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ANNUAL REPORT
1984

TOWN OF MENDON
MASSACHUSETTS

Police Department	473-2727
Fire Department	473-3434
Town Clerk	473-1085
Board of Selectmen	473-2312
Assessors Office	473-2738
Board of Health	473-2679
Tax Collector	473-6410
Highway Department	473-0737
Taft Public Library	473-3259
Henry P. Clough School	473-1768
Nipmuc Regional High School	473-0994
Mendon-Upton Regional School	
District Supt.	529-7729

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

of

Mendon, Massachusetts

including the report of the

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

for the

FINANCIAL YEAR July 1, 1983 - June 30, 1984
CALENDAR YEAR January 1, 1984 - December 31, 1984



Henry Putney Clough
1902 - 1984

With respect and affection, this Annual Report is dedicated to the memory of Henry P. Clough. An extraordinary teacher, civic leader, neighbor and friend, Mr. Clough is remembered for integrity, humility, simple wisdom, dry wit, and human kindness. He taught several generations of townspeople and touched countless lives. His civic pride, sacrificial spirit, and devotion to excellence are an enduring legacy to the Town of Mendon.

Born September 11, 1902 in Bow, New Hampshire, he attended Concord High School and Dartmouth College. He began teaching at Woodsville, N.H. and married Maude Laurance, a graduate of Bates College. In 1928, he came to Mendon where he was Principal of Mendon High School for thirty-two years. In 1960, he became Assistant Principal and head of the Mathematics Department of Nipmuc Regional High School.

He did graduate work at Harvard University and the University of N.H. where he received a Master's Degree in Education. He was a member of the Mendon Unitarian Church, a Past Master of Montgomery Lodge A.F. A.M. of Milford, and a Past Master of the Mendon Grange.

Until his retirement in 1967, he was active in civic affairs. He was Director of Civil Defense in World War II, Town Moderator, and Trustee of Taft Public Library. He was chairman of Mendon's 300th anniversary in 1967. After his retirement, the Mendon Center School was named the Henry P. Clough School in his honor.

ROBERT R. KELLY, Chairman
FREDERIC J. KELLEY, JR.
ROBERT CARON
Board of Selectmen

*** PROCLAMATION ***

Let it be known to all that this day, Saturday, August 25th, 1984, is set aside to be known as Mendon Senior Citizens Day. We, the Board of Selectmen, representing the people of Mendon, do hereby pay honor and tribute to all the Senior Citizens.

This order is to be placed in a conspicuous place and put in the Annual Town Report.

Per Order of
Board of Selectmen

Robert R. Kelly, *Chairman*
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.
Robert E. Caron, Jr.

TOWN OF MENDON

Town of Mendon Incorporated May 15, 1667

Population 3,099 — 1980 Census

Registered Voters — 1,874

Annual Election, First Monday in May

Annual Meeting

Succeeding Friday Evening after the First Monday in May

County Commissioners:

E. Paul Tinsley, <i>Chairman</i>	West Boylston
Paul X. Tivnan	Paxton
Francis J. Holloway	Shrewsbury

Third Congressional District:

Joseph D. Early	Worcester
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Worcester & Norfolk Senatorial District:

Louis P. Bertonazzi	Milford
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Tenth Worcester Representative District:

Representative in General Court	
Richard T. Moore	Uxbridge

Sheriff of Worcester County:

Theodore M. Herman	West Boylston
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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

David Denenberg

SELECTMEN

Robert R. Kelly, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1985
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.	Term Expires 1986
Robert Caron, Jr.	Term Expires 1987

TOWN CLERK

Helen Gibson	Term Expires 1985
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TOWN TREASURER-COLLECTOR

Thomas P. Guerra	Term Expires 1985
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ASSESSORS

Thomas D. Hackenson, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1985
Charles H. Wood	Term Expires 1986
Walter J. Channing	Term Expires 1987

BOARD OF HEALTH

Barbara J. Gilmore, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1987
William Butler	Term Expires 1985
Valerie R. Vincent	Term Expires 1986

REGIONAL DISTRICT SCHOOL COMMITTEE

MENDON MEMBERS

Frederick J. Pironti	Term Expires 1985
Joy J. DiLegge	Term Expires 1986
Brian Hastings	Term Expires 1987

BLACKSTONE VALLEY VOCATIONAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT - MENDON REPRESENTATIVE

J. Gerard Sweeney	Term Expires 1986
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TRUSTEES OF TAFT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Mary Szymczak	Term Expires 1985
Earl Rogers	Term Expires 1986
Albert Wilshire	Term Expires 1987

Dr. Charles R. Hand

WATER COMMISSIONERS

Donato F. Leone, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1985
Richard S. Ferrucci	Term Expires 1986
Linda Varney	Term Expires 1987

PARK COMMISSIONERS

David Weatherbee, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1987
Joseph Bishop	Term Expires 1985
James H. Grant	Term Expires 1986

TREE WARDEN

Howard F. Phipps	Term Expires 1986
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HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Francis Irons	Term Expires 1987
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PLANNING BOARD

Peter I. Denton, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1986
Norman I. Rogers	Term Expires 1989
Richard Quinlan	Term Expires 1985
James F. Ruhan	Term Expires 1988

HOUSING AUTHORITY

Peter I. Denton, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1989
Howard F. Miller, <i>Vice Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1985
David B. Lowell, <i>Treasurer</i>	Term Expires 1988
Joseph F. Bradley	Term Expires 1986
Florence Smith, <i>State Appointee</i>	Term Expires 1987

FENCE VIEWERS

Robert R. Kelly	Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.
Robert E. Caron, Jr.	

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY THE SELECTMEN

Chief of Police	George Larson
Town Counsel	Louis J. Noferi, Jr.
Dog Officer	Howard Miller
Wiring Inspector	Walter J. Channing
Assistant Wiring Inspector	Walter J. Butler, Jr.
Fire Chief & Forest Warden	Wesley Shattuck
Superintendent of Streets	Francis Irons
Custodian Solderis' and Sailors' Graves	Douglas Taylor
Surveyor of Wood and Bark	Irvine Broome
Veterans' Agent	Mary LaFlash
Director of Civil Defense	Francis Irons
Gas Inspector	Robert Rossetti
Moth Superintendent	Howard Phipps
Field Driver	Wesley T. Rogers
	Norman Cox
Building Commissioner	Thomas D. Hackenson

CONSTABLES

Paul Tyler	Philip Dunlavey	Donald Handley
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REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Frederick M. Magee	Shirley Phipps	Marion Reed
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FINANCE COMMITTEE

Sharon Cutler, <i>Chairman</i>	Lois Baldiga
John Palumbo	James Stewart
Robert Classon	Alfred S. Baptista

BOARD OF APPEALS

Roger Marquis	Carlisle Lee	Albert Shaheen
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Carlisle Lee

Alternates

Donald Kearsley

CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

R. Blaine Hawkes, <i>Chairman</i>	Richard M. Grady	
Grace Harde	Ian O. Denton	Dean Weigers

COUNCIL ON AGING

Evelyn F. Lamothe, <i>Chairman</i>	Helen Miller	
Louise A. Dautrich	Patricia Perna	
Marion Corcoran	Harold Metcalf	Donald J. Consoletti

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

David B. Lowell, <i>Chairman</i>	Howard Miller
Christopher Noonan	Arthur J. Ober

APPOINTED BY BOARD OF HEALTH

Plumbing Inspector	Robert J. Rossetti
Assistant Plumbing Inspector	Peter Allen
Health Agent	Joyce Gilmore
Burial Agent	Helen A. Gibson

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Dr. David Crisafulli

**CALENDAR YEAR
JANUARY 1984 - DECEMBER 1984**

**SALARY AND WAGES
OF TOWN EMPLOYEES**

		Paid Details*	
Robyn C. Abretti	Town Beach	931.89	
Anne C. Adams	Poll Worker	11.55	
Thomas A. Ambler	Town Beach	884.42	
Mary E. Ames	Poll Worker	66.62	
Robert J. Andreola, Jr.	Police Department	2,383.80	
J. Martin Auty	Police Department	22,646.71	6,798.16*
Mary C. Bacon	Clerk	412.11	
Shirley Barnes	Assessors Clerk	8,537.64	
John W. Baxter	Police Department	1,560.15	
Deborah Blicharz	Poll Worker	11.55	
Teresa Bosma	Poll Worker	164.45	
Dartha A. Broderick	Clerk	282.99	
Robert I. Broome	Fire Department	233.30	
Mark P. Bucchino	Police Department	3,280.77	
William W. Butler	Board of Health	175.00	
Americo M. Candela, Jr.	Highway & Fire Dept.	17,055.80	
Robert E. Caron, Jr.	Selectman	433.32	
Walter J. Channing	Assessor & Wire Insp.	1,100.00	
Douglas E. Coburn	Fire Department	93.90	
Edward S. Cole	Poll Worker	8.89	
Donald J. Consoletti	Poll Worker	124.95	
Henry F. Corcoran	Fire Department	305.70	
Marion M. Corcoran	Poll Worker	8.89	
Richard R. Corcoran	Fire Department	567.50	
Edgar J. Cram	Police Department	3,933.70	
Rita C. Cutler	Poll Worker	164.45	
Debra J. D'Alessandro	Poll Worker	11.55	
Mary T. Dean	Poll Worker	66.62	
Gioachino F. DeLuca	Fire Department	673.50	
Joseph M. DeLuca	Fire Department	286.60	
Diane R. Demers	Town Beach	684.60	
David Denenberg, Jr.	Moderator	35.00	
Peter I. Denton	Planning Board	200.00	
Charlene A. Doe	Poll Worker	20.44	
Cynthia N. Donatelli	Poll Worker	11.55	
Russell F. Dudley	Fire Department	554.70	
Philip G. Dunlavey	Police Department	18,347.52	6,129.00
Patricia Dwyer	Library Assistant	1,599.65	
Joan M. Eckert	Poll Worker	21.43	
Roseanna M. Elliot	Poll Worker	244.30	
Sandie A. Garner	Police Department	667.30	
Joy L. Gaskill	Answering Service	5,491.20	

Martha Gebelein	Answering Service	4,367.22	
Robert W. Geberlein	Fire Department	431.70	
Helen A. Gibson	Town Clerk & Clerk of Registrars	6,033.72	
Barbara J. Gilmore	Board of Health	2,544.98	
Joanne Goodnow	Poll Worker	87.36	
Cheryl A. Grady	Town Beach	562.80	
Dennis P. Grady	Police Department	22,369.80	3,815.50
Thomas M. Grady	Police Department	1,345.10	
Robert J. Gregoire	Police Department	1,273.55	
Ruth M. Guerra	Clerk-Deputy Tax Collector	7,345.39	
Thomas P. Guerra	Collector/Treasurer	7,700.02	
Thomas D. Hackenson	Assessor & Bldg. Comm.	3,705.00	
Thomas M. Hackenson	Poll Worker	8.89	
Donald A. Handley	Constable	20.00	
William J. Hazard	Poll Worker	186.44	
Francis A. Irons	Highway Superintendent & Civil Defense & Deputy Fire Chief	23,369.30	
Helen F. Irons	Poll Worker	124.95	
Eileen E. Johnson	Poll Worker	11.55	
Laurie Johnson	Town Beach	366.00	
Pauline M. Johnson	Poll Worker	72.54	
Helen A. Jordan	Poll Worker	11.55	
Irene M. Kaplan	Poll Worker	124.95	
Donald W. Kearsley	Custodian	2,465.94	
Erin Mary Kelley	Town Beach	1,980.00	
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.	Selectman	575.00	
Margaret M. Kelley	Poll Worker	66.62	
Robert R. Kelly	Selectman	466.66	
Ann M. Kingdon	Poll Worker	39.50	
Robert E. Klein, Sr.	Police Department	5,730.77	
Daniel LaBastie	Fire Department	559.90	
Linda A. LaBastie	Poll Worker	17.78	
Mary A. Laflash	Veterans Agent	1,200.00	
Paul A. LaPierre	Police Department	16,285.65	2,739.94
George C. Larson, Jr.	Police Department	25,784.98	
Paul Larson	Police Department	2,296.85	
Edmund J. Leighton, Jr.	Police Department	7,389.67	
Frederick M. Magee	Board of Registrars	85.00	
Thomas J. Malia	Police Department	4,606.28	
Dorothy Mantoni	Board of Registrars	164.45	
Blanche A. Marquis	Poll Worker	9.45	
Kimberly Marquis	Town Beach	354.38	
Eugene R. Marshall	Fire Department	555.10	
Scott R. Marshall	Fire Department	287.00	
Lucille Martin	Poll Worker	164.45	
Andrea J. Matott	Town Beach	945.00	
Susan M. Matott	Town Beach	819.00	
Howard F. Miller	Dog Officer	1,076.54	
Rolland J. Morin, Jr.	Selectman	233.34	

Lucille C. Nelson	Clerk	3,768.21	
Louis J. Noferi	Town Counsel	50.00	
Roger H. Oakley	Police Department	5,673.12	
Michael J. Pasacane	Police Department	3,067.40	
Michael B. Peloquin	Police Department	286.00	
Clarence R. Phipps	Selectman	95.82	
Howard F. Phipps	Tree Warden & Police Department	5,705.01	
Peggy A. Phipps	Police Department	912.04	
Shirley Phipps	Board of Registrars	85.00	
James P. Purcell	Administrative Ass't. Mendon, Millville, Upton	18,445.06	
Richard L. Quinlan	Planning Board	150.00	
Rita Marion Reed	Board of Registrars	85.00	
Lorna F. Rhodes	Librarian	1,700.00	
Anne E. Ries	Poll Worker	88.34	
Norman I. Rogers	Planning Board	150.00	
Wesley T. Rogers	Animal Inspector	225.00	
Robert J. Rossetti	Gas Inspector	400.00	
Kevin J. Roy	Fire Department	298.80	
James F. Ruhan	Planning Board	150.00	
David D. Shane	Police Department	5,072.12	
Marjorie H. Shattuck	Answering Service	5,362.50	
Wesley C. Shattuck	Fire Chief	1,966.50	
Patricia A. Shea	Poll Worker	8.89	
Florence Smith	Poll Worker	48.84	
Mary H. Smith	Poll Worker	11.55	
Margaret R. Stewart	Poll Worker	11.55	
Melissa M. Stone	Town Beach	1,016.26	
Gregory L. Stratman	Police Department	15,427.98	3,910.41
Margaret M. Sweeney	Poll Worker	20.44	
Austin B. Taft, Jr.	Highway & Fire Dept.	18,158.28	
Ellery F. Taft	Fire Department	223.60	
Gary R. Taft	Library	425.00	
Madeline L. Taft	Poll Worker	31.61	
Warren D. Taft	Police Department	5,888.60	
Lois J. Taylor	Poll Worker	54.02	
Joseph N. Testa	Police Department	4,765.85	
Aldore E. Tetreault	Fire Department	200.40	
Leo L. Tetreault, Jr.	Fire & Highway Dept.	16,837.03	
Margaret A. Tetreault	Poll Worker	11.55	
Michael A. Tetreault	Fire Department	648.30	
Teresa M. Tycks	Poll Worker	17.78	
Paul R. Tyler	Constable	31.55	
Valerie R. Vincent	Board of Health	150.00	
Geraldine R. Wallace	Town Accountant & Administrative Ass't.	10,751.60	
Stanley J. Wojnowski	Fire Department	265.50	
Charles H. Wood	Assessor	600.00	

*Paid Detail for Regular Officers

Paid Detail for Reserve included in their wages but not separated

SALARIES AND WAGES OF SCHOOL EMPLOYEES

ORGANIZATION SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mrs. Joy DiLegge, <i>Chairman</i>		Term Expires 1986
Mr. John Morrel, <i>Vice Chairman</i>		Term Expires 1986
Mr. William C. Young, <i>Treasurer</i>		Term Expires 1985
Mr. Frederick J. Pironti, <i>Secretary</i>		Term Expires 1985
Mr. Brian Hastings		Term Expires 1987
Mr. Donald Troast		Term Expires 1987
Dr. David A. Crisafulli	\$44,000.00	Superintendent
Mrs. Edith M. Lebel	\$14,750.00	Superintendent's Secretary
Mrs. Helen L. LaRose	\$14,400.00	Financial Clerk
Mrs. Anne R. Fagnant	\$4.50/hr.	Part-time Clerk
Mr. Anthony H. Gulla, Jr.	\$38,518.50	Principal, Nipmuc Regional
	High	High School
Mr. Allan J. Byrne	\$36,769.95	Assistant Principal,
		Nipmuc Regional High School
Mrs. Mary A. Morin	\$12,584.00	Secretary, Nipmuc
		Regional High School
Mr. William Milligan	\$33,382.70	Principal, Miscoe Hill
		Middle School
Mrs. Lois J. Taylor	\$12,584.00	Secretary, Miscoe Hill
		Middle School
Mr. Edward M. Soter	\$36,769.95	Principal, Memorial and
		Henry P. Clough School
Mrs. Betty Jane Mott	\$ 7,035.00	Secretary, Memorial School
Mrs. Ruth O'Grady	\$ 7,035.00	Secretary, Henry P. Clough
		School
Mrs. Maryellen Gray	\$36,769.95	Pupil Personnel Director,
		Mendon-Upton School District
Mrs. Carolyn Barrows	\$ 6,835.00	Secretary of Pupil Personnel
		Mendon-Upton School District
Dr. Herrick Hawkins	\$26,708.00	Health Education Specialist,
		Mendon-Upton School District
Stephen Gressak	\$27,237.00	Counselor, Mendon-Upton
		School District
Gordon C. Merten	\$27,237.00	Counselor, Mendon-Upton
		School District

FACULTY — HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL

Elaine Cook	\$3.71/hr.		Aide
Cythia Donatelli	\$22,658.00	Kindergarten - Head Teacher	
Anita Espanet	\$22,658.00		Grade III
Diane Evans	\$22,658.00		Grade I
Harriet Fougere	\$22,658.00		Grade IV
Martha Grady	\$21,685.00		Grade III
Anne Gutterman	\$24,962.00		Grade II
Dorothy Hackenson	\$ 6,952.00	Kindergarten (aide)	
Naomi Howarth	\$24,962.00		Grade II
Sandra LaJoie	\$20,848.00	Learning Disabilities	
Karen Losin	\$14,802.00		Speech
Dianne Nydam	\$ 6,869.00		Grade II
Paula Pearlman	\$20,848.00		Grade IV
Paula Piggott	\$22,658.00		Grade I
Lise Tancrell	\$16,899.00		Language Class

FACULTY — MEMORIAL SCHOOL

Barbara Baggesen	\$22,658.00		Grade I
Joan Burrell ½ time	\$11,776.00	Kindergarten	
Katherine Craib	\$22,658.00		Grade III
Ruth Danforth	\$21,372.00		Grade I
Elaine Ford	\$23,552.00	Grade IV - Head Teacher	
Madeline Gallagher	\$22,658.00		Grade III
Karen Ippolito	\$ 9,557.00		Resource
Mary Kottis	\$22,658.00		Grade IV
Bonnie Laudon Fed. Grant	\$ 8,190.00		Psychologist
Donna Mattson	\$19,745.00		Guidance
Robert Nigro	\$22,658.00	Physical Education	
Debbe Paille	3.71/hr.		Aide
Elaine Porter	\$22,658.00		Grade II
Hazel Sadler	\$ 6,952.00	Kindergarten (aide)	
Mary Vaccaro	\$11,080.00		Title I
Joan Vigeant	\$23,951.00	Learning Disabilities	
Carolyn Wright	\$23,552.00		Grade II
Barbara E. Burke			Librarian
Elvira Townsend	\$15,674.00		School Nurse

FACULTY — MISCOE HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL

Priscilla Arbuckle	\$24,962.00	Speech & Language Pathologist	
Bradley Austin	\$22,658.00		Grade VII
Lisa Basile	\$19,912.00		Art
Susan Bertram	\$23,951.00		English
James Bianchi ½ time	\$ 7,051.00		Music
Jane Bodnar	\$19,223.00	Physical Education	
Lynne Caron	\$17,641.00		Resource
Katherine Clarke	\$21,092.00	Guidance Counselor	
Patricia DiAntonio	\$19,223.00		Grade VI

John Grady	\$22,658.00	Grade VIII
Richard Grady	\$24,962.00	Grade VI
Diane Grant	\$18,431.00	Grade VII
Mary Hurlburt	\$22,658.00	Grade V
Beverly Keeler	\$27,237.00	Grade VII
Kimberley Latimore pt-tm	\$ 5,068.00	Resource
Lorraine Loeper	\$17,641.00	Home Economics
Jill Magnuski	\$16,899.00	Resource
Daniel Malloy	\$25,679.00	Grade V
Henry Morel	\$23,951.00	Music-Dept. Head
Harold Murphy	\$25,679.00	Grade VII
Jan Nargi	\$19,745.00	School Adjustment Counselor
Frederick Oldfield	\$14,102.00	Grade V
Janet Porter	\$19,223.00	Grade VIII
Karen Presbrey	\$14,102.00	Aide
Lowell Rasmussen	\$21,372.00	Industrial Arts
Lorna Rhodes	\$22,658.00	Grade VII
Cynthia Robertson	\$25,679.00	Grade V
Alma Rousseau	\$23,552.00	Grade V
Judith (Bromley) Silva	\$15,499.00	Grade VI
Barbara Toland	\$22,658.00	Vocal Music
Kathleen Varney	\$14,802.00	Grade VII
Louis Villa	\$16,899.00	Grade VIII
Janet Weatherbee	\$17,641.00	Grade V
Ina Zibbell	\$18,114.00	Resource
Barbara E. Burke	\$17,641.00	Librarian
Cynthia Seitz	\$ 9,556.40	School Nurse

FACULTY — NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Jeffrey Allard	\$22,658.00	Biology
Richard Auger	\$23,552.00	Music Coordinator
Heidi Austin	\$19,223.00	Business Education
Peter Baszner	\$21,372.00	Special Education
Stephen Bodnar	\$25,679.00	Science - Dept. Head
Laurie Borek	\$22,658.00	Physical Education
William Cilley	\$24,962.00	Physics
Michael Clements	\$22,658.00	English
Arthur Courtman	\$27,871.00	Social Studies
Karen Fabian	\$19,223.00	Foreign Languages
Beverly Ferrucci	\$26,708.00	Mathematics - Dept. Head
Lucille Gilbert	\$27,237.00	Business Ed. - Dept. Head
James Grant	\$22,658.00	Social Studies
Judith Hingley	\$17,641.00	Business Education
John Lavoie	\$22,658.00	Industrial Arts - Metals
Eileen Lucier	\$25,679.00	English - Dept. Head
Paula Maloney	\$11,913.00	Home Economics
Gladys McGuinness	\$15,499.00	Home Economics
Martha Miles	\$23,552.00	Mathematics
Arlene Murray	\$22,658.00	Foreign Languages - Dept. Head
Johanne Oliveri	\$18,929.00	Team Chairperson

Carl Olson	\$23,552.00	Social Studies - Dept. Head
Dennis Page	\$21,685.00	Physical Education
Wayne Phipps	\$22,658.00	English
Richard Robinson	\$22,658.00	Ind. Arts - Dept. Head
Grenith Rose	\$27,237.00	Social Studies
Paul Salois	\$14,802.00	Industrial Arts - Drafting
Robert Smith	\$27,237.00	Social Studies
Kathleen Soja	\$23,047.00	Mathematics
Jean Warden	\$27,871.00	Mathematics
Marjorie Weed	\$22,658.00	Art Coordinator
Linda Wilde	\$27,871.00	English
Dorothy Smith	\$27,237.00	Librarian

CUSTODIANS

Nipmuc Regional High School

Richard Dow	\$10,316.80
Willard Kinnecome	4.10/hr.
Harold Nelson	3.81/hr.
Enrico Niro	
Head Custodian	\$17,856.23

Miscoe Hill Middle School

Francis Burke	\$11,706.56
William Hackenson	\$10,516.89
Enrico Niro - Head Custodian	
Alec Yones	4.83/hr.

Henry P. Clough School

Albert Bradley	4.04/hr.
William Hazard -	
Head Custodian	\$16,942.19
Fred Phipps	4.40/hr.

Memorial School

John Beder	4.10/hr.
Harold Francis -	
Head Custodian	\$14,147.00
Howard Spencer	4.40/hr.

CAFETERIA

Nipmuc Regional High School

Judith Baxter	4.50/hr.
Theresa Brochu	4.80/hr.
Charlene Doe	4.80/hr.
Susan Fields	4.80/hr.
Gladys King	4.60/hr.
Arlene LeClaire	4.80/hr.
Anne Malewicz	4.80/hr.
Muriel Mitchell -	
Cafeteria Manager	\$7,634.20
Carol Parker	4.50/hr.

Henry P. Clough School

Myrtle Garrett -	
Cafeteria Manager	\$7,168.70

Memorial School

Gail Hixon -	
Cafeteria Manager	\$7,168.70

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

We started the year with projection of a hectic time for all involved in elections. Nomination papers and registration of voters had the Board of Registrar's in the Town Hall performing their official acts with a grand total of 295 new voters registered for the year. The poll workers had four elections and for three of them the polls opened at 7 A.M. instead of the usual 9 A.M. as for the Town Election.

I wish at this time to thank all the elected and appointed officials for all the help given me during my 14 years of service. I will retire on June 30, 1985 and leave the office on May 6, 1985 when a new clerk will be elected to this office.

It has been a pleasure to serve as Town Clerk and I sincerely thank the registered voters for their votes during elections and all the residents for their kindness during my years of service.

There were 26 Births, 27 Marriages and 19 Deaths for 1984.

Monies received follows:

Dogs licenses	434	\$ 560.45 To Town Treasurer
Fish & Game		\$1,386.25 To Town Treasurer
Town Clerk's fee for the year		\$1,384.25 To the Commonwealth
		\$1,916.75

Respectfully submitted,

Helen A. Gibson

Town Clerk of Mendon

**TOWN OF MENDON
VITAL STATISTICS
1984 BIRTHS**

DATE	NAME OF CHILD	NAME OF PARENTS
January		
6	Amanda Danielle Hale	Kenneth Bruce Hale Linda Claire Merulla Hale
16	Joseph Anthony Moffett	William Jude Moffett Dorothy Ann Mazzarelli Moffett
February		
1	Chelsea Spindel	Ronald Roger Spindel Shirley White Spindel
18	Matthew Robert Bohne	Robert Donald Bohne Nancy Beth Kiriluk Bohne
March		
9	Michael Richard Schievink	Richard John Schievink Holly Joan Morelli Schievink
23	Jessica Kandace Carlson	Theodore Edwin Carlson Victoria Anne Purdy Carlson
29	Justin David Harvey	James Hyland Harvey Janice Ann Peterson Harvey
April		
10	Kurt Russel Lesniewski	Russel Stanley Lesniewski Cheryl Ann Donadio Lesniewski
16	Emily Anne Hubert	James Post Hubert, Jr. Ruth Marion Werner Hubert
26	David Simon Vandervalk	Simon A. Vandervalk MaryAnnPachomskiVandervalk
26	Brian Patrick Grady	Robert Brian Grady Janis Lynn Butcher Grady
May		
9	Callie Aurora Laquidara	William Roy Laquidara Roberta Consoletti Laquidara
14	Edward Joseph Deiana, III	Edward Joseph Deiana, Jr. Paula Jean Powell Deiana
15	Shelly Marie Burnham	Craig R. Burnham Leslie A. Alves Burnham
19	Lauren Nicole Siple	Kenneth James Siple Mary Lee Flanagan Siple

31	Cortland Chandler Francis	Chester Drisko Francis Eileen Louise Creedon Francis
June		
18	Katelyn Ann Dehey	Tomas Lawrence Dehey Kathryn Ann Rosseau Dehey
July		
6	Zachary Jones D'Allesandro	Dean Arthur D'Allesandro Debra Louise JonesD'Allesandro
20	Charles William Bishoff, III	Charles William Bishoff, Jr. Jane-Ellen DeCesare Bishoff
30	Christopher Donaldson Lapsley	Gregory Duane Lapsley Donna Elizabeth Burke Lapsley
August		
16	Anthony Christopher Coluci	John Michael Coluci, Sr. Dorothy Elaine Howe Coluci
October		
2	Melanie Lyn Demery	Robert Arthur Demery, Jr. Patricia Ann Hanrahan Demery
31	Kerry Ann Burke	Thomas Francis Burke Marguerite Evelyn Turner Burke
November		
22	Adam John Sprague	Brian Keith Sprague Gale Joy VanderSluis Sprague
December		
5	Matthew Charles Pichel	Gary Gabriel Pichel Kathleen Mary Williams Pichel
25	Deborah Judith Peck	David Nolan Peck Judith Covaleski Peck

DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1984

DATE	NAME	DATE OF BIRTH
January		
24	Angelina Ferrucci	June 15, 1887
March		
27	Mary Rose O'Grady	August 27, 1908
April		
5	Anna Caroline Carlstrom	April 22, 1882
11	Dorine M. Marshall	June 14, 1936

June			
14	Eugene Francis Smith		June 24, 1909
July			
2	Dorothy A. Phelps		February 25, 1927
26	Ross P. Consoletti		March 22, 1958
27	Henry Putney Clough		September 11, 1902
September			
3	Blanche Evelyn Thomas		August 11, 1907
8	John Edward Spofford		December 19, 1943
25	Louis Robert Hickmott, Jr.		January 23, 1914
October			
3	Anna Elizabeth Rock		July 13, 1902
26	Louis William Benotti		February 17, 1913
28	Robert Jeffrey Hensel		June 8, 1952
29	Thomas Russell Irving		March 3, 1939
November			
20	William Thomas Little, Sr.		December 25, 1915
29	Alvar Ino Swanson		May 23, 1904
December			
3	Robert Nelson Partridge		May 17, 1923
15	Jennie Oppewal		March 8, 1899

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1984

DATE	PLACE	NAMES	RESIDENCE
January			
6	Mendon	Normand E. Roy Donna Stratton	Uxbridge Uxbridge
13	Mendon	James C. Nolan Patricia M. Campanelli	Mendon Mendon
February			
11	Blackstone	David Henault Jean Parkinson	Linwood Linwood
March			
30	Bellingham	Gary F. Thomas Sharon Reed	Mendon Mendon

April			
10	Mendon	William H. Archibald, Jr. Marjorie A. Mathewson	Mendon Mendon
28	Mendon	Daniel P. Malia Wendy L. Vanderlinde	Milford Milford
29	Sudbury	Francis S. Astephen Nancy E. Morin	Milford Mendon
May			
5	Hopedale	Brad Lee Van Thof Tami Susan Pitkin	San Ramon, CA San Ramon, CA
19	Mendon	Glenn Clickner Catherine Kurzontkowski	Woonsocket, RI Woonsocket, RI
June			
3	Mendon	Lawrence Lamb Deborah Kalkstein	Whately Mendon
17	Hopedale	Richard Broome Florence D'Alessandro	Mendon Mendon
23	Mendon	Jeffrey James Rick Margaret I. Huff	N. Grafton Mendon
29	Mendon	Michael P. Morton Sharon M. Dwyer	Mendon Milford
July			
7	Mendon	William A. Waller, Jr. Nancy E. Winner	Woonsocket, RI Woonsocket, RI
7	Mendon	Raymond A. Allard Tammy J. Brown	Milford Milford
14	Hopedale	Michael Dunlavey Lori Cimino	Mendon Milford
September			
9	Uxbridge	Donald C. Adams Jean A. Beal	S. Uxbridge Mendon
15	Mendon	Richard F. Armstrong, Jr. Laurie Jane McCrum	Bellingham Mendon
29	Mendon	Paul T. Marchand Nancy Kay Licht	Blackstone Blackstone
29	Mendon	Anthony Bucchino Lori Bavosi	Milford Milford
30	Mendon	Donald Quinlan Naomiruth Ann Bradley	New Bedford Mendon

October			
6	Hopedale	Kevin R. Smith Theresa A. Flaherty	Mendon Mendon
19	Millville	Francis Grimes Donna Ecord	Millville Millville
20	Milford	Barry Richard King Debrah Ann Randor	Mendon Mendon
November			
3	Milford	Walter J.D. Channing Sandie Ann Garner	Uxbridge Uxbridge
December			
24	Framingham	Randolph M. Taylor Marilynn A. Stephen	Mendon Mendon
31	Chelmsford	Thomas E. Drennen Laurel Dallmeyer	Mendon Mendon

**TOWN WARRANT
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Worcester, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE of the TOWN of MENDON in the COUNTY of WORCESTER, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the ALL PURPOSE ROOM of the HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL in said Mendon on Tuesday the 13th day of March A.D. 1984 punctually at 7:00 o'clock A.M., to act on the following articles, Viz:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following Officer:

Presidential Preference for each political party members of the State Committee for each political party for the Worcester/Norfolk Senatorial District.

- 10 Members of the Democratic Town Committee
- 35 Members of the Republican Town Committee

Polls will close at 8:00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting; one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 27th day of February A.D. 1984.

Rolland J. Morin, Jr.	Selectmen
Clarence R. Phipps	of
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.	Mendon

A true copy, attest:

Paul R. Tyler, Constable of Mendon

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Mendon February 29, 1984

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Paul R. Tyler, Constable of Mendon

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**TOWN WARRANT
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Worcester, ss.

To the constable of the TOWN of MENDON in the COUNTY of WORCESTER, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the TOWN HALL in said Mendon on Wednesday the 14th day of March A.D. 1984 punctually at 7:30 o'clock P.M., to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to either purchase, lease or rent emergency dispatch equipment.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting; one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 29th day of February A.D. 1984.

Rolland J. Morin, Jr.
Clarence R. Phipps
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.

Selectmen
of
Mendon

a true copy, attest:

Paul R. Tyler Constable of Mendon

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and published as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Rec. 2/29/84/HG

Paul R. Tyler, Constable of Mendon

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the Presidential Primary was held on Tuesday, March 13, 1984 at the H. P. Clough School All Purpose Room. The reading of the warrant was waived. All poll workers were duly sworn to duty by the Warden, Roseanna Elliot. James Pasacane was the Police Officer on duty at 7:00 A.M. and the polls were declared open. Police Officer Noon to 5:00 P.M. Edmund Leighton and 5 P.M. to 9:30 P.M. Robert Klein.

The election workers were, 7:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.:

Democratic

Roseanna Elliot - Warden
 Anne Reis
 Ann Kingdom
 Rita Cutler

Republican

Dorothy Mantoni - Clerk
 Lucille Martin
 Terry Bosma
 Pauline Johnson

5:00 P.M. to 9:30 P.M.

Mary Dean
 Linda Labasti
 Peggy Kelley
 Joan Eckert

Joanne Goodnow
 Teresa Tycks
 Lois Taylor
 Mary Ames

Tabulators:

Madeline Taft and Shirley Barnes.

7 A.M.	8 A.M.	5
8 A.M.	9 A.M.	24
9 A.M.	10 A.M.	40
10 A.M.	11 A.M.	53
11 A.M.	12 P.M.	69
12 P.M.	1 P.M.	85
1 P.M.	2 P.M.	107
2 P.M.	3 P.M.	119
3 P.M.	4 P.M.	134
4 P.M.	5 P.M.	166
5 P.M.	6 P.M.	192
6 P.M.	7 P.M.	218
7 P.M.	8 P.M.	239

Polls were declared closed at 8:00 P.M.

Presidential Preference

DEMOCRATIC

Jesse Jackson	9
Gary Hart	105
Reubin Askew	0
George McGovern	39
Walter F. Mondale	24
Ernest F. Hollings	0
Alan Cranston	1
John Glenn	10
No Preference	3
Ronald Reagan	4
Blanks	1

State Committee Man
 Worcester & Norfolk District

Louis P. Bertonazzi - 16 Coolidge Rd., Milford	164
Blanks	32

State Committee Woman
Worcester & Norfolk District

Doris Racicot, Southbridge	8
Mary Dean	1
Irene M. Marshall	1
Jacqueline Flaherty	1
Ellen Trufant	1
Blanks	183

Town Committee - Mendon (10)

Conrad J. O'Donnell - 11 Thayer	127
Blanche LaMothe - 169 Millville	137
Kenneth D. Morgan - 24 North	130
J. Gerard Sweeney - 23 North	142
John Quirk - 20 Park	123
George Daige - 34 Park	117
Elizabeth Quirk - 12 Park	116
John Moriarty - 16 Northbridge	126
Lawrence P. O'Donnell - 11 Thayer	124
Ellis M. O'Donnell - 11 Thayer	125
Blanks	693

Presidential Preference

REPUBLICAN

Ronald W. Reagan	39
No Preference	1
George McGovern	1
Gary Hart	1
Blanks	1

State Committee Man
Worcester & Norfolk District

David G. Skehan - 106 Spruce Street, Milford	32
Charles M. Steinmetz - 49 Summer Street, Auburn	5
Blanks	6

State Committee Woman
Worcester & Norfolk District

Norma Cash Smith - 11 Wysocki Dr., Dudley	14
Agnes M. Herosian - 5 Washburn Rd., Auburn	5
Evelyn L. Nickerson - 36 Washington St., Blackstone	18
Blanks	6

Town Committee (35)

Leonard Mellen	3
Richard Ferrucci	3
Walter Butler	3
Jane Lowell	1
Joyce Gilmore	1
Linda Varney	1
David Lowell	1
Gary Smith	1

Bob Congdon	1
Daniel Gilmore	1
Blanks	1,488

Vote was announced at 9:22 A.M.

Helen A. Gibson, Town Clerk

3/14/84 - Special Town Meeting

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the Special Town Meeting was called to order by the Moderator David Denenberg at 7:30 P.M. The Town Clerk to note that the warrant was duly posted and properly returned.

Finance Committee Motion.

ARTICLE 1. Voted that the town take from Available Funds \$2,000.00 to purchase emergency dispatch equipment.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

Joanne Goodnow served as Teller - J. Martin Auty Police Officer on duty. Chris Fitzgerald from The Milford Daily News requests admittance to the Meeting. It was voted to allow him to attend. The total number of registered voters attending was 22. Motion made and seconded to dissolve the Warrant. 7:37 P.M.

Helen A Gibson, Town Clerk

**TOWN WARRANT
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Worcester, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE of the TOWN of MENDON in the COUNTY of WORCESTER, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the MAIN AUDITORIUM of the NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL in said Mendon on FRIDAY the 11th day of May A.D. 1984 punctually at 7:00 P.M., to act on the following articles,

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to move the World War I and World War II monuments from Memorial Square to Founders Park, and also to place the Korean, Vietnam War Memorial on Founders Park.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$1000.00 from Auditing Expense to Road Machinery Account.

article 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Auditing Expense Account to Selectmen's Expense Account.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$1,200. from Available Funds (Free Cash) to Police Department Salary & Wage Account.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$4,000. from Available Funds (Free Cash) to Town Counsel Account.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$5,356. from Available Funds (Free Cash) to Snow Removal Expense Account.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$3,430.14 from Available Funds (Free Cash) to Snow Removal Salary & Wage Account.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting; one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 23rd day of April A.D. 1984.

Rolland Morin, Jr.
Frederic J. Kelly, Jr.

Selectmen
of Mendon

A true copy, attest:

Paul R. Tyler, Constable of Mendon

**TOWN WARRANT
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Worcester, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE of the TOWN of MENDON in the COUNTY of WORCESTER, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the ALL PURPOSE ROOM of the HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL in said Mendon on MONDAY the 7th day of May A.D. 1984 punctually at 9:00 A.M., to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 2 and all the following articles on this Warrant will be acted upon Friday, May 11, 1984 at 7:30 P.M. at the Main Auditorium of the Nipmuc Regional High School.

ARTICLE 1. To bring in their ballots for the following Town Officers:

One Town Moderator for one year

One Selectman for three years

One Selectman for one year

One Assessor for three years

One Member of the Board of Health for three years

One Member of the Mendon-Upton Regional School District Committee for three years

One Member of the Housing Authority for five years.

One Trustee of the Taft Public Library for three years.

One Water Commissioner for three years

One Park Commissioner for three years

One Member of the Planning Board for five years

One Highway Surveyor for three years

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1984 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4 and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

ARTICLE 3. To fix the salaries and compensations of the elected officers of the Town.

ARTICLE 4. To determine what sums of money the town will raise and appropriate to defray charges and expenses of the Town including debt and interest and to provide for a Reserve Fund for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 5. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to appropriate from Revenue Sharing Funds to defray charges and expenses of the Town.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and direct the Assessors to take a sum of money from Available Funds to reduce the Tax Levy in Fiscal Year 1984/85.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Available Funds (Free Cash) or the Stabilization Fund to repair the roof at the Clough School.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for repairs to the Fire Truck, and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 7, paragraph 5 or available funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to purchase a new highway truck, and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, from the Stabilization Fund, or other Available Funds, or by borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 7, paragraph 5.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for Mosquito Control and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by Taxation or Available Funds.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money (1,000.00) to fund a REgional Economical Development Co-ordinator. Such funds to be expended under the direction of the Blackstone Valley Regional Economic Development Council and to be applied jointly with those of the other Blackstone Valley Communities, private industry funds and state funds, and to see if the money shall be provided for by taxation or other Available Funds.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Mendon by-laws by adding the following new law: Chapter 11, Section 11.

1. No person shall keep, or cause to be kept, operate or suffer to be operated, on premises owned or leased by him or subject to his control, any mechanical or electronic automatic amusement device, whether coin-operated or not, (as defined under, but not limited to, Chapter 140, Section 177A (2) of the Massachusetts General Laws) except private in-home use, coin-operated juke boxes, pool, billiard, bowling and athletic training devices.
2. Any person found violating the provisions of this by-law will be punished by a fine of \$200.00 for each offense.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Mendon by-laws by adding the following new law: Chapter 9, Section 5.

No person other than an employee in ther service of the commonwealth or any political subdivision thereof or an employee in the service of an independent contractor acting for the commonwealth or any such subdivision shall pile, push or plow snow or ice into a state or town highway so as to impede the flow of traffic on such way. Whoever violates this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred and fifth dollars.

List of ballots cast each hour:

9 A.M.	to	10 A.M.	67
10 A.M.	to	11 A.M.	104
11 A.M.	to	12 P.M.	160
12 P.M.	to	1 P.M.	203
1 P.M.	to	2 P.M.	247
2 P.M.	to	3 P.M.	282
3 P.M.	to	4 P.M.	355
4 P.M.	to	5 P.M.	430
5 P.M.	to	6 P.M.	569
6 P.M.	to	7 P.M.	724
7 P.M.	to	8 P.M.	857

The polls were declared closed at 8 P.M. Counting of the ballots began and the results were announced at 10:08 P.M.

The Counters were Lois Taylor, Margaret Sweeney, Florence Smith, Edward Cole, Peggy Phipps, Margaret Kelley, Mary Ames, Anne Reis, Patricia Shea, Thomas M. Hackenson, Marion Corcoran, Pauline Johnson, Mary Dean, Charlene Doe, Tabulators Madeline Taft and Joanne Goodnow.

Town Moderator for one year

David Denenberg, Jr.	705
Alfred Lee	1
Walter Butler	1
Richard Ferrucci	1
Shirley Kreson	1
Blanks	148

Selectman for three years

Robert E. Caron, Jr.	652
Norman Cox	1
Blanks	204

Selectman for one year

Robert R. Kelly	684
Roger E. Lizotte	155
Elizabeth Noonan	17
Blanks	17

Assessor for three years

Walter J. Channing	689
Walter Butler	1
Blanks	167

Board of Health	
Barbara J. Gilmore	658
Blanks	199
Mendon Upton Regional School District Committee for three years	
Brian R. Hastings	611
Conrad Beliveau	1
Harold Barrows, Jr.	1
Blanks	244
Trustee Taft Public Library for three years	
Albert G. Wilshire	639
Blanks	218
Highway Surveyor for three years	
Francis A. Irons	708
Michael Tetreault	2
Mark D. Taylor	1
Wesley Shattuck	1
Theodore J. Ledoux	1
Blanks	144
Housing Authority for five years	
Peter I. Denton	631
Blanks	196
Park Commissioner for three years	
David T. Weatherbee	671
Blanks	186
Water Commissioner	
Roland Carlson	1
Geraldine Wallace	1
Linda Varney	71
Robert Klein	4
Al Baptiste	1
Beverly Harding	1
Robert E. Caron, Jr.	1
Richard Ferrucci	5
Cricket Auty	1
Walter Butler	1
Americo Candela, Jr.	5
Robert Lamothe	1
Fred Kelley	1
Jim Ferrucci	1
Dan Leone	1
Harold Carlson	1
Ross Schneider	1

Alfred Lee	1
Wm. Baldiga	1
Jim Marcone	1
Marion Corcoran	2
Richard Grady	1
Ernest Thomas	1
Lennie Mellen	1
K. Taylor	1
Stanley W. Tuttle	1
Marjorie Shattuck	1
Emery R. Munyon	1
Donald Coburn	1
George Phipps	1
John Belland	1
Phillip Dunlavey	2
Aldore Tetreault	1
Roger Lizotte	1
Francis A. Irons	1
William Palmer	1
Arthur Rondeau	1
Joyce Gilmore	1
Thomas Irving	1
Warren Goodnow	1
Robert E. Wallace	1
Dan Gilmore	1
Wesley Rogers	1
Syd. VanderSluis	1
Thomas Malia	1
Philip Harding	1
Wesley Shattuck	1
Donald Kearsley	2
Cynthia Donatelli	1
Blanks	713
Planning Board for five years	
Norman I. Rogers	676
Blanks	181

Voted to adjourn until 7:30 P.M. May 11, 1984 Main Auditorium of the Mendon Upton Regional School. 857 Total Vote 10:08 P.M.

Special Town Meeting May 11, 1984

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the Special Town Meeting was called to order by the Moderator David Denenberg, Jr. as the appointed hour of 7:00 P.M. is now upon us. The Town Clerk to note that the warrant was properly published and served.

Presented by the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 1. Motion made and seconded to pass over Article 1.

Discussion followed.

Hand Count called for by the Moderator

Mrs. Joy DiLegge and Mr. Alfred Baptiste sworn in by the Moderator to take the count.

Voted to pass over Article 1.

86 - Yes

34 - No

Attorney Noferi admitted to the floor. Motion made and seconded to allow the following to the meeting Rick Hawkins of Somerville, Teacher in the System, Cathy Waite, 38 Pleasant Street, wants to be present to learn about Town Government, Jeanne McCann, 145 Hartford Avenue East, Rowena Hershberger representing Fun Stop Arcade, Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Gulla, and James Purcell, Circuit Rider for Mendon.

Finance Committee Motions.

ARTICLE 2. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$1,000.00 from Auditing Expense Account to Road Machinery Account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 3. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$500.00 from the Auditing Expense Account to the Selectmen's Expense Account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 4. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$1,200.00 from Free Cash to Police Department Salary and Wage Account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 5. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$4,000.00 from Free Cash to Town Counsel Account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 6. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$5,356.00 from Free Cash to Snow Removal Expense Account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 7. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$3,430.14 from Free Cash to Snow Removal Salary & Wage Account.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

Motion made and seconded to dissolve the Warrant. 7:21 P.M. Joanne Goodnow and Madeline Taft Tellers and Edgar Cram Police Officer on duty, 125 Registered voters attended.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

May 11, 1984

Pursuant to the foregoing Annual Town Warrant the Moderator David Denenberg, Jr. calls the Meeting to order at 7:30 P.M. The Town Clerk to note that the warrant is duly published and served. The Moderator dispenses with the reading of the warrant. Motion made and seconded to allow Atty Noferi and James Purcell the Circuit Rider to enter. The following people asked to be admitted to the Town Meeting. Motion made and seconded to allow them to enter. Dr. Crissafuli, Superintendent of School District, Principal and Mrs. Anthony Gulla, Alice Anderson, Telegram & Gazette reporter Rick Hawkins, Kathy Waite, Jeanne McCann, Diane Joyce, Rowena Hershberger, and Thomas Womack.

Finance Committee report read by Chairman Sharon Cutler.

article 2. Voted that the Town authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1984 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4 and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 3. Voted that the town fix the salaries and compensations of the elected officers of the town as follows:

Town Clerk	\$5,880.00
Moderator	35.00
Selectmen-Chairman	700.00
Selectmen-Members	575.00
Assessor	600.00
Town Collector/Treasurer	7,600.00
Board of Health-Chairman	200.00
Board of Health-Member	150.00
Planning Board-Chairman	200.00
Planning Board-Member	150.00
Tree Warden	5.24/hr.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 4. Voted that the town appropriate the sums as shown in the Finance Committee Report for the specific purposes designated except the item numbered 81 and that these sums of money be expended only for such purposes under the direction of the respective officers, boards and committees of the Town.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

Item 81

The Finance Committee recommends that the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$967,630.00 for the Mendon Upton Regional School District Operating assessment; provided, however, that if the Town of

Upton shall vote to appropriate an amount which shall be less than its corresponding share of the total Operating Assessment, then the amount so appropriated by the Town of Mendon shall be such lesser amount than 967,630 which shall be equal to the Town of Mendon's share of the total operating budget of the Mendon Upton Regional School District, which shall in the appropriate fraction proportion to the amount appropriated by the Town of Upton as provided by the agreement between the two towns.

Item 81 - Presented by Brian R. Hasting:

A motion to amend the motion by striking all parts except the recommendation of funding \$967,630.00.

Discussion followed at 8:40 P.M. Motion made and seconded to move the Question. The amendment read by the Moderator.

Voice Vote called. Moderator declares the motion to amend carries.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 5. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$46,000.00 from Revenue Sharing Funds to pay Police Department salaries and wages.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 6. To pass over.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 7. The Finance Committee recommends that the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$35,000.00 from Free Cash to repair the roof at the Clough School.

Motion made by Brian R. Hasting of the School Committee to amend Article 7 by deleting the words Free Cash and replacing them with Stabilization Fund.

THIS MOTION WAS DEFEATED.

Voted that the Town appropriate the sum of \$35,000.00 from Free Cash to repair the roof at the Clough School.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 8. Voted that the Town appropriate the sum of \$41,000.00 for repairs to the 1971 Fire Truck and to pay therefor the sum of \$4,100. from Free Cash and the sum of \$36,000.00 by borrowing and to authorize the Treasurer to borrow the sum of \$36,900.00 for such purpose and to issue a note therefor under the provisions of MGL Chapter 44, Section 7.

HAND COUNT 100 to 0 DECLARED BY THE MODERATOR.

ARTICLE 9. Voted that the Town appropriate the sum of \$28,000.00 for the purchase of a new Highway Truck and to pay therefor the sum of \$2,800.00 from Free Cash and the sum of \$25,200.00 by borrowing and to authorize the Treasurer to borrow the sum of \$25,200.00 for such purpose and to issue a note therefor under the provisions of MGL Chapter 44, Section 7.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 10. To pass over.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 11. Voted that the town not appropriate any funds for a Regional Economical Development Co-ordinator.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 12. Presented by Frederic J. Kelley, Jr., Selectmen

I move that the Town vote to amend the Town of Mendon by-laws by adding the following new law:

Chapter 11, Section 11.

1. No person shall keep or cause to be kept, operate or suffer to be operated, on premises owned or leased by him or subject to his control, any mechanical or electronic automatic amusement device, whether coin-operated or not, (as defined under, but not limited to, Chapter 140, Section 177A (2) of the Massachusetts General Laws) except private in-home use, coin-operated Juke boxes, pool, billiard, bowling and athletic training devices.
2. Any person found violating the provisions of this bylaw will be punished by a fine of \$200.00 for each offense.

Discussion followed

DEFEATED MAJORITY VOICE VOTE. NAY.

ARTICLE 13. Voted that the Town amend the Town of Mendon bylaws by adding the following new law: Chapter 9, Section 5

No person other than an employee in the service of the commonwealth or any political sub-division thereof or an employee in the service of an independent contractor acting for the commonwealth or any such sub-division shall pile, push or plow snow or ice into a state or town highway so as to impede the flow of traffic on such way. Whoever violates this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than 150.00 (one hundred and fifty dollars)___

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 14. Voted that the Town amend the Town of Mendon by-laws, Chapter XI, Section 7, final paragraph to read:

Penalty for failure to comply with order; Appeal of Fine.

Any owner or keeper of a dog who shall fail to comply with any order of the dog officer or selectmen issues pursuant to this chapter shall be punishable by a fine of twenty dollars (20.00) for the first offense, thirty dollars (30.00) second offense, fifty dollars (50.00) third offense, with the right of appeal to the District Court.

MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

Motion made and seconded to dissolve the warrant. 246 Registered voters in attendance. Joanne Goodnow, Madeline Taft, Tellers-Police Edgar Cram. 9:42 P.M.

TOWN WARRANT
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE of the TOWN of MENDON in the COUNTY of WORCESTER, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the TOWN HALL in said Mendon on Tuesday the 21st day of August A.D. 1984 punctually at 7^o30 o'clock P.M., to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for repairs to the Clough School Roof, and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, or Available Funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for repairs to the Historical Building, and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, or Available Funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from Available Funds to pay unpaid bills of a prior year.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for repairs to the Fire Truck, and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, or Available Funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to pay the wages of a part time police clerk, and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, or Available Funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for replacement of the Police Radio Antenna on the roof of the Town Hall, and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, or Available Funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a table for the Town Clerk's Office, and to determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation or Available Funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to expend so called "Incentive Aid" grant monies from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Executive Office of Communities and Development, or take any action thereon.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting: one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 6th day of August A.D. 1984.

Robert R. Kelly	Selectmen
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.	of
Robert E. Caron, Jr.	Mendon

A true copy, attest^c

Paul R. Tyler, Constable of Mendon

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Mendon August 7, 1984

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Paul R. Tyler Constable of Mendon

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

August 21, 1984

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the Moderator David Denenberg, Jr. calls the meeting to order at 7:30 P.M. The Town Clerk to note that the warrant is duly published and served. The Moderator dispenses with the reading of the warrant. A recess of three minutes is called to allow the residents to enter.

Voted to allow Mr. James Purcell-Mendon Circuit Rider and Alice Anderson of the Worcester Telegram to enter. Mrs. Vera Rastall, a visitor from Georgia, was admitted also.

ARTICLE 1. Voted that the Town appropriate \$8,650.00 for repairs to the Clough Roof.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 2. Voted that the Town appropriate \$3,380.00 for repairs to the Historical Building.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 3. Voted that the Town transfer the sum of \$494.10 from Free Cash to pay unpaid bills of a prior year.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 4. Voted that the Town Pass Over Article 4.

YES. UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 5. Voted that the Town Pass Over Article 5.
YES. UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 6. Voted that the Town Pass Over Article 6.
YES. UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 7. The Finance Committee recommends a Pass Over Vote on
NO. MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 7. Presented by the Town Clerk.

I move that the Town appropriate the sum of \$250.00 to purchase a Table for the Town Clerk's Office.

Voted that the Town appropriate the sum of \$150.00 to purchase a table for the Town Clerk's Office.

YES. MAJORITY VOICE VOTE.

ARTICLE 8. Voted that the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to expend \$40,000.00 in so called "Incentive Aid" Grant monies from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Communities and Development.

UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE.

All the Articles with the exception of #7 were presented by the Finance Committee Chairman Sharon Cutler.

Motion made and seconded to dissolve the Warrant at 7:59 P.M. Roseanna Elliot served as teller and 40 registered voters attended the meeting.

**TOWN WARRANT
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Worcester, ss.

TO THE CONSTABLE of the TOWN of MENDON in the COUNTY of WORCESTER, Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL ALL PURPOSE ROOM in said Mendon on Tuesday the 18th day of SEPTEMBER A.D. 1984 punctually at 7:00 o'clock A.M., to act on the following articles, viz:

To cast their votes in the State Primary for the Candidates of Political Parties for the following officers:

- U.S. Senator For the Commonwealth
- Representative in Congress 3rd Congressional District
- Councillor 7th Councillor District
- Senator in General Court Worc. & Norfolk Senatorial District
- Representative in General Court..... 8th Worc. Representative District
- Register of Probate..... Worcester County
- County Commissioners (2) Worcester County
- County Treasurer Worcester County

VACANCY

in Worcester County: Sheriff.

POLLS WILL CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting; one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 28th day of September A.D. 1984.

Robert R. Kelly	Selectmen
Frederic J. Kelley, Jr.	of
Robert E. Caron	Mendon

A true copy, attest:

Paul R. Tyler	Constable of Mendon
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Mendon August 29, 1984

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Paul R. Tyler Constable of Mendon

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the polls were declared open at 7:00 a.m. the empty ballot box was shown and inspected before the voting began. Howard Phipps and Mark Bucchino were the Police Officers on duty for the Primaries.

Roseanna Elliot - Warden. Dorothy Mantoni - Clerk Lucille Martin, Irene Kaplan, Teresa Bosma, Rita Cutler, Donald Consoletti, and Helen Irons were duly qualified and served till 5:00 P.M. Lois Taylor, Mary Dean, Florence Smith, Mary Ames, Peggy Kelley, Joanne Goodnow with Anne E. Ries as Clerk served until closing. Joann Eckert, Shirley Barnes and Madeline Taft arrived at 8:00 P.M. to serve as counter and Tabulators. The Polls were declared closed at 8:00 P.M. The results were announced at 9:00 P.M. 381 votes cast - 172 Democratic - 209 Republican.

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Senator in Congress	David M. Bartley	21
	Michael Joseph Connolly	14
	John F. Kerry	78
	James M. Shannon	53
	Blanks	6
Representative in Congress Third Congressional District	Joseph D. Early	140
	Blanks	32
Councillor - Seventh District	Leo J. Turo	87
	Les Harvey	50
	Blanks	35
Senator in General Court Worcester & Norfolk	Louis P. Bertonazzi	148
	Blanks	24
Representative in General Court Eighth Worcester District	Richard T. Moore	146
	Blanks	26
Register of Probate Worcester County	Leonard P. Flynn	128
	Blanks	44

County Commissioners (2)		
Worcester County	Paul X. Tivnan	78
	John A. DiPilato	37
	John F. Finnegan	77
	John R. Sharry	32
	Blanks	120
Treasurer - Worcester County	Michael J. Donoghue	125
	Blanks	47
Sheriff - Worcester County (to fill vacancy)	Theodore M. Herman	73
	Paul M. Pezzella	86
	Blanks	13

REPUBLICAN

Senatory in Congress	Elliot L. Richardson	50
	Raymond Shamie	159
	Blanks	31
Representative in Congress Third Congressional District	Kenneth J. Redding	153
	Blanks	56
Councillor - Seventh District	Evelyn Nickerson	1
	Blanks	208
Senator in General Court Worcester & Norfolk District	John F. Kerry	1
	Blanks	208
Representative in General Court Eighth Worcester District	Walter Butler	1
	Russell Dudley	1
	Blanks	207
Register of Probate Worcester County	Blanks	209
County Commissioner (2) Worcester County	Blanks	408
Treasurer - Worcester County	Blanks	209
Sheriff - Worcester County (to fill vacancy)	Theodore M. Herman	6
	Paul M. Pezzella	2
	Blanks	373

HELEN A. Gibson
Town Clerk

**TOWN WARRANT
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

WORCESTER, SS.

TO THE CONSTABLE of the TOWN of MENDON in the COUNTY of WORCESTER, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Mendon qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the ALL PURPOSE ROOM of the H.P. CLOUGH SCHOOL in said Mendon on TUESDAY the sixth day of November A.D. 1984 punctually at 7 o'clock A.M., to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To cast their votes in the State Election for the election of candidates for the following offices:

PRESIDENT, of the United States of America
VICE PRESIDENT

SENATOR IN CONGRESS for the Commonwealth

REPRESENTATIVE IN Congress for the 3rd Congressional District
CONGRESS

COUNCILLOR 7th Councillor District

SENATOR IN GENERAL Worcester & Norfolk Senatorial
COURT District

REPRESENTATIVE IN 8th Worcester Representative
GENERAL COURT District

REGISTER OF PROBATE Worcester County

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS (2) Worcester County

TREASURER Worcester County

SHERIFF Vacancy Worcester County

POLLS WILL CLOSE AT EIGHT P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy in three or more public places in the Town of Mendon at least seven days before said meeting one copy thereof shall be posted on the Town Hall Building.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk of said town before the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Mendon, this 29th day of October A.D. 1984.

Robert R. Kelly Selectmen
Robert E. Caron, Jr. of Mendon

A true copy, attest

Paul R. Tyler Constable of Mendon

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

Mendon October 26, 1984

I have served the within warrant by posting an attested copy and publishing as herein directed and have otherwise complied with all the requirements of law.

Paul R. Tyler - Constable of Mendon

Rec. & Filed 10/29/84

November 6, 1984 - State Election:

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the polls were declared open at 7:00 A.M. The empty ballot box was shown and inspected before the voting began. David Shane, Mark Bucchino and Robert Klein were the Police Officers on duty for the Election. Roseanna Elliot-Warden, Dorothy Manton - Clerk. Lucille Martin, Irene Kaplan, Teresa Bosma, Rita Cutler, Donald Consoletti, and Helen Irons were duly qualified and served till 5:00 P.M. Florence Smith, Peg Kelly, Joanne Goodnow, Mary Dean, Mary Ames and Pauline Johnson - Clerk served from 5:00 P.M. to closing. Charlene Doe, Debbie D'Alessandro, Eileen Johnson, Peg Sweeney, Peg Stewart, Paul Tyler, Deborah Blicharz, Blanche Marquis, Mary Smith, Peg Tetreault, Cynthia Donatelli, Helen Jordan, and Anne Adams served as talliers. Shirley Barnes and Eileen Johnson were Tabulators. The Polls were declared closed 8:00 P.M. The results were announced at 10:45 P.M. Total number of ballots cast was 1568.

Electors of President and Vice President

Mondale and Ferraro	Democratic	433
Reagan and Bush	Republican	1117
Serrette and Ross	Mass. Independent Alliance	6
Blanks		11

Senator in Congress

John F. Kerry	Democratic	571
Raymond Shamie	Republican	983
Blanks		14

Representative in Congress - Third Congressional District

Joseph D. Early	Democratic	808
Kenneth J. Redding	Republican	677
Blanks		83

Councillor - Seventh District

Leo J. Turo	Democratic	950
All others		2
Blanks		616

Senator in General Court - Worcester & Norfolk District

Louis P. Bertonazzi	Democratic	1171
All others		3
Blanks		394

Representative in General Court

Richard T. Moore	Democratic	1181
All Others		1
Blanks		386

Register of Probate - Worcester County

Leonard P. Flynn	Democratic	951
Blanks		617

County Commissioner - Worcester County (2)

Paul X. Tivnan	Democratic	756
John R. Sharry	Democratic	619
All others		1
Blanks		1760

Treasurer - Worcester County

Michael J. Donoghue	Democratic	972
Blanks		596

Sheriff - Worcester County (to fill vacancy)

Theodore M. Herman	Democratic	974
All others		1
Blanks		593

HELEN A. GIBSON
Town Clerk

REPORT of the TAX COLLECTOR from JULY 1, 1983 to JUNE 30, 1984

	Taxes Outstanding 7/1/83	Re- Commit- ments	Refunds	Over Payments	Tax Title	Abatements	Interest	Collections	Uncollected 6/30/84
TAX LEVY 1978		26.40					15.80	26.40	
Motor Vehicle									
TAX LEVY 1980									
Motor Vehicle	908.90					884.97	1.58	23.93	
TAX LEVY 1981									
Motor Vehicle	281.26						7.08	59.56	221.70
Personal Property 1980-81	1,099.00					99.00	35.70	1,000.00	
TAX LEVY 1982									
Motor Vehicle	1,049.44	125.09	32.13	7.00		196.36	68.99	765.53	251.77
Farm Animal							77.79	501.00	
Machinery & Equip.	501.00						98.87	496.36	65.31
Personal Property 1981-82	561.67				537.41		642.95	29,521.10	1.06*
Real Estate 1981-82	30,059.57								
TAX LEVY 1983									
Motor Vehicle	13,023.67	20,606.23	555.21	2.22		2,292.45	191.92	30,437.22	1,457.66
Farm Animal								725.05	466.38
Machinery & Equip		1,191.43					59.24	902.67	319.09
Personal Property 1982-83	1,221.76			1.11	706.28	532.37	8,748.15	99,972.58	15,524.59
Real Estate 1982-83	116,734.71								
TAX LEVY 1984									
Motor Vehicle		88,835.49	227.48			2,622.55	30.54	60,505.41	25,935.01
Personal Property 1983-84		64,286.25	8.75	.07	26.25	17.67	17.67	61,345.40	2,923.42
Real Estate 1983-84		1,388,621.94	2,710.42		3,731.00	21,398.59	2,580.32	1,259,239.68	106,963.09
Totals	165,440.98	1,563,666.43	26.40	3,533.99	10.40	4,974.69	28,052.54	1,545,521.89	154,129.08

*Clerical Error

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

RECEIPTS

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1984

Taxes	1,454,254.23
Licenses and Permits	23,277.30
Fines	17,325.00
Grants and Gifts	
Federal Revenue Sharing	47,961.00
State	173,218.50
County	1,184.47
Other General Revenue	
All Revenue Investments	1,753,560.54
Motor Vehicle Excise	90,994.03
Departmental	5,617.73
Public Safety	78,472.25
Highway	1,800.00
Veterans	822.52
Water	9,897.98
Interest	43,318.85
Municipal Indebtedness	1,240,938.00
Agency, Trust and Investment	144,329.15
Refunds	19,836.57
Balance at Beginning of Year	<u>29,606.14</u>
	5,136,414.26

EXPENDITURES

General Government	120,740.61
Public Safety	271,096.44
Health and Sanitation	117,873.23
Highways	225,399.45
Veterans	2,854.63
Schools	886,543.47
Libraries	9,715.81
Parks and Recreation	19,532.76
Pensions and Retirement	31,934.00
Unclassified	40,168.22
Public Service (Water)	8,931.42
Cemeteries	75.00
Interest	18,808.76
Municipal Indebtedness	1,261,547.87
State and County Assessment	83,391.91
Agency, Trust and Investment	1,956,352.35
Refunds	58,809.55
Balance at End of Year	<u>22,638.78</u>
	5,136,414.26

BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1984

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

ASSETS		LIABILITIES AND RESERVES	
Cash:		Temporary Loans	
General	\$ (7,269.98)	Anticipation of reimbursement	\$ 18,300.00
Revenue Sharing	29,908.76		
Revenue Invested	407,334.66	Payroll Deductions:	
Accounts Receivable		Contributory Retirements System	1,546.52
Levy of 1982		Federal W/H Tax	1,167.97
Personal Property	65.29	State W/H Tax	1,878.82
Levy of 1983		Health Insurance	1,019.99
Personal Property	319.09	Agency	
Real Estate	15,523.46	County Dog License	248.90
Levy of 1984		Tailings	
Personal Property	2,923.35	Unclaimed checks	88.52
Real Estate	110,687.09	Trust Fund Income	
Motor Vehicle Excise		Cemetery Fund Income	1,139.75
Levy of 1981	221.70	Appropriation Balances	
Levy of 1982	251.77	Warrants payable	20,256.15
Levy of 1983	1,457.66	General -- carry forward	145,019.37
Levy of 1984	25,935.01	Appropriations New Fiscal Year	1,700,188.00
Tax Titles and Possessions		State and County Assessments	590.98
Tax Titles	13,637.90	Reserved for Abatements & Exemptions	
Tax Possessions	1,445.45	1982	41,255.74
Water		1983	38,754.35
Rates	544.15	1984	41,848.11
Aid to Highways	18,300.00		

Harriet Daniels	\$ 12,338.42
Anne Ellis Library Fund	688.79
Conservation Fund	272.95
Halloween Fund	380.11
Stabilization Fund	117,135.89
	<u>117,135.89</u>
	\$ 148,384.31

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	<u>117,135.89</u>
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DEBT ACCOUNT

Net Funded or Fixed Debt		
Inside Debt Limit	\$ 6,400.00	
Serial Loan:		
Inside Debt Limit		\$ 6,400.00
General:		
Land Purchase		\$ 6,400.00

Respectfully submitted,
 GERALDINE R. WALLACE, Town Accountant

ANALYSIS OF APPROPRIATIONS – FISCAL 84

	Appropriations	Transfer	Total Funds Authorized	Expenditures	Transfers to Revenue and Surplus
Accountant					
Salary	2,153.00		2,153.00	2,153.00	
Expense	645.00	72.00	717.00	717.00	
Assessors					
Salaries	1,900.00		1,900.00	1,900.00	
Expense	6,000.00		6,000.00	5,075.16	924.84
New Equipment	250.00		250.00	188.00	62.00
Election & Registration					
Salaries & Wages	1,940.00	149.91 *State	2,089.91	1,715.42	374.49
Expense	2,200.00	15.63 Reimb.	2,215.63	2,215.63	
Finance Committee					
Expense	400.00		400.00	393.15	6.85
Moderator					
Salary & Wages	95.00		95.00	77.47	17.53
Expense	30.00		30.00		30.00
Selectmen					
Salaries	1,850.00		1,850.00	1,850.00	
Expense	2,200.00	1,012.00	3,212.00	3,212.00	
Selectmen					
Insurance Town Bldgs.	35,000.00		35,000.00	28,452.16	6,547.84
Memorial Day Observance	350.00		350.00	296.10	53.90
Revenue Sharing Expense	30.00	12.75	42.75	42.75	
Soldiers & Sailors Graves	75.00		75.00		75.00
Town Reports	2,500.00		2,500.00	1,296.63	1,203.37
Auditing Expense	6,500.00		6,500.00	5,000.00	1,500.00

	Appropriations	Transfers	Total Funds Authorized	Expenditures	Transfers to Revenue and Surplus
Town Collector & Town Treasurer					
Salary	7,100.00		7,100.00	7,100.00	
Expense	6,350.00		6,350.00	6,035.70	314.30
Tax Title Foreclosure	1,500.00		1,500.00	40.00	1,460.00
Town Clerk					
Salary	5,495.00		5,495.00	5,495.00	
Expense	900.00		900.00	900.00	
Town Counsel					
Retainer	50.00		50.00	50.00	
Expense	4,950.00	4,000.00	8,950.00	8,950.00	
Town Hall					
Salaries & Wages	29,400.00		29,400.00	28,940.93	459.07
Expense	2,800.00	1,046.89	3,846.89	3,839.83	7.06
Unemployment		375.00	375.00	375.00	
Equipment	525.00		525.00	515.70	9.30
Utilities	12,500.00		12,500.00	9,181.18	3,318.82
General Repairs					
Salaries & Wages	42,321.00		42,321.00	42,321.00	
Expense	58,000.00		58,000.00	57,997.22	2.78
Equipment	1.00			1.00	
Highway Truck	28,000.00		28,000.00		28,000.00
Road Machinery	9,500.00	1,000.00	10,500.00	10,190.79	309.21
					28,000.00
					cv'd fw'd
					309.21

	Appropriations	Transfers	Total Funds Authorized	Expenditures	Transfers to Revenue & Surplus
Snow Removal					
Salary	24,326.00	3,430.14	27,756.14	27,756.14	
Expense	16,000.00	5,356.07	21,356.07	21,356.07	
Equipment	6,600.00		6,600.00	6,242.25	357.75
Interest on Temp. Loan	18,000.00		18,314.49	18,314.49	
Maturing Debt	6,400.00	314.49	6,400.00	6,400.00	
Interest on Maturing Debt	466.00		466.00	465.60	.40
Reserve Fund	20,000.00		20,000.00	16,972.24	3,027.76
Group Insurance					
Administrative Salary	300.00		300.00	300.00	
Employee Expense	12,350.00	444.84	13,694.84	13,694.84	
Veterans Benefits					
Salary	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,200.00	
Expense	100.00		100.00	57.70	42.30
Aid to Veterans	4,000.00		4,000.00	1,616.93	2,383.07
Worcester County					
Retirement Fund	31,431.00		31,431.00	31,431.00	
Building Department					
Building Inspector					
Salary	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,000.00	
Expense	850.00		850.00	765.86	84.14
Gas Inspector Salary	400.00		400.00	400.00	
Expense	200.00		200.00	200.00	
Plumbing Inspector					
Fee Compensation	1,100.00		1,100.00	1,027.50	72.50
Expense	400.00		400.00	400.00	
Wiring Inspector Salary	450.00		450.00	450.00	
Expense	380.00		380.00	380.00	

	Appropriations	Transfers	Total Funds Authorized	Expenditures	Transfers to Revenue & Surplus
Civil Defense					
Salary	100.00		100.00	100.00	
Expense	600.00		600.00		600.00
Constables					
Salary	60.00		60.00	60.00	
Dog Officer					
Salary	1,040.00		1,040.00	1,040.00	
Expense	1,670.00	466.43	2,136.43	2,136.43	
Equipment	1,335.00		1,335.00		1,335.00 cw'd fw'd
Fire Department					
Salaries & Wages	8,000.00	1,910.00	9,910.00	9,908.80	1.20
Expenses	6,450.00	500.00	6,950.00	6,790.64	159.36
Out of State Travel	200.00		200.00	200.00	458.10
Equipment	6,000.00		6,000.00	5,541.90	4,894.00 cw'd fw'd
Hose Account	4,894.00		4,894.00		2,000.00 cw'd fw'd
	2,000.00		2,000.00		2,000.00 cw'd fw'd
Fire Truck	4,100.00		4,100.00		4,100.00 cw'd fw'd
Answering Service					
Salaries & Wages	14,650.00	82.00	14,732.00	14,731.64	.36
Expense	100.00		100.00		100.00
Police Department					
Salaries & Wages	133,984.00	1,200.00	135,184.00	134,311.64	872.36
Fourth Officer	12,480.00		12,480.00	12,220.00	260.00

	Appropriations	Transfers	Total Funds Authorized	Expenditures	Transfers to Revenue and Surplus
Expense	23,000.00	51.60	23,051.60	22,951.67	99.93
Out of State Travel	300.00		300.00		300.00
Cruiser	8,560.00		8,560.00	8,525.62	34.38
Cruiser		10,100.00	10,100.00	10,052.00	48.00
Auxiliary Police	400.00		400.00		400.00
Tree Warden					
Salaries & Wages	1,390.00		1,390.00	1,386.70	3.30
Expense	2,880.00	1,400.00	4,280.00	4,043.25	236.75
Dutch Elm	1,800.00		1,800.00	1,800.00	
Insect Pest	800.00		800.00		800.00
Mendon-Upton Regional School District					
Operating	902,289.00		902,289.00	810,344.51	91,944.46
Capital	62,711.00		62,711.00	62,711.00	
Blackstone Valley Vocational Regional School					
Operating	27,840.00		27,840.00	6,730.37	21,109.63
Capital	6,758.00		6,758.00	6,757.56	.44
Clough School Roof	35,000.00		35,000.00		35,000.00
					cw'd fw'd
Conservation Commission					
Expense	625.00		625.00	374.98	250.02
Engineering	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,200.00	
Weed Control	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,950.00	50.00
Council on Aging					
Expense	4,000.00		4,000.00	2,804.29	1,195.71

	Appropriations	Transfers	Total Funds Authorized	Expenditures	Transfers to Revenue and Surplus
Health Board					
Salaries & Wages Expense	2,990.00		2,990.00	2,990.00	
Engineering Service	5,080.00	400.00	5,480.00	5,480.00	
Trash Pick Up	1,000.00		1,000.00	500.00	500.00
Landfill Closure	53,000.00		53,000.00	53,000.00	
	57,000.00		57,000.00	57,000.00	
Historical Commission	100.00		100.00	92.29	7.71
Industrial Development Comm. Expense	100.00		100.00		100.00
Library					
Salary & Wages Expense	3,825.00		3,825.00	3,710.19	1,148.11
Library Capital Improvements	6,050.00	223.92	6,273.92	6,273.92	
	2,500.00		2,500.00		2,500.00
					cw'd fw'd
Parks					
Expense	5,240.00		5,240.00	5,240.00	
Improvements	3,250.00		3,250.00	3,250.00	
	900.00		900.00		900.00
					cw'd fw'd
Basketball	5,500.00		5,500.00	1,478.00	4,022.00
					cw'd fw'd
Town Beach Salaries & Wages	8,600.00		8,600.00	8,576.78	23.22
Town Beach Expense	1,285.00		1,285.00	1,285.00	
New Equipment	200.00		200.00		200.00
					cw'd fw'd
	650.00		650.00	650.00	

	Appropriations	Transfers	Total Funds Authorized	Expenditures	Transfers to Revenue and Surplus
Planning Board					
Salary & Wages	800.00		800.00	775.00	25.00
Expense	1,500.00		1,500.00	847.76	652.24
Street Lights	7,500.00		7,500.00	6,996.71	503.29
Water					
Expense	9,600.00		9,600.00	9,031.42	568.58
Zoning Board of Appeals	200.00	76.42	276.42	276.42	

REPORT OF PARK DEPARTMENT

The Mendon Park Department respectfully submits this report on programs and projects for the year ending June 30, 1984.

The Town Beach opened June 23. The swimming program was divided into two sessions with a total of 265 children enrolled. The first session was from July 2 through July 19. The second session was from July 20 through August 9. A water safety aid program was offered during the week of August 13.

The beach and recreation program, under the direction of Erin Kelley, provided a wide variety of activities for the youngsters of the town. Daily programs of swimming, arts and crafts, and basketball were provided along with special activities such as: Crazy Hat Day, Doll Show, Bike Hike, Water Carnival and a Field Day. The beach also provides a swim team program which competes in a league that had a very successful record of 4-0 losses. The swim team hopes to expand its schedule for next year.

The care and maintenance of the Town Cemeteries, Founders Park, Library and Memorial Field were contracted to Craig Kaplan, who did an excellent job maintaining these areas.

The Park Department had the parking lot at the Town Beach hard topped, along with the construction of a new raft, bulletin board and numerous repairs to the beach house and recreation area.

The progress with the basketball and tennis courts were slowed because of wet conditions; however, the basketball court will be ready by late spring.

The Park Department is in the process of developing an expanded recreation program, not just a seasonal program from June to September. Families and children will benefit from a well rounded recreation program with a scope of meeting the needs of a growing community.

The goals of the Park Department are to develop the Memorial and Town Beach areas. The future growth of the town may require people of the community to set aside other land areas in the town for active recreation before it is too late!

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID WEATHERBEE
JAMES GRANT
JOSEPH BISHOP

REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Type I Hot Top

Thornton Street	Following reconstruction of 1700' a 2'' base was applied, starting at Hartford Avenue West.
Park Street	Reconstruction was also done for 1500' with a 2'' base hot top for 3000'.
Cemetery Street	A 1½'' top course was applied to the entire length of this road.
Hopedale Street	This road also was completed with a 1½'' top course of hot top.
Blackstone Street	A leveling course was applied from Carpenter Hill Road 2000' west.
Town Beach Parking Lot	This lot was regraded and a 2'' hot top base course applied.

Cold Mix

Pleasant Street	Two 500' sections were torn up and regraded, then 2'' of cold mix applied.
Mowry Street	A 1300' section of this road received a 2'' top course.
Carpenter Hill Road	A 2'' top course was applied.

New Drainage

New pipe and catch basins were installed on the following streets:

Bates Street	80' of pipe and 1 catch basin
Millville Street	100' of pipe
North Ave.	1 catch basin
Northbridge Road	60' of pipe
Park St.	40' of pipe
Washington St.	400' of pipe and 2 catch basins
Mowry St.	120' of pipe and 1 catch basin
Memorial Ball Field	300' of pipe

The Highway Department was also able to complete a new septic tank and leach field for the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS IRONS
Highway Surveyor

REPORT OF CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTS REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

The Central Massachusetts Regional Planning Commission (CMRPC) served the Town of Mendon and thirty-nine additional communities in southern and central Worcester County. For more than 20 years, the CMRPC has been providing a diversified program of local and regional planning services to its member communities.

During the past year the CMRPC continued its planning activities in community development, local technical assistance, transportation, environmental coordination and data services. The following local and regional activities of the CMRPC were of direct benefit to the Town of Mendon.

- Preparation and publication of Regional Transportation Plan Up-Transportation Improvement Program and other specialized transportation studies.
- Publication of census and related data.
- Preparation of A-95 project reviews for proposals seeking federal/state financial assistance.

The CMRPC publishes a newsletter, THE REGIONAL, which highlights the planning activities of the Commission and its member communities. Another publication is the REGIONAL BULLETIN, a planning memo, published periodically to inform and alert local officials of current planning issues and programs. Both of these publications are available to the general public.

During the past year, the Town of Mendon has been represented on the CMRPC by James F. Ruhan, delegate to the Central Massachusetts Regional Planning Commission.

The Commission, William H. Newton, Director and his staff stand ready to serve you. If there are planning services which you would like to see the CMRPC provide during the coming year, please contact your representatives to the Commission or the CMRPC office directly at 756-7717.

Respectfully submitted,

ROGER J. YOST, Chairman
Central Massachusetts Regional
Planning Commission

REPORT OF BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Tax Rate Recapitulation of Mendon Fiscal Year 1985

TAX RATE SUMMARY:

Amount to be Raised	\$2,076,179.61
Estimated Receipts & Available Funds	<u>554,961.24</u>
Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation	\$1,521,218.37

VALUATIONS:

Real Property	81,697,746.00
Personal Property	<u>3,763,960.00</u>
Total Property Valuation	85,461,706.00

TAX RATE:

Real Property Tax	1,454,219.88
Personal Property Tax	<u>66,998.49</u>
Total Taxes levied on Property	<u>\$1,521,218.37</u>

Class	Levy Percentage	Levy by Class	Valuation Class	Rate
I	83.9370	1,276,865.38	71,734,010	17.80
II	2.0320	30,911.48	1,736,600	17.80
III	7.7712	118,217.56	6,641,436	17.80
IV	1.8555	28,225.46	1,585,700	17.80
V	4.4043	66,998.49	3,763,960	17.80
Total	100.00%	1,521,218.37	85,461,706	

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS D. HACKENSON, Chairman

WALTER J. CHANNING

CHARLES H. WOOD

Board of Assessors

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER
January 1, 1984 - December 31, 1984

Balance January 1, 1984	\$ 116,352.94	
Less Investments	(99,088.48)	
Receipts during year	<u>4,266,824.18</u>	
Sub Total	\$4,284,088.64	
Disbursements during year per Warrants	<u>(4,271,929.18)</u>	
Sub Total	\$ 12,159.46	
Investments	<u>185,295.97</u>	
Balance December 31, 1984		\$197,455.43
Bank Balance:		
Milford National Bank & Trust		
Deposits in	\$31,604.08	
Transit	<u>.00</u>	
Sub Total	\$ 31,604.08	
Less Outstanding Checks	<u>(19,444.62)</u>	
Adjusted Bank Balance - December 31, 1984	\$ 12,159.46	
Investments - Shawmut Community Bank	6,683.71	
Shawmut Worcester County Bank	137,036.19	
State Street Bank	6,669.99	
Municipal Depository Trust	<u>34,906.08</u>	
Total - December 31, 1984		\$197,455.43
Note: The Above Balance Includes Short-Term Borrowings of		
\$400,000.00 Payable - March 6, 1985		
Interest on Loans	\$18,343.16	
Net Interest Income	\$22,291.95	

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS P. GUERRA
Town Treasurer &
Town Collector

TRUST FUND REPORT JUNE 30, 1984

ANNA ELLIS LIBRARY FUND

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 644.91	
Income during 1984	<u>43.88</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 688.97

AUSTIN FLETCHER LIBRARY FUND

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 6,443.62	
Income during 1984	<u>438.92</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 6,882.54

RACHAEL ANN BATES LOT — BICKNELL CEMETERY

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 570.91	
Income during 1984	<u>35.51</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 606.42

JOSEPH S. COX, JOSEPH BATES & JOHN S. COX LOTS BICKNELL CEMETERY

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 363.50	
Income during 1984	<u>22.55</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 385.05

ANNIE E. GASKILL LOT — BICKNELL CEMETERY

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 363.50	
Income during 1984	<u>22.55</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 385.05

ADRIEN & ELLEN J. (THAYER) SCOTT & MALCOLM D. & RITA D. (BARROWS) SCOTT CEMETERY

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 2,239.90	
income during 1984	<u>152.54</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 2,392.44

MARCENE & HARRIET E. DANIELS — RELIEF FUND

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 11,551.57	
Income during 1984	<u>786.85</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 12,338.42

NATHAN R. GEORGE, JR. — RELIEF FUND

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 3,385.91	
Income during 1984	<u>230.63</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 3,616.54

AUSTIN WOOD — RELIEF FUND

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 3,104.65	
Income during 1984	<u>195.46</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 3,300.11

HOMER E. TOUGAS MEMORIAL HALLOWEEN FUND

December 1983	\$ 530.11	
Income during 1984	15.75	
Withdrawn	<u>(165.75)</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 380.11

CONSERVATION

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 256.99	
Income during 1984	<u>15.96</u>	
Balance — June 30, 1984		\$ 272.95

STABILIZATION FUND

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$133,782.61	
Income during 1984	10,841.59	
Withdrawn during 1984	<u>(27,488.31)</u>	
Balance June 30, 1984		\$117,135.89

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS P. GUERRA
Town Treasurer &
Town Collector

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER ON FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING January 1, 1983 - December 31, 1984

Balance - January 1, 1984	\$52,935.97	
Receipts during Year	46,448.00	
Interest on Investments	<u>2,922.22</u>	
Sub Total		\$102,306.19
Disbursements during Year	<u>(48,000.00)</u>	
Balance - December 31, 1984		\$54,306.19
Bank Balance:		
Shawmut Community Bank Savings Account	<u>\$ 54,306.19</u>	
Total - December 31, 1984		\$54,306.19

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS P. GUERRA
Town Treasurer &
Town Collector

TOWN TREASURER/TOWN COLLECTOR

Financial Report of Fiscal Year July 1, 1984 - June 30, 1984

Appropriation		\$13,450.00
EXPENDED:		
Salary	\$ 7,100.00	
Association Meetings & Dues	548.86	
Out of State Travel	.00	
Bonds	840.00	
Note Certification	142.00	
Postage	1,759.25	
Repairs to Office Equipment	356.15	
Office Supplies	1,046.40	
Telephone	271.39	
Petty Cash	50.00	
Tax Bills	999.65	
Tax Taking	72.00	
Total Expended	\$13,185.70	
Unexpended	264.30	
		\$13,450.00
Collector's Fees	\$ 3,466.00	

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS P. GUERRA
Town Treasurer &
Town Collector

REPORT OF HOUSING AUTHORITY

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

At Sunrise Apartments there are thirty apartments which have been under management since January 1966.

The Mendon Housing Authority has two programs, Chapter 853 Housing for the Elderly and Chapter 707 Rental Assistance for families of low income. Both programs are state funded. Mendon has one unit under the 707 program.

To be eligible for admission the net income limits are as follows:

- One person — \$12,404
- Two people — \$14,176
- Three people — \$15,948
- Four persons — \$17,720

or 80% of the Section 8 low income limit for a family in the standard metropolitan statistical area in which the local housing authority is located. Assets should not exceed \$15,000 or one and one half the net income, whichever is greater.

The board members hold their regular monthly meetings on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:30 at the Community Building at Sunrise Apartments and the annual meeting is held on the 3rd Tuesday of May.

The following is a list of board commissioners:

- | | |
|---|------------------------------|
| Chairman Joseph F. Bradley
28 Maple Street
Mendon, MA 01756 | Term expires May 1986 |
| Vice Chairman Florence Smith - State Appointee
147 Uxbridge Street
Mendon, MA 01756 | Term expires August 26, 1986 |
| Treasurer David B. Lowell
40 Millville Street
Mendon, MA 01756 | Term expires May 1988 |
| Ass't. Treasurer Peter I Denton
39 Thayer Street
Mendon, MA 01756 | Term expires May 1989 |
| Member Howard F. Miller
6 Hastings Street
Mendon, MA 01756 | Term expires May 1985 |

Two exterior doors were replaced on the Community House this year and hopefully we will continue to replace the others.

Resignations were accepted from Emma M. Barrows and Ralph Deiana. The Authority would like to thank them for their many years of service.

The Authority would also like to express their gratitude to all who have extended their services to the tenants at Sunrise Apartments in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHERRY H. ROONEY
Executive Director

INCOME AND EXPENSE
Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1984

Shelter Rent	\$40,856.00
Interest on investments	2,169.45
Other Operating Receipts	<u>1,076.50</u>
Total Operating Receipts	\$44,101.95

Expenses

Administrative Salary	\$ 3,312.00
Accounting Service	300.00
Admin. — Other expenses	552.96
Operating costs of Resident Organ.	78.20
Water	325.04
Electricity	17,372.91
Sewer	200.00
Maintenance Labor	4,750.74
Maintenance Materials & Supplies	777.28
Contract Costs	4,147.00
Insurance	1,700.00
Employee benefit Contributions	99.59
Provision for Operating Reserve	<u>2,520.00</u>
Total Operating Expenses	\$36,135.72
Residual Receipts	<u>6,308.83</u>
	\$42,445.55

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

Complaints	10,792
Summons served	103
Motor vehicle accidents	191
Motor vehicle fatalities	4
Personal injuries - M.V.	67
Property damage - M.V.	15
Motor vehicle citations issued	1,503
Complaints	1,202
Warnings	122
Arrests	179
Aid to motorists	108
Aid to out of town police	135
Stolen motor vehicles	4
Stolen motor vehicles recovered	3
Operator licenses suspended	7
Breaking and entering investigated	44
Assault and battery investigated	5
Assault and battery on police officer	2
Aid to residents	18
Bomb scares	5
Parking tickets	4
Defective equipment tickets	6
Missing persons	3
Deaths-Medical examiner	2
Persons-transported	173
Burglar alarms	319
Fire alarms	35
Open doors, windows	72
Emergency calls	71
Hospital runs	7
Loose animal complaints	17
Dog complaints	59
Runaways	4
Juvenile complaints	4
Bank escort	45
Malicious destruction	26
Arson	1
Arrests:	387
Narcotics	29
Breaking and entering	7
Juveniles	12
Operating under the influence	84
Incapacitated persons	95
Assault and battery	8
Warrants	29
Other	67
Rape	1
Larceny	6
Alcohol	49
	979

Number of defedents	979
District	316
Superior	10
Juvenile	27
Disabled motor vehicles	222
Checkerboard alerts	4
Funeral escorts	5
Stolen bicycles	2
Recovered bicycles	2
Breathalyzer tests & intoxilizer tests	119
Firearms cards	22
Pistol permits	94
Larceny	37
Assaults	5
Family disturbances	25
Total value of goods stolen	\$53,106.38
	\$ 9,830.00
Motor vehicle fines returned to town	\$27,375.00
Insurance monies for insurance reports	\$ 700.80
Pistol permits & Fid. Cards	\$ 836.00
Taxi license	\$ 20.00
Police photos Insurance Co.	\$ 9.00
Answering Service calls	5,801

There were four Officers that received one week of inservice training at the South Suburban Police Institute in Medfield, Mass.

All Officers received trianing and Recertification in C.P.R.

All Officers are now certified First Responders (First Aid) instructed by Mendon Police Officer Mark Buchino. A certified instructor with the American Red Cross.

All Officers are now certified Intoxilyzer operators and the Chief is now a certified instructor.

The Mendon Police Force now has at its disposal a Drug program purchased by the Mendon Lions Club for presentations at our schools or other drug oriented programs.

Sgt. Auty attended special courses at the South Suburban Police Institute.

The Mendon Police Department suffered the loss of one patrolman in December. Gregory Stratman of Uxbridge resigned to join the M.D.C. Force in Boston.

The Mendon Police Department gratefully acknowledges the excellent cooperation of other departments and Boards during the year 1984.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE LARSON
Chief of Police

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the Citizens of the Town of Mendon:

The Fire Department answered a total of 109 calls during the year 1984.

Brush Fires	22
Permits out of control	3
Illegal Burning	5
Mutual Aid	5
Rescue	1
Chimney Fires	6
Wood Stoves	2
Structure Fires	5
Motor Vehicle Fires	7
Motor Vehicle Accidents	7
Gas Washdown	8
Bus Fire	1
Bulldozer	1
False Alarms	11
Electrical	1
Smoke Investigations	7
Bomb Scares	3
Cellars Pumped	9
Rings cut off fingers	5

Firefighters have been attending classes conducted by the Massachusetts Fire Academy and also instructions by our Training Officer.

Many thanks to the voters of Mendon, the 1970 tanker has been re-powered and is now in good working order.

I wish to emphasize the State Laws of Open Burning. Daily permits are required and issued at 9:30 A.M. — Burning is permitted from 10 A.M. and completely out by 4 P.M., brush only — 75 feet from a dwelling and never left unattended.

In closing I wish to thank the Town Officials, Town Departments, the Citizens of the town and especially the officers and firefighters for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WES SHATTUCK
Fire Chief

REPORT OF WIRING INSPECTOR

Wiring permits issued during the year 1984

Number of permit issued	73
Serial Numbers 541-644 inclusive	
Value of Permits	\$2,222.50

This amount in cash and checks was turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,
WALTER J. CHANNING
Wiring Inspector

REPORT OF BUILDING COMMISSIONER

Permits issued during the year 1984 are as follows:

New Homes	42
Alterations & Repairs	21
Decks, Porches & Screen Porches	4
Additions	9
Sheds & Barns.	14
Pools	11
Garages	12
Demolition	1
New Commercial Bldgs.	1
Temporary Structures	1
Solar Panels	2
Wood Stove/Furnace/or Chimney	21
Total Permits Issued	139

Sixteen Certificates of Inspection were issued during the year. Sign Permits were approved for six applications. A total of \$8,293.50 was turned over to the Town Treasurer.

A permit is needed for the installation of wood burning and/or all purpose fuel stoves or furnaces. After installation a check is made to insure that there is correct fire protection. All installations must have a U.L. approved label.

Respectfully submitted,
THOMAS D. HACKENSON
Building Commissioner

REPORT OF CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The Mendon Conservation Commission was involved with several environmental concerns in 1984. Work included protecting wetlands and an aquifer, developing a nature trail and a forestry program as well as keeping our streets free of litter and Lake Nipmuc free of nuisance weeds.

The Commission utilized its authority under the Wetlands Protection Act (Mass. General Laws Chapter 131 - Section 40) to regulate proposed work affecting vegetated wetlands, land within 100 feet of wetlands, and land that serves as storage area for flood water during a 100 year flood (floodplain). Orders of conditions were issued to the following people:

1. John J. Gibson for a house lot on Providence Road adjacent to Spring Brook.
2. John J. Gibson for a house lot on Northbridge Road near Crane Pond.
3. Gino Minardi and Joseph Calabrese for the construction of a road at Millbrook Estates subdivision.
4. Minardi and Calabrese for lot 4 at Millbrook Estates.
5. Minardi and Calabrese for lot 5 at Millbrook Estates.
6. Frederic Kelley for work within 100 feet of a seasonal brook and expansion of a farm pond off Millville Road.
7. Michael Tetreault for a house lot on Maple Street adjacent to Willow Brook.
8. Ronald Champney for a house lot on Mowry Street adjacent to a seasonal brook.

Orders of conditions from previous years were renewed for Alfred Carboni for Colonial Estates subdivision road and bridge construction and for W. G. B. Construction Company for Castle Hill Estates road construction. Expansion of the parking lot at the New England Steak House was permitted from a project started in 1981.

In the Conservation Woodlands off Taft Avenue (former Gentilotti land), more trail work was done with the help of neighboring adults and youths, and the Mendon Boy Scouts. A second load of woodchips was donated by the Tree Warden's agent. Materials for four picnic tables were purchased with money donated by the 1983 Christmas Festival Committee. The tables were built by students in the Buildings and Grounds Department of the Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational High School, and moved into the picnic area by the Highway Department.

In the Town Forest off Millville Road, timber has been marked for a selective harvest and thinning to take place in 1985. The purpose of the project is to raise revenue for the town and encourage better growth of remaining wood, as well as provide hiking trails, fire road, and some clear-cut browse areas for wildlife. The town's agent is the New England Forestry Foundation.

Concerned for the protection of ground water in a large aquifer in the region of Mill River, Mill Brook and Muddy Brook, the Commission became a party to an Appeal of a Superseding Order of Conditions for Hopedale Airport Industrial Park.

An agreement was reached with the Industrial Park owners that an access road would not be built onto Hartford Avenue East at this time. (The citizens of Hartford Avenue, who initiated the Appeal, reached an agreement that calls for two monitoring wells in the Industrial Park, annual tests of the citizens' wells, and cleaning up siltation that had already occurred in some wetlands.)

Ground water from the aquifer has been classified as class one or excellent quality for drinking. Preliminary plans have been made for the establishment of an aquifer protection district. The Commission has discussed possibilities of having the district mapped and protected by an aquifer zoning by-law.

The annual town cleanup was held on April 14, 1984. In spite of cool, rainy weather, about 100 people participated in helping to make Mendon's roadsides free of litter. Special thanks were expressed to all who picked up trash or drove vehicles. The Commission also expressed appreciation to the Highway Department, Police Department, Kimball Trucking, Duane Nelson, M and T Trucking, Hood's Enterprises, and the Mendon Lions' Club for their help and contributions.

Lake Nipmuc underwent its annual weed maintenance program in June. Aquatic Control Technology Inc. of Northborough applied the algicides and herbicides. The lake was closed for swimming, boating and fishing from June 11 to June 13.

The Commission monitored some isolated growths of blue-green algae in the lake during the first week of August. It was identified by Aquatic Control Technology. Gerald Smith, president of A.C.T., explained that it was not uncommon for lakes and ponds to have this growth in August, as the water is warm and tends to promote its growth. He said it was non-toxic, but could be a nuisance to swimmers.

A forestry cutting plan was filed with the U.S. Forestry Service for land owned by Hugo Carlson on Uxbridge Road. Work was under the direction of William Corss, a registered professional forester.

Though funding was approved by the Legislature to replace the existing culvert at the outflow of Lake Nipmuc with a better device to limit the peak elevation, no actual construction took place in 1984.

Plans to replace the septic system at the Miscue Beverage Company on Northbridge Road are still being negotiated with state agencies and the Board of Health. The pollution problem at Miscue Brook has been temporarily alleviated by the owner having the sewage pumped and trucked off the premises on a regular basis. The Commission is awaiting compliance with the order of conditions issued in 1981.

Respectfully submitted,

F. BLAINE HAWKES, Chairman
IAN O. DENTON
RICHARD M. GRADY
GRACE HARDE
DEAN WIEGERS

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

In the year 1984, considerable time and effort was spent in testing procedures for sewage disposal systems, both new and repair. Perculation and deep hole testing was conducted on over one hundred sites in town. However, interest rates and higher land taxes have had a real impact on the amount of building being done in this town and towns in the area. Solid waste disposal, rubbish, has been and will continue to be a very time-consuming issue. State and federal requirements for landfills has left this state with no future dumping areas. We are going into the third year of our contract with N.E.W.S. and unless things change dramatically in the state, we can look forward to a substantial increase in the following years. The Board has met on a regular basis with local and state officials in an effort to find a solution to this problem. Residents should be aware of this, and as always, the Board strongly urges recycling practices. There is a direct relationship between the amount of trash collected and the cost of the rubbish disposal.

Our full time food inspection program continues to be successful. Additional activities include issuing:

- 40 disposal works permits
- 1 non-alcoholic beverage permit
- 22 food service permits
- 4 syringe permits
- 3 market licenses

Water, conservation and protection is another major concern for the Board. Seminars and intra-town board meetings are planned for the future to educate town residents on the importance and methods of maintaining water purity.

The usual immunization clinics for school children and the elderly were held with great success. We are thankful to the Visiting Nurses Association for their continued good service to the town.

Appointments during the year were:

Helen Gibson	Burial Agent
Wesley Rogers	Animal Inspector
Joyce Gilmore	Health Agent

In closing, we would like to thank the townspeople for their continued support of our endeavors to maintain a healthy environment.

Sincerely,

B. JOYCE GILMORE, Chairman
WILLIAM BUTLER
VALERIE R. VINCENT

REPORT OF PLUMBING INSPECTOR

During the year 1984 there were a total of fifty-six (56) plumbing permits issued. Thirty-one of these were for new home construction. The sum of \$1,536.00 was turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT J. ROSSETTI
Plumbing Inspector

REPORT OF GAS INSPECTOR

During the year 1984 there were a total of fifteen (15) gas permits issued. A total of \$243.00 was collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer.

Residents are reminded that if there is any type of work performed on their gas installations or appliances in which lines are disconnected and then reconnected, such work **MUST** be done by a licensed gas installer and a permit **MUST** be obtained for same.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT J. ROSSETTI
Gas Inspector

REPORT OF BOARD OF SELECTMEN

The Board of Selectmen underwent some changes this year. Mr. Clarence Phipps resigned as Selectman, February 29th due to added commitments of his full time position. The Board was sorry to see him go, as he served the Town well. He first served on the Finance Committee and then served almost two full terms as a member of the Board of Selectmen. Prior to these positions he did serve as a member of the School Committee from Upton. Mr. Rolland Morin, also a Finance Committee member for many years, decided not to seek another term. Two new members were welcomed to the Board after the MAY election. Mr. Robert R. Kelly, a former Finance Committee member was elected to the unexpired term of Mr. Phipps. Mr. Robert Caron, a former Planning Board member was elected for a three year term. After the re-organizational meeting, Mr. Robert R. Kelly was elected Chairman.

The "Circuit Rider" program got off the ground in the beginning of March. This program is being sponsored by the Massachusetts Executive Office of Communities and Development, which will pay the full salary the first year, two thirds the second year and one third in the third year. Expenses and unfunded state portions of the salary are shared equally by the three towns. This position has been responsible for the following projects, soliciting services for professional cutting and trail plans for the Town Forest, funding for safety equipment from the Governor's Highway Safety Bureau, overseeing the repair of the Clough School Roof, contracting services for repowering the Fire Truck, alcoholic awareness program, a Health Care Cost containment study in conjunction with the Town of Upton and Mendon/Upton School District, seeking truck exclusions on Maple and Hartford Avenue East, and participation in a regional housing rehabilitation program and also a regional dispatching and lock-up feasibility study.

The Board decided to proceed again with Cable TV and after appointing a very able Committee, consisting of Louis Carpenito, Lillian and Michael Burnat, bids were put out to be opened May 14th. August 28th a provisional license was granted and signed October 1st.

Chairman Robert R Kelly instituted a new program for the Selectmen. On the off meeting nights, he suggested that one member of the Board be present in the Town Hall to assist any towns person that may be seeking aid in any problems they may have. He also suggested liaisons for each department from the Board of Selectmen. Robert Kelly would be assigned to the Police, Fire and Highway Department. Fred Kelly would be assigned to the School and Robert Caron, Planning Board, Town Hall, ZBA, Circuit Rider and Board of Health.

Many meetings took place concerning the excess truck traffic on Hartford Avenue East. A group of concerned citizens met with the Selectmen at various times to enlist their aid to divert this commercial traffic to a commercial route instead of a residential area. State and County officials were contacted, as were some of the businesses involved, but as yet this problem has not been resolved.

The Board of Selectmen welcomed the new Superintendent of Schools, Dr. David Crisafulli and wished him well in his new position.

The Board of Selectmen appointed Helen Gibson as Supervisor of the State Census.

Mr. Frederic Kelley suggested that the 2:00 a.m. closing on Fridays for liquor establishments be changed back to 1:00 a.m. The Board voted this unanimously.

Plans for a Town Government Study Committee are being formulated and should be in the working stages by next year.

The Board wishes to thank all the Department Heads, Volunteers, Committees, Town Employees and citizens of our Town who give their support to make our job a little easier and our Town a better place in which to live.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT R. KELLY, Chairman
FREDERIC J. KELLEY, JR.
ROBERT CARON
Board of Selectmen

REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD

Robert Caron, who diligently served the Board, was elected to the Board of Selectmen. We wish him well in his new position.

There were numerous 81P plans submitted to the Board this year. These are plans not requiring subdivision approval.

There were no new subdivisions submitted to the Board this year, but one of the largest ever submitted was finalized. Colonial Estates off of Providence Road, got the final go ahead and will contain 61 lots when completed. After many lengthy meetings, the plans for Hilltop Estates, located off of Northbridge Road, were signed. There will be 7 lost when completed. Millbrook Estates, located off of Bellingham Street and containing 6 lots, was also approved.

Respectfully submitted,

PETER I. DENTON, Chairman
NORMAN I. ROGERS
RICHARD QUINLAN
JAMES RUHAN

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

To the Trustess of Taft Public Library

The circulation of books for 1984 (179 days), 4429. Circulation by classes was as follows: fiction 1,489; magazines 530; juveniles 1,659; biography 92; history and travel 147; literature and fine arts 125; science and useful arts 240; all other, 144.

During the year 767 new books were added as gifts or purchases from town funds.

We are continuing to weed our collection to keep it contemporary as well as to make room for new books.

The bookmobile from Central Massachusetts Regional Library continues to call regularly. From this bookmobile we are able to get large print editions of popular fiction and non-fiction.

Our library continues to receive many requests for historical and genealogical research, both through the mail and in person.

Interested parents have held library school sessions for pre-schoolers.

The Friends of the Taft Public Library have formed and been of great service to the library. Through them we now have available a copy machine, movie projector and screen. They have held several special children's programs, in addition to some for adults.

Respectfully submitted,

LORNA RHODES
Librarian

JURY LIST 1984

NAME	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION
Robert T. Alger	40 West Hill Road	Data Processing Mgr.
Norma Allard	28 George Street	Hairdresser
June Allen	40 Mowry Street	Technical Typist
John Arcudi	63 North Avenue	Self employed
Charles Leo Barry	119 Hartford Avenue	Supervisor
Randy Bock	13 Cemetery Street	Supervisor
Gerald Campbell	99 Blackstone Street	Electromechanical Technician
Mark Candela	71 Northbridge Street	Self employed
Robert Carr	11 Taft Avenue	Material Handler
Jennie Castagnaro	41 Bellingham Street	Retired
David Catarius	15 Maple Street	Bottle Maker
Gerald Christenson	8 Sandra Circle	Mgr., Melt & Casting
Edward Cole	11 Cemetery Street	Biochemist
Leila Coutu	176 Providence Street	Nurses' Aide
Joy Dilege	10 Mowry Street	Self employed
Roger Ducharme	98 Bates Street	Draftsman
Jane Frabotta	69 North Avenue	Ex. Secretary
Mary Gherardi	121 Hartford Avenue	Psychiatric Counselor
Philip Harding	22 George Street	Material Mgmt. Clerk
Lawrence Henneberry	42 Providence Street	Systems Engineer
Judy Hicks	93 Hartford Ave., West	Manufacturing Technician
Dorothy Leighton	46 Millville Street	School Cafeteria Helper
Irene Marshall	10 Millville Street	Technical Consultant
John McSweeney	6 Bates Street	Supervisor
Christopher Noonan	16 George Street	Self employed
William Powell	29 Hartford Ave., West	Supervisor
William Sartorelli	28 West Hill Road	Technology Manager
Robert Silverstein	12 Mary Drive	Hairstylist
Morey Smith	188 Providence Street	Self employed
Mary Thomas	66 Milford Street	Housewife

**MENDON-UPTON
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**for the
year ending December 31, 1984**

ANNUAL REPORT

MENDON-UPTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

To the Citizens of Mendon and Upton:

A major responsibility of the Mendon-Upton Regional School District is to create a sound educational program for students. This year great emphasis has been placed on the obtainment of this goal. A cooperative spirit between administration, staff, students, and parents has emerged. A basic premise of raising the educational standard has served as the motivational theme improving our quality of education. Organizational, administrative, and instructional objectives have been formulated. The district has embarked on energetic programs to achieve these goals. The programs initiated encompass improvements in the areas of instruction, plant facilities, student support activities, as well as other school related activities.

The improvement of the school curriculum on a K-12 basis is of high priority. Curriculum teams have been formulated to assess curriculum programs and materials for each discipline area. The need to expose students to computer instruction is being surveyed by the staff and a Computer Task Force. Progress in the purchasing of more comprehensive computer hardware has been facilitated by the donation of a sixteen (16) pupil micro-computer laboratory by Data General Corporation to our district.

The gifted and talented program received a boost in the form of grant funds from the State Department of Education. The formation of a Student Intervention Team was established. This team assists students, identified by staff, having behavioral, academic, or school adjustment problems. The professional team concept explores various learning alternatives and strategies to overcome specific student problems.

The development of a School Skills Program has been introduced in the Middle School. This program has helped middle school students make the school educational adjustments essential for academic success.

Various behavioral standards have been raised by the implementation and upgrading of the Student Discipline Code. The Nipmuc Regional High School and Miscoe Hill Middle School staffs are striving to increase student motivation in order to get students to achieve their maximum potential.

The district has taken a firm stand on the use of drugs and alcohol. In-service programs have been implemented to assist staff and students to better understand the effect of drug and alcohol abuse.

Teacher evaluation practices and philosophy have been updated. Greater emphasis has been placed on the importance of teacher evaluation and effective teaching in raising the educational standards of the school district. The district has formed several community based task forces. Included, are the Computer, Building Utilization, Grade Placements and Resource and Advisory. These committees facilitate exchange of ideas between staff and parents. They have proven to be extremely beneficial and

reflect the collaborative educational spirit between schools and community necessary in developing a challenging educational system.

The maintenance and improvement of plant facilities is, as always, an important and costly part of the school budget. This year, repairs on the roof at Henry P. Clough School in Mendon and Memorial School in Upton were completed. Grants have been submitted to the Massachusetts Department of Education for partial reimbursement toward the costs of the repairs. The heating system at Henry P. Clough School has been improved, thus creating greater fuel efficiency and savings. An energy study of the two schools has been completed and specific energy related repairs suggested. Planning is underway for the renovation of Nipmuc Regional High School gymnasium floor. State aid is being sought to assist in the cost of the floor replacement.

Administrative reorganization of the schools hot lunch program has improved the financial status and the quality of the food. Last year, the program finished in the red. This year, the customizing of the menu and management changes have enabled the program to repay its debt to the school district and still finish in the black.

The Mendon-Upton Regional School program is, quite obviously, in transition. Higher academic and motivational standards for students are paramount goals. Further organization, administrative, and facility changes are planned to promote a positive teaching/learning environment. New goals and expectations are constantly being developed. Planning for next year is already underway and we look forward to meeting the challenge in the pursuit of improving quality education in the Mendon-Upton Regional School District.

Respectfully submitted,

Joy DiLegge, *Chairman*

John Morrel, *Vice Chairman*

William C. Young, *Treasurer*

Frederick J. Pironti, *Secretary*

Brian Hastings

Donald Troast

**MENDON-UPTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
COMMITTEE**

ADMINISTRATION

David A. Crisafulla, Ed.D. - *Superintendent*

Anthony H. Gulla, Jr., *Principal/Nipmuc Regional*

William Milligan, *Principal/Miscoe Hill Middle*

Edward M. Soter, *Elementary Principal*

Maryellen Gray, *Director of Pupil Personnel Service*

**ANNUAL REPORT
of the
MENDON-UPTON REGIONAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE**

Year ending December 31, 1984

**ORGANIZATION
SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

Mrs. Joy DiLegge, <i>Chairman</i>	Term expires 1986
Mrs. John Morrel, <i>Vice Chairman</i>	Term expires 1986
Mr. William C. Young, <i>Treasurer</i>	Term expires 1985
Mr. Frederick J. Pironti, <i>Secretary</i>	Term expires 1985
Mr. Brian Hastings	Term expires 1987
Mr. Donald Troast	Term expires 1987

SUPERINTENDENT

David A. Crisafulli, Ed.D.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE

Mrs. Anne R. Fagnant (part-time)
Mrs. Helen L. LaRose, *Financial Clerk*
Mrs. Edith M. Lebel, *Superintendent's Secretary*

NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Anthony H. Gulla, Jr., *Principal*
Mr. Allan J. Byrne, *Assistant Principal*

MISCOE HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL

Mr. William Milligan, *Principal*

MEMORIAL AND HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL

Mr. Edward M. Soter, *Principal*

HEALTH SERVICES

Christian W. Aussenheimer, M.D.	Mrs. Joyce Hoberg, R.N.
John P. Cocchiarella, M.D.	Mrs. Cynthia R. Seitz, R.N.
Bernard F. McKernan, M.D.	Mrs. Elvira Townsend, R.N.

SCHOOL DIRECTORY - 1984
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

David A. Crisafulla, Ed.D., *Superintendent* Telephone: 529-7729
Office: Knowlton-Risteen Memorial Building, Upton
Secretary: Mrs. Edith M. Lebel
Financial Clerk: Mrs. Helen L. LaRose
Clerk: Mrs. Anne R. Fagnant

NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Anthony H. Gulla, Jr., *Principal* Telephone: 473-0994
Allan J. Byrne, *Assistant Principal* Telephone: 473-0995
Mrs. Mary A. Morin, *Secretary*

MISCOE HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL

William Milligan, *Principal* Telephone: 478-2241
Mrs. Lois J. Taylor, *Secretary*

MEMORIAL AND HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL

Edward M. Soter, *Principal* Telephone: 529-6931 (Memorial)
Mrs. Betty Jane Mott, *Secretary* — Memorial School 473-1968 (Clough)
Mrs. Ruth O'Grady, *Secretary* - Henry P. Clough School

PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES

Mrs. Maryellen Gray, *Director* Telephone: 529-7711
Mrs. Carolyn Barrows, *Secretary*
Dr. Herrick Hawkins, *Health Education Specialist* 478-6150
Stephen Gressak — *Counselor* 478-6150
Gordon C. Merten — *Counselor* 478-6150
Mrs. Priscilla Arbuckle (speech)
Mrs. Elaine Cook (aide)
Mrs. Sandra Lajoie (learning disabilities)
Kenneth Latimore (aide)
Mrs. Karen M. Losin (speech)
Mrs. Karen Ippolito (resource)
Mrs. Jill Magnuski (learning disabilities)
Mrs. Debbe L. Paille (aide)
Mrs. Karen A. Presbrey (resource)
Miss Lise Trancrell (language class)
Mrs. Joan Vigeant (learning disabilities)
Mrs. Lisa K. White (resource)
Mrs. Ina Zibbell (resource)
Mr. Peter Baszner (resource)

RESIGNATIONS:

Mrs. Rose Marie Horton, *Secretary*
Mrs. Susan Arsenault
Mrs. Lynne Caron
Mrs. Melinda Kement
Mrs. Anne Malone
John Riordan (on leave of absence)
Miss Lynne Shane

FACULTY — NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

ALLARD, Jeffrey	Biology
AUGER, Richard	Music Coordinator
AUSTIN, Heidi	Business Education
BASZNER, Peter	Special Education
BODNAR, Stephen	Science — Department Head
BOREK, Lauri	Physical Education
CILLEY, William	Physics
CLEMENTS, Michael	English
COURTMAN, Arthur	Social Studies
FABIAN, Karen	Foreign Languages
FERRUCCI, Beverly	Mathematics — Department Head
GILBERT, Lucille	Business Education — Department Head
GRANT, James	Social Studies
HINGLEY, Judith	Business Education
LAVOIE, John	Industrial Arts — Metals
LUCIER, Eileen	English — Department Head
MALONEY, Paula	Home Economics
McGUINNESS, Gladys	Home Economics
MILES, Martha	Mathematics
MURRAY, Arlene	Foreign Languages — Department Head
OLIVERI, Johanne	Team Chairperson
OLSON, Carl	Social Studies — Department Head
PAGE, Dennis	Physical Education
PHIPPS, Wayne	English
ROBINSON, Richard	Industrial Arts — Department Head
ROSE, Grenith	Social Studies
SALOIS, Paul	Industrial Arts — Drafting
SMITH, Robert	Social Studies
SOJA, Kathleen	Mathematics
WARDEN, Jean	Mathematics
WEED, Marjorie	Art Coordinator
WILDE, Linda	English
SMITH, Dorothy	Librarian

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

FABIAN, Karen
MALONEY, Paula

FACULTY RESIGNATIONS

GRANGER, Stephanie
REI, Jan
RIORDAN, John (on leave of absence)

FACULTY — MISCOE HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL

ARBUCKLE, Priscilla	Speech & Language Pathologist
AUSTIN, Bradley	Grade VII
BASILE, Lisa	Art
BERTRAM, Susan	English
BIANCHI, James	Music
BODNAR, Jane	Physical Education
CARON, Lynne	Resource
CLARKE, Katherine	Guidance Counselor
DiANTONIO, Patricia	Grade VI
GRADY, John	Grade VIII
GRADY, Richard	Grade VI
GRANT, Diane	Grade VII
HURLBURT, Mary	Grade V
KEELER, Beverly	Grade VII
LATIMORE, Kimberley	Resource
LOEPER, Lorraine	Home Economics
MAGNUSKI, Jill	Resource
MALLOY, Daniel	Grade V
MOREL, Henry	Music — Department Head
MURPHY, Harold	Grade VII
NARGI, Jan	School Adjustment Counselor
OLDFIELD, Frederick	Grade V
PORTER, Janet	Grade VIII
PRESBREY, Karen	Aide
RASMUSSEN, Lowell	Industrial Arts
RHODES, Lorna	Grade VII
ROBERTSON, Cynthia	Grade V
ROUSSEAU, Alma	Grade V
SILVA, Judith	Grade VI
TOLAND, Barbara	Vocal Music
VARNEY, Kathleen	Grade VII
VILLA, Louis	Grade VIII
WEATHERBEE, Janet	Grade V
ZIBBELL, Ina	Resource
BURKE, Barbara E.	Librarian
SEITZ, Cynthia	School Nurse

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS FACULTY RESIGNATIONS

BERTRAM, Susan	FURPHY, Edward
BIANCHI, James	GOGUEN, Venise
BODNAR, Jane	MULLALY, Karen
LATIMORE, Kim	STARKIS, Virginia
OLDFIELD, Frederick	
PRESBREY, Karen	

FACULTY — MEMORIAL SCHOOL

BAGGESEN, Barbara	Grade I
BURRELL, Joan	Kindergarten
CRAIB, Katherine	Grade III
DANFORTH, Ruth	Grade I
FORD, Elaine	Grade IV — Head Teacher
GALLAGHER, Madeline	Grade III
IPPOLITO, Karen	Resource
KOTTIS, Mary	Grade IV
LAUDON, Bonnie	Psychologist
MATTSON, Donna	Guidance
NIGRO, Robert	Physical Education
PAILLE, Debbe	Aide
PORTER, Elaine	Grade II
SADLER, Hazel	Kindergarten (aide)
VACCARO, Mary	Title I
VIGEANT, Joan	Learning Disabilities
WRIGHT, Carolyn	Grade II

BURKE, Barbara E.	Librarian
TOWNSEND, Elvira	School Nurse

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS FACULTY RESIGNATIONS

IPPOLITO, Karen	KEMENT, Melinda
PAILLE, Debbe	MOQUIN, Joyce

FACULTY — HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL

COOK, Elaine	Aide
DONATELLI, Cynthia	Kindergarten — Head Teacher
ESPANET, Anita	Grade III
EVANS, Diane	Grade I
FOUGERE, Harriet	Grade IV
GRADY, Martha	Grade III
GUTTERMAN, Anne	Grade II
HACKENSON, Dorothy	Kindergarten (aide)
HOWARTH, Naomi	Grade II
LAJOIE, Sandra	Learning Disabilities
LOSIN, Karen	Speech
NYDAM, Dianne	Grade II
PEARLMAN, Paula	Grade IV
PIGGOTT, Paula	Grade I
TANCRELL, Lise	Language Class

BURKE, Barbara E.	Librarian
TOWNSEND, Elvira	School Nurse

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS FACULTY RESIGNATIONS

COOK, Elaine	ARSENAULT, Susan
LOSIN, Karen	EREMICH, Frances
	MALONE, Anne
	SHANE, Lynne

CUSTODIANS

NIPMUC REGIONAL

DOW, Richard
KINNECOME, Willard
NELSON, Harold
NIRO, Enrico — Head Custodian

MISCOE HILL

BURKE, Francis
HACKENSON, William
NIRO, Enrico — Head Custodian
YONES, Alec

HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL

BRADLEY, Albert
HAZARD, William — Head Cust.
PHIPPS, Fred

MEMORIAL SCHOOL

BEDER, John
FRANCIS, Harold — Head Cust.
SPENCER, Howard

CAFETERIA

NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

BAXTER, Judith
BROCHU, Theresa
DOE, Charlene
FIELDS, Susan
KING, Gladys
LECLAIRE, Arlene
MALEWICZ, Anne
MITCHELL, Muriel — Cafeteria
Manager

HENRY P. CLOUGH SCHOOL

GARRETT, Myrtle — Cafeteria
Manager

MEMORIAL SCHOOL

HIXON, Gail — Cafeteria Manager

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1984 - 1985

Fall Term, Fifteen Weeks:

Term begins, Thursday, August 30, 1984
Term ends, Friday, December 21, 1984

Winter Term, Seven Weeks:

Term begins, Wednesday, January 2, 1985
Term ends, Friday, February 15, 1985

Spring Term, Seven Weeks:

Term begins Monday, February 25, 1985
Term ends Friday, April 12, 1985

Summer Term, Eight Weeks:

Term begins Monday, April 22, 1985
Term ends Thursday, June 13, 1985

Holidays:

Labor Day	September 2, 1984
Columbus Day	October 8, 1984
Veteran's Day	November 12, 1984
Thanksgiving	November 22-23, 1984
Christmas and New Years	December 25, 1984 January 1, 1985
Martin Luther King	January 15, 1985
Memorial Day	May 27, 1985

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Distribution of school attending children, residents of the Town of Mendon and the Town of Upton as of October 1, 1984 taken from school registers. The annual census will be taken during the month of January 1985, according to State Law.

	MENDON			UPTON		
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
Kindergarten	25	21	46	15	10	25
Grade 1	28	24	52	32	18	50
Grade 2	25	26	51	26	21	47
Grade 3	28	15	43	22	24	46
Grade 4	21	15	36	21	22	43
			<u>228*</u>			<u>211*</u>
Grade 5	22	21	43	21	18	39
Grade 6	31	22	53	26	26	52
Grade 7	25	24	49	26	29	55
Grade 8	28	29	57	29	29	58
			<u>202</u>			<u>204</u>
Grade 9	24	30	54	20	29	49
Grade 10	22	37	59	22	19	41
Grade 11	15	20	35	16	34	50
Grade 12	24	22	46	16	23	39
			<u>194</u>			<u>179</u>
			MENDON		UPTON	
Total number in public schools			624		594	
*Total Upton students in Mendon			<u>- 8</u>		<u>+ 8</u>	
			616		602	1,218
Total tuition-in students						4
Total state wards						2
Exchange student from Japan						1
Total number in vocational schools			22		47	69

MENDON-UPTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

July 1, 1983 - June 30, 1984

Cash Balance - July 1, 1983 457,978.13

RECEIPTS:

Town Assessments:

Upton 877,684.22
 Mendon 873,055.54

1,750,739.76

Chapter 70 Reimbursements 771,462.00

State Reimbursements 1,055,515.55

E.S.E.A. CHAPTER I 26,670.00

CHAPTER II BLOCK GRANT 5,716.00

Federal Grants 46,995.00

Interest 49,580.90

Tuitions 14,795.99

Rent 2,916.00

Net Increase in Athletic Fund 1,986.11

Net Increase in Special Funds 737.35

Insurance Recovery 863.96

Miscellaneous 4,492.46

Payroll Deductions & Insurance pmts. 835,594.83

DISBURSEMENTS:

Operation Expense 3,615,293.59

Debt Service:

Principal 150,000.00

Interest 295,700.00

E.S.E.A. CHAPTER I 27,853.75

CHAPTER II BLOCK GRANT 6,381.03

TITLE IVC 1,865.62

Federal Grants 49,109.41

Net Decrease in School Lunch Program 8,421.15

Net Decrease in Adult Education 70.00

Net Decrease in Distributive Education 139.22

Insurance Recovery 33.20

Payroll Deductions & Insurance pmts. 835,135.73

Cash Balance - July 1, 1984 186,041.34

5,026,044.04 5,026,044.04

MENDON-UPTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1984

ASSETS:

Home National Bank	\$ 159,381.19	
Milford Federal Savings & Loan	25,577.37	
Cash on Hand	<u>1,082.78</u>	
		\$ 186,041.34

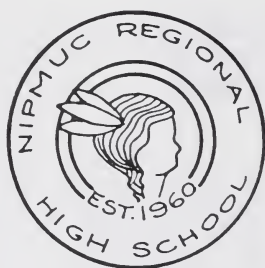
LIABILITIES AND RESERVES:

E.S.E.A. CHAPTER I	587.73	
E.S.E.A. TITLE IVB	83.80	
TITLE IVC	21.45	
CHAPTER II BLOCK GRANT	409.75	
Federal Grants	(7,585.25)	
School Lunch Program	(15,799.25)	
Athletic Programs	5,571.15	
Special Funds	1,811.59	
Distributive Education Program	1,763.14	
Insurance Recovery	151.39	
Adult Education Program	45.00	
Encumbered Payroll Deductions	6,930.12	
Encumbered Surplus	75,665.21	
E & D Account (Surplus)	<u>116,385.51</u>	
		\$ 186,041.34

MENDON-UPTON REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
FINANCIAL REPORT - June 30, 1984

	BUDGET TRANSFERRED 7/83-6/84 ALLOCATIONS		EXPENDED	BALANCE	ACCTS TRANSFERRED FROM	
Administration	81,576.00	93,883.08	93,883.08	0	Instruction Fixed Assets	11,744.09 <u>562.99</u> 12,307.08
Instruction	2,104,408.22	2,092,664.13	2,073,176.33	19,487.80		
Other School Services	265,442.00	274,019.58	274,019.58	0	Oper. & Maint.	8,577.58
Operation & Maintenance	466,222.00	456,159.14	447,159.14	9,000.00		
Fixed Charges	208,710.00	208,710.00	200,381.87	8,328.13		
Acq. of Fixed Assets	35,549.00	28,552.67	28,552.67	0		
Special Education Program	453,802.30	474,166.92	474,166.92	0	Oper. & Maint. Fixed Assets Occ. Day Prog.	1,485.28 6,433.34 12,446.00 <u>20,364.62</u>
Occupational Day Program	36,400.00	23,954.00	23,954.00	0		
Occ. Evening Program	500.00	500.00	0	500.00		
TOTALS	3,652,609.52	3,652,609.52	3,615,293.59	37,315.93		41,249.28

**NIPMUC
REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL**



*Twenty-fourth Annual
Commencement Exercises
1984*

WILHO FRIGARD GYMNASIUM

Saturday, June 2, 1984 1:00 p.m.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Mary Beth Bates
Eric Bulock
David Denenberg
Patricia Drew

Karen Lajoie
Susan Matott
Teresa McQueeney
Steven Morton

Laura Pironti
Lisa Pruitt
Kelly Swanson
Shawn Wade

GRADUATING CLASS

Cynthia Frances Ball
•Mary Beth Bates
David H. Bichard
•Eric L. Bulock
Jeffery L. Capistran
Christine Sylvie Chabot
Richard E. F. Chace III
Concetta Marie Clark
Audna L. Coalts
•David Aaron Denenberg
Margaret Teresa Dodd
Daniel Joseph Dowd
Lori Ann Doyle
Darlene Marie Drenas
•Patricia Lyn Drew
Lisa Marie Felicity Erschen
Charles W. Ferris
Lisa Marie Fields
James Dean Gilbert
Tammy Lee Gilpatrick
Claire Marie Givani
Dwight David Grimes
Barbara Ellen Hackenson
Carl Ernest Halsing
Joan Marie Hanlon
Theresa Jean Hanson
Brian Gerard Healy
Michael J. Hodgkins

Linda Beverly Horton
•Kathleen M. Houlihan
Richard Gard Howarth, Jr.
Daniel Patrick Kelley
Ann Marie Kingdon
Scott Patrick Knox
Sean Michael Knox
•Karen Mae Lajoie
Melissa Jean Leclaire
Michelle Ann Leclaire
Leo P. Leduc
Leah Concetta Lowell
Elina-Kaarina Luoto
Seth G. Mann
Renée Marshall
Julia Marie Martin
•Susan Marie Matott
Lisa Marie May
•Elizabeth Joanna McCann
Robert W. McFetridge
•Teresa Ann McQueeney
Lisa M. Mitchell
Peter Scott Morin
•Steven David Morton
Regina Ann Mosso
Kathleen Marie O'Sullivan
Teresa Ann Petersen
•Laura Ellen Pironti

Kevin T. Porter
Kim Ellen Powell
Mert S. Prince, Jr.
•Lisa Ann Pruitt
Kathleen Ann Quagliaroli
Deborah M. Quinlan
Tara Lee Rand
James Michael Samarco
Glenn W. Sanborn
Charlene Ann Schreiber
Shann William Smolenski
•Kelly L. Swanson
Debra Jean Swett
Kimberly D. M. Thibeault
Karen Jean Valdivia
Kevin E. VanZile
Richard Victor, Jr.
Vicki Marie Vocks
•Shawn S. Wade
Wendy L. Watts
Emily J. Webster
Frank J. Wegwerth
Connie Wheeler
Gretel Michelle White
Carol Ann Whitney
•Michelle Denise Wilkos
Kimberly A. Williams

•Academic Honor Achievement — B Average or Better for Four Years

PROGRAM

° PROCESSIONAL	High School Band
° INVOCATION	Rev. John Gee <i>St. Michael's Church, Mendon</i>
° NATIONAL ANTHEM	All Present
ADDRESS OF WELCOME	Daniel Kelley
SELECTION	Gretel White "The Way We Were" (Marvin Hamlisch)
ESSAY	Kathleen Quagliaroli "We Don't Have Tomorrow Together, but We Have the Memory of Yesterday."
SELECTION	Michelle Wilkos "Somewhere" (from West Side Story) (Leonard Bernstein)
ESSAY	Tara Rand "Memories"
SELECTION	Margaret Dodd "Perhaps Love" (John Denver — Placido Domingo)
ESSAY	Teresa McQueeney "Footprints in the Sand"
PRESENTATION OF CLASS GIFT	Melissa Leclair
PRESENTATION OF AWARDS	Allan J. Byrne <i>Acting Principal</i>
REMARKS	Anthony H. Gulla, Jr. <i>Acting Superintendent of Schools</i>
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS	Mrs. Joy J. DiLegge <i>Chairperson, School Committee</i>
° BENEDICTION	Rev. David Arthur <i>First Baptist Church, Mendon</i>
° RECESSIONAL	High School Band
Director of Band	Richard Auger
Marshal	Christopher Pouliot <i>Junior Class President</i>
° Audience Standing	

CLASS OFFICERS

PRESIDENT	Daniel Kelley
VICE PRESIDENT	Cynthia Ball
SECRETARY	Michelle LeClaire
TREASURER	Melissa LeClaire

CLASS ADVISORS

Dr. Beverly J. Ferrucci — Gordon C. Merten

CLASS MOTTO

*"We Don't Have Tomorrow Together,
but We Have the Memory of Yesterday."*

CLASS COLORS

Green and White

CLASS FLOWER

Yellow Rose

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

*Mrs. Joy J. DiLegge, Chairperson
John N. Morrel, Vice Chairperson*

*Brian J. Hastings
Frederick J. Pironti*

*Donald P. Troast
William C. Young*

ACTING SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Anthony H. Gulla, Jr.

SCHOOL FACULTY

<i>Allan J. Byrne, Acting Principal</i>	<i>John LaVoie</i>
<i>Carl Olson III, Acting Asst. Principal</i>	<i>Eileen Lucier</i>
<i>Jeffrey Allard</i>	<i>Gladys McGuinness</i>
<i>Richard Auger</i>	<i>Gordon Merten</i>
<i>Heidi Austin</i>	<i>Martha Miles</i>
<i>Peter Baszner</i>	<i>Arlene Murray</i>
<i>Stephen Bodnar</i>	<i>Johanne Oliveri</i>
<i>Laurie Borek</i>	<i>Dennis Page</i>
<i>William Cilley</i>	<i>Wayne Phipps</i>
<i>Michael Clements</i>	<i>Jan Rei</i>
<i>Arthur Courtman</i>	<i>John Riordan</i>
<i>Beverly Ferrucci</i>	<i>Richard Robinson</i>
<i>Lucille Gilbert</i>	<i>Grenith Rose</i>
<i>Stephanie Granger</i>	<i>Paul Salois</i>
<i>James Grant</i>	<i>Dorothy Smith</i>
<i>Maryellen Gray</i>	<i>Robert Smith, Jr.</i>
<i>Stephen Gressak</i>	<i>Kathleen Soja</i>
<i>Herrick Hawkins</i>	<i>Barbara Toland</i>
<i>Judith Hingley</i>	<i>Jean Warden</i>
<i>Joyce Hoberg</i>	<i>Marjorie Weed</i>
	<i>Linda Wilde</i>

NIPMUC REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

CLASS OF 1984 - june 2, 1984

A \$50.00 savings bond for Good Citizenship and excellence of character given by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

WINNER: Tammy Gilpatrick

The American Legion School Award given by the Roger L. Wood Post of Mendon for the student who best exemplifies the qualities of honor, courage, scholarship, leadership, and service.

WINNER: Shawn Wade

Two \$100.00 scholarships awarded by the Home and Community Service Committee of the Upton Grange to the Upton girl and boy judged to be most deserving.

WINNERS: Karen Lajoie
Steven Morton

Two \$100.00 Good Fellowship Awards given by the Mendon Firefighters to a Mendon girl and boy furthering their education.

WINNERS: Lisa May
Richard Victor

The Ella Whitney Risteen Awards of \$25.00 each to the girl and boy who have made the greatest progress in terms of total growth and development of the students during the high school years.

WINNERS: Carol Whitney
James Samarco

Two \$200.00 scholarships awarded by the George L. Wood Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Upton.

WINNERS: Patricia Drew
Margaret Dodd

One \$100.00 award known as the Virginia Rogers Memorial Scholarship.

WINNER: Lisa Mitchell

One \$100.00 award known as the First Annual Upton Police Association Scholarship given to an Upton resident continuing his or her education.

WINNER: Tara Rand

One \$100.00 scholarship known as the St. Michael's Catholic Women's Club Scholarship to a member of St. Michael's Parish.

WINNER: Joan Hanlon

One \$200.00 scholarship known as the Gary Bates Memorial Scholarship given from the proceeds of funds raised by the youth of Upton as a memorial scholarship to be awarded annually to a graduating student from Upton to defray the cost of further education. Selection by the Bates Scholarship Committee and the Board of Selectmen.

WINNER: Margaret Dodd

Five \$100.00 scholarships given by the Upton Bloomer Girls, a community service organization.

WINNERS: Mary Beth Bates
Barbara Hackenson
Michelle LeClaire
Steven Morton
Kathleen O'Sullivan

Four scholarships are being awarded by the Business Education Department for proficiency and service in the business field.

WINNERS: \$50.00 Lisa May
50.00 Lisa Mitchell
50.00 Wendy Watts
100.00 Carol Whitney

One \$100.00 scholarship known as the David French Hamilton Memorial Scholarship Award, established by his family and friends, presented to a graduating student who is eager to learn, willing to work hard and has demonstrated qualities of citizenship, leadership and commitment.

WINNER: Lisa Pruitt

Two \$100.00 awards given by the Mendon Lion's Club to that Mendon boy and girl having the highest academic rank and furthering his or her education.

WINNERS: Susan Matott
David Denenberg

One \$100.00 award established in memory of Marie B. Sweeney and given by her family, to a student who displays sensitivity, helpfulness, and competence.

WINNER: Kelly Swanson

One \$200.00 scholarship given by the National Honor Society of Nipmuc Regional High School to that student who has shown personal and academic growth in his or her four years of high school and who has exhibited potential for success in a post high school program.

WINNER: Lisa May

One \$350.00 scholarship given by the Mendon-Upton Music Boosters to a student furthering his or her education in the music field.

WINNER: Margaret Dodd

Ella Risteen Scholarship, Clause B administered by the Selectmen of Upton and approved by the March 1973 town meeting, a sum not to exceed \$500.00, to be awarded annually to Upton students graduating from a private or public high school and planning to further their education.

WINNERS: \$100.00 Mary Beth Bates
100.00 Teresa McQueeney
100.00 Steven Morton
100.00 Tara Rand

Two \$100.00 savings bonds given by the Mendon Police Association to that girl and boy who display good school fellowship.

WINNERS: Susan Matott
Richard Chace

One \$200.00 scholarship given in memory of Clifford LaPierre by his family and friends.

WINNER: Charles Ferris

One \$100.00 award known as the Harold F. Lowell Memorial Scholarship given to a girl or boy furthering his or her education.

WINNER: Kelly Swanson

Two \$100.00 awards given by the Nipmuc Warriors Club to a girl and boy in the athletic program.

WINNERS: Susan Matott
Eric Bulock

One \$200.00 scholarship given by the Mendon Country Gift Barn to a deserving student having an average academic rank and furthering his or her education.

WINNER: Joan Hanlon

One \$300.00 award known as the Deborah L. Beltramini Memorial Scholarship to be awarded from a fund established by her family and friends and to be given annually to a student who demonstrates a talent in and a love of music and who plans to further his or her education.

WINNER: Margaret Dodd

One \$500.00 scholarship given by the Nipmuc Regional High School student council.

WINNER: Tammy Gilpatrick

Two \$500.00 scholarships are awarded by the First Unitarian Society in Upton to two deserving Upton students continuing their education.

WINNERS: Margaret Dodd
Barbara Hackenson

One \$500.00 scholarship given by the Upton Women's Club to a Mendon or Upton student furthering his or her education.

WINNER: Brian Healy

One \$500.00 Johnna Gould Bradley Memorial Scholarship given by her family, friends, the Mendon Lion's Club and the Class of 1984 to a senior eager to learn, capable of leadership but more willing to serve; honest, friendly, compassionate to others, willing to listen, possessing good judgment and exhibiting common sense.

WINNER: Elizabeth McCann

One \$1,000.00 scholarship given by the Milford Rotary Club to a student furthering his or her education.

WINNER: Teresa McQueeney

One \$1,000.00 scholarship award known as the George R. Whitten, Sr. annual scholarship selected and given by George R. Whitten, Jr. to a Mendon resident furthering his or her education at other than a four year college.

WINNER: Gretel White

The Mendon-Upton Regional Teachers Association awards seven scholarships totaling \$2,000.00:

One \$200.00 award known as the Janet O. Stockwell Memorial Scholarship to a student furthering his or her education in the medical field.

WINNER: Brian Healy

Five scholarships in the amounts designated:

WINNERS: \$100.00 Darlene Drenas
100.00 Richard Howarth
300.00 Eric Bulock
300.00 Margaret Dodd

One \$500.00 scholarship known as the Henry P. Clough Scholarship given by the Mendon-Upton Teachers Association, selection is based on scholarship, leadership, service and character.

WINNER: Shawn Wade

One \$500.00 scholarship known as the Wilho Frigard Memorial Scholarship to be given each year from a fund created by his friends and colleagues.

WINNER: Theresa McQueeney

Special recognitions, scholarships and financial aid packages have been awarded by other community groups and colleges:

Massachusetts Federation of Women's Club Art Scholarship of \$600.00 and their Pennies for Art Scholarship of \$275.00 to:

Darlene Drenas

Holy Angels Church in Upton \$100.00 each to:

Mary Beth Bates	Linda Horton
Concetta Clark	Julia Martin
Margaret Dodd	Teresa McQueeney
Darlene Drenas	Kathleen O'Sullivan
Barbara Hackenson	Tara Rand
	Emily Webster

The following financial aid grants are renewable each year:

Rivier College	\$2,400.	Theresa Hanson
Assumption College	\$1,000.	Brian Healy
Massachusetts State Scholarship Program	\$1,200.	Michelle LeClaire
Curry College	\$7,950.	Elizabeth McCann

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

**BLACKSTONE VALLEY VOCATIONAL
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

for the

FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 1983 to JUNE 30, 1984

FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 1983 to JUNE 30, 1984

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BLACKSTONE VALLEY VOCATIONAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

School Committee Members

Anthony F. Rando, Chairman	Milford
Kelton D. Johnson, Vice Chairman	Sutton
Paul R. Barry, Jr.	Bellingham
Matthew C. Krajewski	Blackstone
L. Wayne Gilley	Douglas
James A. Hersom	Grafton
Edward J. McGrath	Hopedale
J. Gerard Sweeney	Mendon
Leodore J. Tebo, Jr.	Millbury
Alan Whittemore	Millville
Edward B. Postma	Northbridge
Edward S. Henderson	Upton
Herman Buma	Uxbridge

Kelton D. Johnson, Secretary
Arthur C. Young, Treasurer
Kevin R. Sherin, Counsel
Margaret Asadoorian, Recording Secretary
Eugene D. Picard, Superintendent-Director

Regular School Committee meetings are held at the Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational Technical High School, Pleasant Street, Upton, MA on the third Thursday of each month in the school's Conference Room at 7:30 P.M.

DAY SCHOOL

1. Classes for day school students opened August 23, 1983 and concluded June 13, 1984. One hundred and eighty (180) school days were completed. Regular educational/vocational programs were conducted five and one-half (5½) hours per school day. Student progress reports were issued at the end of each Trimester (November, March and June). The dual program of academic study and specific occupational training was accomplished by alternating two-week cycles.
2. Sixteen (16) distinct vocational/technical programs, designed to prepare young people for gainful employment, were conducted. They were: Air Conditioning/Refrigeration, Auto Body, Auto Technology, Carpentry, Culinary Arts/Baking, Computerized Information Processing, Machine Drafting, Electrical, Electronics, Graphic Arts, Health Services, Machine Shop, Metal Fabrication/Sheet Metal, Painting/Decorating, Plant Maintenance, and Plumbing.

3. Special Education services for **one hundred and six** (106) young men and women were provided as prescribed by Individual Education Plans. A very successful program (prototype 502.4), identified as Building and Grounds Maintenance, trained twelve (12) young people for gainful employment.
4. Extra-curricular activities in which male and female students participated included:

Interscholastic Teams:

Cross-Country	(18)	Baseball	(17)
Soccer	(20)	Softball	(19)
Basketball	(40)	Track/Field	(35)

Other Activities: Class Officers, Yearbook, Jr./Sr. Prom, Cheerleading, and Red Cross Blood Drive were experienced.

During the week of May 18, 1984, Seniors were treated and honored with a class banquet and a Recognition Night. Distinguished graduates were publicly recognized with scholarships and awards for their educational/vocational performances.

The English Department sponsored a very creative and successful magazine of student writings called "Beaver Tales". The publication was very well received by the School Committee as evidence of the comprehensiveness of the total educational program.

5. A Cooperative Education Program provided one hundred and twenty-two (122) seniors with actual work-experience during the school year. This program has been in place for sixteen (16) years and continues to prove that young people who are educationally and vocationally prepared possess the background for a variety of options upon graduation. Employers have shown great interest and cooperation in this partnership effort for which students are paid for their work at a site.
6. Continuing the practice of serving district towns, a major renovation and construction project was undertaken in the town of Northbridge. Students and instructors of the Carpentry, Electrical, Plumbing, Heating/Ventilation/Air Conditioning, and Painting/Decorating programs began work/training at the old Plummer School in November 1983. The former elementary school was transferred to the Northbridge Council on Aging. The three-story building will be converted into a major center for the elderly containing office space, examination rooms, kitchen facilities, dining room and recreation rooms. The entire building will be retrofitted for energy conservation and for handicapped persons. The project is scheduled to be completed for occupancy in March of 1985.

7. Enrollment statistics as of October 1, 1983 were as follows:

Applicants	Town	Grade				Total	(M)	(F)
		9	10	11	12			
46	Bellingham	28	34	23	22	107	(84)	(23)
17	Blackstone	15	16	16	10	57	(48)	(9)
26	Douglas	9	7	11	10	37	(25)	(12)
37	Grafton	32	27	21	31	111	(91)	(20)
11	Hopedale	9	3	2	3	17	(14)	(3)
26	Mendon	8	4	6	5	23	(14)	(9)
48	Milford	44	42	36	17	139	(115)	(24)
70	Millbury	33	30	38	25	126	(110)	(16)
15	Millville	6	6	2	5	19	(18)	(1)
50	Northbridge	30	25	25	20	100	(75)	(25)
50	Sutton	13	15	14	13	55	(46)	(9)
41	Upton	9	11	12	13	45	(29)	(16)
47	Uxbridge	23	20	27	20	90	(69)	(21)
484	Totals	259	240	233	194	926	(738)	(188)

8. Graduation exercises were held in the James S. Mullaney Gymnasium on Friday evening, May 25, 1984. One hundred and eighty-eight (188) seniors received diplomas and vocational certificates. There were one hundred and fifty-nine (159) male and twenty-nine (29) female graduates. Chairman Anthony F. Rando (Milford) presented the diplomas. Gregory Cofsky (M.A. in Business) a graduate of the Class of 1975, addressed the Class of 1984. Class officers were: Sharon LeBoeuf (Douglas), President; Kim Collamati (Bellingham), Vice-President; Denise Lomartire (Millbury), Secretary; Lynn Brooks (Douglas), Treasurer.

ADULT TRAINING

1. Evening School Programs were conducted in the fall (September to November, 1983) and spring (March to May, 1984). Between the two sessions, two hundred and sixteen (216) adults (175 men and 41 women) paid a tuition to receive training in the following programs: Air Conditioning, Auto Body, Carpentry, Computers, Electrical, Electronics, Machine Shop and Welding. The self-supporting adult training program was offered Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 6:30 PM to 9:30 PM for sixteen (16) nights each semester.
2. The Basic Electronic Assembler Program, supported entirely with a federal grant, trained eighteen (18) men and women for entry level employment in local electronics companies. The program was conducted from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM daily during October through March. Age of trainees ranged from 18 years to 59 years. Fourteen (14) of the trainees were gainfully employed after the 500 hours of intensive job preparation. Another program was begun in June of 1984.

PERSONNEL & OTHER

1. Three categories of personnel were employed by the Regional Vocational School District to deliver educational/vocational services. Staffing patterns and numbers of personnel are as follows:

Direct Educational Services (School Year)	Ancillary Educational Services (School Year)	Support Services (School Year)
Vocational Instructors	Librarian	Health Nurses
Academic Teachers	Counselors	Cafe. Workers
Sp.Ed. & Chp.1	Supervisors	Sec./Clerical
Teachers	Coordinators	Matron
Educational Aides	Full Year	Drivers
	Administrators	Full Year
		Facility Mgr.
		Custodians
		Sec./Clerical

2. The day school population was transported to and from school throughout the thirteen-town district with twenty-two (22) bus routes each school day. In addition, supplemental transportation was provided on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons for students who were detained for a variety of reasons.

CONCLUSION

The school year 1983-84, from all perspectives, was successful. Citizens shared with students in the use of the facilities and program offerings. The Three Seasons Restaurant was used, on a regular basis, from September to June between the hours of 11 AM to 1 PM, by the public and various organizations for luncheons. The automotive programs were utilized totally as were the graphic arts, metal and construction programs.

The Vocational Regional School District "passed-through" \$744,893 of Chapter 70 (School Aid) funds to the towns of the district as required by the Commonwealth. Approximately 85% of the school's graduates were employed upon completion of the training programs. Approximately 12% of the graduates were accepted at institutions of higher learning (colleges, universities, community colleges and specialized schools).

Long delayed repairs to the facility were begun. The School Committee commissioned the preparation of a codified manual of its school district policies. The Administration inaugurated a study of the school's Program of Studies scheduled for completion in the school year 1984-85.

The School Committee, Administration, Faculty, Advisory Committees, Students and Support Staff express their genuine thanks to all the citizens of the Blackstone Valley Vocational Regional School District for their help and support throughout the past school year.

Respectfully submitted,

Eugene D. Picard
Superintendent-Director

**BLACKSTONE VALLEY VOCATIONAL REGIONAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Balance Sheet, June 30, 1984

Assets

Current Assets

Cash in Banks including	
Certificates of Deposit	\$249,675.85
Accounts Receivable —	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	1,288.49

Total Assets	<u><u>\$250,964.34</u></u>
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Liabilities and Fund Balances

Current Liabilities

Encumbrances Payable	\$ 70,925.39
Employees' Payroll Deductions	7,491.65
Revolving Accounts	<u>5,530.65</u>

Total Liabilities	\$ 83,947.69
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Appropriated Balance

Non-Revenue	26,391.81
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Fund Balances

Federal Grants	21,126.03
General Fund - Unrestricted	<u>119,498.81</u>

Total Fund Balances	140,624.84
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Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	<u><u>\$250,964.34</u></u>
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Debt Accounts

Assets

Liabilities

Fixed Debt:

General	<u><u>\$2,900,000.00</u></u>
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Serial Loans:

School Construction	<u><u>\$2,900,000.00</u></u>
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**BLACKSTONE VALLEY VOCATIONAL REGIONAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**Analysis of Fund Balance — Unrestricted
June 30, 1984**

Balance — June 30, 1983	\$ 161,795.77
Add: Revenue	32,792.97
Excess of Appropriations over Expenditures	7,649.37
Excess of Actual Revenue over Estimated Receipts	865,753.70
Amount Received from Member Towns	472,182.50
	<u>1,278,378.54</u>
Less: Transferred to Reduce Budget	190,000.00
Appropriated for Special Projects	13,600.00
Assessment Member Towns (Net of Reduction	472,182.50
Revenue Pass-Thru to Member Towns	744,893.00
	<u>1,420,675.50</u>
Balance - June 30, 1984	<u><u>\$ 119,498.81</u></u>

BLACKSTONE VALLEY VOCATIONAL REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Summary of Appropriations, Expenditures and Balances for the Year Ended June 30, 1984

	Appropriated	Expended	Balance
Administration - School Committee	18,630.00	\$ 21,667.44	\$ (3,037.44)
Administration - Supt's Office	73,550.00	74,773.86	(1,223.96)
Instruction - Supervision	73,500.00	71,841.66	1,658.34
Principal's Office	46,435.00	47,856.35	(1,421.35)
Teaching	1,510,210.00	1,505,647.21	4,562.79
Special Needs Program	96,565.00	101,240.19	(4,675.19)
Textbooks	8,000.00	4,397.23	3,602.77
Library Services	19,200.00	21,345.09	(2,145.09)
Audio Visual	800.00	872.36	(72.36)
Guidance	76,280.00	78,648.26	(2,368.26)
Health Services	27,250.00	23,800.13	3,449.87
Pupil Transportation	296,200.00	293,424.71	2,775.29
Food Services	1,500.00	1,483.36	16.64
Athletic Program	22,550.00	22,692.64	(142.64)
Student Body Activities	5,175.00	3,498.22	1,676.78
Custodial Services	100,600.00	106,826.17	(6,226.17)
Heating Building	74,500.00	61,179.75	13,320.25
Utilities	91,900.00	97,068.52	(5,168.52)
Maintenance & Repairs - Plant	84,375.00	85,723.65	(1,348.65)
Insurance	158,650.00	161,135.33	(2,485.33)
Debt Service - Current Loans	100.00	— —	100.00
Equipment Acquisition	21,400.00	14,598.50	6,801.50
Total Operating	<u>\$2,807,370.00</u>	<u>\$2,799,720.63</u>	<u>\$ 7,649.37</u>
Debt Service Retirement			
Bond Principal	360,000.00	360,000.00	— —
Bond Interest	282,772.50	282,772.50	— —
Total Debt Retirement			
& Service	<u>642,772.50</u>	<u>642,772.50</u>	<u>— —</u>
TOTAL	<u><u>\$3,450,142.50</u></u>	<u><u>\$3,442,493.13</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 7,649.37</u></u>

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FIRE ALARM BOXES



- 15 North Ave. at Northbridge Rd.
- 33 Bellingham St. and Bates St.
- 36 Hartford Ave. E. and Bellingham St.
- 42 Route 16 at Main St.
- 44 Fire Station
- 45 Route 16 at Emerson
- 112 Nipmuc Regional School
- 414 Sunrise Apartments
- 1171 H. P. Clough School



General Signals

- 1 Blast Noon Test
- 2 Blasts All Out
- 4 Blasts House Call
- 5 Blasts Out-of-Town
- 6 Blasts Grass and Brush Fire
- 8 Blasts Air Raid