ANNUAL TOWN REPORT
1990

Hampden, Massachusetts

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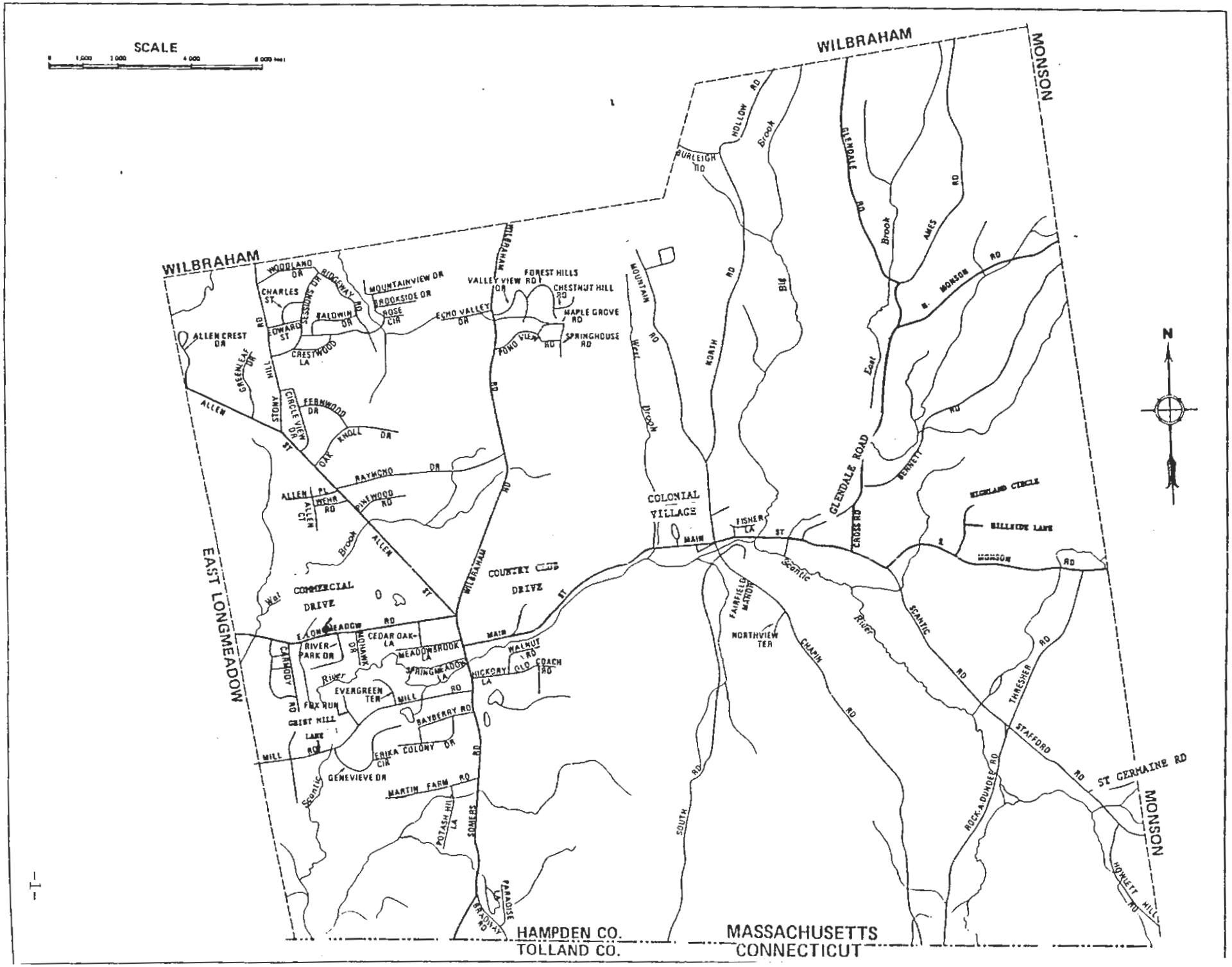
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WILBRAHAM
MONSON
EAST LONGMEADOW
HAMPDEN CO.
TOLLAND CO.
MASSACHUSETTS
CONNECTICUT
COLONIAL VILLAGE
COUNTRY CLUB DRIVE
COMMERCIAL DRIVE
GLENDALE ROAD
ST GERMAINE RD
N

IN MEMORIAM

ALICE MORIARTY

Hampden Garden Club

CARROLL A. WILLEY

Hampden Volunteer Fire Department
Hampden Historical Society
Scantic Senior Citizens

OPAL SAZAMA

Town Bus Driver

CHARLES H. THERRIEN

Hampden Town Fair Committee

WILLIAM J. JONES

Highway Department

THEODORE H. DAVIS, JR.

Custodian, Hampden Schools

BURTON W. VANDERWERKEN

Hampden Volunteer Fire Department

PAUL L. MARION

Hampden Business Association

VINCENT F. VILLANO

Hampden Electrical Committee

BYRON BROOKS

Custodian, Hampden Schools

Memoriam page
by Beth Berger

IN MEMORIAM

SHERWOOD W. CRONK

Selectman
Hampden Housing Authority
Hampden Lions Club
Hampden Garden Club
Hampden Winter Carnival Committee

JOSEPH R. JENNINGS

Hampden Town Counsel

EDWIN N. LOMBARD

Hampden School Committee
Writing Regional School Agreement
Regional School Committee
Planning Committee Green Meadows Elementary
Building Committee Minnechaug Regional
Hampden Council on Aging

WALTER M. ICKRATH

Selectman

WILLIAM H. BROWN

Hampden Volunteer Fire Department
Hampden Recreation Department

GEORGE D. FISHER, SR.

Hampden Lions Club
Hampden Volunteer Fire Department

MARIA L. DAVIS

Hampden Historical Society
Hampden Garden Club

Memoriam page
by Beth Berger

INFORMATION FOR HAMPDEN RESIDENTS

POPULATION OF HAMPDEN	Federal Census, 1/1/83	4745
	State Census, 1/1/85	4762
	Town Census, 1/1/90	4901
GEOGRAPHIC AREA	19.64 square miles	
COUNTY	Hampden County	
TAX RATE	$13.07 for Fiscal Year 1991	
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING	Last Monday in April at 8:00 pm	
ANNUAL ELECTION OF TOWN OFFICERS	First Monday in May, 8:00 am to 8:00 pm	

GOVERNOR

William F. Weld
Office of the Governor
Boston, MA 02133
Phone: 617-727-3600

U.S. SENATORS

Edward M. Kennedy
United States Senate
Russell Senate Office Bldg, Room 315
Phone: 202-224-4543
OR
2400 JFK Building, Room 409
Boston, MA 02203
Phone: 617-565-3170

John F. Kerry
Russell Senate Building, Room 421
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510
Phone: 202-224-2742
OR
145 State Street, Room 504
Springfield, MA 01103
Phone: 413-785-4610

CONGRESSMAN

Richard E. Neal
437 Cannon House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515
Phone: 202-225-5601
OR
District Office:
Federal Building, Room 309
1550 Main Street
Springfield, MA 01103
Phone: 413-785-0325

STATE SENATOR

Brian Lees
Hampden District
State House, Room 313
Boston, MA 02133
Phone: 617-722-1291
OR
District Office:
10 Parker Street
Indian Orchard, MA 01151
Phone: 413-543-2167

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Iris K. Holland
2nd Hampden District
State House, Room 448
Boston, MA 02133
Phone: 617-722-2676
OR
Residence: 38 Hazelwood Avenue
Longmeadow, MA 01106
Phone: 567-1529

INFORMATION FOR HAMPDEN RESIDENTS

BUSINESS HOURS OF TOWN OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
Office hours: Monday through Friday
9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Meet every Monday at 7:00 pm
Phone: 566-2151

ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Meet 2nd Wednesday each month
@ 7:30 pm
Phone: 566-3214

TOWN CLERK -- RITA A. VAIL
Office hours: Monday through Thursday
9:00 am to 1:00 pm
Phone: 566-3214

TOWN TREASURER -- LUCILLE MULCAHY
Office hours: Monday through Thursday
9:00 am to 1:00 pm
Phone: 566-2401

TAX COLLECTOR -- RITA A. VAIL
Office hours: Monday through Thursday
9:00 am to 1:00 pm
Phone: 566-2206

BOARD OF ASSESSORS
Office hours: Monday through Thursday
8:30 am to 2:30 pm
Open to public: Monday through Thursday
8:30 am to 12:00 noon
Meet 2nd Tuesday 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm
Phone: 566-3223

CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Meet 2nd Monday of month @ 7:00 pm
Phone: 566-3214

PLANNING BOARD
Meet 2nd & 4th Wednesday @ 7:30 pm
Phone: 566-2403
For appointment, call: 566-8591

PARK COMMISSION
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursday @ 7:30 pm
Phone: 566-3214

BOARD OF APPEALS
Meet 4th Tuesday @ 7:30 pm
Phone: 566-2403

BUILDING INSPECTOR
Office hours: Wednesday 4:00-6:00 pm
Phone: 566-2204

HAMPDEN SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:30 pm
Phone: 566-8814

REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Meet 2nd & 4th Monday at Superintendent's Office, Minnechaug @ 7:30 pm
Phone: 596-3884

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS
Meet 2nd Tuesday of January, April, July, October at 7:30 pm
Phone: 566-3304

COUNCIL ON AGING
Office hours: Monday through Friday
8:30 am to 3:30 pm
Meet 2nd Monday of month @ 2:00 pm
Phone: 566-5588

HAMPDEN HOUSING AUTHORITY
Meet 3rd Wednesday each month @ 9 am
Centennial Commons: 566-8157

TRUSTEES, HAMPDEN PUBLIC LIBRARY
Meet 3rd Wednesday of each month
Phone: 566-3047

HOURS OF HAMPDEN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY
Monday ..... 11:00 am to 8:30 pm
Wednesday ..... 11:00 am to 8:30 pm
Thursday ..... 11:00 am to 5:00 pm
Saturday ..... 10:00 am to 3:00 pm

LIBRARY CLOSED SATURDAYS FROM JUNE 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

HOURS OF SANITARY LANDFILL
Saturday ..... 7:00 am to 5:00 pm

Recycle .... second Saturday of month

HOURS OF LAUGHING BROOK
Tuesday through Sunday 10:00 am to 5:00 pm -- closed Mondays except holidays and closed Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years
Phone: 566-8034, 566-8035

VETERANS' SERVICES -- MARILYN BOLASKE
Office: 200 Main St., Monson
Phone: 267-9903

ELECTED TOWN OFFICIALS - 1990

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
BOARD OF HEALTH

John M. Flynn	1991
James D. Smith	1992
Richard R. Green	1993

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT TO BOARD OF SELECTMEN/HEALTH
Carol M. Keeney

SECRETARY TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN/HEALTH
Katharine D. Ashe

MODERATOR

Richard Patullo	1991

TOWN CLERK

Rita A. Vail	1992

TOWN TREASURER

Lucille Mulcahy	1992

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Rita A. Vail	1992

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Richard A. Jalbert, Chairman	1993
Stanley W. Witkop	1992
Henry P. Baush	1991

CLERK TO ASSESSORS
Laura P. Green

HAMPDEN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mary Ellen Glover, Chairman	1993
Eileen Nelson	1992
Francis Netherwood, Secretary	1991
Phillip Schneider	1991
Susan Graham	1992

HAMPDEN-WILBRAHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE

Yorke R. Phillips	1993

TRUSTEES, HAMPDEN PUBLIC LIBRARY

Beth E. Burger, Chairman	1993
Mary S. Barkhuff	1992
Elaine Kingsbury	1991

HAMPDEN HOUSING AUTHORITY

Florence E. Kirk, Chairperson	1995
Clifford E. Attleton, Treasurer	1993
Charles T. Schmitt, Asst.Treas.	1994
William J. Donnelly, Secretary	1991

CONSTABLES

Paul A. Bouchard	1992
Miles M. Hapgood, Jr.	1992
George K. Stone, Jr.	1992

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Robert F. Sazama, Jr.	1993
Richard A. Hatch	1991
Henry W. Dunwoody	1992

PLANNING BOARD

John D. Mikkola, Chairman	1994
Paul Robitaille	1991
Thomas E. Poulin	1995
Joseph A. Dolben	1991
Richard M. Brown	1991

CLERK TO PLANNING BOARD
Judith M. Jackson

PARK COMMISSIONERS

Maureen C. Coughlin, Chairman	1991
James Hughes	1991
Glennice Flynn	1993
David Kingsbury	1993
Joy Delina	1991

CLERK TO PARK COMMISSIONERS
Beverly Carroll

APPOINTED TOWN OFFICERS - 1990

TOWN ACCOUNTANT	
Clifford Bombard	1992
DOG OFFICERS	
Richard & Debra O'Connor	1991
FIRE CHIEF/FOREST FIRE WARDEN	
Lawrence Hatch	1991
INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS	
Robin Warner	1991
SUPT. OF INSECT PEST CONTROL	
James A. Reardon	1991
BOARD OF HEALTH AGENT	
Donald G. Kipetz	1991
VETERANS' GRAVE OFFICER	
Richard Wiencek	1991
VETERANS' BENEFITS AGENT	
Marilyn Bolaske	1991
ACTING CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR	
John M. Flynn	1991
SUPT. OF STREETS	
Dana Pixley	1991
POUND KEEPER & FIELD DRIVER	
Robin Warner	1991
FENCE VIEWERS	
John H. Field, II	1991
William H. Patric	1991
TOWN PROSECUTOR	
Richard T. Brown	1991
TOWN COUNSEL	
Bruce D. Clarkin	1991
PARKING CLERK	
Rita A. Vail	1991
ASSISTANT TREASURER	
Patricia Smith	1991
TREE WARDEN	
Dana Pixley	1991

BUILDING INSPECTOR	
Albert H. LaPlante	1991
ASSISTANT BUILDING INSPECTOR	
Richard Hatch	1991
ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR	
Richard Thayer	1991
PLUMBING INSPECTOR	
William P. Patullo	1991
ADVISORY COMMITTEE	
Gordon E. Clark, Chairman	1993
John M. O'Brien, Vice Chair.	1991
Lester F. Pauly	1991
Richard Jones	1993
Austin G. McKeon	1992
Evelyn Schmidt, Clerk	
BOARD OF APPEALS	
L. Jed Berliner, Chairman	1991
Kenneth Lefebvre, Vice Chair.	1993
John D. Flynn, Clerk	1992
Dalton Philpott	1993
Helena L. Kullberg	1993
Judith Jackson, Clerk	
ALTERNATES, BOARD OF APPEALS	
Richard Patullo	1992
Lawrence Smith	1993
David Scott	1993
ARTS LOTTERY COUNCIL	
Mary Grassetti	1992
Diane Knecht, Secretary	1992
Elizabeth Fenn	1992
Laura Chaffin	1992
Beth Burger	1992
Margaret Rochford	1992
James Hughes	1992
INSURANCE COMMITTEE	
Robert W. Clarke, Chairman	1991
Henry Hanmer	1991
John Bethel	1991
William Olmstead	1991

APPOINTED TOWN OFFICERS - 1990

CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

Bonnie Geromini, Co-Chair	1991
Richard Hatch, Co-Chair	1991
William Wilson	1993
Richard A. Gouvan	1993
Beverly Kirk	1992
Camilla J. Desmarais	1993
James McEwan	1993
Patricia Smith, Clerk	

CONSERVATION, ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

Clifford E. Keeney	1992
Jack Matthews	1993
Donald Dorn	1993
Mary Ann Hoyt	1993
Wayne Meisner	1993

COUNCIL ON AGING

John Sullivan, Chairman	1991
Dalton Philpott, Vice Chairman	1992
Judith Perusse, Secretary	1993
Albert L. Ouimet, Treasurer	1991
Harriet Hulse	1992
Louise Hurley	1993
Henry Dunwoody	1991
Eileen Robitaille	1992
William T. Olmstead	1992
Bob Bohlke, Hampden Rep to Board of Directors, Greater Spfld. Senior Services, Inc.	

DIRECTOR, COUNCIL ON AGING

Carolyn E. Brennan	1992

ELECTRIC COMMITTEE

George K. Stone, Jr.	1991
Richard Hatch	1991
Guy Bartolucci	1991
Raymond Shankel	1991

ENERGY COMMISSION

George Audren	1991
Walter Johnson	1992
Brian McQuillan	1993
Frank Krzanik	1991
Toi Graham	1991
Al Perusse	1992

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Arthur A. Booth, Jr.	1991
Elizabeth M. Wells	1992
Janet M. Redin	1993
Harold E. Miller, Assistant Registrar at Minnechaug	1993
Rita A. Vail, Clerk	

POLICE DEPARTMENT

CHIEF OF POLICE

George K. Stone, Jr.	1991

SERGEANTS

William J. Chechile	1991
Raymond A. Schmuck	1991

POLICE OFFICERS

Mark Reisner	1991
Jeffery Snow	1991
James Collins	1991
Anna Joubert	1991
Harold Swift, III	1991
Glen Clark	1991

DISPATCHERS Full-time

Paula Courtemanche	1991
Sandra Ely-Gregoire	1991
Linda J. Ely	1991
David M. Drasin	1991

DISPATCHERS Part-time

Faith Gentile	1991
Laurie Ryder	1991

RESERVE OFFICERS

Fred Lewenczuk	1991
Scott Mikkola	1991
Todd Ely	1991
Donna Vickery	1991
Richard Tardy	1991
Harlan Cross	1991
John Ryan	1991
Everett Walker	1991
Ronad Corriveau	1991
Laurie Ryder	1991

SECRETARY/CLERK TO POLICE DEPT.

Nancy Joy

APPOINTED TOWN OFFICERS - 1990

VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT.

Lawrence Hatch, Chief	1991
Robert Zepke, Assistant Chief	1991
Howard Cutting, Deputy Chief	1991
James Burns, Captain	1991
Ronald Warner, Lieutenant	1991
Paul Braman	1991
James Burns, Jr.	1991
Gordon Casey	1991
Francis Claing	1991
Donald Dickinson	1991
Edwin Dunlea	1991
Thomas Ferriter	1991
Michael Gorski	1991
Richard Harris	1991
Peter Hatch	1991
Richard Hatch	1991
Steven Hoadley	1991
James Ingraham	1991
Daniel Isham	1991
Albert Jones	1991
Henry Managre	1991
Wayne Meisner	1991
Charles Melville, Jr.	1991
William Patric	1991
Edward Poulin	1991
Thomas Poulin	1991
James Reardon	1991
Robert Sazama	1991
Robert Short	1991
Michael Sicbaldi	1991
Thomas Smith	1991
David Sutcliffe	1991
Charles Thans	1991
Richard Thayer	1991
Gordon Willcutt	1991
Irving Witkop	1991

AUXILIARY FIREMEN

William Brown, Jr.
Joseph Grant
Carl Hatch
Keith Isham
David Markham
Douglas McLean

IN RECOGNITION FOR THEIR YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE
TO THE TOWN OF HAMPDEN
THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN WISH TO ACKNOWLEDGE
THEIR APPRECIATION TO THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS

Gordon J. Willcutt, Building Inspector
Arthur Booth, Sr. - COA
Ida Lamb - COA
Mary Ellen Clark - COA
Mary E. Connors - Board of Registrars
Patricia Kirk - Board of Registrars
Flora M. Chechile - Adm. Asst. to Selectmen
Rudolph E. Longtin - Park Commission
Arthur R. Thomas - Park Commission
Ronald W. Morissette - Park Commission
Alan Fritts - Hampden School Committee
Donald J. Collins - Planning Board
Oliver M. Knode - Planning Board
Howard Gilson III - Conservation Commission

RECYCLE

SECOND SATURDAY OF MONTH AT LANDFILL, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

NEWSPAPERS	NEWSPRINT ONLY, TIE PAPERS IN BUNDLES OF APPROX. 6-INCHES NO FLYERS, GLOSSY CIRCULARS, MAGAZINES
CARDBOARD	CORRUGATED, CEREAL BOXES, DETERGENTS, ETC. NO WAXED CARDBOARD (i.e. frozen food containers)
ALUMINUM	SODA & BEER CANS, LAWN CHAIRS (minus webbing), STORM DOORS (minus glass & screens), GUTTERS, FOIL CONTAINERS
PLASTIC BOTTLES	SODA, MILK, ORANGE JUICE, DETERGENT, FABRIC SOFTENER, SHAMPOO, KETCHUP, SYRUP, PEANUT BUTTER, ETC.
STEEL CANS	SOUPS, VEGETABLE, JUICES, PET FOODS, ETC.
GLASS JARS & BOTTLES	REDEEMABLE BOTTLES (all colors) NON-REDEEMABLE BOTTLES (clear, brown, green)

ALL CONTAINERS MUST BE WASHED SO THERE IS NO RESIDUE LEFT INSIDE.

NO CONTAINERS THAT HELD HAZARDOUS MATERIAL.

CANCELLATION	IN THE EVENT OF INCLEMENT WEATHER, CANCELLATION NOTICE WILL BE BROADCAST: OVER RADIO STATIONS: WHYN, WMAS, WSPR OVER TV STATIONS: WGGB TV-40, WWLP TV-22 A SIGN WILL ALSO BE POSTED AT THE ENTRANCE TO LANDFILL.
WHITE GOODS & TIRES	THIS WILL AGAIN BE SCHEDULED FOR MAY; WATCH LOCAL PAPERS FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

RECYCLING P-2

During the first six months of voluntary participation, we collected:

42 tons of newspaper

16,000 pounds of other materials

Each month the total volume of materials collected is increasing.

Many people have asked where the materials go and what they are recycled into. The following is a brief explanation of each material.

Newspapers are delivered directly to a manufacturer of insultation.

Glass is crushed and used to make glass bottles and jars.

Aluminum goes to one of the aluminum companies where it is melted down and eventually becomes aluminum cans again.

Cardboard is ground up and re-made into heavy cardboard tubes used inside rugs, linoleum, paper towels, etc.

Plastic is ground up and used as filler in bean bag chairs, as imitation down filling for jackets, nylon thread, bottoms of 2-liter soda bottles, etc.

Steel cans are melted down and used in various steel products.

In the future, we hope to include even more items in our recycling program.

FEES FOR BUILDING, ELECTRICAL, PLUMBING, GAS, FIRE & HEALTH PERMITS

BUILDING PERMITS ☞ Al LaPlante, tel. 566-2204, 525-2506

Commercial/Industrial Building ($100 minimum) ..... 10 cents/sq.ft.

New House ($ 60 minimum) ..... 10 cents/sq.ft.

In the event of more than one unit per building, an additional fee of $4 per unit will be charged in addition to normal fee for new house

Alterations/Additions/Accessory Buildings ($ 25 minimum) ..... 10 cents/sq.ft.

Swimming Pool ..... $20.

Solid Fuel Stoves ..... $15.

ELECTRICAL PERMITS ☞ Dick Thayer, tel. 566-8042

Commercial/Industrial Building and Additions ..... $60.

New House ..... $40.

In the event of more than one unit per building, an additional fee of $4 per unit will be charged, in addition to normal fee for new house

Alterations, Re-wiring Existing Structure ..... $40.

Alterations, Change of Service, Temporary Service ..... $20.

Additions—added rooms, breezeway, garage, etc. ..... $20.

Swimming Pool, Appliance ..... $20.

PLUMBING PERMITS ☞ Bill Patullo, tel. 566-8118

Commercial/Industrial Building ..... $75.

New House ..... $50.

An additional fee of $2 per fixture over 10 fixtures will be charged, in addition to the normal fee of $50 per building

Additions - additional charges as above ..... $30.

Swimming Pool ..... $20.

any swimming pool with a permanent plumbing connection is subject to a permit fee

GAS PERMITS ☞ Bill Patullo, tel. 566-8118

All Gas Permits ..... $20.

In the event of multiple occupancy or multi-unit dwellings, the charge will be $20 per meter up to five fixtures; above that, the fee will be $2 per fixture.

SOLAR PERMIT

Permits for solar installations will be based on the categories contained in the columns for Building, Electrical & Plumbing.

FIRE PERMITS ☞ Chief Larry Hatch, tel. 566-3314

Smoke Detector Inspection (New House) ..... $15.

Smoke Detector Inspection (Real Estate Transfer) ..... $15.

Oil Burner Inspection ..... $15.

Blasting Permit (Fire Chief) ..... $10.

Renewal of Smokeless Powder (Fire Chief) ..... $ 5

LP Gas Storage Permits (Fire Chief) $15

Underground Storage Tank Installation (Fire Chief) $10

Underground Storage Tank Removal (Fire Chief) ..... $40.

CALL-BACK FEES

Call-back fees for Electrical, Plumbing, Building & Fire Inspectors $15

BOARD OF HEALTH ☞ Donald Kipetz, tel. 566-2151

Percolation Test Permit $35

Septic Tank Installation Permit (new or repair) $50

Well Permit $20

Feb. 1, 1991

PROCEDURE FOR OBTAINING A BUILDING PERMIT

The following is an outline of the steps that must be taken in order to secure a building permit, including the necessary supplementary permits or approvals, as may be required. The Board of Selectmen hopes that this procedure will eliminate confusion which might otherwise arise. Specific questions or a more indepth review of a particular department's requirements may be discussed with each inspector.

1. Planning Board

   Plot and building plans must be submitted to the Board for verification. If a lot meets zoning requirements, it is approved. Otherwise it will be necessary to contact the Board of Appeals.
   Contact the clerk for appointment:
   Judy Jackson 566-8591

2. Conservation Commission

   Verify with this Board if you are near or part of your property is in or near the Wetlands Area. If you have questions contact the clerk:
   Pat Smith 566-2206

3. Percolation Test

   Test dates are March 1st to May 15th. The Owner/Engineer arranges appointment for percolation with the Board of Health Agent and pays fee. Percolation test is valid for two (2) years from date of issue.

4. Well Permit

   Well installer submits to the Board of Health a permit and plan of property with well, septic system and house shown, at the time of application and with the permit fee.

5. Well Installation

   After the well is installed, the installer must file a Well Water Completion report with the Board of Health. Property owner must then have the water tested, with results sent to the Board of Health before a building permit will be issued.

6. Septic Application

   Engineer must submit septic design application to the Board of Health, signed, stamped and with the fee paid.

7. Septic Installation

   Septic Installer must be licensed by the Town of Hampden and must advise Board of Health before installation starts. Installation must be inspected by Board of Health Agent and Design Engineer before system is covered.

8. Septic Compliance

   Engineer and installer must sign Certificate of Compliance after the final inspection.

9. Building Department

   Complete the building permit application and submit to the Building Inspector with 2 sets of building, plot plans, along with the permit fee. The permit is valid for three (3) years from date of issue. If you have questions contact:
   Al LaPlante 566-2204

10. Electrical, Plumbing, Gas and Oil Burner Permits

    Requests for the above permits are to be submitted to the Building department, with the necessary fee. The applicant contacts the appropriate inspector with the inspection request. Building Inspector checks with other inspectors to make sure all the above procedures have been completed before issuing occupancy permit, as well as insuring that the house number is permanently found on the property and easily readable from the street.

Fees are shown on the reverse side, and if you have questions, or the Board of Selectmen may be of service, please contact us at the Town House, 566-2151.

Rev. 1

ALL FEES ARE PAYABLE TO THE TOWN OF HAMPDEN

2-7-91

MINUTES -- ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, April 30, 1990 290 Voters in attendance

Moderator, Richard Patullo, opened the Annual Town Meeting at 8:00 PM, recessed at 8:21 for the Special Town Meeting and resumed at 8:50 PM.

Article 1. The Town voted that the Annual Reports, as contained in the Annual Town Report for the year 1989 be accepted as printed.

Article 2. The Town voted that the sums of money shown in the column entitled Fiscal 1991 Recommended of the Supplementary Report and Recommendations of the Supplementary Report and Recommendations of the Hampden Advisory Committee, as amended, be granted and appropriated for the specific purposes designated and that the same be expended only for such purposes. Each number being considered a separate appropriation and that the Town raise and appropriate such sums as may be required to defray said charges for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1991.

The amounts, as amended, are as follows:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

1.0	Accountant	
	1.1 Salary	8,753
	1.2 Clerical	1,464
	1.3 Expenses	464
	Total Accountant	10,681
2.0	Advisory Committee	
	2.1 Clerical	2,406
	2.2 Expenses	170
	Total Advisory Committee	2,576
3.0	Appeals, Board of	
	3.1 Expenses	160
	3.2 Clerical	2,187
	Total Board of Appeals	2,347
4.0	Assessors, Board of	
	4.1 Salaries	7,313
	4.2 Clerical	10,945
	4.3 Expenses	2,000
	4.4 Data Processing	1,000
	4.5 Revaluation Update	1,700
	4.6 Mapping Maintenance	800
	4.7 Computer Maintenance & Supplies	500
	Total Assessors	24,258
5.0	Building Department Expenses	
	5.1 Code and General Enforcement	400
	5.2 Commissioner and Inspectors	15,000
	Total Building Department	15,400

6.0	County Retirement	118,591
7.0	Insurance	
	7.1 Property and Liability	80,000
	7.2 Employee Benefits	136,117
	7.3 Unemployment Comp	883
	Total Insurance	217,000
8.0	Law and Claims	
	8.1 General	820
	8.2 Town Counsel	14,223
	8.3 Town Prosecutor	4,166
	8.4 Legal Services	600
	Total Law and Claims	19,809
9.0	Moderator	
	9.1 Salary	137
	9.2 Expenses	8
	Total Moderator	145
10.0	Planning Board	
	10.1 Engineer	200
	10.2 Clerical	6,219
	10.3 Expenses	360
	10.4 Master Plan	
	Total Planning Board	6,779
11.0	Registrars, Board of (Voters)	
	11.1 Salaries	544
	11.2 Election Expenses	2,800
	11.3 Street Lists	1,600
	Total Registrars	4,944
12.0	Selectmen	
	12.1 Salaries	5,365
	12.2 Secretarial	20,000
	12.3 Clerical	12,704
	12.4 Expenses	1,600
	12.5 Legal Advertising	400
	12.6 Computer Study Comm.	
	Total Selectmen	40,069
13.0	Taxes, Collector	
	13.1 Salary	12,224
	13.2 Expenses	1,500
	13.3 Clerical	2,076
	13.4 Bank Charges	
	Total Tax Collector	15,800
14.0	Town Clerk	
	14.1 Salary	12,224
	14.2 Expenses	800
	14.3 Clerical	2,076
	Total Town Clerk	15,100

15.0	Town Report	2,632	
16.0	Treasurer		
	16.1 Salary	13,147	
	16.2 Expenses	1,000	
	16.3 Payroll Service	3,328	
	16.4 Certifying Notes	100	
	16.5 Interest on Loan - (Short term)	10,000	
	16.6 Tax Title Expense		
	16.7 Clerical	2,076	
	16.8 Bank Charges	1,700	
	Total Treasurer	31,351	
17.0	Veterans' Benefits	6,500	
			533,982 Total General Government

GENERAL TOWN SERVICE

20.0	Academy Hall Maintenance	1,410	
21.0	Cemetery Commission	80	
22.0	Conservation Commission		
	22.1 Clerical	1,312	
	22.2 Expenses	450	
	Total Conservation Commission	1,762	
22.5	Council on Aging		
	22.6 Director's Salary	15,151	
	22.7 Expenses	2,290	
	22.8 Mini-Bus Maintenance	320	
	Total Council on Aging	17,761	
23.0	Sanitary Land Fill	35,000	
24.0	Dutch Elm Disease	405	
25.0	Insect Pest Control	300	
26.0	Library		
	26.1 Salaries	36,030	
	26.2 Expenses	2,248	
	26.3 Books & Periodicals	10,612	
	26.4 Maintenance Contracts	500	
	Total Library	47,058	
		49,390	-- with 2,332 of State Aid
27.0	Momorial Day	658	
28.0	Energy Commission		
29.0	Office Equipment		
	29.1 Acquisition	500	
	29.2 Maintenance	1,128	

	29.3	Supplies	3,910
	29.4	Postage	4,850
	Total Office Equipment		10,388
30.0	Parks and Recreation		
	30.1	Salaries	13,454
	30.2	Operating Expenses	5,360
	30.3	Capital Improvements	
	30.4	Recreation Association of Hampden - Baseball	1,252
	30.5	Recreation Association of Hampden - Softball	172
	30.6	Recreation Association of Hampden - Girls' Soccer	500
	30.7	Recreation Association of Hampden - Boys' Soccer	500
	30.8	Recreation Association of Hampden - Basketball	948
	Total Parks & Recreation		22,186
31.0	Public Grounds		25,490
32.0	Town House Maintenance		
	32.1	Custodial	13,843
	32.2	Maintenance & Repairs	4,000
	32.3	Heat & Utilities	15,500
	Total Town House Maintenance		33,343
33.0	Tree Warden		
	33.1	Expenses	2,000
	33.2	Planting Trees	
	Total Tree Warden		2,000

197,841 Total General Town Services

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

40.0	Superintendent's Salary	30,118
41.0	Highway Construction Special Articles	
42.0	Highway Maintenance	60,225
43.0	General Highway Expense	48,500
44.0	Snow and Ice Removal	29,074
45.0	Street Sweeping and Catch Basin Cleaning	6,500
46.0	Other Highway Accounts	
	46.1 Highway Engineering	1,326
	46.2 Road Machinery Maintenance	9,000
	46.3 Town Garage Maintenance	3,000
	Total Other Highway	13,326

47.0	Other Town Expenses		
	47.1 Gasoline	18,000	
	47.2 Street Lighting	13,000	
	Total Other Town	31,000	
			218,743 Total Town Highway
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY			
50.0	Animal Inspection		
	50.1 Wages	549	
	50.2 Expenses	240	
	Total Animal Inspection	789	
51.0	Civil Defense Supplies	10	
52.0	Dog Officer		
	52.1 Animal Control Account	6,500	
	52.2 Dog Damage Fund	300	
	Total Dog Officer	6,800	
53.0	Fire Department		
	53.1 Fire Chief Salary	478	
	53.2 Fire Chief Expenses	120	
	53.3 Operation	18,000	
	Total Fire Department	18,598	
54.0	Forest Fires	1,300	
55.0	Forest Fire Warden	313	
56.0	Health, Board of		
	56.1 Salary	2,276	
	56.2 Expenses	4,516	
	Total Board of Health	6,792	
57.0	Police		
	57.1 Chief's Salary	37,986	
	57.2 Salaries	351,644	
	57.3 Maintenance of Cruisers	7,000	
	57.4 Other Expenses	15,000	
	57.5 New Cruiser	14,000	
	57.6 Training	12,000	
	57.7 Equipment	800	
	57.8 LEAA Funds	250	
58.0	Other Police Accounts		
	58.1 Elections	560	
	58.2 Towing	250	
59.0	Parking Clerk		
	Total Police	439,490	
			474,092 Total Protection

SCHOOLS

60.0 Administration

61.0 Instruction

62.0 Other School Services

63.0 Operation and Maintenance

64.0 Community Programs

65.0 Aquisition of Fixed Assets

66.0 Programs with Other Districts

Total Local School Operation		2,249,375
67.0 Special Accounts		
67.1 Negotiating Fees		4,000
67.2 Unemployment Compensation		3,000
67.3 Energy Conservation		2,500
67.4 Asbestos Management		2,500
Total Special Accounts		12,000
Total Local School		2,261,375
69.0 Regional School District		
69.1 Assessment		972,533
	3,233,908 Total Schools	
	4,655,566 Sub Total	
70.0 Local Government Debt		
70.1 Principal		280,000
70.2 Interest		105,600
Total Government Debt		385,600
	GRAND TOTAL	$5,044,166

Article 3. The Town voted unanimously to authorize the payment of $2,959 for Workman's Compensation Audit bill and vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,959 for this purpose.

Article 4. The Town voted to raise $63,211, for necessary road work on North Road, South Road, Bennett Road or other roads as necessary; the sum of $15,804 to be raised and appropriated and the sum of $47,407 be borrowed under Chapter 44, Section 6A, said borrowing to be discharged by the proceeds of any reimbursement by the Commonwealth; said appropriation of $15,804 to be subject to a positive referendum vote on a levy override.

Yes: 116 No: 14