
1954 FRINK. J.S.H.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1954 LOWD, FUBER & THEODORE	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1954 MCMULLEN, PAUL MR. & MR5.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1954 WILSON, FAY	Cem/Com	739.68		(0.48)	739.20	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.51
1955 JONES. REGINALD C.	Cem/Com	919.80		(09.0)	919.20	26.24		25.74		51.98	971.19
1955 MCKAY, ALBERT D.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1955 WALDREW, ELLIS G.	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1956 AKERLEY, CARL	Cem/Com	370.24		(0.24)	370.00	10.31		10.36		20.67	390.67
1956 MARDEN, ANNIE L.	Cem/Com	1,099.07		(0.72)	1,098.35	30.66		30.76		61.42	1,159.78
1956 MCINTIRE & DAVIS	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1956 PARKER. C.A. & H.W.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1956 WATERHOUSE GEORGE H.	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.88		41.14		82.02	1,550.72
1957 CANNON, HORACE	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1957 DOCKHAM, WALTER	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1957 HATCH, JUNE	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1957 HUSSY MILDRED & CHARLES	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1957 LANE, FRANK	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1957 MOORENOVICH, PETER	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	/80.45
1957 RECORD, J.A.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	/80.45
1957 ROLSTON, PARKER A.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1957 SANDERSON, LYNN J.	Cem/Com	3,683.24		(2.40)	3,680.84	104.48		103.37		207.85	3,888.69
1957 VALZANIA, ANGELO	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1957 WEEKS, WILLIAM R.	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1958 BECK, WILLIAM E.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	780.45
1958 BENNETT, MARTHA L.	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1958 CLOUGH, ARTHUR	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(96.0)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14		82.12	1,550.82
1958 SPENCER, L.B.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		41.31	1 170 00
1958 WEEKS & HUNTRESS	Cem/Com	1,469.66		(0.96)	1,468.70	40.98		41.14 00 70		21.20	20.00C,1
1959 ALCOTT, MARY B.	Cem/Com	739.62		(0.48)	739.14	20.61		20.70		4 	04.001

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	Total Closing Balance 12/31/08	780.45 1,550.82 1,235.55 780.45 780.45 780.45 780.45 780.45 5,100.00	216,382.23 216,382.23
	Closing Balance 12/31/08	41.31 82.12 65.94 41.31 41.31 41.31 41.31	9,217.23
	Current Expense	r	,
Income	Income 01/01/05 - 12/31/08	20.70 41.14 32.76 20.70 20.70 20.70 20.70	5,872.93 5,872.93
	Interest Gains		1
	Opening Balance 01/01/05	20.61 40.98 33.18 20.61 40.98 20.61 20.61	3,344.30
	Closing Balance 12/31/08	739.14 1,468.70 1,169.61 739.14 1,468.70 739.14 739.14 739.14 739.14 739.14	207,165.00 207,165.00
<sup>o</sup> rincipal	Sales Gains/Losses 1/1/05 - 12/31/08	(0.48) (0.96) (0.76) (0.76) (0.48) (0.48) (0.48) (0.48) (0.48)	(131.63) (131.63)
Prin	New Funds	5,100.00	5,100.00
	Opening Balance 01/01/05	739.62 1,469.66 1,170.37 739.62 1,469.66 739.62 739.62	202,196.63
	Purpose Type/Inv	Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com	
	Name of Fund	1959 BRACKET, JOHN R. 1959 CHAPMAN, J.A.M. 1959 GOWEN, CLARENCE E. 1959 HAZZARD, MILDRED E. 1959 ODELL, WILLIAM E. 1959 STAPLES, MARGARET 1959 THOMPSON, SUZZANE 2008 New Funds **	TOTALS
	Date	1959 BF 1959 CF 1959 HG 1959 HG 1959 CF 1959 TH 1959 TH 2008 Ne	GROUP A TOTALS

\*\*New funds deposited to TD Banknorth checking;included in Trust A for reporting purposes only

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Income	Income E	<b>ہ</b> י		(124.26)	(89.43)	(67.18)	(89.43)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(67.18)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(15.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44./4)	(44./4)	(44-74) (00,68)	(00.60)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(89.43)
		Interest	2000																																									
	Onening	Balance		81.07	64.70	48.63	64.66	64.70	32.35	32.35	32.35	64.66	32.35	64.15	32.35	64.66	32.35	48.63	32.35	32.35	11.95	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	56.20 74 43	04.17	32.33 64 66	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	64.66
	Closing	Balance	00/10/71	656.07	472.23	354.71	472.14	472.23	236.28	236.28	236.28	472.14	236.28	472.23	236.28	472.14	236.28	354.71	236.28	236.28	83.10	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	07.067	4/3.30	472.14	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	472.14
ipal	Salae Gaine	1/1/05 - 1/1/05 -	00/15/71	10.92	7.86	5.90	7.86	7.86	3.93	3.93	3.93	7.86	3.93	7.86	3.93	7.86	3.93	5.90	3.93	3.93	1.38	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93 1.93	7 02	3.93 7 86	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	7.86
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		Balance	GU/L0/L0	645.15	464.37	348.81	464.28	464.37	232.35	232.35	232.35	464.28	232.35	464.37	232.35	464.28	232.35	348.81	232.35	232.35	81.72	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	25.252	465.70	CC.2C2 0C AZA	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	464.78
		Purpose	l ype/inv	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com
		:	Name of Fund	1960 NORTON, BERTHA	1960 SCHURMAN, KENRETS	1961 BOURASSA, FREDERICK	1961 DAVIS, BYRON	1961 DAVIS. LIZZIE	1961 HAMEL HAZEL	BRACKETT, BURTON	1962 CASWELL, HAROLD	HAIGH, MRS. FREDA	1962 JETTE, ADELBERT	PARKER, CHARLES	SPENCER, ALLAN	1963 IRELAND, ARTHUR	ROLSTON, CORRINNE	WIRLING, FRANK	BROWNING, GEORGE	CARDER, ROBERT	1964 JONES, JERRIE RUGG	1964 LYNAM, SION	MARTELL, ROBERT	TODD, MARY	1965 CHOMACK, ALEXANDER	1965 DOWLING, MRS. DOROTHY	1965 HYATT, H.F.	1965 LOGAN, MRS. THOMAS	1965 MOODY, RICHARD	RICHARDS, DAVID & BRENDA			BRACKETT, WILLIAM	CASWELL, GLADYS	1967 GODFREY, GEORGE & DELIA	1967 IRELAND, JOHN & FLORENCE	1968 BRACKET, JOHN R.	COTTRELL, LILA J.	CROWELL J. WARREN	CROWELL. ALONZO	1968 DOWNS, MRS. CATHERINE	HOONHOUT, ROY	1968 JACKSON, ANNABEL	1068 SCHURNAN MILITON
			Date	1960 N(	1960 SC	1961 BC	1961 D/	1961 D/	1961 H/	1962 BR	1962 CA	1962 H/	1962 JE	1962 PA	1962 SP	1963 IR.	1963 RC	1963 W	1964 BF	1964 CA	1964 JC	1964 LY	1964 M	1964 TC	1965 CF	1965 DI	1965 H	196S LC	1965 M	1965 RI	1965 U(	1966 NI	1967 BI		1967 G	1967 IR	1968 81	1968 C(	1968 CI	1968 CI	1968 D	1968 H	1968 JA	1968 St

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	Total	Closing	12/31/08	447.37	223.89	223.89	223.89	223.89	447.37	223.89	223.89	447.37	223.89	223.89	447.37	223.89	223.89	223.89	223.89	223.89	223.89	447.37	223.89	447.37	223.89	223.89	223.89	223.89	223.89	447.37	223.89	223.89	223.89	223.89	223.89	447.37	223.89	223.89	674.09	223.89	223.89	447.37	223.85	223.89	223.89
		Closing	12/31/08	(24.77)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(24.77)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(24.77)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(24.77)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(24.77)	(12.39)	(24.77)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(24.77)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(24.77)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(37.86)	(12.39)	(12.39)	(24.77)	(12.43)	(12.39)	(12.39)
	Current	Expense	12/31/08																																										
Income		Income	12/31/08	(89.43)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(136.20)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(89.43)	(44.74)	(44.74)	(44.74)
		tocotol	Gains																																										
		Opening	01/01/05	64.66	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	64.66	32.35	32.35	64.66	32.35	32.35	64.66	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	64.66	32.35	64.66	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	64.66	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	32.35	64.66	32.35	32,35	98.34	32.35	32.35	64.66	32.31	32.35	32.35
		Closing	12/31/08	472.14	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	472.14	236.28	236.28	472.14	236.28	236.28	472.14	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	472.14	236.28	472.14	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	472.14	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	236.28	472.14	236.28	236.28	711.95	236.28	236.28	472.14	236.28	236.28	236.28
pal		Sales Gains	12/31/08	7.86	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	7.86	3.93	3.93	7.86	3.93	3.93	7.86	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	7.86	3.93	7.86	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	7.86	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	3.93	7.86	3.93	3.93	11.85	3.93	3.93	7.86	3.93	3.93	3.93
Principal		0)	New Funds																																										
		Opening	Balance 01/01/05	464.28	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	464.28	232.35	232.35	464.28	232.35	232.35	464.28	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	464.28	232.35	464.28	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	464.28	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	232.35	464.28	232,35	232.35	700.10	232.35	232.35	464.28	232.35	232.35	232.35
		1	Type/Inv	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com
			Name of Fund	1969 VAN FTTFN RICHARD	1970 COAKLEY, MRS, ERNA	1970 GANNON, MRS. JAMES	1970 MOLLEUR, ARCHIE	BARRETT, ROY	1971 DAVIDSON, REGINALD	NICHOLAS & MIZE	PATTEN, WILLIAM	STREET, E.Z. SR.	TALIENTI, CARL	BRIDGES, THOMAS	CASWELL, MARY	GREENE, JOSEPH	HOWE, EDWIN E.	1972 SHINE A. & BENNETT W.	1973 AREY, ROBERT	COT5. DOMINIC	DUNLAP R. & LACHANCE N.	EMERY, FRANK SR.	1973 JOHNSON, MRS. RALPH	KELLS. HAROLD J.	1973 MCSHANE, FRANK	1973 NOURSE, MELVIN	1973 TEBBETTS, MRS. FRANK	1973 WROBLEWSKI, SIGMONE	1974 BEYER, PAUL & PEARL	1974 CARLTON, RANSOM SR.	GUILBAULT, ROGER	HARTWELL, WALTER	1974 HAYDEN, GORDEN JR.	1974 HURD, MILDRED	1974 MARSHALL, FRANK	1974 NELSON, RICHARD	1974 ODIORNE, JOHN	1974 OSTROMEEKY, STANLEY M/M	1974 TELLES, VINCENT	1974 WORTMAN, MRS. HARRY	1975 GAGE, FRANK & VERNITA	1975 MARGUERITE R. & KEEFE R.	1975 RICHARDS, FRANK & ELLA	1975 WENTWORTH, RICHARD	1976 BENSON, OTTO
			Date	1969 V	1970 C	1970 6	1970 N	1971 B	1971 D	1971 N	1971 P	1971 S	1971 T	1972 8	1972 C	1972 G	1972 H	1972 S	1973 A	1973 C	1973 D	1973 E	1973 J	1973 K	1973 N	1973 N	1973 T	1973 V	1974 E	1974 C	1974 G	1974 H	1974 1	1974 F	1974 N	1974 N	1974 (	1974 (	1974 1	1974 \	1975 (	1975 A	1975 F	1975 \	1976 (

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	Closing Balance 12/31/08	(12.39) (12.39	(1,579.19)
	Current Expense 01/01/05 - 12/31/08		
Income	Income 01/01/05 - 12/31/08	(44.74) (44.74) (44.74) (44.74) (44.74) (44.74) (89.43) (89.43) (107.50) (107.50) (89.43) (107.50) (89.43)	(5,662.16) (5,662.16)
	Interest Gains		
	Opening Balance 01/01/05	32.35 32.35 32.35 32.35 32.35 64.66 32.35 64.66 32.35 64.68 32.35 64.68	4,082.97
	Closing Balance 12/31/08	236.28 236.28 236.28 236.28 236.28 472.14 472.14 472.14 236.28 236.28 236.28 236.28 236.28 236.28 236.28 236.28 236.28	29,893.00 29,893.00
ipal	Sales Gains 1/1/05 - 12/31/08	3.93 3.93 3.93 3.93 3.93 3.93 7.86 3.93 3.93 3.93 3.93 3.93 3.93	497.48 497.48
Principal	New Funds		
	Opening Balance 01/01/05	232.35 232.35 232.35 232.35 464.28 232.35 464.28 232.35 232.35 232.35 232.35 232.35 232.35 232.35 232.35 232.35 232.35 232.35 232.35	29,395.52
	Purpose Type/Inv	Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com	
	Date Name of Fund	1976 CUMMINGS, CHAS. 1976 KERN, JOHN 1977 HARTFORD, RUTH 1977 HARTFORD, RUTH 1977 SOULE, JOSEPH 1977 SOULE, JOSEPH 1977 SOULE, JOSEPH 1977 WILUAMS, ALICE 1977 WILUAMS, ALICE 1977 FIELDS, WINIFRED 1978 FIELDS, WINIFRED 1978 REICHENBACH, KATHERINE 1978 REICHENBACH, KATHERINE 1979 MITCHELL, SHARON 1979 PAGE W/H & MORI C/E	GROUP B TOTALS

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	Total Closing Balance		115.57	10.011	/0.011	115.5/	231.16	115.57	115.5/	231.16	115.56	115.56	115.56	115.56	115.56	115.56	231.17	369.39	115.57	115.57	231.16	231.16	115.57	231.16	115.57	369.40	231.17	75.11	115.57	231.17	115.57	231.17	115.57	115.57	115.57	115.57	115.57	115.57	115.57	115.57	115.57	231.17	369.66	115.57
	Closing Balance		(9.04)	(9.04)	(9.04)	(9.04)	(18.09)	(6.04)	(9.04)	(18.09)	(6.05)	(9.05)	(6.05)	(9.05)	(6.05)	(6.05)	(18.08)	(32.89)	(6.04)	(6.04)	(18.09)	(18.09)	(9.04)	(18.09)	(9.04)	(32.88)	(18.08)	(5.88)	(9.04)	(18.08)	(9.04)	(18.08)	(9.04)	(9.04)	(9.04)	(9.04)	(9.04)	(9.04)	(9.04)	(9.04)	(9.04)	(18.08)	(32.62)	(9.04)
Income	Current	cxpense																																										
	Income 01/01/05 - 12/31/08	90/1 <i>61</i> 71	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(36.57)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(36.57)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(36.57)	(59.02)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(36.57)	(36.57)	(18.27)	(36.57)	(18.27)	(59.02)	(36.57)	(11.88)	(18.27)	(36.57)	(18.27)	(36.57)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(36.57)	(59.02)	(18.27)
	Interest	ains																																										
	Opening Balance	G0/L0/L0	9.23	9.23	9.23	9.23	18.48	9.23	9.23	18.48	9.22	9.22	9.22	9.22	9.22	9.22	18.49	26.13	9.23	9.23	18.48	18.48	9.23	18.48	9.23	26.14	18.49	6.00	9.23	18.49	9.23	18.49	9.23	9.23	9.23	9.23	9.23	9.23	9.23	9.23	9.23	18.49	26.40	9.23
	Closing Balance	12/31/08	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	249.25	124.61	124.61	249.25	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	249.25	402.28	124.61	124.61	249.25	249.25	124.61	249.25	124.61	402.28	249.25	81.00	124.61	249.25	124.61	249.25	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	249.25	402.28	124.61
Principal	Sales Gains/Loss es 1/1/05 -	12/31/08	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(21.97)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(13.61)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(6.81)	(21.97)	(13.61)	(4.42)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(21.97)	(6.81)
		New Funds																																										
	Opening Balance	01/01/05	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	262.86	131.42	131.42	262.86	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	262.86	424.25	131.42	131.42	262.86	262.86	131.42	262.86	131.42	424.25	262.86	85.42	131.42	262.86	131.42	262.86	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	262.86	424.25	131.42
	Purpose	Type/Inv	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com
	:	Name of Fund	N, LOUISE	, RANSOM	<b>NARD &amp; ETTA</b>	1980 KATSONIS, FLO & ARLENE	DN, FRANK	1980 SANFORD, ALBERT & NORINE	STEPHEN & D.	r, John R. JR.	CHARD	VUL	CECILE	BARBARA	1982 LADD, DONALD H & RUTH	1982 MORSE, HAROLD & MUSS J.	IAMES	VTHEA M.	ARL	1983 MARTIN, HARRY & MARY	1983 SARGENT, PETER & PAULA	ARRY P.	EVERETT & C.	5, CLIFFORD	CARL	H, HENRY	BRACKETT, JOHN ROSS	CHARD	STANLEY & G.	1985 WILSON, HERB & BARBARA	1986 BEEKMAN, HENRY & ROSE.	0, A.F.	1986 GILBERT, JAMIE & MARIE	1986 HODGES, ALBERT & LILLIAN	I, MARTIN	1986 IRELAND, FRANK & ELEANOR	1986 KOHLHASE, WEBSTER & LENA	, WALTER	ELLSWORTH	LEROY & P.	1987 CROSS, ROBERT W. & JEAN	MEL	OBERT	1987 MURPHY, MAURICE & MARY
		Date	1980 BAGDOYAN, LOUISE	1980 CARLTON, RANSOM	1980 DYER, EDWARD & ETTA	1980 KATSONIS	1980 PATTERSON, FRANK	1980 SANFORD,	1980 VICKERY, STEPHEN & D.	1981 BRACKETT, JOHN R. JR.	1981 RUGG, RICHARD	1982 CHASE, PAUL	1982 COWAN, CECILE	1982 DIBELLA, BARBARA	1982 LADD, DO	1982 MORSE, H	1982 WILBUR, JAMES	1983 HUSSEY, ATHEA M.	1983 JEWELL, CARL	1983 MARTIN, I	1983 SARGENT,	1983 WAITT, HARRY P.	1984 BENNETT, EVERETT &	1984 FLANDERS, CLIFFORD	1984 MATSON, CARL	1984 SHAPLEIGH, HENRY			1985 STRONG, STANLEY & G.	1985 WILSON, I	1986 BEEKMAN	1986 DEFILLIPO, A.F.	1986 GILBERT, J	1986 HODGES,	1986 HOEFLICH, MARTIN	1986 IRELAND,	1986 KOHLHAS	1986 MCENTEE, WALTER	1986 SHOUAN, ELLSWORTH	1986 SYPHERS, LEROY & P.	1987 CROSS, RC	1987 CUSTER, MEL	1987 MAYER, ROBERT	1987 MURPHY,

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	Total Closing Balance 12/31/08					115.56	115.56						110.00				u.—																									) 282.16
	Closing Bałance 12/31/08	9	(9.04)	(18.11)	(6.05)	(6.05)	(9.05)	(9.05)	(0.00) (0.26)	(7.7)	(30.02)		(e0.6)	10.6	(18.01)	(9.10)	(0.01)	(8.91)	(17.82)	(8.91)	(8.91)	(17.82)	(9.55)	. (9.55)	(9.55)	(9.55)	(9.55)	(9.55)	(9.55)	(14.34)	(9.55)	(9.55)	(9.55)	(35.91)	(9.55)	(9.55)	(17.67)	(11.77)	(11.77)	(11.77)	(29.37)	(29.37)
Income	Current Expense																																									
	Income 01/01/05 - 12/31/08		(12.81)	(36.57)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18 27)	(18.27)		(10.4)	(10.27)	(10.27)	(18.27)	(12.01)	(36.57)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(36.57)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(36.57)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(27.43)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(59.02)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(27.43)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(18.27)	(45.70)	(45.70)
	Interest Gains																																									
	Opening Balance 01/01/05		9.23	18.46	9.22	9.22	0 22	17.0 0 0 0	27.6	2.32	9.22	77.6	9.22	9.20	18.56	9.11	9.26	9.36	18.75	9.36	9.36	18.75	8.72	8.72	8.72	8.72	8.72	8.72	8.72	13.09	8.72	8.72	8.72	23.11	8.72	8.72	9.76	6.50	6.50	6.50	16.33	16.33
	Closing Balance 12/31/08		124.61	249.25	124.61	124.61	124 61	10421	10.421	31.15	124.61	124.01	124.61	124.01	249.25	124.61	124.61	124.61	249.25	124.61	124.61	249.25	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	124.61	186.92	124.61	124.61	124.61	402.28	124.61	124.61	186.92	124.61	124.61	124.61	311.54	311.54
Princinal	Sales Sales Gains/Loss es 1/1/05 - 12/31/08		(6.81)	(13.61)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(E 81)	(10-0) (F0-0)	(10.0)	(1./0)	(6.81)	(0.81)	(6.81)	(0.81)	(13.61)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(10.21)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(21.97)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(10.21)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(6.81)	(17.01)	(17.01)
	New Funds																																									
	Opening Balance 01/01/05		131.42	262.86	131.42	131 42		131.42	131.42	32.85	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	262.86	131.42	131.42	131.42	262.86	131.42	131.42	262.86	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	131.42	197.13	131.42	131.42	131.42	424.25	131.42	131.42	197.13	131.42	131.42	131.42	328.55	328.55
	Purpose Type/Inv		Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com		Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com
	Name of Fund		7 SYPHERS, LEROY / PRISCILLA	1988 DEARBORN ELEANOR & DON.	1000 CLARK TONA & GRACF	1000 CONTINE DANCE & DAPDARA	CULLINS, MANUE & BANDANA	1988 DRISCOLL, JOHN & LORRAINE	19B8 KOHLHASE, LENA & WEBSTER	1988 MATSON, MRS. CARL	1988 PHILBRICK, MR/MRS SHERMAN	1988 RODNEY & BONNIE GARDNER	1988 SARGENT, JOHN & PAULA	1989 BAKER, FRANCIS & J. ALBERT	1989 CAUDILL, VINCENT & PRIS.	1989 GOLLER, RAYMOND & DOROTHY	1989 PRESTON, LUTHER	1991 J. & K. KERSE, & E. SPRAGUE	1991 MACK. MICHAEL AND JANET	1991 SMITH, ALFRED AND SUSAN	1992 MCDONALD, WILLIAM	2 BYRNES. ROBERT AND MENSIE	1993 HALL, JOHN KERN & PHILIP	1993 CODISPOTI, JOHN	1993 DITZLER, SAMUEL & ELEANOR	1993 FULLAM, JOHN & JILL	B PARSONS, ROBERT & MARION	3 STIVERS, WILLIAM & IRENE	1994 DELFINO, DAVID AND LUCILLE	1994 BURNELL, TIMOTHY	4 CASWELL, WILLIAM AND PRISCILLA	1994 COVEY, WILLIAM AND JUDITY	1994 DESIMONE, ARTHUR	1994 HAROLD PIPER	1994 ONDERDONK, WILBUR AND GLORIA	1994 SAAD, FERRIS	1995 COLBEY, MELVINEA	1995 COYLE, ALEXANDER AND MURIEL	1995 MARGARET BLAKENEY	1995 TOWLE, NARDENE	1996 ARSENAULT, DONALD AND JEAN	1996 BROWN, DONALD F.
	Date		1987	195	101		NAT .	198	191	198	195	196	195	198	195	195	195	199	196	196	196	1992	195	195	195	195	1993	1993	19	195	1994	195	190	195	195	195	192	19	19	19:	19	19

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	Total	Closing Balance	12/31/08	282.16	113.20	CC.077	282.16			251.30	251.30						139.64	232.72	235.79	214.33	255.71	426.17	127.85			254.33		4		84./8	847.74	142.23	284.46	284.46	142.23	20,923.06	20,923.06
		Closing Balance	12/31/08	(29.37)	(11.33)	(n/ .zz)	(29.37)	(79.02)	(29.37)	(32.51)	(32.51)	(19.53)	(cn./cl)	(19.53)	(32.51)	(33.54)	(20.13)	(33.54)	(31.21)	(28.38)	(33.98)	(56.64)	(16.98)	(11.33)	(1 / .08)	(35.36)	(58.94)	(58.94)	(11.79)	(11.79)	(117.89)	0.00	0.00	0.00	•	(2,019.94)	
Income		Current	Expense																																1		
		Income 01/01/05 -	12/31/08	(45.70)	(18.27)	(/ 92)	(45.70)	(45.70)	(45.70)	(41.63)	(41.63)	(24.99)	(175.13)	(24.99)	(41.63)	(39.06)	(23.45)	(39.06)	(39.17)	(35.61)	(42.50)	(70.83)	(21.25)	(14.17)	(21.25)	(42.50)	(70.83)	(70.83)	(14.17)	(14.17)	(141.67)				•	(3,240.61)	(3,240.61)
		Interest	Gains																																·	•	
		Opening Balance	01/01/05	16.33	6.94	13.87	16.33	15.13	16.33	9.12	9.12	5.46	38.08	5.46	9.12	5.52	3.32	5.52	7.96	7.23	8.52	14.19	4.27	2.84	3.57	7.14	11.89	11.89	2.38	2.38	23.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	•	1,220.67	
	_	Closing Balance	12/31/08	311.54	124.61	249.25	311.54	311.54	311.54	283.81	283.81	170.29	1,192.10	170.29	283.81	266.27	159.76	266.27	267.00	242.71	289.69	482.81	144.84	96.57	144.84	289.69	482.81	482.81	96.57	96.57	965.62	142.23	284.46	284.46	142.23	22,943.00	22,943.00
Principal	Sales	Gains/Loss	12/31/08	(17.01)	(6.81)	(13.61)	(17.01)	(17.01)	(17.01)	(15.50)	(15.50)	(0:30)	(65.10)	(0:30)	(15.50)	(14.54)	(8.73)	(14.54)	(14.58)	(13.26)	(15.82)	(26.37)	(1.91)	(5.27)	(1.91)	(15.82)	(26.37)	(26.37)	(5.27)	(5.27)	(52.74)	(7.77)	(15.54)	(15.54)	(7.7)	(1,253.00)	(1,253.00)
			New Funds																																•	'	
		Opening	01/01/05	328.55	131.42	262.86	328.55	328.55	328.55	299.31	299.31	179.59	1,257.20	179.59	299.31	280.81	168.49	280.81	281.58	255.97	305.51	509.18	152.75	101.84	152.75	305.51	509.18	509.18	101.84	101.84	1,018.36	1S0.00	300.00	300.00	150.00	24,196.00	
			Type/Inv	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Cam	Cem/Com	Cem/Cam	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com	Cem/Com		
			Name of Fund	1996 MACDONALD, RAYMOND R. & MARY P.	1996 POWERS, MARTI	1996 SANFORD, DOROTHY	1996 SEAVEY, BEATRICE	1997 FOX, DELL H. & LAURA L.	1997 MARCHULIATUS, ADAM A. & CHRISTINE	1998 DOW, LOUIS & BEV	1998 MILLER, DON & LENORE	1998 MUELLER, CARL & MARY	1998 NELSON, RICHARD & MARGARET	1998 SMALL, CARL & GOLD	1998 WENTWORTH, MR. & MRS.	1999 CASWELL, BILL	1999 HAYDEN, GEORGE	1999 LAFLAMME, MARGARET	DEMO, RON	2000 MUCHMORE, DAVID	GIRARDIN, SID	KERN, JANE	SARGENT, JOHN	SAUNDERS, JUANITA	2002 DON PEARL	2002 KATHERINE MANTER	2002 LIONEL SIROIS	PAUL SANDERSON	2003 B. WEEKS	2003 BAIRD	2003 E. GILMORE	2004 A. BRACKETT	2004 C. THOMPSON	2004 HAYDEN/PARENTEAU	S. LYNDES	GROUP C TOTALS	
			Date	1996	1996	1996	1996	1997	1997	1998	1998	1998	1998	1998	1998	1999	1999	1999	2000	2000	2001	2001	2001	2001	2002	2002	2002	2002	2003	2003	2003	2004	2004	2004	2004		

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# Greenland, NH Listing of Common and Individual Trust Funds

Assumptions:

- 1) New funds received in 2008 were included in Group A for reporting purposes only. These funds were deposited to TB Banknorth. It is assumed that these funds will be deposited to Trust C, the most recently opened trust.
- 2) It is assumed from prior year notes and names contained in the trust that Group A includes library and cemetery funds.
- were reported on the income side of the reports versus prior years in which changes in principal were recorded on the principal 3) There was a change in recording sales gains/losses, income/losses and expenses. In 2005, all changes in the value of the account side of the report. Since 2005, the reports have included principal, income, and expense changes together.

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# Greenland, NH Listing of Common and Individual Trust Funds - Unfunded Individual Cemetary Trust Funds - 2005-2007

# Principal

Closing Balance 12/31/08	300.00 750.00 300.00 350.00 350.00 350.00 350.00 350.00 350.00 350.00	5,100.00
Sales Gains/Los ses 1/1/05 - 12/31/08	·	
New Funds	300.00 750.00 750.00 750.00 300.00 350.00 350.00 750.00 750.00 350.00 350.00 350.00 350.00	5,100.00
Opening Balance 01/01/05		2
Purpose Type/Inv	Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com	
e Name of Fund	2004 HAYDEN/PARENTEAU - ADJ 2005 STOCKER, JOHN W 2005 HUNKINS, ANGUS Y 2005 SYPHERS, LEROY & PRISCILLA 2006 RENES, DONALD 2006 ENGELS, DAVID 2006 ENGELS, DAVID 2006 FIELDSON, HENRY 2007 SAMONAS, JOHN 2007 SCULLY, EDWARD	GROUP S TOTALS
Date	IN	

Greenland, NH Listing of Common and Individual Trust Funds - Unfunded Individual Cemetary Trust Funds - 2008

# Principal

Closing Balance 12/31/08	600.00 1,000.00 500.00 2,000.00 1,000.00	5,100.00
Sales Gains/Los ses 1/1/05 - 12/31/08	L	
New Funds	600.00 1,000.00 500.00 2,000.00 1,000.00	5,100.00
Opening Balance 01/01/05		-
Purpose Type/Inv	Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com Cem/Com	
Name of Fund	2008 CARLIN, RICHARD 2008 DRAKE, F 2008 HAZEN, NATHAN 2008 KESSELL, JAMES/DAWN 2008 MCCULLOUGH, S	GROUP S TOTALS
Date	2008 2008 2008 2008 2008	



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Though many areas of the country faced financial challenges in 2009, Greenland remained in good fiscal standing. We again managed our cash flow so that we did not have to borrow in anticipation of taxes. All funds are deposited in safe and secure accounts and are carefully monitored. 1 am very pleased with the co-operation of all the Town employees with whom I interact with and who make my work go so smoothly. All financials are available for viewing at the Town Office as a matter of public record.

	GENERAL FUND
Balance 12/31/08	\$ 5,075,849.97
Balance 12/31/09	\$ 3,683,004.72*
*includes uncleared transactions of	f - \$ 1,181,806.73
	SPECIAL AMBULANCE FUND
Balance 12/31/08	\$155,451.08
Balance 12/31/09	\$184,727.76
	RECREATION FUND
Balance 12/31/08	\$22,347.17
Balance	\$25,712.08
	POLICE SPECIAL DETAIL FUND
Balance 12/31/08	\$ 118,655.17
Balance 12/31/09	\$ 49,350.18
Respectfully submitted,	

Jim Rolston Treasurer

# TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

#### For the Municipality of Greenland Yr. Ending 2009

		DEBITS					
UNCOLLECTED TAXES-	Levy for Year	Levy for Year PRIOR LEVIES					
BEG. OF YEAR*		of this Report		2008	3	2007 20	006
Property Taxes****	#3110	xxxxxx	\$	240,606.89			
Resident Taxes	#3180	*****					
Land Use Change	#3120	хххххх	\$	60,222.00			
Yield Taxes	#3185	хххххх					
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd	#3187	*****					
Utility Charges	#3189	*****					
Excess Credits		****					
TAXES COMMITTED THIS YEAR	l				FOR D	RA USE ON	LY
Property Taxes	#3110	\$ 8,525,958.00			1		
Resident Taxes	#3180				1		
Land Use Change	#3120	\$ 41,280.00			]		
Yield Taxes	#3185	\$ 804.88					
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd	#3187	\$ 450.00			]		
Utility Charges	#3189				]		
Return Check		\$ 75.00			]		
OVERPAYMENT:							
Property Taxes	#3110	\$ 37,046.00	\$	9,071.98			
Resident Taxes	#3180						
Land Use Change	#3120	\$ 51.29					
Yield Taxes	#3185						
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd	#3187						
····							
Interest - Late Tax	#3190	\$ 5,068.83	\$	18,033.73			
Resident Tax Penalty	#3190						
TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 8,610,734.00	\$	327,934.60	\$	\$	

\*This amount should be the same as the last year's ending balance. If not, please explain.

NH DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION MUNICIPAL SERVICES DIVISION P.O. BOX 487, CONCORD, NH 03302-0487 (603)271-3397

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# TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

#### For the Municipality of Greenland Year Ending 2009

		CREDITS				
REMITTED TO TREASURER	L	evy for this Year 2009		PRIOR LEVIES		6
Property Taxes	\$	8,341,045.50	\$ 147,423.54			
Resident Taxes						
Land Use Change	\$	41,280.00	\$ 21,482.00			
Yield Taxes	\$	804.88				
Interest (include lien conversion)	\$	5,068.83	\$ 18,033.73			
Penalties						
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd	\$	450.00				
Utility Charges						
Conversion to Lien (principal only)			\$ 136,177.88			
Ret. Check Fees	\$	75.00				
DISCOUNTS ALLOWED						
ABATEMENTS MADE						
Property Taxes			\$ 4,817.45			
Resident Taxes						
Land Use Change						
Yield Taxes						
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd						
Utility Charges						
					_	
CURRENT LEVY DEEDED						
END OF Y	'EAR	#1080				
Property Taxes	\$	222,009.79	\$ 31,492.55			
Resident Taxes						
Land Use Change						
Yield Taxes						
Excavation Tax @ \$.02/yd						
Utility Charges						
TOTAL CREDITS	\$	8,610,734.00	\$ 327,934.60	\$	\$	

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

#### For the Municipality of Greenland Year Ending 2009

#### DEBITS

	Last Year's Levy 2008		PRIOR LEVIES				
Unredeemed Liens Balance at Beg. of Fiscal Year			\$	151,748.54	\$	17,295.14	
Liens Executed During Fiscal Year	\$	147,573.04					
Interest & Costs Collected (AFTER LIEN EXECUTION)	\$	5,227.80	\$	21,741.53	\$	6,434.36	
TOTAL DEBITS	\$	152,800.84	\$	173,490.07	\$	23,729.50	\$ 

#### CREDITS

		Las	Last Year's Levy		PRIOR LEVIES			
REMITTED TO TREA	SURER:			(PLEASE SPECIFY Y		SE SPECIFY YEARS)		
		—	2008					
Redemptions		\$	116,080.49	\$	142,920.01	\$	17,294.14	
Interest & Costs Collected	#3190		C 007 00		04 744 50		0 404 00	
(After Lien Execution)	#3190	\$	5,227.80	\$	21,741.53	\$	6,434.36	
							-	
Abatements of Unredeemed Liens	3							
Liens Deeded to Municipality								
Unredeemed Liens Balance								
End of Year	#1110	\$	31,492.55	\$	8,828.53	\$	1.00	
TOTAL CREDITS		\$	152,800.84	\$	173,490.07	\$	23,729.50	\$

Does your municipality commit taxes on a semi-annual basis (RSA 76:15-a) ?\_\_\_\_\_\_

TAX COLLECTOR'S SIGNATURE Marqueite St Morgan DATE 3-8-2010

# 券 PLANNING BOARD 券

During 2009, as has been the case in recent years, the Planning Board reviewed no significantly large residential or commercial applications. Oversight of the expanding development at Falls Ways along with a normal, if somewhat low, volume of minor subdivision and change of use applications continued throughout the year. Work on the Town Master Plan was completed, and review of a report on traffic projections and impact along the Route 33 corridor was completed. The Board spent significant time in our bi-monthly meetings crafting revisions to our town ordinances and regulations. It should be noted that the Planning Board's responsibility is to review and recommend changes to town zoning ordinances. The enactment of new or revised ordinances can only occur through a positive vote of the townspeople, which occurs on the town ballot in the week prior to the Annual Town Meeting.

A decided effort was put forth this year to address the commercial development of Route 33 and explore the possibility of creating a Village District, approximately from the intersection of Route 33 and 151 to the Post Office. The UNH Cooperative Extension was once again tasked by the Board to help us obtain input and direction from Town residents. To that end, a workshop was held in December at Greenland Central School administered by the Cooperative Extension and facilitated by Town residents. Expressions of support, along with voices of concern, were all noted and I wish to thank those residents who sacrificed a Saturday morning and attended. A thorough review of options concerning zoning along Route 33 and the creation of a Village District will occur over the coming year and it is expected to be a multi-year project. Residents and business owners are encouraged to attend the meetings in which these issues will be discussed to express your views. It is anticipated that working groups in which residents can become involved will be created in the future to assist in this endeavor.

The Town has continued its association with the Rockingham Planning Commission and our Circuit Rider, Mr. Dylan Smith, is available to answer questions and review applications on Wednesdays from 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm at the Town Hall. The Planning Board itself meets on the first and third Thursday of each month and I once again encourage residents to attend, become familiar with issues before the Board and voice your opinion.

In closing, I would like to thank two board members who are stepping aside for their years of service. Aidan Moore and Bill Bilodeau always provided us with reasoned discourse, at times challenged us with contrary views, and on more than a few occasions, delivered levity when it was required most. Your presence is going to be missed.

Respectfully submitted,

John F. McDevitt Chairman

# **※STORM WATER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM** 滲

The Town of Greenland is included, along with 45 other New Hampshire communities, in a federal program to improve stormwater management practices and stormwater quality. The US Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA) instituted a program in late 2003, whereby certain communities with municipal separate storm sewer systems (so-called "MS4s") are required to receive authorization under a federal permit for the discharge of stormwater from those systems. The five-year permit that was issued has expired and the requirements of the new permit are due to be released soon.

Stormwater discharges, if not effectively managed, can be a significant source of pollutants in surface waters that receive the stormwater. In Greenland, all stormwater flows ultimately to the Great Bay Estuary. It is extremely important that we protect our bay by controlling all sources of pollution that we can.

During 2009, a special emphasis was placed on the proper use of lawn fertilizers and the importance of limiting runoff from household activities into adjacent catch basins. Please consider washing your vehicles on your lawn – not in your driveway, the detergents will then naturally filter through the soil rather than drain directly to a water body. Pet waste containers have been placed at the town's parks, with disposal bags available. The Town has also reduced the amount of road salt that is applied during the winter, primarily by purchasing a better product that spreads more efficiently.

Greenland considers the protection of our water resources very seriously. Some of the activities that are taking place are:

- Continued participation in Household Hazardous Waste Collection Days
- The installation of decals on each catch basin in town to remind residents that nothing other than rain water should be allowed to drain into them
- Maintaining town maps that show the location of catch basins
- Vacuum cleaning all catch basins on an annual basis
- Surveying brooks, rivers, streams and Great Bay for evidence of illicit discharges
- Participation in the Seacoast Stormwater Coalition in order to stay informed on new requirements and how best to meet them

Greenland has made significant progress in the program and will continue to do whatever is necessary to comply with the new requirements that will be released soon. Residents can help in this important project by:

- Washing vehicles and other equipment on your lawns, not driveways
- Be aware of the town's ordinances and comply with them
- Keep pet waste away from drainage areas
- Avoid excess fertilizing or watering of lawns
- Keep drainage swales and culverts free of litter and debris

Interest and participation in Greenland's Stormwater Management Program by town residents is an important part of the program. Questions about the program and its different elements are encouraged, and can be directed to the Town Administrator.

# ℜ RECREATION COMMISSION ℜ

nce again it is my great pleasure to address you on behalf of the Greenland Recreation Committee. The committee members are Jose Roy, Cindy Smith, Erica Rahn, Carol DeStefano, and Peter Kratamenos. The committee has had a full schedule this past season starting in January with special events, which included an ice fishing class hosted by the NH Fish and Game Department, followed by a day of ice fishing and cookout on the ice. That was followed by hosting the fifth-grade basketball tournament in cooperation with Portsmouth. It continued into the spring where our baseball, softball, and T-ball programs grew to 160 participants.

The summer events included our summer concert series in cooperation with the Greenland Veterans and Greenland Women's Club. The concert series was a huge success. The Women's Club and the Greenland Vets did an absolutely wonderful job in the planning and execution of the summer concert series. They are to be commended for their volunteer work and continued commitment to the Town of Greenland.

The summer youth programming included several different camps ranging from baseball, to soccer, to football and jump rope. This fall season we were fortunate enough to add an experienced soccer coordinator to our team, Peter Kratamenos. He did a wonderful job in his first year of overseeing our soccer program, which served over 120 children. School began, and with that came our wildly successful program, Coyote Club. Kids were once again beating down the doors to enter this program. Soccer, horseback riding, and jump rope club round out some of our fall activities. As you can see, our programming continues to grow and we have mentioned only a few things here.

Last year saw several new steps the Recreation Committee took in breaking down the barriers with surrounding towns. We have partnered with several youth athletic groups to continue to grow our youth programming. We have also met with the City of Portsmouth and had discussions on how to improve local recreational programming, improve field conditions, and had general discussions on how we may work together for the benefit of our citizens. We hope these efforts will continue to improve programming and facilities for all of our Greenland residents.

One of our main goals is to continue to develop adult and senior programming. We cannot do this without the help of our residents. The Recreation Committee is made up of a group of volunteers. The number of members on the committee limits what we are able to do. To continue to expand adult and senior programming we need more help. We are currently looking for two or three more committee members to oversee senior and adult programming. I am frequently asked why we do not run activities such as bus trips to shows in Boston or a bus trip to Foxwoods. The answer is simple; we do not have the help to organize these activities. We need your help.

To start the new year, we are proud to announce the offering of our adult Zumba dance class. The class will be held in the cafeteria at the Greenland Central School, Wednesday nights at 7:15. The first class had 32 participants. This is a phenomenal turnout. We would like to continue to offer more of these programs in the upcoming year.

The Recreation Committee would like to thank several key players in our continued growth in 2009. The Greenland Women's Club, the Greenland Veterans, Breaking New Grounds, Exeter Subaru, Matt Sargent Handyman, Fox Point Installation, Kelly Services, Bramber Valley Golf, Mizuna and the Greenland House of Pizza. Thank you for all of your support.

This year we will continue to use the revolving fund to upgrade facilities and equipment so there will be no burden on the taxpayers. We have no major projects scheduled for this upcoming year. Our final goal for 2010 will be to gather several of our community's independent groups to work together to continue to expand Greenland's recreational activities. We have seen through the summer concert series what can happen when three groups; Greenland Women's Club, Greenland Veterans and Greenland Recreation Department work together for a common goal. Another great example of groups working together is the Jason Hussey Road race. The Greenland Recreation Committee looks forward to the continued growth of these partnerships for the betterment of our community.

I cannot thank our committee members enough for their hard work and commitment in 2009. We look forward to another busy and fun filled year in 2010.

Respectfully submitted Brian Pafford Chairman recreation committee bpafford@greenlandrec.com



#### Greenland residents gather together at one of the Summer Concerts

# **※**GREENLAND CONSERVATION COMMISSION **※**

The Greenland Conservation Commission met on the first Monday of each month during 2009. We welcome and encourage anyone interested in conservation issues to attend our meetings.

RSA 36-A:2 requires our Commission to assure the proper utilization and protection of the natural resources and the protection of watershed resources in Greenland. It stipulates that we shall conduct researches into its local land and water areas and shall seek to coordinate the activities of unofficial bodies organized for similar purposes, and may advertise, prepare, print and distribute books, maps, charts, plans and pamphlets, which in its judgment it deems necessary for its work. Additional stipulations are that we shall keep an index of all open space and natural, aesthetic or ecological areas within the town. The index shall include a listing of all marshlands, swamps and all other wetlands in a like manner, and may recommend to the Selectmen a program for the protection, development or better utilization of all such areas.

To this end in 2009 your Commission worked on the following projects:

- A Piscataqua Region Estuaries Partnership (PREP) grant funded outreach paper titled "A Citizen's Guide to Protecting Greenland's Water Resources" mailed to every home in Greenland.
- The removal of the Winnicut Dam and installation of a run-of-the-river fish pass under the Route 33 Bridge, which provides an exceptional opportunity to restore the ecosystem surrounding the Winnicut River. This project was one of only 50 proposals selected by National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) out of a national pool of 814 to receive stimulus dollars under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act. For more information, go to the Winnicut project website by visiting <u>www.des.nh.gov</u> and searching for "Winnicut" or the Restoration Atlas at <u>www.noaa.gov/recovery</u> for time-lapse images and updates.
- Weeks Brick House conservation property- we walk the property yearly and generate a formal report which was submitted to LCIP.
- Rockingham Planning Commission (RPC) assisted the first and ONLY completion of a Natural Resource Inventory

Upcoming 2010 projects:

- NH Estuarine Project Coastal program projects concerning estuarine research and coastal studies; we are looking for volunteers to assist in water sampling.
- Watershed Assessment & Restoration Project funded by the NH Charitable Foundation and NH Rivers Council we are looking for grant money & volunteers to assist in this exciting project!

Respectfully submitted, Rick Mauer, Chairman

#### **\*** WEEKS PUBLIC LIBRARY **\***

The library continues to be the center of the Greenland community, providing equal opportunity in education and enrichment for all ages. Residents have a wide variety of books, audio books, movies, music and magazines to borrow. Residents may also request materials from other libraries through our Interlibrary Loan service. The Downloadable Audio Books service now includes the format that is compatible with Apple devices. This service is available through the Internet from home or office and just requires a Weeks Library card and the library code. The State Library continues to provide residents with research databases accessible through the Internet from home or office. While in the building, residents may read a newspaper, access the Internet for email or research, use the computers to create resumes, flyers and spreadsheets, utilize our WIFI access, make photocopies, send a fax, laminate documents, attend a program and even visit with a neighbor. Residents may also borrow a Kill A Watt<sup>TM</sup> energy detector to assess the efficiency of their appliances and make changes to lower their energy usage. These detectors were donated by the New Hampshire Electric Co-op and check out for two weeks just like a book.

In 2009, with the lingering slow economy, the library was busy providing residents with computers to meet their job searching needs, materials to checkout and programs to attend. This year's circulation and programming numbers surpassed 2008's record breaking numbers. The total circulation for 2009 was 39,622, an increase of 5.26% over the 2008 total of 37,642. In 2009, the staff organized 301 programs for children, teens and adults. These programs attracted 3,387 participants. Several museum passes, provided by various donations, were available and 158 residents took advantage of the free or discounted admissions. Staff continued successful programs implemented in 2008 and sought out different programming options for all ages to keep library events fresh, alive and interesting for all.

As always library news and events may be found in our monthly print newsletter, our semimonthly electronic newsletter, and on our website <u>www.weekslibrary.org</u>. This year staff began posting events on Twitter and at NH365.org. Just two other ways to stay connected to your public library. The library is open evenings and Saturdays for a total of 51 hours a week.

Residents who discovered our wonderful collection and resources at the Weeks Public Library in 2008 continued to use the services in 2009, helping to make this past year very successful and productive. Staff continued to purchase new books and audio-visual titles to provide residents with a variety of materials. It was a truly dynamic year at the library. The following department reviews highlight the past year's accomplishments.



#### **Adult Services**

Weekly and monthly programs were scheduled and provided adults with a variety of learning opportunities. Adults learned about: their health and the power of choices, dealing with the volatility of the stock market, the best landscaping practices, organic lawn care techniques, the best plants for a New Hampshire landscapes and the healing powers of crystal singing bowls. An artistic revue featuring the works of E.E. Cummings, a lecture on the Origins of Photography and monthly book discussions provided additional opportunities for adults to gather and learn with neighbors and friends.

Two local authors, Brendan DuBois and Doug Zechel writing

as K.D. Mason, also visited the library this year and spoke about their books and the publishing process. Craft workshops provided adults with opportunities to learn new skills in fashion and floral design through the beading parties and the wreath and boxwood tree classes. Adults had yet another opportunity to learn a new skill in the one-stroke painting class offered this fall. Attendees of this new class learned the one-stroke technique and decorated a clay pot for the fall.



This year the summer reading program for adults ran through Labor Day. Thirty-one adults read five or more books to qualify for the raffle, the \$50 gift certificate to Target provided by the Friends. Seven other lucky readers won other prizes.

Two programs were offered as part of the International Year of Astronomy, a lecture on Galileo and the star gazing party. Adults also had the chance to participate in the National Gaming Day which

featured Wii bowling and Mario Karts. The year was filled with many instructive and enlightening experiences.

~ Denise Grimse, Director and Adult Programming Coordinator

#### **Teen Services**

In 2009, Greenland teens benefited from many activities expressly targeted to their age group. The programs encouraged team work, competition and lots of fun! All of the programs attended were informative and entertaining.



The Teen Advisory Board learned about service to the community at their monthly meetings. Fifteen students in grades seven and up worked on the board. Their input helped with collection development, programming and marketing. They read reviews of books and chose books for the teen collection. Members also developed new programs at their meetings. This year the Teen Advisory Board also sold after-school snacks two days a week to students. While running the store, they learned about pricing, scheduling and marketing. The money earned went towards programs and pizza! The group also worked together to earn money by holding a car wash during the summer.

All students in sixth grade and up are welcome to attend any of the programs planned by TAB. The teens of this community learned new things by attending a variety of programs: YO' Smo night (yoga & smoothies), Web comic strips, holiday karaoke night, scary movie night, sundae extravaganza, painting with coffee, 3-D photos, Dance Dance Revolution, No-Bake Bake-Off, and the Divine Valentine Event. Again this year, the teens requested a poetry night where they read their own poems or poems they selected from a book. The board game night, Wii fun and Game Cube night were well attended. Gaming programs improved literacy skills as teens learned the rules and the best strategies of the various board and video games.

A lively discussion took place during a program called Freedom to Read. During this program students read from books which were banned or challenged in other communities and then talked about attempts to restrict information and reading. It was inspiring to hear their passion on the subject.

An important element of Teen Services is going into the schools to promote books to the teens. The staff of the Greenland Central School was supportive as always and welcomed visits where new and nominated award books were introduced to students.

Greenland teens are amazing, open and ready to learn new things outside of the school setting and the Weeks Public Library provides the perfect venue.

~ Sharon Taylor, Assistant Director and Teen Librarian

#### **Children Services**

2009 was another banner year for the Children's Room here at the Weeks Public Library. We had more programs, more readers and more fun than ever before.



Our story time program continued to do very well. New this year were special programs for the pre-school set. Raspberry, the box turtle and a lobster from the Seacoast Science Center visited with preschool children and caregivers. Everyone was thrilled to see the animals up close and to learn about sea creatures. Two puppet programs were scheduled this year. The library welcomed Lesley and Sammy the Snail and Carol & Company. The special entertainment was enjoyed by all. We plan to continue these types of special programs because our patrons enjoyed them immensely.

For older children, the Friday Flick and Dance, Dance Revolution programs continued to be very popular, so these programs were planned regularly. Friday is a good day for programming as children and parents wind down for the weekend. An all-day gaming event also ran on a Friday and featured Mario Karts and Wii Olympics. A variety of seasonal craft workshops for this age group along with drop-in crafts for all ages were scheduled throughout the year. The drop-in crafts worked very well in meeting the varied schedules of parents, caregivers, and children. They attracted many participants and everyone always learned something new and had fun. Over the course of the year, and often with the support of the Friends, the library offered a series of seasonal parties. This year we ran a school's out celebration, a Halloween party, a Frosty Express party and a star party. The star party was a star gazing event held after hours featuring amazing astronomical sights and giant telescopes. It certainly was a fantastic event.

The 2009 summer reading program theme was "Summertime ... and the Reading is Easy." There was so much reading going on that often books didn't even make it back onto the shelves before someone else was checking them out. Activities of all sorts went along with the reading. There were movies, dancing and food judging. There were crafts, an old-fashioned read-in and my favorite, hot-air balloons. The kids made hot-air balloons and flew them up to the ceiling rafters. Kite string brought all the balloons back to earth. What a sight!!! Balloons of all colors floated up to the ceiling. Cow Day started our summer program again this year. Many thanks to Great Bay Farm for bringing a

calf and supporting the library all these years. Children of all ages enjoyed ice cream, making butter, visiting with a real calf and making a very cool cow craft.

Summer programming for students entering 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade continued this year. The reading program involved time cards and weekly raffles. Programs included a movie night, a gaming night, a Dance Dance Revolution night and two craft nights. It was a great summertime of reading and fun.

New this year in the Children's Room is a music section. The collection is small but growing. Please check it out the next time you visit. I'm always excited to offer something new.

The Children's Room continues to provide excellent service to the young people of Greenland. We offer great reading material, readers advisory and reference help. We help students with homework, projects and reading lists. Young children learn early socialization skills and creative expression at our programs. Learning is a life long journey and no one is too young or too old to start. The library is a great place to start. All you need is your library card.

~ Susan MacDonald, Children's Librarian



event!

#### **Community Services**

Library staff and groups participated in the annual Community Celebration and Jason Hussey Race Day in July. Library activities included events at the library and on the Green. The Trustees hosted their annual book sale at the library from 9am-3pm. This was more successful than previous sales held on the Green. Dance Dance Revolution was held at the library from noon to 3pm. Then from 4-5pm on the Green, the staff ran a balloon mask craft table, the Friends sold homemade jellies and jam, and Trustees Dale Rockefeller and Mark Fodero ran the frozen t-shirt contest. It was a great community

On several different occasions during the school year, staff visited students at the Greenland Central School. Great books and details on the summer reading programs were presented.



#### The Friends of the Library

The Friends continue to be a tremendous support group for the library. Their annual Plant Sale, Bake Sale and Chili luncheon continues to be the main fundraiser of the year. A raffle, the fall bulb sale and the on-going book sale also helped to generate funds this year. Two new fundraising opportunities were implemented with no additional costs to participants. These two programs, the Shaw's Rewards program and Charity Blast provide funds to the Friends based on purchases at specific merchants. Just by purchasing weekly groceries or ordering items online the Friends receive additional funds.

Links to these fundraising options are available on the library's website.

The money that the Friends of the Library receive is used to pay for museum passes, book rentals, special library requests, summer library programs, holiday events and refreshments for various library programs. This year the Friends discontinued the Strawbery Banke Museum pass and opted instead to purchase the Currier Museum of Art pass. A special purchase was made for the Children's Room this year. An AccuCut machine which cuts die shapes out of paper and fabric was purchased to create engaging hands-on children's activities. The staff quickly put the machine to good use for the Frosty Express program.

#### Volunteers

The Weeks Public Library has always had wonderful volunteers. This year we formalized the program with assigned duties and sign-in sheets. Our volunteers have not let us down, indeed they exceeded our expectations.

The Trustees and staff thank all the volunteers who have helped at the library in 2009. Volunteers of all ages helped at programs, thawed an ice dam, raked and picked up leaves, processed materials, folded newsletters, installed driveway markers, shelved returned items, hauled trash, repaired the book drop, fixed water pipes, insulated the basement door, constructed an exit sign, repaired book bins, dusted, trimmed trees and bushes, transported book storage units, and other such special tasks. Thank you all for the help.

#### Building

A section of the southeast gutters was replaced. Weatherstripping was installed around the basement door. A leaky pipe in the restroom was repaired. As of May 2009, lawn care and snow removal at the library were under town management. An exit sign for the driveway was installed.

#### Respectfully submitted, Denise J. Grimse, Director

		Statistics				
2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003
39,622	37,642	32,141	33,987	34,861	31,133	27,442
9,382	8,870	8,083	7,865	8,483	8,713	7,591
2,228	1,622	1,107	844	886	637	163
9,157	10,073	9,061	11,896	12,277	11,126	11,566
16,273	15,051	11,953	11,441	11,284	9,160	6,679
823	629	261				
164						
2,555	2,440	2,456	2,387	2,242	2,110	1,972
22,439	21,926	20,891	19,959	19,700	19,504	19,122
2,267	2,334	1,543	1,433	1,523	1,534	1,153
1,755	1,299	610	1,175	1,327	1,152	795
1,269	1,156	1,025	1,053	877	638	593
1,382	1,032	797	1,071	1,064	1,015	1,067
301	286	268	222	245	202	204
3,387	2,578	2,474	2,037	2,264	2,196	2,189
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Interest	\$140.73
Expendable Trust Fund	\$0.00
Town Appropriation	\$227,808.00
Total Income	\$233,295.39
2009 Expenses	
Administration	\$5,880.69
Library Materials	\$31,542.37
Operations	\$10,267.29
Salaries & Benefits	\$172,405.39
Utilities	\$6,908.97
Total Expenses	\$227,004.71

2009 totals do not include 2008 encumbered funds paid in 2009.

Income from previous years that was used in 2009: \$920.33.

\$6076.50 was returned to the Town.

Income from 2009 that will be used in 2010: \$579.32 of the 2009 Copies/Faxes income and \$555.19 of 2009 Donations.

#### **Operational Accounts:**

Checking Account					
Balance on December 31, 2009		\$5,597.63			
Money Market					
Balance on December 31, 2009		\$29,493.55			
Investment Accounts:					
500 Index Fund Investors Shares	(Building Fund)				
	(Bunding Fund)	\$5 101 46			
Value as of December 31, 2008		\$5,191.46			
	income dividends	\$132.72			
	redemptions	\$0.00			
Value as of December 31, 2009		\$6,566.36			
Checking (Building Fund)					
Balance on December 31, 2008		\$3,185.86			
	deposits	\$2.00			
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	withdrawals	\$0.00			
Balance on December 31, 2009		\$3,187.86			
New Hampshire Public Deposit Investment Pool (MBIA Asset Management)					
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Balance on December 31, 2008		\$0.00
	deposits	\$0.00
	withdrawals	\$0.00
Balance on December 31, 2009		\$0.00

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Greenland residents are to be commended for the continued increase in the amount of waste being recycled! The Town increased the overall amount of material recycled from 312 tons to 374.63 tons. Paper products being recycled increased from 135 tons to 211 tons, saving 3,599 trees. As you know, recycling has many benefits. When waste is recycled, limited landfill space is conserved and waste management costs for the Town are reduced. One of the most important benefits of recycling is the significant environmental impact it has. The Town of Greenland is a member of Northeast Resource Recovery Association and through their efforts the materials we collect are brought to market to be remanufactured into new products. This year the revenue from recycled materials was non-existent in many categories, with some materials reaching a cost of \$40.00 per ton. Our transportation costs are not based on the weight of the container, so the more we can fit into a container the better it is. We are currently applying for a grant that will help us purchase a baler so that we can compact some of the materials and reduce our transportation costs. If residents could squish their aluminum cans and plastic jugs (remove those covers) it would be a great help. The following data reflects the outstanding job that Greenland residents did in 2009 with recycling. Please continue to recycle – you are making a difference!

Material	Units/Tons
Plastics & Glass	121.94
Electronics	14.23
Paper	211.73
Scrap Metal	14.01
Steel Cans	<u>12.72</u>
TOTALS	374.63

#### \*In addition, several containers of fluorescent bulbs, ballasts and thermostats were recycled in compliance with EPA regulations. Freon was removed from 84 appliances.

This fall we went out to bid for our hauling services and contracted with Troiano Waste Services beginning December 1<sup>st</sup> at \$150 per haul for our containers. This is a significant savings that we will be able to pass along to the taxpayers. Paper and scrap metal had wide revenue fluctuations this year with paper paying a high of \$40.00 a ton, to charging \$40 per ton. We were able to sell three loads of scrap metal this year, one in May at \$40.00 per ton, one in September for \$70.00 and one in December at \$65.00 per ton. Please try to separate all paper and cardboard out of the waste stream for recycling. If you shred your papers, please put the shreddings into a paper bag before putting them into the recycling container to help prevent them from blowing around the lot.

Due to the increase in the amount of materials brought in for the bulky waste/demo material container and the costs to dispose of the waste, the Board of Selectmen instituted a new fee schedule. The intent of this container is to provide residents a way to dispose of an item or the waste from the occasional home project – it is not for any commercial waste, renovations for rental units or large remodeling projects. Residents are limited to one load per week. An additional container will be available to further separate these materials, which will result in additional savings to the Town. This is a service we will continue, as long as it is not abused.

If you have any questions regarding what can or cannot be recycled in Greenland, please feel free to contact Karen Anderson or speak with any of the attendants at the Transfer Station.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank George, Carl, and Walter for the excellent service that they provide to Greenland residents at our Transfer Station and Recycling Center. A special thanks to Paul Hayden and Vaughn Morgan for assisting this year while George was on a temporary leave of absence. We look forward to having George return in the spring!

Respectfully submitted by Karen Anderson

# ✤ GREENLAND VETERANS ASSOCIATION 卷

As usual, there are a number charities the Association donates to each year. These include the Tilton Veteran's Home, the Salvation Army, and the Pease Greeters just to name some of the better known organizations. However, the Association also makes donations in terms of cash, heating fuel and food supplies to many of the less fortunate in our own community and your continued support helps to keep this effort moving.

You will notice a new sign adorning the front of the Vet's Hall. A lot of time and thought went into the design of the sign and we think it enhances the character of the building. We also installed a granite podium from which we can address the public during special holidays and events. This podium was installed in memory of a past member, Henry Sanborn, who made substantial contributions to the Greenland Veterans. In the near future, we are looking to replace the bell which once hung at the peak of the building and was used to call students to class back in the mid 1800's. As an aside, if anyone reading this has any idea where the original bell might be, we would certainly entertain the notion of purchasing it. Over the past few years, the Association has spent countless thousands of dollars in the restoration and upkeep of the old school house, which has remained a reminder of Greenland's historic past.

As we enter the year 2010, the Association looks forward to our commitment of service to our community and fellow veterans. Our membership ranks are growing and we welcome any veterans or service members who are residents of Greenland to join our Association and help promote a worthy cause. Applications can be obtained through Lenny Fitzgerald at 431-5122, during business hours or check with the Town Hall for further information.

As always, the Veteran's Association wishes all a happy and prosperous year.

Thank you,



H. Vaughan Morgan, III Greenland Veteran's Association

Vets at their annual cookout

# RESIDENT DEATH REPORT

Name	Date of	Place of Death	Father's Name	Mother's Maiden
	Death			Name
Dearborn, Eleanor	01/17/09	Portsmouth, NH	Holley, Walter	Witham, Hattie
Wilson Jr., Harry	01/31/09	Exeter, NH	Wilson, Harry	Johnson, Addie
Golter, Debra	02/10/09	Portsmouth, NH	Russell, Theodore	Jantti, Dorothy
Morris, Eleanor	02/11/09	Greenland	Desmond, Frank	Driscoll, Ella
Greene, Joseph	02/22/09	Greenland	Greene, Joseph	Babine, Lillian
Ladd, Donald	03/07/09	Portsmouth, NH	Ladd, Harry	Burbank, Emma
Bates, George	03/19/09	Exeter, NH	Bates, George	Unknown, Marjorie
Fleck, Robert	06/19/09	Greenland	Fleck, John	Shannon, Katie
Cushing, Randall	07/06/09	Dover, NH	Cushing, Allan	Geringswald, Nina
Atkinson, Edna	07/15/09	Greenland	Leonard, Edward	Murray, Mary
Weeks, Marion	07/19/09	Portsmouth, NH	Holley, Walter	Witham, Hattie
Enaire, Laura	07/22/09	Portsmouth, NH	Swiderski, Paul	Hejnar, Frances
Lloyd, Bette	07/25/09	Portsmouth, NH	Pike, Malcolm	Durham, Doris
Wilder, Ellen	09/11/09	Portsmouth, NH	Pearson, John	Critchett, Josephine

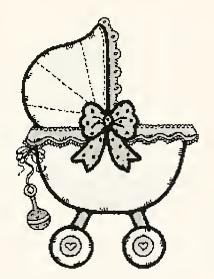
RESIDENT MARRIAGE REPORT

# 2009

Groom	Residence	Bride	Residence	Town of	Place of	Date of
				Issuance	Marriage	Marriage
Griffin, Archibald E.	Greenland	Blasdale, Gail T.	Lynn, MA	Greenland	Greenland	02/14/09
Vera, Pascal	Greenland	Calmejane, Florence	Greenland	Greenland	Greenland	02/27/09
Considine, Joseph D.	Greenland	Wentworth, Katharine	Greenland	Greenland	New Castle	3/16/09
Blake, Roderick W.	Greenland	Metterville, Kathleen	Newmarket, NH	Greenland	Hampton	05/02/09
Braley, Robert, A.	Greenland	Greely, Ellen C.	Greenland	Greenland	Portsmouth	05/03/09
Gaspar, Expedito M.	Greenland	Tarnowski, Erica L.	Greenland	Hampton	Hampton	05/11/09
Davis, Robert A.	Greenland	Abano, Cherel T.	Greenland	Ctr. Harbor	Hampton	05/31/09
Barker, Scott D.	Greenland	Jackman, Tara C.	Greenland	Greenland	Portsmouth	07/18/09
Acox, L B	Greenland	Lamprey, Cheryl A.	Greenland	Greenland	Rye	08/08/09
Loveland, Jonathan P.	Greenland	Willoughby, Susan	Greenland	Portsmouth	Portsmouth	09/05/09
Twohig, Derek J.	Greenland	Warfield, Lindsey	Greenland	Greenland	Greenland	09/15/09
Boston, John M.	Greenland	Day, Marie R.	Rochester, NH	Greenland	Greenland	09/19/09
Kackenmeister, Carl	Greenland	Brouillette, Christin	Greenland	Greenland	Greenland	09/20/09
Svirsky, Justin M.	Greenland	Kennedy, Jessica B.	Greenland	Greenland	Rye Beach	09/26/09
Peterson, David H.	Greenland	Mattax, Kristina A.	Greenland	Greenland	Portsmouth	10/10/09
Huestis, Lance H.	Greenland	Prieto, Sara A.	Greenland	Greenland	Rye	10/11/09
Bancewicz, Bryan M.	Greenland	Chrapek, Amanda J.	Greenland	Greenland	Greenland	11/04/09



Child's name	Date of	Place of Birth	Father's Name	Mother's Name
	Birth			
Zadlo, Kaileb Phillip	01/29/09	Portsmouth, NH	Zadlo, Thaddeus	Anderson, Rayleene
Maskwa, Thomas Garan	02/09/09	Dover, NH	Maskwa, Christopher	Maskwa, Erin
Dimascola, Bryce Michael	02/24/09	Exeter, NH	Dimascola, Michael	Dimascola, Karen
Hall, Julian David	03/16/09	Exeter, NH	Hall, Marcus	Cleaves, Crystal
Carmona, Skylar Jay	03/20/09	Exeter, NH		Carmona, Samantha
Smith, Benjamin Ryan	05/04/09	Dover, NH	Smith, Mark	Graciano-Smith, Elizabeth
Jaggars, Wilson Jeffrey	05/25/09	Exeter, NH	Jaggars, Jeffrey	Jaggars, Stephanie
Lawton, Emery Stephanie	07/22/09	Exeter, NH	Lawton, Edward	Lawton, Kirstin
Leahy, Abiageal Page	08/03/09	Exeter, NH	Leahy, Brian	Leahy, Lydia
McNally, Madigan Scout	08/13/09	Dover, NH	McNally, Jeffrey	McNally, Stephanie
Baker, Nora Kathleen	10/26/09	Portsmouth, NH	Baker, Douglas	Baker, Kathleen
Figueiras, Cole Griffin	10/30/09	Concord, NH	Figueiras, George	Griffin, Shawna
Molda, Aaron Gabriel	11/13/09	Portsmouth, NH	Molda, Adam	Molda, Jessica
McCauley, Finnegan Mark	11/24/09	Exeter, NH	McCauley, Scott	McCauley, Kendra
Caruso, Daniel Jace Harvey	12/07/09	Exeter, NH	Caruso, Jason	Caruso, Aimee



# ✤ 2009 WAGES OF TOWN EMPLOYEES ✤

Employee	Position	Regular Wages/Stipend	Over-Time	Details	Total
Anderson, Karen	Town Administrator	\$62,792.71			\$62,792.71
Atkinson, Lee	Library Asst.	\$10,809.26			\$10,809.26
Berg, Wallace	Health Officer	\$1,200.00			\$1,200.00
Bouffard, Dean	Moderator	\$150.00			\$150.00
Bunker, Myrick	Vol. Firefighter	\$5,019.28			\$5,019.28
Bunker, Rhonda	Fire Dept dispatcher	\$500.00			\$500.00
Buzell, Harold	Vol. Firefighter	\$500.00			\$500.00
Chick, John	Vol. Firefighter	\$647.50			\$647.50
Cormier, James	Police Officer	\$48,866.50	\$5,730.21	\$1,900.00	\$56,496.71
Cresta, Ralph	Vol. Fire Chief	\$5,637.50	\$5,750.21		\$5,637.50
Cummings, Charles	Selectman	\$3,000.00			\$3,000.00
Cummings, Lizbeth	Bookkeeper	\$24,431.28			\$24,431.28
Cushman, Robert A.	Building Inspector	\$46,234.61			\$46,234.61
Dame, Susan	Vol. Firefighter	\$2,883.65			\$2,883.65
Davey, Gary M.	Transfer Station	\$1,866.33			\$1,866.33
Davey, Gary M. Dearborn, Bruce	Selectman	\$1,800.33			\$3,000.00
Defreze, Ryan	Vol. Firefighter	\$3,600.75			\$3,600.75
Devine, John	Vol. Firefighter	\$647.50			\$647.50
			622.22		\$28,532.37
Dietenhofer, Keith	Police Officer	\$28,499.05	\$33.32	<u> </u>	
Dipietro, Brian	Vol. Firefighter	\$3,570.10			\$3,570.10
Fleming, Barbara	Deputy TC/TC	\$24,199.23			\$24,199.23
Fletcher, Barbara	Ballot Clerk	\$50.00			\$50.00
Gloor, Evelyn	Ballot Clerk	\$110.00			\$110.00
Gouzoules, Winston	Super. Of Checklist	\$550.00			\$550.00
Graham, Judy	Vol. Firefighter	\$2,700.00			\$2,700.00
Gravelle, Daniel	Vol. Firefighter	\$4,030.01			\$4,030.01
Grimse, Denise	Library Director	\$48,803.54			\$48,803.54
Hartmann, Jerriann	Ballot Clerk	\$80.00		<b>*</b> 27 0 <b>7</b> 0 00	\$80.00
Hartmann, Theodore	Police Officer	\$7,996.68	\$238.00	\$27,873.00	\$36,107.68
Hartmann, Theodore	Vol. Firefighter	\$2,693.84			\$2,693.84
Hayden, George	Transfer Station	\$8,378.56			\$8,378.56
Hayden, Paul	Property Main.	\$29,440.00			\$29,440.00
Hazzard, Richard	Vol. Firefighter	\$4,900.00			\$4,900.00
Hoyt, Meredith	Library Asst.	\$3,089.79			\$3,089.79
Hussey, Kathi	Vol. Firefighter	\$4,129.45			\$4,129.45
Hussey, Richard	Vol. Firefighter	\$2,584.97			\$2,584.97
Hussey, Robert	Vol. Firefighter	\$500.00			\$500.00
Johnson, Julie	Vol. Firefighter	\$500.00			\$500.00
Kurkul, David	Police Officer	\$59,023.14	\$13,722.33	\$8,379.00	\$81,124.47
Leonard, Amy	Secretary to Boards	\$26,197.11			\$26,197.11
Leonard, Kevin	Ballot Clerk	\$80.00			\$80.00
LoConte, David M.	Police Officer	\$46,087.53	\$8,887.13	\$17,936.00	\$72,910.66
MacCorkle, Sara	Vol. Firefighter	\$4,460.00			\$4,460.00
MacDonald, Susan	Children's Librarian	\$26,897.47			\$26,897.47
Maher, Tom	Vol. Firefighter	\$4,567.14			\$4,567.14
Maines, Walter C.	Transfer Station	\$12,668.04			\$12,668.04
Maloney, Michael	Police Chief	\$78,273.19	\$2,345.76	\$8,132.00	\$88,750.95
McClare, Timothy	Police Officer	\$7,429.55	\$482.27	\$5,092.00	\$13,003.82
Milks, Jeffrey	Vol. Firefighter	\$898.26	+		\$898.26

		Regular	Over-Time	Details	Total
		Wages/Stipend			
Molleur, Elaine	Library Asst.	\$8,241.20			\$8,241.20
Morgan, Marguerite	Town Clk/Tax Coll.	\$41,199.96			\$41,199.96
Morgan, Vaughan Transfer Station		\$2,114.64			\$2,114.64
Mueller, Carl	Vol. Firefighter	\$2,700.00			\$2,700.00
Pearl, Chris	Vol. Firefighter	\$4,700.55			\$4,700.55
Peirce, Jeffrey T.	Police Officer	\$4,082.62		\$152.00	\$4,234.62
Philbrick, Joseph	Ballot Clerk	\$550.00			\$550.00
Rolston, Beth	Ballot Clerk	\$50.00			\$50.00
Rolston, James	Town Treasurer	\$5,000.00			\$5,000.00
Sanderson, Paul	Selectman	\$3,000.00			\$3,000.00
Sawyer, Dawn	Police Sergeant	\$63,014.16	\$12,131.56	\$10,735.00	\$85,880.72
Scherer, Carol	Super. Of Checklist	\$550.00			\$550.00
Schmidt, Kevin	Vol. Firefighter	\$3,768.98			\$3,768.98
Seavey, John	Vol. Firefighter	\$500.00			\$500.00
Simmons, Thomas	Police Officer	\$10,138.77		\$28,861.00	\$38,999.77
Simpson, Derek I.	Vol. Firefighter	\$2,700.00			\$2,700.00
Smith-Miesowicz, Carol	Police Secretary	\$32,984.00			\$32,984.00
Sodini, Colleen	Vol. Firefighter	\$3,880.85			\$3,880.85
Sodini, Maurice	Vol. Firefighter	\$5,180.26			\$5,180.26
Sodini, Maurice	Selectman	\$3,000.00			\$3,000.00
Syphers, Leroy	Trust Fund Clerk	\$1,000.00			\$1,000.00
Taylor, Sharon	Asst. Library Direct.	\$40,476.39			\$40,476.39
Tillman, Thomas	Vol. Firefighter	\$5,032.76			\$5,032.76
Tobey, Matt	Vol. Firefighter	\$4,018.08			\$4,018.08
Wendell, Jon	Selectman	\$3,000.00			\$3,000.00
West, Eric	Vol. Firefighter	\$2,718.48			\$2,718.48
Witham, Walter R.	Transfer Station	\$13,104.64			\$13,104.64
Young, Wayne M	Police Officer	\$49,009.20	\$14,911.35	\$24,016.00	\$87,936.55

## TOWN OF GREENLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

**Annual Financial Statements** 

For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Selectmen Town of Greenland, New Hampshire

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Greenland, New Hampshire, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2008, which collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Town of Greenland's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Greenland, as of December 31, 2008, and the respective changes in financial position thereof and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The management's discussion and analysis, appearing on the following pages, is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Melanson, Heath + Company P.C.

Nashua, New Hampshire August 31, 2009

#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

As management of the Town of Greenland, we offer readers this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the Town of Greenland for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008.

#### A. OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the basic financial statements. The basic financial statements are comprised of three components: (1) government-wide financial statements, (2) fund financial statements, and (3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

**Government-wide financial statements.** The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of our finances in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The statement of net assets presents information on all assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as net assets. Over time, increases or decreases in net assets may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position is improving or deteriorating.

The statement of activities presents information showing how the government's net assets changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net assets are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods (e.g., uncollected taxes and earned but unused vacation leave).

The governmental activities include general government, public safety, highways and streets, sanitation, health, welfare, culture and recreation, and conservation.

**Fund financial statements.** A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. Fund accounting is used to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds can be divided into two categories: governmental funds and fiduciary funds.

<u>Governmental funds</u>. Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available

at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a government's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the governmentwide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

An annual appropriated budget is adopted for the general fund. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for the general fund to demonstrate compliance with this budget.

**<u>Fiduciary funds</u>**. Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the government. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statements because the resources of those funds are not available to support the Town's own programs.

<u>Notes to financial statements</u>. The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements.

<u>Other information</u>. In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information which is required to be disclosed by the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **B. FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS**

- As of the close of the current fiscal year, the total of assets exceeded liabilities by \$ 5,978,755 (i.e., net assets), a change of \$ (529,100) in comparison to the prior year.
- As of the close of the current fiscal year, governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$ 2,076,105, a change of \$ (593,624) in comparison with the prior year.
- At the end of the current fiscal year, unreserved fund balance for the general fund was \$ 688,299, a change of \$ (426,735) in comparison with the prior year.

#### C. GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

The following is a summary of condensed government-wide financial data for the current and prior fiscal years.

	Governmental <u>Activities</u>	
	2008	2007
Current and other assets Capital assets	\$ 7,029,719 <u>3,480,564</u>	\$   7,811,394 _ <u>3,211,256</u>
Total assets	10,510,283	11,022,650
Long-term liabilities outstanding Other liabilities	55,780 <u>4,475,748</u>	57,128 <u>4,457,667</u>
Total liabilities	4,531,528	4,514,795
Net assets: Invested in capital assets, net Restricted Unrestricted	3,480,564 1,245,600 <u>1,252,591</u>	3,211,256 1,488,109 
Total net assets	\$ <u>5,978,755</u>	\$ <u>6,507,855</u>

#### CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

	Governme <u>Activitie</u>	
	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Revenues:		
Program revenues:		
Charges for services	\$ 539,429	\$ 277,729
Operating grants and contributions	116,827	169,228
Capital grants and contributions	-	179,816
General revenues:		
Property taxes	1,358,613	1,886,905
Motor vehicle registration fees	768,956	795,381
Penalties, interest and other taxes Grants and contributions not	68,302	89,597
restricted to specific programs	185,289	217,718
Investment income (loss)	( 58,697)	126,556
Miscellaneous		73,282
Total revenues	3,018,345	3,816,212

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	Governr <u>Activi</u>	
	2008	2007
Expenses:		
General government	711,800	649,280
Public safety	1,231,649	1,027,174
Highways and streets	934,009	559,073
Sanitation	208,992	200,603
Health	48,611	40,167
Welfare	19,144	15,453
Culture and recreation	395,242	271,455
Interest	8	-
Conservation	3,090	1,453
Total expenses	3,552,545	2,764,658
Change in net assets before permanent		
fund contributions	(534,200)	1,051,554
Permanent fund contributions	5,100	2,500
Change in net assets	(529,100)	1,054,054
Net assets - beginning of year	6,507,855	5,453,801
Net assets - end of year	\$ <u>5,978,755</u>	\$ <u>6,507,855</u>

As noted earlier, net assets may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. At the close of the most recent fiscal year, total net assets were \$ 5,978,755, a change of \$ (529,100) from the prior year.

The largest portion of net assets \$ 3,480,564 reflects our investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, machinery, equipment and vehicles, and infrastructure), less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. These capital assets are used to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending.

An additional portion of net assets, \$ 1,246,242, represents resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used. The remaining balance of unrestricted net assets, \$ 1,251,949, may be used to meet the government's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors.

**Governmental activities.** Governmental activities for the year resulted in a change in net assets of \$ (529,100). Key elements of this change are as follows:

• General fund change of \$ (342,974), which is further discussed in the governmental funds section below.

- Nonmajor funds change of \$ (250,650).
- Current year depreciation expense of \$ (121,510).
- Other revenue and expense accruals of \$ 186,034.

#### D. FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE GOVERNMENT'S FUNDS

As noted earlier, fund accounting is used to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

**Governmental funds.** The focus of governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing financing requirements. In particular, unreserved fund balance may serve as a useful measure of a government's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

As of the end of the current fiscal year, governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$ 2,076,105, a change of \$ (593,624) in comparison with the prior year. Key elements of this change are as follows:

- General fund change of \$ (342,974), which is further discussed in the governmental funds section below.
- Nonmajor funds change of \$ (250,650).

The general fund is the chief operating fund. At the end of the current fiscal year, unreserved fund balance of the general fund was \$ 688,299, while total fund balance was \$ 796,746. As a measure of the general fund's liquidity, it may be useful to compare both unreserved fund balance and total fund balance to total fund expenditures. Unreserved fund balance represents 20.3 percent of total general fund expenditures, while total fund balance represents 23.5 percent of that same amount.

The fund balance of the general fund changed by \$ (342,974) during the current fiscal year. Key factors in this change are as follows:

- Non-property tax revenues less than budget of \$ (116,816).
- Actual property tax collections in excess of budget of \$ 281,473.
- Expenditures less than anticipated by \$ 86,497.
- Use of fund balance as a funding source of \$ (533,577).
- Excess of current year encumbrances to be spent in the subsequent year over prior year encumbrances of \$ 82,561.
- Other adjustments of \$ (143,112).

#### E. GENERAL FUND BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

Differences between the original budget and final amended budget resulted in an overall change in appropriations of \$ (127,323). This change resulted from the voiding of Article 22, which was originally approved at the March 2008 Town Meeting. This article, which appropriated monies for two full-time firefighters, became void when the Town did not receive a Federal S.A.F.E.R. grant that was part of the intended funding source for the appropriation.

#### F. CAPITAL ASSET AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

<u>Capital assets</u>. Total investment in capital assets for governmental activities at year-end amounted to \$ 3,480,564 (net of accumulated depreciation), a change of \$ 269,308 from the prior year. This investment in capital assets includes land, buildings and improvements, machinery, equipment and vehicles, and infrastructure.

Major capital asset events during the current fiscal year included the following:

- \$ 302,000 for a new fire truck.
- \$ 29,900 for a generator.
- \$ 26,800 for a new police vehicle.
- \$ 16,000 for a storage shed.
- \$ 9,825 for a Caswell Field play structure.
- \$ 6,995 for a fire department mobile trailer.
- \$ 15,678 for laptop computers, safe filing system, portable defibrillators, police gym equipment, and a jail surveillance system.
- \$ (16,380) loss on the sale of Town-owned land.
- Total current year depreciation expense of \$ (121,510).

Additional information on capital assets can be found in the footnotes to the financial statements.

**Long-term debt**. At the end of the current fiscal year, the Town had no outstanding notes payable and no outstanding bonded debt.

Additional information on long-term debt can be found in the footnotes to the financial statements.

#### **REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION**

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Town of Greenland's finances for all those with an interest in the government's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to:

Office of Town Administrator Town of Greenland 575 Portsmouth Avenue Greenland, New Hampshire 03840-0100

#### TOWN OF GREENLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

#### STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

#### DECEMBER 31, 2008

	(	Governmental <u>Activities</u>
ASSETS		
Current:	•	5 000 500
Cash and short-term investments Investments	\$	5,329,528 1,070,095
Receivables, net of allowance for uncollectibles:		1,070,000
Property taxes		490,811
Departmental		35,110
Other assets Noncurrent:		2,749
Receivables, net of allowance for uncollectibles:		
Property taxes		101,426
Land and construction in progress		1,550,577
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	-	1,929,987
TOTAL ASSETS		10,510,283
LIABILITIES		
Current: Accounts payable		149,000
Accrued liabilities		24,424
Due to school district		4,274,360
Other		27,964
Current portion of long-term liabilities: Compensated absences		14,187
Noncurrent:		11,101
Compensated absences, net of current portion	_	41,593
TOTAL LIABILITIES		4,531,528
NET ASSETS		
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt		3,480,564
Restricted for:		
Special funds Capital reserve funds		288,099 692,872
Permanent funds:		002,072
Nonexpendable		264,950
Expendable		(321)
Unrestricted	-	1,252,591
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$_	5,978,755

See notes to financial statements.

	Net (Expenses) Revenues and Changes in	Capital Grants and Contributions	\$       -       \$       (673,536)         -       (764,917)       (764,917)         -       (764,917)       (189,426)         -       (189,426)       (19,144)         -       (19,144)       (19,144)         -       (19,144)       (350,908)         -       (350,908)       630	·	\$ 5,978,755
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008	Program Revenues	Operating Charges for Grants and Services Contributions	24,515 \$ 13,749 444,203 22,529 12,518 71,122 19,566 - - - 38,627 5,707 - 38,627 5,707	<ul> <li>539,429 \$ 116,827</li> <li>General Revenues and Contributions: Property taxes Motor vehicle registration fees Motor vehicle registration fees Fenalties, interest, and other taxes Grants and contributions not restricted to specific programs Investment income (loss) Miscellaneous Permanent fund contributions Total general revenues and contributions Change in Net Assets</li> <li>Net Assets: Beginning of year</li> </ul>	End of year
FOR THE YEAR E		C C Expenses	<pre>\$ 711,800 \$ 1,231,649 934,009 208,992 208,992 208,992 208,992 395,242 3,090 3,090</pre>	\$ 3.552,545 S S S S S S S S S S S S S	
			Governmental Activities: General government Public safety Highways and streets Sanitation Health Welfare Culture and recreation Conservation Interest	Total	See notes to financial statements.

TOWN OF GREENLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

TOWN OF GREENLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

### GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

### **BALANCE SHEET**

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

Total Governmental <u>Funds</u>	<ul> <li>5,329,528</li> <li>1,070,095</li> <li>647,714</li> <li>35,110</li> <li>73,290</li> <li>2,749</li> </ul>	\$ 7,158,486	<ul> <li>\$ 149,000</li> <li>24,424</li> <li>533,343</li> <li>4,274,360</li> <li>27,964</li> </ul>	5,082,381	108,447 264,950	688,299 1,014,730 (321)	2,076,105 \$7,158,486
Nonmajor Governmental <u>Funds</u>	\$ 252,316 1,070,095 - 29,188 620	\$ 1,352,219	\$ 190 - 72,670	72,860	- 264,950	1,014,730 (321)	1,279,359 \$ 1,352,219
General	<ul> <li>\$ 5,077,212</li> <li>647,714</li> <li>5,922</li> <li>72,670</li> <li>2,749</li> </ul>	\$ 5,806,267	<ul> <li>\$ 148,810</li> <li>24,424</li> <li>533,343</li> <li>4,274,360</li> <li>620</li> <li>27,964</li> </ul>	5,009,521	108,447 -	688,299 - -	796,746 \$ 5,806,267
ASSETS	Cash and short-term investments Investments Receivables: Property taxes Departmental Due from other funds Other assets	TOTAL ASSETS LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	Liabilities: Accounts payable Accrued liabilities Deferred revenues Due to school district Due to other funds Other liabilities	TOTAL LIABILITIES Fund Balances:	Reserved for: Encumbrances Perpetual (nonexpendable) permanent funds Unreserved:	Undesignated, reported in: General fund Special revenue funds Permanent funds	TOTAL FUND BALANCES TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

### TOWN OF GREENLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

### RECONCILIATION OF TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES TO NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES IN THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

### DECEMBER 31, 2008

<ul> <li>Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the funds.</li> <li>Revenues are reported on the accrual basis of accounting and are not deferred until collection.</li> <li>Long-term liabilities, including compensated absences, are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the governmental funds.</li> <li>Net assets of governmental activities</li> </ul>	Fotal governmental fund balances	\$	2,076,105
and are not deferred until collection.       477,866         • Long-term liabilities, including compensated absences, are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the governmental funds.       (55,780)			3,480,564
payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the governmental funds. (55,780)			477,866
Net assets of governmental activities \$5,978,755	payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported	_	(55,780)
	Net assets of governmental activities	\$_	5,978,755

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## GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

## STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

Total Governmental <u>Eunds</u>	<ul> <li>\$ 1,564,745</li> <li>68,302</li> <li>351,717</li> <li>351,717</li> <li>266,216</li> <li>951,478</li> <li>(27,895)</li> <li>55,014</li> <li>3229,577</li> </ul>	673,472 1,150,273 455,843 207,692 45,610 19,143 305,781 3,090 3,112 959,177 8 3,823,201 (593,624)	(622,470) (593,624) 2,669,729 \$ 2,076,105
Nonmajor Governmental <u>Funds</u>	\$ 309,501 - 12,518 (101,298) 230,919	1,376 165,813 - - 270,910 - - 438,099 (207,180)	(43,470) (43,470) (250,650) 1,530,009 \$ 1,279,359
General	<ul> <li>\$ 1,564,745</li> <li>68,302</li> <li>42,216</li> <li>266,216</li> <li>938,960</li> <li>73,403</li> <li>44,816</li> <li>2,998,658</li> </ul>	672,096 984,460 455,843 207,692 45,610 19,143 34,871 34,871 34,871 34,871 34,871 34,871 34,102 (386,444) (386,444)	(289,500) 43,470 (342,974) 1,139,720 \$ 796,746
Revenues:	Property taxes Interest, penalties & other taxes Charges for services Intergovernmental Licenses, permits & fees Investment income (loss) Miscellaneous Total Revenues	Current: General government Public safety Highways and streets Sanitation Health Welfare Culture and recreation Conservation Grants Special warrant articles Interest Total Expenditures Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures Transfers in Transfers in	Transfers out Total Other Financing Sources (Uses) Change in fund balance Fund Equity, at Beginning of Year Fund Equity, at End of Year

### TOWN OF GREENLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

### RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

NET CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS	\$	(593,624)
<ul> <li>Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense:</li> </ul>		
Capital outlay purchases Capital outlay disposals Depreciation		407,198 (16,380) (121,510)
<ul> <li>Revenues in the Statement of Activities that do not provide current financial resources are fully deferred in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances. Therefore, the recog- nition of revenue for various types of accounts receivable (i.e., real estate and land use change taxes) differ between the two statements. This amount represents the net change in deferred revenue.</li> </ul>		(206,132)
<ul> <li>Governmental funds do not account for changes in long-term debt (i.e., compensated absences). However, in the Statement of Activities, these changes are reported as either revenue or expense.</li> </ul>	_	1,348
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	\$_	(529,100)

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### **GENERAL FUND**

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES, AND EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

Variance with	al Positive (Negative)	272 \$ \$ - 302 \$ 40,102 216 (6,090) 216 29,423 960 (143,440) 403 8,403	816 17,816 970 (63,030) 577	732 (116,816)		319) \$ (30,319)
	Actual <u>Amounts</u>	\$ 1,283,272 68,302 42,216 266,216 938,960 73,403	44,816 332,970 533,577	3,583,732	+ [0]	\$ (170,319)
Budgeted Amounts	Final <u>Budget</u>	\$ 1,283,272 28,200 48,306 236,793 1,082,400 65,000	27,000 396,000 533,577	3,700,548		\$ (140,000)
Bud	Original <u>Budget</u>	\$ 1,283,272 28,200 48,306 312,693 1,082,400 65,000	27,000 396,000 585,000	3,827,871		\$ (140,000)
		Revenues and Other Sources: Property taxes Interest, penalties & other taxes Charges for services Intergovernmental Licenses, permits & fees Investment income	Miscellaneous Transfers in Other sources - use of fund balance	Total Revenues and Other Sources	Expenditures and Other Uses: General government General government Public safety Highways and streets Sanitation Health Welfare Culture and recreation Culture and recreation Culture and recreation Conservation Debt service Special warrant articles Transfers out Total Expenditures and Other Uses Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other	sources over expenditures and other uses

### TOWN OF GREENLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

### FIDUCIARY FUNDS

### STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS

### DECEMBER 31, 2008

	Agency <u>Funds</u>
ASSETS	
Cash and short-term investments Investments	\$    61,083 
Total Assets	\$ <u>356,453</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
Road bond deposits School funds	\$ 103,622 252,831
Total Liabilities	\$_356,453_

### TOWN OF GREENLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

### **Notes to Financial Statements**

### 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies of the Town of Greenland (the Town) conform to generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the more significant policies:

### A. <u>Reporting Entity</u>

The government is a municipal corporation governed by an elected Board of Selectmen. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, these financial statements present the government and applicable component units for which the government is considered to be financially accountable. In fiscal year 2008, it was determined that no entities met the required GASB-39 criteria of component units.

### B. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

### Government-Wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net assets and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. *Direct expenses* are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as *general revenues*.

### Fund Financial Statements

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

### C. <u>Measurement Focus</u>, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement <u>Presentation</u>

### Government-Wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met. As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

Amounts reported as *program revenues* include (1) charges to customers or applicants for goods, services, or privileges provided, (2) operating grants and contributions, and (3) capital grants and contributions, including special assessments. Internally dedicated resources are reported as *general revenues* rather than as program revenues. Likewise, general revenues include all taxes and motor vehicle registration fees.

### Fund Financial Statements

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers property tax revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

The government reports the following major governmental funds:

• The general fund is the government's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

### D. Cash and Short-Term Investments

Cash balances from all funds, except those required to be segregated by law, are combined to form a consolidation of cash. Cash balances are invested to the extent available, and interest earnings are recognized in the General Fund. Certain special revenue, permanent and fiduciary funds segregate cash, and investment earnings become a part of those funds.

Deposits with financial institutions consist primarily of demand deposits, savings accounts, and certificates of deposits. A cash and investment pool is maintained that is available for use by all funds. Each fund's portion of this pool is reflected on the combined financial statements under the caption "cash and short-term investments". The interest earnings attributable to each fund type are included under investment income.

### E. Investments

State and local statutes place certain limitations on the nature of deposits and investments available. Deposits in any financial institution may not exceed certain levels within the financial institution. Non-fiduciary fund investments can be made in securities issued by or unconditionally guaranteed by the U.S. Government or agencies that have a maturity of one year or less from the date of purchase and repurchase agreements guaranteed by such securities with maturity dates of no more than 90 days from the date of purchase.

Investments managed by the Trustees of Trust Funds consist of certificates of deposit and mutual funds. Investments are carried at market value.

### F. Interfund Receivables and Payables

Transactions between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as "due from/to other funds" (i.e., the current portion of interfund loans).

### G. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment and infrastructure assets, are reported in the governmental activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$ 5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets lives are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed.

Property, plant and equipment is depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

Assets	<u>Years</u>
Buildings	20 - 40
Building improvements	15 - 40
Infrastructure	15 - 60
Vehicles	10 - 20
Machinery & equipment	5 - 15
Furniture & fixtures	7 - 20

### H. Compensated Absences

It is the government's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation and sick pay benefits. All vested sick and vacation pay is accrued when incurred in the government-wide financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental funds only if they have matured, for example, as a result of employee resignations and retirements.

### I. Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the governmental activities statement of net assets.

### J. Fund Equity

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

### K. Use of Estimates

The preparation of basic financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures for contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the basic financial statements, and the reported amounts of the revenues and expenditures/expenses during the fiscal year. Actual results could vary from estimates that were used.

### 2. Stewardship, Compliance and Accountability

### A. Budgetary Information

The Town's budget is originally prepared by the Board of Selectmen (Board) and Town Administrator with the cooperation of the various department heads. It is then submitted to the Budget Committee, in accordance with the State's Municipal Budget Law. After review, the Town holds a public hearing for discussion of the proposed budget. This hearing must be held not later than 25 days before the annual town meeting, and public notice must be given at least 7 days in advance of the hearing.

After the required public hearing, the Board finalizes the budget and submits it for voter approval at the annual Town meeting. The approved budget is subsequently reported to the Municipal Services Division of the New Hampshire Department of Revenue Administration (NH DRA) on the "*Report of Appropriations Actually Voted*" (MS-2) form as part of the process of computing and establishing the Town's tax rate.

The Board cannot increase the total of the approved budget; however, they have the power to reclassify its components when necessary.

### B. Budgetary Basis

The General Fund final appropriation appearing on the "Budget and Actual" page of the fund financial statements represents the final amended budget after all transfers and supplemental appropriations.

### C. Budget/GAAP Reconciliation

The budgetary data for the general fund is based upon accounting principles that differ from generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). Therefore, in addition to the GAAP basis financial statements, the results of operations of the general fund are presented in accordance with budgetary accounting principles to provide a meaningful comparison with budgetary data.

The following is a summary of adjustments made to the actual revenues and other sources, and expenditures and other uses, to conform to the budgetary basis of accounting.

	Revenues and Other	Expenditures and Other
General Fund	Financing Sources	Financing Uses
Revenues/Expenditures (GAAP basis)	\$ 2,998,658	\$ 3,385,102
Other financing sources/uses (GAAP basis)		
Subtotal (GAAP Basis)	3,331,628	3,674,602
Adjust tax revenue to accrual basis	( 281,473)	-
Reverse beginning of year appro- priation carryforwards from expenditures		( 25,886)
Add end of year apppropriation carryforwards to expenditures	-	108,447
To record use of fund balance	533,577	-
To reverse the effects of non- budgeted audit adjustments		( <u>3,112</u> )
Budgetary basis	\$ <u>3,583,732</u>	\$ <u>3,754,051</u>

D. Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations

Expenditures exceeding appropriations during the current fiscal year were as follows:

Public safety	\$ (55,187)
Highways and streets	\$ (21,683)
Sanitation	\$ ( 2,617)
Welfare	\$ ( 9,318)
Culture and recreation	\$ ( 4,531)

### E. Revenue Deficit

In 2008, the Town included a \$ 140,000 interfund operating transfer in from the Police Detail special revenue fund as a funding source for the general fund budget. However, the Town did not include an offsetting appropriation for Police Detail expenses in its 2008 general fund budget. As a result, the 2008 general fund operating budget reflects an overall deficit of \$ (30,319).

### 3. Cash and Short-Term Investments

*Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits.* Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Town's deposits may not be returned to it. RSA 41:29 stipulates that Town funds be deposited "in participation units in the public deposit investment pool established pursuant to RSA 383:22 or in federally insured banks chartered under the laws of New Hampshire or the federal government with a branch within the state, except that funds may be deposited in federally insured banks outside the state if such banks pledge and deliver to a third party custodial bank or the federal reserve bank collateral security for such deposits of the following types:

- (a) United States government obligations;
- (b) United States government agency obligations; or
- (c) Obligations of the State of New Hampshire in value at least equal to the amount of the deposit in each case."

In addition, RSA 41:29 allows excess funds "which are not immediately needed for the purpose of expenditure" to be invested in the "public deposit investment pool established pursuant to RSA 383:22, or in deposits, including money market accounts, or certificates of deposit, or repurchase agreements, and all other types on interest bearing accounts, of federally insured banks chartered under the laws of New Hampshire or the federal government with a branch within the state, or in obligations fully guaranteed as to principal and interest by the United States government."

The Town's deposit policy is in compliance with these statutes.

As of December 31, 2008, none of the Town's bank balance of \$ 5,153,489 was exposed to custodial credit risk as uninsured, uncollateralized, or collateral held by pledging bank's trust department not in the Town's name.

The Town also maintains various capital reserve and trust funds that are managed by the Trustees of Trust Funds (Trustees). As of December 31, 2008, none of the Trustees' bank balance of \$ 113,876 was exposed to custodial credit risk as uninsured, uncollateralized, or collateral held by pledging bank's trust department not in the Town's name.

### 4. Investments

### A. Credit Risk

Generally, credit risk is the risk that an issuer of an investment will not fulfill its obligation to the holder of the investment. State law employs the "prudent investor rule" whereby "a prudent investment is one which a prudent man would purchase for his own investment having primarily in view the preservation of the principal and the amount and regularity of the income to be derived therefrom." Presented below is the actual rating as of year end for each investment of the Town (in thousands):

		Minimum Exempt Legal From		<u> </u>	Rating as of Year End		
Investment Type	<u>Value</u>	Rating	Disclosure	<u>Aaa</u>	<u>Aa</u>	A	
Certificates of deposit Mutual funds	\$989 <u>376</u>	N/A N/A	\$989 <u>376</u>	\$ - 	\$ - 	\$ - 	
Total investments	\$ <u>1.365</u>		\$ <u>1,365</u>	\$ <u> </u>	\$	\$	

### B. Custodial Credit Risk

The custodial credit risk for investments is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty (e.g. broker-dealer) to a transaction, a government will not be able to recover the value of its investment or collateral securities that are in the possession of another party. The Trustees' investment policy follows the guidelines of RSA 31.

As of December 31, 2008, none of the Trustees' investments were exposed to custodial credit risk.

### C. Concentration of Credit Risk

The Trustees' investment policy does not specifically limit the amount of funds that may be invested in any one issuer. As of December 31, 2008, the Trustees do not have an investment in one issuer (other than FDIC insured certificates of deposit and mutual funds) greater than 5% of total investments.

### D. Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in market interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Generally, the longer the maturity of an investment, the greater the sensitivity of its fair value to changes in market interest rates. The Trustees' investment policy does not specifically address interest rate risk. As of December 31, 2008, the interest rate risk associated with the Trustees' investments in various mutual funds cannot reasonably be determined.

### E. Foreign Currency Risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that changes in foreign exchange rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The Trustees' investment policy does not specifically address foreign currency risk. As of December 31, 2008, the foreign currency risk associated with the Trustees' investments in various mutual funds cannot reasonably be determined.

### 5. Property Taxes Receivable

Property taxes are levied based on tax rates set by the NH DRA. The Town bills property taxes semiannually, in June and November. Property tax revenues are recognized in the fiscal year for which taxes have been levied. Property taxes billed or collected in advance of the year for which they are levied are recorded as a prepaid tax liability.

Property taxes are due on July 1 and December 1. Delinquent accounts are charged interest at a rate of 12%. At the time of tax sale, in March of the following year, a lien is recorded on the property at the Registry of Deeds. The Town purchases all delinquent accounts by paying the delinquent tax balance, recording costs and accrued interest. Accounts that are liened by the Town are reclassified from property taxes receivable to unredeemed tax liens receivable and are charged interest at a rate of 18%.

The Town annually budgets an amount (overlay) for property tax abatements and refunds.

Taxes receivable at December 31, 2008 consist of the following:

Property taxes: 2008 levy		\$ 240,395
Unredeemed taxes: 2007 levy 2006 levy	151,749 <u>17,295</u>	169,044
Land use change taxes Elderly deferrals Welfare liens		60,222 171,717 <u>6,336</u>
Total taxes receivable		\$ <u>647.714</u>

### Taxes Collected for Others

The Town collects property taxes for the Greenland School District (SAU50) and Rockingham County. Payments to the school district are normally made throughout the year and payment to the County is normally made in December. However, ultimate responsibility for the collection of these taxes rests with the Town.

### 6. Allowance for Doubtful Accounts

The receivables reported in the accompanying entity-wide financial statements reflect the following estimated allowances for doubtful accounts:

	Governmental
Property taxes	\$ 55,477
Ambulance receivables	\$ 3,869

### 7. Interfund Fund Receivables/Payables

Although self-balancing funds are maintained, most transactions flow through the general fund. In order to obtain accountability for each fund, interfund receivable and payable accounts must be utilized. The following is an analysis of the June 30, 2008 balances in interfund receivable and payable accounts:

Fund	Due From Other Funds	Due To <u>Other Funds</u>
General Fund Special Revenue Funds:	\$ 72,670	\$ 620
Police Detail	-	64,670
Road Improvement Capital Reserve Trust Funds:	620	-
Cemetery Fund		8,000
Total	\$ <u>73,290</u>	\$ <u>73,290</u>

### 8. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2008 was as follows (in thousands):

	Beginning <u>Balance</u>	<u>increases</u>	Decreases	Ending <u>Balance</u>
Governmental Activities:				
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Buildings and improvements	\$ 1,247	\$ 21	\$ -	\$ 1,268
Machinery, equipment, and furnishings	1,358	386	(149)	1,595
Infrastructure	40		<u> </u>	40
Total capital assets, being depreciated	2,645	407	(149)	2,903

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	Beginning <u>Balance</u>	Increases	Decreases	Ending <u>Balance</u>
Less accumulated depreciation for: Buildings and improvements Machinery, equipment, and furnishings Infrastructure Total accumulated depreciation	( 398) ( 600) ( <u>3</u> ) ( <u>1.001</u> )	( 33) ( 85) ( <u>3</u> ) ( <u>121</u> )	149  _149	( 431) ( 536) ( <u>6</u> ) ( <u>973</u> )
Total capital assets, being depreciated, net	1,644	286	-	1,930
Capital assets, not being depreciated: Land	<u>1,567</u>		( <u>16</u> )	<u>1,551</u>
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	<u>1,567</u>		( <u>16</u> )	<u>1,551</u>
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ <u>3.211</u>	\$ <u>_286</u>	\$ ( <u>16</u> )	\$ <u>3.481</u>

Depreciation expense was charged to functions of the Town as follows (in thousands):

Governmental Activities:	
General government	<b>\$</b> 11
Public safety	97
Highways and streets	4
Sanitation	1
Culture and recreation	8
Total depreciation expense - governmental activities	\$ <u>121</u>

### 9. Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities represent 2008 expenditures paid after December 31, 2008.

### 10. Deferred Revenue

Governmental funds report *deferred revenue* in connection with receivables for revenues that are not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period.

The balance of the General Fund deferred revenues account is equal to the total of all December 31, 2008 receivable balances, except property taxes that are accrued for subsequent 60-day collections.

### 11. Long-Term Debt

### A. Changes in General Long-Term Liabilities

During the year ended December 31, 2008, the following changes occurred in long-term liabilities (in thousands):

	Total Balance			Total Balance	Less Current	Equals Long-Term Portion
	<u>1/1/08</u>	<u>Additions</u>	Reductions	<u>12/31/08</u>	<u>Portion</u>	<u>12/31/08</u>
Governmental Activities						
Compensated absences	\$ <u>57</u>	\$	\$ (_1)	\$ <u>56</u>	\$ ( <u>14</u> )	\$ <u>42</u>

### 12. <u>Restricted Net Assets</u>

The accompanying entity-wide financial statements report restricted net assets when external constraints from grantors or contributors are placed on net assets.

Permanent fund restricted net assets are segregated between nonexpendable and expendable. The nonexpendable portion represents the original restricted principal contribution, and the expendable represents accumulated earnings which are available to be spent based on donor restrictions.

### 13. Reserves of Fund Equity

"Reserves" of fund equity are established to segregate fund balances which are either not available for expenditure in the future or are legally set aside for a specific future use.

The following types of reserves are reported at December 31, 2008:

<u>Reserved for Encumbrances</u> – An account used to segregate that portion of fund balance committed for expenditure of financial resources upon vendor performance.

<u>Reserved for Perpetual Funds</u> - Represents the principal of the nonexpendable trust fund investments. The balance cannot be spent for any purpose; however, it may be invested and the earnings may be spent.

### 14. General Fund Undesignated Fund Balance

The undesignated general fund balance reported on the balance sheet is stated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), which differs in respect to how undesignated fund balance is reported in accordance with the budgetary basis for reporting to the State of New Hampshire for tax rate setting purposes. The major difference is the State of New Hampshire considers revenues in connection with property tax receivables to be available to liquidate liabilities when billed rather than received.

The following summarizes the specific differences between the GAAP basis and the budgetary basis of reporting the general fund undesignated fund balance:

GAAP basis balance	\$	688,299
Deferred revenue	-	533,343
Tax Rate Setting Balance	\$ <u>1</u>	,221,642

### 15. Subsequent Events

### A. <u>Investments</u>

Since January, 2009, the stock market has continued to suffer significant losses. As a result, there may be a substantial depreciation in the value of the organization's investments.

### 16. Commitments and Contingencies

<u>Outstanding Lawsuits</u> - There are pending lawsuits in which the Town is involved. The Town's management is of the opinion that the potential future settlement of such claims would not materially affect its financial statements taken as a whole.

<u>Grants</u> - Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies, principally the federal government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount of expenditures which may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time, although the Town expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

### 17. Pension Plan

The Town follows the provisions of GASB Statement No. 27, *Accounting for Pensions by State and Local Governmental Employers*, (as amended by GASB 50) with respect to its employees' retirement funds.

### A. Plan Description

The Town contributes to the New Hampshire Retirement System (the "System"), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer contributory public employee defined benefit pension plan qualified under section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code and funded through a trust which is exempt from tax under Internal Revenue Code section 501(a). The System was established in 1967 and is governed by New Hampshire RSA 100-A, rules and regulations, federal laws, and policies adopted by its Board of Trustees. Membership in the System may be mandatory or optional, depending on employment position. Members are required to make regular contributions to the System. Member contribution rates are established and may be amended by the New Hampshire State Legislature.

System membership is divided into two groups. *Group I* includes full-time state employees (except police officers and firefighters) and teachers, as well as employees of a political subdivision (i.e., school district, county, town, or other unit of local government) that has elected to participate in the System. *Group II* includes permanent firefighters and permanent police officers. Membership is a condition of employment and System contributions are mandatory for both *Group I* and *Group II* employees who meet specific eligibility requirements.

Additional information on the System's eligibility requirements, group membership parameters, funding policies, benefits, and the System's annual financial report can be obtained from the New Hampshire Retirement System, 54 Regional Drive, Concord, New Hampshire, 03301-85097, or from the System's website at www.nhrs.org.

### B. Funding Policy

The System is supported by member contributions, employer contributions, and net earnings on the investments of the trust fund. Member contribution rates are set by statute at 5.00% of member's compensation for *Group I* members (employees and teachers) and 9.30% of member's compensation for *Group II* members (police and fire). Employer contributions are set by the System's Board of Trustees based on biennial actuarial valuations prepared as of June 30<sup>th</sup> on the odd numbered years (2005, 2007, 2009, etc.). In 2008, the Town was required to contribute 8.74% to the System for its eligible *Group I* employees and 11.84% for its eligible *Group II* employees. The Town's total contributions to the System for the years ended December 31, 2008, 2007, and 2006 were \$73,562, \$64,390 and \$52,428 respectively, which equaled its annual required contributions for each of these years.

### 18. Risk Management

The Town is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which the government carries commercial insurance. There were no significant reductions in insurance coverage from the previous year and have been no material settlements in excess of coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

### 19. Trust Fund Reclassification

The Town's December 31, 2007 financial statements included Private Purpose Trust Funds which were reclassified to Agency Funds in fiscal year 2008.

### TOWN OF GREENLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Management Letter

For the Year Ended December 31, 2008

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To the Board of Selectmen Town of Greenland, New Hampshire

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of the Town of Greenland, New Hampshire, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2008, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Town of Greenland, New Hampshire's internal accounting control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Town's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Town's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be significant deficiencies.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control. Significant deficiencies are noted in the table of contents and comment headings. In addition, during our audit we became aware of several matters that are opportunities for strengthening internal controls and operating efficiency. The recommendations that accompany this letter summarize our comments and suggestions concerning those matters.

The Town's written response to our comments and suggestions has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

This communication is intended solely for the information and use of management, the Board of Selectmen, others within the organization, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

After you have had an opportunity to consider our comments and recommendations, we would be pleased to discuss them with you.

Welanson, Heath + Company P.C.

Nashua, New Hampshire August 31, 2009

### **CURRENT YEAR RECOMMENDATIONS:**

### 1. Improve Trust Fund Accounting and Reporting (Significant Deficiency)

During our testing of the Trustee's annual MS-9 report, we noted the following issues:

- In 2008, Library Growth Capital Reserve Funds (LG-CRF) were pooled with Cemetery and Other Library funds in one investment account. In January 2009, the Trustees opened a separate account for the LG-CRF and transferred \$ 198,173 into the new account. This transfer is \$ 2,417 more than the \$ 195,756 ending balance in the LG-CRF per the Trustees' 2008 MS-9 report. We were unable to determine the reason for this difference.
- In 2008, Library Maintenance Expendable Trust Funds (LM-ETF) were pooled with Cemetery and Other Library funds in one investment account. In January 2009, the Trustees opened a separate account for the LM-ETF and transferred \$ 8,757 to this account. This transfer is \$ 1,382 more than the \$ 7,375 ending balance in the LM-ETF per the Trustees' 2008 MS-9 report. We were unable to determine the reason for this difference.
- In 2008, the Town appropriated \$ 135,000 from the Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund (FT-CRF) toward the purchase of a new fire truck. In November 2008, the Trustees withdrew this amount from the FT-CRF investment account. This withdrawal was reported on the Trustees' 2008 MS-9 report. However, the Trustees paid only \$ 130,000 to the Town and the remaining \$ 5,000 was not deposited back into the FT-CRF until January 2009.
- The Trustees included principal and interest totaling \$ 90,546 for the Emma Perkins Cemetery Trust on the 2008 MS-9. Although the Town is a beneficiary of this trust, it is not controlled by the Trustees and should not be included on the MS-9.
- Our testing of trust fund cash indicates that the pooled cash balance reported on the 2008 MS-9 is understated by \$ 2,433.

- The Trustees maintain two checking accounts to flow monies to and from the investment accounts when funds are appropriated or received. In our testing, we noted that the reconciled activity in these accounts does not wash (i.e. net to zero).
- The Trustees were unable to provide us with detail for the pooled library and cemetery funds that are reported as "Common Trust A", "Common Trust B", and "Common Trust C" on the 2008 MS-9.
- The Trustees reported net income of \$ (116,987) on the 2008 MS-9 (not including the Emma Perkins Cemetery Trust). This appears to be a combination of both current year investment earnings and changes in investment values.

We recommend the Trustees improve trust fund accounting and reporting by directly addressing each of the issues noted above. We also recommend that the Trustees' checking accounts be maintained on an imprest basis, whereby monies flowing into these accounts equal monies flowing out. In addition, all costs associated with the trust fund accounting and reporting functions should be budgeted for at the Town level and paid through the Town's regular vendor payment process, rather than being paid directly from the Trustees' checking accounts.

### Town's Response:

The Board of Selectmen met with the Trustees of the Trust Funds on September 14, 2009 and reviewed each of the above issues. The Trustees have spent significant time and resources to correct the accounting deficiencies and changed investment advisors in 2009. The co-mingled library and cemetery accounts have now been properly separated. A duplication of the account earnings by the investment company resulted in the discrepancies with the MS-9 report for 2008. An explanation of this error along with confirmation from the investment company will be put on file. The Emma Perkins Trust will not be reported on the 2009 MS-9. All accounts have now been transferred to statutorily authorized investments eliminating future losses to the Town's investments.

### 2. <u>Modify Police Special Detail Revolving Fund Accounting and Budgeting</u> <u>Procedures</u>

In March 2008, the Town established a revolving fund to account for the revenue and expenses associated with Police Special Details (PSD). Beginning in April 2008, all PSD revenues were deposited into this new fund. However, the Town continued to account for PSD costs (wages, benefits, vehicle expenses, bookkeeping, clerical, other) in the general fund. These costs were offset by periodic reimbursements from the PSD revolving fund, resulting in no net cost to the general fund operating budget.

As a result of this change in accounting, the Town included a \$ 140,000 interfund operating transfer in from special revenue funds as a revenue source on its 2008 MS-4. However, because none of the costs associated with the new PSD fund are being paid from the general fund budget, this resulted in estimated general fund revenues being overstated by \$ 140,000.

We recommend the Town modify its PSD accounting procedures, such that reimbursements to the general fund are recorded as expenditures in the PSD revolving fund. We also recommend the Town reimburse the general fund for all PSD costs prior to year-end. We further recommend the Town not include any PSD revenues as funding sources for the general fund budget.

### Town's Response:

The accounting procedures have been modified to correctly account for the use of the PSD revolving fund. All reimbursements will be processed prior to year-end and police detail revenue will not be considered a funding source to off-set taxes.

### 3. Modify Ambulance Special Revenue Fund Accounting Procedures

During our testing of the Ambulance special revenue fund, we noted that the Treasurer's cashbook did not account for \$ 140,000 that was withdrawn from the Ambulance Fund's Ocean Bank account in 2008 and invested in a certificate of deposit. We also noted that the Town was not accounting for Ambulance Fund receivables in the general ledger.

We recommend the Treasurer account for all of the Ambulance Fund's cash and investment activity in his cashbook. We also recommend the Town account for Ambulance Fund receivables in the general ledger by recording the monthly commitments and write-offs reported by Comstar and posting cash receipts against the receivable account. We further recommend the Town reconcile the receivable balances per the general ledger to the balance reported by Comstar on a monthly basis. This will improve oversight and controls over Ambulance Fund activities.

### Town's Response:

The Treasurer will report both the cash balance and investment balance in his cashbook and reconcile both on a monthly basis. The Bookkeeper has established procedures to reconcile the ambulance receivables as reported to the Town by Comstar on a monthly basis in the General Fund.

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### TOWN OF GREENLAND

### 2010

### Town Warrant & Town Budget

### TOWN OF GREENLAND 2010 TOWN WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Greenland, in the County of Rockingham, and State of New Hampshire qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Greenland Central School on Post Road, Greenland, New Hampshire on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, 2010 at eight o'clock in the forenoon to elect officers and vote on questions required by law on the official ballot. The polls will not close before seven o'clock in the evening. Discussion and action on all other articles in the warrant will take place at the Greenland Central School on Saturday, March 13, 2010 in the forenoon, beginning at nine o'clock.

### **ARTICLE 1**

To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

### **ARTICLE 2**

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following amendment as proposed by the Planning Board for the Greenland Zoning Ordinances as follows?

Article I-Authority & Purpose-add 4<sup>th</sup> paragraph to Section 1.4-Applicability: The recordation of condominium instruments as defined in RSA 356-B, which would result in a subdivision, as defined in RSA 672:14, of the submitted land, whether such land is unimproved, the conversion of an existing building or structure, an existing condominium unit, convertible land, or convertible space.

### **Recommended by the Planning Board**

### **ARTICLE 3**

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following definition change as proposed by the Planning Board for the Greenland Zoning Ordinances as follows?

Agriculture, Farm, Farming: Shall mean "agriculture", "farm", "farming" as defined by RSA 21:34-a, as amended.

### **Recommended by the Planning Board**

### **ARTICLE 4**

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following new definition as proposed by the Planning Board for the Greenland Zoning Ordinances as follows?

**Demolition:** The razing, pulling-down or removing entirely or in part, any or all sections of a building. Demolition involved with an active building permit will not require a separate permit.

### **Recommended by the Planning Board**

### **ARTICLE 5**

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following amendment as proposed by the Planning Board for the Greenland Zoning Ordinances as follows?

Remove Section E: Agricultural/Forest Uses, in its entirety, from the Table of Uses: Per RSA 674:32-c, agricultural uses shall not be prohibited in any district.

**Recommended by the Planning Board** 

### ARTICLE 6

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following amendment as proposed by the Planning Board for the Greenland Zoning Ordinances as follows?

Article III, Section 3.7.5-Storage within Truck Bodies, Trailer Vans or Cargo Vehicles: Remove the last sentence. Section 3.7.5 will now read: No truck bodies, trailer vans, or similar cargo vehicle may be used for storage on any site in any district without a permit from the Board of Selectmen. Such a permit may be granted by the Board for the purpose of construction or bona fide emergency. The permit shall last for one year and be renewable annually with the provision that the Selectmen may revoke the permit at any time with just cause. A permit fee of five dollars (\$5.00) is payable upon application and at each renewal.

### Recommended by the Planning Board

### ARTICLE 7

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following amendment as proposed by the Planning Board for the Greenland Zoning Ordinances as follows?

Remove Article XVI, Section 16.4, in its entirety and add the following words to the end of Section 16.3: "and the Building Regulations". Section 16.3: Building Inspector, will now read: The Building Inspector shall issue any and all building permits requested when such permit is in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and the Building Regulations. Section 16.4: Permits (will be removed): After passage of this Ordinance, it shall be unlawful to erect any building or alter the bulk of any building or relocate any building in any district without first obtaining a building permit from the Building Inspector.

### Recommended by the Planning Board

### ARTICLE 8

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following amendment as proposed by the Planning Board for the Greenland Zoning Ordinances as follows?

**Remove Article XVII, Section 17.1.1, in its entirety**: This will eliminate any ambiguity. Section 17.1.1 (will be removed): Permit in a Commercial District manufacturing which is incidental to retail business where articles are sold at retail on the premises and where not more than five (5) operators are employed in such manufacturing.

### Recommended by the Planning Board

### ARTICLE 9

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following amendment as proposed by the Planning Board for the Greenland Zoning Ordinances as follows?

Amend Building Regulation, Section 1, A, 1, to read as follows: No building or condominium construction shall be started, moved onto a particular lot, altered, changed in its existing use, or shall be put to any use different from that on the day of enactment of this Ordinance, except in accordance with Section 2, D of these regulations. All permits shall expire one year from the date of issuance unless extended, in writing prior to the expiration date, for good cause shown.

The following will be removed from the current regulation: No building or condominium construction shall be started, moved into a particular lot, altered, changed in its existing use, or shall be put to any use different from that on the day of enactment of this Ordinance, until a permit has been issued under the terms of this Ordinance. All permits shall expire one year from the date of issuance unless extended in writing prior to the expiration date, for good cause shown. (Amended 2002)

### Recommended by the Planning Board

### **ARTICLE 10**

Are you in favor of the adoption of the following amendment as proposed by the Planning Board for the Greenland Zoning Ordinances as follows?

**Building Regulation, Section 2, A, add a second paragraph:** The Building Inspector shall have the right to request any or all building construction documents to be prepared or certified by a registered design professional as the complexities of specific projects dictate.

### **Recommended by the Planning Board**

### **ARTICLE 11**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) for the acquisition of conservation easements, open space land, and recreational land by the Town, all for the permanent protection of appropriate undeveloped land and recreational land in the Town of Greenland, and to authorize the issuance of bonds or notes in accordance with the Municipal Budget Act [RSA Chapter 33] and to authorize the Selectmen to act on behalf of the Town in connection with such acquisitions of conservation easements, open space land, and recreational land and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and regulate such bonds and notes and determine the rates of interest thereon. All authority under this article shall expire at the conclusion of five (5) years from the date of passage hereof. (Passage requires a 2/3 vote).

### Not Recommended by the Board of Selectmen Not Recommended by Budget Committee

### ARTICLE 12

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following Selectmen's Ordinance governing animals running at large: "DEFINITIONS:

<u>Animal</u>: All domestic and non-human animals. The term animal, where it occurs in this ordinance, shall include, but not be limited to, cattle, bovines, swine, sheep, goats, as well as domesticated strains of buffalo or bison, llamas, alpacas, emus, ostriches, yaks, elk, fallow deer, red deer and reindeer, equines and canines.

<u>Running at Large:</u> The above referenced animal(s) in which: trespass onto property of another, town roads/streets (regardless if maintained by the Town of Greenland or the State of New Hampshire), public property or lands, highways or other areas not owned by the animal(s) owner.

- 1. Permitting animals(s) to run at large:
  - (a) It shall be unlawful for the owner of any animal to knowingly, voluntarily, negligently or willfully permit any such animal to run at large in the Town of Greenland whether upon the premises of another or upon the public lands, highways, roads or streets (whether maintained by the State of New Hampshire of Town of Greenland).
  - (b) Nothing in this section or elsewhere in this ordinance shall it be construed to make it unlawful to run animals at large on the premises of another when the owner or person in charge of the premises has consented in writing to allow the animal(s) onto his/her property. The animals must be contained to the consenting person's property only, in order to mitigate penalties of this ordinance.
- 2. Owner of animal(s) liability from resulting damage:

The owner of such animal running at large shall be liable for any and all damages done to crops, lawns, trees, ornamental shrubs, flowers or any other property belonging to any person. Damages are to be recovered through any court of competent jurisdiction. The owner of any animal may be held liable for any damages to any motor vehicle or any occupant thereof suffered, caused by or resulting from a collision with such stock or other animal, if it is proven that such owner knowingly or willfully or

negligently allowed such animal upon such public highway, road or street where such damages were occasioned.

3. Recovery of animal(s) by owner:

The Owner of the recovered animal(s) shall be responsible for any pick-up, boarding, medical or sustenance provided by the animal shelter caring for such animals in the event that the animals are recovered by any approved organization such as the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA). The owner of the seized animal(s) shall be responsible for these payments if it is proven that the animal(s) were seized for rescue, running at large, neglect or animal cruelty. In this instance, the Town of Greenland shall not be held liable for charges or damages.

<u>Civil Penalty</u>: A monetary fine of \$50.00 may be imposed for such infractions of this ordinance. It shall be at the discretion of the investigating officer, Police Chief, or Board of Selectmen whether a fine is to be levied against the offender."

(Majority vote required)

### ARTICLE 13

To see if the Town will vote to establish an Expendable Trust Fund for the purpose of maintaining health insurance funds for the benefit of employees as authorized by RSA 31:19-a V and to appoint the Board of Selectmen as agents to expend from this fund for the payment of health claims or health insurance premiums and to further raise and appropriate the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) to be deposited into said fund. An annual accounting and report of the activities of the trust shall be published in the annual report. (Majority vote required)

### Recommended by Board of Selectmen Recommended by Budget Committee

### ARTICLE 14

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the operating budget. The Budget Committee recommends \$2,756,830. The Selectmen recommend \$2,812,618. This article does not include appropriations voted in other warrant articles. (Majority vote required)

### **ARTICLE 15**

To see if the Town of Greenland will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) to be deposited into the Conservation Land Capital Reserve Fund, established in 2001, for the funding of conservation land and/or easements for the Town, and to further amend the authority to expend from such fund by designating the Selectmen as agents to expend under the provisions of RSA 41:14-a. (Majority vote required)

### Recommended by Board of Selectmen Recommended by Budget Committee

### **ARTICLE 16**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) to use in matching potential grant fund opportunities related to conservation or conducting natural and water resource research and education. This article is to be non-lapsing for a period of three years. (Majority vote required)

### Recommended by Board of Selectmen Not recommended by Budget Committee

### **ARTICLE 17**

To see if the Town will vote to increase the membership of the Conservation Commission as established by Town Meeting in 1966 from five members to seven members to administer and exercise the powers conferred by RSA 36-A. (Majority vote required)

### **ARTICLE 18**

To see if the Town of Greenland will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$170,000) to be added to the Town Vicinity Land Capital Reserve Fund established in 2004. (Majority vote required)

### Recommended by Board of Selectmen Recommended by the Budget Committee

### **ARTICLE 19**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) to be deposited in the Weeks Library Capital Reserve Fund for future expansion of the Weeks Public Library. (Majority vote required)

### Recommended by Board of Selectmen Recommended by Budget Committee

### **ARTICLE 20**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) for the acquisition and installation of a vertical baler at the Transfer Station. (Majority vote required)

### Recommended by Board of Selectmen Recommended by the Budget Committee

### **ARTICLE 21**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) to be deposited into the Retirement Liabilities Expendable Trust Fund established in 2008 to fund retirement liabilities for town employees. (Majority vote required)

### Recommended by Board of Selectmen Recommended by Budget Committee

### **ARTICLE 22**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the authorized expenditure purposes of the Fire and Ambulance Special Revenue Fund to authorize the billing costs for ambulance services to be paid from that fund. Further, to raise and appropriate Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) for the 2010 expenses to be withdrawn from the Fire and Ambulance Special Revenue Fund. (Two-thirds vote required)

### Recommended by Board of Selectmen Recommended by Budget Committee

### **ARTICLE 23**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) to be deposited in the Mosquito Control Expendable Trust Fund established by Town Meeting in 2008 for the purpose of mosquito control measures that may be necessary on an emergency basis due to mosquito borne illnesses. (Majority vote required)

### Recommended by Board of Selectmen Recommended by Budget Committee

#### ARTICLE 24

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) to compensate the Bookkeeper of the Trustee of Trust Funds. (Majority vote required) Not recommended by the Board of Selectmen

# Recommended by the Budget Committee

#### ARTICLE 25

To see if the Town of Greenland will vote to vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) to provide funding for COAST, a transportation program that serves Greenland residents and to authorize the withdrawal of \$3,000.00 for that purpose from the Municipal/Regional Transportation Improvement Capital Reserve Fund established in 2006 under the provisions of RSA 261:153 VI and funded through the additional charge to motor vehicle registrations. (Majority vote required)

#### Recommended by the Board of Selectmen Recommended by the Budget Committee

#### ARTICLE 26

To see if the Town will vote to require annual registration of commercial establishments and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to establish an annual fee schedule. The registration of businesses will help increase and maintain the safety of commercial buildings in the Town of Greenland and provide the fire department with important information regarding the current use of the building and any hazards that the town should be aware of. Revenue received will be used to offset the costs associated with a fire inspection program with the goal of completely inspecting all commercial structures over a five (5) year cycle or less. If approved, the registration of commercial establishments and establishment of the annual fee shall be effective July 1, 2010. (Majority vote required)

#### **ARTICLE 27**

To see if the Town will vote to establish a revolving fund pursuant to RSA 31:95-h, for the purpose of fire and safety inspections of commercial establishments, municipal and educational buildings. All revenues received from the annual fees for registration of commercial establishments will be deposited into the fund, and the money in the fund shall be allowed to accumulate from year to year, and shall not be considered part of the Town's general fund unreserved fund balance. The Town treasurer shall have custody of all monies in the fund, and shall pay out the same only upon order of the governing body and no further approval is required by the legislative body to expend. Such funds may be expended only for the purpose for which the fund was created. If approved, this fund will be established effective July 1, 2010. (Majority vote required)

#### ARTICLE 28

Shall we delegate the duties and responsibilities of the Cemetery Trustees to the Board of Selectmen? (Majority vote required)

#### **ARTICLE 29**

To see if the Town will vote to accept Great Bay Drive East and Great Bay Drive West as town roads, in their current condition, upon receipt of deeds releasing all rights, title and interests from all current owners of record. (Majority vote required)

#### **ARTICLE 30**

To see if the Town will vote to approve the following resolution to be forwarded to our State Representative(s), our State Senator, the Speaker of the House, and the Senate President.

"Resolved: The citizens of New Hampshire should be allowed to vote on an amendment to the New Hampshire Constitution that defines "marriage". (By Petition)

#### **ARTICLE 31**

To take any other action that may legally come before the meeting.



# BUDGET OF THE TOWN WITH A MUNICIPAL BUDGET COMMITTEE

# OF: GREENLAND

BUDGET FORM FOR TOWNS WHICH HAVE ADOPTED THE PROVISIONS OF RSA 32:14 THROUGH 32:24

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2010

or Fiscal Year From to

# **IMPORTANT:**

Please read RSA 32:5 applicable to all municipalities.

1. Use this form to list the operating budget and all special and individual warrant articles in the appropriate recommended and not recommended area. All proposed appropriations must be on this form.

2. Hold at least one public hearing on this budget.

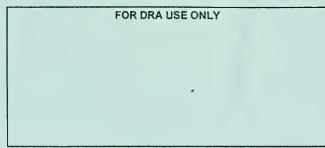
3. When completed, a copy of the budget must be posted with the warrant. Another copy must be placed on file with the town clerk, and a copy sent to the Department of Revenue Administration at the address below within 20 days after the meeting.

This form was posted with the warrant on (Date):FEBRUARY 17, 2010\_\_\_\_\_

# **BUDGET COMMITTEE**

	sign in ink.
-Under penalites of perjury, Declare that I have examined the informatio	n contained in this form and to the best of my belief it is true, correct and complete.
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# THIS BUDGET SHALL BE POSTED WITH THE TOWN WARRANT



NH DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION MUNICIPAL SERVICES DIVISION P.O. BOX 487, CONCORD, NH 03302-0487 (603)271-3397

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	6	S APPROPRIATIONS scal Year NOT RECOMMENDED	XXXXXXXX	6,347	2,500	8,573				750		2,500				XXXXXXXXX	12,000						XXXXXXXXX		XXXXXXXXX	17,500			50,170
	8	BUDGET COMMITTEE'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year RECOMMENDED NOT RECOMMENDE	XXXXXXXXX	183,039	53,004	98,346		60,500	357,288	21,900	49,949	3,000	53,337	6,133	500	XXXXXXXXX	565,692	12,550	173,737	50,758	26,010		XXXXXXXXX		XXXXXXXXX	23,900	460,724		2,200,367
	7	PPROPRIATIONS iscal Year (NOT RECOMMENDED)	XXXXXXXXX												-	XXXXXXXXX							XXXXXXXXX		XXXXXXXXX				0
	9	SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year (RECOMMENDED) (NOT RECOMME	XXXXXXXXX	189,386	55,504	106,919		60,500	357,288	22,650	49,949	5,500	53,337	6,133	500	XXXXXXXXX	577,692	12,550	173,737	50,758	26,010		XXXXXXXXX		XXXXXXXXX	41,400	460,724		2,250,537
	5	Actual Expenditures Prior Year	XXXXXXXXX	172,451	50,666	91,869		38,335	299,522	18,904	36,918	22,121	47,416	6,116	214	XXXXXXXXX	564,163	25,265	166,296	50,314	5,685		XXXXXXXXX		XXXXXXXXX	30,241	440,402		22,066,898
	4	Appropriations Prior Year As Approved by DRA	XXXXXXXXX	188,905	52,788	110,855		60,500	290,238	29,150	42,611	23,500	53,788	6,116	1,500	XXXXXXXXX	572,237	29,500	172,637	51,715	12,010		XXXXXXXXX		XXXXXXXXX	26,400	432,500		2,156,950
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Budget - Town of GREENLAND FY 2010	2	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS (RSA 32:3,V)	GENERAL GOVERNMENT	Executive	Election, Reg. & Vital Statistics	Financial Administration	Revaluation of Property	Legal Expense	Personnel Administration	Planning & Zoning	<b>General Government Buildings</b>	Cemeteries	Insurance	Advertising & Regional Assoc.	Other General Government	PUBLIC SAFETY	Police	Ambulance	Fire	Building Inspection	Emergency Management	Other (Including Communications)	<b>AIRPORT/AVIATION CENTER</b>	Airport Operations	HIGHWAYS & STREETS	Administration	Highways & Streets	Bridges	
NS-7	1	ACCT.#		4130-4139	4140-4149	4150-4151	4152	4153	4155-4159	4191-4193	4194	4195	4196	4197	4199		4210-4214	4215-4219	4220-4229	4240-4249	4290-4298	4299		4301-4309		4311	4312	4313	

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8	BUDGET COMMITTEE'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year RECOMMENDED NOT RECOMMENDE	XXXXXXXXX	14,100		XXXXXXXXX	38,767	66,000	110,353			XXXXXXXXX				XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX	1,950	20,150	26,193	22,250		28,000	327,763
7	PPROPRIATIONS iscal Year (NOT RECOMMENDED)	XXXXXXXXX			XXXXXXXXX						XXXXXXXXX				XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX							0
9	SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year (RECOMMENDED) (NOT RECOMME	XXXXXXXXX	14,100		XXXXXXXXX	38,767	66,000	110,353			XXXXXXXXX				XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX	1,950	20,150	26,193	22,250		28,000	327,763
5	Actual Expenditures Prior Year	XXXXXXXXX	15,455		XXXXXXXXX	35,868	79,504	98,991			XXXXXXXXX				XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX	1,679	20,330	29,884	17,805		26,914	326,430
4	Appropriations Prior Year As Approved by DRA	XXXXXXXXX	13,750		XXXXXXXXX	38,767	64,664	98,885			XXXXXXXXX				XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX	1,950	20,150	30,694	22,250		30,000	321,110
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2	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS (RSA 32:3,V)	HIGHWAYS & STREETS cont.	Street Lighting	Other	SANITATION	Administration	Solid Waste Collection	Solid Waste Disposal	Solid Waste Clean-up	Sewage Coll. & Disposal & Other	WATER DISTRIBUTION & TREATMENT	Administration	Water Services	Water Treatment, Conserv.& Other	ELECTRIC	Admin. and Generation	Purchase Costs	Electric Equipment Maintenance	Other Electric Costs	HEALTH/WELFARE	Administration	Pest Control	Health Agencies & Hosp. & Other	Administration & Direct Assist.	Intergovernmental Welfare Payemnts	Vendor Payments & Other	
] -	ACCT.#		4316	4319		4321	4323	4324	4325	4326-4329	M	4331	4332	4335-4339		4351-4352	4353	4354	4359		4411	4414	4415-4419	4441-4442	4444	4445-4449	

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6	BUDGET COMMITTEE'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year RECOMMENDED NOT RECOMMENDED	XXXXXXXXX		5,617			XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX						5,617 MS-7 Rev. 08/09
8	BUDGET COMMITTEE Ensuing F RECOMMENDED	XXXXXXXXX	2,215	212,600	725	11,150	XXXXXXXXX	2,000				XXXXXXXXX			10		XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX						228,700
7	PPROPRIATIONS iscal Year (NOT RECOMMENDED)	XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX						0
9	SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year (RECOMMENDED) (NOT RECOMME	XXXXXXXXX	2,215	218,217	725	11,150	XXXXXXXXX	2,000				XXXXXXXXX			10		XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX						234,317
5	Actual Expenditures Prior Year	XXXXXXXXX	1,039	227,808	1,081	12,292	XXXXXXXXX	605				XXXXXXXXX					XXXXXXXXX		75,027	320,000		XXXXXXXXX						4 637,852
4	Appropriations Prior Year As Approved by DRA	XXXXXXXXX	5,215	227,808	725	24,400	XXXXXXXXX	8,000				XXXXXXXXX			1,000		XXXXXXXXX		31,100			XXXXXXXXX						298,248
e	OP Bud. Warr. Art.#																		21									
2	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS (RSA 32:3,V)	CULTURE & RECREATION	Parks & Recreation	Library	Patriotic Purposes	Other Culture & Recreation	CONSERVATION	Admin.& Purch. of Nat. Resources	Other Conservation	REDEVELOPMNT & HOUSING	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	DEBT SERVICE	Princ Long Term Bonds & Notes	Interest-Long Term Bonds & Notes	Int. on Tax Anticipation Notes	Other Debt Service	CAPITAL OUTLAY	Land	Machinery, Vehicles & Equipment	Buildings	Improvements Other Than Bldgs.	<b>OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT</b>	To Special Revenue Fund	To Capital Projects Fund	To Enterprise Fund	Sewer-	Water-	
Ł	ACCT.#		4520-4529	4550-4559	4583	4589		4611-4612	4619	4631-4632	4651-4659		4711	4721	4723	4790-4799		4901	4902	4903	4909		4912	4913	4914			

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<b>0</b>	BUDGET COMMITTEE'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year RECOMMENDED NOT RECOMMENDED	XXXXXXXXX								55,787
8	BUDGET COMMITTEE Ensuing F RECOMMENDED	XXXXXXXXX								2,756,830
7	SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year (RECOMMENDED) (NOT RECOMMENDED)	XXXXXXXXX								
9	SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year (RECOMMENDED) (NOT RECOMME	XXXXXXXXX								2,812,617
5	Actual Expenditures Prior Year	XXXXXXXXX			157,500	40,200				3,031,180
4	Appropriations Prior Year As Approved by DRA	XXXXXXXXX			157,500	40,200				2,974,008
3	OP Bud. Warr. Art.#				18,19,20,25	22,24,28				
2	PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS (RSA 32:3.V)	OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT cont.	Electric-	Airport-	To Capital Reserve Fund *	To Exp.Tr.Fund-except #4917 *	To Health Maint. Trust Funds *	To Nonexpendable Trust Funds	To Fiduciary Funds	OPERATING BUDGET TOTAL
-	ACCT.#	OPER			4915	4916		4918	4919	OPE

\* Use special warrant article section on next page.

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\*\*SPECIAL WARRANT ARTICLES\*\*

Special warrant articles are defined in RSA 32:3,VI, as appropriations: 1) in petitioned warrant articles; 2) appropriations raised by bonds or notes; 3) appropriations to a separate fund created pursuant to law, such as capital reserve funds or trusts funds; or 4) an appropriation designated on the warrant as a special article or as a nonlapsing or nontransferable article. ດ

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BUDGET COMMITTEE'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year RECOMMENDED NOT RECOMMENDED	2,000,000			15,000							XXXXXXXXX
BUDGET COMMITTEE Ensuing F RECOMMENDED		60,000	20,000		170,000	15,000	5,000	3,000	2,500	5,000	280,500
SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year (RECOMMENDED) (NOT RECOMMENDED)	2,000,000										XXXXXXXXX
SELECTMEN'S APPROPRIATIONS Ensuing Fiscal Year (RECOMMENDED) (NOT RECOMME		60,000	20,000	15,000	170,000	15,000	5,000	3,000	2,500	5,000	295,500
Actual Expenditures Prior Year											XXXXXXXXX
Appropriations Prior Year As Approved by DRA											XXXXXXXXX
Warr. Art.#	11	13	15	16	18	19	21	25	23	21	Q
PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS (RSA 32:3,V)	4611 CONSERVATION LAND BOND	4155 HEALTH INSURANCE EXP TRUST	4611 CONSERVATION DEPOSIT TO CRF	4611 CONS. GRANT MATCHING FUNDS	4901 TOWN VICINITY LAND DEPOSIT TO CRF	4550 WEEKS LIBRARY DEPOSIT TO CRF	4155 RETIREMENT LIABILITIES TO CRF	4441 COAST APPROPRIATION	4419 MOSQUITO CONTROL DEPOSIT TO CRF	4550 RETIREMENT LIABILITIES TO CRF	SPECIAL ARTICLES RECOMMENDED
ACCT.#	4611	4155	4611	4611	4901	4550	4155	4441	4419	4550	SP

"Individual" warrant articles are not necessarily the same as "special warrant articles". An example of an individual warrant article might be negotiated cost items for labor agreements, leases or items of a one time nature you wish to address individually.

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ACCI.#	(V.6.36 AGN)	AIL.#	Approved by DKA	Prior Year	(RECOMMENDED)	(RECOMMENDED) (NOT RECOMMENDED)	RECOMMENDED	RECOMMENDED NOT RECOMMENDED
4324	4324 BALER	20			15,000		15,000	
4150	4150 BOOKKEEPER-TRUST FUNDS	24				1,500	1,500	
4220	4220 AMBULANCE BILLING FEES	22			3'000 3		3,000	
IND	INDIVIDUAL ARTICLES RECOMMENDED	DED	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	18,000	18,000 XXXXXXXX	19,500	19,500 XXXXXXXX

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		Warr.	Actual Revenues	Selectmen's Estimated	Budget Committee's
ACCT.#	SOURCE OF REVENUE	Art.#	Prior Year	Revenues	Est. Revenues
	TAXES		XXXXXXXXX	<b>XXXXXXXX</b>	XXXXXXXXX
3120	Land Use Change Taxes - General Fund		41,280	55,000	55,000
3180	Resident Taxes				
3185	Timber Taxes		804.88	100	100
3186	Payment in Lieu of Taxes				
3189	Other Taxes				
3190	Interest & Penalties on Delinquent Taxes		56,467.38	50,000	50,000
	Inventory Penalties				
3187	Excavation Tax (\$.02 cents per cu yd)		450		
	LICENSES, PERMITS & FEES		XXXXXXXXX	<b>XXXXXXXX</b>	XXXXXXXXX
3210	Business Licenses & Permits		13,702.00	12,600	12,600
3220	Motor Vehicle Permit Fees		733,247.96	735,000	735,000
3230	Building Permits		176,242.29	35,000	35,000
3290	Other Licenses, Permits & Fees		9,474.29	8,500	8,500
3311-3319	FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT		40,055.33	0	0
	FROM STATE		<b>XXXXXXXX</b>	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
3351	Shared Revenues		0	0	0
3352	Meals & Rooms Tax Distribution		152,063.35	152,063	152,063
3353	Highway Block Grant		66,984.82	66,984	66,984
3354	Water Pollution Grant		0		
3355	Housing & Community Development		0		
3356	State & Federal Forest Land Reimbursement		0		
3357	Flood Control Reimbursement		0		
3359	Other (Including Railroad Tax)		45,478.66	36,000	36,000
3379	FROM OTHER GOVERNMENTS			-	
	CHARGES FOR SERVICES		<b>XXXXXXXXX</b>	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
3401-3406	Income from Departments		5,462.56	5,000	5,000
3409	Other Charges		28,962.56	11,200	11,200
	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
3501	Sale of Municipal Property		23,500	100	100
3502	Interest on Investments		37,889.34	35,000	35,000
3503-3509	Other		6,160.64	0	0
	NTERFUND OPERATING TRANSFERS II	V	<u> </u>	XXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
3912	From Special Revenue Funds		12,000	3,000	3,000
3913	From Capital Projects Funds				1 005 517
			1,450,226	1,205,547	1,205,547

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ACCT.#	SOURCE OF REVENUE	Warr. Art.#	Actual Revenues Prior Year	Selectmen's Estimated Revenues	Budget Committee's Est. Revenues
INTER	FUND OPERATING TRANSFERS IN cont		****	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
3914	From Enterprise Funds				
	Sewer - (Offset)				
	Water - (Offset)				
	Electric - (Offset)				
	Airport - (Offset)				
3915	From Capital Reserve Funds		28,412.00	15,000	15,000
3916	From Trust & Fiduciary Funds	_	321,706	11,000	11,000
3917	Transfers from Conservation Funds				
	OTHER FINANCING SOURCES		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXX
3934	Proc. from Long Term Bonds & Notes				
	Amounts VOTED From F/B ("Surplus")		195,200	0	0
	Fund Balance ("Surplus") to Reduce Taxes		0	0	0
Т	OTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE & CREDIT	s	1,995,544.00	1,231,547.00	1,231,547.00
**B	UDGET SUMMARY**				

	PRIOR YEAR ADOPTED BUDGET	SELECTMEN'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET	BUDGET COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDED BUDGET
Operating Budget Appropriations Recommended (from pg. 5)	3,031,180	2,812,617	2,756,830
Special Warrant Articles Recommended (from pg. 6)		295,500	280,500
Individual Warrant Articles Recommended (from pg. 6)		18,000	19,500
TOTAL Appropriations Recommended	3,031,180	3,126,117	3,056,830
Less: Amount of Estimated Revenues & Credits (from above)	1,995,544.00	1,231,547	1,231,547
Estimated Amount of Taxes to be Raised	1,035,636.00	1,894,570.00	1,825,283

Maximum Allowable Increase to Budget Committee's Recommended Budget per RSA 32:18: \_\_\_\_\_\_

182,528

# **BUDGET COMMITTEE SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE**

(For Calculating 10% Maximum Increase)

(RSA 32:18, 19, & 32:21)

# VERSION #1: Use if you have no Collective Bargaining Cost Items or RSA 32:21 Water Costs

LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL UNIT: GREENLAND FISCAL YEAR END 2010

	RECOMMENDED AMOUNT
1. Total <b>RECOMMENDED</b> by Budget Comm. (See Posted Budget MS7, 27, or 37)	2,756,830
LESS EXCLUSIONS:	
2. Principal: Long-Term Bonds & Notes	
3. Interest: Long-Term Bonds & Notes	
4. Capital Outlays Funded From Long-Term Bonds &Notes per RSA 33:8 & 33:7-b.	
5. Mandatory Assessments	
6. Total exclusions (Sum of rows 2 - 5)	< >
7. Amount recommended less recommended exclusion amounts (line 1 less line 6)	2,756,830
8. Line 7 times 10%	275,683
9. Maximum Allowable Appropriations (lines 1 + 8)	3,032,513

Line 8 is the maximum allowable increase to budget committee's <u>recommended</u> budget. Please enter this amount on the bottom of the posted budget form, MS7, 27, or 37.

Please attach a copy of this completed supplemental schedule to the back of the budget form.

# **GREENLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT**

# 2010

# The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the School District of Greenland, in the County of Rockingham and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote upon District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Greenland Central School in said District on Tuesday, March 9, 2010, at 8:00 o'clock in the forenoon until 7:00 o'clock in the evening, to vote on the following:

- 1. To choose One (1) Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
- 2. To choose One (1) School District Clerk for the ensuing three years.
- 3. To choose One (1) School District Moderator for the ensuing three years.

The foregoing procedure calling for election of your District Officers at the annual town meeting was adopted by the District at its 1966 annual meeting.

Given under our hands and seal at said Greenland this 16th day of February, 2010.

A true copy of warrant - Attest

Greenland School Board

# GREENLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT 2010 The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the School District of Greenland in the County of Rockingham, and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote upon District Affairs: YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED TO MEET AT THE GREENLAND CENTRAL SCHOOL IN SAID DISTRICT ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10 2010, AT 7:00 P.M. TO ACT ON THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES. (SNOW DATE, THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 2010 AT 7:00 P.M.)

<u>Article 1:</u> To see if the Greenland School District will vote to raise and appropriate the Budget Committee's recommended amount of <u>\$7,608,158.00</u> (Seven Million Six Hundred Eight Thousand One Hundred Fifty-Eight Dollars) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for the school district officials and agents, and for the payment for statutory obligations of the District. This article does not include appropriations voted in other warrant articles. (Majority vote required.)

The Greenland School Board and Greenland Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

<u>Article 2:</u> To see if the Greenland School District will vote to approve the cost item included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Greenland School Board and the Association of Coastal Teachers/Greenland which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels:

Year	Estimate	d Increase
2010-2011	\$	0
2011-2012	7	9,158
2012-2013	7	6,373

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of <u>\$0.00</u> (Zero Dollars) for the upcoming fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits required by the new agreement over those that would be paid at current staffing levels in accordance with the most recent collective bargaining agreement. (NOTE: Pursuant to RSA 273-A:12, if approved, the terms of this collective bargaining agreement, including the pay plan, but excluding cost of living increases, will continue in force and effect until a new agreement is executed.) (Majority vote required.) (Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article number 1, the operating budget article.)

The Greenland School Board and Greenland Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 3: Shall the Greenland School District, if Article 2 is defeated, authorize the governing body to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 2 cost items only. (Majority vote required.)

<u>Article 4:</u> To see if the Greenland School District will vote to create an expendable trust fund under the provisions of RSA 198:20-c, to be known as the Tuition Expendable Trust Fund, for the purpose of paying tuition costs for unbudgeted students. Further, to raise and appropriate the sum of up to <u>\$30,000.00</u> (Thirty Thousand Dollars) to be added to the Tuition Expendable Trust Fund from the June 30 unreserved fund balance (surplus) available to transfer on July 1 of this year. Furthermore, to name the Greenland School Board as agents to expend from this fund. (Majority vote required.) (Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article 1, the operating budget article.)

The Greenland School Board and Greenland Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

<u>Article 5:</u> To see if the Greenland School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of <u>\$20,400.00</u> (Twenty Thousand Four Hundred Dollars) to be placed in the Rental Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund, previously established, with such sum to be funded from the rental income received from the property. (Majority vote required.) (Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article number 1, the operating budget article.)

The Greenland School Board and Greenland Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 7: To transact any further business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at said Greenland this 16th day of February, 2010.

A true copy of warrant – Attest

Greenland School Board

# SCHOOL BUDGET FORM BUDGET FORM FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS WHICH HAVE ADOPTED THE PROVISIONS OF RSA 32:14 THROUGH 32:24

OF:

Greenland

NH

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Fiscal Year From July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2011

# **IMPORTANT:**

Please read RSA 32:5 applicable to all municipalities.

1. Use this form to list ALL APPROPRIATIONS in the appropriate recommended and not recommended area. This means the operating budget and all special and individual warrant articles must be posted.

2. Hold at least one public hearing on this budget.

3. When completed, a copy of the budget must be posted with the warrant. Another copy must be placed on file with the school clerk, and a copy sent to the Department of Revenue Administration at the address below within 20 days after the meeting.

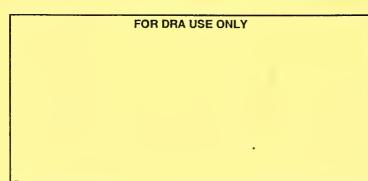
This form was posted with the warrant on (Date): February 17, 2010

# BUDGET COMMITTEE

Please sign in ink.

Under penalities of perjury, I declare that I have examined the information contained in this form and to the best of my belief it is true, correct and complete.

# THIS BUDGET SHALL BE POSTED WITH THE SCHOOL WARRANT



NH DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION MUNICIPAL SERVICES DIVISION P.O. BOX 487, CONCORD, NH 03302-0487 (603)271-3397

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t	Acct.#		5110	5120		5220-5221	522-5229	5230-5239	5251	5252	5253	5254	5300-5399			

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\*\*SPECIAL WARRANT ARTICLES\*\*

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			Revised	School Board's	Budget
Acct.#	SOURCE OF REVENUE	WARR. ART.#	Revenues Current Year	Estimated Revenues	Committee's Est. Revenues
	REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
1300-1349	Tuition				
1400-1449	Transportation Fees				
1500-1599	Earnings on Investments		7,800	8,000	8,000
1600-1699	Food Service Sales		62,000	60,000	60,000
1700-1799	Student Activities				
1800-1899	Community Services Activities				
1900-1999	Other Local Sources		25,400	25,400	25,400
	REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
3210	School Building Aid		139,880	139,880	139,880
3220	Kindergarten Aid				
3230	Catastrophic Aid				
3240-3249	Vocational Aid				
3250	Adult Education				
3260	Child Nutrition		1,220	1,200	1,200
3270	Driver Education				
3290-3299	Other State Sources				
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r	REVENUE FROM FEDERAL SOURCES	· · · · · ·	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
4100-4539	Federal Program Grants		30,000	15,000	15,000
4540	Vocational Education				
4550	Adult Education				
4560	Child Nutrition		13,400	13,000	13,000
4570	DIsabilities Programs	ļ			
4580	Medicald Distribution		40,000	40,000	40,000
4590-4999	Other Federal Sources (except 4810)				
4810	Federal Forest Reserve				
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	OTHER FINANCING SOURCES		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX
5110-5139	Sale of Bonds or Notes				
5221	Transfer from Food Service-Spec.Rev.Fund				
5222	Transfer from Other Special Revenue Funds				
5230	Transfer from Capital Project Funds				
5251	Transfer from Capital Reserve Funds				

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Acct.#	SOURCE OF REVENUE	WARR. ART.#	Revised Revenues Current Year	School Board's Estimated Revenues	Budget Committee's Est. Revenues
	OTHER FINANCING SOURCES CONT.		XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXXXX
5252	Transfer from Expendable Trust Funds				
5253	Transfer from Non-Expendable Trust Funds				
5300-5699	Other Financing Sources				
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5140	This Section for Calculation of RAN's (Reimbursement Anticipation Notes) Per RSA 198:20-d for Catastrophic Aid Borrowing RAN, Revenue This FYless RAN, Revenue Last FY =NET RAN				
	Supplemental Appropriation (Contra)				
	Voted From Fund Balance				
	Fund Balance to Reduce Taxes	90,531	0		
	Total Estimated Revenue & Credits	410,231	302,480	302,480	

# \*\*BUDGET SUMMARY\*\*

	Current Year Adopted Budget	School Board's Recommended Budget	Budget Committee's Recommended Budget
Operating Budget Appropriations Recommended (from page 3)	7,575,655	7,702,885	7,608,158
Special Warrant Articles Recommended (from page 4)	80,400	50,400	50,400
Individual Warrant Articles Recommended (from page 4)	0	0	0
TOTAL Appropriations Recommended	7,656,055	7,753,285	7,658,558
Less: Amount of Estimated Revenues & Credits (from above)	410,231	302,480	302,480
Less: Amount of State Education Tax/Grant	489,992	489,992	489,992
Estimated Amount of Local Taxes to be Raised For Education	6,755,832	6,960,813	6,866,086

Maximum Allowable Increase to Budget Committee's Recommended Budget per RSA 32:18: \$690,969 (See Supplemental Schedule With 10% Calculation)

# **BUDGET COMMITTEE SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE**

(For Calculating 10% Maximum Increase)

(RSA 32:18, 19, & 32:21)

# VERSION #2: Use if you have Collective Bargaining Cost Items

# LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL UNIT: Greenland FISCAL YEAR END June 30, 2011

Col. A RECOMMENDED 1. Total RECOMMENDED by Budget Committee (see budget MS7, 27,or 37) LESS EXCLUSIONS: 2. Principal: Long-Term Bonds & Notes

2. Principal: Long-Term Bonds & Notes	325,000		
3. Interest: Long-Term Bonds & Notes	181,033		
4. Capital Outlays Funded From Long- Term Bonds & Notes per RSA 33:8 & 33:7-b	0		
5. Mandatory Assessments	242,835		
6. TOTAL EXCLUSIONS (Sum of rows 2- 5)	< 748,868 >		
7. Amount <b>recommended</b> less recommended exclusion amounts (Line 1 less Line 6)	6,909,690		
8. Line 7 times 10%	690,969		Col. C
9. Maximum allowable appropriation prior to vote (Line 1 + 8)	8,349,527	Col. B	(Col. B-A)
10. Collective Bargaining Cost Items, RSA 32:19 & 273-A:1, IV, (Complete Col. A prior to meeting & Col. B and Col. C at meeting)	Cost items recommended 0	Cost items voted	Amt. voted above recommended

MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE APPROPRIATIONS VOTED At meeting, add Line 9 + Column C.

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Line 8 plus any amounts in Column C (amounts voted above recommended) is the allowable increase to budget committee's <u>recommended</u> budget. Enter this amount on the bottom of the posted budget form, MS7, 27, or 37.

Please attach a copy of this completed supplemental schedule to the back of the budget form.

# ANNUAL REPORTS OF THE GREENLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT Greenland, New Hampshire Fiscal Year July 1, 2008, to June 30, 2009

#### MATERIAL INCLUDED IN THIS REPORT School District Officers

Minutes of the March 5, 2009, District Meeting Treasurer's Report Superintendent's Report Greenland Central School Principal's Report Portsmouth High School Principal's Report Greenland Central School Statistics General Fall Enrollment Report Teachers and Staff Data for Greenland's 2009 High School Graduates

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#### SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

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SCHOOL BOARD	Len Couture	2012
	James Haslam	2010
	Ann Mayer	2011
	Christine Rockefeller	2011
	Martha Stone	2012
MODERATOR	Dean K. Bouffard	2010
CLERK	Sheila Pratt	2010
TREASURER	Jerrian Hartmann	2012

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS - George A. Cushing, Ph.D.

# ANNUAL GREENLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING The State of New Hampshire March 5, 2009

(Registered voters were asked to check in with the Supervisor of the Checklist before the meeting.)

The annual meeting of the Greenland School District was held on Thursday, March 5, 2009. Moderator Dean Bouffard called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Moderator Bouffard.

Mr. Bouffard introduced the Greenland School District officials: Rich Carlin, Jim Haslam, Ann Mayer, Tina Rockefeller, and Martha Stone, School Board members; Dr. George Cushing, Superintendent of Schools; James Katkin, Business Administrator; Mary Lyons, Director of Pupil Services, and Peter Smith, Principal of the Greenland Central School.

Rich Carlin was recognized for his service as a member of the Greenland School Board. He is retiring after fifteen years. Ann Mayer presented a plaque from the Board, and George Cushing presented a plaque from Lyonel Tracy, the NH Commissioner of Education.

The "rules of order and conduct" were reviewed.

Moderator Bouffard called for action on the following articles.

<u>Article 1:</u> To see if the Greenland School District will vote to raise and appropriate the Budget Committee's recommended amount of \$7,442,881 for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for the school district officials and agents, and for the payment for statutory obligations of the District. The School Board recommends \$7,444,941. (Majority vote required.) (NOTE: This Warrant Article [operating budget] does not include appropriations in ANY other Warrant Articles.)

The article was moved by Ann Mayer and seconded by Martha Stone. Jim Haslam made a motion to amend the article by reducing the Budget Committee's recommended amount by \$1,500. The new figure under consideration would be \$7,441,381. Martha Stone seconded the amendment. The amendment was adopted.

Moderator Bouffard asked for a show of hands.

Article 1 was adopted unanimously as amended.

<u>Article 2:</u> To see if the Greenland School District will vote to approve the cost item included in the collective bargaining agreement reached between the Greenland School Board and the Association of Coastal Teachers/Greenland which calls for the following increases in salaries and benefits at the current staffing levels:

Year Estimated Increase 2009-2010 \$134,274

and further to raise and appropriate the sum of \$134,274 (one hundred thirty-four thousand two hundred seventyfour dollars) for the upcoming fiscal year, such sum representing the additional costs attributable to the increase in salaries and benefits over those of the appropriation at current staffing levels paid in the prior fiscal year. (Majority vote required.) (Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article number 1, the operating budget article.)

The article was moved by Jim Haslam and seconded by Tina Rockefeller. Tina Rockefeller spoke to the article. There was no discussion from the floor.

Article 2 was adopted with only three votes against the article.

Article 3: Shall the Greenland School District, if Article 2 is defeated, authorize the governing body to call one special meeting, at its option, to address Article 2 cost items only. (Majority vote required.)

There was no motion on this article. The article failed. <u>Article 4:</u> To see if the Greenland School District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,400 (twenty thousand four hundred dollars) to be placed in the Rental Maintenance Expendable Trust Fund, previously established, with such sum to be funded from the rental income received from the property. (Majority vote required.) (Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article number 1, the operating budget article.)

The article was moved by Rich Carlin and seconded by Martha Stone. Rich Carlin spoke to the article. There was no discussion.

The article was adopted unanimously.

<u>Article 5:</u> To see if the Greenland School District will vote to raise and appropriate a deficit appropriation of \$50,000 (fifty thousand dollars) for additional costs for the tuitioning of high school students for the current school year. (Majority vote required.) (Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article number 1, the operating budget article.)

The School Board withdrew this article. Martha Stone spoke to the article.

Article 5 failed due to lack of a motion.

Article 6: To see if the Greenland School District will vote to create an expendable trust fund under the provisions of RSA 198:20-C, to be known as the Generator Expendable Trust Fund, for the purpose of purchasing and installation of a generator at the Greenland Central School. Furthermore, to raise and appropriate the sum of \$60,000 (sixty thousand dollars) toward this purpose and to name the Greenland School Board as agents to expend from this fund. (Majority vote required.) (Note: This appropriation is in addition to Warrant Article number 1, the operating budget article.)

Jim Haslam made a motion to adopt this article. It was seconded by Rich Carlin.

Paul Sanderson, a Greenland Selectman, spoke to the article. He explained that the installation of a generator will allow Greenland residents to be sheltered in Greenland in the event of an emergency. There was no discussion. The article was adopted with only one vote against the article.

A motion to adjourn was made by Rich Carlin and seconded by Ann Mayer. The meeting was adjourned at 7:33

P.M.

There were fifty-three registered voters in attendance at this meeting

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Sheila H. Pratt School District Clerk

# REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER *Fiscal year July 1, 2008, to June 30, 2009*

Cash on hand July 1, 2008	\$ 512,340.84
Received from Selectmen	
Current Appropriation	5,099,322.00
Deficit Appropriation	-
Balance of Previous Appropriations	-
Advance on Next Year's Appropriation	-
Revenue from State Sources	1,967,514.39
Revenue from Federal Sources	123,086.87
Received from Tuitions	-
Received as Income from Trust Funds	10,481.13
Received from Sale of Notes and Bonds	-
Received form Capital Reserve Funds	-
Received from all Other Sources	123,994.37
Total Receipts	\$7,324,398.76
Total Available for Fiscal Year	\$7,836,739.60
Less School Board Orders Paid	\$7,457,381.09
Balance on Hand June 30, 2009	\$379,358.51
/s/ Jerrian S. Hartmann	

School District Treasurer

July 14, 2009

# "A school is a place with tomorrow inside." George A. Cushing, Ph.D. Superintendent of Schools

It is my pleasure to write my tenth annual report for the residents of Greenland.

Despite the many challenges we all face such as the economic downturn, the H1N1 flu pandemic, or severe weather issues, the one dependable constant is that good things are happening at the Greenland Central School, Portsmouth High School, and throughout all of SAU #50 as a whole.

Many of the issues or events that impact us within the Greenland School District are really bigger than our school, town, state, or country. They are global issues and events and the impact is felt world-wide. My comments this year will reflect local education in a global world.

Our schools prepare our students for the future. Their future is vastly different than the one encountered by those of us from earlier generations. Or as Yogi Berra so aptly put it, "The future ain't what it used to be!"

Teaching and learning in the 21<sup>st</sup> century is both exciting and exhausting. Today, thanks to technology, our students are able to connect with other students around the world and participate in global academic lessons and field trips. Education reaches far beyond the traditional classroom. It is no longer enough to teach basic skills. Schools must prepare students to be global citizens.

The Partnership for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Skills Framework 2007 identifies the following as "The skills, knowledge, and expertise students should master to succeed in work and life in the 21<sup>st</sup> century."

- Core subjects English, reading, world language, arts, mathematics, economics, science, geography, history, government, and civics
- Learning and innovative skills creativity and innovative skills, critical thinking and problem-solving skills, communication and collaborative skills
- Information, media, and technology information literacy, ICT (information and communication technology literacy)
- Life and career skills flexibility and adaptability, initiative and self-direction, social, cross-cultural skills, productivity and accountability, leadership and responsibility

Today more than ever, students need to be able to get along and work together, to see other points of view and perspectives, and to understand differences.

In our schools there is a great emphasis put on educating the whole child; strong academics coupled with opportunities for each student to connect with each other, the community and the world. The emphasis is on working with our individual students, building on their strengths, and identifying areas in which they need reinforcement.

One of the techniques that SAU #50 has adopted to help us support individual students is Professional Learning Communities which really define our team meetings and how we collaborate on student learning.

Few would argue with the premise that school is about kids and that teacher team meetings need to be focused on the needs of students. To do that we need to be clear about what our purpose is. Our meetings are driven by four key questions: What do we want our students to learn? How will we know when they have learned it? How will we respond when some students don't learn? How will we respond when students already know it?

This sounds simple but it is a huge undertaking that requires curriculum alignment, essential curriculum outcomes, timely formative assessments, interventions and the ability to focus team discussions on student learning. The premise is that "All of us on a team are better than one of us alone."

The concept is that we can learn from each other, we can help each other, we can question each other. We are on our way – our curriculum is aligned (<u>http://www.sau50.org/core\_curriculum.html</u>) so we know the purpose of instruction, including the essential skills that all students must master at each grade level. Our constant challenge is to use the protocols established in Professional Learning Communities to work well together as smart teams focused on the whole child.

Our focus must always be the individual student and how to move each child to achieve not only academic proficiency and mastery but to be engaged in explorations, technologies, community service group work, and as responsible citizens.

There are many forces working on our behalf. SAU #50 has extraordinary teachers who connect with students. It is this human component that is most important in an ever-changing and uncertain world; caring adults that let

each student know they are important and who will do all that needs to be done to help each student maximize their learning experience.

In Greenland students have a voice in their education and they annually connect on very meaningful wholeschool projects and community service. The Veteran's Day assembly organized by teacher, Sheila Pratt, has been on all levels one of the most rewarding and moving tributes to the men and women of our Armed Forces and provides a deep understanding of the importance and history of our veterans, their service, and their sacrifices to ensure the freedoms that we experience.

Greenland Central School is in good hands. Our school principal, Peter Smith, is talented and steady at the helm. Greenland remains a close-knit community with dedicated volunteers and supporters even in tough economic times. The Greenland School Board is hard-working and involved in what's happening. They ask the tough questions and adopt forward-looking policies.

The 2009 school year has been outstanding for education in SAU #50. We have made significant strides in developing infrastructure to move our learning organization forward. We know the challenges ahead and we have charted a course to meet them successfully. With the continued support of our communities, and under the very capable leadership of our district school boards, SAU #50 has developed a plan for the continuous professional growth and learning that is needed to prepare our students for the future. We are committed to keeping our focus on the individual student and we will continue to devote all of our energy to help each child become a confident and independent learner.

In closing I would like to recognize the administrative team made up of Jim Katkin, Business Administrator; Mary Lyons, Director of Pupil Services; Linda Walsh, Instruction and Curriculum Coordinator; and Peter Smith, Principal.

I also want to recognize the many dedicated staff members throughout the district and all of SAU #50 who on a daily basis impact student learning and growth.

Finally, thank you to the Greenland taxpayers for your continued support of the school budget.

Dr. George A. Cushing Superintendent of Schools

# Report of the Principal Greenland Central School Peter D. Smith

It is with continued pride and enthusiasm that I report on another very successful and event filled year at Greenland Central School. During 2009, our school community addressed many important initiatives and challenges resulting in positive growth and achievement for our students.

We experienced very little faculty turnover in September and welcomed the following new staff members to our school: *Amy Brown*, Title I Tutor, *Ryanne Earley*, Speech and Language Pathologist, *Jessica Richardson*, Title I Tutor, and *Kate Simons*, Grade 3 Teacher. These were all replacement positions and we are extremely pleased with the quality and experience they bring to their jobs. We also bid farewell this past year to three very dedicated and long serving Greenland teachers who retired in June. We acknowledged the many years of commitment to our students by Mrs. Hutchins, Mrs. Hennessy, and Mrs. Mahler who taught at the Greenland Central School for forty, thirty-six, and nineteen years respectively.

By current measures we continue to enjoy a high level of education quality and student success. Our students in grades 3-8 have scored above the state average on the New England Common Assessment Program (NECAP) testing in the subjects assessed including math, language arts, and science. Our school, once again, made Annual Yearly Progress (AYP), a standard set forth by the federal government. Our students in grades 2-8 were also assessed through the Terra Nova nationally normed standardized tests and scored well above U.S. averages in all areas.

The most exciting evaluation result we received in 2009 was that of our successful reaccreditation through the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC). After two years of rigorous self study and an intensive four day site review, the evaluating team of educational professionals and the Elementary Commission of NEASC presented our school with a very positive final report and many commendations relative to the demanding NEASC standards. It should also be noted that we continue to meet the highest level of approval through the State Department of Education's annual school evaluation.

In addition to the comprehensive NEASC evaluation, we are expanding our efforts in seeking direct input from our parents and community members. As part of the SAU 50 Learning Compact, our school has successfully implemented Parent Input Surveys for the 2<sup>nd</sup> year at the beginning and mid point of the school year. This is an effort to strengthen our partnership with parents and personalize each child's education around academic or social issues. Through ongoing communication and goal setting, our objective is to follow and support each child in ways that will ensure his or her success and growth each year. We also conduct exit surveys each year and encourage feedback at any time from our parents and the community at large through information in monthly newsletters, our web site, school community email postings, and the Greenland Grapevine.

Our school community continues to engage in many new and ongoing initiatives. To ensure clear direction and thoughtful use of our professional energy, we continue to rely on our Greenland Educational Improvement Plan (G.E.I.P.) to guide our efforts. The plan is reviewed and revised annually by a Steering Committee of staff, administration, School Board, and parent members before being endorsed by the full faculty and School Board. The current plan drives expectations and accountability with regard to our curriculum and assessment development, writing instruction, technology training, program and data analysis, NEASC follow-up and more. We continue to view our of annual school year interdisciplinary themes as an excellent vehicle to connect our students, through their subject studies, to larger issues in the world outside our school walls. Our "Green" theme in the previous school year and our current theme of "Service to Others" have proven excellent avenues to make learning meaningful and to help shape responsible citizens for the future, as set out in our school's mission. Our school's Technology Plan was also revised this year and endorsed by the faculty and School Board before it received approval by the State Department of Education in November.

Our students continue to enjoy a wide range of co-curricular activities including athletics, clubs, and enrichment events. The new Girls on the Run program this year provided girls in grades 3-5 with a rewarding after school experience of character building, community service, and training for a 5K road race. Our Friends of Rachel service organization in grades 6-8 has sponsored community building activities in our school and community, and other young programs such as First Lego League and our Life Skills Cooking and Small Tools classes have also been highly successful.

Safety is always goal number one in the operation of our school, and we continue to monitor and address safety concerns within our facility. The Greenland Volunteer Fire Department, again this year, provided a

comprehensive home and fire safety program for our elementary students. Our school community places high value on the information and action provided by our local safety personnel.

The Greenland parents and the Parent Organization (GPO) continue to provide vital support and resources through their sponsorship of educational, social, and fundraising events. As always, the exceptional level of commitment and involvement from the GPO this year has contributed greatly to the success of our school.

We appreciate the great benefits gained through a collaborative working relationship with other town agencies and organizations including the Greenland Police Department, Greenland Volunteer Fire Department, Weeks Library, Greenland Women's Club, Recreation Department, Greenland Veterans, Jason Hussey Memorial Trust, and others.

Our school community is comprised of many dedicated individuals, and I commend our staff, students, school officials, parents, and residents who continue to support our school through a shared commitment to quality education in Greenland.

#### Report of Portsmouth High School

# Jeffrey T. Collins, Principal

Academics, the arts, and athletics have long been the cornerstones of the education foundation at Portsmouth High School. That foundation, which had been established years ago, is still strong due to the hard work and dedication of our faculty and staff, the support and involvement of our parents and the community and the strong relationship between the city of Portsmouth and the communities which comprise SAU 50: Greenland, New Castle, Newington, and Rye. From the transition of the incoming freshman class to the college process and graduation our students are faced with many challenges. The faculty and staff are committed to our students every step of the way. This commitment, dedication, and student performance has earned Portsmouth High School national recognition in US News and World Report as a bronze medal winner for top high schools in the country. Portsmouth High School is one of only eight (8) high schools in the state to be recognized by this publication.

It is with a great deal of pride that I can report that our 1050 students are off and running on another outstanding year. The comprehensive nature of Portsmouth High School provides each of our students with a variety of courses to personalize their educational experience. From building trades and culinary arts, to painting and sculpture, to Advanced Placement Statistics and Economics, our students have the opportunity to be challenged in a wide variety of ways academically. From that strong and broad experience in high school comes a continuation of their educational journey with over 79% of our students attending trade and technical schools, colleges and universities, apprentice programs, and serving in the military. We are equally proud of those students who have decided to take a year off and serve others in volunteer capacities before continuing with their formal education, as well as those receiving training by entering directly into the workforce.

We view that the arts and athletics are but extensions of the classroom experience; therefore we continue to see participation rates increase. Although involvement is our aim, we have seen our share of successes on and off the field of competition. Although gold medals and state championships have been numerous this past year, our success is truly measured in the connection and commitment that our students feel to being part of something special.

Finally, as we look to build upon the foundation of the past we are challenged to prepare our students for the ever-changing world. We will continue to strive to make each and every moment that we have with our students count, and challenge them and ourselves for excellence.

Jeffrey T. Collins Principal

Percentage	Attendance	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.0	97.3	96.7	97.2	96.9	96.8	96.6	96.6
Average Daily	Attendance	371.0	377.9	347.2	356.6	360.2	359.3	373.4	353.1	325.7	329.8	320.8
**ADA		11.6	12.2	10.8	11.2	13.6	12.0	11.0	11.3	10.9	11.7	12
* ADM		382.6	390.1	358.0	367.8	373.8	371.7	384.4	364.4	336.6	341.6	332.9
Total Pupils		396	422	383	390	387	385	401	385	357	355	346
Females		203	221	190	195	194	190	191	179	175	171	168
Males		193	201	193	195	193	195	210	206	182	184	178
Weeks in Year		39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	39
School Year		1998/99	00/6661	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09

GREENLAND CENTRAL SCHOOL Statistics for Ten Years Ending June 30, 2009

\* Average Daily Membership

**\*\*** Average Daily Absences

GENERAL FALL ENROLLMENT REPORT AS OF OCTOBER 1, 2009

TOTAL	361
×	50
2	33
9	41
5	41
4	43
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2	39
Ι	40
K	35
GRADE	

State Assessment Results K - 12 can be found at: the School District Website:

STATE ASSESSMENT PROGRAM

www.sau50.org or at the State Website:	http://www.ed.state.us/education/doe/organization/curriculum/NECAP_results.htm	STAFF MEMBERS GREENLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
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Junior High Teacher	Grade 2 Teacher	Special Education Teacher	Library Media Aide	Music Teacher	Special Education Aide	Special Education Teacher	Nurse	Special Education Aide	Preschool Special Education	Physical Education Teacher	Grade 5 Teacher	Special Education Teacher	Title I Tutor	Grade 5 Teacher	Grade 2 Teacher	Junior High Teacher	Title I Tutor	Grade 6 Teacher	Special Education Aide	Grade 6 Teacher	Special Education Aide	Grade 3 Teacher	Food Service Assistant	Principal	Special Education Aide	Curriculum and Extended Learning	Coordinator	Special Education Aide	Special Education Teacher	Grade 2 Teacher	Instrumental Music Teacher	
Florence Hudson –	Heather Jenkins-	Jennifer Katz –	Elizabeth Kendall –	Marcia Leach –	Enslin Little –	Marilyn Messer –	Maryann Misiaszek –	Kristin Moaratty -	Denise Monroe -	Judy Norton –	Steven Norton –	Ken Olsen –	Debbie Perlowski –	Sheila Pratt –	Barbara Prien –	Andrea Prieto –	Jessica Richardson –	Jeanine Roberts –	Julie Samonas –	Tracy Sherrill -	Barbara Simeone –	Kate Simons –	Elizabeth Smith –	Peter Smith -	Colleen Sodini -	Beth Sommers		Deanna Vandevender –	Elzbieta Walichnowska –	Beth Wark -	Richard Young –	
Library/Media Generalist	Kindergarten Teacher	Evening Custodian	Secretary	Title I Tutor	Junior High Teacher	Reading Specialist	Technology	Junior High Teacher	Special Education Aide	Guidance Counselor	Occupational Therapist	Special Education Coordinator	ESOL Instructor	Grade 4 Teacher	Grade 4 Teacher	Junior High Teacher	Head Custodian	Speech Therapist	Evening Custodian	Grade 1 Teacher	Educational Aide	Special Educational Aide	Food Service Assistant	Spanish Teacher	Special Education Aide	Receptionist	Evening Custodian	Art Teacher	Kindergarten Aide	Food Service Director	Grade 3 Teacher	Grade 3 Teacher
Sue Bacon –	Kara Barnes –	Dale Bickford –	Kimberly Bolton –	Amy Brown –	Richard Bzdafka –	Vickie Canner –	Chris Caron –	Daniel Chandler –	Joy Cheney –	Sheila Cleary –	Marian Connelly –	Joan Copp –	Elizabeth Daschbach –	Laura Deely –	Lynn Deremer –	Jonathan Dowling –	Warren Ducharme –	Ryanne Earley –	Robert Escoto	Nancy Emerson –	Sandy Feeney –	Amber Fogg –	Paddy Fitzgerald –	Cindy Frizzle –	Andrea Gordon –	Helen Graham –	Steve Guerrera –	Kathleen Hanson –	Melissa Haynes –	Deborah Heikkila –	Susan Hett –	Bette Hirtle –

ig the previous year's graduates from the Town of Greenland	COLLEGE PLANS	Out of the 47 Greenland graduates at Portsmouth High School in 2009, 42 of them planned to attend college after graduation.	Out of the 47 Greenland graduates at Portsmouth High School in 2009, 42 of them planned to attend college after graduation. <u>Four Year Colleges</u> Anna Maria Boston University Bowdoin College Champlain College Champlain College Champlain College Champlain College Champlain College Champlain College Fort Lewis College Fort Lewis College Fort Lewis College Fort Lewis College Fort Lewis College Fort Lewis College Connecticut Franklin Pierce University of Maine/Farmington George Mason University of Maine/Farmington George Mason University of Maine/Orono George Mason University of Maine/Orono George Mason University of Rhode Island Heidleberg College University Or New Hampshire Hamilton College University of Rhode Island Heidleberg College University of Rhode Island Heidleberg College Wentworth Institute of Technology Johnson and Wales University Mentworth Institute of Technology Johnson and Wales University Further Education: Great Bay Community College Michael's School of Hair Design New Hampshire Fire Academy													
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# EXIT DATA FOR PORTSMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2009

REPORT ON AUDIT OF BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008

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# REPORT ON AUDIT OF BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008

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# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2009

The following is the Management Discussion & Analysis Report for the Greenland School District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data, and the completeness and fairness of this presentation (including all disclosures) rests with the administration. To the best of our knowledge and belief, the data contained herein is accurate in all material respects. This data is reported in a manner designed to fairly present the District's financial position, and the result of operations of the various funds of the District. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain an accurate understanding of the District's financial activities have been included.

The District's Administration is responsible for establishing an accounting and internal control structure designed to ensure that the physical, data, informational, intellectual, and human resource assets of the District are protected from loss, theft, and misuse, and to ensure that adequate accounting information is maintained and reported in conformity with generally accepted accounting principals (GAAP). The Administration also strives to ensure that these assets are put to good and effective use. The internal control structure is designed to provide reasonable assurances that these objectives are attained.

# **Overview of the Financial Statements**

The financial statements presented herein include all of the activities of the Greenland School District using the integrated approach as prescribed by GASB Statement 34.

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the District's financial statements. The basic financial statements comprise three (3) components:

- 1. government-wide financial statement;
- 2. fund financial statements;
- 3. notes to the basic financial statements.

# **Government-Wide Financial Statements**

The District's annual report includes two (2) government-wide financial statements. These statements provide both long-term and short-term information about the school's overall status. Financial reporting at this level uses a perspective similar to that found in the private sector with its basis in full accrual accounting and elimination or reclassification of internal activities.

The first of these government-wide statements is the Statement of Net Assets. This is the Districtwide statement of financial position presenting information that includes all of the District's assets and liabilities, with the difference reported as net assets. Over time, increases or decreases in net assets may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the District as a whole is improving or deteriorating. Evaluation of the overall economic health of the District would extend to other non-financial factors such as the District tax appropriation or the condition of District infrastructure in addition to the financial information provided in this report.

The second government-wide statement is the Statement of Activities which reports how the School's net assets changed during the current year. All current year revenues and expenses are included regardless of when cash is received or paid. An important purpose of the design of the Statement of Activities is to show the financial reliance of the District's activities or functions on revenues provided by the District's taxpayers.

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#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2009 (Continued)

Both governmental-wide financial statements distinguish governmental activities of the District that are periodically supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, such as State wide appropriations and from business type activities that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges.

# **Fund Financial Statements**

A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All the funds of the District can be divided into two categories: governmental funds and fiduciary funds.

 Government Funds - Government funds are used to account for those functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. Most of the District's basic services are accounted for in governmental funds. These funds focus on how assets can readily be converted into cash flow in and out, and what monies are left at year-end. Governmental funds are reported using an accounting method call modified accrual accounting which provides a short-term spending focus. As a result, the governmental fund financial statements give the reader a detailed short-term view that helps him or her determine if there are more or less financial resources available to finance the District's programs.

The Greenland School District adopts an annual budget for its General Fund, as required by the New Hampshire Statutes. The budget is a legally adopted document that incorporates input from the citizens of the District, the management of the schools and SAU 50, and the decision of the Greenland School Board about which services to provide and how to pay for them. It also authorizes the District to obtain funds from identified sources to finance these current period activities. The budgetary statement provided for the General Fund demonstrates how well the District complied with the budget adopted and whether or not the District succeeded In providing the services as planned when the budget was adopted. The budgetary comparison statement uses the budgetary basis of accounting and is presented using the same format, language, and classifications as the legal budget document. The other governmental funds are comprised of the special revenue funds, which consist of the expendable trust, food service and public and private grants.

Fiduciary Funds - Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of
parties outside of the District. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide
financial statements because the resources of those funds are not available to support the
District's own programs.

# Notes to the Financial Statements

The accompanying notes to the financial statements provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements begin immediately following the basic financial statements.

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## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2009 (Continued)

## **Government-Wide Financial Analysis**

#### **Statement of Net Assets**

The following is a summary of condensed government-wide financial data for the current and prior fiscal years.

## Statement of Net Assets June 30, 2009 and 2008

	2009	2008
Current and other assets: Capital assets Other assets	\$6,716,587 457,038	\$6,958,247 567,784
Total assets	\$7,173,625	\$7,526,031
Current and other liabilities Long-term Bonds Other Liabilities	\$4,195,000 511,268	\$4,620,000 501,198
Total Liabilities	4,706,268	5,121,198
Net assets: Invested in capital assets Restricted Unrestricted	2,096,587 244,949 125,821	1,913,247 117,772 373,814
Total net assets	2,467,357	2,404,833
Total liabilities and net assets	\$7,173,625	\$7,526,031

Although the Greenland School District's investment in its capital assets is reported net of this outstanding related debt, the resources needed to repay the debt must be provided by other sources, since the capital assets cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities. Usually, long-term debt is reduced by the annual debt service payments that are appropriated in the operating budget.

## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2009 (Continued)

#### Statement of Activities For the Years Ended June 30, 2009 and 2008

Revenue	2009	2008
General revenues:		<b>0</b> / 0 <b>0</b> / 0 <b>0</b>
District property taxes	\$5,099,322	\$4,974,878
Intergovernmental	2,011,904	2,076,568
Interest and investment income	37,029	58,388
	7,148,255	7,109,834
Expenses		
Program expenses:		
Instruction	4,898,816	4,657,031
Support services:		
Student	300,951	274,974
Instructional	163,304	156,743
General Administration	287,582	268,058
School Administration	219,158	212,682
Operation and maintenance of Plant	465,356	485,269
Student Transportation	171,705	187,108
Centralized Services	23,778	11,579
Food service	16,169	21,487
Interest	215,877	233,908
Facilities	35,915	57,649
Depreciation	287,120	285,605
Total governmental activities	7,085,731	6,852,093
Change in Net Assets	65,524	257,741
Net assets, beginning	2,404,833	2,147,092
Net assets, ending	\$2,467,357	\$2,404,833

As noted earlier, net assets may serve over time as a useful indicator of a District's financial position. At the close of the most recent fiscal year, total net assets were \$2,467,358 a change of \$65,525 from the prior year.

The largest portion of net assets \$2,096,587 reflects the District's investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings and improvements, machinery, equipment and furnishings, and books); less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. These capital assets are used to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending.

#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2009 (Continued)

#### Financial Analysis of the District's Funds

As noted earlier, the Greenland School District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

#### **Governmental Funds**

The focus of the Greenland School District's governmental funds is to provide information on nearterm inflows, outflows and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing financing requirements.

On June 30, 2009, the governmental funds of the Greenland School District reported a combined fund balance of \$2,467,357, a 2.7% increase from the prior year. Most of the increase was attributed to General Fund expenditures that were less than the appropriations.

## General Fund Budgetary Highlights

- The District's assets exceeded its liabilities by \$2,467,357 (net assets) for the fiscal year reported. This compares to the previous year when the assets exceeded liabilities by \$2,404,833.
- The District had total revenue of \$7,148,255, in which \$5,099,322 came from the collection of district taxes. This is a \$38,421 increase from last year's revenue.
- The District had total expenditures of \$7,085,731, which is a \$233,638 increase from last year. The increase in expenditures is due largely to the general increase in the District's budget; some of the activities with the larger increases are instruction, student services, and centralized services.
- At the end of the current fiscal year, the unreserved fund balance for the General Fund was \$125,821 or 1.7% of total General Fund expenditures including transfers.
- Total liabilities of the District decreased by \$414,930 to \$4,706,268 during the year. The decrease in the liabilities is due to the decrease in the amounts due on the general obligation bonds.

The unreserved fund balance of the General Fund decreased by \$247,993 during this current fiscal year. Key elements of this decrease are as follows:

Transfers to other funds	\$(132,879)
Budgeted expenses over budgeted revenue	(166,811)
Variance in budgeted change in assets	51,697
Total	\$(247,993)
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## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2009 (Continued)

#### Long Term Obligations

As of June 30, 2009, the Greenland School District has total bonded debt outstanding of \$5,045,000.

## **General Obligation Bonds**

For the year ended June 30,

	2009	2008	% Change
1995; Serial Bonds, State guaranteed thru August 2009 1995; Serial Bonds thru August 2009 2003; Serial Bonds thru August 2022	\$    60,000 40,000 4,520,000	\$ 120,000 80,000 4,845,000	50.0 50.0 6.7
Total	\$4,620,000	\$5,045,000	

At year end District bonds decreased by 8.4% over the prior year as shown above due to debt payments made of \$425,000 during the past fiscal year.

Compensated absences, determined in accordance with contractual agreements, decreased from \$1,103,229 to \$1,083,693.

Additional information on long term obligations can be found in the footnotes to the financial statements.

## Expendable Trust Funds

The District maintains two (2) expendable trust funds, (which are held by the Trustees of the Trust Fund):

#### Expendable Trust Funds June 30,

	2009	2008	% Change
Rental Property Building & Grounds	\$104,657 136,657	\$ 84,290 30,014	24.2 355.3
Total	\$241,314	<b>\$114,304</b>	

The increase in the value of the Expendable Trust Funds was due to substantial appropriations of general funds to the trust funds.

## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS JUNE 30, 2009 (Continued)

## Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates

The following key economic indicators reflect the growth and prosperity of the District.

- The New England Consumer Price Index (CPI) for June 2009 was 229.649, or 1.2 % lower than it was in June 2008.
- Student enrollment based on average daily membership (ADM) decreased in fiscal year 2008-2009 by nine students.

**Requests for Information** This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the District's finances for those with an interest in this area. Questions concerning any of the information found in this report or requests for additional information should be directed to James Katkin, Business Administrator, Greenland School District, 48 Post Road, Greenland, NH 03840.



# Bernard, Johnson & Company, P.C. Certified Public Accountants and Business Advisors INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Greenland School Board Greenland School District Greenland, NH 03870

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of the Greenland, New Hampshire, School District as of and for the years ended June 30. 2009 and 2008, as listed in the foregoing table of contents. These general purpose financial statements are the responsibility of the District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the general purpose financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis. evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the general purpose financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall general purpose financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of the Greenland. New Hampshire School District at June 30, 2009 and 2008, and the respective changes in financial position, where applicable, thereof and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the years then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by Government Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consist principally of inquiries of management regarding methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audits were made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Greenland, New Hampshire School District's basic financial statements. The additional information included in the supplementary statement and schedule section is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Brul, John . C. pc Topsfield, Massachusetts

December 21, 2008

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## STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008

ASSETS	Govern Activ	
CURRENT ASSETS:	2009	2008
Cash Accounts receivable Due from other governments Due from other funds Inventories	\$ 414,648 - 19,970 19,056 3,364	\$ 512,341 20 28,921 23,034 3,468
Total current assets	457,038	567,784
CAPITAL ASSETS – Net of accumulated depreciation	6,716,587	6,958,247
TOTAL ASSETS	\$7,173,625	\$7,526,031
LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS		
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Accounts payable Due to other funds Due to other governments Current portion of general	\$    36,564 19,056 30,648	\$ 23,450 23,034 29,714
obligation bonds	425,000	425,000
Total current liabilities	511,268	501,198
GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS - Net of current portion	4,195,000	4,620,000
Total liabilities	4,706,268	5,121,198
NET ASSETS:		
Invested in capital assets Restricted Unrestricted	2,096,587 244,949 125,821	1,913,247 117,772 373,814
TOTAL NET ASSETS	2,467,357	2,404,833
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$7,173,625	\$7,526,031

## STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008

		Charge for		Net	Net
Government Activities:	Expenses	Services	Grants	2009	2008
Instruction	\$4,954,000	\$-	\$(55,184)	\$4,898,816	\$4,657,031
Support services: Student services	300,951	_	_	300,9	274,974
Instructional	163,304	-	-	163,30	156,743
General administration-district	287,582	-	-	287,58	268,058
School administration	219,158	-	-	219,158	212,682
Operation of plant	465,356	-	-	465,356	485,269
Student transportation	171,705	- 10	-	171,705	187,108
Centralized services	23,778	-	-	23,778	11,579
Food service	92,355		(14,559)	16,169	21,487
		(61,627			
Facilities	35,915	-	-	35,915	57,649
Interest	215,877	-	-	215,877	233,908
Depreciation	287,120		-	287,120	285,605
Total government activities	7,217,101	(61,627)	(69,743)	7,085,731	6,852,093
General Revenues:					
District are not taxen				5 000 222	4 074 979
District property taxes				5,099,322 2,011,904	
Intergovernmental Interest & other				37,029	
interest & other					50,500
Total general revenue				7,148,255	7,109,834
Change in Net Assets				65,524	257,741
Net Assets Beginning				2,404,833	2,147,092
Net Assets Ending				\$2,467,358	\$2,404,833

## BALANCE SHEETS GOVERNMENT FUNDS JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008

		Governmental Fund Types	
	General	Special Revenue	Expendable Trust
ASSETS:			
Cash	\$173,063	\$-	\$241,585
Account receivable Due from other governments Due from other funds Inventories	- - 18,931	19,970 125 3,364	-
TOTAL ASSETS	\$191,994	\$23,459	\$241,585
LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE:			
Liabilities: Accounts payable Due to other funds Due to other governments	\$ 35,400 125 30,648	\$ 1,164 18,931 	\$ - - -
TOTAL LIABILITIES	66,173	20,095	
Fund Balance: Reserved for special purpose Unreserved	- 125,821	3,364	241,585
TOTAL FUND BALANCE	125,821	3,364	241,585
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	<b>\$</b> 191,994	\$23,459	\$241,585

Total	Total
Governmental	Governmental
2009	2008
\$414,648	\$512,341
-	20
19,970	28,921
19,056	23,034
3,364	3,468
\$457,038	\$567,784
\$ 36,564	\$ 23,450
19,056	23,034
30,648	29,714
86,268	76,198
244,949	117,772
125,821	373,814
370,770	491,586

Total governmental fund balance	\$ 370,770
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in funds	6,716,587
Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the governmental funds	(4,620,000)
Net assets of governmental activities	\$2,467,357

#### COMBINED BALANCE SHEETS ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008

	JUNE 30, 20	U9 AND 2008		
	Gover	nmental	Fiduciary	Account
	Fund	Types	Fund	Group
				General
		Special	Expendable	Long-Term
	General	Revenue	Trust	Debt
	General	Revenue	nusi	
ASSETS:				
Cash	\$173,063	\$ -	\$044 E9E	¢
	\$173,003	Ð -	\$241,585	\$ -
Accounts receivable	-	(0.070	-	-
Due from other governments	-	19,970	-	-
Due from other funds	18,931	125	-	-
Inventories	-	3,364	-	-
Amount to be provided for employee				
compensated absences	-	-	-	1,083,693
Amount to be provided for retirement				.,,
of long-term debt	-	-	-	4,620,000
				1,020,000
TOTAL ASSETS	\$191,994	\$23,459	\$241,585	\$5,703,693
LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCE: Liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$ 35,000	\$ 1,164	\$ -	\$ -
Due to other governments	125	18,931	-	·
Due to other funds	30,648		-	-
Employee compensated absences	-			1,083,693
Bonds payable	_			4,620,000
Donda payable				4,020,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	66,173	20,095		5,703,693
5 101				
Fund Balance:				
Reserved	-	3,364	241,585	-
Unreserved	125,821			-
TOTAL FUND BALANCE	125,821	3,364	241,585	-
TOTAL FORD DAGATOL	120,021	0,004	2-11,000	
TOTAL LIABILITIES				
AND FUND BALANCE	\$191,994	\$23,459	\$241,585	\$5,703,693
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Tot	als
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2009	2008
\$ 414,648	\$ 512,341
-	20
19,970	28,921
19,056	23,034
3,364	3,468
1,083,693	1,103,229
4,620,000	5,045,000
\$6,160,731	\$6,716,013
\$ 36,564	\$ 23,450
19,056	23,034
30,648	29,714
1,083,693	1,103,229
4,620,000	5,045,000
5,789,961	6,224,427
244,949	117,772
125,821	373,814
370,770	491,586

## COMBINED STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES AND EXPENDABLE TRUSTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008

	Governmental Fund Types		Fiduciary Fund	
	General	Special	Expendable	
	Fund	Revenue	Trust	
REVENUE:				
District tax appropriation	\$5,099,322	\$-	\$ -	
Intergovernmental	2,011,904	69,743	-	
Food and milk sales	-	61,627	-	
Other	26,548		10,481	
TOTAL REVENUE	7,137,774	131,370	10,481	
EXPENDITURES:				
Instruction	4,900,449	53,551	-	
Supporting Services:	.,	,		
Student services	299,304	1,647	-	
Instructional	163,304	-	-	
General administrative-SAU level	287,582	-	-	
School administrative & business	219,158	-	-	
Student transportation	171,705	-	-	
Centralized services	23,778	-	-	
Operation of plant	465,356	-	-	
Food service	-	92,355	-	
Facility expenses	35,915	-	-	
Capital expenditures	45,460	-	-	
Debt service – principal	425,000	-	-	
Debt service – interest	215,877			
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	7,252,888	147,553		
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER				
(UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(115,114)	(16,183)	10,481	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):				
Operating transfers in	•	16,079	116,800	
Operating transfers out	(132,879)	-	-	
	<u>/</u> /			
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING				
SOURCES (USES)	(132,879)	16,079	116,800	
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER				
FINANCING SOURCES OVER (UNDER)				
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(247,993)	(104)	127,281	
FUND BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	373,814	3,468	114,304	
FUND BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	\$ 125,821	\$ 3,364	\$241,585	
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(Note 1)			
2009	2008		
\$5,099,322	\$4,974,878		
2,081,647	2,161,162		
61,627	68,563		
37,029	58,388		
7,279,625	7,262,991		
4,954,000	4,741,625		
300,951	274,974		
163,304	156,743		
287,582	268,058		
219,158	212,682		
171,705	187,108		
23,778	11,579		
465,356	485,269		
92,355	90,050 57,649		
35,915	148,652		
45,460	440,282		
425,000 215,877	233,908 _		
210,077	200,000		
7,400,441	7,308,579		
(120,816)	(45,588)		
132,879	55,539		
(132,879)	(55,539)		
-			
(120,816)	(45,588)		
(120,010)	(,)		
491,586	537,174		
\$ 370,770	\$ 491,586		
	\$ 491,586		

## COMBINED STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL – GENERAL AND SPECIAL REVENUE FUND TYPES FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008

	General Fund			Special Revenue Funds			
			Variance			Variance	
	Budgot	Actual	Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Favorable	
REVENUE:	Budget	Actual	Onavorable	Budget	Actual (	Unfavorable)	
District tax appropriation	\$5,099,322	\$5,099,322	\$-	\$ -	\$-	\$-	
Intergovernmental revenues	2,086,214	2,011,904	(74,310)	13,600	69,743	56,143	
Food and milk sales	-	-	-	67,000	61,627	(5,373)	
Other revenue		26,548	26,548	11,000		(11,000)	
TOTAL REVENUE	7,185,536	7,137,774	(47,762)	91,600	131,370	39,770	
EXPENDITURES:							
Instruction	5,062,044	4,900,449	161,595	35,000	53,551	(18,551)	
Supporting services:							
Student services	301,991	299,304	2,687	-	1,647	(1,647)	
Instructional General administrative-SAU	151,150 269,425	163,304 287,582	(12,154) (18,157)		-	-	
School admin & business	224,001	219,158	4,843	-	_	_	
Student transportation	177,645	171,705	5,940	-	-	-	
Centralized services	17,545	23,778	(6,233)	-	-	-	
Operation of plant	474,669	465,356	9,313	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	96,802	92,355	4,447	
Facility expenses Debt service - principal	33,000 425,000	81,375 425,000	(48,375)		-	-	
Debt service - interest	215,877	215,877	-	-	-	-	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	7,352,347	7,252,888	99,459	131,802	147,553	(15,751)	
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(166,811)	(115,114)	51,697	(40,202)	(16,183)	24,019	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):							
Operating transfers in	-	-	-	16,079	16,079	-	
Operating transfers out	<u>(132,879)</u>	(132,879)			-	-	
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	(132,879)	(132,879)	-	16,079	16,079	<u> </u>	
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES							
OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(299,690)	(247,993)	51,697	(24,123)	(104)	24,019	
FUND BALANCE AT	( ) )			, .			
BEGINNING OF YEAR	373,814	373,814	-	3,468	3,468	-	
FUND BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	\$ 74,124	\$ 125,821	\$ 51,697	\$(20,655)	\$ 3,364	\$24,019	

Totals (Memorandum Only)						
(Note 1)						
		Variance				
		Favorable				
Budget	Actual	(Unfavorable)				
\$5,099,322	\$5,099,322	\$-				
2,099,814	2,081,647	(18,167)				
67,000	61,627	(5,373)				
11,000	26,548	15,548				
	7 260 144	7,992				
7,277,136	7,269,144	1,002				
5,097,044	4,954,000	143,044				
3,031,044						
301,991	300,951	1,040				
151,150	163,304	(12,154)				
269,425	287,582	(18,157)				
224,001	219,158	4,843				
177,645	171,705	5,940				
17,545	23,778	(6,233)				
474,669	465,356	9,313				
96,802	92,355	4,447				
33,000	81,375	(48,375)				
425,000	425,000	-				
215,877	215,877					
7,484,149	7,400,441	83,708				
	(131,297)	(75,7 <u>16)</u>				
(207,013)		·····				
16,079	16,079	-				
(132,879)	(132,879)	<u> </u>				
(116,800)	(116,800)	-				
(323,813)	(248,097)	(75,716)				
377,282	377,282	-				
\$ 53,469	\$ 129,185	\$ (75,716)				

## NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008

## 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

The accounting policies of the Greenland, New Hampshire, School District (District) conform to generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the more significant policies.

## A. Reporting Entity

The District is a subdivision of the State of New Hampshire providing management services for its member school District (Greenland School District).

The District meets the criteria established by the Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) as a primary governmental entity for financial reporting purposes.

## B. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The GASB issued Statement No. 34 Basic Financial Statements for State and Local Governments. GASB Statement No. 34 established new requirements and a new reporting model for the annual financial reports of state and local governments. GASB Statement No. 34 was developed to make annual reports easier to understand and more useful to people who use governmental financial information to make decisions.

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net assets and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the District. The effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or activity is offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function.

## C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

The District-wide statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when the liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose the District considers the revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, expenditures related to compensated absences are recorded only when payment is made.

## NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008 (CONTINUED)

The following are the School District's governmental fund types:

General Fund - The General Fund is the general operating fund of the School District. All general appropriations that are not allocated by law or contractual agreement to another fund are accounted for in this fund. From the fund are paid the general operating expenditures, the fixed charges and the capital improvement costs that are not paid through other funds.

Special Revenue Funds - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources (other than expendable trust or major capital projects) requiring separate accounting because of legal or regulatory provisions or administrative action. The funds included in this group are the Federal Projects Funds and Food Service Fund.

Expendable Trust - Expendable trusts are used to account for assets held in a trustee capacity. Expendable trusts (in which the corpus can be spent) are accounted for in a similar fashion to governmental fund types.

## D. Employee Compensated Absences

The District does not accrue accumulated unpaid vacation or sick leave in the general fund because the District plans to pay these costs from future resources. Accordingly, the accrued sick pay at June 30, 2009, of \$1,083,693 for the district is added to the General Long-Term Debt Account Group in accordance with National Council on Governmental Accounting Statement 4, "Accounting and Financial Reporting Principles for Claims and Judgments and Compensated Absences."

## E. Accounting for Encumbrances

Encumbrance accounting, under which purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for the expenditure of funds are recorded in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation, is employed in the governmental funds. Encumbrances outstanding at year end are reported as reservations of fund balance since they do not yet constitute expenditures or liabilities. There were no outstanding encumbrances at year end.

## F. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

## G. Impairment of Long-Lived Assets

The District has given consideration to the Financial Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 144, Accounting for the Impairment or Disposal of Long-Lived Assets (SFAS No. 144) in its presentation of these financial statements. As of June 30, 2009, the District has not recognized any reduction in the carrying value of its property when considering SFAS No. 144.

## NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008 (CONTINUED)

## H. <u>Capital Assets</u>

Capital assets acquired or constructed for the educational purposes of the District, including equipment acquired with a value of \$25,000 or more, are reported in governmental activities in the District-wide statements. Such assets are recorded at historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at their estimated fair market value when received. Depreciation is recorded on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of each asset. The estimated lives range from 5-30 years. The costs of normal repair and maintenance are not capitalized.

## I. Summarized Comparative Financial Statements

The financial statements include certain prior-year summarized comparative information in total but not by individual fund types. Such information does not include sufficient detail to constitute a presentation in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Accordingly, such information should be read in conjunction with the District's financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2008, from which the summarized information was derived.

## 2. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS:

The district's cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition

RSA 48:16 requires that all funds belonging to the District be deposited in solvent banks within the state, except funds that may be deposited in banks outside the state if such banks pledge and deliver collateral to the state treasurer of equal value as the funds deposited. There is no requirement of an in-state bank to collateralize deposits in excess of FDIC insurance.

At June 30, 2009, the bank balances were \$333,755 of which \$250,000 was covered by depository insurance. The remainder \$83,755 was insured by private insurance with maximum coverage of \$1,000,000. At June 30, 2009, \$241,585 was deposited in money market accounts.

## 3. PROPERTY TAXES:

Property taxes levied to support the Greenland, New Hampshire, School District are based on the assessed valuation of the prior April 1st for all taxable real property.

Under State statutes, the Town of Greenland, New Hampshire (an independent governmental unit) collects school district taxes as part of local property tax assessments. As collection agent, the Town is required to pay to the District its share of property tax assessments through periodic payments based on cash flow requirements of the District. The Town assumes financial responsibility for all uncollected property taxes under State statutes.

## NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008 (CONTINUED)

## 4. GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT:

General governmental liabilities for retirement of long-term debts are accounted for in the general long-term debt group, except for general obligations debt intended to be serviced by the earnings of an enterprise fund. Amounts due in future periods on long-term debt recorded in the account group are provided by appropriation each year.

At June 30, 2009, the general long-term debt of the District consists of:

\$ 60,000
40,000
4,520,000
\$4,620,000
\$ 425,000 325,000 325,000 325,000 325,000 2,895,000

## 5. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES - FEDERAL ASSISTANCE:

The District participates in a federally assisted grants program through the New Hampshire Department of Education.

The grants are subject to program compliance audits by the grantors or their representatives. The audits of the contract for or including the year ended June 30, 2009 have not yet been reviewed by the grantor. Accordingly, the District's compliance with applicable contract requirements will be established at some future date after the grantor's review. The amount, if any, of expenditures which may be disallowed by the contracting agencies, cannot be determined at this time although the District expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

#### NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008 (CONTINUED)

#### 6. INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE:

Intergovermental revenue represents income received from various federal and state agencies including the state tax for adequacy aid and other various restricted grants-in-aid from federal and state sources.

#### 7. **RESTRICTED NET ASSETS**:

Restricted net assets are available for the following purposes:

Maintenance and renovation on rental property	\$114,304
Food service fund	3,468
Total restricted net assets	\$117,772

#### 8. FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

The District entered into a three year contract with an independent bus company to provide pupil transportation until June 30, 2012. There is an option to extend the contract for the two years following the end of the contract on a year to year basis. Terms of the contract include minimum payments plus escalators tied to the consumer price index. Related rental expense for the year ended June 30, 2009 was \$163,538. The minimum future payment for this lease, based on the current number of buses in use and current bus routes approximate the following at June 30, 2009:

June 2010	\$182,137
June 2011	188,520
June 2012	195,122

## 9. PENSION PLAN:

<u>Plan Description</u> - Substantially all Greenland School employees participate in the State of New Hampshire Retirement System (the system), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit public employee retirement system (PERS) plan. All full-time employees are eligible to participate in the system. The system is divided into two employee groups: Group I which includes all employees except fire fighters and police officers and Group II which is for fire fighters and police officers (including County Sheriff's Departments). The New Hampshire Retirement System issues annually a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the system. That report may be obtained by writing to the New Hampshire Retirement System, 4 Chenell Drive, Concord, NH.

<u>Group I Employees</u> who retire at or after age 60 but before age 65 are entitled to retirement benefits equal to 1.667% of the average of their three highest paid years of compensation, multiplied by their years of service. At age 65 the benefit is recalculated at 1.50% of AFC multiplied by their years of service credit. Earlier retirement allowances at reduced rates are available after age 50 with 10 years of service. Benefits fully vest upon reaching 10 years of service or attaining age 60.

Contributions to the pension plan for the year ended June 30, 2009 totaled \$144,709.

## NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2009 AND 2008 (CONTINUED)

<u>Group II Employees</u> who attain age 45 with 20 years or more of service are entitled to retirement benefits equal to 2.5% of the average of their three highest paid years of service, multiplied by their years of service, not to exceed 40. Benefits vest ratably beginning after 10 years of service.

The system also provides death and disability benefits. Cost-of-living increases have been periodically granted to retirees by the State Legislature.

#### 10. CONTINGENCIES:

Greenland School District at times is involved in threatened and actual claims against the district, arising in the normal course of business. The district believes that any settlement, of these maters will not have a materially adverse effect on the financial position of the District.

## COMBINING BALANCE SHEET SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS JUNE 30, 2009

			School	
	Federal Projects	Private Projects	Lunch Programs	Totals
ASSETS: Due from other governments Due from other funds Inventories	\$18,931 - -	\$ - - -	\$1,039 125 3,364	\$19,970 125 3,364
TOTAL ASSETS	\$18,931	\$ -	\$4,528	\$23,459
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE: Liabilities:				
Accounts payable Due to other funds	\$- 18,931	\$ - -	\$1,164	\$  1,164 18,931
TOTAL LIABILITIES	18,931	-	1,164	20,095
Fund Balance: Reserved for special purposes Unreserved	-	-	3,364	3,364
TOTAL FUND BALANCE			3,364	3,364
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	\$18,931	\$	\$4,528	\$23,459

## COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE ALL SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2009

	Federal Projects	Private Projects	School Lunch Program	Totals
REVENUES: Intergovernmental Food and milk sales	\$55,185 	\$ - -	\$ 14,559 <u>61,62</u> 7	\$ 69,744 61,627
TOTAL REVENUES	55,185	*	76,186	131,371
EXPENDITURES: Food service Instruction Student services	53,551 1,647	-	92,355 - -	92,355 53,551 1,647
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	55,198	•	92,355	147,553
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(13)		(16,169)	(16,182)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES: Operating transfers- in Operating transfers - out	13	-	16,065 	16,078
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	13	-	16,065	16,078
EXCESS OF REVENUE AND OTHER SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES.		-	(104)	(104)
FUND BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	•	•	3,468	3,468
FUND BALANCE AT END OF YEAR	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,364	\$ 3,364

# TRANSFER STATION HOURS OF OPERATION Wednesday's 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Saturday's 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

The Town of Greenland requires a dump sticker to be displayed on resident vehicles using the Transfer Station. These are obtained when registering your vehicles – only town residents are allowed to use the facility. If a vehicle is being leased, rented or borrowed, a one-day permit may be obtained from the Town Clerk's office. The Transfer Station is for residential waste only. Businesses are only authorized to use the Transfer Station for recycling paper/cardboard, with a permit.

## What is acceptable?

**"Brush"**: Tree tops, limbs, saplings and tree cuttings to include attached leaves, which are three (3) inches in diameter or less.

Leaves and grass clippings are not accepted. They can be disposed of for a small fee at the Smith Farm, Newington Road.

"Untreated Wood": Any timber, board, or sawn dimensional lumber which has not been treated, coated (painted) or preserved.

ACCEPTED FOR A FEE: televisions, furniture and other small items, any building materials such as plywood or wafer board, pressed board, drywall, sheet rock and ceiling tiles. Shingles or materials that give off toxic smoke, or will not burn ARE NOT ACCEPTED.

## What is acceptable at the metals pit?

"White Goods": Refrigerators, freezers, (with doors removed), air conditioners, humidifiers, washing machines, clean light iron and other clean light metal. NO pressure vessels of any kind (such as propane tanks, fire extinguishers). To dispose of a refrigerator, air conditioner, freezer or other appliance containing Freon – a Freon removal sticker must be purchased at the Town Office or Transfer Station for \$10.00 to cover the cost of removal and certification of the Freon.

#### **Recycling in Greenland is Mandatory**

**Paper**: Newspapers and inserts, magazines, junk mail, flattened cardboard, cereal boxes, office paper, telephone books, paperback books, envelopes, egg cartons, brown bags.

Paper that CAN NOT BE recycled: Wax-covered boxes (like juice boxes), pizza boxes, food wrappers, paper towels, personal hygiene paper, gift wrap, blueprints and carbon paper.

**Plastic**– all bottles, containers labeled 1 - 7 (caps removed). **Please crush bottles. Aluminum** must now be separated from other materials. **Please crush cans.** 

Glass of any type, color, shape, ceramics, or porcelain can be recycled. Light bulbs or windshields cannot be accepted.

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