



**New Ipswich 1750 – 2024**

**“Dedicated to all those who serve...”**

**2024**

**Annual Report**

## Dedications

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It is with profound sadness and a heavy heart that we share the news of the passing of the New Ipswich Fire Department's esteemed active member, Captain James Feldhusen.

As a pillar of our community and a hero in the truest sense, Captain Jim dedicated his life to protecting and serving with unwavering bravery and commitment.

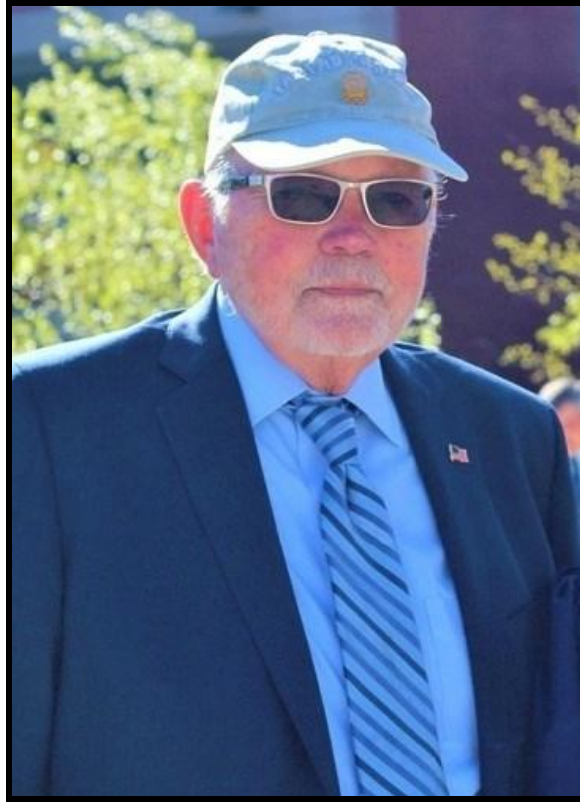
In every call to action, Captain Jim exemplified the spirit of selflessness and courage. His leadership inspired not only his team but also every member of our community. The loss leaves a void that will be deeply felt by all who had the honor of knowing him.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Captain Jim's family, friends, and colleagues during this incredibly difficult time. May we find solace in the memories of Jim's valor and the legacy of his service. Let us honor his memory by embracing the same spirit of dedication and compassion that Captain Jim exemplified.

We extend our deepest condolences and heartfelt sympathy to all who grieve this tremendous loss. Rest in peace, Captain Jim. Your bravery and dedication will forever be remembered.

## Dedications

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It is with heartfelt reverence that we honor the life and legacy of Jim Coffey, a cherished member of the New Ipswich community. Jim was a man of unwavering dedication, whose kindness, generosity, and commitment to bettering the lives of those around him left an indelible mark on everyone fortunate enough to know him.

Jim dedicated much of his life to serving New Ipswich through a distinguished career in public service. His leadership roles included serving as a State Representative, a member of the Board of Assessors, a Selectman, a member of the Planning Board, and a Trustee of the Trust Funds. As Town Administrator, Jim brought his deep understanding of governance and his passion for the well-being of his community to every decision he made. In each of these roles, he demonstrated a tireless work ethic, a fair and balanced perspective, and a genuine commitment to improving the lives of his fellow citizens.

Whether through his conversations, his selfless acts of service, or his steadfast support for local initiatives, he embodied the spirit of community. His presence was a pillar of strength for family, friends, and neighbors alike.

In New Ipswich, Jim Coffey's name will forever be synonymous with integrity, compassion, and an unshakable devotion to the place he called home. Though his absence leaves a void, his legacy will live on through the countless lives he touched and the example he set for all of us.

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## Selectmen's Report

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As we reflect on the year 2024, the Board of Selectmen is pleased to report the continued steady growth and development of New Ipswich, a town rooted in rich history and vibrant community spirit. We are grateful to the residents who have dedicated their time, energy, and resources to helping us navigate both opportunities and challenges.

Throughout the past year, we continued to provide essential services to our community, ensuring public safety, maintaining infrastructure, and preserving our town's beauty. Our Highway Department has done excellent work in the maintenance and reconstruction of our roads, particularly after the harsh winter, and seemingly endless mud season, our public safety departments have worked tirelessly to keep us safe. We are proud of the work our dedicated employees and volunteers of our Police Department, Fire Department, and Ambulance Service have done. Their commitment to excellence and support of each other and our community is truly impressive! Thank you and keep up the great work Chiefs!!

This year, we have worked diligently to balance fiscal responsibility with the needs of the community. Thanks to the careful planning and hard work of our town's staff, Finance Advisory Committee and other Boards and Committees, we were able to keep our budget stable and returned \$576,794 to the taxpayers of New Ipswich and set the Municipal Tax Rate at \$2.24 per thousand! With continued efforts to be transparent with our budgets and expenditure, we look to ensure that taxpayers are getting the best value for their investment.

With your continued support of the Road Reconstruction Warrant Articles, we look forward to continuing our efforts to replace and repair the roads in New Ipswich. Wilson Hill Road has been successfully reconstructed and base-coated, and the top coatings of Blueberry, Andrew, Nora, and Mason Roads have used most of the 2024 paving budget. In 2025, we aim to apply the topcoat to Wilson Hill Road, as well as reconstruct and base-coat Old Wilton Road. Additionally, we plan to apply the long-anticipated topcoat to Old Beaver Road, which was dedicated to the Town in 2023 with an agreed-upon 50/50 cost split to bring it up to Class VI Road Standards. If costs allow, we will also address other paving projects. Thank you to our Roads Committee members for your dedication and careful attention to the roads of our community!

One of the highlights of the year was our town's continued community engagement. Thanks to the hard work of countless volunteers at the Rec Department and the Patriotic Purposes Committee, we hosted several events that brought neighbors together. From our Memorial Day parades to Autumn Fest, youth and adult sports, public forums, and town hall meetings, we saw greater attendance and involvement than ever before. Continued participation in town events strengthens our community and ensures that the voices of all residents are heard.

Looking ahead to 2025, we are excited to celebrate our town's 275th anniversary with events throughout the year, culminating in this year's Autumn Fest! 2025 will also bring an overhaul of our Master Plan and Capital Improvement Plan. We remain committed to ensuring that New Ipswich continues to thrive. The Select Board is dedicated to maintaining a high level of public service and

## Selectmen's Report (cont.)

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responsible for stewardship of town resources. Our priorities will include addressing ongoing infrastructure needs and safeguarding the freedom and well-being of all residents.

There are numerous Board/Committee vacancies, if you have ever been interested in helping to support, shape and impact your community, there's no time like the present! Check out the various Boards and Committees online, contact a Selectman or stop by the Town Office to chat with someone about the opportunities available.

Once again, we would like to express our sincere appreciation and heartfelt gratitude to all the individuals who are elected, volunteer, are employed by, and serve the Town of New Ipswich. The dedication, hard work, and selfless generosity of so many community members—who generously contribute their time, energy, and resources—are vital to the success of our town. It is because of their unwavering support that we can function as efficiently as we do, while also maintaining such a low municipal tax rate. We are truly fortunate to have such a committed and engaged community working together to ensure the continued success of New Ipswich.

In closing, we are grateful for the support of our fellow Community Members and look forward to working together in the year ahead to make New Ipswich an even better place to live, work, and raise a family. I will use the same closing message that I did last year in that as our community grows, let us ever be mindful to not create and then become dependent on a local government that has excessive rules, regulations and oversight into our homes and how we conduct ourselves on our property. There is a fine line between organized and infringing. Get to know your neighbors, please do become active in our Town Government and Community. Treat one another with understanding and consideration.

*“Government is not the solution to our problem; government is the problem. From time to time, we've been tempted to believe that society has become too complex to be managed by self-rule, that government by an elite group is superior to government for, by, and of the people.” - Ronald Reagan*

In your humble service,

*Shawn D. Talbot*, Select Board Chairman

## Town Officials - Elected

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<u>Town Official</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
<b>Board of Selectmen</b>	
Shawn Talbot, Chairman	2026
Jason Somero	2027
Louis Alvarez	2025
<b>Board of Assessors</b>	
James Coffey, Chairman	2027
Jeanne Cunningham	2026
Danielle Sikkila	2025
<b>Cemetery Trustees</b>	
Bill Seppala	2026
Bernie Honeywell	2025
<b>Moderator</b>	
Robert Romeril	2026
<b>Planning Board</b>	
Deirdre Daley, Chairperson	2025
Josh Muhonen, Vice Chair	2027
Bruce Ruotsala	2027
Richard Smeeth	2026
Graham Heagy	2026
Nichole Talbot	2025
<b>Supervisors of the Checklist</b>	
Brenda L. Pellerito	2030
<b>Town Clerk/Tax Collector</b>	
Lisa Carbone, Town Clerk	2026
<b>Treasurer</b>	
Carlene Wardwell	2025
<b>Trustees of the Trust Fund</b>	
Bentti Hoiska	2027
Robert Zinsmeister	2026

## Town Officials – Appointed

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### **Animal Control**

Jennifer Rheaume

### **Assessors**

Steven Satterfield, Administrator

### **Cemetery Sexton**

Tim Blais

### **Cemetery Trustees**

Deborah Deaton

Jeff Krouk

### **Emergency Management**

Eric Maxwell, Director

James Hicks, Deputy EMD

### **Finance Advisory Committee**

Joseph Woodworth, Chairman

Luke Moran

Mitch Gluck

### **Health Officer**

Frank Volpe

### **Heritage Commission**

Fran Atchison, Chairperson

Jason Somero

Debbie Deaton

Phillip Thayer

Ralph Somero

Jennifer Worth

### **Parks & Recreation**

Mindy Buxton, Director

### **Patriotic Purposes**

Shawn Bator, Chairperson

Mandy Bator

Tammy Hannu

Carl Toko

Cale Sikkila

Peter Somero

Travis Somero

### **Building Inspector/Code Enforcement**

Peter Kelleher

### **Conservation Commission**

Robert Boynton, Chairman

David McTigue, Vice Chair

Matthew Oliveira

Karen Miller

Kleta Dudley, Alternate & SoRLAC Rep.

Jennifer Worth, Clerk

### **Forest Fire Warden**

Cody Vaillancourt

### **Fire Department**

Benjamin Hatcher, Fire Chief

Cody Vaillancourt, Assistant Chief

Gary Somero, Deputy Chief

Peter Kelleher, Captain

James Feldhusen, Captain

Gordon Wayrynen, Lieutenant

Eric Maxwell, Lieutenant

Matthew Hatcher, Lieutenant

Katelynn Vaillancourt, Alternante Lieutenant

Peter Bergeron, Firefighter

Gregory Bruno, Firefighter

Michael Cain, Firefighter

Keegan Card, Firefighter

Tyler Card, Firefighter

Robert Cooley, Firefighter

James Crocker, Firefighter

Nathan Crooker, Firefighter

Isaac Croteau, Firefighter

John Duthie, Firefighter

Dan Dye, Firefighter

Dennis Eastman, Firefighter

Hazen Fisk, Firefighter

Matthew Harding, Firefighter

Nathan Harding, Firefighter

Chelsea Hatcher, Firefighter

Charles Jackman, Firefighter

Connor Krichbaum, Firefighter

Jared Krichbaum, Firefighter

Jeffrey Lacroix, Firefighter



## **Town Officials – Appointed (cont.)**

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### **Fire Department**

Austin LaFreniere, Firefighter  
Cathy Murray, Firefighter  
Ryan Murry, Junior Firefighter  
Matthew Smith, Firefighter  
Gary Somero, Firefighter  
Kade Somero, Firefighter  
Cameron Stacey, Firefighter  
Brandon Thompson, Firefighter  
Brett Vaillancourt, Firefighter  
Jason Vaillancourt, Firefighter  
Cooper Wayrynen, Firefighter

### **Police**

Michael J. Abel, Chief of Police  
Weston Vollheim, Sergeant  
Vincente Estrella-Reyes, Patrolman  
Benjamin Davey, Patrolman  
Marc Fredrick, PT Patrolman  
Jesse Hyam, PT Patrolman  
Tyler Swenson PT Patrolman  
Jacqueline Bukkhegyi, Police Administrator

### **Public Works**

Peter Somero, Director  
Keegan Card, Foreman  
Scott Richards, Laborer  
Reuben Somero, Laborer  
Jeffrey Zagwyn, Laborer  
Tyler Card, Laborer  
Steve Beaulieu, Transfer Station Manger  
Roxanne Nichols, Transfer Station Attendants  
Craig Comeau, Transfer Station Attendants  
Mark Hopkins, Building Maintenance

### **Planning Board**

Steven Satterfield, Land Use Administrator  
Luigi Guarino, Alternate  
John Schaumlöffel, Alternate  
Robert Fournier, Alternate  
Aaron Betram, Alternate  
Shawn Talbot, Ex Officio

### **Road Committee**

Luigi Guarino  
Nate Sikkila  
Marcus Rautiola  
Erik Krook  
Deborah Deaton, Clerk  
Peter Somero, Ex Officio

### **Stearns Burton Lecture Committee**

Bentti Hoiska  
Robert Zinsmeister  
James Coffey

### **Town Office Personnel**

Deborah Deaton, Town Administrator  
Mark Hopkins, Facility Maintenance  
Jennifer Worth, Building Director  
Steven Satterfield, Land Use Administrator  
Mindy Buxton, Accounting  
Margaret Whitson, Town Clerk Assistant  
Jennifer Worth, Town Clerk Deputy

### **Video Committee**

Ron Stanley  
Jennifer Worth

### **Welfare Officer**

Carrie Traffie, Director

### **Zoning Board of Adjustments**

Danielle Sikkila, Chairperson  
Walker Farrey, Vice Chair  
David Lage  
Jeff Muhonen  
Dwayne White  
Louis Alvarez, Alternate  
Michelle Saari, Alternate  
Jennifer Worth, Clerk

## State Officials

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### **President of the United States**

Joseph R. Biden  
[www.whitehouse.gov](http://www.whitehouse.gov)  
(202) 456-1414

### **Governor**

Christopher T. Sununu  
<https://www.governor.nh.gov>  
(603)271-2121

### **State Senator**

Maggie Hassan  
<https://www.hassan.senate.gov>  
(603)622-2204

### **Secretary of the State**

David M. Scanlan  
<https://www.sos.nh.gov>

### **Executive Councilor – District 5**

David K. Wheeler  
<https://www.council.nh.gov/district-5>

### **United States Representative – Congressman – 1<sup>st</sup> District**

Chris Pappas  
<https://pappas.house.gov>  
(603)935-6710

### **Attorney General**

John M. Formella  
<https://www.doj.nh.gov>  
(603)271-3658

### **State Senator**

Jeanne Shaheen  
<https://www.shaheen.senate.gov>  
(603)358-6604

### **NH House Representative – District 32 – New Ipswich, Temple, Wilton**

Shane Sirois  
<https://shanesirois.com>  
(603)913-4790

### **Senator District 12**

Kevin Avar  
<http://www.senatoravard.com>

### **United States Representative – Congresswoman – District 2**

Ann McLane Kuster  
<https://kuster.house.gov>  
(603)595-2006

## **Town Moderator's Report**

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The year 2024 was one of the busiest we've seen in New Hampshire for elections. In 2024, we had the Presidential Primary, Town Meeting consisting of the Deliberative Session in February and the voting session in March, State Primary in September and the General/Presidential election in November.

This year marked the first in a very long time where the Democrat party did not officially participate in the First in the nation Presidential Primary by placing their candidate on the ballot, as the president put his preference on South Carolina. Even still he sent nearly everyone in his cabinet to NH in the run up to the election to show off his administration (not to support the massive write-in campaign). All of this resulted in more work for election officials as a result.

2025 will be the quiet year in our four-year election cycle as there is the Town Deliberative Session (February 4th, first session) and Election (March 11th, second session).

There were also other activities taking place during the year:

- Testing of the ballot counting device in preparation for the voting session and hand counting of the ballots received for each election (town and school district). These sessions happen one week prior to each election and are open to the public. Notices of these sessions are posted at the post office and the town office and on the Town website.
- Continued to work to obtain an electronic check-in system for voters which would allow voters to go to the shortest line to check-in, eliminating the current alphabet separation currently used. This purchase did not happen, however.
- Attended sessions to understand and operate new voting machine technology and features in Concord, NH.
- Requested in the 2025 budget to replace the ballot counting device with current technology now that the State Ballot Commission approved new vendors.
- Followed any proposed and implemented changes to NH election laws.
- Attended training offered by the Secretary of State's office in Concord.
- Attended Annual Moderator Training provided by the NH Municipal Association.

A heartfelt thank you to all the Selectmen, Earl Somero and Colin Carroll, the assistant Moderators, Supervisors of the Checklist, poll workers, town employees, the SAU, high school custodians, staff, and students, Town Clerk Lisa Carbone, Deputy Town Clerks Jennifer Worth and Debbie Deaton, the New Ipswich Police Department, the Highway Department, and all the volunteers who supported and dedicated their time to the election process.

A special thank you to the public for your patience, good conduct on election days, and your cooperation in obtaining absentee ballots.

**Notice:** The use of the Town Clerk's drop-off box for absentee ballots is not legal, complete absentee ballots must be handed in to the Clerk in-person or by someone you have appointed to be your delivery agent (and yes there is a form for such appointments if the person is not a spouse or an immediate family member).

## **Town Moderator's Report (cont.)**

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If you want to help with the elections, please contact the Town Clerk, Supervisors of the Checklist or myself to indicate how you'd like to support these events and how we can contact you. Those pre-election day events where the blank ballots are counted, and the voting machine is tested which require many hours of volunteer time.

Please remember to bring a current government issued form of identification when you come to vote to show the ballot clerks. If you're new in town and haven't registered to vote, you will be required to bring a piece of mail to demonstrate your residency. You can file your registration to vote with the Town Clerk prior to the final meeting of the Supervisors of the Checklist prior to the election.

Now more than ever, the 2025 New Hampshire legislature is looking to adjust the rules and laws surrounding the election process and voting. Currently, you can still register to vote at the polls in March or submit a modified registration (such as an address change or party affiliation update) with the Town Clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

*Bob Romeril*, Town Moderator

**2025 Town Warrant**  
**State of New Hampshire**  
**Town of New Ipswich**

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To the inhabitants of the Town of New Ipswich in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Mascenic Regional High School Auditorium in New Ipswich on the 4th day of February, 2025 at 7:00 o'clock in the evening for the first session (Deliberative Session) of the Annual Town Meeting and you are further notified to meet at the Mascenic Regional High School Gymnasium on the 11th day of March, 2025 between 7 o'clock in the forenoon and 7 o'clock in the evening for the second session of the Meeting (polls will be open for voting at the second session) to vote upon the following subjects:

**ARTICLE 01 - Election of Officers**

To choose the following necessary town officials for the year ensuing:

**Board of Selectmen** (1) 3-year term

Lou Alvarez

Philip Andrews

Jesus Cantu-Trevino

Write-In

**Board of Assessors** (1) 3-year term

Danielle Sikkila

Write-In

Bert Hamill (1) 2-year term

Joanne Meshna

Write In

**Cemetery Trustees** (1) 3-year term

Debbie Deaton

Write In

Write-In (1) 2-year term

**Planning Board** (2) 3-year term

Deirdre Daley

Write-In

**Town Clerk/Tax Collector** (1) 2-year term

Lisa Carbone

Write-In

**Trustees of the Trust Funds** (1) 3-year term

Bernard Hamill

John Schaumlöffel

Write-In

## **2025 Town Warrant (cont.)**

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### **ARTICLE 02 – Cluster Subdivision Update**

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance as follows: amend Article XIII Section E Cluster Development to update the regulation so the determination of the number of buildable lots is consistent with traditional subdivision methods, and to use soil/septic suitability information to determine minimum lot size. The changes also allow for reduced open space, adds a requirement for a conceptual review, adds options for agriculture cluster subdivisions, and allows options for bonuses density when plans include features such as trails, playgrounds or public access to the property.

(Recommended by the Planning Board 4-2)

### **ARTICLE 03– Budget**

Shall the Town raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amount set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session for the purposes set forth therein totaling Three Million Six Hundred Nineteen Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty-One Dollars (\$3,619,781)? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be Three Million Three Hundred Seventy Thousand Seventy-Eight Dollars (\$3,370,078). Which is the same as last year with certain adjustments required by previous action of the Town of New Ipswich or by law; or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. Majority vote required.

(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)

### **ARTICLE 04– Roads**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$350,000) to maintain, reconstruct and pave New Ipswich roads. This special warrant article will be a non-lapsing appropriation for a period of five years, terminating on December 31, 2030, or when the project is completed, whichever comes sooner, in accordance with RSA 32:7, VI. Majority vote required.

(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)

### **ARTICLE 05- Roads**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) to maintain, reconstruct and pave New Ipswich roads. This special warrant article will be a non-lapsing appropriation for a period of five years, terminating on December 31, 2030, or when the project is completed, whichever comes sooner, in accordance with RSA 32:7, VI. Majority vote required.

(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)

## 2025 Town Warrant (cont.)

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### **ARTICLE 06 - Fund Capital Reserves and Expendable Trusts**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Ninety-One Thousand Dollars (\$391,000) to be contributed to the previously established capital reserve and expendable trust funds as follows: Majority vote required.

Highway Department Expendable Trust Fund	\$95,000
Building Maintenance Expendable Trust	\$50,000
Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund	\$95,000
Fire Protection Equipment Capital Reserve Fund	\$30,000
Fire Department Communications Capital Reserve Fund	\$ 5,000
Pool Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund	\$ 6,000
Parks & Recreation Capital Reserve Fund	\$15,000
Police Department Capital Reserve Fund	\$65,000
Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund	\$30,000

(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)

### **ARTICLE 07 - Ambulance Service**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Fifty-One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$151,200) for the contracted licensed ambulance service, emergency services and support. Majority vote required.

(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)

### **ARTICLE 08- Library**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$45,000) to support the New Ipswich Library. Majority vote required.

(Recommended by the Selectmen 2-1)

### **ARTICLE 09 – Discontinue Expendable Trust Fund**

To see if the town will vote to discontinue the Green Center Recycling Expendable Trust created in 2024. (Majority vote required)

### **ARTICLE 10 – Establish Green Center Recycling Revolving Fund**

To see if the town will vote to establish a revolving fund pursuant to RSA 31:95-h, for the purpose of the Green Center Recycling Center. All revenues (or designate a portion thereof) received for the Green Center Recycling from donations 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 balance. The town treasurer shall have custody of all moneys 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. (Majority vote required)

## **2025 Town Warrant (cont.)**

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### **ARTICLE 11 - Establish Full-Time Fire Officer/Building Inspector/Code Enforcement Position**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$60,500 for the purpose of creating a full-time Fire Officer/Building Inspector/Code Enforcement Officer position no sooner than July 1, 2025. This amount includes all salary and benefit costs. If approved, the appropriation for this new position will become part of the annual operating budget in subsequent years. (Majority vote required).

(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)

### **ARTICLE 12- Purchase of New Vehicle for Highway Department**

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate up to Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) for a pickup truck and plow for use at the Highway Department.

(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)

### **ARTICLE 13- Petition Article- Scenic Road Designation**

To see if the Town will vote to designate Willard Road as a Scenic Road under the provisions of RSA 231:157, thereby recognizing its natural beauty and ensuring the preservation of its scenic qualities. This designation would mean any future work involving the cutting or removal of trees or the tearing down, removing or destruction of stone walls along Willard Road would require a public hearing and approval from the Planning Board or other designated body under paragraph 2, in accordance with New Hampshire Scenic Road Regulations.

### **ARTICLE 14- Petition Article- Conflict of Interest Ordinance**

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following Conflict of Interest Ordinance in accordance with RSA 31:39-a:

It shall be considered a conflict of interest for a person who is currently a party to a lawsuit against the Town of New Ipswich, its officers, boards, committees, or commissions to hold a position on any Town board, committee or commission.

Accordingly, no person who is currently a party to a lawsuit against the Town of New Ipswich, its officers, or its boards, committees, or commissions shall be eligible to hold a position on any Town board, committee, or commission until such lawsuit is fully resolved.

This provision is intended to prevent conflicts of interest and ensure the integrity and impartiality of Town governance. An exemption applies for 1 year from the date of adoption for anyone currently in a position.

### **ARTICLE 15- Petition Article- New Playground Set at Memorial Field**

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate up to \$102,295 for the purchase of a large playground set for Memorial Field. Price includes equipment, freight and installation.

Not Recommended by the Selectmen 1-2

*Shawn Talbot*, Chairman - *Jason Somero*, Selectman - *Lou Alvarez*, Selectman  
BOARD OF SELECTMEN



## 2024 Synopsis of Annual Town Meeting

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### 2024 TOWN WARRANT State of New Hampshire Town of New Ipswich

To the inhabitants of the Town of New Ipswich in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Mascenic Regional High School in New Ipswich on the 12th day of March, 2024 between 7 o'clock in the forenoon and 7 o'clock in the evening for the second session of the Meeting (polls will be open for voting at the second session) to vote upon the following subjects:

#### ARTICLE 01 - Election of Officers

To choose the following necessary town officials for the year ensuing:

<b>Board of Selectmen</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>3-year term</b>
Jason Somero		987
Write-In		40
<b>Board of Assessors</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>3-year term</b>
Write-In		83
<b>Cemetery Trustees</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>3-year term</b>
Write-In		18
<b>Moderator</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>2-year term</b>
Bob Romeril		1037
Write-In		
<b>Planning Board</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>3-year term</b>
Jane Elwell		341
Ray Holmes		227
Joshua Muhonen		737
Bruce Ruotsala		662
Write In		9
	<b>(1)</b>	<b>2-year term</b>
Robert Fournier		346
Graham Heagy		645
Write In		6
	<b>(1)</b>	<b>1-year term</b>
Kathleen Sheldon		275
Nichole Talbot		701
Write-In		14
<b>Supervisor of the Checklist</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>6-year term</b>
Brenda Pellerito		916
Write-In		23
<b>Trustees of the Trust Funds</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>3-year term</b>
Bentti Hoiska		900
Write-In		18

## 2024 Synopsis of Annual Town Meeting (cont.)

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### **ARTICLE 2– Zoning-Accessory Dwelling Units**

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance as follows: amend Article XIII Section N Accessory Dwelling Units in order to provide expanded housing by allowing a second Accessory Dwelling Unit by special exception on lots of two (2) or more acres as long as one of the units is an Attached Accessory Dwelling Unit, and to also clarify owner residence requirements, and to remove language that is inconsistent with NH RSA 674:72?

**(Recommended by the Planning Board 6-0)      YES 920      NO 263      BLANK 69**

### **ARTICLE 03– Zoning Update to New Ipswich Flood Plain Regulations**

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance as follows: amend the Floodplain Development Ordinance as necessary in order to comply with requirements of the National Flood Insurance Program by modifying, deleting and adding definitions, as well as updating various dates and references?

**(Recommended by the Planning Board 6-0)      YES 936      NO 231      BLANK 85**

### **ARTICLE 04- Zoning Expiration of Pre 2013 Unexercised Special Exceptions and Variances**

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of New Ipswich Zoning Ordinance as follows: amend Article XIV, by adding a new Section F. Termination of Unexercised Special Exceptions and Variances which provides for the expiration of unexercised special exceptions and variances dated prior to August 19, 2013, as authorized by RSA 674:33, IV(c), which would go into effect one (1) year after posted notice by the Planning Board?

**(Recommended by the Planning Board 6-0)      YES 831      NO 293      BLANK 128**

### **ARTICLE 05 - Budget**

Shall the Town raise and appropriate as an operating budget, not including appropriations by special warrant articles and other appropriations voted separately, the amount set forth on the budget posted with the warrant or as amended by vote of the first session for the purposes set forth therein totaling Three Million Three Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Two Hundred Nineteen Dollars (\$3,355,219)? Should this article be defeated, the default budget shall be Three Million Three Hundred Thirty Thousand Six Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$3,330,606)? Which is the same as last year with certain adjustments required by previous action of the town or by law; or the governing body may hold one special meeting, in accordance with RSA 40:13, X and XVI, to take up the issue of a revised operating budget only. Majority vote required.

**(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)      YES 694      NO 511      BLANK 47**

### **ARTICLE 06 - Roads**

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To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$350,000) to maintain, reconstruct and pave New Ipswich roads. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation for a period of five years, terminating on December 31, 2029, or when the project is completed, whichever comes sooner, in accordance with RSA 32:7, VI. Majority vote required.

Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0                      **YES 914      NO 302      BLANK 36**

### **ARTICLE 07- Roads**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) to maintain, reconstruct and pave New Ipswich roads. This will be a non-lapsing appropriation for a period of five years, terminating on December 31, 2029, or when the project is completed, whichever comes sooner, in accordance with RSA 32:7, VI. Majority vote required.

Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0                      **YES 877      NO 327      BLANK 48**

### **ARTICLE 08 - Fund Capital Reserves and Expendable Trusts**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Sixty-Six Thousand Dollars (\$366,000) to be contributed to the previously established capital reserve and expendable trust funds as follows: Majority vote required.

Highway Department Expendable Capital Reserve Fund	\$95,000
Building Maintenance Expendable Trust	\$50,000
Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund	\$95,000
Fire Protection Equipment Capital Reserve Fund	\$30,000
Fire Department Communications Capital Reserve Fund	\$ 5,000
Pool Maintenance Capital Reserve Fund	\$ 6,000
Parks & Recreation Capital Reserve Fund	\$15,000
Police Cruiser Capital Reserve Fund	\$65,000
Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund	\$ 5,000

(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)                      **YES 829      NO 385      BLANK 38**

### **ARTICLE 09 - Library**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$45,000) to support the New Ipswich Library. Majority vote required.

(Recommended by the Selectmen 2-1)                      **YES 724      NO 482      BLANK 38**

### **ARTICLE 10 - Ambulance Service**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Twenty One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$121,200) for the contracted licensed ambulance service, emergency services and support. Majority vote required.

(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)                      **YES 1023      NO 189      BLANK 40**

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### **ARTICLE 11 - Household Hazardous Waste**

Shall the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000) to participate in the City of Keene's Household Hazardous Waste Program? Majority vote required.  
(Recommended by the Selectmen 1-2) **YES 595      NO 608      BLANK 49**

### **ARTICLE 12 - Closure of Green Center Revolving Account**

To see if the Town will vote to close the existing Green Center Revolving account under RSA 31:95-h. If Article 13 does not pass, this article will be null and void. Majority vote required.  
(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0) **YES 885      NO 306      BLANK 60**

### **ARTICLE 13 – Creation of Expendable Trust for Green Center Recycling**

To see if the town will vote to establish a Green Center Recycling Expendable Trust Fund per RSA 31:19-a, for the purpose of receiving donations to the Green Center and to raise and appropriate \$5,077 to put in the fund, with this amount to come from the closed Revolving fund previously written in Article 12; further to name the Selectmen as agents to expend from said fund. If Article 12 does not pass, this article will be null and void. Majority vote required.  
(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0) **YES 945      NO 251      BLANK 55**

### **ARTICLE 14: Creation of 275th Anniversary Celebration Expendable Trust Fund**

To see if the Town will vote to establish an Expendable Trust fund, hereinafter referred to as the "275th Anniversary Celebration Expendable Trust Fund," for the purpose of planning, organizing, and conducting events and activities in commemoration of the Town's 275th anniversary in 2025. This fund will come from donations and to appoint the Board of Selectmen as agents to expend from this fund, or take any other action in relation thereto. Majority vote required.  
(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0) **YES 912      NO 277      BLANK 62**

### **ARTICLE 15: Refurbish Donated Fire Truck**

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the expenditure of the sum of up to Two Hundred Twenty-Seven Thousand Dollars (\$227,000) from the Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund to refurbish the donated 2007 Spartan Fire Engine. No funds will come from taxation if this passes. Majority vote required.  
(Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0) **YES 937      NO 271      BLANK 43**

### **ARTICLE 16: Establish Full-Time Fire Chief/Building Inspector/Code Enforcement Position**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$52,000 for the purpose of creating a full-time Fire Chief/Building Inspector/Code Enforcement Officer position. The appropriation will be for salary and benefits for the period of July through December 2024. This special article is a special warrant article per RSA 32:3 VI (d) and RSA 32:7 V. Majority vote required.  
(Recommended by the Selectmen 2-1) **YES 596      NO 613      BLANK 42**

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### **ARTICLE 17: Authorize Agents to Expend**

To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen as agents to expend for the Fire Department Capital Reserve fund established by warrant article in 1966 (WA#14) and the Firefighter Protective Equipment Capital Reserve established in 1999 (WA#20).

**YES 806      NO 349      BLANK 96**

### **ARTICLE 18: Amend purpose of Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund**

To amend the purpose of the Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund established in 1966 in accordance with RSA 35:16. To see if the Town will approve the clarification to include the purchase of new, used or donated fire apparatus or to refurbish the same. 2/3 vote required. (Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)

**YES 970      NO 209      BLANK 72**

### **ARTICLE 19: Modify Elderly Exemption**

Shall the town modify the provisions of RSA 72:39-a for the Elderly Exemption from property tax in the Town, based on assessed value for qualified tax payers to be as follows: 65-74 years of age to be \$75,000, 75-79 years of age to be \$112,500 and 80+ to be \$150,000. In addition, increase the net income as follows: \$31,000 for a single person, \$45,000 for married (combined income) and own net assets not in excess of \$85,000, excluding the value of a person's residence. Majority vote required. (Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)

**YES 1027      NO 160      BLANK 54**

### **ARTICLE 20: Modify Disabled Exemption**

Shall the town MODIFY the provisions of RSA 72:37-b for the Disability Exemption from property tax in the Town based on assessed value for qualified tax payers to increase the exemption to \$75,000? To qualify the person must have been a New Hampshire resident for at least 5 years, own the real estate individually or jointly, or if the real estate is owned by such person's spouse, they must have been married for at least 5 consecutive years. In addition, the taxpayer must have a net income of not more than: \$31,000 for a single person, \$45,000 for married (combined income) and own net assets not in excess of \$85,000, excluding the value of a person's residence. Majority vote required. (Recommended by the Selectmen 3-0)

**YES 931      NO 215      BLANK 105**

### **ARTICLE 21: Petition Warrant Article-Employee contribution for insurance**

Petition Warrant Article-Are you in favor of requiring all Town employees to contribute no less than 15% of the cost of Health Insurance, Dental Insurance, Vision Insurance and Life Insurance premiums that they are eligible and elect to receive and to direct the Selectmen to authorize contributions of 15% beginning July 1, 2024?

**YES 784      NO 336      BLANK 131**

*Shawn Talbot, Chairman - Jason Somero, Selectman - Lou Alvarez, Selectman*  
**BOARD OF SELECTMEN**



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Account	Purpose	Article	Expenditures for period ending 12/31/2024	Appropriations for period ending 12/31/2024	Proposed Appropriations for period ending 12/31/2025	
					(Recommended)	(Not Recommended)
<b>General Government</b>						
4130	Executive	03	\$358,510	\$452,270	\$454,220	\$0
4140	Election, Registration, and Vital Statistics	03	\$149,306	\$194,870	\$197,259	\$0
4150	Financial Administration	03	\$74,983	\$97,707	\$104,162	\$0
4152	Property Assessment		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4153	Legal Expense	03	\$24,838	\$20,000	\$22,104	\$0
4155	Personnel Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4191	Planning and Zoning	03	\$45,214	\$58,697	\$52,096	\$0
4194	General Government Buildings	03	\$126,279	\$121,885	\$109,142	\$0
4195	Cemeteries	03	\$44,633	\$50,888	\$52,015	\$0
4196	Insurance Not Otherwise Allocated	03	\$81,539	\$81,539	\$89,077	\$0
4197	Advertising and Regional Associations		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4198	Contingency		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4199	Other General Government		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>General Government Subtotal</b>			<b>\$905,302</b>	<b>\$1,077,856</b>	<b>\$1,080,075</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Public Safety</b>						
4210	Police	03	\$686,137	\$906,592	\$950,937	\$0
4215	Ambulances		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4220	Fire	03	\$219,565	\$219,087	\$282,243	\$0
4240	Building Inspection	03	\$19,352	\$30,766	\$33,840	\$0
4290	Emergency Management	03	\$8,322	\$13,926	\$13,926	\$0
4299	Other Public Safety		\$121,200	\$121,200	\$0	\$0
<b>Public Safety Subtotal</b>			<b>\$1,054,576</b>	<b>\$1,291,571</b>	<b>\$1,280,946</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Airport/Aviation Center</b>						
4301	Airport Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4302	Airport Operations		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4309	Other Airport		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Airport/Aviation Center Subtotal</b>			<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Highways and Streets</b>						
4311	Highway Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4312	Highways and Streets	03	\$788,900	\$1,448,001	\$935,725	\$0
4313	Bridges		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4316	Street Lighting	03	\$10,207	\$13,800	\$9,708	\$0
4319	Other Highway, Streets, and Bridges		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Highways and Streets Subtotal</b>			<b>\$799,107</b>	<b>\$1,461,801</b>	<b>\$945,433</b>	<b>\$0</b>

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Account	Purpose	Article	Expenditures for period ending 12/31/2024	Appropriations for period ending 12/31/2024	Proposed Appropriations for period ending 12/31/2025	
					(Recommended)	(Not Recommended)
<b>Sanitation</b>						
4321	Sanitation Administration	03	\$105,985	\$115,667	\$119,849	\$0
4323	Solid Waste Collection		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4324	Solid Waste Disposal		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4325	Solid Waste Facilities Clean-Up	03	\$17,881	\$20,600	\$21,250	\$0
4326	Sewage Collection and Disposal		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4329	Other Sanitation	03	\$0	\$1	\$1	\$0
<b>Sanitation Subtotal</b>			<b>\$123,866</b>	<b>\$136,268</b>	<b>\$141,100</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Water Distribution and Treatment</b>						
4331	Water Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4332	Water Services		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4335	Water Treatment		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4338	Water Conservation		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4339	Other Water		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Water Distribution and Treatment Subtotal</b>			<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Electric</b>						
4351	Electric Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4352	Generation		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4353	Purchase Costs		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4354	Electric Equipment Maintenance		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4359	Other Electric Costs		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Electric Subtotal</b>			<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Health</b>						
4411	Health Administration	03	\$3,230	\$3,630	\$3,630	\$0
4414	Pest Control	03	\$8,284	\$9,725	\$9,873	\$0
4415	Health Agencies and Hospitals		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4419	Other Health		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Health Subtotal</b>			<b>\$11,514</b>	<b>\$13,355</b>	<b>\$13,503</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Welfare</b>						
4441	Welfare Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4442	Direct Assistance	03	\$35,415	\$47,100	\$47,100	\$0
4444	Intergovernmental Welfare Payments		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4445	Vendor Payments		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4449	Other Welfare		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Welfare Subtotal</b>			<b>\$35,415</b>	<b>\$47,100</b>	<b>\$47,100</b>	<b>\$0</b>



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Account	Purpose	Article	Expenditures for period ending 12/31/2024	Appropriations for period ending 12/31/2024	Proposed Appropriations for period ending 12/31/2025	
					(Recommended)	(Not Recommended)
<b>Culture and Recreation</b>						
4520	Parks and Recreation	03	\$75,714	\$80,533	\$92,792	\$0
4550	Library		\$45,000	\$45,000	\$0	\$0
4583	Patriotic Purposes	03	\$3,540	\$3,990	\$16,576	\$0
4589	Other Culture and Recreation		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Culture and Recreation Subtotal</b>			<b>\$124,254</b>	<b>\$129,523</b>	<b>\$109,368</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Conservation and Development</b>						
4611	Conservation Administration	03	\$93	\$1,904	\$2,256	\$0
4612	Purchase of Natural Resources		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4619	Other Conservation		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4631	Redevelopment and Housing Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4632	Other Redevelopment and Housing		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4651	Economic Development Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4652	Economic Development		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4659	Other Economic Development		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Conservation and Development Subtotal</b>			<b>\$93</b>	<b>\$1,904</b>	<b>\$2,256</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Debt Service</b>						
4711	Principal - Long Term Bonds, Notes, and Other Debt		\$36,291	\$0	\$0	\$0
4721	Interest - Long Term Bonds, Notes, and Other Debt		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4723	Interest on Tax and Revenue Anticipation Notes		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4790	Other Debt Service Charges		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Debt Service Subtotal</b>			<b>\$36,291</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Capital Outlay</b>						
4901	Land		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4902	Machinery, Vehicles, and Equipment		\$0	\$227,000	\$0	\$0
4903	Buildings		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4909	Improvements Other than Buildings		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Capital Outlay Subtotal</b>			<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$227,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

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Account	Purpose	Article	Expenditures for	Appropriations	Proposed Appropriations for period	
			period ending	for period ending	ending 12/31/2025	
			12/31/2024	12/31/2024	(Recommended)	(Not Recommended)
<b>Operating Transfers Out</b>						
4911	To Revolving Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4912	To Special Revenue Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4913	To Capital Projects Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4914A	To Airport Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4914E	To Electric Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4914O	To Other Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4914S	To Sewer Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4914W	To Water Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4918	To Non-Expendable Trust Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4919	To Fiduciary Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
	<b>Operating Transfers Out Subtotal</b>		<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Total Operating Budget Appropriations</b>					<b>\$3,619,781</b>	<b>\$0</b>



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### Special Warrant Articles

Account	Purpose	Article	Proposed Appropriations for period ending 12/31/2025	
			(Recommended)	(Not Recommended)
4299	Other Public Safety	11	\$63,500	\$0
	Purpose: Establish Full-Time Combined Position			
4312	Highways and Streets	04	\$350,000	\$0
	Purpose: Roads			
4312	Highways and Streets	05	\$250,000	\$0
	Purpose: Roads			
4520	Parks and Recreation	15	\$0	\$102,295
	Purpose: Petitioned Warrant Article-New Playset for Memorial Field			
4911	To Revolving Funds	10	\$1	\$0
	Purpose: Establish Green Center Recycling Revolving Fund			
4915	To Capital Reserve Funds	06	\$246,000	\$0
	Purpose: Fund Capital Reserve and Expendable Trusts			
4916	To Expendable Trusts	06	\$145,000	\$0
	Purpose: Fund Capital Reserve and Expendable Trusts			
Total Proposed Special Articles			\$1,054,501	\$102,295

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### Individual Warrant Articles

Account	Purpose	Article	Proposed Appropriations for period ending 12/31/2025	
			(Recommended)	(Not Recommended)
4299	Other Public Safety	07 <i>Purpose: Ambulance Service</i>	\$151,200	\$0
4550	Library	08 <i>Purpose: Library</i>	\$45,000	\$0
4902	Machinery, Vehicles, and Equipment	12 <i>Purpose: Purchase New Vehicle for Highway Department</i>	\$50,000	\$0
<b>Total Proposed Individual Articles</b>			<b>\$246,200</b>	<b>\$0</b>

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### Revenues

Account	Source	Article	Actual Revenues for period ending 12/31/2024	Estimated Revenues for period ending 12/31/2024	Estimated Revenues for period ending 12/31/2025
<b>Taxes</b>					
3120	Land Use Change Taxes for General Fund	03	\$0	\$0	\$8,000
3180	Resident Taxes		\$0	\$0	\$0
3185	Yield Taxes	03	\$18,948	\$6,000	\$6,000
3186	Payment in Lieu of Taxes		\$0	\$0	\$0
3187	Excavation Tax	03	\$100	\$2,000	\$2,000
3189	Other Taxes	03	\$0	\$2,148	\$2,148
3190	Interest and Penalties on Delinquent Taxes	03	\$5,516	\$20,000	\$74,596
<b>Taxes Subtotal</b>			<b>\$24,564</b>	<b>\$30,148</b>	<b>\$92,744</b>
<b>Licenses, Permits, and Fees</b>					
3210	Business Licenses and Permits		\$0	\$0	\$0
3220	Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	03	\$1,506,975	\$1,329,464	\$1,506,975
3230	Building Permits	03	\$40,264	\$40,812	\$40,812
3290	Other Licenses, Permits, and Fees	03	\$39,400	\$39,490	\$41,000
<b>Licenses, Permits, and Fees Subtotal</b>			<b>\$1,586,639</b>	<b>\$1,409,766</b>	<b>\$1,588,787</b>
<b>From Federal Government</b>					
3311	Housing and Urban Development		\$0	\$0	\$0
3312	Environmental Protection		\$0	\$0	\$0
3313	Federal Emergency		\$0	\$0	\$0
3314	Federal Drug Enforcement		\$0	\$0	\$0
3319	Other Federal Grants and Reimbursements		\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>From Federal Government Subtotal</b>			<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>State Sources</b>					
3351	Shared Revenues - Block Grant		\$0	\$0	\$0
3352	Meals and Rooms Tax Distribution	03	\$521,944	\$0	\$521,994
3353	Highway Block Grant	03	\$152,270	\$152,731	\$124,000
3354	Water Pollution Grant		\$0	\$0	\$0
3355	Housing and Community Development		\$0	\$0	\$0
3356	State and Federal Forest Land Reimbursement	03	\$0	\$0	\$58
3357	Flood Control Reimbursement		\$0	\$0	\$0
3359	Railroad Tax Distribution		\$0	\$0	\$0
3360	Water Filtration Grants		\$0	\$0	\$0
3361	Landfill Closure Grants		\$0	\$0	\$0
3369	Other Intergovernmental Revenue from State of NH		\$0	\$0	\$0
3379	Intergovernmental Revenues - Other	03	\$0	\$62	\$62
<b>State Sources Subtotal</b>			<b>\$674,214</b>	<b>\$152,793</b>	<b>\$646,114</b>

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Account	Source	Article	Actual Revenues for period ending 12/31/2024	Estimated Revenues for period ending 12/31/2024	Estimated Revenues for period ending 12/31/2025
<b>Taxes</b>					
3120	Land Use Change Taxes for General Fund	03	\$0	\$0	\$8,000
3180	Resident Taxes		\$0	\$0	\$0
3185	Yield Taxes	03	\$18,948	\$6,000	\$6,000
3186	Payment in Lieu of Taxes		\$0	\$0	\$0
3187	Excavation Tax	03	\$100	\$2,000	\$2,000
3189	Other Taxes	03	\$0	\$2,148	\$2,148
3190	Interest and Penalties on Delinquent Taxes	03	\$5,516	\$20,000	\$74,596
<b>Taxes Subtotal</b>			<b>\$24,564</b>	<b>\$30,148</b>	<b>\$92,744</b>
<b>Licenses, Permits, and Fees</b>					
3210	Business Licenses and Permits		\$0	\$0	\$0
3220	Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	03	\$1,506,975	\$1,329,464	\$1,506,975
3230	Building Permits	03	\$40,264	\$40,812	\$40,812
3290	Other Licenses, Permits, and Fees	03	\$39,400	\$39,490	\$41,000
<b>Licenses, Permits, and Fees Subtotal</b>			<b>\$1,586,639</b>	<b>\$1,409,766</b>	<b>\$1,588,787</b>
<b>From Federal Government</b>					
3311	Housing and Urban Development		\$0	\$0	\$0
3312	Environmental Protection		\$0	\$0	\$0
3313	Federal Emergency		\$0	\$0	\$0
3314	Federal Drug Enforcement		\$0	\$0	\$0
3319	Other Federal Grants and Reimbursements		\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>From Federal Government Subtotal</b>			<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>State Sources</b>					
3351	Shared Revenues - Block Grant		\$0	\$0	\$0
3352	Meals and Rooms Tax Distribution	03	\$521,944	\$0	\$521,994
3353	Highway Block Grant	03	\$152,270	\$152,731	\$124,000
3354	Water Pollution Grant		\$0	\$0	\$0
3355	Housing and Community Development		\$0	\$0	\$0
3356	State and Federal Forest Land Reimbursement	03	\$0	\$0	\$58
3357	Flood Control Reimbursement		\$0	\$0	\$0
3359	Railroad Tax Distribution		\$0	\$0	\$0
3360	Water Filtration Grants		\$0	\$0	\$0
3361	Landfill Closure Grants		\$0	\$0	\$0
3369	Other Intergovernmental Revenue from State of NH		\$0	\$0	\$0
3379	Intergovernmental Revenues - Other	03	\$0	\$62	\$62
<b>State Sources Subtotal</b>			<b>\$674,214</b>	<b>\$152,793</b>	<b>\$646,114</b>

## Proposed Budget, MS-636 (cont.)



**New Hampshire**  
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MS-636**

### Revenues

Account	Source	Article	Actual Revenues for period ending 12/31/2024	Estimated Revenues for period ending 12/31/2024	Estimated Revenues for period ending 12/31/2025
<b>Charges for Services</b>					
3401	Income from Departments	03	\$0	\$72,000	\$78,000
3402	Water Supply System Charges		\$0	\$0	\$0
3403	Sewer User Charges		\$0	\$0	\$0
3404	Garbage-Refuse Charges	03	\$33,143	\$13,990	\$41,830
3405	Electric User Charges		\$0	\$0	\$0
3406	Airport Fees		\$0	\$0	\$0
3409	Other Charges		\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Charges for Services Subtotal</b>			<b>\$33,143</b>	<b>\$85,990</b>	<b>\$119,830</b>
<b>Miscellaneous Revenues</b>					
3500	Special Assessments		\$0	\$0	\$0
3501	Sale of Municipal Property		\$0	\$0	\$0
3502	Interest on Investments	03	\$119,092	\$1,200	\$114,819
3503	Rents of Property	03	\$0	\$0	\$27,500
3504	Fines and Forfeits		\$0	\$0	\$0
3506	Insurance Dividends and Reimbursements		\$0	\$0	\$0
3508	Contributions and Donations	10	\$0	\$0	\$1
3509	Revenue from Misc Sources Not Otherwise Classified	03	\$17,670	\$15,000	\$15,000
<b>Miscellaneous Revenues Subtotal</b>			<b>\$136,762</b>	<b>\$16,200</b>	<b>\$157,320</b>
<b>Interfund Operating Transfers in</b>					
3911	From Revolving Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0
3912	From Special Revenue Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0
3913	From Capital Projects Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0
3914A	From Airport Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0
3914E	From Electric Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0
3914O	From Other Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0
3914S	From Sewer Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0
3914W	From Water Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0
3915	From Capital Reserve Funds		\$202,500	\$227,000	\$0
3916	From Trust and Fiduciary Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0
3917	From Conservation Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Interfund Operating Transfers in Subtotal</b>			<b>\$202,500</b>	<b>\$227,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Other Financing Sources</b>					
3934	Proceeds from Long-Term Notes/Bonds/Other Sources		\$0	\$0	\$0
9998	Amount Voted from Fund Balance		\$0	\$0	\$0
9999	Fund Balance to Reduce Taxes		\$0	\$0	\$0
<b>Other Financing Sources Subtotal</b>			<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>Total Estimated Revenues and Credits</b>			<b>\$2,657,822</b>	<b>\$1,921,897</b>	<b>\$2,604,795</b>

## Proposed Budget, MS-636 (cont.)

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**New Hampshire**  
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**2025  
MS-636**

### Budget Summary

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<b>Item</b>	<b>Period ending 12/31/2025</b>
Operating Budget Appropriations	\$3,619,781
Special Warrant Articles	\$1,054,501
Individual Warrant Articles	\$246,200
Total Appropriations	\$4,920,482
Less Amount of Estimated Revenues & Credits	\$2,604,795
<b>Estimated Amount of Taxes to be Raised</b>	<b>\$2,315,687</b>

# Balance Sheet

BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS			
Period Ending 12/31/2024			
ADJUSTMENTS COMPILED BY: GASB34 ADJUSTMENT FILE			
GL #	Description	OTHER GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS	TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
<b>ASSETS</b>			
Unclassified			
01-0000.0-1010.2-102	CASH - TD GENERAL FUND	3,801,471.48	6,801,471.48
01-0000.0-1010.2-108	PETTY CASH RECREATION	50.00	50.00
01-0000.0-1010.2-113	CASH Teller Credit Card acct	83,988.03	83,988.03
01-0000.0-1080.1-000	PROPERTY TAX REC ALL YEARS	(12,454,323.12)	(12,454,323.12)
01-0000.0-1080.3-000	LUCT Receivables All Years	(32,276.71)	(32,276.71)
01-0000.0-1080.5-000	Yield Tax Receivable All Years	(16,964.07)	(16,964.07)
01-0000.0-1080.8-000	Excavation Tax Rec All Years	(1,696.72)	(1,696.72)
01-0000.0-1080.9-101	ALLOWANCE FOR DOUBTFUL ACCTS	(159,735.00)	(159,735.00)
01-0000.0-1110.1-000	TAX LIEN REC ALL YEARS	235,540.24	235,540.24
01-0000.0-1130.1-101	*A/R REIMBURSABLES	48.84	48.84
01-0000.0-1130.1-102	A/R TREAS RETURN CKS	9,716.65	9,716.65
01-0000.0-1130.1-104	TAX CREDITS UNASSIGNED AVITAR	(158,795.57)	(158,795.57)
01-0000.0-1130.1-105	PROPERTY REPURCHASE	9,129.06	9,129.06
01-0000.0-1280.1-101	DUE FROM TRUSTEES	286,291.30	286,291.30
01-0000.0-1310.0-010	Due From Capital Projects F 01	89,767.82	89,767.82
01-0000.0-1310.1-003	DUE FROM GF for Franchise Fees	11,767.07	11,767.07
01-0000.0-1310.1-005	DUE FROM REVOLVING POOL	3,341.96	3,341.96
01-0000.0-1310.1-006	Due From State	(9,605.96)	(9,605.96)
01-0000.0-1310.1-007	Due From Stearns Burton	3,232.80	3,232.80
01-0000.0-1310.1-011	GF-DF Transfer Station	17,082.69	17,082.69
01-0000.0-1310.1-123	Due from Rec Rev to Gen Fund	159,484.66	159,484.66
01-0000.0-1310.2-103	DUE FROM CONSERVATION	31,845.50	31,845.50
01-0000.0-1310.2-104	DUE FROM CAP PROJECT	2,450.00	2,450.00
01-0000.0-1310.5-121	Due from Police Revolv to GF	15,770.21	15,770.21
01-0000.0-1310.5-122	Due from Fire Revolv to GF	92.20	92.20
01-0000.0-1310.5-125	GF GREEN CENTER	368.05	368.05
01-0000.0-1670.1-100	TAX DEEDED PROPERTY - RESALE	49,278.39	49,278.39
01-0000.0-1700.1-101	PREPAID ACCOUNTS	67,125.23	67,125.23
03-0000.0-1010.1-119	VIDEO COMMITTEE	121,486.41	121,486.41
05-0000.0-1010.1-109	REVOLVING GREEN CENTER	315.00	315.00
05-0000.0-1310.1-014	DUE FROM GREEN CENTER	6,201.66	6,201.66
06-0000.0-1010.1-123	REVOLVING FUND RECREATION	200,012.23	200,012.23
06-0000.0-1310.1-123	Due From Rec Rev to Gen Fund	157,174.46	157,174.46
07-0000.0-1200.1-000	Water Intergovernmental A/R	44,111.00	44,111.00
07-0000.0-1310.1-010	CProj Fund OF GenFund 01	76,900.21	76,900.21
08-0000.0-1010.1-121	CASH DETAIL POLICE REVOLVING	77,356.49	77,356.49
08-0000.0-1310.1-121	Due from Rec Rev to Gen Fund	21,684.34	21,684.34
09-0000.0-1010.1-121	CASH DETAIL FIRE REVOLVING	779.96	779.96
09-0000.0-1310.1-001	Due from General Fund	92.20	92.20
10-0000.0-1010.1-101	CASH ESCROW-POLICE FORFEITURE	1,775.21	1,775.21
11-0000.0-1010.1-100	Trf Station-Cash	85,634.03	85,634.03
11-0000.0-1310.1-001	Due from General Fund	1,130.00	1,130.00
12-0000.0-1010.1-100	Heritage-Cash	1,056.12	1,056.12
Unclassified		(1,159,845.65)	(4,159,845.65)
Total ASSETS		(1,159,845.65)	(4,159,845.65)
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
Unclassified			
01-0000.0-1020.1-103	State Marriage Fee	(162.00)	(162.00)
01-0000.0-1020.1-104	TC State Vital Records Fee	414.00	414.00
01-0000.0-1020.1-105	TC STATE HV PERMITS	(2,810.05)	(2,810.05)
01-0000.0-1020.2-200	NHRS Employer Portion	(14,835.00)	(14,835.00)
01-0000.0-1020.2-201	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	(481,016.23)	(481,016.23)
01-0000.0-1025.1-101	FEDERAL WITHHOLDING TAX	(2,275.00)	(2,275.00)
01-0000.0-1025.2-200	NHRS Employees withholding	(1,313.01)	(1,313.01)
01-0000.0-1025.2-201	NH POLICE RETIREMENT	3,740.75	3,740.75
01-0000.0-1025.2-203	EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT	(8,458.66)	(8,458.66)
01-0000.0-1025.3-301	EE HEALTH CONTRIBUTION	(3,754.82)	(3,754.82)
01-0000.0-1025.3-302	EE DENTAL CONTRIBUTION	461.10	461.10
01-0000.0-1025.3-303	EE VISION CONTRIBUTION	59.69	59.69
01-0000.0-1025.3-306	AFLAC withholding	50.78	50.78
01-0000.0-1025.7-101	FICA EMPLOYEE	(2,334.56)	(2,334.56)
01-0000.0-1025.7-102	MEDI EMPLOYEE	(723.54)	(723.54)
01-0000.0-1025.9-110	MASSACHUSETTS INCOME TAX	3,078.71	3,078.71
01-0000.0-1030.1-101	ACCRUED PAYROLL	18,436.00	18,436.00
01-0000.0-1075.1-101	MASCENIC SCHOOL DISTRICT	(11,079,349.86)	(15,079,349.86)



## Balance Sheet (cont.)

BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS			
Period Ending 12/31/2024			
ADJUSTMENTS COMPILED BY: GASB34 ADJUSTMENT FILE			
GL #	Description	OTHER GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS	TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
01-0000.0-075.2-100	DUE TO COUNTY	(1,342,620.00)	(1,342,620.00)
01-0000.0-075.3-107	GF DT CProj Fund 07	76,900.21	76,900.21
01-0000.0-080.1-003	DUE TO	178,696.20	178,696.20
01-0000.0-080.1-011	GF DT Transfer Station	977.50	977.50
01-0000.0-080.1-123	Rec Revolving due to Gen Fund	50.00	50.00
01-0000.0-080.2-105	DUE TO CONSERVATION	250.00	250.00
01-0000.0-080.2-126	DUE TO FIRE	92.20	92.20
01-0000.0-409.1-102	ARPA GRANT FUNDS	125,786.86	125,786.86
01-0000.0-440.1-102	Encumbrance	(124,165.00)	(124,165.00)
01-0000.0-440.1-105	2023 ENCUMBRANCE	(326.90)	(326.90)
03-0000.0-020.2-201	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	180.00	180.00
03-0000.0-080.1-003	DUE TO	11,492.07	11,492.07
05-0000.0-080.5-125	DT GENERAL FUND	3,710.01	3,710.01
06-0000.0-020.2-201	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	455.85	455.85
06-0000.0-080.1-123	Rec Revolving due to Gen Fund	311,324.64	311,324.64
07-0000.0-020.2-201	ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	125.81	125.81
07-0000.0-080.2-101	Due To	89,767.82	89,767.82
08-0000.0-080.1-121	Due to Gen Fund	37,004.55	37,004.55
09-0000.0-080.1-121	Due to Gen Fund	92.20	92.20
11-0000.0-080.1-001	CC Due to General Fund	886.11	886.11
Unclassified		(15,200,111.57)	(16,200,111.57)
<b>Total LIABILITIES</b>		(15,200,111.57)	(16,200,111.57)
<b>FUND EQUITY</b>			
Unclassified			
01-0000.0-2530.1-101	Fund Balance	13,440,381.91	13,440,381.91
03-0000.0-2530.1-101	Fund Balance	70,575.04	70,575.04
05-0000.0-2530.1-101	Fund Balance	4,260.82	4,260.82
06-0000.0-2530.1-101	Fund Balance	68,441.87	68,441.87
07-0000.0-2530.1-101	Fund Balance	(41,800.76)	(41,800.76)
08-0000.0-2530.1-101	Fund Balance	33,132.73	33,132.73
08-0000.0-2532.1-101	FUND BALANCE UNDESIGNATED	29.91	29.91
09-0000.0-2530.1-101	Fund Balance	730.94	730.94
10-0000.0-2530.1-100	Fund Balance	1,720.93	1,720.93
11-0000.0-2590.1-100	Trf Station-Fund Balance	61,445.41	61,445.41
12-0000.0-2590.1-100	Heritage-Fund Balance	1,023.83	1,023.83
Unclassified		13,639,942.63	13,639,942.63
<b>NET OF REVENUES/EXPENDITURES</b>		(1,599,676.71)	(1,599,676.71)
<b>TOTAL FUND BALANCES</b>		12,040,265.92	12,040,265.92
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES</b>		(1,159,845.65)	(4,159,845.65)

## Audit Report

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January 23, 2025

Board of Selectmen  
Town of New Ipswich  
661 Turnpike Road  
New Ipswich, New Hampshire 03071

Dear Members of the Board:

We have substantially completed fieldwork in connection with the annual audit of the Town of New Ipswich, New Hampshire's December 31, 2023 financial statements, which has been delayed due to the availability of certain requested financial information needed for the audit. Unless we encounter circumstances beyond our control, we expect the completed reports for the December 31, 2023 financial statements will be available no later than February 28, 2025.

Very truly yours,

*Vachon Clukay & Company PC*

## Treasurer's Report

### All Fund Balances

<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>\$6,835,255.99</b>
<b>TD BANK CREDIT CARD</b>	<b>\$77,482.13</b>
<b>CONSERVATION - CURRENT USE INVESTMENT</b>	<b>\$206,569.22</b>
<b>CONSERVATION - CURRENT USE SAVINGS</b>	<b>\$74,369.25</b>
<b>CONSERVATION - GENERAL SAVINGS</b>	<b>\$59,969.25</b>
<b>CONSERVATION - OPERATING</b>	<b>\$2,720.91</b>
<b>CONSERVATION - STREAM PROJECT</b>	<b>\$1,240.24</b>
<b>GREEN CENTER</b>	<b>\$3,894.04</b>
<b>VIDEO COMMITTEE</b>	<b>\$120,887.41</b>
<b>POLICE DEPARTMENT</b>	<b>\$56,122.15</b>
<b>RECREATION DEPARTMENT</b>	<b>\$44,354.85</b>
<b>FIRE DEPARTMENT</b>	<b>\$779.96</b>
<b>TRANSFER STATION</b>	<b>\$67,957.73</b>

\*PLEASE NOTE THESE FIGURES MAY NOT REFLECT THE ACTUAL BALANCE DUE TO PENDING TRANSACTION.

### Revenue Report

<b>STATE OF NH</b>	<b>STATE &amp; FEDERAL LAND</b>	<b>\$58.19</b>
	Highway Block Grant	\$152,269.73
	Landfill Grant	\$7,184.91
	Room & Meals Tax	\$521,994.44
<b>Sub-Total</b>		<b>\$681,507.27</b>
<b>PERMITS</b>	Building	\$21,701.40
	Plumbing	\$1,980.00
	Electrical	\$8,617.69
	Mechanical	\$6,740.00
	Demolition	\$300.00
	Driveway	\$300.00
	Roofing	\$350.00
	Pool Permits	\$275.00
<b>Sub-Total</b>		<b>\$40,264.09</b>
<b>OTHER PERMITS, FEES AND LICENSES</b>		
	Misc. Fees & Permits	\$5.00
	UCC Fees	\$1,995.00
	Town Office Copies	\$24.75
	Junk Yard Permits	\$25.00

<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$2,049.75</b>
<b>POLICE DEPARTMENT</b>	
Insurance Reports	\$454.00
Fines - Fees	\$25.56
Pistol Permits	\$540.00
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$1,019.56</b>
<b>PLANNING &amp; ZONING</b>	
Subdivision Fees	\$1,851.00
Postage	\$627.33
ZBA Fees	\$1,050.00
ZBA Advertising	\$1,050.00
ZBA Postage Reimbursed	\$1,062.62
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$5,640.95</b>
<b>TRANSFER STATION</b>	
Stickers	\$790.00
Trash Bags	\$25,446.50
Electronics	\$1,633.00
Demolition	\$14,570.25
Tires	\$1,543.25
Metal	\$2,116.00
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$46,099.00</b>
<b>INTEREST ON BANK ACCOUNT</b>	
TD General	\$119,091.88
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$ 119,091.88</b>
<b>RENT OF TOWN PROPERTY</b>	
Rent Building #2	\$27,500.00
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$27,500.00</b>
<b>OTHER MISCELLANEOUS</b>	
Return Check & Service Fees	\$600.00
Misc. Revenues	\$16,298.23
Reim. From Electric/Solar	\$772.34
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>\$17,670.57</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$940,843.07</b>

## Tax Rate Calculation



**New Hampshire**  
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**2024**  
**\$15.22**

## Tax Rate Breakdown New Ipswich

Municipal Tax Rate Calculation			
Jurisdiction	Tax Effort	Valuation	Tax Rate
Municipal	\$1,956,887	\$872,087,426	<b>\$2.24</b>
County	\$677,608	\$872,087,426	<b>\$0.78</b>
Local Education	\$9,694,082	\$872,087,426	<b>\$11.12</b>
State Education	\$924,924	\$853,875,326	<b>\$1.08</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$13,253,501</b>		<b>\$15.22</b>

Village Tax Rate Calculation			
Jurisdiction	Tax Effort	Valuation	Tax Rate
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$0</b>		<b>\$0.00</b>

Tax Commitment Calculation	
Total Municipal Tax Effort	\$13,253,501
War Service Credits	(\$261,248)
Village District Tax Effort	\$0
Total Property Tax Commitment	\$12,992,253

*Sam Greene*

Sam Greene  
Director of Municipal and Property Division  
New Hampshire Department of Revenue Administration

11/5/2024

## Tax Rate Calculation (cont.)

Appropriations and Revenues		
Municipal Accounting Overview		
Description	Appropriation	Revenue
Total Appropriation	\$4,719,496	
Net Revenues (Not Including Fund Balance)		(\$2,498,875)
Fund Balance Voted Surplus		(\$5,077)
Fund Balance to Reduce Taxes		(\$576,794)
War Service Credits	\$261,248	
Special Adjustment	\$0	
Actual Overlay Used	\$56,889	
<b>Net Required Local Tax Effort</b>	<b>\$1,956,887</b>	
County Apportionment		
Description	Appropriation	Revenue
Net County Apportionment	\$677,608	
<b>Net Required County Tax Effort</b>	<b>\$677,608</b>	
Education		
Description	Appropriation	Revenue
Net Local School Appropriations	\$0	
Net Cooperative School Appropriations	\$13,489,654	
Net Education Grant		(\$2,870,648)
Locally Retained State Education Tax		(\$924,924)
<b>Net Required Local Education Tax Effort</b>	<b>\$9,694,082</b>	
State Education Tax	\$924,924	
State Education Tax Not Retained	\$0	
<b>Net Required State Education Tax Effort</b>	<b>\$924,924</b>	
Valuation		
Municipal (MS-1)		
Description	Current Year	Prior Year
Total Assessment Valuation with Utilities	\$872,087,426	\$507,571,732
Total Assessment Valuation without Utilities	\$853,875,326	\$495,596,132
Commercial/Industrial Construction Exemption	\$0	\$0
Total Assessment Valuation with Utilities, Less Commercial/Industrial Construction Exemption	\$872,087,426	\$507,571,732
Village (MS-1V)		
Description	Current Year	

## Town Clerk/ Tax Collector's Report

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Thank you all for allowing me to serve this community! I greatly appreciate your support. The Town Clerk/Tax Collector position wasn't without its challenges, but I love the position and being able to meet and help so many people. I will continue to serve the community to the best of my abilities.

Please note the office hours for the Town Clerk/Tax Collector's Office which are as follows:

Monday through Wednesday, 9:00am-4:00pm

Thursday, 9:00am-6:00pm

(Closed 12:30-1:30 for lunch every day)

The last Saturday of every month is from 9:00am-12:00pm (unless it is a holiday weekend)

The hours are posted on the front page of our website and on the Town Clerk page. After a year of the new hours, the feedback has been they are more convenient. If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please feel free to email me at [townclerktax@newipswichnh.gov](mailto:townclerktax@newipswichnh.gov) as I welcome your feedback.

Visit our website where you can renew vehicle registrations, dog licenses and have the option to pay your tax bills online. Dog licensing and Boat Registrations for 2025 are available now. There is a \$5.00 agent fee added to your boat registration when you register with the Town Clerk. Just a REMINDER that all dogs need to be licensed by April 30, 2025. **I'm working on having a Rabies Clinic in the spring. Once a date is determined it will appear on the town's website. The clinic will be held behind the Town Office in the DPW Building.** For your convenience we accept cash, check, debit or credit card payments in the office and online, however, there is a convenience fee by the processing company of 2.79% for credit/debit card payments. This fee applies over the counter, as well as online. To avoid these fees, please use cash or check for your payments.

### REVENUE FROM TOWN CLERK

Dog License Fees	\$6,317.00
Marriage License Fees	\$252.00
Motor Vehicle Registrations	\$1,507,875.90
Municipal Agent Fees	\$25,319.00
Titles	\$3,358.00
Transfer Station permits/bags	\$1270.00
Vital Records	\$2397.50
E-Reg	\$1,375.00

Thank you,

*Lisa Carbone*, Town Clerk/Tax Collector

## Tax Collector's Report, MS-61



**New Hampshire**  
Department of  
Revenue Administration

**MS-61**

### Tax Collector's Report

For the period beginning  and ending

This form is due **March 1st (Calendar Year)** or **September 1st (Fiscal Year)**

#### Instructions

##### Cover Page

- Specify the period begin and period end dates above
- Select the entity name from the pull down menu (County will automatically populate)
- Enter the year of the report
- Enter the preparer's information

##### For Assistance Please Contact:

**NH DRA Municipal and Property Division**  
Phone: (603) 230-5090  
Fax: (603) 230-5947  
<http://www.revenue.nh.gov/mun-prop/>

#### ENTITY'S INFORMATION

Municipality:  County:  Report Year:

#### PREPARER'S INFORMATION

First Name  Last Name   
Street No.  Street Name  Phone Number   
Email (optional)



## Tax Collector's Report, MS-61 (cont.)



**New Hampshire**  
Department of  
Revenue Administration

**MS-61**

Debits					
Uncollected Taxes Beginning of Year	Account	Levy for Year of this Report	Prior Levies (Please Specify Years)		
			Year: 2023	Year: 2022	Year: 2021
Property Taxes	3110		\$400,293.89		
Resident Taxes	3180				
Land Use Change Taxes	3120		\$22,200.00		
Yield Taxes	3185				
Excavation Tax	3187			\$200.00	
Other Taxes	3189				
Property Tax Credit Balance		(\$18,395.33)			
Other Tax or Charges Credit Balance					

Taxes Committed This Year	Account	Levy for Year of this Report	Prior Levies	
			2023	
Property Taxes	3110	\$13,006,031.00		
Resident Taxes	3180			
Land Use Change Taxes	3120	\$6,000.00	\$10,200.00	
Yield Taxes	3185	\$18,948.18		
Excavation Tax	3187	\$100.00	\$1,596.72	
Other Taxes	3189			

Overpayment Refunds	Account	Levy for Year of this Report	Prior Levies		
			2023	2022	2021
Property Taxes	3110	\$2,299.10			
Resident Taxes	3180				
Land Use Change Taxes	3120				
Yield Taxes	3185				
Excavation Tax	3187				
Interest and Penalties on Delinquent Taxes	3190	\$4,023.98	\$14,937.69	\$31.36	
Interest and Penalties on Resident Taxes	3190				
<b>Total Debits</b>		<b>\$13,019,006.93</b>	<b>\$449,228.30</b>	<b>\$231.36</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>

## Tax Collector's Report, MS-61 (cont.)



**New Hampshire**  
Department of  
Revenue Administration

**MS-61**

Credits				
Remitted to Treasurer	Levy for Year of this Report	2023	Prior Levies 2022	2021
Property Taxes	\$12,591,817.48	\$257,212.75		
Resident Taxes				
Land Use Change Taxes	\$6,000.00	\$26,400.00		
Yield Taxes	\$16,964.07			
Interest (Include Lien Conversion)	\$4,023.98	\$12,829.69	\$31.36	
Penalties		\$2,108.00		
Excavation Tax	\$100.00	\$1,596.72	\$200.00	
Other Taxes				
Conversion to Lien (Principal Only)		\$143,081.14		
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Discounts Allowed				

Abatements Made	Levy for Year of this Report	2023	Prior Levies 2022	2021
Property Taxes	\$2,663.50			
Resident Taxes				
Land Use Change Taxes		\$6,000.00		
Yield Taxes				
Excavation Tax				
Other Taxes				
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Current Levy Deeded				

# Tax Collector's Report, MS-61



**New Hampshire**  
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**MS-61**

Uncollected Taxes - End of Year # 1080	Levy for Year of this Report	Prior Levies		
		2023	2022	2021
Property Taxes	\$435,624.33			
Resident Taxes				
Land Use Change Taxes				
Yield Taxes	\$1,984.11			
Excavation Tax				
Other Taxes				
Property Tax Credit Balance	(\$40,170.54)			
Other Tax or Charges Credit Balance				
Total Credits		\$13,019,006.93	\$449,228.30	\$231.36
				\$0.00

For DRA Use Only	
Total Uncollected Taxes (Account #1080 - All Years)	\$397,437.90
Total Unredeemed Liens (Account #1110 - All Years)	\$228,165.47

## Tax Collector's Report, MS-61 (cont.)



**New Hampshire**  
Department of  
Revenue Administration

**MS-61**

Lien Summary						
Summary of Debits						
	Last Year's Levy	Prior Levies (Please Specify Years)				
	Year:	2023	Year:	2022	Year:	2021
Unredeemed Liens Balance - Beginning of Year			\$81,236.70		\$146,157.82	
Liens Executed During Fiscal Year		\$151,445.90				
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)		\$2,525.98	\$6,277.97		\$29,725.23	
<b>Total Debits</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$153,971.88</b>	<b>\$87,514.67</b>		<b>\$175,883.05</b>	

Summary of Credits				
	Last Year's Levy	Prior Levies		
	2023	2022	2021	
Redemptions		\$50,132.42	\$40,213.17	\$60,329.36
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution) #3190		\$2,525.98	\$6,277.97	\$29,725.23
Abatements of Unredeemed Liens				
Liens Deeded to Municipality				
Unredeemed Liens Balance - End of Year #1110		\$101,313.48	\$41,023.53	\$85,828.46
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$153,971.88</b>	<b>\$87,514.67</b>	<b>\$175,883.05</b>

For DRA Use Only	
Total Uncollected Taxes (Account #1080 - All Years)	\$397,437.90
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## Tax Collector's Report, MS-61 (cont.)



New Hampshire  
Department of  
Revenue Administration

MS-61

NEW IPSWICH (333)

### 1. CERTIFY THIS FORM

Under penalties 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.

Preparer's First Name

Preparer's Last Name

Date

LISA

CARBONE

1/2/2025

### 2. SAVE AND EMAIL THIS FORM

Please save and e-mail the completed PDF form to your Municipal Bureau Advisor.

### 3. PRINT, SIGN, AND UPLOAD THIS FORM

This completed PDF form must be PRINTED, SIGNED, SCANNED, and UPLOADED onto the Municipal Tax Rate Setting Portal (MTRSP) at <http://proptax.org/nh/>. If you have any questions, please contact your Municipal Services Advisor.

### PREPARER'S CERTIFICATION

Under penalties 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.

Preparer's Signature and Title

*Lisa M. Carbone*

*Town clerk / Tax collector*

## Tax Collector's Report (cont.) Unpaid Receivables – Listed by Warrant

Town of New Ipswich  
All Unpaid Receivables Listed by Warrant  
Requested by Debbie -- 01/08/2025

**Summary:**

Warrant	Invoices	Balance	Unpaid Penalties	Interest	Due As Of 12/31/2024
2013L01	1	\$1,940.66	\$0.00	\$1,110.09	\$3,050.75
2014L01	1	\$1,688.62	\$184.00	\$2,902.11	\$4,774.73
2015L01	1	\$1,678.13	\$85.00	\$2,606.02	\$4,369.15
2016L01	1	\$1,580.50	\$169.00	\$2,170.70	\$3,920.20
2017L01	3	\$5,804.48	\$0.00	\$1,962.52	\$7,767.00
2018L01	5	\$16,928.56	\$84.00	\$9,503.33	\$26,515.89
2019L01	5	\$19,819.31	\$225.00	\$11,805.79	\$31,850.10
2020L01	4	\$11,040.61	\$60.00	\$5,156.46	\$16,257.07
2021L01	9	\$23,888.62	\$100.00	\$7,464.37	\$31,452.99
2022L01	12	\$40,091.76	\$0.00	\$7,889.45	\$47,981.21
2023L01	27	\$101,313.48	\$440.00	\$8,644.09	\$110,397.57
2024P01	64	\$109,003.53	\$0.00	\$3,970.92	\$112,974.45
2024P02	145	\$264,978.94	\$0.00	\$856.62	\$265,835.56
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>\$599,757.20</b>	<b>\$1,347.00</b>	<b>\$66,042.47</b>	<b>\$667,146.67</b>

## Trustees of the Trust Report

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At the end of the calendar year 2024, the total market value of funds under management was \$3,091,705. This total was comprised of \$780,300 in New Ipswich Common Trust Funds, \$1,474,782 in New Ipswich Capital Reserve Funds and \$836,622 in Mascenic Regional School District Capital Reserve Funds.

During 2024, in accordance with a warrant article approved by voters at their respective annual meetings, New Ipswich contributed \$366,000 to its Capital Reserve Funds and Mascenic contributed \$150,000 to its Capital Reserve Funds. On the expenditures side, New Ipswich and Mascenic withdrew \$108,335 and \$219,167, respectively, from their Capital Reserve Funds during the calendar year.

The Trustees continue to use Three Bearings Fiduciary Advisors as their investment advisor. The annualized total returns on the Common Trust Funds and Capital Reserve Funds for periods ending December 31, 2024, appear in the following table:

<u>Fund Category</u>	<u>1-Year</u>	<u>3-Year</u>	<u>5-Year</u>
New Ipswich Common Trust Funds	5.60%	0.65%	2.84%
New Ipswich Capital Reserve Funds	6.32%	2.23%	3.19%
Mascenic Capital Reserve Funds	6.86%	1.92%	3.11%

While stock market performance was quite strong in 2024, bond market performance was lackluster. Since the portfolios are more heavily invested in bonds than in stocks, the portfolios produced mid-single-digit positive total returns for the past year. Longer-term annualized total returns were modestly positive for the same reason. As the table indicates, three-year annualized total returns were barely positive, while five-year annualized total returns were approximately one to two percentage points higher.

The State of New Hampshire limits the level of risk that can be assumed when investing common trust funds and capital reserve funds. As always, the Trustees will continue to work with their investment manager to ensure that assets are prudently managed and that all State requirements are met.

It should be noted that the Mascenic School Board has filed a lawsuit against the Trustees because the Trustees did not approve a capital reserve distribution request for \$25,125 to pay for the purchase of a heating system backup stoker. This case should be decided in early 2025.

The Trustees do not follow a fixed meeting schedule and meet on an as needed basis. However, our meetings are always posted, and the minutes of our meetings are available on the Town website.

Very importantly, we must remember and honor the contribution of Jim Coffey to the Town of New Ipswich. He served the Town for many years as a Selectman, an Assessor and as a Trustee of Trust Funds. He will be greatly missed.

Respectfully submitted,

*Bentti Hoiska & Robert Zinsmeister*

## Trustees of the Trust Report – MS 9

### Town Of New Ipswich Report of the Trustees of Trust Funds For the Calendar Year Ending December 31, 2024

				PRINCIPAL			INCOME				TOTAL	Ending Market Value
				Balance Beginning of Year	Additions-Withdraw Gain-Loss	Balance End of Year	Balance Beginning of Year	Net Income	Expended During Year	Balance End of Year	Principal & Income	
First Deposit	Name of Fund	Purpose of Fund	How Invested									
TRUST FUNDS - NEW IPSWICH												
1906-2008	Perpetual Care	Cemetery Mtn	Common TF	55,472.49	513.79	55,986.28	49,415.07	4,079.75	0.00	53,494.82	109,481.10	111,369.52
1900	B Smith Cemetery	Cemetery Mtn	Common TF	2,182.03	385.61	2,567.64	15,024.21	674.95	0.00	15,699.16	18,266.80	18,571.55
1959	New Ipswich Cemetery	Cemetery Mtn	Common TF	145,587.02	1,407.72	146,994.74	59,704.51	9,504.86	400.00	68,809.37	215,804.11	219,442.23
1973	New Ipswich General Trust	General	Common TF	148,480.64	776.37	149,257.01	9,789.73	6,158.33	0.00	15,948.06	165,205.07	168,053.55
1925	E. M. Barrett	General	Common TF	3,551.35	25.85	3,577.20	1,719.41	205.07	0.00	1,924.48	5,501.68	5,596.55
1824	Ministerial Fund	Churches	Common TF	1,701.71	14.97	1,716.68	1,350.25	118.75	0.00	1,469.00	3,185.68	3,240.61
1918	Jonas Nutting Post	Flags	Common TF	237.11	1.73	238.84	114.40	13.68	0.00	128.08	366.92	373.25
1963	Burton Fund	Lectures	Common TF	36,469.74	320.17	36,789.91	29,129.47	2,529.50	1,434.00	30,224.97	67,014.88	68,224.63
1973	L. Kangas Post	Developmentally-Challenged Child School	Common TF	656.52	6.55	663.07	679.33	51.96	0.00	731.29	1,394.36	1,418.41
1973	Stearns 1st Split	Lectures	Common TF	41,191.26	335.13	41,526.39	27,126.79	2,658.28	0.00	29,785.07	71,311.46	72,541.00
1977	Porter Hill / Town Pound	Maintenance	Common TF	509.72	8.27	517.99	1,174.99	65.58	0.00	1,240.57	1,758.56	1,788.86
2024	275th Anniversary Celebration Expendable Trust Fund	General	Common TF	0.00	350.64	350.64	0.00	1.07	0.00	1.07	351.71	339.96
1963	Spalding Fund - Schools	Education	Common TF	40,036.83	493.98	40,530.81	60,664.65	3,918.34	0.00	64,582.99	105,113.80	106,926.16
2011	School Fund	Maintenance	Common TF	1,591.66	11.16	1,602.82	681.81	88.45	0.00	770.26	2,373.08	2,414.01
Total Trust Funds - New Ipswich				477,668.08	4,651.94	482,320.02	256,574.62	30,068.57	1,834.00	284,809.19	767,129.21	780,300.29

### Town Of New Ipswich Report of the Trustees of Trust Funds For the Calendar Year Ending December 31, 2024

				PRINCIPAL			INCOME				TOTAL	
				Balance Beginning of Year	Additions- Withdraw Gain-Loss	Balance End of Year	Balance Beginning of Year	Net Income	Expended During Year	Balance End of Year	Principal & Income	
First Deposit	Name of Fund	Purpose of Fund	How Invested									Ending Market Value
CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS - NEW IPSWICH												
1965	Fire Department Capital Reserves	Fire Dept. Cap Reserves	Common CRF	380,551.78	90,857.82	471,409.60	21,675.31	13,963.32	0.00	35,638.63	507,048.23	527,406.39
1973	Police Department Expendable Capital Reserves	Police Dept. Cap Reserves	Common CRF	110,604.12	65,351.72	175,955.84	10,031.46	4,974.87	0.00	15,006.33	190,962.17	198,252.43
1982	Pool Maintenance	Pool Maintenance	Common CRF	55,520.41	-1,776.59	53,743.82	2,786.13	1,707.18	3,117.43	1,375.88	55,119.70	57,674.16
1994	Revaluation Capital Reserve	Revaluation	Common CRF	75,523.61	-49,910.73	25,612.88	8,774.99	1,725.32	0.00	10,500.31	36,113.19	39,202.70
1996	Highway Department Expendable Capital Reserves	Highway Dept. Cap Reserves	Common CRF	70,073.19	89,464.77	159,537.96	32,692.92	5,056.05	0.00	37,748.97	197,286.93	204,847.01
1999	Fire Protection Equipment	Fire Protection Equipment	Common CRF	85,943.79	21,320.18	107,263.97	5,396.32	3,116.00	393.00	8,119.32	115,383.29	120,031.95
2000	Parks & Recreation	Recreation	Common CRF	48,216.63	-10,364.24	37,852.39	8,875.61	1,513.42	448.99	9,940.04	47,792.43	50,199.94
2007	Land Conservation Capital Reserve	Land Conservation	Common CRF	54,449.36	137.32	54,586.68	13,715.67	2,030.79	0.00	15,746.46	70,333.14	73,258.73
2007	Building Maintenance Fund	Building Maintenance	Common CRF	126,390.38	50,346.80	176,737.18	4,258.80	4,954.53	0.00	9,213.33	185,950.51	193,183.01
2023	Fire Department Communication Capital Reserves	Fire Communications	Common CRF	4,996.62	5,018.58	10,015.20	73.42	257.28	0.00	330.70	10,345.90	10,726.01
Total Capital Reserve Funds - New Ipswich				1,012,269.89	260,445.63	1,272,715.52	108,280.63	39,298.76	3,959.42	143,619.97	1,416,335.49	1,474,782.33
CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS - SAU87												
2012	SAU 87 Schools	Special Education	Common CRF - SAU 87	338,575.25	13,191.77	351,767.02	56,714.04	14,302.26	0.00	71,016.30	422,783.32	446,683.28
2006	SAU 87 Schools	School Reserves	Common CRF - SAU 87	263,595.24	-61,966.66	201,628.58	21,095.77	8,770.29	0.00	29,866.06	231,494.64	251,000.08
2018	SAU 87 Healthcare Capital Reserve	Health Care	Common CRF - SAU 87	76,661.10	2,693.62	79,354.72	4,052.84	2,920.39	0.00	6,973.23	86,327.95	91,208.06
2019	SAU 87 Food Services	School Reserves	Common CRF - SAU 87	40,438.18	1,409.62	41,847.80	1,801.07	1,528.29	0.00	3,329.36	45,177.16	47,731.03
Total Capital Reserve Funds - SAU87				719,269.77	-44,671.65	674,598.12	83,663.72	27,521.23	0.00	111,184.95	785,783.07	836,622.45
GRAND TOTALS:				2,209,207.74	220,425.92	2,429,633.66	448,518.97	96,888.56	5,793.42	539,614.11	2,969,247.77	3,091,705.07

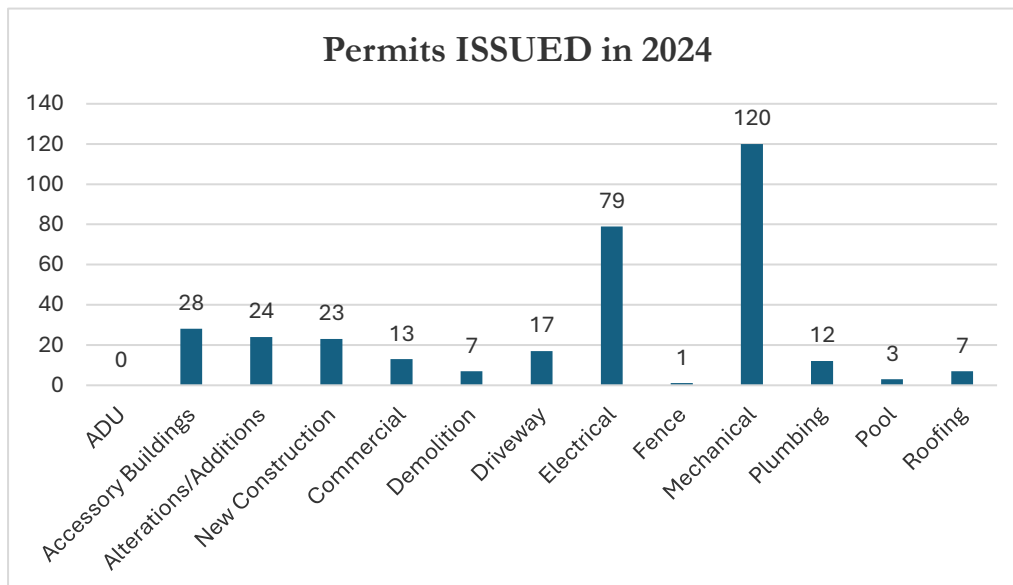


## Building Department

2024 has been a busy year for the Building Department. Gary Somero retired in July but took the time to train the new Building Department Official, Jennifer Worth—that's me! I had the privilege of shadowing Gary during his inspections and gained a great deal of knowledge about building codes from his experience and expertise. I am deeply grateful to Gary for taking me under his wing. After Gary's retirement, Casey Burrage stepped into the part-time position, but due to limited hours, Casey unfortunately had to resign. Peter Kelleher has since taken over the role. A unique asset to our team, Peter is also part of the New Ipswich Fire Department, allowing him to conduct both building and fire inspections. We are excited to have him on board as a part-time Building Inspector and Code Enforcer.

We ask for your patience when scheduling inspections, as this position is still part-time and requires a town vote to establish a full-time official which could offer more flexibility with scheduling. Currently, Peter's availability is limited to afternoons, Monday through Friday. To schedule an inspection, please call or text (603) 620-3688 at least 24 hours in advance.

The Building Department also underwent significant changes with our permitting software. We've partnered with BS&A to provide an online portal for all permit applications. All permits are now applied for through this portal: <https://bsaonline.com/?uid=3081>. We appreciate the patience of our citizens during this transition. If you need assistance navigating the portal, please don't hesitate to reach out—I'm happy to help. I encourage all contractors and residents to contact the department with any questions. In 2024, the Building Department issued 334 permits. The chart below shows the types of permits issued this year, though please note that the numbers may be slightly skewed due to missing data from the software transfer



Respectfully Submitted, *Jennifer Worth & Peter Kelleher* Building Inspector/Code Enforcement Officer

## Department of Public Works

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The winter of 2023-2024 was a light winter for snow plowing. We did not have many fallen trees blocking roads and hindering clearing operations like the previous winter. Thankfully, the department had enough staff to work all the plow routes through the winter season. We purchased a new F-600 in 2022 to replace the old 2008 F-550. It plowed its first season in 2023-2024. The new plow truck has a wing plow with a stainless-steel live dump body, which worked well for us and will give us many years of service. It is becoming more of a challenge to keep our 2012, 2013,



2014 and 2015 six-wheel dump trucks, which are also our winter plow trucks, on the road, due to frequent breakdowns and costly repairs. As of August 2024, we are fully staffed with new full-time hires in April, July, and August. For your information, Old Beaver Road became a town Road in August.

The successes of 2024 DPW were:

- Grader ditched Whittemore Hill Road, Boynton Hill Road, and Wilson Hill Road.
- Removed many large trees on Wilson Hill Road, installed new culverts, and added gravel with fabric.
- Top coated Finn Hill Road, Hakala Drive, Mason Road, Blueberry Lane, Andrew Drive, Nora Court, the end of Poor Farm Road, and Richardson Road.
- Reclaimed Philmart Drive and Nashua Road.
- Base coat Wilson Hill Road, Nashua Road, and Philmart Drive.
- Trimmed roadside branches on Porter Hill Road, Academy Road, Upper School Street, Lower School Street, Manley Road, Playground Road, Mountain View Drive, and Timbertop Road (gravel section.)
- Graded gravel roads
- Removed large rocks from the middle of the roadway on Boynton Hill Road.
- Replaced missing or vandalized road signs.
- Updated road signs.
- Replaced front employee door at the Town Office.
- A new generator is installed at the Fire Station and three other generators are in the process of being installed at the Police Station, Town Office, and DPW.
- Painted the Town Pool House and Filter House.
- Added WIFI extender at the Memorial Park.
- Replaced Pool House roof.

## Department of Public Works (cont.)

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Projects/goals in the works for 2025 include, but not limited to:

- Topcoat Wilson Hill Road, Philmart Drive, and shim and overlay Old Beaver Road.
- Fix drainage on Old Wilton Road.
- Reclaim and pave base coat on Old Wilton Road.
- Work on replacing our aging fleet of dump trucks.

It is truly a pleasure to serve the residents of New Ipswich. The DPW thanks the citizens and voters of New Ipswich for the continued support and understanding this year. The DPW also thanks the Board of Selectmen and the Town Office staff as well as other departments for all the support the DPW has received. We pray for a successful year in 2025.

### Transfer Station

This year we made some upgrades at the Transfer Station, which included moving the plastic compactor and purchasing an office trailer for the three Transfer Station attendants. The old building has been in bad shape for a long time. The Transfer Station attendants needed more room in which to work and have a place to get a break from the weather conditions if they have time.



Respectfully Submitted,

*Peter Somero*, Public Works Director

## Parks and Recreation

I'd like to start by thanking our Coordinators, Volunteers, and of course, our generous and supportive community for such a successful year! From continuing long running programs, to trying out new ideas, and of course our many upgrades to Memorial Park. Without you we couldn't have had such a successful and fun 2024!

Parks and Recreation has continued with youth sports, events, festivals and adult indoor programs. Youth sports remain seasonally offered, from soccer, field hockey, basketball and softball, which now include some advanced travel programs. Our indoor adult programs: pickleball, basketball and volleyball continued this year as well.

Youth Summer Sports Camps will continue, and we are bringing back Cheer Camp! Summer Day Camp was a lot of fun. We ran two weeks of themed day camps, with half days available. Parks and Rec look forward to seeing everyone again in 2025.

"And then there were lights!" Yes, the Rec Department, with a huge amount of help from volunteers and sponsors, were able to get lights on our softball field at Memorial Park. All funds were raised through fundraising and donations. 2025 will bring more updates to the field (see Capital Improvement Plan for more on these updates), but how incredible it is to finally see this project done!

The Farmer's Market was a huge success again this year. The market runs from May-September, ending in the first week of October at our Autumn Fest celebration at Memorial Park. Parks and Rec are looking forward to seeing everyone back out there this Spring.

Continuing, Parks and Rec's biggest event of the year; Autumn Fest was a success! The turnout with over 400 people this year made it one of the largest Rec events. We are grateful for our awesome volunteers, sponsors, vendors, and of course our community for joining us on what became such a beautiful day.



Parks and Rec added two new events in 2024. Trunk or Treating under the lights! An idea brought to us by SVAS for a safer location on Halloween and a very cold, but fun, Tree Lighting. Look out for both events being bigger and better in 2025!



## **Parks and Recreation (cont.)**

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Memorial Park had lots of work done in 2024 from Wi-Fi to a new roof and painted buildings. Some things you may not have even noticed, such as drainage and repainting equipment or big things like updated park equipment! We have even more to come in 2025, again look for the Capital Improvement Plan for more information!

Respectfully Submitted,

*Mindy Buxton*, Director Parks & Rec

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### **New Ipswich Town Pool**

This year was an amazing year for the New Ipswich Town Pool. We were able to staff our pool with mostly returning guards and certify two new guards through our lifeguard certification program. Our certification program has been held at our town pool two years in a row. It has given lifeguards in our community the chance to go through lifeguarding training and get employed through our pool or neighboring pools. We hope to hold this training in the beginning of summer to recertify our current guards and certify new guards. This is an amazing opportunity for people in our community.

We again offered swimming lessons with our fantastic guards. Lessons are one of the most important programs. Our guards work hard to create a professional and engaging program for our swimmers. We look forward to more guards becoming WSI certified soon so we can continue to provide high caliber lessons.



## **Parks and Recreation (cont.)**

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Our swim team, The New Ipswich Breakers, had the opportunity to join The Granite State Swim Association (GSSA). This gave our young swimmers more competitive swimming opportunities. We had many new members to our swim program which we hope continues to grow in the coming year. Our team participated in the Milford Rotary and States this year. Several of our swimmers had personal best times and were heat winners or placed during these meets. We are now seeing more of our swimmers joining the Mascenic Swim Team. We are lucky to see these athletes train full year. We look forward to having another great season!

This year brought the Summer Olympics to the pool. We had races, games and fun competitions during open swim times. Pool side Bingo and crafts were new this year. Our patrons had a great time participating in these new programs.

The staff would thank all our patrons for making our job so enjoyable. We are looking forward to another great summer!

Respectfully Submitted,

*Shawna Kutyla*, Town Pool

I would also like to take a minute to thank Shawna and AJ Falter for all their hard work! You will still see them around this year, I'm happy to say! I will be in the role of Director giving Shawna time to concentrate on growing our programs and spending her time with our community. We are looking forward to some needed improvements, and hope to make your time at the Pool more enjoyable!

Respectfully Submitted,

*Mindy Buxton*, Director Parks and Rec, Pool

## Police Department

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On behalf of the men and women of the New Ipswich Police Department (NIPD), welcome to the 2024 Town Report. I would like to thank all our citizens for their continued support and working cooperatively with the police department throughout the year.

Over the last year, the NIPD once again had some turnover. Two officers left the department for other opportunities at other law enforcement agencies. One officer went to Amherst and the other to the State of New Hampshire. This pattern continues to be a concern and staffing the department has been a challenge.

At this time NIPD is actively seeking to fill the vacant positions and will strive to fill these vacancies to ensure the best service to our community. If anyone is looking for a career in law enforcement, I ask that you consider applying to the NIPD. Applications can be found on the Town's website.



*Chief Michael Abel & Admin. Assistant, Jackie Bukkhegyi at the First Annual Trick O' Treat.*

In December 2023, Jacqueline Bukkhegyi joined the department as our administrative assistant. Jackie has proven to be a valued asset. Jackie is a team player and does an amazing job of supporting our officers and helping the department fulfill our mission. The department also retained Officer Marc Frederick as he transitioned from a full-time to part-time officer. Officer Frederick continues to be an asset to the department and continues to serve the community with

professionalism and pride. In March 2024, Officer Tyler Swenson returned to the New

Ipswich Police Department as a part-time officer. The department is excited to have him back on the roster. He is an important part of our team.

In May 2024, the department hired Officer Benjamin Davey as a full-time officer. Officer Davey attended and the 197<sup>th</sup> Full-time Police Academy and graduated in October 2024. The staff at the department would like to welcome Officer Ben Davey to the department and congratulate him on successfully graduating from the police academy. If you see Officer Ben Davey on the street, please say hello and introduce yourself.

## Police Department (cont.)

In 2024, NIPD continues to update our operating policies and implements these new policies into our daily operations. These new policies were and will continue to be updated to reduce liability, ensure accountability, develop and implement best practices, achieve and maintain a professional standard, improve community relations, encourage problem solving and evaluate agency practices and procedures.

During 2024, both our sworn and non-sworn staff attended a variety of training courses. Training is an important part of our mission. NIPD strived to offer professional development. Our officers and staff continue to develop their skills and abilities. Below is a list of some of the courses and training attended in 2024:

- Responding to Aviation Emergencies
- Human Trafficking
- Report Writing Use of Force Incidents
- FBI Command College – Police Leadership
- Managing Police Records
- Prioritizing Mental Health & Wellness
- Transitioning Into a Supervisor Role
- Crisis Management
- Field Training Officer Course
- Ethics
- Releasing & Redacting Police Records
- Juvenile Laws & Process
- De-Escalation Tactics
- Detecting Deceitful Behavior

In 2024, members of the Department were involved in over 5,193 calls for service. In 2024, NIPD received 1,379 phone calls from citizens requesting assistance and another 505 people walked in to the PD seeking assistance. The phone calls and walk-in stats were only captured during the day shift Monday through Friday. Below is a list of stats from some of the calls for service the agency responded to.

Calls for Service <b>5,193</b>	Criminal Trespassing Calls <b>14</b>
Motor Vehicle Accidents <b>27</b>	Assaults Calls <b>7</b>
Investigative Incidents <b>217</b>	Thefts <b>38</b>
Arrests/Booking <b>82</b>	Criminal Mischief Calls <b>22</b>
Motor Vehicle Stops <b>850</b>	Animal Control Complaints <b>189</b>
Filed Interviews <b>1,923</b>	Fraud/ Identity Theft <b>6</b>
Domestic Disturbances Calls <b>30</b>	Business Security Checks <b>280</b>
Citizen Requested Assistance Calls <b>289</b>	Sex Offender Registrations <b>90</b>



Suspicious Person or Activity Calls <b>104</b>	Sexual Assault Investigations <b>5</b>
Harassment Calls <b>6</b>	Missing Person Calls <b>9</b>
Assist NI Fire & Ambulance Calls <b>171</b>	Found/Lost or Returned Property <b>32</b>
Case Follow Ups <b>438</b>	Untimely Deaths Calls <b>4</b>
Road Hazards or Obstructions Calls <b>58</b>	Manner of Operations Complaints <b>52</b>
Welfare Checks & Abandoned 911 Calls <b>67</b>	Police Information Calls <b>137</b>
Criminal Threatening Calls <b>8</b>	Disturbance Calls <b>11</b>
Vacant Property Checks <b>269</b>	Service of Paperwork <b>138</b>
Directed Patrols <b>1,176</b>	Burglary Alarm Calls <b>57</b>

As always, we look forward to attending community events in 2025 and we hope to continue to strengthen our partnership with the community and develop new relationships. If anyone has any questions or concerns, or would like more information about the Department, please contact me.

I would like to thank all the devoted employees of the Department for their continued hard work, service, and professionalism in the Town of New Ipswich. We are proud of our accomplishments, and we will strive to offer a high degree of professionalism, dedication, and expertise in the delivery of law enforcement services. I would especially like to thank the citizens and businesses of our community for their continued support as we work cooperatively to protect life, property and preserve peace.

Respectfully submitted,

*Michael J. Abel* Chief of Police

## Fire Department

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The New Ipswich Fire Department had an incredibly successful year, thanks to the support of our volunteer members, townspeople, Board of Selectmen, Town Office, Police, Highway, and Ambulance Services. On July 1, 2024, Deputy Chief Hatcher became Fire Chief, Assistant Chief Vaillancourt was promoted to Assistant Chief, and former Chief Somero transitioned to Deputy Chief. We also promoted Lieutenant Kelleher to Captain.

This year, we saw a 38% increase in call volume, responding to 237 service calls with professionalism, pride, and integrity. A significant portion of the rise in calls came from a dry summer with recurring brush fires. We thank taxpayers for respecting burning bans and reminding others that a permit is required for outdoor fires, except when there's significant snow cover within a 100-foot radius.

Mutual aid requests also increased as neighboring towns trusted our department to assist in various emergencies. Our membership grew to a potential record high of 40, with eight new members joining this year. Eight members are enrolled in online Fire 1 training, and we've expanded from two to six certified CPR instructors.

The New Ipswich Fire Department Association raised over \$15,000 in 2024 through events like Hillfest and AutumnFest. These funds were used to purchase new extrication tools and are being directed toward new gear racks to accommodate our growing membership. The Association remains focused on improving service, health, and camaraderie in 2025.

In 2024, a proposed warrant article to hire a full-time Fire Chief/Building Inspector/Code Enforcement Officer was not approved. Looking at 2025, Chief Hatcher, Assistant Chief Vaillancourt, and Deputy Chief Somero are proposing a full-time Fire Officer/Building Inspector/Code Enforcement Officer to ease the administrative load on our members. This probationary position will ensure New Ipswich has a dedicated officer during daytime hours to handle building inspections, payroll, firefighter records, and state/federal reporting.

This year the department collaborated with New Ipswich Highway to obtain a vehicle that was retrofitted to help our community's need for a new brush truck. We are very grateful to the



Highway Department for this opportunity. This retrofit was one of the biggest accomplishments the Association has undergone and cost the taxpayers nothing. This would not have been possible without assistance from many local businesses, including United Restorations, A1 Auto, Anchor Foundation, Old Homestead Farm, Shattuck Metal Works and Belletetes of Jaffrey. We would like to express our deep gratitude to these businesses for their support.

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## Fire Department (cont.)

We took delivery of the privately donated retired Engine from Groton, MA in October of 2024. This truck was refurbished into a new rescue. Rescue 1 is a multi-use vehicle; fully equipped with extrication tools for car accidents, a pump, and the largest cascade in our area. Due to its versatility, Rescue 1 was our most frequently used fire apparatus this year.



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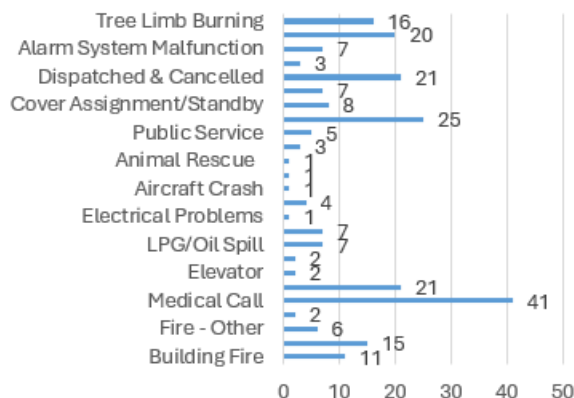


This past year, the townspeople shared in our sorrow at the tragic loss of Captain James Feldhusen, who passed away from esophageal cancer. In response to his diagnosis, the New Ipswich Fire Department has made it a priority to have all firefighting gear professionally cleaned, decontaminated, and inspected annually by Redline Gear. This proactive measure aims to protect the health and safety of our members, as we remain committed to preventing further losses.

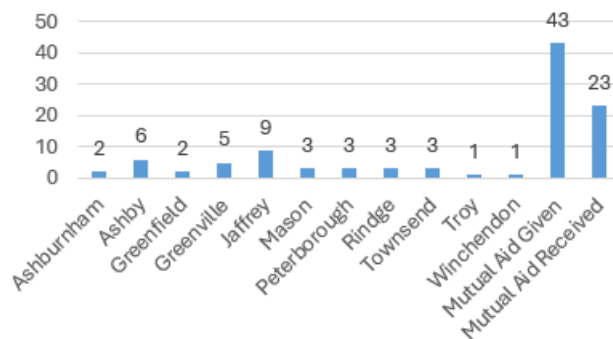
We were deeply moved by the way the community rallied around our department and Captain Feldhusen's family last August. Your unwavering support during this difficult time has been a source of great comfort, and we are sincerely grateful for the kindness and solidarity shown by all.

In loving memory of Captain James (Jim) Feldheusen.

Total 2024 Calls by Type



2024 Mutual Aid Breakdown





## Forest Fire Warden & State Forest Ranger

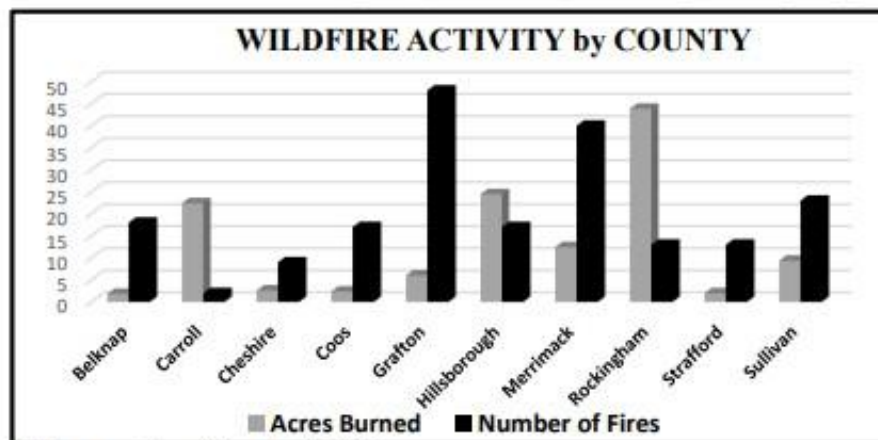
In 2024, New Hampshire experienced an average spring wildfire season which included a 20-acre fire in Effingham in late April. Conditions remained wet enough throughout most of the summer to keep fire occurrence low. However, the fall conditions experienced throughout the northeast were higher than normal as drought conditions set in, keeping state and local firefighters very busy. The week before Thanksgiving found firefighters and forest rangers spending 3 days in an effort to extinguish a 21-acre fire in Exeter. State resources also responded to Connecticut, Massachusetts and Vermont to assist with large fires which occurred in the fall.

Many homes in New Hampshire are located in the wildland urban interface, which is the area where homes and flammable wildland fuels intermix. Every year New Hampshire sees fires which threaten or destroy structures, a constant reminder that wildfires burn more than just trees. In 2024, New Hampshire properties within the Wildland Urban Interface were impacted, with 37 structures threatened and 4 destroyed by wildfires. Homeowners should take measures to prevent a wildfire from spreading to their home. Precautions include keeping your roof and gutters clear of leaves and pine needles and maintaining adequate green space around your home free of flammable materials. Additional information and homeowner recommendations are available at [www.firewise.org](http://www.firewise.org). Please help Smokey Bear, your local fire department, and the state's Forest Rangers by being fire wise and fire safe! We ask everyone to remember Smokey's message about personal responsibility and follow his ABC's: Always Be Careful with fire. If you start a fire, put it out when you are done. **"Remember, Only You Can Prevent Wildfires!"**

As we prepare for the 2025 fire season, please remember to contact your local Forest Fire Warden or Fire Department to determine if a fire permit is required before doing ANY outside burning. Under State law (RSA 227-L:17) a fire permit is required for all outside burning unless the ground is completely covered with snow. Fire permits are also available online in most towns and may be obtained by visiting [www.nhfirepermit.com](http://www.nhfirepermit.com) or using the QR code. The burning of household waste is prohibited by the Air Resources Division of the Department of Environmental Services. You are encouraged to contact the local fire department for more information. Safe open burning requires your diligence and responsibility. Thank you for helping us to protect New Hampshire's forest resources. For more information, please contact the Division of Forests & Lands at (603) 271-2214, or online at [www.nhdf.dncr.nh.gov](http://www.nhdf.dncr.nh.gov). For up-to-date information, follow us on X and Instagram: @NHForestRangers



### 2024 WILDLAND FIRE STATISTICS



(All fires reported as of December 01, 2024)

Year	Number of Wildfires	Wildfire Acres Burned	Number of Unpermitted Fires*
2024	123	125	77
2023	99	64.5	42
2022	59	203	48
2021	66	86	96
2020	113	89	165

\*Unpermitted fires which escape control are considered Wildfires.

CAUSES OF FIRES REPORTED											
Fireworks	Firearm & explosives use	Undetermined	Recreation & ceremony	Debris & open burning	Natural	Other causes	Power generation, transmission, distribution	Smoking	Arson	Misuse of fire by a minor	Equipment & vehicle use
1	2	29	13	108	7	10	9	5	7	2	7

## Souhegan Valley Ambulance Service, Inc.

This year the members at Souhegan Valley Ambulance Service (SVAS) have worked diligently to provide the towns of Greenville and New Ipswich with the very best pre-hospital emergency medical care. With a staff of 21 members (1 Paramedic, 3 AEMTs, 14 EMTs, and 3 non-medical drivers), we provided the highest level of care to our patients. We responded to a total of 533 calls to provide care and support to the residents of the towns we serve. We provided emergency transports to Monadnock Community Hospital, Southern NH Medical Center, St. Joseph's Hospital, Catholic Medical Center, Elliott Hospital, U-Mass (Leominster) Hospital, Cheshire Medical Center and Heywood Hospital.

### Call Volume Statistics

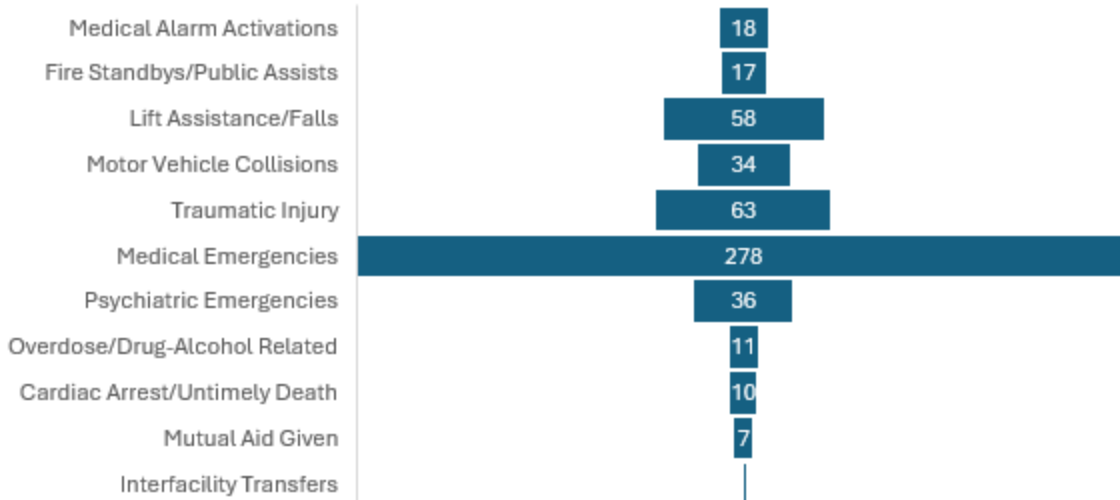
- Total Incidents: 533
  - Greenville: 274
  - New Ipswich: 248
  - Mutual Aid Provided by SVAS: 11
- Busiest Month: January
- Slowest Month: March

CALLS BY TOWN



■ Greenville ■ New Ipswich ■ Mutual Aid

CALLS BY TYPE



We would like to thank the Greenville and New Ipswich Police Departments and Fire Departments as well as the New Ipswich Department of Public Works for their continued support and assistance. We would also like to thank the residents of Greenville and New Ipswich for their continued support of Souhegan Valley Ambulance Service, Inc. We look forward to providing professional, courteous care to both communities for many years to come. To the members of SVAS: Thank you for the dedication, professionalism, and quality prehospital emergency healthcare that you consistently practice and provide. These attributes make SVAS a distinguished ambulance service of which the citizens of Greenville and New Ipswich can be proud.

Respectfully submitted,

*Board of Directors, Souhegan Valley Ambulance Service, Inc.*

## Welfare

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I hope this message finds you all healthy, happy, and looking forward to the New Year. This past year has presented its share of challenges, including a lack of affordable housing, rising rent costs, and a shortage of available shelter options. These issues have contributed to significant hardships within our community. Fortunately, these are areas where we hope to see change and improvement in the year ahead. Local agencies are collaborating to explore different solutions to these ongoing problems. If you anticipate needing assistance with housing before any evictions, please contact me ahead of time.

Applications are available at the town office, or you can refer to our town website for applications and other up-to-date information. Please ensure that your application is completed prior to your appointment. To schedule an appointment, call (603)878-2772 ext. 418 or email me at [welfare@newipswichnh.gov](mailto:welfare@newipswichnh.gov).

The River Center in Peterborough offers valuable services to the residents of New Ipswich, including ongoing classes on employment opportunities, assistance with filing taxes, parent and child programs at our local library, referral services, and much more. For more information, visit their website at <http://www.rivercenter.us/programs>.

St. Vincent De Paul has continued to be an incredible resource for our town, serving individuals and families with food year-round. They also provide Thanksgiving baskets and toys for children during the holiday season. A heartfelt thank you to the local churches and families who donated items or adopted families in need throughout the Christmas season. Your generosity was deeply appreciated.

*Some helpful resources to improve your financial circumstances:*

**Homeless or Being Evicted?** Call Southern NH Services Hillsborough County Information (603)668-8010, Shelter from The Storm (603)532-8222 or Monadnock Area Transitional Shelter (603)924-5033.

**Fuel & Electric help:** Call Southern NH Services, (603)-889-3440.

**Medical Bills:** Call your hospital. Ask about a financial grant and/or medication programs.

**Food & Health Insurance:** Call for an application. Health & Human Services (603)357-3510.

**Mortgage help:** <https://www.makinghomeaffordable.gov/pages>

**Rent & Security Deposits:** Call Southern NH Services at (603)889-3440.

**Employment:** Call NH Works to find a job (603)357-1904 or to get unemployment: [www.nhworks.org](http://www.nhworks.org).

**Child Support:** Call 603- 357-3510 to get an order in place

**Disability:** Call Vocational Rehabilitation to find employment.

**Debt:** Set up monthly payments to whom you owe money (fuel supplier, Eversource, dentist).

**Savings & Retirement:** If you have it, use it until your earned income increases.

**Paycheck Deductions:** Cancel non-health deductions to increase your paycheck.

**Phones:** Choose a home phone or a cell phone. Look at Consumer Cellular [www.consumercellular.com](http://www.consumercellular.com).

**Cable & Internet:** Cancel them until your income increases. Internet is free at the library!

**Car Loan:** Refinance the loan to lower your monthly payment and interest rate.

**Car Insurance:** Find affordable insurance; compare at [www.commerceinsurance.com](http://www.commerceinsurance.com).

**Credit Cards:** Consolidate cards with [www.greenpath.com](http://www.greenpath.com) and cut up the rest.

**PayDay Loans:** Do not get one. You will end up paying back up to 400% interest!

Respectfully submitted, *Carrie Traffie*, Welfare Officer

## Board of Assessors Summary of the 2024 Town Valuation (MS-1)



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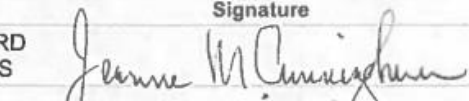

### New Ipswich Summary Inventory of Valuation

**Reports Required:** RSA 21-J:34 as amended, provides for certification of valuations, appropriations, estimated revenues and such other information as the Department of Revenue Administration may require upon reports prescribed for that purpose.

**Note:** The values and figures provided represent the detailed values that are used in the city/towns tax assessments and sworn to uphold under Oath per RSA 75:7.

**For assistance please contact:**  
NH DRA Municipal and Property Division  
(603) 230-5090  
<http://www.revenue.nh.gov/mun-prop/>

Assessor
DAVID MARAZOFF (MARAZOFF ASSESSING SERVICES)

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Preparer's Signature





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Land Value Only		Acres	Valuation	
1A	Current Use RSA 79-A	13,381.21	\$1,442,970	
1B	Conservation Restriction Assessment RSA 79-B	0.00	\$0	
1C	Discretionary Easements RSA 79-C	1.89	\$2,436	
1D	Discretionary Preservation Easements RSA 79-D	0.00	\$0	
1E	Taxation of Land Under Farm Structures RSA 79-F	0.00	\$0	
1F	Residential Land	5,706.35	\$210,980,100	
1G	Commercial/Industrial Land	246.08	\$10,713,700	
1H	Total of Taxable Land	19,335.53	\$223,139,206	
1I	Tax Exempt and Non-Taxable Land	1,367.13	\$11,954,000	
Buildings Value Only		Structures	Valuation	
2A	Residential	0	\$607,416,600	
2B	Manufactured Housing RSA 674:31	0	\$8,570,800	
2C	Commercial/Industrial	0	\$18,011,800	
2D	Discretionary Preservation Easements RSA 79-D	0	\$0	
2E	Taxation of Farm Structures RSA 79-F	0	\$0	
2F	Total of Taxable Buildings	0	\$633,999,200	
2G	Tax Exempt and Non-Taxable Buildings	0	\$25,792,600	
Utilities & Timber			Valuation	
3A	Utilities		\$18,212,100	
3B	Other Utilities		\$0	
4	Mature Wood and Timber RSA 79:5		\$0	
5	Valuation before Exemption		\$875,350,506	
Exemptions		Total Granted	Valuation	
6	Certain Disabled Veterans RSA 72:36-a	0	\$0	
7	Improvements to Assist the Deaf RSA 72:38-b V	0	\$0	
8	Improvements to Assist Persons with Disabilities RSA 72:37-a	0	\$0	
9	School Dining/Dormitory/Kitchen Exemption RSA 72:23-IV	0	\$0	
10A	Non-Utility Water & Air Pollution Control Exemption RSA 72:12	0	\$0	
10B	Utility Water & Air Pollution Control Exemption RSA 72:12-a	0	\$0	
11	Modified Assessed Value of All Properties		\$875,350,506	
Optional Exemptions		Amount Per	Total	Valuation
12	Blind Exemption RSA 72:37	\$0	0	\$0
13	Elderly Exemption RSA 72:39-a,b	\$0	20	\$2,152,900
14	Deaf Exemption RSA 72:38-b	\$0	0	\$0
15	Disabled Exemption RSA 72:37-b	\$0	0	\$0
16	Wood Heating Energy Systems Exemption RSA 72:70	\$0	0	\$0
17	Solar Energy Systems Exemption RSA 72:62	\$0	0	\$0
18	Wind Powered Energy Systems Exemption RSA 72:66	\$0	0	\$0
19	Additional School Dining/Dorm/Kitchen Exemptions RSA 72:23	\$0	0	\$0
19A	Electric Energy Storage Systems RSA 72:85	\$0	0	\$0
19B	Renewable Generation Facilities & Electric Energy Systems	\$0	0	\$0
20	Total Dollar Amount of Exemptions			\$2,152,900
21A	Net Valuation			\$873,197,606
21B	Less TIF Retained Value			\$0
21C	Net Valuation Adjusted to Remove TIF Retained Value			\$873,197,606
21D	Less Commercial/Industrial Construction Exemption			\$0
21E	Net Valuation Adjusted to Remove TIF Retained Value and Comm/Ind Construction			\$873,197,606
22	Less Utilities			\$18,212,100
23A	Net Valuation without Utilities			\$854,985,506
23B	Net Valuation without Utilities, Adjusted to Remove TIF Retained Value			\$854,985,506





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Utility Value Appraiser  
SANSOU CY ASSOCIATES, LLP

The municipality **DOES NOT** use DRA utility values. The municipality **IS NOT** equalized by the ratio.

Electric Company Name	Distr.	Distr. (Other)	Gen.	Trans.	Valuation
PSNH DBA EVERSOURCE ENERGY	\$9,272,300			\$8,939,800	\$18,212,100
	\$9,272,300			\$8,939,800	\$18,212,100



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Veteran's Tax Credits	Limits	Number	Est. Tax Credits
Veterans' Tax Credit RSA 72:28	\$750	186	\$138,998
Surviving Spouse RSA 72:29-a	\$700	0	\$0
Tax Credit for Service-Connected Total Disability RSA 72:35	\$4,000	27	\$108,000
All Veterans Tax Credit RSA 72:28-b	\$750	19	\$14,250
Combat Service Tax Credit RSA 72:28-c	\$500	0	\$0
		232	\$261,248

Deaf & Disabled Exemption Report

Deaf Income Limits	
Single	\$27,000
Married	\$37,000

Deaf Asset Limits	
Single	\$61,000
Married	\$61,000

Disabled Income Limits	
Single	\$22,500
Married	\$30,000

Disabled Asset Limits	
Single	\$50,000
Married	\$50,000

Elderly Exemption Report

First-time Filers Granted Elderly  
Exemption for the Current Tax Year

Age	Number
65-74	0
75-79	0
80+	0

Total Number of Individuals Granted Elderly Exemptions for the Current Tax  
Year and Total Number of Exemptions Granted

Age	Number	Amount	Maximum	Total
65-74	9	\$75,000	\$675,000	\$675,000
75-79	4	\$112,500	\$450,000	\$450,000
80+	7	\$150,000	\$1,050,000	\$1,027,900
	20		\$2,175,000	\$2,152,900

Income Limits	
Single	
Married	

Asset Limits	
Single	
Married	

Has the municipality adopted an exemption for Electric Energy Systems? (RSA 72:85)

Granted/Adopted? No

Properties:

Has the municipality adopted an exemption for Renewable Gen. Facility & Electric Energy Storage? (RSA 72:87)

Granted/Adopted? No

Properties:

Has the municipality adopted Community Tax Relief Incentive? (RSA 79-E)

Granted/Adopted? No

Structures:

Has the municipality adopted Taxation of Certain Chartered Public School Facilities? (RSA 79-H)

Granted/Adopted? No

Properties:

Has the municipality adopted Taxation of Qualifying Historic Buildings? (RSA 79-G)

Granted/Adopted? No

Properties:

Has the municipality adopted the optional commercial and industrial construction exemption? (RSA 72:76-78 or RSA 72:80-83)

Granted/Adopted? No

Properties:

Percent of assessed value attributable to new construction to be exempted:

Total Exemption Granted:

Has the municipality granted any credits under the low-income housing tax credit tax program? (RSA 75:1-a)

Granted/Adopted? No

Properties:

Assessed value prior to effective date of RSA 75:1-a:

Current Assessed Value:



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<b>Current Use RSA 79-A</b>	<b>Total Acres</b>	<b>Valuation</b>
Farm Land	727.05	\$297,659
Forest Land	9,000.01	\$981,582
Forest Land with Documented Stewardship	2,624.96	\$140,188
Unproductive Land	60.90	\$1,385
Wet Land	968.29	\$22,156
	<b>13,381.21</b>	<b>\$1,442,970</b>

**Other Current Use Statistics**

Total Number of Acres Receiving 20% Rec. Adjustment	<b>Acres:</b>	3,418.09
Total Number of Acres Removed from Current Use During Current Tax Year	<b>Acres:</b>	72.76
Total Number of Owners in Current Use	<b>Owners:</b>	278
Total Number of Parcels in Current Use	<b>Parcels:</b>	386

**Land Use Change Tax**

Gross Monies Received for Calendar Year			\$203,750
Conservation Allocation	<b>Percentage:</b> 100.00 %	<b>Dollar Amount:</b>	\$50,000
Monies to Conservation Fund			\$50,000
Monies to General Fund			\$153,750

<b>Conservation Restriction Assessment Report RSA 79-B</b>	<b>Acres</b>	<b>Valuation</b>
Farm Land		
Forest Land		
Forest Land with Documented Stewardship		
Unproductive Land		
Wet Land		

**Other Conservation Restriction Assessment Statistics**

Total Number of Acres Receiving 20% Rec. Adjustment	<b>Acres:</b>	
Total Number of Acres Removed from Conservation Restriction During Current Tax Year	<b>Acres:</b>	
Owners in Conservation Restriction	<b>Owners:</b>	
Parcels in Conservation Restriction	<b>Parcels:</b>	



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Discretionary Easements RSA 79-C	Acres	Owners	Assessed Valuation
DISCRETIONARY EASEMENT	1.89	1	\$2,436

Taxation of Farm Structures and Land Under Farm Structures RSA 79-F

Number Granted	Structures	Acres	Land Valuation	Structure Valuation
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Discretionary Preservation Easements RSA 79-D

Owners	Structures	Acres	Land Valuation	Structure Valuation
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Map	Lot	Block	%	Description
This municipality has no Discretionary Preservation Easements.				

Tax Increment Financing District	Date	Original	Unretained	Retained	Current
This municipality has no TIF districts.					

Revenues Received from Payments in Lieu of Tax	Revenue	Acres
State and Federal Forest Land, Recreational and/or land from MS-434, account 3356 and 3357	\$73.00	117.00
White Mountain National Forest only, account 3186		

Payments in Lieu of Tax from Renewable Generation Facilities (RSA 72:74)	Amount
This municipality has not adopted RSA 72:74 or has no applicable PILT sources.	

Other Sources of Payments in Lieu of Taxes (MS-434 Account 3186)	Amount
This municipality has no additional sources of PILTs.	

Notes

THE TOWN COMPLETED A REVALUATION OF ALL PROPERTY IN 2024.

## Finance Advisory Committee Report

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Continuing the efforts initiated in 2022, the Town Finance Advisory Committee (FAC) assisted the Board of Selectmen and the Town Department Heads to identify, prioritize, summarize and communicate the 2025 budget requests.

The FAC provided Quarterly Business Reviews (QBR) to the Town Administrator, Board of Selectmen, and the Accounting Clerk. This effort communicates how the Town is spending to the 2024 plan and identifies inconsistencies where spending may exceed the plan. As a result of this “audit” effort, the FAC also identified a small number of accounts with incorrect entries and worked with the Accounting Clerk to address them. The FAC also worked with the Department Heads to minimize future errors.

With access to the Town BS&A Cloud enterprise resource planning tool, the FAC has been able to quickly report expenditures by Department and by Account and has been able to highlight accounts requiring attention. The Town’s adoption of the BS&A solution has been instrumental in capturing, tracking and reporting expenses. In addition to using this system to create the QBR, it has been used by the FAC to support development of the 2025 budget.

The 2025 FAC process was initiated in August of 2024 and was consistent with prior years. The FAC reviewed prior Department budgets, spend summaries at the account level, and identified deviations to plan that require special attention. This helped to understand year-to-year trends, accounts that may have been under-budgeted or overbudgeted, and inflationary values needed to predict some 2025 expense requirements for commodity products such as road salt, pool chemicals, and fuel.

The FAC met with the Department Heads to understand their needs for 2025, and prioritize those needs and requests based on the prioritization established in 2022:

- Priority 1 is mandatory (urgent) and needed to perform the job,
- Priority 2 is recommended (enhance) by the Department Head and the FAC, and
- Priority 3 is desirable (nice to have).

In capturing the data, in most cases the FAC efforts were based on the zero-based budgeting technique where all expenses for the new year are justified, as opposed to leveraging prior year budgets to estimate the 2025 needs. We expanded this effort by documenting account-level spending plans with major item procurement plans, and minimal budget for unplanned expenses (unknown and unpredictable expenses such as the failure of an apparatus). Emphasis was placed on preventive maintenance expenses, contract pricing, and understanding of the products and services that add up to the requested account budget.

The FAC produces a 2025 Excel-based workbook that is the unofficial plan-of-record for the 2025 budget. This workbook contains a summary of expenses by account of the prior year budget, and a description of expenses that are planned for. This workbook is used to capture the data, model the annual spend data plans across the Town and individual departments, and for reviews with the Board of Selectmen. During reviews, expenses are approved, refined or rejected by the Board of Selectmen working in conjunction with the Department Heads and the FAC. Once final, data will be migrated from the 2025 FAC workbook to the BS&A system for the official 2025 budget plan.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Joseph Woodworth Chair, Luke Moran & Bruce Ruotsala*

Finance Advisory Committee

## Planning Board

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In 2024, the Board heard and approved one lot line adjustment, three subdivision applications (14 lots) and one application for a new gravel pit. One pending application for approximately 30 homes was continued to 2025. The Board performed annual inspections of four ongoing gravel pit operations in town and discontinued two inactive gravel pits.

Board members participated in several education and professional development activities regarding board effectiveness, regulatory changes and legal cases. The State of NH and the Municipal Association offer free or low-cost training that includes webinars and in-person conferences to help Boards stay on top of legislative changes, housing data, etc. while also providing expert insights for the volunteers who comprise the Board. The different learning formats allow most board members and the Land Use Clerk the opportunity to upskill in a manner that respects our work, family commitments, etc. Board members could also be found supporting several community activities such as the Autumn Fest and Trunk or Treat.

Two key staff positions had turnover impacting Planning Board operations in 2024. In the Spring the Land Use Administrator changed from Jennifer Minckler to Steven Satterfield. The board ended 2024 interviewing candidates to replace our retiring Planning Board Engineer, Bert Hamill. We appreciate the servant leadership that both Jen and Bert provided to the town.



Along with staffing changes, the Board introduced two new computer systems—one for tracking applications and another for assisting the Finance Committee and Select Board with Capital Planning. The first system integrates with the Town's finance system, enabling better communication and coordination across departments and committees, from land use applications to building permits and inspections. The Planning Board has been customizing the system to model priorities and timelines, working with department heads to align it with operational and future needs. This setup and training will allow modeling to begin in 2025.

Work on the Master Plan began in 2024 and will be completed in 2025, with the last full revision about 20 years ago. The plan, created by the Planning Board's Steering Committee with public input, outlines the community's values and goals for the next 10+ years. Public participation will include surveys and forums. The Master Plan serves as a roadmap for the town's future, while the Capital Improvement Plan helps the Select Board prioritize and stage projects. By the end of 2025, the goal is to have an integrated Master Plan and Capital Improvement Plan to strengthen town planning and decision-making.

## Planning Board (cont.)

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With limited subdivision applications in recent years, the Board spent part of 2024 reviewing and updating subdivision and site plan procedures to improve clarity and streamline the application process. Several work sessions were held over the summer, and the Board also identified a need for an expedited review process, which had been previously adopted but lacked implementation.

The Board had several discussions and work groups in the second half of the year regarding topics such as ongoing housing needs in the community, the challenges of the lack of housing supply, pricing and how to ease/streamline regulations in a manner that works for New Ipswich. While ADUs have the potential to make a gradual impact on local housing needs, cluster subdivisions were seen as a practical way to positively foster affordable housing since shared services and reduced infrastructure could contribute to reduced costs. Streamlining and modernizing the cluster subdivision requirements was seen as the most practical way to increase housing/chances of impacting housing prices while respecting town priorities. After seeking comments from local business leaders and the public, a proposed Zoning Amendment will be presented at the 2025 town meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

*Deirdre "Dee" Daley*, Chairperson



**If any residents have an interest in protecting their land, please contact the Conservation Commission. We can answer your questions, discuss alternatives of protection, offer technical advice and provide financial assistance to aid you in your land protection objectives.**

The purpose of the Conservation Commission is *“for proper utilization and protection of the natural resources and... the protection of watershed resources of the said city or town”* (RSA 36-A).

The Commission continues to rely on GIS Mapping and related analytics to strengthen its natural resource protection efforts. GIS technology is becoming an increasingly vital tool for the Commission in managing and safeguarding the town’s natural assets. In 2024, the Commission allocated \$60,000 to fund conservation easements on two valuable parcels of land, which are rich in natural resources and essential for protecting the town's environment for current and future generations. The Commission is also actively involved in monitoring the conservation lands under its management to ensure that the restrictions and rights outlined in the conservation easements are upheld.

In addition to managing land, the Commission has maintained its ongoing review of Wetland Permits and closely monitors activities near wetlands and surface waters. It is tasked with the critical responsibility of protecting the town’s water resources from the potential impacts of development, timber harvesting, and land clearing. These water resources are not only vital for wildlife habitats but also play a crucial role in water storage, flood control, clean drinking water, and the overall quality of life for the community. As the town’s most important natural resource, water remains at the core of the Commission’s conservation efforts.

The Commission also received an informative and in-depth presentation on stormwater management, provided by UNH Extension Services, which offered valuable insights into protecting water quality and managing stormwater runoff.

The Commission is always looking for new members who are passionate about protecting the town’s natural resources and are willing to dedicate time and effort to its projects. Anyone interested in joining is encouraged to contact the Town Office for more information.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Bob Boynton, Chairperson*

## Souhegan River Local Advisory Committee

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In 2024, the Souhegan River Local Advisory Committee (SoRLAC) continued our commitment to preserving and enhancing the Souhegan River, a New Hampshire designated protected river. Our volunteer committee contributed approximately 500 hours of community service, encompassing regular monthly meetings, outreach events, site visits, and multiple working meetings on the Souhegan Corridor plan. Notably, we bid farewell to three long-standing members whose invaluable contributions will be greatly missed. We also welcomed new members from Wilton and Goffstown (by way of Milford).

Throughout the year, SoRLAC evaluated multiple projects impacting the watershed. Our reviews included proposed upgrades to the Milford Wastewater Treatment Plant and supported Hitchiner Manufacturing Co., Inc.'s proposal in Milford to implement a filtration process aimed at reducing nickel levels in wastewater discharged, recognizing its potential environmental health benefits. Additionally, Hitchiner presented plans for a new building within the quarter-mile boundary of the Souhegan River, including runoff management strategies, which we reviewed, emphasizing the importance of effective stormwater management. A proposal to convert a vacant building into a car dealership showroom on Main Street in Wilton was also reviewed; while we expressed a preference for further reduction in impervious surfaces, we raised no major objections. In Greenville, we provided comments on a proposed recovery center's offsite parking near the river, noting the increase in impervious surface and potential for runoff to enter the stream. In Temple, we offered feedback on a proposed development near Blood Brook, a tributary of the Souhegan River, raising concerns about potential impacts on water quality.

Significant progress was made in developing the Corridor Management Plan. In collaboration with the Nashua Regional Planning Commission (NRPC), we updated maps of the Souhegan River, conducted watershed surveys in each town, and performed a preliminary analysis of 20 years of precipitation and E. coli data collected by the Souhegan Watershed Association, revealing a correlation between precipitation levels and increased E. coli concentrations. We also refined the plan's major goals, focusing on identifying resources, best practices and issues concerning the river and watershed. A major objective is to provide the Corridor Management Plan as a resource for towns and inclusion into town Master Plans to provide the best practices for a healthy Souhegan River.

SoRLAC is actively engaged in community outreach and environmental initiatives. We hosted booths at the Amherst 4th of July celebration and Wilton's Old Home Days, featuring information on the watershed and an EnviroScape model to engage the kids in the learning. Our members collaborated with the Boys and Girls Club in Milford and the Merrimack Watershed Council to explore riverbank restoration activities along the Souhegan River to mitigate erosion. Members also joined the celebration of the ribbon cutting of the Souhegan River Trail in Merrimack.

Looking ahead, SoRLAC remains committed to its mission to protect and enhance the Souhegan River watershed. We will continue to collaborate with the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services' Rivers Program, review permits, and engage with our local communities to ensure the preservation of this vital resource.

Respectfully Submitted, *Cory Ritz*, Chairman



## 275<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee

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The 275th Anniversary Committee is thrilled to announce an exciting year of celebrations planned for 2025 to honor New Ipswich's rich history and vibrant community. Mark your calendars and get ready for a year filled with fun and nostalgia!

We've got something for everyone:

- Family photo sessions and old-time photo opportunities to capture your memories.
- A charming picnic at the Barrett House.
- A lively contra dance that will have you tapping your toes.
- A chili cook-off to showcase our town's culinary talents.
- A thrilling scavenger hunt for adventurers of all ages.
- Commemorative Christmas ornaments to cherish the milestone.
- Decorative banners that will add a festive touch to the entire town!

The highlight of our celebrations will coincide with Autumnfest on October 4, 2025, a day packed with festivities to bring the entire community together.

We need *you* to make this celebration truly unforgettable! The committee is seeking volunteers to help organize and run the many events scheduled throughout the year. We're also looking for local businesses and residents to sponsor the festivities, whether you want to support in general or back a specific event.

Let's come together to celebrate 275 years of community, history, and tradition in New Ipswich! For more details or to get involved, visit our website or email us at [townadmin@newipswichnh.gov](mailto:townadmin@newipswichnh.gov).

Let's make 2025 a year to remember!

Respectfully submitted,

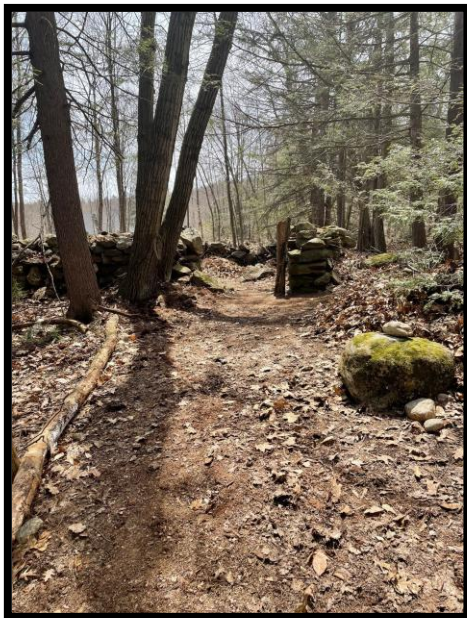
*The 275<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee*

## Heritage Commission

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The mission of the New Ipswich Heritage Commission, as outlined in Chapter 674:44 of New Hampshire Statute Title LXIV (Planning and Zoning), is to raise public awareness and appreciation of our historic properties and places. To achieve this, the Commission will catalog the community's cultural resources, conduct research, and publish findings on structures or areas of historical significance. The Commission may also accept gifts of money and property, both real and personal, on behalf of the Town, with approval from the Town Selectmen. Additionally, the New Ipswich Heritage Commission will serve as a resource to the Planning Board and other town agencies when addressing the town's cultural and historical resources.

In 2024, the Heritage Commission focused on two of our historic landmarks, the Town Pound and the Old Town Hall. Both sites are on the National Register of Historic Places.



The Town Pound, erected in 1784, was used to contain livestock that wandered off their property. Livestock owners were required to pay for any damage caused by their animals, along with a holding fee, before retrieving their animals. A recent assessment of the Town Pound revealed that the area required attention. Having been neglected for some time, the property had become overgrown. The gate is beyond repair and will need to be replaced, the stone pen requires adjustment and repair, and signage will need to be created to highlight the historic significance of the Town Pound. Our first step in 2024 was to conduct a major cleanup, removing invasive plants, saplings, and debris. In 2025, we will proceed with the necessary repairs and install the signage to preserve the site and recognize its historic importance to our town. We will also ensure that the Town Pound is properly maintained moving forward.

The 'Old' Town Hall, built in 1817, originally served as the Town Hall before becoming a shared space with two floors—one for the Town Hall and the other as the first location of the Appleton Academy. Over the years, it has been used as a public venue for events, movies, and even as a gymnasium. To preserve the structure, we have repaired the building's sill and are now focusing on its restoration. In 2024, we applied for and were honored to be selected as one of the 'Seven to Save' structures by the New Hampshire Preservation Alliance (NHPA). This prestigious designation brings us invaluable guidance, expertise, and potential resources to help restore the Old Town Hall and revitalize it for public use. We are deeply grateful to the New Hampshire Preservation Alliance for their support and dedication to preserving our town's rich history.



## **Heritage Commission (cont.)**

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As we move forward with the preservation and restoration of the Town Pound and Town Hall, the Heritage Commission is actively seeking generous donations to continue this important work. These historic landmarks are invaluable pieces of our community's heritage and maintaining them requires ongoing effort and resources. We invite individuals, businesses, and organizations to consider making a financial contribution to help fund these projects. Donations of any size are deeply appreciated and will directly impact on the future of these historic sites. If you are interested in contributing, please contact the Heritage Commission at [townadmin@newipswichnh.gov](mailto:townadmin@newipswichnh.gov), or visit our website.

Respectfully submitted,

*Fran Atchinson*, Chairperson

## Green Center

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The Green Center continued in 2024 in its two-fold purpose; to provide a location for residents of New Ipswich and Greenville to donate their unwanted but usable household items and clothing, and to make those items available to residents for shopping, all free of charge. We have completed fifteen years of service to the two communities, and plan to continue for many years to come.

The Green Center is in Building #3, adjacent to the Highway Garage. It is a town-owned building. We continue to be grateful to the Board of Selectmen for their support of our occupancy there. It is open for shopping every other Saturday morning from 9AM – 12PM. For drop-off of donations the same Saturdays from 1PM – 3PM. Exceptions may occur around major holidays, so check the town website or the sign on the Green Center door if unsure. There are also printed schedule handouts available on our counter to take with you. There are some items that, due to space and storage constraints, we cannot accept. We ask that you not bring the following: electronics (tv's, computers, printers); baby car seats older than 5 years; furniture; encyclopedias and reference books; and large Christmas trees (until October).

This year we were happy to welcome many new faces as well as those familiar to us. On many sunny Saturdays we put merchandise outside in our “yard sale” which helps it to be seen and accessed easily and move on to new homes. We received multiple compliments on how organized everything is in the Green Center. That is due entirely to our amazing volunteer staff who work so hard between open Saturdays to sort, organize, and display all the donated items. This is no small task! Our continued sincere thanks to each volunteer who contributes uniquely to the spirit and purpose of the Green Center.

And to all our customers – whether you shop or donate or both – thank you for your patronage, your good humor, and your encouragement. And two things that we ask of you:

1 – that all donations be CLEAN and in good, reusable, and working condition.

2 – that no donations ever be just left outside our door. Volunteers are not at the Green Center full time. Your items left outside will be ruined by the weather.

If you are able, please consider contributing to our donation jar. Your contributions help with the considerable cost of trash removal. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

*Tina Somero and Elaine Danisienka, Co-Liaisons to the Selectmen*

## Library

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Another year has come and gone at the library. We have undergone a lot of changes this past year, the biggest of which was the addition of a new Director, Melanie Kane. Melanie has been a long-time resident of town and works as a paraprofessional in the local schools. We hired a new Story Time Coordinator who has brought new life to this long-standing beloved program. Under the direction of the new Director there have been new additions to the programming offered by pairing up with The River Center and Millipore Sigma. We were also able to make a physical change to an unused portion of the basement through utilizing a grant and adding much needed storage space. We were able to spend the rest of our technological grant on technological improvements.

Our Friends of the Library (FOL) have been going strong and have held several events this year, including participating in the Town Wide Yard Sale and Autumn Fest. The goal of the FOL for the year 2025 is to work on getting out a new email newsletter.

The Library, the Board of Trustees and all its employees would like to thank the community for your continued support of our little library. We hope that you will visit in the upcoming year to see all the improvements that have been made or to attend a program.

Respectfully submitted,

*Melanie Kane, Director*

## Vital Statistics - Births

Child's Name	Birth Date	Birth Place	Father's/Parent's Name	Mother's/Parent's Name
MUONEN, NAKOA MASON	01/06/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	MUONEN, MASON JEFFREY	MUONEN, EMMA MILDRED
RINES, COLTER BRENT	01/08/2024	MANCHESTER, NH	RINES, JALEN KEVIN	RINES, SHAWNTEL ROSE
CORMIER, PENELOPE ROSE	01/12/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	CORMIER, NICHOLAS LEE	CORMIER, STEPHANIE ANN
DOWNEN, BABY GIRL	01/26/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	DOWNEN, CHRISTOPHER EVAN	DOWNEN, AIMEE JOY
DOWNEN, SAGE EVAN	01/26/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	DOWNEN, CHRISTOPHER EVAN	DOWNEN, AIMEE JOY
HERSEY, VIOLET RAE	01/28/2024	NASHUA, NH	HERSEY, BENJAMIN TY	FORGUE, BRIANNA LEE
AHO, WILSON HAYES	02/03/2024	NASHUA, NH	AHO, KYLE JAMES	AHO, MACEY BROOKE
ARPIN, MILA ELIZABETH	02/08/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	ARPIN, RUSSELL REED	ARPIN, ERICA ELIZABETH
BURGOS SANTIAGO, SCARLETT DENISE	02/11/2024	NASHUA, NH	BURGOS SANTIAGO, JONY	ENGLISH, SABRINA CATHERINE
RODIER, MYLA ROSE	02/14/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	RODIER, ISAAC DAVID	LABRIE, BROOKELYN ROSE
EDEN, DAKOTA SKYE	02/17/2024	NASHUA, NH	EDEN, JERAN PAUL	ST AUBIN, KIMBERLY MARIE
POGORZELSKI, ZEKE SAMUEL	02/23/2024	MANCHESTER, NH	POGORZELSKI, JOHN PAUL	POGORZELSKI, ELIZABETH ALICE
RICHARDSON, BRADEN MICHAEL	02/24/2024	NASHUA, NH	RICHARDSON, MICHAEL JAMES	RICHARDSON, BOBBI LYNN
FOURNIER, FINNEGAN ATLAS	02/28/2024	KEENE, NH	FOURNIER, CURTIS RAYMOND	CAMPBELL, KIMBERLY ANN
JOSLIN, ROWAN DAVID	03/25/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	JOSLIN, NICO	SEPPALA, LINDSEY ANN
CHASSE, COLTON JOHN	03/25/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	CHASSE, BRANDON CURTIS	CHASSE, MELISSA
KETOLA, KIELO POSIE	04/01/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	KETOLA, TREYTON ABRAHAM	KETOLA, CAITLIN LEE
FEMINO, MARIE ELISABETH	04/10/2024	NEW IPSWICH, NH	FEMINO SR, JOHN ANGELO	FEMINO, BRITTANY MICHELLE
BORNEMAN, SPENCER ALLEN	04/16/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	BORNEMAN, SHAWN ALEX	BORNEMAN, KENDRA MARIE
DANIELS, THEODORE MATTHEW	04/23/2024	NASHUA, NH	DANIELS, MATTHEW THOMAS	DANIELS, KAYLA DELUCA
WEST, SAGE ELEANOR	04/26/2024	KEENE, NH	WEST, MICHAEL DAVID	WEST, KYLEE JEAN
SOMERO, ISAAK SHAUN	05/01/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH		HUTCHINSON-SOMERO, MADISSON GRACE
RAINEY, DAVID JOHN	05/13/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	RAINEY, TIMOTHY MICHAEL	RAINEY, SARIKA LYNN
VILLAMIZAR, ATLAS THEO	05/17/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	VILLAMIZAR, ANDREW BRYAN	VILLAMIZAR, ARIEL JUDITH
TRAFFIE, MILANI JOY	05/18/2024	MILFORD, NH	TRAFFIE, LOGAN JAMES	TRAFFIE, SHAINA JOY
MATSON, CAMDEN ROLAND	06/05/2024	NEW IPSWICH, NH	MATSON, TROY CONRAD	MATSON, LORI BETH
WHITE, PARKER LYNN	06/14/2024	LEBANON, NH	WHITE, TUCKER SHANE	WHITE, ASHLEY MARILYN
COTE, EMBER ROSE	06/22/2024	MANCHESTER, NH	COTE, JOSEPH THOMAS	COTE, ALEXANDRA ELIZABETH
KETOLA, PAIGE SOPHIA	06/26/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	KETOLA, BENJAMIN ARTHUR	KETOLA, ALISON DAWN
IGO, SAMUEL WESTON	07/04/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	IGO, NIKOLAS BROCK	IGO, NICOLE ALICIA
REED, EMILIA NOLEEN	07/09/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	REED, CHRISTOPHER EVAN	REED, CAITLYNN ALAINA
LAMBERT, RAE LYNN GRACE	07/10/2024	NASHUA, NH	LAMBERT, AUSTIN JAMES	SALMI, BAYLEIGH DALENE
Child's Name	Birth Date	Birth Place	Father's/Parent's Name	Mother's/Parent's Name
MORAN, TEDDY JOSEPH WILLIAM	07/24/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	MORAN, MATTHEW WAINO	MORAN, SIERRA CHRISTIAN ELIZABETH
MARLER, SOLANA JEAN	07/24/2024	LEBANON, NH	MARLER, JOSEPH DAYLE	MARLER, EMILY SUE
MORAN, ADALINE FAITH	07/31/2024	NEW IPSWICH, NH	MORAN, LUKE WILLIAM	MORAN, KAYLA MAY
DEMMA, BRAXTON MICHAEL	08/06/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	DEMMA, BRADLEY JO	DEMMA, HEATHER NICOLE
CURTIS, JACK ANDREW KIAH	08/11/2024	NASHUA, NH	CURTIS, ANDREW HARMON	CURTIS, LANI MICHELLE
BRANDON, GENEVIEVE LAURA ISABEL	08/17/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	BRANDON, JOHN FRANCIS GREEY	BRANDON, ANNE CATHERINE
BURKE III, KELLY PATRICK	08/23/2024	MANCHESTER, NH	BURKE JR, KELLY PATRICK	BURKE, REBECCA ELIZABETH
KETOLA, BRENT ARTHUR	09/16/2024	NASHUA, NH	KETOLA, MICAH NELS	KETOLA, BARBARA ANN
SOMERO, KELSEY ANN	09/20/2024	NEW IPSWICH, NH	SOMERO, REUBEN ROGER ALBERT	SOMERO, MEGHAN JOY
BERRIGAN, ATTICUS FOX	10/01/2024	NEW IPSWICH, NH	BERRIGAN, KEITH MICHAEL	BERRIGAN, RHIANNA KELLIE
COPONEN, JOLEEN RACHEL	10/04/2024	NEW IPSWICH, NH	COPONEN, HARLEY WALLACE	COPONEN, TINA MARIE
BARON, DAWSON JAMES	10/24/2024	NASHUA, NH	BARON, DAVID PAUL	BARON, TYLER ROSE
MARTYN, LENNON PEARL	10/24/2024	NASHUA, NH	MARTYN, DAVID DESMOND	MARTYN, ALYSON TAYLOR
SIMPSON, ABIGAIL VIOLET	10/26/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	SIMPSON, WESLEY TAYLOR	SIMPSON, REBECCA PAIGE
MUONEN, ELLA ROSE	10/28/2024	MILFORD, NH	MUONEN, TRAVIS DONALD	MUONEN, STACI LYNNE
SIKKILA, TORSTEN PAUL	10/29/2024	NASHUA, NH	SIKKILA, DANIEL JAMES	SIKKILA, MARITA LYNN
PHILLIPS, MONROE GRACE	11/17/2024	MILFORD, NH	PHILLIPS, MICHAEL RICHARD	PHILLIPS, AMBER JAYNE
SENNOTT, KALLAN JACOB	11/30/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	SENNOTT, JACOB HERMEL	SEIDENBERG, ALYSSA PAIGE
ROSEN LUND, KASEN KYLE	12/06/2024	NASHUA, NH	ROSEN LUND, AARON KYLE	ROSEN LUND, DIANA LYNN
COPONEN, ALDER TIMOTHY	12/12/2024	NEW IPSWICH, NH	COPONEN, ELI WALTER	COPONEN, PRISCILLA KAY
MORAN, BARRICK BOWEN	12/14/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	MORAN, SAMUEL DAVID	MORAN, PAIGE LEIGH
PARENT, NOLAN KEITH	12/20/2024	NASHUA, NH	PARENT, NATHAN KEVIN	PIERCE, JUSTINE ASHLEY
BARNES, ZADE DARES	12/23/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH		PINKERTON, CAILIN BROOKE
DEBETTENCOURT, ELEANORA GRACE	12/23/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	DEBETTENCOURT, ERIK TIMOTHY	HEIM, ABIGAIL SUZANNAH
CUNNINGHAM, KADE WILLIS	12/26/2024	PETERBOROUGH, NH	CUNNINGHAM SR, ROBERT SCOTT	HODGE, VICTORIA MARIE
MAHONEY, LUKAS JAMES	12/27/2024	NASHUA, NH	MAHONEY, BRIAN WILLIAM	WHEELER, ALEXA LEIGH
MARVUGLIO, VADA ROSE	12/29/2024	NASHUA, NH	MARVUGLIO, ANTHONY VINCENT	MARVUGLIO, CHRISTINA ELIZABETH

## Vital Statistics - Deaths

Decedent's Name	Death Date	Death Place	Father's/Parent's Name	Mother's/Parent's Name Prior to First Marriage/Civil Union	Military
FASANELLA, ROBERT ANTHONY	01/06/2024	NEW IPSWICH	FASANELLA, ROCKO	HENRY, MARION	N
FAFARD, MONIQUE C	01/10/2024	PETERBOROUGH	ROUSSEAU, HONORE	CAYER, MARIE	N
LITTLEFIELD, LAFORREST LUTHER	01/24/2024	NEW IPSWICH	LITTLEFIELD, STILLMAN	MOODY, GEORGIA	N
CARR, JOELLEN	02/10/2024	PETERBOROUGH	JOHNSON, NILS	LUCE, DORIS ELLA	N
RAMSDELL, EDWARD SNYDER	02/11/2024	NASHUA	RAMSDELL, EDWARD	PETERSON, RUTH	Y
ST PIERRE, LYNNE M	02/18/2024	NEW IPSWICH	UNKNOWN, UNKNOWN	HARPER, LINDA	N
GRAVES, JUDITH LYNN	03/17/2024	MANCHESTER	SHIDELER, PHILIP	KLING, BEVERLY	N
STENUIS, FREDERICK WALTER MICHAEL	03/24/2024	PETERBOROUGH	STENUIS, FREDERICK	JONES, EDITH	Y
SIPONMAA, ERIK JASON	04/21/2024	NEW IPSWICH	SIPONMAA, ERKKI	POMERLEAU, SANDRA	N
DUDLEY, VERNON CRAIG	05/16/2024	MANCHESTER	DUDLEY, LEGRAND	HOBART, FRANCES	N
CLARK, ELEANOR R	06/24/2024	NEW IPSWICH	ACHORN, ORLANDO	ALLEN, VIOLET	N
DUDEN, GEORGE KENRUSS	06/24/2024	HILLSBOROUGH	DUDEN, GEORGE	CROSSLEY, GLADYS	N
WHITEHOUSE, KAREN MARIE	08/10/2024	NEW IPSWICH	BREAULT, ROGER	JOAQUIN, EVELYN	N
FELDHUSEN, JAMES NELSON	08/23/2024	NEW IPSWICH	FELDHUSEN, HERMAN	MALLONEE, JUDITH	N
SIGMAN, JEFFREY ROSARIO	09/09/2024	JAFFREY	SIGMAN, EUCLID	VALIDO, ANNLITA	N
HOISKA, TJALLING PETER	09/20/2024	PETERBOROUGH	HOISKA, BENTTI	KLINKER, ELAINE	N
LUNDGREN, DEVIN ROBERT	09/21/2024	NEW IPSWICH	LUNDGREN, DAVID	WEITZ, AUBREY	N
SCHILLER, ALRAUNE	09/30/2024	LEBANON	SCHEITER, ALBERT	RANDUS, MARIA	N
Decedent's Name	Death Date	Death Place	Father's/Parent's Name	Mother's/Parent's Name Prior to First Marriage/Civil Union	Military
FAFARD, MARY ROSE	11/11/2024	PETERBOROUGH	JOHNSON, EDWARD	WILLETT, ROSE	N
HOLMES SR, RAYMOND L	12/03/2024	PETERBOROUGH	HOLMES, FREDERICK	BRADLEY, IRENE	N
FALZONE, RUSSELL JOHN	12/06/2024	PETERBOROUGH	FALZONE, PASQUAL	UNKNOWN, HELEN	N
HALLGREN, MICHAEL PAUL	12/08/2024	NEW IPSWICH	HALLGREN, LEO	LAVALLEE, LOUISE	N
COFFEY JR, JAMES EDWARD	12/18/2024	PETERBOROUGH	COFFEY, JAMES	GEHART, EMMA	Y
MORRILL, ARTHUR FRANCIS	12/22/2024	PETERBOROUGH	MORRILL, FRANCIS	BEAUBIEAN, RUTH	Y



## Vital Statistics – Marriages

<b>Person A's Name and Residence</b> PLUMADORE, KRYSTLE LYNN NEW IPSWICH, NH	<b>Person B's Name and Residence</b> LANDRY, BRYAN ALLAN BROOKLINE, NH	<b>Town of Issuance</b> BROOKLINE	<b>Place of Marriage</b> BROOKLINE	<b>Date of Marriage</b> 09/21/2024
RODRIGUE, REECE NOLAN AUBURN, MAINE	FRENCH, ELLA SUE NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	GREENVILLE	09/27/2024
MEADE, DEANNA FAYE NEW IPSWICH, NH	COURTEMANCHE, SCOTT ALAN NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	RINDGE	09/29/2024
DEYOUNG JR, PETER GERARD NEW IPSWICH, NH	DANGO, ALEXIS NICOLE NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	RINDGE	10/04/2024
SEPPALA, MARSHALL CHASSELL, MICHIGAN	HANNU, ELSA NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	NEW IPSWICH	10/12/2024
BRADLEY, JONATHAN PIERCE LYNDEBOROUGH, NH	MACDONALD, VICTORIA ROSE NEW IPSWICH, NH	WILTON	LYNDEBOROUGH	10/21/2024
TRAFFIE, AVERY NEW IPSWICH, NH	HILL, MACY RINDGE, NH	NEW IPSWICH	JAFFREY	11/23/2024
UNDERHILL, BRIAN MARTIN NEW IPSWICH, NH	WAGNER, JORDAN TAYLOR NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	GOFFSTOWN	12/20/2024
<b>Person A's Name and Residence</b> KIRCHNER, MICHAEL NEW IPSWICH, NH	<b>Person B's Name and Residence</b> KELLOGG, DOREEN NEW IPSWICH, NH	<b>Town of Issuance</b> NEW IPSWICH	<b>Place of Marriage</b> HOOKSETT	<b>Date of Marriage</b> 02/10/2024
QUINN III, JOHN NEW IPSWICH, NH	MUKESHIMANA, MARIE CHANTAL NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	HILLSBOROUGH	03/15/2024
KROL, NIKOLAS JOHN NEW IPSWICH, NH	GOODSPEED, CHLOIE JOYCE NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	MILFORD	03/23/2024
GOODRICH, JACOB MARK SUNAPEE, NH	ROBICHAUD, MEGAN ASHLEY NEW IPSWICH, NH	SUNAPEE	NEW IPSWICH	05/24/2024
BANGS, DAVID ISAAC NEW IPSWICH, NH	PARSONS, CAROLINE YOUNG-AH NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	GREENFIELD	06/01/2024
SOMERO, DAVIN NEW IPSWICH, NH	MARTEL, ANNIKA NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	NEW IPSWICH	06/01/2024
TAPPLY, MARK JAMES NEW IPSWICH, NH	LORD, JENNIFER KAYE NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	GREENVILLE	06/03/2024
CHARLAND, EMMA ROSE NEW IPSWICH, NH	WILDES, CEDRIC WOLFGANG TEMPLE, NH	NEW IPSWICH	TEMPLE	06/04/2024
DAW, LYNNE ANNE NEW IPSWICH, NH	SCALES, MICHAEL PATRICK NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	NEW IPSWICH	06/23/2024
KRAPF, CADEN DANIEL NEW IPSWICH, NH	SOMERO, PAIGE KATHLEEN NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	NEW IPSWICH	06/29/2024
MAY, MICHAEL BRENDAN NEW IPSWICH, NH	CRANE, ELIZABETH ANN NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	NORTH HAMPTON	07/20/2024
SPEAR, AARON JEFFREY NEW IPSWICH, NH	SPOON, RAYNA JUDITH ROSE NEW IPSWICH, NH	JAFFREY	WILTON	07/21/2024
TRAFFIE, KENTON THEODORE NEW IPSWICH, NH	MUHONEN, MALIA LILY NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	FITZWILLIAM	08/04/2024
BORTH, LEVI WILLIAM IRONWOOD, MICHIGAN	MATSON, KAILYN APRIL NEW IPSWICH, NH	NEW IPSWICH	NEW IPSWICH	08/10/2024
SOULTANIAN, GRACE ELIZABETH AYER, MASSACHUSETTS	SHAW, BENJAMIN MACK NEW IPSWICH, NH	MASON	DURHAM	09/07/2024
AHO, TREY TIMOTHY RINDGE, NH	COPONEN, LINDSEY MAY NEW IPSWICH, NH	RINDGE	NEW IPSWICH	09/14/2024

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