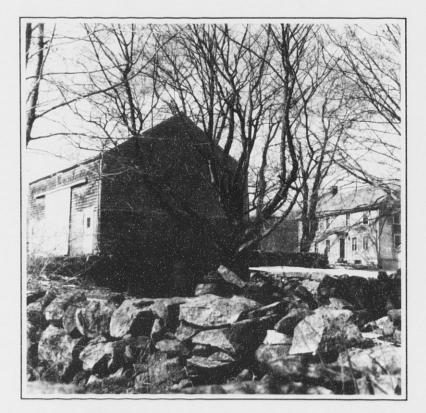
# 1993 Annual Report Town of Westport





"The Coastal Agricultural Resource Community of New England"

#### THE PEOPLE WHO REPRESENT YOU

GOVERNOR

His Excellency, William F. Weld (R) Room 360, State House Boston, MA 02133

SENATORS in CONGRESS

The Honorable Edward M. Kennedy (D) S.R. - 113, United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510 2400 John F. Kennedy Federal Building Boston, MA 02203

The Honorable John Kerry (D) Russell Senate Office Building Room 166 Washington, D.C. 20510

3rd DISTRICT

REPRESENTATIVE in CONGRESS The Honorable Peter Blute (R) 1029 Longworth Hob Washington, D.C. 20515

SENATOR in GENERAL COURT 2nd BRISTOL DISTRICT

The Honorable Thomas C. Norton (D) Room 407, State House Boston, MA 02133

COURT 8th BRISTOL DISTRICT Room 22, State House

REPRESENTATIVE in GENERAL The Hon. Edward M. Lambert, Jr. (D) Boston, MA 02133

#### BRISTOL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

P.O. Box 208 Taunton, MA 02780

Sylvester Sylvia, Chairman Maria F. Lopes Arthur R. Machado Marc. J. Santos, Esq., Clerk of the Board (508) 824-9681

# TOWN OF WESTPORT ANNUAL REPORTS 1993



BOARD OF SELECIMEN

&

OTHER BOARDS OF OFFICERS

Including a Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures for the Fiscal Year Ending

June 30, 1993

# THIS YEAR'S TOWN REPORT IS DEDICATED IN MEMORY OF JAMES M. MORTON III AND VERNON WHITEHEAD

Both these men died while in service to the Town. Jim and Vernon were very much alike in that they were very dedicated to their positions and to the Town of Westport. Their wealth of knowledge, strength and remarkable wit will be missed.



VERNON WHITEHEAD
Inspector of Buildings
November 1981 - November 1993



JAMES M. MORTON III

Board of Appeals Alternate, Member and Chairman

1981 - 1993

Southeastern Regional Transit Authority/
Joint Transportation Planning Group Representative

Railroad Commissioner

#### IN MEMORIUM

EDWARD S. BLISS Council on Aging

IRENE BOUDRY
School Teacher (retired)

JOSEPH R. CADIME Planning Board - Board of Health Agent

KENNETH M. CANDEIAS
Westport Police Department - State Police Officer

NICHOLAS M. CIARLONE
Finance Committee - Westport Free Public Library Building
Committee

JOSEPH W. DOYLE
Honorary Reserve Police Office - State Police Officer (retired)

RITA M. GRIFFIN School Teacher (retired)

MARTHA C. KIRBY
School Committee - School Building Committee

JOSEPH E. OUELLETTE, JR. School Custodian (retired)

ROMEO J. ROY School Custodian

PAUL SILVIA School Committee

HOOTON G. SQUIRE Finance Committee

BARBARA TRIPP School Teacher (retired)

> DAVID D. WICKS Council on Aging

## SPECIAL RECOGNITION

#### ALTHEA M. MANCHESTER

(Retired)
Town Clerk - Registrar of Voters
15 Years of Service
Several Years Part-time in Town Clerk's Office

THOMAS K. PORTER
Conservation Commission/Soil Board
19 Years of Service

WALTER R. WOOD

(Retired)

Board of Health Member and Agent
Animal Inspector

31 Years of Service

WILMA C. WOODRUFF

(Retired)
Registrar of Voters Assistant & Principal Clerk
Board of Public Welfare Clerk & Stenographer
33 Years of Service

HARRIET BARKER/CLIFTON GREENWOOD/PAUL B. THOMAS
Council on Aging

KEVIN P. FEELEY
Temporary Town Counsel

DAMASE A. "JIGGS" GIGUERE
Beach Committee

JERRY GOUVEIA
Solid Waste Disposal Committee

ELEANOR JEROME Beach Committee

JOHN J. LONG Soil Conservation Board and Conservation Commission

HILDA M. MARTEL
Westport Citizens Betterment Committee

STEVEN J. OUELLETTE Arts Lottery Council

> SUSAN B. READ Personnel Board

GEORGE L. ROBICHAUD Sealer of Weights and Measures

PAUL B. THOMAS
Senior Center Site Selection Committee

EDGAR TOWNE, JR. Personnel Board

#### TOWN OFFICERS - 1993

SELECIMEN Thomas Perkins David P. Dionne George T. Leach, Jr.	TERM EXPIRES 1994 1995 1996
TOWN CLERK Marlene Samson	1996
MODERATOR Brad C. Brightman	1995
TREASURER George E. Foster	1996
COLLECTOR OF TAXES Pauline M. Raposa	1996
ASSESSORS Lido Jerome George R. Medeiros John J. McDermott	1994 1995 1996
BOARD OF HEALTH John J. Colletti David P. Cabral Robert J. Chandanais	1994 1995 1996
SCHOOL COMMITTEE Catherine M. Madsen Christopher B. Cooney Joan M. Tripp Robert S. Wicks June LaBonte	1994 1994 1995 1995 1996
REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE Thomas J. McGarr	1996
HIGHWAY SURVEYOR Paul T. Pereira	1996
FISH COMMISSIONERS Edward T. Earle Daniel P. Sullivan Russell Hart	1994 1995 1996
CONSTABLES William A. Pariseau Daniel P. Sullivan	1996 1996

TRUSTEES OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY Wendy H. Goldberg	TERM EXPIRES
Janet M. Edmonds	1994
Frances C. Kirkaldy	1995
Annamarie K. Towne	1995
Ruth S. Manchester	1996
Rhoda W. Sheehan	1996
LANDING COMMISSIONERS	
Joseph Bothelo	1994
Albert H. Field	1994
James S. Manchester, Jr.	1994
Robert Albanese	1994
HOUSING AUTHORITY	
Jeffrey A. Mason	1994
George A. Yeomans	1995
Stephen Farias	1996
John H. Marques	1998
Patricia D. Pariseau (State Appointed)	
PLANNING BOARD	
John S. Penney	1994
Daniel T. George	1995
John Montano	1996
Timothy H. Gillespie	1997
William H. Russell	1998
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS	
Lori Ann Ethier	1994
Roberta V. Costa	1995
Stafford Sheehan	1996

#### ABOUT WESTPORT

Settled: 1670 - Incorporated July 2, 1787

200 years old in 1987

County: Bristol

**Population:** 1950 - 4,987

1960 - 7,185 1970 - 9,313 1980 - 13,604 1990 - 13,241 1993 - 13,485

Area: 55 square miles - 33,900 acres

(Road Mileage - approximately 140 miles of accepted

street, not including Routes 6, 88, and 177)

Highest Elevation

Above Sea Level: 240 feet

Tax Rate: 1992 - 1993 \$8.38

1991 - 1992 \$7.40 1990 - 1991 \$7.13

Form of Government: Open Town Meeting - Annual Meeting

First Tuesday in April

Board of Selectmen/Administrative Assistant

Annual Town Election: Second Monday in March

Hospitals Nearby: Charlton Memorial and St. Anne's in Fall River

St. Luke's in New Bedford

Human Services: Council on Aging

Veterans Services

Health: Westport Home Health Agency

Public Safety: Full-time Fire Department with two Fire Stations
Trained EMT's provide emergency & ambulance service

Full-time Police Department

Utilities: Electrical service provided by Eastern Utilities

and Commonwealth Electric Company

Natural gas service provided by Fall River Gas Co. Phone service provided by New England Telephone

Schools:

Public: Elementary - Alice A. Macomber and

Westport Elementary School

Westport Middle School Westport High School

Diman Regional Vocational Technical High School

Bristol County Agricultural School

Private: Several Private Schools, Nursery Schools and

Day Care Centers

Churches: Three Catholic; two Congregational; one Methodist;

one Quaker; one Chapel (seasonal); Calvary Bible

Justice of the Peace: Althea M. Manchester

Recreation: State Reservation - Horseneck Beach; thirty-five

miles of river shoreline and ponds provide for boating, sailing, fishing and other water-related sports; hunting; wide variety of seasonal programs and events under the jurisdiction of the Recreation

Commission

Post Offices: Main office - 649 State Road (Route 6), 02790

Central Village Station - 10 Adamsville Road, 02790

Noquochoke Station - Old County Road, 02790

Westport Point - Main Road, 02791

# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK TOWN OF WESTPORT

#### VITAL STATISTICS 1993

BIRIHS												97
MARRIAG	ES											79
DEATHS												114
POPULAT	IC	N									13	485
NUMBER	OF	7	701	TEF	RS						8	407

#### TOWN OF WESTPORT

The following is a list of Finance Committee members and the date of expiration of appointment.

Raymond P. Woodruff									1994
Veronica F. Beaulieu									1994
James E. Britland, Jr									1995
George Costa									1995
John J. Baughan									1995
Marjorie A. Holden									1996
Michael J. Rodrigues	((	Cha	ii	ma	an)				1996
Joseph J. Ciosek .									1996

#### SPECIAL NOTICE:

The Town Clerk has been advised through the Department of Vital Statistics <u>not</u> to publish births and deaths in the Annual Town Report, thus the reason for said records not appearing in this report.

#### MARRIAGES

Registered in Westport 1993

DATE	NAME OF BRIDE & GROOM	RESIDENCE
JANUARY 9	Robert C. Lima Celeste Medeiros	Providence, RI Providence, RI
9	Steven D. Hegarty Carol S. Duclos	New Bedford, MA Westport, MA
17	Alphonse Mangiarelli Marietta Calenda	Cranston, RI Cranston, RI
ENCORPT IN DAY		
FEBRUARY 14	David A. Sarmento Ana M. Albergaria	Fall River, MA Fall River, MA
26	Bradford M. Amaral Sherry L. DeAndrade	Westport, MA Westport, MA
26	Lawrence Tavares Patricia L. Candeias	Westport, MA Westport, MA
27	Glenn Mackillop Denise M. Donatelli	Westport, MA Westport, MA
MARCH		
6	Armand Blanchette May M. O'Donnell	Westport, MA Westport, MA
7	Thomas M. Hood Pamela A. Furtado	Fall River, MA Fall River, MA
27	David Baptista Hannah L. Dittmer	Westport, MA Westport, MA
27	Gary P. Arruda Joanne M. Lomax	Fall River, MA Fall River, MA
APRIL		
17	Mark K. Reed Debra A. Cox	Westport, MA Fall River, MA
24	Donald DosVais Donna M. Kern	Westport, MA Westport, MA
MAY		
1	Kenneth A. Machado Paula J. Santo Christo	Fall River, MA Westport, MA

MAY		
1	Timothy P. Duarte Michelle A. Rayno	Westport, MA Westport, MA
1	Gerald F. Dupuis Sandra L. Correia	Fall River, MA Fall River, MA
1	Michael S. Ajemian Carolyn A. Zajac	Liverpool, NY Westport, MA
1	Timothy A. Connick Kristin L. Oliveira	Fall River, MA Fall River, MA
8	David C. Liberty Linda C. Quintal	Fall River, MA Westport, MA
8	William M. Truesdale Deborah B. Rogers	St. John, US V.I. St. John, US V.I.
15	Robert T. Mercer, Jr. Debra L. Melanson	Westport, MA No. Dartmouth, MA
16	Mark A. Murray Sharon A. Abrantes	Westport, MA Westport, MA
21	Thomas M. St.Michel Sheila A. Jennings	Westport, MA Tiverton, RI
28	Ted Santos Rosemary Cabral	Westport, MA Westport, MA
29	Donald A. Bisbano Lynne A. Roberts	Bristol, RI Providence, RI
29	Robert M. Haines, Jr. Heather A. Brown	Westport, MA Westport, MA
30	Gary W. Drewniak Kay M. Robinson	Westport, MA Coventry, RI
JUNE		
5	Thomas C. Jester Jennifer A. Giblin	Washington, DC Washington, DC
12	Jeff John Chiesa Jan G. Davis	Westport, MA Westport, MA
12	Christopher S. Wilkie Stephanie Manchester	Little Compton, RI Little Compton, RI

JUNE		
12	Clayton C. Dennis Kimberly H. Whitney	Westport, MA Westport, MA
12	David G. Brown Daphne L. Sykes	Westport, MA Westport, MA
12	Burt S. Tilley Wendy A. Cooper	Evanston, IL Evanston, IL
12	Alan R. Wordell Eleanor E. Taylor	Westport, MA Westport, MA
13	David J. Butler Diane G. Levesque	Westport, MA Westport, MA
19	James P. Wirth Lori E. Mack	Manchester, CT Manchester, CT
26	Brian E. Alphonse Ellen J. Baasch	Westport, MA Westport, MA
26	Matthias O. Boxler Ann E. McDermott	Westport, MA Westport, MA
26	Francis X. Harding, Jr. Kerry E. LoRusso	Westport, MA Westport, MA
26	Joel B. Andrade Paula A. Chouinard	Westport, MA Somerset, MA
26	David P. Ronan Elisabeth L. Gifford	Little Compton, RI Westport, MA
JULY		
4	Wayne R. Collins Ellie M. Reis	Tiverton, RI Swansea, MA
10	Keith Cardin Susan L. Wood	Westport, MA Westport, MA
10	Mark Rapoza Nina M. Cipollini	Westport, MA Westport, MA
10	Michael G. Kirby Marcia F. Stawicki	Westport, MA Westport, MA
10	Henry C. Avery Mary E. Duarte	Mattapoisett, MA Mattapoisett, MA

TITY		
JULY 11	Kevin DeMello Connie J. Bianchi	Fall River, MA Fall River, MA
17	Michael C. McCarthy, Jr. Joyce M. Correia	Westport, MA Westport, MA
24	William J. Hubbard Laurie A. Williams	Westport, MA Westport, MA
31	Gary R. Larrivee Ana M. Silva	Westport, MA Westport, MA
31	Paul D. Aguiar Carol Lague	Portsmouth, RI Westport, MA
AUGUST		
12	John S. Panchley Rosemary S. Riley	Portsmouth, RI Portsmouth, RI
14	Robert Reitano Marci Ann McNicol	Westport, MA Westport, MA
21	Gregg A. Andrade Angela Dutra	Westport, MA Westport, MA
28	David C. Martin, Jr. Diane M. Correia	Westport, MA Westport, MA
28	Edward J. Rice Marcia Earle	Sharon Springs, NY Sharon Springs, NY
28	Curtis R. Worden Gloria Bailen	Westport, MA Westport, MA
28	Edward J. Powers Geraldine Brodeur	Tiverton, RI Tiverton, RI
SEPTEMBER		
11	John R. Gauvin Yuko Kusakabe	Charleston, SC Charleston, SC
11	Wayne S. Griffin Denise L. Duchene	Philadelphia, PA Westport, MA
11	Steven J. Dudasik AnnLee Burch	New York, NY New York, NY
12	Sam Ostroff Monika E. Herrick	Manchester, NH Manchester, NH

SEPTEMBER		
17	Eric L. Blanchette Ronna L. Martin	Westport, MA Fall River, MA
17	John S. Farias Robyn A. Trahan	Fall River, MA Fall River, MA
18	Paul B. Going Carolyn J. Kaiser	New York, NY New York, NY
18	Chuck B. Kiser Pennie B. Souza	Westport, MA Westport, MA
18	Donald L. Reiff Nancy M. Orr	Westport, MA Westport, MA
25	Anthony E. Dolan Karen Hawkes	Westport, MA Boston, MA
OCTOBER		
7	David A. Simoes Robin M. Perry	Westport, MA Westport, MA
9	James W. Hancock III Kristine M. Lombardi	Westport, MA Westport, MA
15	Russell Ferreira Debra L. Barboza	Westport, MA Westport, MA
16	Michael Kuttner Lorna Silvia	Westport, MA Westport, MA
22	Michael F. Silvia Wendy-Marie Grondin	Westport, MA Westport, MA
23	David Beausoleil Debra Oliveira	Fall River, MA Tiverton, RI
NOVEMBER		
20	Philip Mercurio Patricia Tavares	Westport, MA Westport, MA
21	David M. Stahley Julie A. Martori	Nantucket, MA Tiverton, RI
26	Steve Kissell Joanne E. Bedard	Westport, MA Westport, MA
DECEMBER 18	Ronald Furtado Julie Beth Kern	Fall River, MA Fall River, MA

#### LICENSES ISSUED BY THE TOWN CLERK 1993

DOG LICENSES Individuals Kennels	AMOUNT 1118 25
Amount Paid to Treasurer	\$5,144.00
HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES Massachusetts Waterfowl Stamps Archery Stamps	504 118 97
Amount Paid to Treasurer	\$9,760.00
BEACH STICKERS Amount Paid to Treasurer	\$18,590.00

#### AUCTIONEERS LICENSES 1993

Fee \$20.00	
(License Expires One Year from Date of Issue)	ISSUED
Alfred Viera, Jr. 368 Horseneck Road, Dartmouth, MA	02/03/93
Joanne M. Branco P. O. Box 3041, Westport, MA	03/01/93
John C. Stephenson 1005 Industrial Blvd., Southampton, PA	06/08/93
Bradford Sherman 1612 Main Road, Westport, Mass.	07/20/93
George R. Medeiros 871 Sodom Road, Westport, Mass.	10/29/93

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(Due: On or before April 30th)

Issued 21

GASOLINE REGISTRATION - RENEWALS

Issued 21

#### JUNK COLLECTORS LICENSES 1993

FEE \$15.00 (License Expires One Year from Date if Issue)

	Issued
William C. White	01/06/93
Joseph Bothelo	04/12/93
Robert Desmarais	04/28/93
Anthony Fragoza	05/03/93
Mid City Scrap Iron	05/05/93
Gerard Drapeau	05/17/93

#### RAFFLE-BAZAAR PERMITS 1993

(License Expires One Year from Date of Issue)

Pacific Union Congregational Church  American Legion Post #145  Better Community Living, Inc.  03/09/93  Westport P.A.C.L.  03/11/93  B.I.M. Softball  03/11/93		Issued
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B.I.M. Softball 03/11/93		
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Woothout Missis Desetous		03/11/93
	Westport Music Boosters	03/26/93
Westport River Watershed Alliance 03/26/93		
Silver City Skating Club 03/19/93		03/19/93
New Bedford Basketball Boosters Club 50/05/93		
Westport Historical Society, Inc. 05/14/93		
Westport Federation of Teachers 05/25/93		
MADD-Mothers Against Drunk Driving 07/13/93	MADD-Mothers Against Drunk Driving	
St. John The Baptist Church 08/02/93		
Westport Art Group, Inc. 08/03/93		08/03/93
St. George Women's Guild 09/21/93	그것 하는데 그는 그렇게 되는 것을 하는데 그렇게 하는데 이번 하는데 되었다. 그는 그들은 그들은 그들은 그를 하는데 그는데 그렇게 되었다. 그런데 그렇게 되었다. 그런데 그 그를 하는데 그렇게 그렇게 되었다.	09/21/93
People Inc. 11/16/93		11/16/93
Providence Club of the Deaf 12/29/93	Providence Club of the Deaf	
St. George School Bingo 12/30/93	St. George School Bingo	

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECIMEN

The Board of Selectmen is pleased to submit this Annual Report for 1993. It has been a year of challenges and transition and one in which the Board continued its efforts to increase efficiency and service delivery to the public.

In March, George T. Leach, Jr. was elected to the Board of Selectmen. Mr. Leach has served previously as a Selectman for ten years and his experience will be an important addition to the Board. He takes the place of Mr. Romeo Fortin who served on the Board for three years. We wish Mr. Fortin the best of success in his future endeavors and thank him for his years of dedicated service to the Town.

#### Personnel

Mrs. Katherine Benoit was appointed Town Accountant after the resignation of Mr. Michael Buckley. We look forward to working with "Kitty" and have been impressed with the stability which she has brought to this office.

Mr. Kevin Feeley, of the law firm of Murphy, Hesse, Toomey and Lehane was appointed temporary town counsel. After a lengthy search Mr. Leonard Kopelman of the firm of Kopelman and Paige, P.C. was appointed town counsel in December.

Administrative Assistant Sally Adams went to a part-time schedule during the year in order to attend law school. When the Board of Selectmen decided that this position would be full-time and would advertise it as such, Ms. Adams did not apply. We want to recognize her years of excellent service to the town and to wish her the best of success. In July Mr. Robert T. Reed was appointed Administrative Assistant.

#### Finance

At the Annual Town Meeting, an Enterprise Fund was approved for waterfront related activities, including the Harbormaster's Department and the Wharfinger. A work group has been established to help implement this change.

Westport is involved in two lawsuits which would require the State to fully fund its commitments to the Police Education Incentive program and for reimbursement for state-owned land. We feel that these are important issues for the Town to be involved in. If the state does not honor its financial commitments to municipalities an even greater burden is put on Town budgets and our ability to fund town services.

In June the long awaited Education Reform Bill was passed and we look forward with great anticipation, to the changes it will bring. Financially this law will probably have greater impact on cities and towns than any state law since the passage of Proposition two and one-half. As with any other law that includes state funding we earnestly hope that the state will honor its obligation to municipalities.

#### Small Cities Grant

Grant Administrator Marilyn Whalley was hired in August and has been of great assistance in organizing and monitoring the projects funded under this grant. They include: housing rehabilitation services, employment training, elderly transportation, senior center study funds and construction funds. Our contract for housing rehab services was transferred to the Wareham Community Development Authority and we are confident that this move will improve services to town residents. Unfortunately a grant for fiscal year 1994 was not submitted, but we are preparing for the next application round and are very optimistic about funding.

#### Water System Billing

Negotiations have been underway since March with the City of Fall River, for that city to assist in the meter reading, billing, repair and related services for the Town's water system. We hope that an agreement will be concluded soon on this important issue.

#### Property and Health Insurance

Information has been completed for the rebidding of the Town's property and liability insurance. We hope to take advantage of the present market and reduce insurance costs.

The Southeastern Massachusetts Health Group (SMHG) to which Westport belongs has negotiated coverage with Pilgrim Health Care and Harvard Community Health Care at a fixed rated for the next fiscal year and a cap on any premium increase the following year. Health insurance costs have steadily increased over the years, but with the inception of these new programs, we are looking forward to a decrease in premiums.

#### Special Projects

In October a Household Hazardous Waste Collection was held and approximately 130 town residents took advantage of this service.

In November an auction of surplus town property was held with Mr. George Medeiros generously donating his time as auctioneer. Over \$10,000 was raised. We would like to give special recognition to Ms. Charlene Wood and Ms. Denise Bouchard, employees of the Selectmen's office, for coordinating these activities.

The Fire and Police departments continue their efforts toward the provision of E-911 service for the town. It is anticipated that the town will have an opportunity to vote on this item at the annual election and town meeting.

The Senior Center Site Selection Committee continues its examination of possible sites for a senior center and we expect that a final site will be selected and submitted for approval soon.

The Earle and Head School Committee has worked extensively on preparing the Earle School for use by various departments now in the town hall. This move will provide additional space for town departments that relocate and additional meeting space in the town hall.

We would like to thank all of the various town boards and committees for their hard work and assistance during the year and we look forward to working with you in the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas Perkins David P. Dionne George T. Leach, Jr. BOARD OF SELECIMEN

#### APPOINIMENTS 1993

NAME	POSITION	TERM EXPIRES
Robert T. Reed Charlene R. Wood	Administrative Assistant Sec. to the Board of Selectmen	6/30/94
Robert T. Reed Denise Bouchard	Parking Clerk Confidential Clerk to the Board of Selectmen	6/30/94
Kevin P. Feeley	Temporary Town Counsel	
Leonard Kopelman Atty. Walter Smith	Town Counsel	6/30/94
Atty. Betty I. Ussach	Special Counsel Special Council	6/30/94
Katherine Benoit	Accountant	6/30/94
Lionel Ravenalle John Mano	Custodian-Town Hall/Police Station	
Michael C. McCarthy	Assistant Part-time Custodian	
Paul Ledoux	Civil Defense Director	6/30/94
Leonard Moniz	Deputy Civil Defense Director	6/30/94
Charlene R. Wood	Civil Defense Radio Equip. Operator Civil Defense Secretary	6/30/93
Michael C. McCarthy	Energy Coordinator	6/30/94
Elaine Rioux	Dog Officer	6/30/94
Brian Rioux	Assistant Dog Officer	4/30/94
Ronald E. Costa	Veterans Service Agent	4/30/94
Ronald E. Costa	Graves Registration Officer	4/30/94
Ronald E. Costa	Citizens for Citizens, Rep.	4/30/94
Richard B. Earle	Harbormaster	6/30/93
Everett Mills	Assistant Harbormaster	6/30/94 6/30/94
Jonathan Paull	Assistant Harbormaster	6/30/94
Roger Reed	Assistant Harbormaster	6/30/94
Gary A. Tripp	Assistant Harbormaster	6/30/94
John R. Bevis	Assistant Harbormaster	6/30/94
Gary Sherman	Wharfinger	0/30/34
John A. Taylor, Jr.	Assistant Wharfinger	6/30/94
Vernon Whitehead	Inspector of Buildings	6/30/94
Clarence Cole	Asst. Inspector of Buildings	6/30/94
Ernest Vohnoutka	Wire Inspector	6/30/94
Joseph A. Goslin	Assistant Wire Inspector	6/30/94
Dane R. Winship Robert Labonte	Assistant Wire Inspector	6/30/94
Robert Laborte	Plumbing Inspector (by Bldg. Insp.)	6/30/94
Roger A. J. Labonte	Gas Inspector (by Bldg. Insp.)	6/30/94
	Assist. Plumbing Inspector (by Bldg. Insp.)	6/30/94
Roger A. J. Labonte	Assistant Gas Inspector (by Bldg. Insp.)	6/30/94
Gerald Anctil	Assist. Plumbing Inspector (by Bldg. Insp.)	6/30/94
Gerald Anctil	Assistant Gas Inspector (by Bldg. Insp.)	6/30/94

Paul Audet George Robichaud John Ciccotelli

Sealer of Weights & Measures Asst. Sealer of Weights & Measures Environmental Certifying Officer

6/30/96 6/30/94 6/30/94

#### MISCELLANEOUS APPOINTMENTS AND/OR OFFICIALS

#### NAME

Robert T. Reed Robert T. Reed Charlene R. Wood

William D. Tripp

Stephen A. Motta

John Ciccotelli Gary Sherman Thomas Perkins James M. Morton III George Foster Denise Bouchard John Andrade

#### POSITION

Chief Procurement Officer Affirmative Action Officer National Organization on Disability Representative Municipal Coordinator of the "Right to Know" Law Acting Coordinator of the "Right to Know" Law Hazardous Waste Coordinator Oil Spill Coordinator Thomas Perkins Mooring Assignment Committee
James M. Morton III Railroad Commissioner (Deceased) M.B.T.A. Representative (Deceased) Custodian of Tax Title Properties Americans with Disabilities Act Coordinator E-9-1-1 Coordinator

#### ACCESS TO TOWN COUNSEL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

David Cabral Christopher Cooney Pauline Raposa

John Colletti James Morton (Deceased)

#### ARTS LOTTERY COUNCIL

Deborah Coolidge	11/09/93	Denise Donatelli	2/18/94
Beth Easterly	6/30/94	Susan Branco	1/21/94
Nancy Rodrigues	2/22/95	Marie Woollam	6/30/95
Betsy Borba-Szel	6/30/94	Mary Ellen Guptill	2/03/94
Elaine Stevens	2/03/94	Natalie Bowen	6/30/96
Geraldine Millham	6/30/95		

#### BEACH COMMITTEE

James A. Burns	Precinct A	6/30/96	
Carol Lague	Precinct B	6/30/95	
Damase Giguere	Precinct C	6/30/93	(Resigned)
Lisa Grillo	Precinct C	6/30/96	
Arthur G. Caesar	Precinct D	6/30/94	
Eleanor Jerome	Precinct E	6/30/94	(Resigned)
Pauline Laursen	Precinct E	6/30/94	

#### BOARD OF APPEALS

#### 5 Year Terms - Regulars 2 Year Terms - Alternates

Joseph L. Keith III, Clerk Clayton Harrison Raymond Medeiros, Vice-Chmn. James M. Morton, III, Chmn. Gerald Coutinho Kendal Tripp	6/30/94 6/30/98		6/30/94 6/30/94
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#### BOARD OF SURVEY

David Bernier (by Inspector of Buildings) Fire Chief William D. Tripp 6/30/94 Fred Hanack 6/30/94

#### BUZZARDS BAY ACTION COMMITTEE

Gary Sherman 6/30/94 John Ciccotelli 6/30/94 (Alternate)

#### CABLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Thomas Perkins	D 1 T 1
Illouas Perkins	Paul Izyk
Robert Rayno	Edwin Horky
Paul Bernier	George T. Leach, Jr
Edward A. Martins	

#### CONSTABLES

Jacqueline Forand	6/30/94	Thomas Peters	6/30/94
Joseph Migliori	6/30/94		-,,

#### COUNCIL ON AGING (3 YR. TERM)

Harriet A. Barker	6/30/93 6/30/96	(Resigned)	Margo Boote Joanne R. Devlin	6/30/94 6/30/94
Cynthia Reynolds David D. Wicks William A. Greeley	6/30/95	(Deceased)	Beatrice Potter Dorothy Tongue	(Honorary) 6/30/95
Clifton Greenwood Paul B. Thomas	6/30/94	(Resigned) (Resigned)	Lois E. Spirlet	6/30/96

#### EARLE & HEAD SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Veronica	Beaulieu	
Frank X.	Harding,	Jr.
John Mari	nik	

George Costa Norma K. Judson Barbara Porter

# WESTPORT REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GREATER FALL RIVER EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES COORDINATING COMMITTEE, INC., REGION 7

Arthur Briggs 6/30/94

#### LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE

Paul Pereira Richard Earle Thomas Porter Stephen Pettey

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Michael C. McCarthy William D. Tripp Charles A. Pierce

### FAIR HOUSING/HOUSING PARINERSHIP COMMITTEE

Michael Alexander Douglas Baer Thomas Perkins William Greeley Ruth Heath John Jennings Helene Korolenko Sara Lou Motta
John Montano
Anthony Melli
James Morton, III (Deceased)
Katharine Preston
Shirley Lakin

#### (3) FENCE VIEWERS (3 YRS.)

Paige Gibbs 6/30/95 Armand Goyette 6/30/95 Frank Napert III 6/30/95

#### G.W.E.N. MONITORING & REPORTING COMMITTEE

Christine Ash Anne Barnes Judy Beavan Timothy Bornstein, Alternate Robert Chandanais, Alternate David Dionne Francois Napert Elizabeth Roulon Rennard Waldron

#### HARBOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE

John Azevedo John Doherty Harold F. Tripp, Jr.

Jack Reynolds Robert Reynolds

#### HISTORICAL COMMISSION (3 YRS.)

Regular	Alternates	
	Virginia Edgecomb Christopher Wise Eleanor Jerome Suzanne Lentini Charles Nelson, Jr. Barbara Porter  eith (Honorary) ipp (Honorary)	6/30/96 6/30/95 6/30/95 6/30/96 6/30/94

#### LOCAL PARINERSHIP COMMITTEE

Daniel George Chris Lafrance James W. Coyne, Jr. Robert Russell Gerald Coutinho Wayne Turner Steven Tripp Robert Reed Albert E. Lees, Jr. Patricia Siemenski Carlos Costa Robert Wicks Michael Rodrigues James Long Chris Cooney

#### PARK STUDY COMMITTEE

Joanne Cadieux Daniel T. George Ben Guy

Norma K. Judson Geraldine Millham Paul Pereira

#### PERSONNEL BOARD (3 YRS.)

Ann Chandanais	6/30/94	Marjorie Holden	6/30/96
Selena Howard	6/30/96	James W. Coyne, Jr.	6/30/96
Susan Read (Resigned)	6/30/96	Peter G. Fradley	6/30/96
Edgar Towne, Jr.	6/30/93	(Resigned)	

#### POLICE DEPARIMENT

Chief of Police: Charles A. Pierce Lieutenant: William C. White Lieutenant: Joseph E. Carvalho

#### SERGEANTS

Pauline Q. Field	John Gifford
Paul E. Holden	Stephen D. Kovar, Jr.

#### REGULAR POLICE OFFICERS

John J. Bell	Michael D. O'Connor
Douglas Britland	Michael S. Perry
John P. Couto	Thomas Plourde
Reginald Deschenes	Richard Rodrigues
Gary M. Foley	Marshall Ronco, Detective
Donald J. Frederick	Michael R. Roussel, Detective
Mario Lewis, Chief of Detectives	Keith Pelletier
Jeffrey Majewski	David Simcoe
David Morrissette	

Stephen D. Kovar, Jr. (Range & Firearms Officer) Donald J. Frederick (Assistant Range & Firearms Officer)

#### STAFF

Nancy Braga - Secretary/Dispatcher

#### RESERVE POLICE OFFICERS

Raymond Araujo	Francois A. Napert III
David Arruda	Keith J. Novo
Gregory Bell	Douglas Orr
Darrin M. Blais	Steven Ouellette
Gary L. Cambra	Fernando Pontes
Craig Carvalho	Mark C. Rosinha
Svea Kirsten Carlson	Michael Silvia
Antonio Cestodio	Brian Souza
Mario DaCunha	Daniel R. Sullivan
Kenneth Furtado	Stephen Teixeira
Robert J. Goulet	Andrew P. Wheaton
Raymond Renoit (Special	FR Rod & Gin Club)

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#### PUBLIC WEIGHER (1 YR. TERM)

Raymond Giasson	at 548 State Road	6/30/94
Herman Gitlin	at 548 State Road	6/30/94
Louis Gitlin	at 548 State Road	6/30/94
Mark Gitlin	at 548 State Road	6/30/94
Jeffrey Clarke	at 536 Old County Road	6/30/94
Jason Dessert	at 536 Old County Road	6/30/94

#### RECREATION COMMISSION (3 YR. TERM)

Paula L. Smith	6/30/94	Steven Pimental	6/30/94
Steven Ouellette	6/30/96	Diane Colletti	6/30/95
George Michaels	6/30/95	Stephen Teixeira	6/30/96
Joanne Teixeira	6/30/96		

#### REGISTRARS OF VOTERS (3 YR. TERM)

Democrats		Republican	
Marlene Samson	4/1/96	Jean Louis Clapin	4/1/95
Robert St. Amour	4/1/94	Geraldine Craveiro	4/1/96

#### RIVER DREDGING COMMITTEE

Thomas Perkins	Claude Ledoux
Richard Earle	James Robeson
Richard Hart	Gary Sherman
Russell T. Hart	Alexander Smith

#### ROUTE 88 TASK FORCE

Gerald Coutinho	Edward Lambert (at-large)
Robert Daigle (at-large)	Francois A. Napert
Linda Pacheco	Paul Pereira
Romeo A. Fortin	Robert E. Reynolds
William J. Shea	Mike Roussel

#### SAFETY REGULATION BOARD

(Art. 30 - Section 1, 1978)

Romeo Fortin, Selectmen's Representative 6/30/93 Paul Pereira, Highway Surveyor Paige Gibbs, Fence Viewer

#### SENIOR CENTER SITE SELECTION COMMITTEE

#### Voting Members

#### Non-Voting Members

Lucille Chase Gerald Coutinho Irene Pacheco Jay Ritter Lori Robertson Dorothy P. Tongue Ernest W. Brousseau Olivia P. Maynard Paul Thomas Calvin Hopkinson

Jacqueline B. Hill - Consultant George Koenitzer - Advisor William Greeley (Resigned) Marilyn Whalley - Selectmen's Liaison Theodore J. Moore - Advisor Donald Bernier - Advisor Daniel George - Advisor

#### SHEILFISH WARDEN/WHARFINGER (3 YR. TERM)

Gary Sherman 6/30/95

#### DEPUTY SHELLFISH WARDEN (3 YR. TERM)

Edmie P. Bibeau	6/30/96	Robert W. Pierce	6/30/96
John Doherty	6/30/96	Walter D. Quinn	6/30/94
Edward T. Earle	6/30/96	Mike Andrade	6/30/96
Kelly Hicks	6/30/94	Daniel P. Sullivan	6/30/96
Daniel Ledoux	6/30/94		

#### SHELLFISH ADVISORY COMMISSION (1 YR. TERM)

Kenneth Manchester	6/30/94	Edward A. Martins	6/30/94
John Owen	6/30/94	Alexander Smith	6/30/94
Kendal B. Turner	6/30/94		

### SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD & CONSERVATION COMMISSION (3 YR. TERM)

Donald Bernier Wendy Henderson Claude Ledoux Helene Korolonko	6/30/94	Robert J. Caron	6/30/95
	6/30/95	Richard Lambert	6/30/94
	6/30/94	Charles Goldberg	6/30/96
Helene Korolenko	6/30/96	Christopher Capone,	

#### SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE

David Cabral, Chmn. Todd Cormier David Dionne, Vice-Chairman Timothy Gillespie Charles Goldberg Jose Gouveia (Resigned 5/20/93) Richard Lambert Gregory Barnes (Resigned) Anne Barnes Paul Pereira Veronica Beaulieu Rhoda Sheehan

Board of Health Rep. At-Large Member Selectmen's Rep. Planning Board Rep. Alternate Member At-Large Member Conservation Committee Rep. Alternate Member Alternate Member Highway Surveyor Finance Committee Rep. Alternate Member

#### SPREDD & SRIA

Thomas Perkins David P. Dionne George T. Leach, Jr. James M. Morton III (Deceased)
Paul Pereira

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Paul Pereira

James M. Morton III (Deceased) James M. Morton III (Deceased) Carlos Costa

Selectmen's Rep. SPREDD Selectmen's Rep. - Alternate SRPEDD Selectmen's Rep. - Alternate SRPEDD SRTA - Selectmen's Designee Joint Transportation Planning Group Joint Transportation Planning Group Small Town Economic Development Comm

#### STORMWATER MANAGEMENT COMMISSION

Donald Bernier John Ciccotelli David Dionne Romeo A. Fortin Richard Mandile Thomas Perkins Walter Quinn John Silvia Dale Thomas Dennis Luttrell

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David Cabral John Colletti Robert Edgcomb George Koenitzer Francois Napert Paul Pereira Jack Reynolds Gary Sherman James Walsh

#### TOWN BEACH LIFTGUARDS

Summer 1993

Gustin N. Cariglia Timothy J. McDonough Debbie Reis Paul Boudria Christopher Condon

Head Lifequard Full-time Lifeguard Full-time Lifeguard Full-time Lifeguard Part-time Lifeguard

#### TOWN BUILDING COMMITTEE

Roger Olivier Richard Vohnoutka, Chairman William Gifford, Alternate

William J. Underwood, Jr.

#### TOWN COUNSEL SEARCH COMMITTEE

Michael Alexander Calvin Hopkinson Erica Bronstein (Resigned) John Penney Sandra Levesque

#### WATER ADVISORY COMMITTEE

David P. Duval Robert R. Labonte John F. MacDonald

Normand Michaud William Underwood, Jr. James Mazzarella

#### WESTPORT CITIZENS BETTERMENT COMMITTEE

Shirley Desrosiers 6/30/2000 Charlene R. Wood 6/30/94 Walter Craveiro 6/30/94 (Resigned) Lena Napert 6/30/94 6/30/94

#### BONDS

Town Treasurer.....\$150,000.00 Tax Collector......\$120,000.00 Town Clerk..... \$15,000.00

#### TRAILER PERMITS

Issued 93 (\$24.00)

#### SUNDAY LICENSES

Issued 19 (\$5.00)

Sales of Frozen Desserts, Ice Cream Mix Confectionery Soda Water or Fruit on the Lord's Day

#### COMMON VICTUALLERS

Issued 46 (\$15.00)

TOTAL COLLECTED

(fees and miscellaneous)

\$36,267.40

#### 1993 MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSES

#### CLASS I

Big Boar Harley-Davidson, Inc. Coach Light RV Restorations

1030 State Road 131 Old Bedford Road

#### CLASS II

A.J Turner d/b/a A.J. Turner, Annex I Automotive Services Bargain Motors, Inc. Baystate Auto Wholesalers Beano's Used Cars Beaulieu's Garage A.G. Bettencourt Inc. Brookside Motors The Car Store C & H Auto Sales Consumer's Auto Sales Crockett Truck Center TRANSFERRED TO: Ray's Sales & Service Dan's Auto Sales D & B Auto Deke's Auto Sales Den-Rod Motors Dependable Motors TRANSFERRED TO: Cars R Us Dr. Joes Auto Clinic & Sales Ferreira's Auto Body & Sales Frank E. Brayton, Jr. Auto Sales and Service 626 Adamsville Road Glenwood Motors, Inc. Hart Auto Sales Hebco, Inc. Highland Auto & Trucks Sales High Tech Auto Sales & Service Hillside Equipment Company, Inc. d/b/a Goldstein's Farm Equipment Hillside Motors Hometown Motors Jack & Paul's Used Cars J.B.S. Auto Corporation Jim's Used Cars J & J Used Auto Sales & Service, Inc. 972 State Road John's Auto Service & Sales John Soares Village Garage, Inc. J.P. Auto Body

1052 State Road 1134 American Legion Highway 935 State Road 851B State Road 260 State Road 497 Sanford Road 821 Main Road 415 Main Road 237 State Road 660A Main Road 10 Sanford Road 1090 State Road 1090 State Road 559 State Road 833 State Road 128 Old Bedford Road 23 Barbara Street 845-851A State Road 845-851A State Road 914 State Road 91 Forge Road 10 Glenwood Avenue 431A Main Road 795 American Legion Highway 560 Highland Avenue 956 State Road 287 Gifford Road 1175 State Road 620 Sanford Road 758 State Road 505 State Road 280 State Road 541 Drift Road 660 Main Road 337 American Legion Highway J.R.'s Precision Auto Sales Katie's Auto & Truck Sales Leclairs Auto Sales Mike's Toyota Sales Annex Nu-Way Auto Old Town Auto Service Paul's Auto Sales Pine Hill Auto Service Quality Auto Sales Rick's Used Cars Roland's Auto Sales Route 6 Auto Sales R & R Auto Body & Sales Sanford Auto Sales S & D Auto Sales Souza's Garage State Road Auto Sales, Inc. State Road Motors, Inc. Street Cars Ltd. Tanglewood Motors Thad's Auto Sales Val's Auto Sales Victor Auto Sales Westport Auto & RV Center

729 State Road 449 American Legion Highway 702 State Road 983 State Road 837 State Road 683A American Legion Highway 685 State Road 929 Pine Hill Road 835 State Road 312 American Legion Highway 585 State Road 276 State Road 800A American Legion Highway 735 State Road 851C State Road 308 Sanford Road 327 State Road 712 State Road 1018 State Road 1016A State Road 37 Charlotte White Road 757 State Road 1016B State Road 1058 State Road

#### CLASS III

Iantic Salvage
Mid-City Scrap Iron, Inc.
Richie's Auto Parts (limited)
Robert J. Desmarais
Thad's Auto Salvage, Inc.
Westport Auto Salvage

58 Charlotte White Road

548 State Road 851I State Road

560 Highland Avenue

37 Charlotte White Road 443 American Legion Highway

# CLASS IV GARAGE & SERVICE STATION REPAIR LICENSES

Adamsville Garage
Arel's Tune Up & Trouble Shooting
Auto Affair
Automotive Services Inc.
The Auto Salon
Bargain Motors, Inc.
Baystate Auto Wholesalers
Beano's Used Cars
Beaulieu's Garage
Bernie's Auto Repair
Big Boar Harley-Davidson, Inc.
Bothelo's Garage

626 Adamsville Road

615 State Road 800B American Legion Highway 1134 American Legion Highway

702 State Road 935 State Road

851B State Road 260 State Road

497 Sanford Road 709 Old County Road 1030 State Road

154 Old Pine Hill Road

Coach Light RV Restoration 131 Old Bedford Road Consumer's Auto Sales Crockett Truck Center TRANSFERRED TO: Ray's Sales & Service Cycle Services D & B Auto Deke's Auto Sales Dependable Motors TRANSFERRED TO: Cars R Us Double L'L Auto Waxing Dr. Joes Auto Clinic & Sales Ferreira's Auto Body & Sales Four Square Garage Hart Auto Body Hart Auto Body Annex Head Small Engine Repair High Tech Auto Sales & Service Jack & Paul's Used Cars J.B.S. Auto Corporation J & J Used Car Sales & Service Joal's Garage John's Auto Service & Sales John Soares Village Garage, Inc. Jorge's Auto Restoration J.P. Auto Body J.R.'s Precision Auto Sales J's Repair Garage Martin's Repair Shop Mendes Auto Repair Norwest Automotive Inc. Nu-Way Auto Repair Old Town Auto Service Paul's Auto & Boat Repair Pine Hill Auto Service Richie's Auto Body R & K Auto Fitness Center R & R Auto Body & Sales Route 6 Auto Sales S & D Auto Body State Road Auto Sales, Inc. Street Cars Ltd. Thad's Auto Salvage & Service TJK Truck & Trailer Repair Co. Victor Auto Sales Westport Auto Clinic Westport Gulf Westport Tire Center Wilfrid's Garage

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10 Sanford Road 1090 State Road 1090 State Road 1134 American Legion Highway 833 State Road 128 Old Bedford Road 851A State Road 851A State Road 10 Glenwood Avenue 914 State Road 91 Forge Road 618 Sanford Road 51 Cross Road 431 Main Road 493 Old County Road 956 State Road 758 State Road 509 State Road 972 State Road 500 Adamsville Road 541 Drift Road 660 Main Road 851H State Road 337 American Legion Highway 729 State Road 140 Old Bedford Road 112 Sanford Road 130 Plymouth Boulevard 175 State Road 837A State Road 683A American Legion Highway 685 Main Road 929 Pine Hill Road 851F & G State Road 575 State Road 800A American Legion Highway 276A State Road 851D State Road 327 State Road 1018 State Road 37 Charlotte White Road 245 State Road 1016B State Road 422 Sanford Road 162 State Road 718 State Road 427 Main Road

#### 1993 LIQUOR LICENSES

## PACKAGE GOODS STORE ALL ALCOHOLIC

Briere's Inc.

Albert E. Lees, Inc., d/b/a Lees Supermarket

Ray's Liquors

State Road Package Store

Watuppa Package Store, Inc.

Westport Market, Inc.

233 Sanford Road

796-800 Main Road

655 State Road

787 State Road

151 State Road

291 American Legion Hwy.

#### PACKAGE GOODS STORE WINES AND MALT

Fieldstones Bakery's Deli 999 Main Road J. Inc, d/b/a Westport Mini Mart 1239-1241 State Road Westport Point Market, Inc. 1968 Main Road

#### RESTAURANT - ALL ALCOHOLIC

American Legion Hwy. Ent., Inc.d/b/a The Galleria II 1013 American Legion Hwy. (LICENSE REVOKED 8/16/93) AMF Bowling Centers, Inc., d/b/a Holiday Lanes 236 State Road Ellie's Place 1403 Main Road Fred and Ann's Restaurant, Inc. 977 Main Road Horseneck Rendezvous 137-139 East Beach Road House of Chu, Inc. d/b/a Oriental Pearl 576 State Road Ida's Grill 231 State Road Kate Cory's, Inc. d/b/a Kate Cory's Restaurant 438 Main Road Kent's 400, Inc. 549 American Legion Hwy. TRANSFERRED TO: Oasis Club Inc. 549 American Legion Hwy. Westport Club, Inc. 904 Main Road Westporter Lounge, Inc., d/b/a Alhambras 829 American Legion Hwy. Windward Food Serv.Corp.d/b/a Moby Dick Wharf Res. 1 Bridge Road White's Family Restaurant 66 State Road

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### RESTAURANT - WINES AND MALTS

The Bayside Restaurant 1253 Horseneck Road
Kozy Nook 655 State Road
Spooner's 140 Charlotte White Road
Westport Country Kitchen, Inc. 778 Main Road

## RESTAURANT (Commercial Club) ALL ALCOHOLIC

Holy Ghost Club W.A.&R. Ouellette Post #8502 171 Sodom Road

843 State Road

#### SEASONAL - MISCELLANEOUS

Acoaxet Club, Inc.
Acoaxet Club, Inc. d/b/a The Pro Shop
Jerome's Moby Dick Inc.
Village Pizza

152 Howland Road 152 Howland Road 9 Bridge Road 760 Main Road



WILMA C. WOODRUFF Retired - Assistant Registrar/Principal Clerk

#### ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

Westport, MA 02790 March 8, 1993

Agreeable to the foregoing warrant the voters of the Town assembled at the polling places in their respective voting precincts on the above date. Ballots were given in for the following persons, assorted, counted and public declaration made thereof in open meeting, the total result of the balloting as certified by the Precinct Officers, being as follows:

#### SELECIMEN - Three Years

Veronica F. Beaulieu had one thousand forty-four	1044
Evan R. Johnson had one thousand two hund. twenty-sev.	1227
George T. Leach, Jr. had one thous. six hund. nineteen	1619
Blanks, one hundred six	106

#### TOWN CLERK - Three Years

Lorraine C. Roy had one thous. three hund. fifty-sev.	1357
Marlene M. Samson had two thous. three hund. fifty-sev.	2357
Blanks, two hundred eighty-two	282

### TREASURER - Three Years

George	E.	Foster	had	two	thous.	eight hund.	fifty-six	2856
		ne thous						1140

#### COLLECTOR OF TAXES - Three Years

Pauline	M.	Raposa	had	three	thousand	eighty-five	3	085
Blanks,	nir	ne hundr	red	eleven				911

#### ASSESSOR - Three Years

John J.	McDermott had two thous. sev. hund. sevsix	x 2776
Blanks.	one thousand two hundred twenty	1220

#### BOARD OF HEALTH - Three Years

Robert J. Chandanais had two thous. two hund. eighty	2280
Anne Barnes (Write-In Cand.) had seven hund. twenone	721
Blanks, nine hundred ninety-five	995

#### SCHOOL COMMITTEE - Three Years June LaBonte had two thousand five hundred 1496 Blanks, one thousand four hundred ninety-six REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE - Three Years Thomas J. McGarr had two thous. six hundred fifteen 2615 Blanks, one thousand four hundred ninety-six 1496 HIGHWAY SURVEYOR - Three Years Paul T. Pereira had two thousand eight hundred five 2805 Norman F. Brogan, Jr. had nine hundred sixty-three 963 Blanks, two hundred twenty-eight 228 FISH COMMISSIONER - Three Years Russell T. Hart had three thousand thirteen 3013 983 Blanks, nine hundred eighty-three CONSTABLE - Three Years Joseph Migliori had one thousand three hund. sev.-two 1372 William A. Pariseau had one thous. five hund.twen.-six 1526 Thomas M. Peters had one thousand thirty-nine 1039 Daniel P. Sullivan had one thou.three hun.ninety-three 1393 Blanks, two thousand six hundred sixty-two 2662 TRUSTEES OF THE FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY - Three Years Ruth S. Manchester had two thou. six hund. forty-nine 2649 Rhoda W. Sheehan had two thousand one hundred nine 2109 Blanks, three thousand two hundred thirty-four 3234 TRUSTEES OF THE FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY - 1 Year Unexpired Wendy H. Goldberg had two thos. four hund. eighty-four 2484 Blanks, one thousand five hundred twelve 1512 HOUSING AUTHORITY - Five Years John H. Marques had two thos. four hund. twenty-nine 2429 Blanks, one thousand five hundred sixty-seven 1567

#### LANDING COMMISSIONERS - One Year

Robert Albanese had two thou. three hund. fifty-six Joseph Bothelo had one thou. nine hundred five Albert H. Field had two thousand seventy-three James S. Manchester, Jr. had one thou. nin-hun.ni-two Robert J. Chandanais had one thous. six hundred forty Blanks, six thousand eighteen	2356 1905 2073 1992 1640 6018
PLANNING BOARD - Five Years	
William H. Russell had two thou. five hund. forty-one Blanks, one thousand four hundred fifty-five	2541 1455
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS - Three Years	
Stafford Sheehan had two thousand two hundred one	2201

Blanks, one thousand seven hundred ninety-five

#### QUESTION NO. 1

Shall the Town of Westport be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay the bond issued in order to purchase new student computer technology equipment for the School Department?

1795

Yes had one thousand four hundred twenty-six	1426
No had two thousand two hundred	2200
Blanks, three hundred seventy	370

#### QUESTION NO. 2

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Shall the Town of Westport be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay the bond issued in order to remodel, reconstruct, or make repairs to the Milton Earle Building owned by the Town?

Yes had one thousand four hundred ninety-six	1496
No had two thousand one hundred sixty	2160
Blanks, three hundred forty	340

#### QUESTION NO. 3

Shall the Town of Westport be allowed to assess an additional \$165,000 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purpose of purchasing a fire pumper for the Fire department for the fiscal year beginning July first, nineteen hundred and ninety-three?

Yes had one thousand four hundred forty-two	1442
No had two thousand two hundred fifty-five	2255
Blanks, two hundred ninety-nine	299

#### QUESTION NO. 4

Shall the Town of Westport be allowed to assess an additional \$115,000 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purpose of purchasing a front-end loader for the highway department for the fiscal year beginning July first, nineteen hundred and ninety-three?

Yes had nine hundred seventy-three	973
No had two thousand five hundred eighty-five	2585
Blanks, four hundred thirty-eight	438

#### QUESTION NO. 5

Shall the Town of Westport be allowed to assess an additional \$57,000 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purpose of purchasing snow removal equipment for the Highway department for the fiscal year beginning July first, nineteen hundred and ninety-three?

Yes had one thousand forty-six	1046
No had two thousand five hundred four	2504
Blanks, four hundred forty-six	446

#### QUESTION NO. 6

Shall the Town of Westport be allowed to assess an additional \$60,000 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purposes of maintaining fire and ambulance services for the fiscal year beginning July first, nineteen hundred and ninety-three?

Yes had one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine	1879
No had one thousand seven hundred thirty-seven	1737
Blanks, three hundred eighty	380

A true record,

Attest: Marlene M. Samson, Town Clerk Althea Manchester Town Clerk Westport, MA 02790 February 3, 1993

I this 9th day of February 1993, posted 10 true attested copies of the forgoing warrant in the following named places:

Mary & Steve's Restaurant Briggs Road Fire Station State Road Package Store Town Hall Central Village Fire Station American Legion Hall Greenwood Terrace Westport Police Station Westport Point Post Office Westport Fruit Mart

> Leo St.Onge Constable of Westport

# ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT TOWN OF WESTPORT COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSEITS JUNE 1, 1993

BRISTOL, SS.

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To either of the constables of the Town of Westport in said County:

#### GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Westport qualifies to vote in elections and Town affairs, to assemble at the Westport High School on Tuesday, June 1 , 1993 at 7:30 p.m., and then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Agreeable to the warrant calling said meeting, the voters of the Town of Westport assembled at the Westport High School on the above date. The meeting was called to order at 7:40 P.M. by Moderator Brad C. Brightman, who appointed Harold E. Lawton, Jr. as Assistant Moderator if a second room was needed. George Rodrigues, Stephen J. Sampson, and Muriel Peters acted as Tellers and they were duly sworn before the Town Clerk. Doris Silvia acted as timekeeper for the meeting in accordance with a By-law adopted under Article 45 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1963.

VOTED: (Carried) to dispense with the reading of the Warrant.

#### ARTICLE 1

To see if the Town will guarantee that citizens attending public meetings will be allowed to speak on matters of public importance by adopting the following By-Law:

"Any member of the audience of any Westport Board of Selectmen meeting, open to the public under the provisions of the Open Meeting Law, shall be allowed to comment once upon any issue being discussed by such Board as a matter of right and make additional comments if recognized by the chairperson or person conducting the meeting.

The chairperson or person conducting the meeting shall recognize any person who signifies their desire to speak through raising their hand, standing or some similar indication. No person need be recognized through shouting, speaking before being recognized or other disruptive actions."

BY PETITION

VOTED: to Pass Over Art. 1 Carried

#### ARTICLE 2

To see if the Town will guarantee that citizens will not be unfairly ejected from meeting of the Board of Selectmen by adopting the following By-Law:

"No member of the audience at any Westport Board of Selectmen meeting open to the public under the provisions of the Open Meeting Law shall be ejected from the room unless by a unanimous vote."

#### BY PETITION

LEGAL OPINION: M.G.L. Chapter 39, Section 23C specifically provides that the power to eject or remove an individual from an open meeting solely rests with the "presiding officer" of the governmental body. Accordingly, since the law of the Commonwealth vests the power to remove individuals from public

meetings with the officer presiding over the meeting (i.e., the Chairman) it is the opinion that this Article is our of order since it attempts to contravene state law.

The Provisions of Article 2 were lost.

At  $8:10\ P.M.$  the Annual Town Meeting was recessed to go on to the Special Town Meeting.

#### SPECIAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT TOWN OF WESTPORT COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSEITS JUNE 1, 1993

VOTED: (Unanimously) to dispense with the reading of the warrant.

#### ARTICLE 1

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds and/or transfer from various line items within the current appropriations such sums of money necessary to supplement the budgets of various departments for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1992, and/or to take any other action relative thereto.

#### VARIOUS DEPARIMENTS

FROM Acct. Pers. Serv.		AMOUNT \$ 1,000 Un.
Bd. of Appls. Pers. S.		600 Un.
Bd. of Appls. Exp.	Town Hall Expenses	1,000 Un.
Conser. Pers. Serv.		500 Un.
	Library Expenses	800 Un.
Landfill Eng.	Bd. of Health Comp.	3,500 Car
Fire Expenses	Fire Pers. Serv.	2,500 Un.
Free Cash	Fire Pers. Serv.	26,500 Car.
Free Cash	Tax Coll. Pers. Serv.	1,000 Un.

#### ARTICLE 2

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds such sums of money necessary for the purpose of paying outstanding bills from prior fiscal years, and/or to take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Art. 2

#### ARTICLE 3

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds and/or transfer from various line items within current appropriations such sums of money necessary to fund contracts negotiated by the Board of Selectmen, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN

VOTED: (Carried) to Pass over Art. 3

#### ARTICLE 4

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds, and/or transfer from various line items within the current appropriations the amount of \$4,000.00 for the purpose of having certified appraisals and/or other work related to acquisition of land to relocate East Beach Road, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN

The Provisions of Article 4 were lost.

#### ARTICLE 5

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds, and/or transfer from various line items within the current appropriations the amount of \$2,950.00 for the purpose of having certified appraisals and/or other work related to acquisition of land relative to the Westport Sanitary Landfill, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF HEALTH

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Art. 5

#### ARTICLE 6

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of conducting one or more Household Hazardous Waste Collection events for residents of Westport, and properly disposing of the hazardous materials, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN

VOTED: (Carried) \$12,000.00 from Free Cash

#### ARTICLE 7

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds such sums of money to be used by the Civil Defense Department to purchase surplus equipment and/or take any other action relative thereto.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Carried) \$5,000.00 from Civil Defense Equipment (Transfer)

At 8:45 p.m. the Annual Town Meeting reconvened. VOTED: (carried) to take Article 11 out of sequence.

#### ARITCLE 11

To see if the Town will vote to transfer approximately five acres of land located off Old County Road, declared by the School Committee as surplus and no longer required for current or future school purposes, and as designated on the site plan entitled "Proposed Senior Center Site" on file with the Town Clerk, to the Council on Aging for a senior center, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN COUNCIL ON AGING

The Provisions of Art. 11 were lost. VOTED: Yes: 471 No: 263

#### ARTICLE 3

To see if the Town will vote to require Thomas Perkins and David Dionne to pay for all legal fees and related expenses arising out of the firing of Town Counsel.

#### BY PETITION

LEGAL OPINION: This article attempts to pass on to two present members of the Board of Selectmen all legal expenses and related costs involved in two ongoing matters. It is the opinion that this article is out of order as it goes beyond the scope of the Town Meeting's power. Ultimately the decision as to who, if any, is responsible for any of the costs referenced in this article rests with a court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction.

The Provisions of Art. 3 were lost.

#### ARTICLE 4

To see if the Town will vote to require Thomas Perkins and David Dionne to reimburse all moneys expended for legal services and hearing officers in pursuing conflict of interest charges against Donald Bernier when a State Agency was available to pursue this matter at no costs to the Town.

BY PETITION

LEGAL OPINION: This article attempts to pass on to two present members of the Board of Selectmen all legal expenses and related costs involved in two ongoing matters. It is the opinion that this article is out of order as it goes beyond the scope of the Town Meeting's power. Ultimately the decision as to who, if any, is responsible for any of the costs referenced in this article rests with a court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction.

VOTED: Defeated Yes: 285 No: 373

VOTED: (Unanimously) to adjourn the Annual Town Meeting at 11:10 P.M.

There were 842 registered voters in attendance, and 12 Press and Officials.

A true record,

Attest: Marlene M. Samson, Town Clerk

June 2, 1993

The adjourned Town Meeting was called to order at 7:35 P.M. by Moderator Brad C. Brightman who appointed Stephen J. Sampson and Sarah LaValley to act as tellers and were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. Doris Silvia acted as timekeeper for the meeting.

#### ARTICLE 5

To see if the Town will vote to petition the General Court for a special act for Recall Election procedures in the Town of Westport, in accordance with the proposed act entitled 'An Act Relative to Recall Elections in the Town of Westport':

AN ACT RELATIVE TO RECALL ELECTIONS IN THE TOWN OF WESTPORT

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

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SECTION 1. Any holder of an elected office in the Town of Westport may be recalled therefrom by the registered voters of the town as herein provided, except, the maximum number of members of a board that may be recalled is a majority.

SECTION 2. Any one hundred voters of the town may initiate a recall petition by filing with the town Clerk an affidavit containing the name of the officer sought to be recalled and a statement of the grounds for recall. The Town Clerk shall thereupon deliver to said voters making the affidavit copies of petition blanks demanding such recall, copies of which printed forms he/she shall keep available. Such blanks shall be issued by the Town Clerk, with his/her signature and official seal attached thereto. They shall be dated, shall be addressed to the Selectmen and shall contain the names of all the persons to whom they are issued, the name of the person whose recall is sought, the grounds of recall as stated in the affidavit, and shall demand the election of a successor in the said office. A copy of the petition shall be entered in a record book to be kept in the office of the Town Clerk. Said recall petition shall be returned and filed with the Town Clerk within thirty days after the filing of the affidavit, and shall have been signed by at least ten percent of the registered voters of the Town, who shall add to their signatures the street and number, if any, of their residences.

The Town Clerk shall within twenty-four hours of receipt submit the petition to the Registrars of Voters in the Town, and the registrars shall within five working days certify thereon the number of signatures which are names of registered voters of the Town.

SECTION 3. If the petition shall be found and certified by the Town Clerk to be sufficient, he/she shall submit the same with his/her certificate to the selectmen within five working days, and the selectmen shall within five working days give written notice of the receipt of the certificate to the officer sought to be recalled and shall, if the officer does not resign within five days thereafter, order an election to be held on a date fixed by them not less than sixty and not more than ninety days after the date of the Town Clerk's certificate that a sufficient petition has been filed; provided however, that if any other town election is to occur within ninety days after the date of the certificate the selectmen shall postpone the holding of the recall election to the date of such other election. No person shall be subject to recall if his/her term of office expires within ninety days of the certificate. If a vacancy occurs in said office after a recall election has been ordered, the election shall nevertheless proceed as provided in this section.

SECTION 4. Any officer sought to be removed may be a candidate to succeed himself, and unless he requests otherwise in writing, the Town Clerk shall place his/her name on the ballot, without nomination. The nomination of other candidates, the publication of the warrant for the removal election, and the conduct of the same, shall all be in accordance with the provisions of law relating to election, unless otherwise provided in this act.

SECTION 5. The incumbent shall continue to perform the duties of his office until the recall election. If then reelected, he shall continue in office for the remainder of his unexpired term subject to recall as before, except as provided in this section. If not reelected in the recall election, he/she shall be deemed removed upon the qualification of his successor, who shall hold office during the unexpired term. If the successor fails to qualify within five days after receiving notification of his election, the incumbent shall thereupon be deemed removed and the office vacant.

SECTION 6. Ballots used in a recall election shall submit the following propositions in the order indicated:

For the recall of (name of officer)

Against the recall of (name of officer).

Immediately at the right of each proposition, there shall be a square in which the voter, by making a cross mark (X) may vote for either of the said propositions. Under the propositions shall appear the word "Candidates", the directions to the voters required by section forty-two of chapter fifty-four of the General Laws, and beneath this, the name of candidates nominated in accordance with the provisions of law relating to elections. If a majority of the votes cast upon the question of recall is in the affirmative, the candidate receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected. If more than a majority of the votes on the question are in the negative, the ballots for candidates need not be counted.

SECTION 7. No recall petition shall be filed against an officer within ninety days after he takes office, nor, in the case of an officer subjected to a recall election and not recalled thereby, until at least ninety days after the election at which his recall was submitted to the voters of the town.

SECTION 8. No person who has been recalled from an office or who has resigned from office while recall proceedings were pending against him, shall be appointed to any town office within one year after such recall or such resignation.

BY PETITION

VOTED: to Table Art. 5 Yes: 321 No: 159

#### ARTICLE 6

To see if the Town will vote to continue the past practice of employing Town Counsel on a flat salary basis and to guarantee the free access to Town Counsel by all Town Officials by amending Article IV, section 0401 of the Town By-laws by replacing the first sentence with "The Board of Selectmen shall have authority to prosecute, defend and compromise all litigation to which the Town is a party, and to appoint an attorney-at-law as Town Counsel upon a non-hourly, salaried basis, without regard to hours worked", and by inserting at the end of section 0401 therein the sentence "No Town Board or individual shall prohibit, interfere with, delay, or schedule the use of Town Counsel by any other Board of Town Officers, Town Officials or their designee, for the purpose of obtaining legal opinions, bonds, deeds, leases, obligations, conveyances and other legal instruments, or other professional acts".

BY PETITION

VOTED: To Table Art. 6 Yes: 301 No: 134

#### ARTICLE 7

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article I of the Town bylaws by inserting section 0104 as follows:

All Town Boards, Committees, and Commissions shall schedule a public question and answer period at the beginning of every meeting, with the exception of emergency or executive session meetings, of every meeting of such Board, Committee, or Commission posted. This question and answer period shall be no less than fifteen minutes in duration unless all persons present at the beginning of the posted period and seeking to address the Board, Committee, or Commission, have been afforded the opportunity to speak prior to the expiration of the fifteen minute period. This question and answer period shall not be used to raise or discuss issues including but not limited to the following:

- 1. The acts or omissions of a town employee or town official;
- 2. Any person's character, reputation, physical condition, mental health, or competence.

3. Any topic which is considered by the Chair of the Board, Committee, or Commission to be inflammatory, slanderous, or otherwise harmful to any person's rights protected by any law or privilege; or a matter subject to litigation.

The Board of Selectmen is empowered to adopt reasonable policies and procedures for the efficient and equitable operation of these question and answer periods.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Art. 7

#### ARTICLE 8

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following By-Law:

The Board of Selectmen shall make available the first fifteen minutes of each meeting for public comment or questions.

BY PETITION

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Art. 8

#### ARTICLE 9

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Representative to the General Court to file legislation to allow the Town to expand the Board of Selectmen from Three (3) to Five (5) members, in accordance with applicable laws, and/or take any action relative thereto.

BY PETITION

VOTED: (Carried) to Table Art. 9Yes: 62 NO: 31

#### ARTICLE 10

To see if the Town will vote to petition the General Court for a Special Act to increase the Board of Selectmen to five (5) members and provide for election by precincts by adopting an Act substantially as follows:

AN ACT FOR THE ELECTION OF SELECTMEN IN THE TOWN OF WESTPORT

The Town of Westport shall have a Board of Selectmen consisting of five (5) members. At the 1994 Annual Town Election, the Town shall elect one (1) Selectman for a 1-year term, one (1) Selectman for a 2-year term, and one (1) Selectman for a 3-year term to serve with the two remaining Selectmen whose terms expire in 1995 and 1996. All successive elections shall be for 3-year terms. Selectmen shall be elected by precincts or wards whereby there shall be one Selectman elected from each

precinct or ward by and from the registered voters residing in such precinct or ward. It is the intent of this Town Meeting to have the actual wording of the final Act prepared by Legislative Counsel and/or take any action relative thereto.

BY PETITION

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Table Art. 10

#### ARTICLE 12

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law by inserting under Schedule A -- Board of Selectmen:

POSITION	GROUP	HOURS	PAY BASIS	TYPE
Grant Program	2	35	K-A	FT
Assistant				**

to be paid through available grant funds and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
PERSONNEL BOARD

VOTED: (Carried)

VOTED: (Unanimously) to adjourn the reconvened Annual Town Meeting at 10:50  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{P.M.}}$ 

There were 543 registered voters in attendance, and 6 Press and Officials.

A true record,

Attest: Marlene M. Samson, Town Clerk

June 3, 1993

The adjourned Town Meeting was called to order at 7:35 P.M. by Moderator Brad C. Brightman who appointed Muriel Peters and George Rodrigues to act as tellers and were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. Doris Silvia acted as timekeeper for the meeting.

Motion made at this time and voted: (Unanimously) to take Article 54 and Article 60 out of sequence.

#### ARTICLE 54

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To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds such sums of money considered

necessary to defray the Town's expenses for a twelve month period beginning July 1, 1993 and appropriate the same to several departments, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN

ACCOUNTANT Personal Services Expenses Total	46,156 3,325 49,481	Un•
APPEALS Personal Services Expenses Total	2,000 3,195 5,195	Un.
ASSESSORS Personal Services Expenses Tax Hearings Total	93,145 2,720 2,000 97,865	Un.
BOARD OF HEALTH Personal Services Expenses Total	101,752 11,709 113,461	Carried.
BUILDING INSPECTORS Personal Services Expenses Total	38,415 <u>5,425</u> 43,840	Un.
CEMETERY Personal Services Expenses Total	57,152 6,043 63,195	Un.
CIVIL DEFENSE Personal Services Expenses Total	500 1,339 1,839	Un.
COLLECTOR OF TAXES Personal Services Expenses Tax Takings Total	69,898 12,583 1,000 83,481	Un.

CONSERVATION Personal Services	26,264	
Expenses	2,460	
Total	28,724	Un.
COUNCIL ON AGING Personal Services Expenses Total	35,655 1,840 37,495	Un.
DATA PROCESSING		
Personal Services	100	
Expenses	25,955	
Total	26,055	Un.
DOG OFFICER		
Personal Services Expenses	8,100	
Total	8,160	***
1001	16,260	Un.
ELECTION & REGISTRATION		
Personal Services	28,125	
Expenses	_ 8,221	
Total	36,346	Un.
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS		
Health	1,075,000	
Life	6,000	
FICA/Medicare	35,000	
Unemployment	75,000	
Worker's Comp.	211,000	
Total	1,402,000	Un.
ENGINEERING		
Expenses	-0-	Un.
		0111
FAIR HOUSING		
Expenses	300	Un.
FENCE VIEWER		
Expenses	-0-	Un.
		OII.
FINANCE COMMITTEE		
Expenses	2,000	Un.
RESERVE FUND		
PEDEKVE FUND	45,000	Un.

FIRE		
Personal Services	687,570	
Expenses	73,150	**-
Total	760,720	Un.
CAC THEDESTRODE		
GAS INSPECTORS	3,727	
Personal Services	818	
Expenses Total	4,545	Un.
Total	,,	
HARBORMASTER		
Personal Services	21,520	
Expenses	6,185	
Total	27,705	Un.
HIGHWAY		
Personal Services	366,598	
Expenses	109,310	**
Total	475,908	Un.
SNOW & ICE REMOVAL		
Personal Services	24,000	
Expenses	20,000	
Total	44,000	Un.
Total	,	
HISTORICAL COMMITTEE		
Expenses	320	Un.
LANDFILL		
Personal Services	65,464	
Expenses	90,148	
Total	155,612	Un.
1 1991		
LEGAL Personal Evenesia	37,275	
Personal Expenses Expenses		Carried.
Tax Hearings		YES: 99
Total	67,275	
10001		
LIBRARY		
Personal Services	96,098	
Expenses	24,568	
Total	120,666	Un.
MODERATOR	454	
Personal Services	454	
Expenses	149	The
Total	603	Un.

NURSING, BOARD OF HEALTH Personal Services Expenses Total	203,229 14,040 217,269	Un.
PARKING TICKETS Expenses	4,000	Un.
PERSONNEL BOARD Expenses	400	Un.
PLANNING BOARD Personal Services Expenses Total	8,652 _2,700 11,352	Un.
PLUMBING INSPECTORS Personal Services Expenses Total POLICE	4,473 1,570 6,043	Un.
Personal Services Expenses Total	891,700 _121,463 1,013,163	Un.
PROPERTY INSURANCE Expenses	165,000	Un.
RECREATION Personal Services Expenses Total	4,453 <u>970</u> 5,423	Un.
RECYCLING Expenses	7,000	Un.
REGIONAL SCHOOLS Diman Bristol Aggie Total		Carried. YES: 118 NO: 41

Motion to Table the rest of Article 54 at this time, and to take action on Article 60.

VOTED: Carried.

#### ARTICLE 60

To see if the Town will vote to waive the provision of Article 7 section 7.0 of the Westport Zoning By-laws, which requires a buildable lot to have one hundred-fifty (150) feet of frontage,

for a 72 acre parcel of land with a twenty (20) foot right-ofway identified on the assessor's map 45, lot 15 and map 46, lot 8 for the purpose of creating a single buildable residential lot and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BY PETITION

VOTED: Yes: 118 No: 29 Carried.

Motion made to reconsider the vote taken un Regional Schools. Voted: Yes: 88 No: 14 carried with Proviso.

ARTICLE 54 CONT.

REGIONAL SCHOOLS		
Diman	106,037	
Bristol Aggie	5,850	
Total	111,887	Carried.

The following paragraph is to be included with this Regional Schools budget:

Budget for Diman of \$106,037 with Proviso that all future education funds labeled for Regional Vocational Schools will be forwarded to Diman Voke.

RETIREMENT Expenses	556,000	Carried.
SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES Personal Services Expenses Total	1,062 363 1,425	Un.
SELECIMEN Personal Services Expenses Total	97,300 7,510 104,810	Carried.
SHELLFISH/WHARFINGER Personal Services Expenses Total	39,436 22,063 61,499	Un.
STATE BOAT RAMP Personal Services Expenses Total	2,400 1,800 4,200	Un.

STREET LIGHTING Expenses	18,000	Un.
TOWN BEACH Personal Services Expenses Total	15,645 	Un.
TOWN CLERK Personal Services Expenses Total	31,099 1,300 32,399	Un.
TOWN FARM Expenses	3,000	Un.
TOWN HALL/ANNEX Personal Services Expenses Total	28,312 31,650 59,962	Un.
TOWN REPORTS Expenses	5,000	Un.
TREASURER Personal Services Expenses Total	68,414 <u>39,735</u> 108,149	Un.
UNCLASSIFIED Expenses	25,150	Un.
WIRE INSPECTORS Personal Services Expenses Total	16,025 _2,740 18,765	Un.
VETERAN GRAVES Personal Services Expenses Total VETERAN SERVICE	538 <u>1,603</u> 2,141	Un.
Personal Services Expenses Total	19,740 <u>56,007</u> 75,747	Un.
SCHOOL DEPARIMENT General Ed Special Ed Total	5,941,784 1,506,166 7,447,950	Un.

INTEREST Long Term Short Term Total		107,538 30,000 137,538	Un.
DEBT RETIRE	MENT	225,000	Un.
WATER ENTER Expenses	RPRISE FUND	8,504	Un.
TOTALS		\$ 14,163,712	Un.
	Taxation Free Cash Waterways Perpetual Care Wetlands Landfill Closure Pension Reserve Water Receipts	13,826,147 223,083 8,000 25,700 10,000 30,000 32,278 8,504 \$ 14,163,712	

VOTED: (Unanimously) to adjourn the reconvened Annual Town Meeting at 12:06 A.M.

There were 214 registered voters in attendance and 9 Press and Officials. VOTED: (Unanimously) to adjourn the reconvened Annual Town Meeting at 12:06 P.M.

A true record,

Attest: Marlene M. Samson, Town Clerk

June 8, 1993

The adjourned Town Meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m. by Moderator Brad C. Brightman who appointed Michael Guilmette and Muriel Peters to act as tellers and were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. Doris Silvia acted as timekeeper for the Meeting.

#### ARTICLE 13

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of

hiring a part time health agent to inspect septic systems for twenty hours per week for the Board of Health and/or take any other action relative thereto."

BOARD OF HEALTH

Article 13 has been AMENDED as follows: (Amend. Carried)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of funding a part time health agent for not more than twenty hours per week for the Board of Health and/or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED: \$12,625.00 from Free Cash Yes: 118 No: 40 Carried.

#### ARTICLE 14

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-law by deleting from Schedule A -- Shellfish:

POSITIONGROUPHOURSPAY BASISTYPEWarden1RSalaryFT

and inserting therein:

POSITIONGROUPHOURSPAY BASISTYPEWarden/1RSalaryFTWharfinger

and/or take any other action reactive thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN PERSONNEL BOARD

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 15

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law by deleting under Schedule A -- Council on Aging:

POSITIONGROUPHOURSPAY BASISTYPECoordinator220+AnnualPT

and insert therein:

POSITION GROUP HOURS PAY BASIS TYPE
Director 1 20+ Salary PT

and/or take any other action relative thereto.

COUNCIL ON AGING PERSONNEL BOARD

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 16

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law by inserting under Schedule A -- Council on Aging:

POSITION GROUP HOURS PAY BASIS TYP
Companion 2 -20 Hourly PT

and/or take any other action relative thereto.

COUNCIL ON AGING PERSONNEL BOARD

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 17

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law by inserting under Schedule A  $\operatorname{\mathsf{--}}$  Council on Aging:

POSITION GROUP HOURS PAY BASIS TYPE
Social Day 2 -20 Hourly PT
Care Director

and/or take any other action relative thereto.

COUNCIL ON AGING PERSONNEL BOARD

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARITCLE 18

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-law by deleting from Schedule A  $\operatorname{\mathsf{--}}$  Cemetery:

POSITION GROUP HOURS PAY BASIS TYPE Supt. 1 R Salary FT

and inserting therein:

POSITION GROUP HOURS PAY BASIS TYPE Supt. of 1 R Salary FT Buildings, Grounds & Cemeteries

and/or take any other action reactive thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN PERSONNEL BOARD

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 19

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Personnel By-Law by inserting under Schedule A -- Board of Health:

POSITION GROUP HOURS PAY BASIS TYPE
Sanitary 4 40 K-A FT
Landfill Monitor

and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF HEALTH PERSONNEL BOARD

VOTED: to AMEND Article 19 as follows: (Vote: Un. on Amend.)

POSITION GROUP HOURS PAY BASIS TYPE
Recycling 4 40 K-A FT
Monitor/Agent Operator

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 20

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 593 of the Acts of 1989 for providing special funds for hiring outside consultants for the Planning Board, Board of Health, Conservation Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Art. 20

#### ARTICLE 21

To see if the Town will vote to transfer to reduce taxation certain sums of money from various articles approved by Town Meeting, when there is a balance remaining that is no longer required to accomplish the purpose for which the articles were originally passed, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Art. 21

#### ARTICLE 22

To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 64G, section 3A of the General Laws to impose a local room occupancy excise tax at the rate of two percent (2%) beginning July 1, 1994 increasing to the rate of four percent (4%) beginning July 1, 1995, and/or take

any other action relative thereto.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

VOTED: Yes: 134 No: 61 Carried.

#### ARTICLE 23

To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elected Town Officers, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

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Selectmen - Chairman Board Members (ea)	\$ 4,423.00 4,253.00
Town Clerk	23,451.00
Assessors - Full Time Board Members (ea)	32,818.00 3,994.00
Board of Health - Members (ea)	1,701.00
Highway Surveyor	39,007.00
Tax Collector	32,818.00
Treasurer	32,818.00
Moderator	454.00

## ARTICLE 24

VOTED: (Carried)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing certain capital items, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

VARIOUS DEPARIMENTS

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$17,000.00 from Free Cash for 2 - Sander Bodies for HIGHWAY DEPT.

#### ARTICLE 25

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds such sums of money to the

Stabilization Fund and/or take any other action relative thereto. FINANCE COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$30,000.00 from Free Cash

#### ARTICLE 26

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds such sums of money to maintain dual ambulance service 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$60,000.00 from Taxation

#### ARTICLE 27

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of G.L. Chapter 59 section 57B to allow issuance of a single property tax bill for the full amount due when that amount is fifty dollars or less, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

TAX COLLECTOR BOARD OF ASSESSORS

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Art. 27

#### ARTICLE 28

To see if the Town will vote to accept money for the Equal Educational Opportunity Grant for fiscal year 1993 under the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 70A, section 5 as inserted by Chapter 188 of the Acts of 1985, which grant monies shall be expended by the Westport School Committee for direct pupil services, and/or to take any other action relative thereto.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 29

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Greater Fall River Vocational School District Committee to accept money for the Equal Educational Opportunity Grant for fiscal year 1993 under the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 70A, section 5 as inserted by Chapter 188 of the Acts of 1985, which grant monies shall be expended by the Greater Fall River Vocational School District Committee for direct pupil services, and/or to take any other action relative thereto.

GREATER FALL RIVER VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 30

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from other available funds and/or borrow a sum of money to be used in conjunction with, and/or in addition to any funds allocated by the Commonwealth and/or County for the construction, reconstruction, and/or improvements of Town roads, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

VOTED: (UNanimously) \$298,055.00 from Highway Chap. 90

#### ARTICLE 31

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds and/or transfer from within existing appropriations a sum of money to be used for the repair, resurfacing, reconstruction, drainage, and maintenance of Town roads, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$100,000.00 from F.E.M.A.

#### ARTICLE 32

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of maintaining during the ensuing year the mosquito control work as estimated and certified by the State Reclamation Board in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Acts of 1931 and/or to take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$1.00 from Free Cash

#### ARTICLE 33

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of funding transportation services for Westport residents who are handicapped and/or are elderly, and/or to take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$7,500.00 from Free Cash

#### ARTICLE 34

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or

transfer from available funds the sum of \$2,000 to contract for counseling, medical, and legal advocacy, and educational programs to the community in relation to the issue of sexual assault and abuse, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN

VOTED: (Carried) \$2,000.00 from Free Cash

#### ARTICLE 35

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purchase of equipment for the Cemetery Department and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN CEMETERY DEPARIMENT

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$4,300.00 from Perpetual Care

#### ARTICLE 36

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from the Municipal Waterways fund and/or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the maintenance and repair of the Town Docks, and/or to take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$10,000.00 from Municipal Waterways

#### ARTICLE 37

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To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from the Municipal Waterways Funds the sum of \$10,000 for the repair or replacement of waterfront/water-related equipment including boats, motors and accessories belonging to Harbormaster, Shellfish, Police and Fire Departments with spending of said monies allowed only upon approval of the Finance Committee and Board of Selectmen and/or take any other action relative thereto.

HARBORMASTER

Article 37 has been AMENDED as follows: (Voted: Amend. Carried)

In the third line include after the word replacement (or procurement)

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$10,000.00 from Municipal Waterways

#### ARTICLE 38

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or

transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purchase and/or lease of a new fire tanker/pumper, and/or to take any other action relative thereto.

FIRE CHIEF

VOTED: (Carried) \$165,000.00 be appropriated as a Contingent appropriation under M.G.L. Chap. 59, Sect. 21C(n) for the purchase.

#### ARTICLE 39

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds \$1,000 for the purpose of operating and maintaining a boat pump-out facility in Westport waters and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF HEALTH

Article 39 was AMENDED from the Sum of \$1,000 to \$500 unanimously.

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$500.00 from Free Cash

#### ARTICLE 40

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds a sum of \$500 to pay for services provided by the Buzzards Bay Action Committee and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF

#### SELECIMEN

Article 40 was AMENDED as follows: (Amend. Carried)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds a sum of \$500 to pay for environmental services directly related to Buzzards Bay.

VOITED: Yes: 99 No: 75 \$500.00 from Free Cash Carried.

#### ARTICLE 41

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds \$500 for the purpose of paying any associated expenses incurred by the Town relating to the Rabies Epizootic and/or take any action relative thereto.

BOARD OF HEALTH

VOTED: (Unanimously) \$500.00 from Free Cash

#### ARTICLE 42

To see if the Town will vote to establish pursuant to the

provisions of G. L. Chapter 44 Section 53E-1/2, a revolving fund for the Nursing Department into which will be paid all receipts from contracted medical social work, home health aide, and physical, speech, occupational, and IV therapy services; from which costs not to exceed the sum of \$50,000.00 for these same services may be expended without further appropriation by the Nursing Administrator, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN NURSING ADMINISTRATOR

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 43

To see if the Town will vote to establish pursuant to the provisions of G. L. Chapter 44 Section 53E-1/2, a revolving fund for the Council on Aging into which will be paid all receipts from health care promotion, recreational and social programs for seniors, from which costs not to exceed the sum of \$10,000.00 for these same services may be expended without further appropriation by the Council on Aging, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN COUNCIL ON AGING

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 44

To see if the Town will vote to establish pursuant to the provisions of G. L. Chapter 44 Section 53E-1/2, a revolving fund for the Council on Aging into which will be paid all receipts from the social day care program, from which costs not to exceed the sum of \$10,000.00 for these same services may be expended without further appropriation by the Council on Aging, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN COUNCIL ON AGING

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 45

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 42 of the Acts of 1992 which amends G.L. Chapter 44 section 53D to allow the Recreation Commission to use its existing revolving fund to pay wages and salaries of part-time and seasonal employees as well as purchase equipment, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 46

To see if the Town will vote to establish pursuant to the provisions of G. L. Chapter 44 Section 53E-1/2, a revolving fund for the Recreation Department into which will be paid all receipts from youth recreation programs, from which costs not to exceed the sum of \$15,000.00 for these same services may be expended without further appropriation by the Recreation Department and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 47

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the establishment and use of a revolving fund by the Cemetery Department in accordance with Chapter 44, Section 53E-1/2 of the Massachusetts General Laws. Said revolving fund shall include only receipts generated from the sale of grave boxes and may be used only for the purchase of grave boxes by the Cemetery Department. Expenditures from the fund shall not exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) and expenditures from the revolving fund may only be made and authorized by the Head of the Cemetery Department.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN CEMETERY DEPARIMENT

The provisions of Article 47 was lost.

#### ARTICLE 48

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) to be deposited in the Cemetery Departments' Purchase of Grave Boxes Revolving Fund, and/or take any other action reactive thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

VOTED: (Carried) to Pass over Article 48

#### ARTICLE 49

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the establishment and use of a revolving fund by the Board of Health in accordance with Chapter 44, section 53E-1/2 of the Massachusetts General Laws. Said revolving fund shall include only receipts generated from all landfill user fees and may be used only for offsetting all costs associated with the landfill closure and the relocation and upgrading of the recycling center and the composting area. Expenditures from the fund shall not exceed ninety thousand

dollars (\$90,000) and expenditures from the revolving fund may only be made and authorized by the Board of Health.

BOARD OF HEALTH

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Article 49

#### ARTICLE 50

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To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53F-1/2 to establish an Enterprise Fund for listed harbor related activities and waterfront operations. Receipts, revenues, and funds to be derived from the activities of the Enterprise and deposited into the Enterprise account shall include mooring fees, slip fees, State boat launching ramp fees, Town Wharf dockage fees, Town owned rental mooring fees, fines derived from violations of any regulations or relating to the use of the harbor or rivers, and other fees that may be from time to time assessed in connection with the use of the harbors and rivers and to include in a separate account within the Enterprise Fund 50% of the receipts from boat excise taxes presently known as Municipal Waterways Improvement & Maintenance Fund. All costs, direct and indirect for said Enterprise shall come out of this fund. A complete budget shall be prepared for the fund for approval at the 1994 Annual Town Meeting and all subsequent annual Town Meetings. The funds shall become effective July 1, 1994, which is the start of the Fiscal Year 1995 and/or take any other action relative thereto.

HARBOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE

VOTED: Yes: 68 No: 44 Carried.

VOTED: (Unanimously) to adjourn the reconvened Annual Town Meeting at 12:22 P.M.

There were 249 registered voters in attendance, and 8 press and officials.

A true record,

ATTEST: Marlene M. Samson, Town Clerk

June 9, 1993

The adjourned Town Meeting was called to order at 7:40 P.M. by Moderator Brad C. Brightman who appointed Elmira Beals and John Jennings, Jr. to act as tellers and were duly sworn by the Town Clerk. Doris Silvia acted as timekeeper for the meeting.

VOTED: (Unanimously) to dispense with the reading of Article 51.

#### ARTICLE 51

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53F-1/2 to establish an Enterprise Fund for harbor related activities and waterfront operations, including but not limited to the Shellfish, Wharf, Harbormaster, and State Boat Ramp departments. Receipts, revenues, and funds to be derived from the activities of the Enterprise and deposited into the Enterprise account shall include shellfish licenses, mooring fees, slip fees, State and other boat launching ramp fees, Town Wharf dockage fees, Town owned rental mooring fees, fines derived from violations of any regulations or relating to the use of the harbor or rivers, and other fees that may be from time to time assessed in connection with the use of the harbors and rivers and to include in separate accounts within the Enterprise Fund the portion of the receipts from boat excise taxes presently known as Municipal Waterways Improvement Maintenance Fund, and State-owned boat launching ramp fees effective July 1, 1994 which is the start of Fiscal Year 1995 and/or take any other action relative thereto.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

VOTED: to Table indefinitely. Yes: 127 No: 40 Carried.

#### ARTICLE 52

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell, sign, seal and acknowledge in the name of the Town, deeds conveying the Town Powder House, so-called, located on the Head of Westport Town Landing, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN LANDING COMMISSIONERS

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Art. 52

#### ARTICLE 53

To see if the Town will vote to insert a new section XLVIII-RECYCLING AND SOLID WASTE into the Town By-laws create a mandatory recycling by-law, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

4801. Anyone disposing of solid waste into a public Westport Solid Waste Facility shall remove from said solid waste any materials deemed recyclable and listed in the Department of Environmental Protection Waste Ban in effect at the time of disposal. Such recyclable materials shall be separated and if disposed of in Westport, with other similar items into a Board of Health approved recycling facility.

4802. Non-recyclable solid waste shall be free of recyclable materials as described in the Department of Environmental Protection Waste Ban to the extent that the non-recyclable solid waste contains no more than 10% by volume recyclable materials.

4803. It shall be the responsibility of the disposer of the solid waste that recyclable materials are separated from the waste stream and disposed of at a recycling facility.

4804. Any person who violates any provision of this by-law shall be punished by a fine of fifty (\$50.00) dollars. Each separate violation shall constitute a separate offense.

BOARD OF HEALTH

SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL COMMITTEE

Section 4804 has been AMENDED as follows:

Any person who violates any provision of the by-law shall be required to remove the unexceptable solid waste from the Landfill. Each separate violation shall constitute a separate offense.

VOTED: Yes: 4 No: 2 Carried. (Appvd. Atty. Gen. 8/19/93)

#### ARTICLE 55

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following Anti-Litter By-Law:

ANTI-LITTER BY-LAW

Section 1. General Provisions:

No person shall throw, place or cause to be thrown or placed upon any street, way or sidewalk or public property or private property without the written consent of the owner, any litter or rubbish as defined in this By-Law for any purpose. Public and private property shall include vacant land and/or occupied land, structures and buildings located upon such property, including dumpsters or other similar containers located upon such property, whether owned by the property owner, private hauler, or other person.

Section 2. Definitions:

2a.) Litter

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Any refuse, material or rubbish, whether it is recyclable or not, that has been abandoned or which has not been disposed of property in a trash receptacle or at a public or private

permitted water disposal or transfer station.

## b.) Rubbish

Means combustible and non-combustible materials and includes, but is not limited to, garbage, paper, rags, cartons, boxes, cardboard, wood, construction and demolition debris, excelsior, rubber, plastic, leather, tree branches, yard trimmings, stumps, grass clippings, batteries, tires, furniture, household appliances, televisions, stereos, radios, tin cans, bottles, metals, mineral matter, glass crockery, and the residue from burning wood, coal, coke, oil, other combustible materials and any noxious or refuse liquid or solid matter or substance.

## Section 3. Penalty and Enforcement:

Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this By-Law shall be subject to a penalty of \$50.00 for the first occurrence, \$100.00 for the second occurrence, and \$200.00 for each subsequent occurrence. This By-Law may be enforced through the Non-Criminal Disposition Provisions, the Criminal Procedures for enforcement of By-Laws, through restraining orders and other Court procedures or any combination thereof. The enforcement of this By-Law shall be through the Board of Health. And/or take any action relative thereto.

BY PETITION

Section 3 has been AMENDED as follows: (Voted: Un. on Amend.) (Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of the By-Law shall be subject to a penalty of \$200.00 for each occurrence.) The rest of sec. 3 remains the same.

VOTED: (Unanimously) (Appvd. Atty. Gen. 8/19/93)

#### ARTICLE 56

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following By-Law: Any Town Board, Commission or Officer establishing or adopting rule, regulation or procedure for the disposal or transfer of solid waste shall treat commercial waste in the same manner as household or residential waste. This requirement specifically does not apply to industrial waste or demolition materials.

BY PETITION

Article 56 has been AMENDED to include after materials the following paragraph:

Industrial Waste: is defined as waste, in any form from the manufacture or production of a product including, but not limited to, hazardous material, toxic material, sludge, or other materials deemed industrial by the Board of Health.

VOTED: (Carried) (Appvd. Atty. Gen. 8/19/93)

#### ARTICLE 57

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article XXVI - GARAGE AND SERVICE STATION LICENSE REGULATIONS to include boat and boat motor repair facilities by inserting the words "BOAT REPAIR" after the word "GARAGE" in the Article Title and to amend the following sections and/or take any other action relative thereto.

#### 2601. PURPOSE

to amend Section 2601. by inserting the words"boat repair facilities" after the words "service stations".

#### 2602. GENERAL

to amend Section 2602. by inserting the words "boat repair facilities" after the words "service station".

## 2603. DEFINITIONS

to amend Section 2603. by adding the following definition:

Boat Repair Facility - Shall include but not be limited to premises used for the construction, remodeling, repair and painting of boats, barges, floats, yachts and all forms of marine vessels, equipment, and motors in connection therewith.

and/or take any other action reactive thereto.

BY PETITION

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Art. 57

#### ARTICLE 58

To see if the Town will vote to accept the following petitioned article:

That Article XXIX 'Flea Markets' under the Town of Westport bylaws and Regulations be eliminated in its entirety and be replaced with a new Article XXIX as follows:

2900. No Flea Markets will be allowed in the Town of Westport except for those operating within the interior of a building suitable for such purposes.

#### 2901. PURPOSE

It is the intent of this By-Law to provide a mechanism for allowing, subject to reasonable and appropriate controls, certain types of activities having to do with the sale of second hand articles within the community while at the same time preserving

the residential atmosphere of the various neighborhoods in Town. It is further the intent of this By-Law to enhance traffic and pedestrian safety through the provision of appropriate restrictions on the placing of signs and advertising devices on utility poles, traffic signs, street signs, and public trees. It is also the intent of this By-Law to assure the activities relating to the sale of second hand articles by persons or groups customarily engaged in such activities as a business shall be limited to those locations within town which the town, through its Zoning By-Laws, has set aside for the conduct of businesses.

## 2902. DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this By-Law the following term shall have and include the following respective meaning.

<u>Flea Market</u> - A temporary market where old, damaged (seconds), or used articles are sold.

#### 2903. REQUIREMENTS

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## 2903.1 Business and Industrial Zoning Districts

- A. Flea markets may be held in a business or Industrial District pursuant to a permit granted by the Board of Selectmen as authorized. No material for sale shall be displayed on any public or private way. Permits may be issued subject to conditions deemed by the Board of Selectmen to be necessary or advisable.
- B. No sign or advertising device shall be placed within any street right-of-way, including free standing signs, or any sign affixed to street signs, traffic or regulatory or warning signs or any utility poles within such right-of-way. No such sign or advertising device shall be placed on any public tree.
- C. Any authorized signs may be displayed on the premises for not more than five (5) days.

# 2903.2 All other Zoning Districts

- A. Flea Markets may be held in any other Zoning District pursuant to a permit granted by the Board of Selectmen subject to conditions hereinafter set forth.
  - Flea Market is under the sponsorship of a Westport, Massachusetts based non-profit organization or corporation whose purpose is to provide service or charitable work. Nofee shall be required for permits granted under this section.

- 2. The number of Flea Markets shall be limited to one per calendar year per organization or corporation.
- 3. No person customarily engaged in the business of conducting Flea Markets shall participate in any Flea Market within any Zoning District except Business and Industrial Districts unless the sponsoring organization or corporation has received a special permit from the Zoning Board of Appeal. No material for sale shall be displayed on any public or private way. Permits may be issued subject to conditions deemed by the Board of Selectmen.
- 4. No sign or advertising device shallbe placed within any street right-of-way, including free standing signs, or any sign affixed to street signs, traffic regulatory or warning signs or any utility poles within such right-ofway. No such sign or advertising device shall be placed on any public tree.
- 5. Any authorized signs may be displayed on the premises for not more than five (5) days.
- 6. Such sale shall not exceed three (3) days duration.

## 2904. PROCEDURE

2904.1 Any person, organization, or corporationintending to conduct a Flea Market, or similar activity by a different name shall make application for a permit to conduct such activity at the Board of Selectmen office no less than ten (10) calendar days prior to the date of the proposed activity.

2904.2 If an application is favorably acted upon by the Board of Selectmen or its designated representative, a permit shall be issued to the person, organization or corporation to conduct such activity and said permit shall be available at all times on the site during the time on the site during the term of the sale.

#### 2905. FEES

The fee for permits granted pursuant to this By-Law shall be according to the following schedule:

Flea Market - \$100.00 plus \$1.00 for each planned stall.

#### 2906. ENFORCEMENT

2906.1 The Police Department shall be responsible for enforcement of this By-Law and upon request of a police officer, any person conducting any activity governed by these rules and regulations, shall make available for inspection by the police officer the permit granted by the Board of Selectmen.

2906.2 A person found by a police officer not to be in compliance with the By-Law as heretofore set forth shall upon such police officer's order, cease such activity immediately or comply with the directive of the police officer to bring into conformity that portion of the activity which is deemed to be in violation of these By-Laws.

2906.3 Signs or advertising devices in violation of this By-Law found to be affixed to any utility pole, street sign, traffic warning or regulatory signs within the right-of-way of any street shall be removed by any police officer observing same.

## 2907. PENALTY

By-Laws as set forth in Article VII, VIII, XV, and XVI shall be subject to a penalty of fifty (\$50.00) dollars for each offense. Each day the violation continues shall be considered as a separate offense.

#### 2908. GENERAL

2908.1 Nothing contained in this By-Law shall require the Board of Selectmen to issue a permit if, in its opinion, the public interest would be adversely affected by so doing.

2908.2 The Board of Selectmen may waive strict compliance with any of the above By-Laws if after its examination of the facts in a particular case such waiver can be granted without derogating from the intent and purpose of this By-Law.

BY PETITION

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Table indefinitely

#### ARTICLE 59

To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout of Zulmiro Drive for a town road or take any other action relative thereto.

BY PETITION

VOTED: (Unanimously) Tabled indefinitely

VOTED: (Unanimously) to adjourn the reconvened Annual Town Meeting at 9:32 P.M.

There were 221 registered voters and 6 press and officials.

A true record,

Attest: Marlene M. Samson, Town Clerk

## SPECIAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT TOWN OF WESTPORT COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSEITS NOVEMBER 16, 1993

BRISTOL, SS.

To either of the constables of the Town of Westport in said County:

#### GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Westport qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to assemble at the Westport High School on Tuesday, November 16, 1993 at 7:30 p.m., and then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Agreeable to the warrant calling said meeting, the voters of the Town of Westport assembled at the Westport High School on the above date. The meeting was called to order at 7:40 p.m. by Moderator Brad C. Brightman, who appointed Edgar Towne Jr. and Ann Chandanais to act as Tellers and they were duly sworn before the Town Clerk. Beth Hayes acted as timekeeper for the meeting in accordance with a By-Law adopted under Article 45 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1963.

VOTED: (Unanimously) to dispense with the reading of the warrant.

#### ARTICLE 1

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To see if the Town will vote to amend its residency provisions pertaining to police and fire department personnel to allow non-residents to apply for permanent positions in those departments upon the condition that any non-resident so appointed assumes and thereafter maintains residency in Westport after his/her

appointment, by amending Article XXXI Residency Requirements and Residency Preference adopted under Article 41 of the 1980 Annual Town Meeting by deleting Section 3101 and inserting therein the following:

"Every applicant for the position of regular police officer or permanent firefighter, or any other permanent officer of either department shall be a resident of the Town of Westport, or if not a resident shall within six (6) months after his/her appointment takes effect, establish his/her residency within the Town of Westport and shall maintain such residency during the entire period of his/her service with either department of the Town of Westport."

and/or take any other action relative thereto.

POLICE CHIEF FIRE CHIEF

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 2

To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following By-Law:

"All appointments to the Finance Committee shall be made at an open meeting. When a vacancy or appointment occurs, the Moderator shall post the position(s) in the Town Hall and advertise in the local press 14 days in advance of holding interviews at an open meeting." and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BY PETITION

VOTED: The provisions of Article 2 were lost. YES: 104 NO: 134

#### ARTICLE 3

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To see if the Town will vote to transfer to reduce taxation certain sums of money from various articles approved by the 1993 Annual Town Meeting and/or take any other action relative thereto.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 4

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds and/or transfer from various line

items within the current appropriations such sums of money necessary to supplement the budgets of various departments for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1993, and/or to take any other action relative thereto.

VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARITCLE 5

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds such sums of money necessary for the purpose of paying outstanding bills from prior fiscal years, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

BOARD OF SELECIMEN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Attleboro Area Youth & Family Services, Inc.	\$120.00
American Arbitration Association	261.25
	\$381.25

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 6

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and/or transfer from available funds the sum of \$2,000.00 to provide annual maintenance as agreed under the Critical Area Treatment Plan of Horseneck Point Recreation Conservation Area, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

#### CONSERVATION COMMISSION

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 7

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To see if the Town will vote to accept the provision of M.G.L. Chapter 60, Section 3C and thereby establish a local education fund through a voluntary checkoff on property tax or motor vehicle excise bills in conformance with all regulations specified in Chapter 71, Section 26 of the Acts of 1993, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

VOTED: (CARRIED) to Pass over Article 7

#### ARTICLE 8

To see if the Town will vote to return to the School Department, for purpose of future possible expansion, land adjacent to the Middle and Elementary Schools previously declared surplus, and/or take any other action relative thereto.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously)

#### ARTICLE 9

To see if the Town will vote to transfer approximately 5.87 acres of land located on Reed Road, being shown as Westport Assessor's Map 33, Lot 15, now occupied by the Head School, to the Council on Aging for a senior center pending sufficient grant funding and/or take any other action relative thereto.

COUNCIL ON AGING

SENIOR CENTER SITE SELECTION COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Table Article 9

#### ARTICLE 10

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To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept a donation of land containing approximately 5 acres from Central Village Realty Trust located on the Westerly side of Main Road in Central Village, south and West of Cumberland Farms and north and West of Bettencourt Trust and north of Westport Family Medicine Center, Inc. and transfer control of said land to the Council on Aging for a Senior Center pending sufficient grant funding and/or take any other action relative thereto.

COUNCIL ON AGING

SENIOR CENTER SITE SELECTION COMMITTEE

VOTED: (Unanimously) to Pass over Article 10

VOTED: (Unanimously) to adjourn the Special Town Meeting at 8:52 p.m.

There were 243 registered voters and 18 press and officials.

A true record,

Attest: Marlene M. Samson Town Clerk Marlene Samson Town Clerk Westport, MA 02790 May 18, 1993

I this 20th day of May, 1993 posted 10 true attested copies of the forgoing warrant in the following named places:

Briggs Road Fire Station
State Road Package Store
Town Hall
Central Village Fire Station
Briere's Inc. a.k.a. Country Liquor & Variety

Daniel Sullivan Constable of Westport

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting five or more copies in as many places within said Town at leastfourteen days before the time of said meeting.

Hereof and fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting.  $\,$ 

Given under our hands at Westport this twenty-eighth day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and ninety-three.

Thomas Perkins
David P. Dionne
George T. Leach, Jr.
WESTPORT BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Marlene Samson Town Clerk Westport, MA 02790 November 2, 1993

I this <u>2nd</u> of <u>November</u>, 1993 posted 5 true attested copies of the forgoing warrant in the following named places:

Briggs Road Fire Station

State Road Package Store
Town Hall
Central Village Fire Station
Briere's Inc. a.k.a. Country Liquor & Variety

Daniel Sullivan Constable of Westport

# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WESTPORT ARTS COUNCIL

MEMBERS Beth Easterly, Chair	Expires Expires Expires Expires Expires Expires Expires Expires Expires	2/3/94 1/21/94 11/6/96 6/30/96 6/30/94 2/18/94 6/30/95 2/22/95
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The Westport Arts Council respectfully submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1993.

Currently the Westport Arts Council distributes funds allocated to the Town from the Massachusetts Cultural Council, or MCC (formerly the Massachusetts Arts Lottery Council) and funds generated by application to the Helen E. Ellis Charitable Trust. The MCC funds are generated by the state sponsored Megabucks game. The amount that each town in Massachusetts receives through the MCC is based on a formula of distribution by population.

Area artists, cultural groups and educational institutions submit proposals to the Council. The Council meets, reviews and votes on each proposal.

# Massachusetts Cultural Council

The state Massachusetts Cultural Council approved all of the applications approved and forwarded by the Westport Arts Council for 1993 and all five projects were completed. The approved projects were: performances by storyteller Tom McCabe at the Westport Primary and Elementary schools; performances by storyteller Michael Cooper at the Westport Middle School; performances by Street Singer Stephen Baird at the Westport Public Library; Linda Neves 11 storytelling performances in the Westport schools; and support for a multi-cultural festival at the Westport Elementary School.

In early September the Council sent press releases and distributed flyers announcing the October 15, 1993 deadline for applications for calendar year 1994. The Council held a Community Input Meeting on September 22, 1993 for interested citizens and applicants. At this meeting the two-page application form was reviewed, the Councils' application review

process was gone over and questions from applicants were answered.

After the October 15, deadline, the Council met to review and vote on the applications. The allocation from the state was \$3,979.00. There were 32 applications totalling \$19,280.00. The following were approved by the Council and sent on to the Massachusetts Cultural Council for final approval: Paul Izyk, produce one one-hour videotape documentary on a Westport artist; Beth Mercer, produce a series of landscape design lectures by well known experts; Westport Free Public Library, present storyteller Doug Lipman; Earle School, funds for high school students to create murals; Jane Dufault, partial funding to produce a musical with elementary school students; Linda Neves, storytelling sessions in the elementary school; Carmen Maiocco, funds to print historical monograph called "The Narrows"; and, Westport Middle School, present "Poetry in Motion". The Council expects to have final approval in February.

Helen E. Ellis Trust Grant Fund

The Westport Arts Council application to the Helen E. Ellis Trust Fund was approved for \$9,800. The Council began meetings in January, 1993 to advertise and allocate these funds, The Council received 17 requests totalling \$19,412 and funded 10 projects.

Those projects were: Westport Council on Aging, funds to purchase art supplies for the Social Day Care Program; Carmen Maiocco, funds to print historical monograph on the Point Bridge; Westport Historical Commission, funding an artist to produce 35 illustrations for "Memoirs of a Country Boy at Westport Point"; Westport Arts Council, buy an exhibition case housed at the Westport Free Public Library and first exhibit tribute for Miss Helen E. Ellis; Westport Art Group, speaker fees for lecture series; Bruce Knect, photos and poetic essays about Westport, print 100 chapbooks; Westport Elementary and Macomber Primary Schools, fund after school arts program for the fall semester; Westport High School Drama Club, production expenses for "The Mousetrap", JeanNette Buffington Wieser, materials to print photos and have a show in Westport; and Jane Dufault, produce a musical with elementary school students and perform at the Harvest Festival and in the schools.

The Westport Arts Council encourages applications from individual artists, community groups and educational institutions which will enrich and enliven the cultural life of our town.

Respectfully submitted,

Beth Easterly, Chair

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS

The Board of Appeals members and staff were sorrowed by the passing of long time Appeals Board member and Chairman James M. Morton III. The Town owes Jim a tremendous debt for all the unselfish hours he spent researching facts and laws for the Board and others as well. His wealth of knowledge and dedication to the Town has been and will continue to be sorely missed. We all miss Jim and his scrupulous and witty sense of humor.

We would also like to take this opportunity to note that the parting of former Building Inspector Vernon Whitehead was a tremendous loss to this Town as well. His cooperation with our Board and staff was very much appreciated.

During the calendar year 1993, the Appeals Board held seven hearings which is the least amount of petitions filed since the late 1950s, early 1960s.

Of the seven petitions heard, all requests were for variances. Two variances were granted with conditions while the remainder of the variances were denied with the exception of one which was withdrawn.

The Board's organization remained the same with James M. Morton III remaining as Chairman, Joseph L. Keith III as Clerk and Raymond Medeiros as Vice-Chairman until the unfortunate death of Chairman Morton in May. The Board thereafter reorganized electing Raymond Medeiros as Chairman and Clayton Harrison Vice-Chairman. Joe Keith remained as Clerk. In May the Board of Selectmen appointed alternate Gerald Coutinho as a regular member and in October John Preston was appointed as an alternate.

The Board consisted of the following members:

James M. Morton III - Chairman.....Term Expires 6/30/97
(deceased)

Raymond L. Medeiros - Vice-Chmn/Chmn.Term Expires 6/30/98
Gerald Coutinho - Alternate....Term Expires 6/30/97
Kendal D. Tripp.....Term Expires 6/30/96
Joseph L. Keith III - Clerk...Term Expires 6/30/95
Clayton Harrison...Term Expires 6/30/94
Eliot C. Holden - Alternate...Term Expires 6/30/94
John Preston - Alternate...Term Expires 6/30/94
Charlene R. Wood....Recording Clerk

Respectfully submitted,

Raymond L. Medeiros, Chairman

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

The Board of Assessors respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1993 with organization as follows:

Mr. George R. Medeiros, Chairman

Mr. John J. McDermott

Mr. Lido Jerome

Ms. Sharon M. Potter, Principal Clerk

Mrs. Dolores A. Grillo, Senior Clerk

Mrs. Susan E. Brayton, Clerk (Resigned 9/93)

Mrs. Sharon L. Martori, Clerk (Appointed 9/93)

## TAX RATE SUMMARY FOR FISCAL 1994

## I. Tax Levy Calculation

14	v Trail	Carcaract	011			
A.	Total	Amount to	be Raised			15,676,920.77
В.	Total	Estimated	Receipts a	nd Avail.	Funds	6,137,744.00
C.	Tax Le	evy				9,539,176.77

## II. Amount to be Raised

A.	Appropriations	15,099,895.00
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В.	Other Amounts to be Raise	a:
	Final Court Judgments	12,500.00
	Total Overlay Deficits	13,015.00
	Total Cherry Sheet Offset	s 22,379.00
	Srpedd, Snow & Ice, Water	43,805.80

	iotal B.		21,022.00
C.	State & County Cherry Sheet Charges	,	238,979.00
D.	Allowance for Abatements & Exemptions		246,346.97
E.	Total Amount to be Raised		15,676,920.77

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## III. Estimated Receipts and Other Revenue Sources

A. Estimated Rec	eipts-State		
Cherry Sheet	Receipts	3,375,324.00	
Cherry Sheet	Overestimates	180.00	
Total A.			3,375,504.00

В.	Estimated Receipts-Local		
	Local Receipts not allocated	1,825,400.00	
	Enterprise Funds	8,504.00	
	Total B.		1,833,904.00

C.	Revenue Sources	Appropriated	for Particular	Purposes
	Free Cash		360,810.00	
	Other Available	Funds	567,526.00	
	Total C.			928,336.00

- D. Other Revenue Sources Appropriated Specifically to Reduce the Tax Rate 0.00
- E. Total Estimated Receipts and other Revenue Sources 6,137,744.00
- IV. Summary of Total Amount to be Raised to Total Receipts from All Sources

A. Total Amount to be Raised

B. Total Estimated Receipts & other Revenue
Sources

15,676,920.77

6,098,551.00

C. Total Real & Personal Property Tax Levy 9,539,176.77
D. Total Receipts from All Sources 9,539,176.77
15,676,920.77

Under General Laws, Chapter 58, Section 10, we classify property reportable to the State as follows:

PROPERTY CLASS #	OF PARCELS	VALUATION 1/1/93
101-Single Family 102-Condominiums 104-Two Family 105-Three Family 111- 4-8 Units 106,130-132 Vacant land 012-043 Mixed Use Res/Com Misc. Res 200-231 Open Land Res 300-393 Commercial 400-442 Industrial 600-602 Ch 61 Forest Land 700-717 Ch 61A Farm Land 802-811 Ch 61B Recreation TOTAL REAL ESTATE VALUE	4653 14 241 14 26 1174 20 151 227 254 20 15 234 15 7058	819,172,963 2,789,000 37,554,900 2,386,000 5,601,700 79,144,500 3,554,300 52,464,500 4,821,500 63,106,600 4,818,600 199,410 6,846,287 4,329,800 1,806,790,060
PERSONAL PROPERTY Public Utilities TOTAL PERSONAL PROPERTY Number of Transfers of Pro	964 10 974 operty 1993	8,700,800 12,427,463 21,128,263
MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAX		
Number of Vehicles Assess Value of Automobiles Excise Assessed	ed \$25. per m	15,600 32,153,850 713,718.36

## FARM ANIMAL EXCISE TAX

Number of Farms

Valuation of Animals & Machinery

Taxes Assessed \$5. per m

7,350.63

## BOAT EXCISE

Number of Boats 980
Valuation of Boats 5,359,300
Taxes Assessed \$10. per m 53,593

We wish to thank the various departments in the Town Hall for their continued cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

George R. Medeiros John J. McDermott Lido Jerome BOARD OF ASSESSORS

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

The Board of Health respectfully submits the following report for the year ending 1993:

At their organizational meeting, the Board organized as follows:

Chairman	John J. Colletti, D.C.
Secretary	David P. Cabral
Member	Robert Chandanais

Licensed Funeral Directors for the year were: Jonathan H. Potter, Jr. Harry L. Potter

The following appointments were made during the year:

John L. Ciccotelli, R.S Dir. of Public Health/ Animal Inspector/Laboratory Dir. Walter R. Wood Full Time Board of Health Agent
Charles P. ShurtleffFull Time Board of Health Agent Lucy L. LordPrincipal Clerk - Full Time
Janice Read
Quentin D. Lord.Landfill OperatorJeffrey Veloza.Landfill WorkerHarold J. Sisson.Landfill Worker
Eugene FreitasRecycle/Landfill MonitorScott WordellRecycle/Landfill MonitorDr. Stewart KirkaldyMedical Advisor
Althea Manchester Burial Agent/Special Board of Health Agent Marlene Samson Burial Agent/Special Board of Health Agent
David Bernier

The following diseases classified as dangerous to Public Health was reported to the State as follows:

50 Dog Bites, 1 Cat Bite, 1 Rat Bite, 113 Chicken Pox, 1 Hepatitis B, 1 Hepatitis C, 6 Salmonella, 2 Scabies, 1 Fifth Disease, 1 Campylobacter jejuno, 1 Campylobacter loradis, 1 S. enteritidis, 1 Pertussis (Bordetella), 1 Jejuna, 1 Lyme Disease, 1 Scarlet Fever

Licenses and permits issued during the year were as follows:

22 Food Service Establishment Permits, 18 Retail Food Service Permits, 11 Seasonal Food Service Establishment Permits, 56 Milk/Cream Permits, 38 Oleo Permits, 2 Bakery Permits, 8 Bottled Water Permits, 3 Ice Cream Manufacturer Permits; 3 Mobile Food Service Permits, Temporary Permits for Fairs issued were: 56 Temporary Food Services from Vendors, 33 Temporary Food Services Permits for Non-Profit Organizations, 3 Milk/Cream, 3 Oleo, 2 Pasteurization Permits.

38 Installer's Permits, 193 Perc Applications, 10 Extra Holes, 152 Sewerage Permits, 139 Sewerage Plan Reviewals, 7 Campground/Hotel/Motel Permits, 3 Removal of Garbage for Hauler's Permits, 338 Photocopies made, 7 Removal of Sewage Permits, 31 Well Water Tests, 18 Septic Observations, 83 Well Permits, 59 Water Table Tests, 137 Dumpster Permits, 3 Piggery Permits, 6 1-4 Pig Permits, 4 Strata, 14 Above-Ground Pool Permits, 2 In-Ground Pool Permits, 2 Semi-Public Pool Permits, 35 Port-A-John Permits, 3 Stable Permits, 3 Tanning Permits, 1 Witness Fee.

The Board of Health has the following goals for the year 1994:

- 1. Continue Phase II of the Westport River Water Monitoring Program (Tributary Testing) to identify point and non-point pollution sources.
- Commence testing shellfish bed water quality for data base information to assist the Division of Marine Fisheries to expand areas open to shell fishing.
- 3. Work with the University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth to develop shellfish resources within the waters of Westport.
- 4. Relocate the Westport Town Laboratory and the Public Health Office to the Town Hall Annex.
- To recertify the Town Laboratory through the State at its new location at the Town Hall Annex.
- Continue well water quality testing for residents of the Town.
- Increase septic system inspection and remediation of failed and/or substandard septic systems.
- 8. Address pollution problems identified in the 1993 Sanitary Survey conducted by the Division of Marine Fisheries, the Board of Health and the Shellfish Department.

- 9. Implement a program using the septic leachate detector to identify septic influences into Westport waters.
- 10. Prepare for final closure of the Westport Landfill including identification and application for grants or money and/or materials to be used for closure.
- 11. Obtain a site assignment from the Department of Environmental Protection for a solid waste transfer station, recycling center and compost center.
- 12. Implement solid waste disposal alternatives due to the closing of the landfill.
- 13. File an agricultural impact statement with the Division of Food and Agriculture and with the State Legislature for the proposed Domestic Animal/Livestock Manure Regulation.
- 14. Aggressively pursue vendors who violate the State Statutes against selling tobacco products to minors.
- 15. Implement an Aquifer Protection Regulation and a Regulation addressing the handling and disposal of fish gurry within the Town.
- 16. Finalize plans and apply for funding for farm runoff remediation projects to address river pollution.
- 17. Offer program for employees in Public Health Office to become certified in First Aid and CPR.
- 18. Continue the upgrade and computerization of the Public Health Office.

#### TWENTY-NINE BOARD OF HEALTH ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN 1993

- Abated direct discharge of septage into Westport Harbor from a six unit condominium.
- Abated direct discharge of sanitary sewage into River at Westport Point.
- Taken part in the 1993 Sanitary Survey along with the Division of Marine Fisheries and the Shellfish Constable on-site.
- Has begun to address potential pollution sources/failed septic systems identified in the 1993 Sanitary Survey.

- 5. Continued to direct the Mid-Channel Testing Program in the Town Laboratory and maintains all supplies and equipment/protocols/Q.C. objectives for pollution related laboratory analysis; maintains State certification of the laboratory for credibility of analytical results.
- 6. Abated a septage overflow into Hulda Cove from a failed septic system through filing a Criminal Complaint in Fall River Superior Court because the property owner refused to comply with Board of Health Orders to abate the Health Hazard.
- Applied for and received a grant for the purchase of an additional land based boat pump-out.
- Applied for and received a grant to fund laboratory analysis
  of tributaries to pin-point pollution sources for remedial
  purposes.
- Applied for a federal "No Discharge Zone" designation for all Westport tidal waters.
- 10. Ordered a cease and desist and has taken an active role in the remediation of cows on the salt marsh and in the River at a site near Masquesatch.
- Designed a pilot project to filter stormwater runoff from farms as well as other slow flow applications; applying for grants to fund said project.
- 12. Drafted the following pollution prevention regulations.
  - A. Domestic Animal/Livestock Regulation will prevent pollution from both domestic animal and livestock waste.
  - B. Property Transfer Regulation will provide the Board of Health, the buyer and seller of developed property, with information regarding the potential need for upgrade of the septic system.
  - C. Groundwater/Aquifer Protection Regulation will protect groundwater and local aquifers from all types of contamination.
- 13. Revised all Board of Health regulations on file.
- 14. Answered all complaints of septic system failures.

- 15. Worked with the Soil Conservation Service to solve the Pierce Brook flooding problem which is located adjacent to shellfish beds.
- Continued to investigate all possible solutions to River Contamination.
- Attended conferences/workshops/seminars to learn new methods of pollution abatement.
- 18. Interfaced regularly with the Division of Marine Fisheries and the Westport Shellfish Constable.
- 19. Submitted an initial site assessment for the Westport Landfill and has begun preparing a comprehensive site assessment as mandated by the State.
- 20. Has developed closure plans for the Westport Landfill.
- 21. Has begun negotiating the award of final capping material for the landfill.
- 22. Has developed alternatives for solid waste disposal at the landfill.
- 23. Has created plans to relocate the Recycling Center.
- 24. Removed the entire backlog of percolation tests.
- 25. Hired a new full time Health Agent, Recycling Monitor, and Landfill Attendant.
- 26. Hired two additional part-time Health Agents.
- 27. Is continuing to computerize the Board of Health office.
- 28. Rescinded all Board of Health fees for septic system repairs or upgrades.
- 29. Cease and desist on two unpermitted fish gurry operations.

Respectfully submitted,

John J. Colletti, D.C. David Cabral Robert Chandanais BOARD OF HEALITH

# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH NURSING DEPARTMENT

I hereby submit my report for the Nursing Department for the year 1993.

THE FOLLOWING APPOINIMENTS WERE MADE BY THE BOARD OF HEALIH: Janice Normand R.N., B.S.N
Lori Araujo R.NStaff Nurse
Karen LaFreniere R.N., B.S.NStaff Nurse
Margaret Oliveira R.NStaff Nurse
Mary Askeland R.NStaff Nurse
Barbara PorterPrincipal Clerk - PT
Judith TrippJunior Clerk - PT
Eloise MosherCertified Home Health Aide
Marilyn ManchesterCertified Home Health Aide
Marion MacDonaldCertified Home Health Aide

GROUP OF PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL:
Eileen Beaulieu R.N., B.S.N., M.B.A.
Edith Briggs R.N.
Erna Place R.N., B.S.N.
Dr. J.K.S. Kirkaldy M.D.
Mary Sullivan M.S.W
Dr. John Colletti, Board of Health
Joanne Devlin R.N.
Lorman Trueblood P.H.D.
Elaine Maccio R.S.T.
Jane Harris R.P.T.
Allison Haskell R.O.T.

WELL CHILD CLINIC VOLUNTEERS: Ruth Howland Sally Baldwin Maisie Boulds Germaine Baker Joanne Devlin Carmen Maiocco (lead testing)

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REVOLVING ACCOUNT:
Balance.....\$ 2,384.77
Services Provided.....41,413.78

GIFT ACCOUNT: Balance\$ 3,334.94 Services Provided
OFFICE VISITS: Walk-in Clinic
COMMUNICABLE DISEASE FOLLOW-UP (NEW CASES THIS YEAR): Hepatitis B
ADULT IMMUNIZATIONS GIVEN OUT: Oral Polio Vaccine
WEIL CHILD CLINIC: There were 69 children seen (unduplicated count) Total Exams. 137 Children Under 1 yr 23; 1-4 yrs 84; 5+ yrs 12 Hemophilus B Conjugate Vaccine. 27 Diphtheria, Tetanus & Pertussis. 47 Oral Polio Vaccine. 32 Measles, Mumps & Rubella. 10 Hepatitis B. 13 Tine Test. 61 Lead Test. 57
TOTAL RECEIPTS COLLECTED AND TURNED INTO THE TREASURER (1/1/93 - 12/31/93)\$262,395.98

There have been changes in staff again this year, Catherine Poisson R.N., has left us to further her career with an agency in Fall River. We have hired Margaret Oliveira R.N. in September. Best of luck with your new position Cathy, and welcome aboard, Peq!

The well-child clinic continues under the capable hands of Patricia Siemenski and Dr. Jean Liemert. We continue to offer in-service training and work along with the Fire Department for

continuing education and CPR training.

A special thanks to the Police Department for allowing us to transfer our calls to them after 4:00 p.m. and for the promptness with which they contact our on-call nurses.

We have also worked with the Veteran's Department and the Council on Aging to help distribute food baskets. Many thanks to all the Westport students and scouts for their tireless efforts in donating, arranging and transporting the foods.

Another special thanks to Kitty, George and everyone from the Accountant's and Treasurer's offices who have been so helpful again this year in the preparation of our cost report. The government has reviewed our agency and again this year has found no deficiencies.

The Selectmen have helped us to celebrate National Home Care Week this year by issuing a proclamation.

The Milton E. Earle School has remained open this year with community support and the tireless efforts of the Earle School Committee.

The Nursing Department and Council on Aging have been awarded a grant for two programs for the coming year. Both the multi-generational nutrition/exercise program and the pneumococcal vaccine clinic will be administered through the Nursing Department beginning sometime in 1994.

We wish to extend our thanks to all the nursing and clerical staff, the area agencies, the Town Departments, the Board of Health, all contracted personnel, volunteers, committee members and especially to all the residents of Westport. Without your continued support we would not be able to provide the services that we do for the young as well as elderly through out the Town. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,
Janice Normand R.N., B.S.N.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BRISTOL COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

On June 30, 1993 the Bristol County Mosquito Control Project completed thirty-four years of service to the cities and towns of Bristol County.

The mosquito control project works year-round in its efforts to reduce mosquito breeding sites and adult mosquito populations. The Project uses several different measures of control in its never ending fight against mosquitos.

Winter Pre-hatch - To treat breeding areas that are accessible only on the ice during the winter months.

Spring and Summer Larviciding - To reduce the emergence of adult mosquitos in areas where mosquito larvae is present.

Catch Basin Treatment - To stop mosquito emergence from rain-filled catch basins and storm drains.

Light Trapping Program - To monitor mosquito populations as to their type and number - a program necessary in encephalitis surveillance. Light trapping of mosquitos is also useful to determine what areas have high mosquito populations and should be sprayed.

Water Management - A year round endeavor to clean and construct mosquito drainage ditches in lowland swamps to reduce their favorability as breeding sites for mosquito larvae.

It is the policy of the Bristol County Mosquito Control Project to use pesticides that are environmentally safe so that the safety of the people and environment are not jeopardized. We use as many of the biological insecticides as are practical with the environmental conditions present in the New England area. We are presently using three different formulations of B.T.I. in our larviciding program.

All of our spray equipment is calibrated periodically in order to insure that dosage rates remain at safe levels but are adequate to reduce mosquito populations. The operators of our spray equipment are state certified pesticide applicators that are required to attend classes on pesticide safety on a yearly basis.

During the spring of 1993 water levels in most wetland areas were above normal due to heavy rainstorms during the late winter and early spring. Because most of the breeding sites were flooded, the spring brood of mosquitos infested many areas of the county. The Project used its ultra low volume sprayers to knock down most of the spring population.

During June the wetland areas began to dry down as a result of below average precipitation during the months of May and June. Most of the county received only 1.32 inches during this period. As the summer progressed, it got continually drier until drought conditions prevailed. By late summer most human biting mosquitos were almost non-existent due to spraying and dry breeding sites.

Isolations of EE virus were extremely low this summer and there were no reported cases of EE in either horses or humans in Bristol County.

The Project answered all requests for spraying along with our regular spraying of known infested areas for a total of 7,448.5 sprayed acres.

During the fall and winter months a total of 2,975 feet of brush was cut from ditches and 1,850 feet of drainage ditch was reclaimed.

I would like to thank the town officials and the people of Westport for their continued support and cooperation and look to serving them in the coming year. Should anyone have a question as to what might be done to relieve a mosquito problem in their area, whether it is water management work, treatment of a breeding site, or just having an area checked, please feel free to call our office.

Respectfully submitted,

Alan W. DeCastro Superintendent

## 1993 INSPECTOR OF BUILDING'S ANNUAL REPORT

I hereby submit my report as Inspector of Buildings for the year ending December 31, 1993. A total of 386 permits were issued with a total valuation of \$9,108,081.

44 Single Family Dwellings. \$5,265,000 7 Accessory Apartments. 30,500 26 Garages (with or without additions) 257,000 45 Alterations and Additions. 881,980 26 Commercial. 1,158,125 1 Foundation. 2,000 10 Pools (Inground/Aboveground) 20,504 33 Decks, Porches, Gazebos. 136,000 45 Sheds and Barns. 260,400 3 Sunrooms, 21,800 55 Woodstoves, Chimneys, Fireplaces 130,674 2 Raise/Move. 14,800 6 Demolition. N.V. 33 Renovate, Repair, Remodel 919,448 49 Tank Removals N.V. 1 Municipal 9,850
386 Total Valuation \$ 9,108,081
Yard Sale Permits
Fees to Treasurer\$ 36,224 (Including Building Permits, Yard Sale Permits, Woodstove Booklets, Requested Inspections, Certification Inspections, Re- Inspections, Occupancy Permits, etc.)
Miles Traveled 14,950

Respectfully submitted, Clarence Cole Acting Insp. of Bldg.

## 1993 ANNUAL REPORT OF THE GAS INSPECTOR

The following is a summary of inspections made by the Gas Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1993. Included are all residential, commercial, club and municipal permits.

Rough Inspections	67
Final Inspections	60
Conversion Burners	27
Ranges	10
Unit Heaters	2
Water Heaters	2
Space Heaters	5
Furnaces	8
Boilers	5
Dryers	2
Grille	1
Propane Storage Tanks	5
Generators	3
Direct Vent Heaters	3
Consultations	2
Re-Inspections	12
Gas Fireplace	1
Propane Service	1

> Respectfully submitted, Robert LaBonte Gas Inspector

## 1993 ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PLUMBING INSPECTOR

The following is a summary of inspections made by the Plumbing Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1993. Included are all residential, commercial, club and municipal permits.

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Rough Inspections125
Final Inspections103
Water Heaters 19
Kitchen Sinks 3
Re-Inspections
Consultations 4
Water Filters 1
Boilers 3
Main Drains 2
Building Department 1

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Respectfully submitted, Robert LaBonte Plumbing Inspector

### 1993 INSPECTOR OF WIRE'S ANNUAL REPORT

I hereby submit my report as Wire Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1993.

New Residences	53
Duplex	1
Alterations and Additions	39
New Services	64
Temporary Services	18
Upgrade, Relocate, Repair Services	37
Service Entry Cable, Meter Socket	46
Water Heater Meter	1
Furnaces	8
Commercial	17
Barns, Garages, Sheds	19
Generators	5
Municipal, Federal, State, Utilities	2
Pools	6
Rewire and Repair	24
Alarms and Security Systems	3
Hurricane Damage	1

There were 344 permits issued and 93 annual inspections made of trailers and services located in the beach area.

Miles traveled by Inspectors	9,254
Fees paid to Treasurer	,
(including re-inspections)	\$15,979

Respectfully submitted, Ernest Vohnoutka Inspector of Wires

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

Reimbursements to the Town of Westport

13	Cremations	\$ 965.00
74	Internments	\$ 22,200.00
1	Infant	\$ 75.00
61	Foundations	\$ 3,258.32
66	Grass & Device	\$ 1,980.00
21	Saturday & Sunday Fees -	\$ 3,000.00
	Sale of Lots	\$ 5,760.00
	Perpetual Care	\$ 8,700.00
		45,938.32

In a continued effort to provide a resting place for the people of Westport and the people who wish to return to Westport, we have expanded Beech Grove cemetery this year by 44,000 sq.ft. making a new 2 grave, 4 grave, 6 grave and veterans sections. We also built several new roads with a total footage of 1,500 ft.

At this time I would like to thank Paul Pereira, George Lewis and the entire Highway Department for their cooperation and their assistance in the excavation of the new sections and roads. Without their help, such work could not have been accomplished to such a degree.

Special thanks to all the people who support and take pride in their cemetery.

Respectfully submitted,
Westell Norman

# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION/SOIL BOARD

The Conservation Commission and Soil Board submits the following report for the 1993 calendar year.

The Commission's workload continued at a relatively low level during the past year. Continuing budget restraints necessitated considerable attendance to Commission matters by our Chairman.

The Commission continued its efforts to obtain Grant funding to perform manure clean-up of farm ponds. These requests to the Buzzard's Bay Action Compact continued to be unsuccessful.

The Massachusetts Conservancy program maps, which are accurate aerial wetlands descriptions, continue to be available for viewing in our office. They provide valuable information for property modifications, such as; drainage, farm improvements, development, property evaluation, etc.. They are available during office hours and information for ordering the maps can be provided.

The Commission encourages land donations or Trust funds for conservation and protection purposes.

Commission members acknowledge the competent and dedicated work of our secretary Mrs. Leone Farias and our agent, Mr. Christopher Capone.

The following statistical summary gives an indication of some of the official matters discharged by the Commission in Calendar 1993:

- 209 Site visits by agent for report to Commission
  - 18 Conservation Commission site visits
  - 27 Public Meetings
  - 82 Requests for Determination of Applicability
- 56 Notices of Intent (For Construction, Remediation, etc.)
- 15 Soil Permit actions
- 34 Emergency Certificates issued
- 6 Enforcement Orders issued
- 13 Certificates of Compliance issued

Office hours are: 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald R. Bernier Claude Ledoux Helene Korolenko Wendy Henderson Evan Johnson Richard Lambert Charles Goldberg

# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COUNCIL ON AGING

The Council on Aging respectfully submits this report for the year ending December 31, 1993.

COUNCIL MEMBERS	Term Expires
William A. Greeley	June 30, 1995
Dorothy P. Tongue	June 30, 1995
Cynthia Reynolds Treasurer, 7/15/93 to date Member, 10/22/90 to date	June 30, 1996
Margo Boote Liaison to "Friends", 9/14/88 Member, 1/30/84 to date	June 30, 1994 to date
Lois E. Spirlet Member, 8/16/93 to date	June 30, 1996
Joanne R. Devlin Member, 8/30/93 to date	June 30, 1994
Harriet Barker	June 30, 1993
David D. Wicks	June 30, 1995
Clifton Greenwood, 6/3/91 to 7/8/93, Resigned	June 30, 1994
Paul Thomas	June 30, 1996
Beatrice Potter	Honorary Life Member
STAFF	
Director - Jacqueline B. Senior Clerk - Lorraine C. Ro Elder Visitors - Nancy R. Fenn Matilda Schelt Yvonne Rita Fo	oy cer

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(E.O.E.A. Grant & Town)

Companion - Alice W. Manchester (E.O.E.A. Grant)

Senior Social Day Program Director - 1 Senior Social Day Clerk - 1

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Program Director - Leonora Brown (Title Ill-B Grant)

- Beverly Roynestad (Senior Aide Program)

Elder Service Corps
Volunteer - Marie A. Mandly (E.O.E.A. Stipend)

The primary function of the seven member Council on Aging board and its staff is to identify and meet the needs of Westport's elder population (2,735 residents aged 60 and over, who represent over 20% of the town's population) and to inform elders and the community of available resources. One of the Council's primary interests is to serve elders who are poor, frail, and/or homebound; it works toward this goal by working with Bristol Elder Services, Inc., Home Care Corporation and Area Agency on Aging, and by providing four of its own part-time outreach workers, who visit about 120 homebound elders regularly. Three of the outreach workers are Elder Visitors, who check on the physical and emotional well-being of the homebound, and one is a Companion, who offers respite (up to three hours) to "round-the-clock" caretakers of seriously frail elders. year, the Elder Visitors and Companion made approximately 4,800 visits to the homebound, bringing support and friendship while serving as the Council's "eyes and ears" to recognize elders at risk. In addition, the Elder Service Corps volunteer is available to accompany elders on the Friends of Senior Citizens of Westport, Inc.'s mini-van. She takes applications for "Meals-on-Wheels" and Bristol Elder Services' Emergency Assistance Fund, and she also assists in the C.O.A. office and at activities.

The Council on Aging office is the entrance to a wide-ranging network of services, including: a senior social day program, legal clinics, SHINE (Serving Health Information Needs of Elders) clinics, referrals to mini-van and SRTA's Demand Response Program for transportation, JOBS lists (provides lists for employers and employees), fuel assistance information and intake, federal surplus foods distribution, holiday food baskets, identification cards, general counseling, crisis intervention, six medical emergency alert units, podiatry clinics, volunteer grocery shopping program, and monthly medical services by Charlton Memorial Hospital's health van, a program co-sponsored by the Council on Aging and the Westport Community Schools.

The C.O.A. also offers classes of various types, including: low-impact aerobics, line dancing, crafts, knitting, watercolor, poetry, Tai Chi, and bridge. It also sponsors an annual picnic, which was held this year at St. George School in September.

Special guests included about 150 elders, Representative Edward Lambert, and Secretary of Elder Affairs Franklin Ollivierre. The Council wishes to thank Mr. Al Lees and Mr. Albert Lees for their generous contribution of food and supplies, and all the volunteers who helped to make the day a success.

#### CLINICS

In 1993, the Council on Aging sponsored six podiatry clinics, four legal clinics, and eleven S.H.I.N.E. clinics. Dr. Kenneth Brum, of the Somerset-Swansea Medical Center, was the participating podiatrist; Attorney George Phelan, of Bristol Elder Services, Inc., provided legal counsel; and Jackye Stowe, of the Attleboro Council on Aging, and Viola Gay, of Westport, provided health insurance counseling at the S.H.I.N.E. (Serving Health and Information Needs for Elders) clinics.

#### FEDERAL SURPLUS FOOD, FOOD STAMPS, AND SEED PROGRAMS

With the help of twenty-five individual volunteers, Westport High School students, and the Highway and Cemetery Departments, 270 households and 441 low-income persons received federal surplus food products. A food stamps counselor met with several people at two of the surplus food distributions, and vegetable seeds packets were distributed to sixty, elder gardeners at one of the surplus food distributions.

## "FRIENDS OF THE WESTPORT COUNCIL ON AGING, INC."

The "Friends of the Westport Council on Aging, Inc." is working to raise funds for a senior center, which is a missing component in Westport's concern for its population. Westport is the only town in Bristol County that does not have a townsponsored, senior center. Under the capable leadership of Lucile Chase, President of the "Friends", the "Friends" will continue to work with the Council on Aging to obtain a center. The "Friends of the Westport Council on Aging, Inc." also made several contributions to benefit Westport's elders and the Council on Aging in the past year, including: \$4,000 in funds for architectural and site research for a senior approximately \$8,000 toward renovation expenses for the construction of the senior social program area at the Westport Middle School; funds to repair the COA's medical alert units; and funds to pay some COA operating and equipment expenses. "Friends" sponsored several fundraising events during the year, including: a membership drive, a garden tour in June, and a Westport telephone book, which will be mailed to all Westporters. Glenna Lawrence chairs the membership committee, and Elizabeth Derbyshire is in charge of the telephone book. The "Friends" also hosted a luncheon for elders in May to celebrate Older Americans Month.

#### HOLIDAY CONTRIBUTIONS

The C.O.A. delivered holiday food baskets to homebound elders in November and December, and the Council would like to thank all the individuals who donated, sorted, or delivered food, along with the following organizations and businesses for their contributions: St. John's Church, Westport S.H.A.R.E., Westport Middle School students, Westport Grange No. 181, Westport Cub Scouts from Troop 63, Moby Dick Wharf Restaurant, Figueiredo's Greenhouse, and the "Friends of the Westport C.O.A.". The Council on Aging also plans to distribute food baskets, as needed, throughout the year.

#### GRANTS

The Council on Aging received four grants in 1993, including a Formula Grant of \$4,601 from the Executive Office of Elder Affairs; a Title III-B, Older Americans Act grant of \$11,855.16 from Bristol Elder Services, Inc.; a Title III-F grant of \$600.00 from Bristol Elder Services, Inc. for a pneumococcal vaccine clinic for the Westport Home Health Agency; and a Title III-F grant of \$2,630.08 from Bristol Elder Services, Inc. for a multigenerational exercise, health, and nutrition program for the Westport Home Health Agency.

#### EMERGENCY ALERT UNITS

The Council on Aging has six, medical alert machines available to low-income Westport elders in frail health. These units are a gift of the Romero Trust and the "Friends of the Westport, Council on Aging, Inc." They will remain the property of the Town.

#### "EVERGREEN" NEWSLETTER

Fourteen hundred (1,400) copies are distributed monthly to area locations. The Council wishes to thank the advertisers, whose support defrays the cost of publication, and Lorman Trueblood, Joan Fradley, Peter Fradley, and Natalie Bowen for their assistance with the distribution.

#### NUTRITION PROGRAM

The Fall River Nutrition Program, under Title III and Title XX of the Older Americans Act, delivered 8,668 meals to homebound elders and served 3,555 meals at Westport's congregate meal site at Greenwood Terrace. Due to budget constraints of the Fall River Nutrition Program, all towns were limited to a meal cap last year, and projections are for a reduction in meals to be available next year.

#### WESTPORT SENTOR SOCIAL DAY PROGRAM

The Westport Council on Aging realized one of its long-term goals in June, 1993, when it opened its senior social day program as a service to elders who need a "home away from home" during the day. Program grant funds were awarded by Bristol Elder Services, Inc., from Title Ill-B monies of the Older Americans The Town and the "Friends of the Westport COA, Inc." provided renovation funds for the site at the Westport Middle The Council on Aging thanks the Westport Community Schools for its cooperation with this project. The Westport Senior Social Day Program is administered by its director, Leonora Brown, who was hired as Westport's director with several years of experience operating day care programs in Fairhaven and Dartmouth. Mrs. Brown is assisted by Beverly Roynestad, a compassionate senior aide. The Westport Senior Social Day Program is open on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., and it provides a nurturing, structured environment for elders who require social support. Transportation may be provided by SRTA's Demand Response Program, as available.

#### SENIOR CENTER SITE SELECTION COMMITTEE

The Senior Center Site Selection Committee has been working closely with Council on Aging representatives to find an appropriate site for a senior center. Although a site selected on Old County Road near the Westport Middle School and the Westport Free Public Library had to be abandoned in July due to technical, site concerns, the Committee has continued its search. By the end of 1993, the Committee was evaluating two, final sites: the Head School on Reed Road and a private site owned by Central Village Realty Trust on the west side of Main Road across from Town Hall. The Council on Aging continues to work closely with the Senior Center Site Selection Committee, a town-appointed board chaired by Attorney Dorothy Tongue, to select a site for a senior center. Once a site is selected and a two-thirds Town Meeting vote approves the site, Westport can apply for a Massachusetts Small Cities Program grant to meet the community's next long-term goal to build a senior center for its large elderly population.

#### IN SUMMARY

The total population in Westport was 13,485 in 1993, with 2,735 residents who were sixty or older. This represents over 20% of the population. The Council on Aging office has experienced a large demand for services, with the number of different elders being served more than doubling in the last two years. The number of Council on Aging office contacts (telephone calls and/or walk-ins) also more than doubled in the last year, increasing from 4,175 contacts in 1992 to 8,540 contacts in 1993.

With increasing numbers of frail elders, the burden of assisting elders falls on everyone—families, friends, and neighbors. The Council on Aging will continue to be a resource for these elders and their caregivers, but it has become evident that the Director's and Senior Clerk's workloads have increased dramatically in the last several years. The Council on Aging board notes that it has become impossible to accomplish the essential workload of the C.O.A. office on its currently budgeted 25 hours per week schedule, and it will be asking the voters to support an increase in hours at the 1994 annual town meeting.

Lastly, we want to thank the more than 80 volunteers who helped us to carry out our many programs for frail and well elders in 1993!

Sincerely,

WILLIAM A. GREELEY, Chairman



ALTHEA M. MANCHESTER
Town Clerk - Retirement Party
Pictured with Town Hall Employees

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE RONALD DESROSTERS MEMORIAL FUND WESTPORT CITIZENS BEITERMENT FUND AND COMMITTEE ANNUAL TOWN REPORT

The following is a report of the Westport Citizens Betterment Committee for the year ending December 31, 1993.

The Board of Selectmen reappointed members Walter Craveiro, Cynthia Rodrigues, and Charlene R. Wood. Much to the dismay of the Trustees, Hilda Martel chose not to accept her reappointment, but rather allow someone else to serve for diversification purposes. The Trustees who oversee both the Ronald Desrosiers Memorial Fund and the Westport Citizens Betterment Fund welcomed Lena Napert as the new Trustee in August. All the terms expire June 30, 1994 with the exception of Shirley Desrosiers whose term does not expire until the year 2000. Our thanks to Hilda for serving as a Trustee and for her continued support.

Our concession at the Annual Harvest Festival during the two-day festival was a success, but due to various factors including the weather, our profit was down considerably as compared to 1992. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our volunteers who worked very hard at this fundraiser and those who patronized our food booth.

In the Fall of each year, the Trustees solicit proposals from town agencies, citizen groups, non-profit organizations, and members of the general public for grant proposals.

This year three grants were awarded from the interest earned through donations to the Ronald Desrosiers Memorial Fund and the Westport Citizens Betterment Fund. A \$700 grant was awarded to Janice Whalen for a painting to be located at the Westport Free Public Library; a \$200 grant was awarded to Gary Sherman, Shellfish Warden, towards the purchase of seeds for the quahog propagation program, a portion of which funds were derived from donations made in memory of Scott Lees; and a grant was awarded to Jeff's Companion Animal Shelter in the amount of \$120, a portion of which came from donations made in memory of Bill Darcy. This grant will help fund classes to teach children in grades 2-5 the positive effects of companion animals and aging as well.

The Trustees would like to remind the general public that these two funds are an excellent resource in which to contribute inasmuch as the monies are returned to the community in the form of grants to benefit the Town and its residents. We would like to extend our appreciation to those who contributed to the funds during the year.

The balance in the Ronald Desrosiers Memorial Fund as of 12/31/93 was \$12,303.88 while the Westport Citizens Betterment Fund shows a balance of \$2,117.79 which is used as seed money for fund raising events and/or grants.

Any person or organization wishing to donate to either of these funds may do so through the Board of Selectmen's Office.

Respectfully submitted,

Shirley Desrosiers, Chairman



#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARIMENT

I hereby submit my report as Fire Chief for the year ending December 31, 1993.

#### ORGANIZATION

Fire Chief William D. Tripp

Deputy Chief Stephen A. Motta

#### Lieutenants

Raymond A. Benoit Christopher L. Kirby William G. Baraby John W. Andrade

#### Firefighter/EMTs

Glenn A. Wood

Michael P. Silvia

Timothy A. Palmer

Douglas P. Orr

Michael N. Cadieux (resigned 6-11-93)

Cynthia A. Hubert (resigned 7-15-93)

Brian D. Souza

Stephen A. Pettey

James C. Thibault

Kendall G. Nickelson

Allen N. Manley, Jr.

Michael N. Cadieux (resigned 6-11-93)

Raymond E. Benoit

Alfred L. Manchester Daniel F. Ledoux Brian A. Beaulieu (appt.1-17-93)

Brian R. Legendre (appt. 7-4-93)

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#### Call Firefighters

Gregg Andrade Scott Arrington
Paul Baraby Chris Branco
Arthur Briggs Derren Fortier
Robert Kirby Ronald LaPlante
Roger Maynard Timothy Medeiros
Michael Medeiros Kenneth Reilly
John Rodriques

Ambulance Billing Clerk Theresa A. Vaillancourt

> E-911 Coordinator John W. Andrade

Drillmaster Brian D. Souza

Hazardous Materials Response Team
Stephen A. Pettey Michael P. Silvia
Brian D. Souza

## Fire Investigation Unit

Michael P. Silvia Willia

William G. Baraby

## Public Education Committee

Douglas P. Orr Kenneth Reilly

Brian D. Souza Brian A. Beaulieu

Chris Branco

EMS Coordinator Glenn A. Wood

#### ALS Committee

Glenn A. Wood Allen N. Manley, Jr.

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Douglas P. Orr Alfred L. Manchester

Brian R. Legendre

The Fire Department answered 1,288 calls for a total of 1,517 vehicle runs during 1993, classified as follows:

Buildings 3
Woods 5
Brush and Grass40
Vehicles20
Lost Person 1
Electrical20
False Alarms16
Needless Runs35
Mutual Aid 7
Chimney 3
Assist Rescue 7
Cooking & Heating Appliances. 12
Pump Cellar11
Jaws-of-Life9
Unclassified22
Investigations57
Dumpsters 7
Box Alarms 8
First Aid in Stations 6
Illegal Burning55
Public Service
Faulty Alarms28
Hazardous Materials18
Emergency Ambulance878
Fire Related Calls410
Tires

The following is a summary of vehicle runs for the year:

Engine	1											126
Engine	2											71
Engine	3											.35

Engine 482
Engine 648
Forestry 259
Tanker 153
Chief's Car89
Deputy's Car52
Carry-All 7
Rescue Boat 1
Personal Vehicles16
Ambulance 1247
Ambulance 2568
Ambulance 353

Permits for the following were issued during the year:

Smoke Detectors202
Oil Burners33
Black/Smokeless Powder 3
Underground Tank Removal83
Tank Trucks 5
Open Air Fire2,040
Blasting 1
LP Gas Storage 3

During the year 1993, there was an estimated \$86,390.00 loss due to fire in Westport. This estimate includes all fires with an estimated loss over \$200.00. This total is broken down as follows:

Buildings and Contents...\$ 7,690.00 Vehicles and Contents.... 78,700.00

I would like to take this opportunity to publicly thank all of the officers and firefighters who have volunteered numerous hours serving in positions and on committees to provide better service to the Town of Westport.

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I would also like to thank all of the Town Departments and Boards that have assisted the Fire Department throughout the year. It is with pride that I have worked with these people knowing that everyone is willing to work together.

And last, but not least, I would like to thank Theresa Vaillancourt (on behalf of the Town) for all of her efforts to increase the revenue brought into the Town's general fund through ambulance billing. Through computerization and networking, revenues have increased dramatically.

Respectfully submitted,

William D. Tripp Fire Chief

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FISH COMMISSIONERS

The 1993 activities of the Fish Commissioners were directed toward the following areas:

The Fish Commissioners in conjunction with the Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries have been inspecting the Albert Rosinha Herring Run to improve the access to spawning alewives. It was determined that the present run on the north side of the dam should be relocated to the south side of the dam. To accomplish this, plans have been drawn and are being reviewed by Fish Commissioner Russell Hart. Presently, we are considering a "portable" run which includes progressive steps and would be approximately 30 feet long. This type of run has proved successful elsewhere and we feel it would be suitable for the above run.

If this project is approved by the Division of Marine Fisheries the Fish Commissioners will apply for grant money.

The Westport Fish Commissioners will continue to promote positive and progressive programs to benefit the Westport fishing industry and invite any constructive input that will make our activity more meaningful.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel P. Sullivan Russell T. Hart Edward T. Earle Fish Commissioners

## GREATER FALL RIVER VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL REPORT SUMMARY

July 1, 1992 - June 30, 1993

Introduction

It is with great pride in the accomplishments of Diman Regional Vocational Technical High School and Diman Regional School of Practical Nursing that I submit this annual report to the Greater Fall River Vocational School District Committee and the district communities of Fall River, Somerset, Swansea, and Westport.

Diman, as a regional school, is also a community school where our students, your children, achieve academically, develop vocational skills for employment, grow in their positive mental attitudes, and take pride in their school and the community in which they live.

Diman celebrated its 25th year of providing quality vocational technical education to the Greater Fall River Vocational School District. The Diman Alumni recognized their alma mater with an anniversary banquet and the Parent Advisory Council celebrated Diman as a quality school with a family day celebration. On behalf of the students, faculty, staff, and administration, I extend a sincere "thanks" for the support of Diman Regional from the governmental leaders, citizens, and parents of Fall River, Somerset, Swansea, and Westport.

Respectfully,

Joseph Martins Superintendent-Director

Summer Programs (1992)

Diman Vocational offered remedial make-up programs in English, math, and shop theory as our continuing commitment to assist students experiencing difficulty. The remedial program was self-funded with an enrollment of 71 students.

Through grant funding from Bristol County Training Consortium two programs were instituted. A Building and Grounds program in which 42 students were enrolled provided training in building and grounds maintenance. With our building and grounds as the program classroom a valuable service was in turn received by the school in the form of grounds care and building painting.

The second BCTC program was Street Cleaning/Vocational Exploratory where students cleaning city streets alternated

between working throughout the City of Fall River and receiving vocational instruction by rotating through three shop programs of culinary arts, graphic arts, and metal fabrication and welding. Eighty-four students participated in the Street Cleaning/Vocational Exploratory program.

## Orientation Program

On September 1, 2, and 3, an orientation program was held in the school cafeteria for all new students. Students were given instructions for the opening of school and handbooks, schedules were distributed and explained, and necessary forms and bus routes were given out.

A "Parent Night" was held on September 29 to familiarize parents of new students with school programs and the school's philosophy and policies. School administrators were present to explain their roles and what Diman expects of the students. An estimated 300 parents and students attended.

#### Admissions

- 1) In school year 1992-93, there were 460 applications for grade nine. In April 1992 the newly accepted students were tested on reading comprehension, numerical ability, mechanical reasoning, and language usage. Results were used to assist in the initial academic placement of incoming grade nine students. Of the applicants, 285 were accepted.
  - Diman Regional School of practical Nursing enrolled 52 postgraduate students into the Licensed Practical Nursing Program.
- 2) The day enrollment for the 1992-93 school year as reported on the October 1, 1992, Department of Education report is as follows:

	High	001	
Post-Graduate Total			
Fall River	808	15	823
Somerset	69	0	69
Swansea	88	0	88
Westport	8	3	87
Other Communities	_ 0	34	_34_
TOTAL	1049	52	1101
Enrollment by Grade:	Grade 9		285
	Grade 10	)	268
	Grade 11	249	
	Grade 12	247	
	Post-Gra	_52	
	TOTAL		1101

#### Career Day

The Guidance Department sponsored our ninth College Career Day with 19 colleges and technical schools represented. Seniors, juniors and some parents took advantage of the opportunity to speak with the representatives present.

#### Follow-up Surveys

In April 1993 the Guidance Department sent out the Chapter 74 Completer Follow-Up Forms to 242 students from the graduating class of 1992. Of the 240 who responded or were contacted:

- 80 were working in areas related to their vocational training
- 55 were working in a non-related area
- 63 were pursuing additional education
- 26 were in military service
- 16 were unemployed

#### Scholarships and Awards

At Class Night activities held for the Class of 1993 at Diman, numerous awards were given to many graduates. Scholarships were awarded to 21 Diman graduates.

School Improvement Council and the Governor's Alliance Against Drugs

During the 1992-93 school year the Drug Free School/School Improvement Council met on a monthly basis. The Council received a Drug Free School Grant in the amount of \$3,757. With these funds educational materials were purchased to support anti-drug and alcohol abuse education. The School Improvement Council did not receive any State funding for the 1992-93 school year. The council, however, continued its work by incorporating handbook changes which improved the student, faculty, and administration relationships.

Through the efforts of the Drug Free School Improvement Council, Anti-Drug/Alcohol Education was supplemented by student assemblies with presentations by CARE and MADD.

#### Co-op Program

The Greater Fall River area continues to experience one of the nation's highest jobless rates. During the 1992-93 school year, Diman placed 120 eligible seniors on Co-operative Education Training sites with 52 Southeast Massachusetts and Rhode Island employers. A total of 112 Co-operative Education agreements were initiated with private sector employers between July 1, 1992 and June 30, 1993, and filed with the Department of Education. During the summer of '92, a total of 27 juniors going into their senior year.

During June, July, and August 1993, our job placement office continued to help 1993 graduates obtain full-time trade-related employment. Of 239 graduates, the 1993 placement is as follows:

- 90 were in trade-related jobs
- 20 entered the military
- 77 planning to further education
- 35 working outside trade area
  - 5 unknown; cannot locate
- 7 unemployed
- 3 not in labor force

#### Special Education

The October 1, 1992 report demonstrates Diman's commitment to service the special needs population of the district. Diman had enrolled 215 special needs students. This special needs population represents 20.5% of the total high school student enrollment.

## Academic Programs

Throughout the school year, academic departments have participated in a variety of activities. These student and teacher activities promote the philosophy and goals of Diman and foster the intellectual growth of both the student body as well as the faculty.

## Chapter One Reading Program

The Chapter One Reading program experienced significant growth in reading scores. The NCE Gain on the Stanford Diagnostic Reading Test was 4.1, or an average grade equivalency gain of 1.6. With grant of \$69,848, the salary and benefits of one teacher and one aide were funded.

## Gifted and Talented Extra-Curricular Programs

## Project Spotlight

Ten students participated in the UMASS -Dartmouth Project Spotlight enrichment program for gifted and talented students.

National Honor Society

Twenty-one students participated in the National Honor Society as a program for the higher achieving students.

Key Club

Key Club members raised approximately \$3,800 for the annual Christmas Food Drive for the needy members of our Diman community. Families of students in Fall River, Somerset, Swansea, and Westport were given groceries for a full week. Included in these baskets were turkeys and hams and all the trimmings for a traditional Christmas dinner. Thirty families were helped during the holiday season.

The Key Club has worked closely with the Kiwanis Club of Fall River. Both clubs sponsored a pancake breakfast at Diman which was a successful joint project.

Conference and Workshops

The following conferences and workshops were attended by various faculty and/or administrators as our commitment to professional development. This professional development is additional to the professional development performed by our staff for their maintenance of certification.

Vocational

CNC Bridgeport Training
Executive Chef Leadership
MCET Filming
VICA State and National Conference
Energy Crafted Homes Workshops
Curriculum Development
CBVE Workshops
Computer Network Training
Welding Workshop
Auto Body Painting Workshop
Refrigerant Reclamation Workshop
Plumbing Backflow Prevention workshop

Developing Critical Thinking Skills

#### Academics

BCC Writing Conference Seminar at Computer Solutions: Math, Computers and Classroom Regional Workshop for Teachers of Mathematics or Science MASS Comprehensive Health Education Training Center - Review of AIDS/HIV Prevention

National Science Convention Rhode Island Reading conference International Reading conference

#### Vocational Programs

The 1992-93 school year proved to be very successful for the students of Diman.

The Auto Mechanics Program was awarded the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence Standard of Quality for training of automobile technicians.

Diman students won 32 medallions and trophies in the VICA district competition and 22 medallions at the MASS state competitions. Five students who won gold medallions qualified for national competition. Diman students are among the nation's top 3% in vocational education. We are currently using competency based training and reporting procedures.

#### Junior Achievement

Twelve of Diman's students participated in the Junior Achievement Nighttime Program. Our students participated in several J. A. "companies" at various officer and worker levels. Their accomplishments and participation were recognized at the concluding annual J. A. banquet.

#### School of Practical Nursing

The Program started with 52 students and 45 students graduated on July 1, 1993, the largest class in the school's history. Of the graduating students, 42 are from the original September group, three are readmissions from the previous school year, and one transferred to us from New York State in the spring.

Employment opportunities for the 1992 graduating class remained bright with a documented 88% placement. (95% with further schooling considered). This class achieved a 95% State Board pass rate.

The LPN Program finished its second year of formal articulation with the Registered Nursing Program of Bristol Community College and it is notable that of 16 graduates in this advanced program, eight were Diman LPNs. Also, it should be noted that all articulated graduates from year one passed R.N. State Boards.

## Evening School

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In our effort to serve the adult community we continue to offer programs that are not only educational but provide for a career change. Many of the Evening School students use our programs to upgrade their skills for advancement in their

particular trade. A total of 199 adults participated in our evening school for the 1992-93 school year. They were enrolled in the following programs. Journeyman Electric Code, Journeyman Plumbing Code, Electrical Code Update, Fireman First Class, Fireman Second Class, Arc Welding, Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning, Computer Aided Drafting, and Advanced Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning.

#### Graduation

Our graduation ceremonies awarded 239 diplomas to the Class of 1993. Mr. John P. Harrington, superintendent-director emeritus, was the main speaker.

#### Retirements

The following member of the Diman faculty retired in the 1992-93 school year: Norman Casey, Machine Shop Instructor

#### Grants

Diman applied for and received funding for various grants which totaled \$418,197.

The Carl Perkins Grant (\$210,916) funded:

Auto Mechanics -- A shop related tutorial program was instituted and supplies were purchased to meet NATEF certification.

Auto Body -- A shop related tutorial program was instituted and supplies were purchased to upgrade this Program.

Building Maintenance -- Three vocational instructors were provided and a shop related tutorial program was instituted for this program.

Graphic Arts -- A shop related tutorial program was instituted, vocational instructors received latest state-of-the-art training, and supplies were purchased to upgrade this program.

Metal Fabrication and Welding -- A shop related tutorial program was instituted and supplies were purchased to upgrade this program.

Also, Diman received grants for:

The Special Needs 94-142 Grant (\$76,300) enabled Diman to institute a shop related tutorial program, purchase the

services of two special needs teachers who were needed to provide direct student services and purchase supplies to upgrade the program.

The Education Consolidation and Improvement Grant (\$11,858) purchased textbooks to upgrade Diman's academic program.

The Facility Improvement Grant (\$4,723) provided monies which enabled two bathrooms to be renovated in order to accommodate the handicapped.

The Per Pupil Educational Aid Grant (\$114,400) purchased equipment to maintain the facility and two 15-passenger vans. The grant allowed for a section of the roof to be replaced.

Teacher Training Grant

With an Eisenhower Grant received 32 of our faculty completed a three-credit Academic/Vocational Integration course through the University of Massachusetts.

Environmental Protection Agency Grant

In April of 1992 we were awarded an Environmental Protection Agency Grant of \$149,659 plus a no-interest loan for \$325,782 for a total of \$475,481 for the abatement of asbestos contained on the support structure of the building. Unfortunately, we had to reject the EPA Grant because later estimates of asbestos removal exceeded \$988,000.

BCTC Grant

With a grant from Bristol County Training Consortium Diman continued adult training within our day programs. The adult training program allowed three adults to be trained in their different shops. Participating shops were Building Maintenance, Metal Fabrication and Welding, and Air Conditioning and Refrigeration, each training one adult.

New England Association of Schools and Colleges Evaluation

On April 27, 28, and 29, 1993, Diman was evaluated by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges for continued accreditation.

# GREATER FALL RIVER VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT OPERATING BUDGET -- FY 93 07/01/92 - 06/30/93

## CODE OPERATING EXPENDITURES:

1000 ADMINISTRATION 2000 INSTRUCTION 3000 OTHER SCHOOL SERVICES 4000 OPERATION OF MAINTENANCE 5000 TOTAL FIXED CHARGES 7000 TOTAL FIXED ASSETS	201,105 3,814,225 252,481 475,446 991,085 925,006
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENDITURES	6,659,348
LESS: ANTICIPATED REVENUE APPLIED DEFERRED TEACHER SALARIES	(5,336,678) (280,430)
NET EXPENDITURES	1,042,240
DAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT:	10/01/91
FALL RIVER77026 SOMERSET06578 SWANSEA08389 WESTPORT08008	825 73 95 100
TOTAL DAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT	1093
EXPENDITURE ASSESSMENT TO COMMUNITIES:	
FALL RIVER'S SHARE SOMERSET'S SHARE SWANSEA'S SHARE WESTPORT'S SHARE	\$786,686 69,610 90,588 95,356
TOTAL	\$1,042,240
COMMUNITY COST PER PUPIL - DAY SCHOOL	\$953.56

# GREATER FALL RIVER VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT REVENUE FISCAL YEAR 1993

STATE AID	1992-93
CHAPTER 70 - GENERAL CHAPTER 71 - REGIONAL AID CHAPTER 71 - TRANSPORTATION EEDOG PER PUPIL GRANT: \$100/PUPIL EDUCATION REFORM AID	2,389,829 1,028,799 156,324 1,485,606 114,400
TOTAL STATE AID	5,174,958
LOCAL RECEIPTS	
INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS PRODUCTIVITY RENTAL OF FACILITIES	25,000 90,750 1,200
TOTAL LOCAL RECEIPTS	116,950
SUB-TOTAL	5,291,908
AVAILABLE FUNDS	44,770
TOTAL ANTICIPATED RECEIPTS	5,336,678

#### PERSONNEL BY DEPARIMENTS

#### **ADMINISTRATION**

Dennis Abdow, Occupational Coordinator
Brian Bentley, Dean of Students
Henry Champagne, Job Placement Coordinator
Dennis Duval, Director of Guidance
Deborah Kenney, Business Manager/Treasurer
George Letendre, Academic/Post-Secondary Coordinator
Joseph Martins, Assistant Superintendent-Director
Michael Muscarella, Special Needs Coordinator

AUTO BODY Clifford Ashton Serafin Cabral Ronald Duclos Louis Tabicas ELECTRONICS Alvaro Depaco Ronald Guay Kenneth Rapoza AUTO MECHANICS John Chicharro Roland Levesque John Miranda Raymond Phenix

BUILDING MAINTENANCE Edmond Bichel Armand Larguinha Theodore Lopes

CULINARY ARTS
Paul Bertoncini
Jeffrey Coulombe
Edward Kerr
Nancy Mauretti (Aide)
Roger Salpietro
David Viveiros

ELECTRICITY
Armand Duquette
Rene Martel
Daniel Pacheco

ELECTRONICS Alvaro Depaco Ronald Guay Kenneth Rapoza

METAL FABRICATION & WELDING Edward Carreiro Douglas Garcia Stephen Russell Richard Vickrey

PAINTING & DECORATING Jeanne Schwamb Joni Souza

PLUMBING George Flanagan Kenneth Pacheco

MEDIA CENTER Katherine Caramos Georgene Drewniak GRAPHIC ARTS Bernard Comeau Joseph Sousa Paul Viveiros

HEALTH CAREERS Maureen Cain Patricia Daley Karen Oliveira Theresa Silvia

HOUSE & MILL CARPENTER Gerald Barboza Robert Ciosek Stephen Marciszyn Douglas Marsden Ronald Silvia

HVAC Edward Costa John Pimentel

MACHINE SHOP Robert Avilla Martin Bernat David Blackburn Steven Blanchette Norman Casey John Pieroni

ENGLISH
Paul Brodeur
Goretti Balch
Lorraine Caine
Margaret Hopkins
Raymond Keough
Maureen Morin
Susan Sayre
Edward Szynal

MATHEMATICS
Edward Gillespie
Peter Goj
Charles McPhillips
Susan Mullen
Susan Oliveira
Robert Oliveira

PRACTICAL NURSE Stephen Alves Carol Legault Erin McGough-Silvia Barbara Pitera Marguerite Sheahan Joan Waring

GUIDANCE
Barbara Bernard
Deborah Dore (Aide)
Susan Dumais
Lawrence Henry
Charles Howayeck
Robert Hurley
Francis Mitchell

SPECIAL EDUCATION
Susan DeJesus
Donna Klamkin
Merideth Lemont
James Killavey
John Pacheco
James Pereira (General Shop)
Suzanne Thibert

CLERICAL
Amy Beth Arruda
Judith Avilla
Tara Bernardo
Grace Heywood
Mary Lacroix
Marilyn Lafond
Sophia McCrosson (PT)
Jean Pappas
Mariana Rodrigues
Janet Sahady

CAFETERIA
Geraldine Arruda
Janice Brown
Rachel Cabral
Jeanne Martel
Claudia Medeiros
Lucille Mendoza

SCIENCE
James Cabucio
Thomas Hopkins
Judith Michel
John Maurer
Rogerio Ramos
Anna Rousseau

SOCIAL STUDIES
Pamela Arruda
Roger Dugal
Thomas Maiato
Albert Medeiros
John Mullaly
Michael Welch

PHYSICAL EDUCATION Keith Allan James Ashley Michelle Letendre

READING
Betty Ilowitz
Elizabeth Jonsson
Collette O'Halloran(Aide)

PERMANENT SUBSTITUTES Thomas Aubin Arthur Harnois Joseph Pitera

CUSTODIAL
Glenn Benevides
Clifford Ford (PT)
Robert Grimes
Henri Levesque
Thomas Ridge
Antone Souza
Donald Talgo
Armand Watts

SUPPORT STAFF
Raymond Pereira, Supervisor of Building and Grounds
L. Gordon Pratt, Evening School Director
Helen Whipple, Secretary to the Superintendent-Director and

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE HARBORMASTER & STATE LAUNCH RAMP

Weather wise, the 1993 Boating Season was the best many people could remember in a long, long time with sunny, warm and dry weather without wind day after day. Transient boating traffic was about the same as 1992 and mooring and docking fees surpasses both 1991 and 1992.

The Harbormaster Department responded to over 86 calls for assistance with its two boats that were in service. Also, boat pumpouts were conducted from June 25th through September 10th (58 vessels pumped approximately 700+ gallons).

On September 13, 1993 two vessels were stolen from the Spindle Rock Club. We recovered one the next day with its electronics and 200hp motor missing and the other one three weeks later. On October 13, 1993 fourteen vessels were broken into at the Westport Yacht Club and many items stolen and damage done to those vessels. With the help of the Westport Police Department it is hoped that we can catch these crooks. Alarm systems are available and anyone interested can call the Harbormaster or Tripps Boat Yard for details.

Vessel registrations were approximately 600 to moorings and 600 to docking facilities. The State Launching Facility was very busy with many people trailoring their vessels. (Parking permits exceeded \$10,000 for the first time at five year old rates).

The State Ramp is in need of desperate overhaul and it is hoped that work will start on the project by the end of the 1994 season. Thanks go out to Paul Pereira and the men of the Highway Department for their help in keeping this ramp together.

As over the last couple of years the engine (150hp) on the pumpout boat is hanging on by a thread. We are working to get a grant (75% Federal - 25% Town) to replace it through monies possibly available with the Fish and Wildlife Division.

As Harbormaster, I will be asking the Finance Committee and Board of Selectmen for approval to trade in the 200hp engine on our #1 rescue boat as it is in its fifth year of operation and its reliability is considered questionable. Funds for this trade-in are available in an article passed at the Annual 1993 Town Meeting by the Municipal Waterways Fund.

Also, passed at that 1993 Town meeting was an article establishing an Enterprise Fund for the State Boat Ramp, harbormaster Department and Town Wharf which is supposed to go into effect July 1, 1994 and make sure monies paid by the boaters will be used to offset services provided to those same boaters

will be used to offset services provided to those same boaters without the non boating public having to pay for any of these services.

Revenues collected for the 1993 Boating Season were as follows:

Slip & Mooring (approx. 1200) Daily Mooring Rents Seasonal Mooring Rents State Boat Ramp Total	\$25,405.00 50.00 2,500.00 10,750.00 \$38,705.00
Excise Taxes Collected to Municipal Waterways Fund To General Fund Total	\$23,500.00 <u>22,000.00</u> \$45,500.00
1993 Total Revenues Paid by Boaters	\$84,205.00

Hopefully, the 1994 boating season will be better than 1993 and special thanks go out to Kitty Benoit in the Accountant's office, Charlene Wood and Denise Bouchard in the Selectmen's office, Sharon Potter and Dolores Grillo in the Assessor's office, Eleanor Wypych and Pat Kershaw in the Treasurer's office, Pauline Raposa in the Tax Collector's office and Marlene Samsom in the Town Clerk's office as these women are a great help to the Harbormaster.

1993 saw two new assistants come on board and they did a really good job. I'm speaking of Gary Tripp and John Beavis. As usual, Roger Reed, Jonathon Paul and Everett Mills did an outstanding job when called on.

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Respectfully submitted,

Richard B. Earle Harbormaster

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WESTPORT HOUSING AUTHORITY

The Westport Housing Authority is a public agency operated by a Board of Commissioners composed of five members, four elected, and the fifth is appointed by the Governor through the Secretary of Communities and Development (EOCD) of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The Authority is dedicated to providing housing that is sage, well-maintained and adequate to meet the needs of our low-income elderly.

A message from the Authority:

1993 was a year of both continuity and progress at Greenwood Terrace. Key improvements were gained toward our safety by upgrading and modernizing our Community Hall's alarm system. At the same time, October saw the Westport Harvest Festival Committee improve our grounds with the planting of a sugar maple tree. Our spirits are rising as we look toward our twentieth anniversary in 1994, and the commissioners would like to give thanks to the residents here at Greenwood Terrace and all the townspeople who have helped make this a stable, secure and accessible senior housing community.

Eligibility Requirements:

You must be 62 years or older and/or physically handicapped. Your income cannot exceed \$15,736. for one person, \$17,984. for two. Your assets may not exceed \$15,000.

Greenwood Terrace is a seven-building, 48-unit complex; each unit consists of two rooms and bathroom; one room is a bedroom and the second room is a combination of kitchen-living room.

Respectfully submitted,
WESTPORT HOUSING AUTHORITY
Stephen Farias, Chairman

Board Members:

George Yeomans Jeffrey Mason Stephen Farias Patricia Pariseau John Marques Staff:

Sandra Keighley, Executive Director Helen Beaulieu, Administrative Assistant Gerard R. Lebeau, Maintenance

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE LANDING COMMISSION

#### TREASURER

I hereby submit my annual report as Treasurer, December 31, 1993

Balance January 1, 1993	\$18,100.06
Received from Leases	2,400.00
Interest Received on Deposits	449.37
Total	\$20,949.43

Expenditures 1993	1,800.64
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Balance December 31, 1993 \$19,148.79

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Foster Treasurer

#### LANDING COMMISSION

The year 1993 brought the celebration of River Day to the Head Landing in June. The Westport River Watershed Alliance's wish to bring back this event from Horseneck Beach to the community so that Westport's residents could be made aware of its resources was a huge success. A picture-perfect day brought many people young and old to the Landing for both a learning experience and an enjoyable day of activities.

All Town landings have been under constant supervision by all board members and well maintained.

The continued investigation by monitored test wells at the head Landing by the firm of Tighe & Bond has been completed. At this point Phase II begins to try and correct the situation.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph Bothelo, Chairman Robert Albanese Albert Field James Manchester

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WESTPORT FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Frances Kirkaldy Janet M. Edmonds Rhoda Sheehan Ruth Manchester Annamarie Towne Wendy Goldberg

#### Staff

Library Director
Assistant Library Director
Library Clerk
Library Clerk
Custodian

Anita Baron Susan Branco Gayle Boudria Jane Young James Peirce

Once again I am happy to report that there have been no changes in our excellent staff. The vacant trustee post was filled at the election in March by Wendy Goldberg.

A budget shortfall again necessitated a request to the Finance Committee for a transfer of funds to bring it up to the level required by the state for certification and subsequent state funding.

The programs for children continue to be a very vital part of our outreach to the community. Because we are unable to afford these extras out of our own budget we are grateful for outside support. This year there were two programs sponsored by the Friends of the Westport Library (F.O.W.L.) and one by the Westport Arts Lottery. In March F.O.W.L. paid for storyteller Diane Edgecomb, whose subject was "Tales for the Earth", with sixty-five children and adults attending. A total of fifty were present for the talk in December by author Jerry Pallotta, who shared his ABC/nature series of children's books.

The Westport Arts Lottery funded a visit by street singer Stephen Baird. He entertained one hundred and twenty children and adults with stories and songs accompanying himself with various musical instruments.

A large lighted display case was installed in the library in June. This was paid for by a grant from the Helen E. Ellis Trust Fund. Mary Ellen Guptill was instrumental in getting this grant and she is in charge of arranging the exhibits. It was very fitting that the first display featured woodcarvings by Helen Ellis. Subsequent displays have included works by local authors, a weaver, a folk painter and a collection of antique dolls.

The Westport Free Public Library applied for and received a grant from the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners to purchase much needed children's books in the sciences. The money is expected in early 1994 and Susan Branco will be working with Westport teachers in choosing appropriate materials.

Once again Lorman Trueblood (our knight in shining armor) has come to the rescue. The small area around our flagpole was terribly overgrown with out-of-control evergreens and weeds. Through his initiative it is now beautifully landscaped. Meriz Landscaping did the planning and planting, but Lorman was right there with them on one of the hottest days of the year digging out huge rocks to help prepare the earth. So, a big thanks to Lorman for his generous gift. We wish there were a lot more like you.

The F.O.W.L. speakers this year were Bruce Bachand and Vernon Domingo who each presented a talk and slide show, Mr. Bachand on Guatemala and Mr. Domingo on South Africa. The annual poetry reading was held in August, and in October there was a successful sale of books at the Harvest Festival. Money raised at this event is used to purchase books.

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MODERATOR

I respectfully submit my 1993 Annual Report as Moderator of the Town of Westport.

During the year, I presided at all Town Meetings, attended the Annual Meeting of the Massachusetts Moderators' Association, and made reappointments to the Finance Committee.

Town Meetings

During the year, the Town held three Town Meetings; the Annual of June 1st, the Special of June 1st and the Special of November 16th.

Preceding the Annual Town Meeting, the Westport High School Marching Band played the National Anthem. We were all pleased by the participation of our youth and I thank them.

At the Special Town Meeting of November 16th, I provided for those who attended, a "Town Meeting - Guide to Procedure". This handout is a basic guide to "Town Meeting Time" except as modified by the Town By-Laws. I hoped that this guide would aid the voter in parliamentary procedure.

Massachusetts Moderators' Association

In October, I attended the annual meeting of the Association held at Plimouth Plantation, a living history museum of 17th-century Plymouth, Massachusetts. This year I invited two members of the Finance Committee, Chairman Rodrigues and member Huczek. Moderators throughout Massachusetts discussed Town Meeting issues and procedures. These sessions are always helpful and informative.

Finance Committee

During the year I made the following reappointments to the Finance Committee for three years, term expires June 30, 1996.

Mrs Marjorie A. Holden of Sanford Road, Mr. Michael J. Rodrigues of Sanford Road, Mr. Joseph J. Ciosek of Christopher Circle.

## FINANCE COMMITTEE

as of December 31, 1993

MEMBERS	TERM EXPIRES
Veronica F. Beaulieu	1994
Richard E. Huczek	1994
Raymond p. Woodruff (Vice Chairman)	1994
John J. Baughan	1995
James E. Britland, Jr.	1995
George Costa	1995
Joseph J. Ciosek	1996
Marjorie A. Holden (Secretary)	1996
Michael J. Rodrigues (Chairman)	1996

Respectfully submitted,

Brad C. Brightman Moderator

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

The Westport Planning Board was organized for the 1993 year as follows:

Timothy Gillespie, Chairman
John S. Penney, Jr., Clerk
Daniel George
John Montano
William Russell

term expires 1997
term expires 1995
term expires 1996
term expires 1996

The Board meets in the Planning Board room at the Town Hall every other Monday at 7:00 p.m.

During the past year, the Board held 34 meetings. The Board held 8 public hearings to consider the following: 1 for proposed amendments to subdivision Rules and Regulations, 2 for revisions to previously approved subdivisions, and 5 to consider proposed subdivisions. Of said 5 new subdivisions, 4 were approved creating a total of 28 new lots, and 1 subdivision was disapproved. The 2 subdivision revisions were approved, one of which created no new lots, and the other reduced the previously created 30 lots to 24 lots. In addition, a subdivision which was pending from 1992 was approved which created 6 new lots.

Four applications for preliminary subdivisions were received and approved, which depicted a total of 26 lots. Two of said preliminary plans (16 lots) evolved into definitive plans recorded hereinabove.

The Board received 21 plans for division of land where subdivision approval was not required, which plans created a total of 27 new lots. Of the 21 plans, 2 were revisions to existing lots, 5 were for purposes of annexing parcels to adjoining land, 1 was a perimeter survey, and 1 was a reendorsement due to the lapse of the six month recording period.

Timothy Gillespie served on the Solid Waste Committee. Daniel George served on the Senior Center Siting Committee and was appointed to the Local Partnership Committee (Economic Development). John S. Penney, Jr. served on the Town Counsel Search and Screening Committee. Katharine H. Preston was appointed as the Board's delegate to the Historical Commission.

Aside from business as usual, the Planning Board has been working on a complete overhaul of its Rules and Regulations as well as attempting to renew discussions on growth management. With the aid of an \$18,000 grant from the Executive Office of Communities and Development, and another \$3,000 donated by the Westport Land Conservation Trust and the Westport River Watershed

Alliance, the Planning Board hired the consulting firm of Herr & James Associates to lead the community in a discussion of growth management. Through several public discussions and review of past growth management efforts, the Planning Board has produced a document that explores methods of better managing growth in Westport. This document addresses seven areas that seem to hold the most concern for Westport citizens: density based zoning; flexible residential development; local affordable housing; business development; ground water protection; storm water management; and Westport River protection. Over the next several years, with this document serving as a guide, the Planning Board hopes to address each of these issues in order of priority and develop a series of action proposals that will take this process beyond the discussion stage and into the realm of implementation.

Respectfully submitted,
Timothy Gillespie, CHAIRMAN

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

I hereby submit the following as the report of the Westport Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1993.

#### ORGANIZATION

CHIEF OF POLICE Charles A. Pierce

LIEUTENANTS William C. White Joseph E. Carvalho

#### SERGEANTS

John R. Gifford Stephen D. Kovar Jr. Paul E. Holden Pauline O. Field

#### REGULAR POLICE OFFICERS

Mario J. Lewis, Chief of Detectives David Simcoe
Michael R. Roussel, Detective David Morrissette Michael R. Roussel, Detective Reginald Deschenes Michael S. Perry Michael D. O'Connor Marshall Ronco, Detective John J. Bell Richard Rodrigues Donald J. Frederick Gary M. Foley

Douglas J. Britland Johnny P. Couto Thomas R. Plourde Jeffrey F. Majewski

Keith A. Pelletier

#### RESERVE POLICE OFFICERS

Kenneth Furtado Steven Ouellette Raymond Araujo Douglas Orr Stephen Teixeira Francois Napert Brian Souza David Arruda Gregory Bell Darrin Blais Mario DaCunha

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Robert Goulet Michael Silvia Craig Carvalho Keith Novo Gary Cambra Svea Carlson Antonio Cestodio Fernando Pontes Mark Rosinha Daniel Sullivan Andrew Wheaton

Following is a summary of the number and nature of arrests and summons in 1993:

MALE	FEMALE	JUVENILE
633	262	15
112	22	3
94	21	
nce	1	
42	12	6
81	11	
28	8	
	633 112 94 nce 42 81	633 262 112 22 94 21 nce 1 42 12 81 11

Operating After Revocation	20		
Operating After Revocation Due to OUI	4	2	
Unregistered MV	144	77	1
Uninsured MV	50	15	
Illegally Attaching Plates	37	10	
Operating Without License in Possession	49	23	1
Operating w/o Registration in Possession	22	8	
Defective Equipment	45	9	1
No Valid Inspection Sticker	247	103	4
Altered Inspection Sticker	4	1	
Unauthorized Use of Motor Vehicle			1
Reckless Operation	1		
Failure to Restrain Child	27	20	
Failure to Report Motor Vehicle Accident	2	1	
Failure to Keep in Marked Lanes	72	7	2
Weaving Between Lanes	3	2	
Failure to Keep to Right	1		
Improper Passing	54	15	3
Failure to Yield to Oncoming Vehicle	3	3	
Allowing Improper Person to Operate	8	6	
Allowing Operation of Unregistered Vehicle	le 10	10	
Allowing Operation of MV w/ Revoked Reg.	1	1	
Allowing Operation of Uninsured MV		1	
Failure to Yield to Emergency Vehicle	2		
Failure to Use Care in Start/Stop/Backing		1	
Failure to Use Care Entering Intersection			1
Illegal U-Turn	2		
Following Too Closely	6		
Operating Wrong Way on One Way	2		
Oper. MV w/ Open Alcoholic Bev. Container		2	1
Oper. in Violation of License Restriction		4	1
Loud/Harsh/Unnecessary Noise	18	2	
Oper. Motorcycle W/O Protective Headgear	4		
Oper. Motorcycle W/O Protective Eyewear	3		
Refusing to Stop for Police Officer	22	2	1
Impeded Operation	3	1	
Operating Over Channelized Island	5	1	
Failure to Properly Display Plate Too Little Tire Tread	6	1	
	10	1	
Violation of DPW Rules and Regulations	22	4	
Failure to Use Proper Turn Signal	5	1	
Leave Accident Scene/Property Damage	6	2	4
Leave Accident Scene/Personal Injury	2	177	
Failure to Stop for Red Light	69	17	1
Failure to Stop for Stop Sign Failure to Stop for School Bus	40	9	1
Failure to Report Change of Address	1	2	
Excessive Smoke	3	2	
Improper Placement of Registration Sticke	4	1	
Obscured Registration Plate		3	
Improper Turn	1		
Tuhrober 1011	6		

Oper. Recreational Vehicle on Public Way Refusing to Produce License & Registrat: Towing Unregistered Trailer Failure to Dim Headlights Obstructing Traffic Uncovered Load Operating W/o Headlights	y 1 ion 1 1 1 4		
TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES	2,080	705	48
CRIMINAL OFFENSES Threats to do Bodily Harm Assault	MALE 5	FEMALE 1	JUVENILE
Assault With Dangerous Weapon	5	2	1
Assault & Battery	18	1	6
Assault & Battery on Police Officer	9	1	
Assault & Battery on Person Over 65	1		
Assault & Battery With Dangerous Weapon		1	5
Assault With Intent to Murder	1		
Domestic Assault & Battery	26	5	1
Violation of Family Protection Order	19	7	
Indecent Assault & Battery			
on Child Under 14	2	1	4
Indecent Assault & Battery on			
Child Over 14	1		3
Open & Gross Lewdness	1		
Breaking & Entering Daytime	3	2	21
Breaking & Entering Nighttime	4	2	21
Breaking & Entering Nighttime			
Intent Misdemeanor			2
Breaking & Entering into Motor Vehicle	12	1	2
	7	2	4
Burglary	3	2	4
Attempted Larceny Possession of Burglarious Tools 4	2		
Unlawful Possession of Dangerous Weapor			
False Alarm of Fire	1 4		1
Arson	1		1
Unlawful Possession of Fireworks	3	1	-
Larceny by False Pretenses	1	-	
Larceny From Person	2		
Larceny of Firearm	-		9
Larceny of Leased or Rented Property	17	5	
Larceny of Motor Vehicle	+'	1	
Larceny Less Than \$250	5	3	8
Larceny Over \$250	14	1	21
Receiving Stolen Property	10	•	1
Possession of Altered License	1		•
Possession of Stolen Credit Card	1		
Possession of Stolen Motor Vehicle	10		9
Larceny Less Than \$250 by Check	17	18	

Larceny Over \$250 by Check Uttering Forgery Conspiracy to Violate	5 26 17	1 17	
Controlled Substance Act Unlawful Possession Class B Substance	1 4	1	
Unlawful Possession Class D Substance Unlawful Possession Class E Substance Unlawful Possession Class D Substance	17	4	2
w/i 1000' School Building Unlawful Possession Class A Substance			1
w/ Intent to Distribute Unlawful Possession Class B Substance	1	1	
w/ Intent to Distribute Unlawful Possession Class D Substance	1		
W/ Intent to Distribute	3	1	
Minor Transporting Liguer	11 2		3
Minor Transporting Liquor Unlawful Possession of Firearm/Ammunitio			9
Unlawful Possession of Chemical Mace Malicious/Wanton Injury to	2		
Personal Property	29	30	4
Malicious/Wanton Injury to Real Property	13	2	2
Trespassing	5		1
Disorderly Person	6		3
Interfering With Police Officer	1		1
Giving False Name to Police Officer	5	1	
Refusing to Give Name & Address			
to Police Officer	1		
Resisting Arrest	1		
Fugitive From Justice		1	
Defrauding Innkeeper	1		
Concealing Motor Vehicle to Defraud Insu			
Possession Motor Vehicle Altered/Defaced			
Remove ID Numbers from Motor Vehicle	1		
Intimidating Witness	1	1	1
Annoying Phone Calls CHINS (Delinquent Juvenile)	4	1	1 3
Littering	1		3
Viol. Town By-Law (Unrestrained Animals)	1		
TOTAL CRIMINAL OFFENSES	387	119	135
PROTECTIVE CUSTODY	47	9	1
TOTAL-ALL ARRESTS & OFFENSES	2,514	833	184

Firearm Identification Cards Issued	. 121	
License to Carry Firearms Issued		
Summons Served		
Warrants Served		221
Juvenile Summons Served		
Fatal Accidents	. 2	
Drownings	. 1	
Accidental Deaths		
Suicides	. 3	
Funerals Attended	. 17	
Homicides	. 0	
Auto Accidents Investigated	. 301	
Injured in Auto Accidents	. 160	
Buildings Found Open	. 10	
Complaints Investigated	. 6,175	
Response to Fire Calls		
Response to Burglar Alarms		
Assist Ambulance & Transports to Hospital		
Stolen Motor Vehicles	. 53	
Stolen Registration Plates	. 36	
Motor Vehicles Recovered		
Motor Vehicle Citations Issued (including warning	s. 1,970	
Value of Stolen Motor Vehicles Recovered\$1	35 000 00	
Value of Other Lost, Stolen or Abandoned	33,000.00	
Property Recovered\$	55 064 00	
Restitution for Fraudulent Checks (handled w/i	33,004.00	
department)\$	7 996 20	
department)	7,000.23	
D. I. II. 1000 the Delies Demontrary town		the
During the year 1993, the Police Department tur	ned over to	the
Town Treasurer, or were reimbursed, the following	monles:	
	211 00	
For Firearms Identification Cards Issued\$	314.00	
For Licenses to Carry Firearms Issued\$	4,480.00	
For Licenses to Sell Firearms/Ammunition/		
Gunsmith\$	68.00	
For Entertainment and Amusement Licenses/All		
Alcoholic Licenses/Beer and Wine Permits\$	1,658.50	
For Photostatic Copies of Police Reports\$	1,590.00	
For Fines and Restitution (2nd, 3rd District and		
Bristol County Juvenile Court)\$	150,171.00	
For Parking Lot Violations\$	19,735.00	
Police Career Incentive (C.41, S.108L)\$	23,953.00	
TOTAL MONIES\$	201,939.50	

#### MILES TRAVELED BY CRUISERS IN 1993

Respectfully submitted,

Charles A. Pierce Chief of Police



IN MEMORY OF
KENNEIH M. CANDETAS
Westport Police Officer - State Police Officer

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

The following is my report for the Department of Weights and Measures for the year ending December 31, 1993.

Scales over 10,000 lbs2
5,000 to 10,000 lbs1
1,000 to 5,000 lbs
100 to 1,000 lbs18
10 to 100 lbs54
Gas and Diesel Pumps Sealed71
Apothecary Weights Sealed0
Redemption machines3

Total Fees Paid to Town Treasurer....\$1,242.00

Respectfully submitted

Paul C. Audet Sealer of Weights and Measures

# COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS TOWN OF WESTPORT DEPARTMENT OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Be it known to all concerned that in accordance with General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 98, Section 41, Public Notice is hereby given to all persons having usual places of business and using a weighing and/or measuring devices (for the purpose of buying and selling goods, wares of merchandise) that between January 1 and December 31, 1994 such devices must be checked and sealed at least once. Such inspection and sealing is controlled by the Board of Selectmen and done at the expense of the person owning or using the weighing or measuring device.

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Paul C. Audet Sealer of Weights and Measures

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SHELLFISH DEPARIMENT

Currently our .20 area in the East Branch of the river is open for the winter, based on the .20 rain event. This is the first time for this seasonal/conditional stipulation between the Town and the Division of Marine Fisheries which allows the 450 acres to be worked year round. Also, the one inch area of the East Branch is open to shellfishing for those with permits or licenses to shellfish this winter as a seasonally approved area. The West Branch .20 rain area also has been made into a seasonally approved area which allows shellfishing from December 15, 1993 through March 14, 1994. After March 15th these areas revert back to conditional rain closures. 1993 was very dry and because of this the East Branch .20 conditional area was open 110 Our goal should be to have all the river open to shellfishing all of the time and not have to close it because of any amount of rainfall. Steps are in motion to accomplish this by correcting areas which influence our waters. There have been some corrections made on a few septic problems and some corrections with regards to agricultural runoff. The boat pumpout program is also a step in the right direction and has been used frequently by many boaters.

This dry weather may have had an influence on the oysters which were relayed from the permanently closed area at Hix Bridge to the open area off Gunning Island and Tabor Point in the Let. Moving 1500 bushels of oysters was a task and I applaud the many volunteers who worked so hard. This program, in my mind, was a success. The shells which were live oysters are adding to the bed for next year's program. Many thanks to all the volunteers.

The Town seed quahog program this year had a drop in initial seed from 1,200,000 to 900,000. It was a respectable growing year even though a lot of green crabs were captured in the area. Next year's seed program will be even less, unless grant money is forthcoming or seed money is reappropriated. The Westport Fisherman's Association has donated \$3,000 in seed for next year's project and a \$200 grant has been given to the Shellfish Department to buy seed quahogs from the Ronald Desrosiers Betterment Fund. We also need approximately \$3,000 more to allow the program to buy one million more seed.

The scallop project this year was a huge success, some think the dry summer had a lot to do with it. All I know is that the effort put into the project by Wayne Turner and Scott Soares and all the volunteers (some 10,000 hours) should help. This project is to determine and correct problems so that the bay scallop can be brought back yearly, naturally. M.I.T. and U.R.I. grad students are looking at some interesting aspects to this program along with interest from UMass Dartmouth. Some 2,000 spat bags

were collected and the scallops were removed from them (roughly seven thousand scallops). These scallops were measured and separated into groups, some went to U.R.I. as a backup for next year's program, some were placed in trays to be wintered over in Westport waters and some were studied.

This project is well worth the effort and should remain on line for sometime, as all parts of the complex equation are put together, be it a type of bacterial contamination or a specific algae which inhibits the larval stage or hydrocarbons or changes in salinity. Whatever the cause, it should be discovered and corrected through this program. This winter has taken a large number of seed due to the brutally cold temperatures. Although, there may be seed in deeper waters to help ensure next year's crop.

The Division of Marine Fisheries and Board of Health along with this department completed the East Branch Sanitary Survey. Copies went to the Board of Health and the Board of Selectmen. The survey points out areas of concern which should alleviate the stress on our river and its pollution problems.

Thanks to the police, Fire and Highway Departments for their help in so many ways this past year. Also, thanks to all the volunteers who worked with Wayne Turner on the scallop project and Deputy Bob Pierce on the oyster project. I would like to thank all of you who supported and worked with the Shellfish Department and helped make it a successful year.

Respectfully submitted,

Gary Sherman Shellfish Constable

#### 1993 LICENSES ISSUED AND REVENUE

TYPE	NUMBER ISSUED	FEE COLLECTED
Commercial Scallop	1	\$ 100.00
Commercial Shellfish	53	3,975.00
Family Scallop	18	270.00
Family Shellfish	501	7,515.00
Non-Resident Shellfish	40	3,000.00
14-Day Permit	15	375.00
Senior Citizen Shellfish	135	1,012.50
Senior Citizen Scallop	5	0.00
Students	3	45.00
Duplicates Issued	12	24.00
Dredging	_ 1	150.00
Sub-Total	784	\$16,466.50
State Aid Reimbursement		0.00
Shellfish Violations Writ	ten	800.00
Total		\$17,266.50

#### ESTIMATED COMMERCIAL SHELLFISH CATCH

SPECIES	HARVEST IN BUSHELS	EST. VALUE
Oysters	110	\$ 5,500.00
Mussels	40	800.00
Quahogs	1,290	22,575.00
Little Necks, Mix Cherry	827	57,890.00
Scallops	10	4,900.00
Soft Shell Clams	770	75,000.00
Surf Clams	330	3,300.00
Sub-Total	3,377	\$169,965.00

NOTE: Value of commercial catch based on wholesale prices.

#### ESTIMATED RECREATIONAL SHELLFISH CATCH

SPECIES Oysters	HARVEST IN BUSHELS 30	EST. VALUE \$ 2,400.00
Mussels	40	2,450.00
Quahogs	450	31,500.00
Little Necks, Mix Cherry	1,003	245,735.00
Scallops	25	2,450.00
Soft Shell Clams	350	70,000.00
Surf Clams	20	300.00
Sub-Total	1,928	\$354,835.00
Grand Total	5,305	\$523,800.00

NOTE: Value of recreational catch based on retail prices.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (SRPEDD)

The Southeastern Regional Planning and Economic Development District continued to serve the Town of Westport during 1993. SRPEDD (pronounced sir-ped) is a locally run regional agency serving southeastern Massachusetts.

During the past year, the Town of Westport was represented on the SRPEDD Commission by Romeo Fortin and Thomas Perkins. The Joint Transportation Planning Group representatives were Paul Pereira and James Morton.

Some of SRPEDD's more significant accomplishments in 1993 were:

- \* Completion and certification of the annual Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and Overall Economic Development Program (OEDP) which set regional priorities and made cities and towns eligible for federal and state grants for transportation and economic development projects.
- \* Staffing of the South Eastern Economic Development (SEED) Corporation, which makes loans to small businesses for expansion. In 1993 SEED approved loans to 15 small businesses in the amount of \$2.7 million. These loans are projected to create 160 new jobs.
- \* Completion and approval of the Regional Transportation Plan, which addressed all modes of transportation for the next twenty years and included a region-wide travel demand computer model.
- \* SRPEDD reviewed the environmental impact of larger development projects in the region to insure that potential harmful impacts will be addressed. This year, we reviewed 47 such projects, commenting on the impact on traffic, water supply, sewage disposal, wetlands, and other development related issues. 11 applications for federal and state funds were reviewed to insure consistency with other plans and efficient use of public funds.
- \* SRPEDD conducts a district-wide traffic counting program and maintains a computer file of all available traffic count data for the period 1980 to the present throughout the region.
- \* SRPEDD worked with both GATRA and SRTA on issues such as route evaluations, marketing, service to elderly and

- handicapped persons and overall data compilation and analysis.
- \* SRPEDD continues to provide computerized accident filing for 13 towns and has provided pavement management assistance to 16 towns.
- \* SRPEDD organized a regional economic development coordinating effort in Bristol and Plymouth Counties called the Massasoit Compact. A regional strategy for development was published in 1993.
- \* SRPEDD provided assistance to businesses on toxic materials use reduction. Staff worked with the Southeast Industrial Advisory Committee to hold meetings and workshops for businesses located throughout southeastern Massachusetts.
- \* Assistance was provided to the Boston Edison Co. with the planning and operation of the fourth annual Earth Lab Environmental Conference. The conference was held at Bridgewater State College for science teachers throughout the region.
- \* A comprehensive update of the SRPEDD Fact Book was prepared to reflect current information on the cities and towns in the district. Among the changes are statistics from the 1990 U.S. Census, current employment trends, and information on major employers, financial institutions, and recreational facilities.
- \* At the request of the Seekonk Board of Water Commissioners, SRPEDD conducted a survey of the water rates and conservation practices employed by the public water suppliers in southeastern Massachusetts. A copy of the survey was sent to each water supplier in the region.
- \* SRPEDD conducted a survey of fees charged by the planning boards in southeastern Massachusetts. A copy of the results from the survey was sent to each planning board in the SRPEDD district.
- \* The SRPEDD staff assembled the zoning bylaws, subdivision regulations, board of health regulations, local planning studies and other local reports for each city and town in the SRPEDD district into a city and town library located at the SRPEDD office.
- \* The SRPEDD staff organized four public information meetings to review the proposed changes to Title 5 of the State Environmental code. Title 5 regulates on-site sewage disposal systems.

\* Working with a Strategic Planning Grant from the Executive Office of Communities and Development, the SRPEDD staff prepared an economic development study for the thirteen smallest towns in the SRPEDD district (Acushnet, Berkley, Carver, Dighton, Freetown, Lakeville, Marion, Mattapoisett, Plainville, Raynham, Rehoboth, Rochester, Westport). The study was designed to identify economic development strategies that could be employed by small towns that have limited resources.

We look forward to serving you in 1994.



WALTER R. "BOB" WOOD (Retired) Board of Health Member - Board of Health Agent

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending June 30, 1993. Our records are available.

I would like to express a special thanks to Terry Vaillancourt, Mike Buckley, Mike Rodrigues and everyone else that were supportive during my first year as Town Accountant.

Respectfully submitted, KATHERINE A. BENOIT

TOWN OF WESTPORT BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 1993 GENERAL FUND

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Cash Personal Property tax Receivable Real Estate Tax Receivable	\$1,515,059.54 89,545.50 4,892,455.23	
Allowance for Abatements	4,052,455.25	103,315.51
Tax Liens Receivable	320,379.22	
Deferred Property Taxes Rec	25,156.14	
Taxes in Litigation	8,552.54	
Motor Vehicle Excise Rec	192,553.98	
Boat Excise Rec	7,610.34	
Wharfage Rec	1,349.60	
Farm Animal Excise Rec	403.54	
Harbormaster Moorings Rec	275.00	
Accrued Interest	78.02	
Due From Enterprise Fund	4,473.86	
Due From Special Revenue Fund	278,066.87	
Tax Foreclosures	8,777.17	

#### LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY

Warrants Payable	342,421.60
Accured Payroll	151,848.77
Undistributed Receipts	77.39
Tailings and Unclaimed Items	19,357.25
Deferred Revenue-Property Taxes	4,807,607.83
Deferred Revenue-Tax Liens	320,379.20
Deferred Revenue-Deferred Taxes	25,156.14
Deferred Revenue-Litigated Taxes	17,329.71
Deferred Revenue-Excise Taxes	202,192.46
Fund Balance Reserved-Encumbrances	137,369.02
Fund Balance Reserved-Cont Approp	386,585.24
Fund Balance Reserved-Expenditures	333,209.00
Deferred Revenue-Due From Enterprise Fund	4,473.86

Unreserved Fund Balance-Overlay Def Unreserved Fund Balance-Under Assess Unreserved Fund Balance-App Deficits Unreserved Fund Balance-Court Judge. Undesignated Fund Balance	13,015.55 1,120.00 41,728.13 12,500.00	561,777.25
FUND TOTALS	7,413,100.23	7,413,100.23
SCHOOL LUNCH Cash 81,494.28 Warrants Payable Undesignated Fund Balance		711.43 80,782.85
FUND TOTALS	81,494.28	81,494.28
HIGHWAY FUND Due From Commonwealth Due to General Fund	278,066.87	278,494.28
FUND TOTALS	278,066.87	278,494.28
SCHOOL GRANTS Cash 84,947.77 Warrants Payable Reserved Fund Balances: Federal Grants State Grants		17,648.23 32,330.91 34,968.63
FUND TOTALS	84,947.77	84,947.77
TOWN GRANTS Cash 165,809.18 User Charges Rec Warrants Payable	2,424.32	227.53
Reserved Fund Balances: Reserved for Expenditures		100,000.00
Federal Grants: Small Cities Program Hurricane Bob -FEMA		2,157.24 28,625.50
State Grants: Council On Aging Library Incentive Arts Lottery Library Equalization Extended Election Hours Oil Spill Containment Westport River/Growth Plan Recycling/MMA		8.77 14,238.87 3,442.70 14,369.47 571.63 1,091.79 3,000.00 500.00
FUND TOTALS	168,233.50	168,233.50

RESERVED FOR APPROPRIATION  Cash 138,369.07  Reserved Fund Balances:  Reserved for Expenditures  Municipal Waterways  Sale of Cemetery Lots  Wetlands Filing Fees  Landfill Closure		68,000.00 3,343.07 15,375.00 1,054.00 50,597.00
FUND TOTALS	138,369.07	138,369.07
SCHOOL REVOLVING Cash 13,310.04 Warrants Payable		627.72
Reserved Fund Balances:		627.72
Summer School Athletic Integrated Preschool Insurance Reimbursement MCET/Cablevision		852.56 1,876.14 669.75 1,116.92 8,166.95
FUND TOTALS	13,310.04	13,310.04
TOWN REVOLVING Cash 18,566.53 Warrants Payable Reserved Fund Balances: Nursing Home Care Gift COA Clinic Gift Library Gift Recreation Revolving Bicentennial Revolving Insurance Reimbursements		3,403.63 5,838.42 2,673.62 921.17 2,337.18 776.11 2,616.40
FUND TOTALS	18,566.53	18,566.53
TOWN CAPITAL PROJECT Cash 62,149.90 Reserved Fund Balance: Water Main Construction		
		62,149.90
FUND TOTALS	62,149.90	62,149.90
SCHOOL CAPITAL PROJECT Cash 9,639.80 Warrants Payable		9,639.80
FUND TOTALS	9 620 00	
	9,639.80	9,639.80

ENTERPRISE FUND Amounts to be provided Due to General Fund Due to General Fund	4,473.86	4,473.86
FUND TOTALS	4,473.86	4,473.86
NON-EXPENDABLE TRUST Restricted Savings Investments	78,076.62 636,424.57	
Reserved Fund Balances Salisbury Memorial Hicks Library Weeks Library Desrosiers Memorial Perpetual Care Westport Library Tripp Seniors Tripp P.Library Tripp H.S. Library		52,966.53 500.00 1,000.00 10,000.00 274,038.66 10,000.00 180,498.00 180,498.00 10,000.00
FUND TOTALS	714,501.19	714,501.19
EXPENDABLE TRUST Cash 352,760.68 Investments Warrants Payable	38,483.33	296.85
Warrants Payable Reserved Fund Balances: Reserved for Expenditures Law Enforcement Salisbury Memorial Ambulance Fund Hicks Library Rehabilitation Fund Weeks Library Town Farm Landing Commission Bicentennial Playground Conservation Veterans Memorial Open Space Desrosiers Memorial Perpetual Care Arts Lottery Westport Library Tripp Seniors Tripp P. Library		30,000.00 49,261.84 3,241.61 5,143.11 20.30 723.02 123.48 33,963.49 19,725.14 785.76 9,381.73 872.78 798.08 2,433.53 129,407.57 6,802.66 1,053.89 41,706.24 48,364.73
Tripp H.S. Library Planning Board Fees		1,094.83 2,364.45

Westport Betterment Westport Historical		2,918.19 760.73
EXPENDABLE TRUST FUND TOTALS	391,244.01	391,244.01
OTHER TRUST Cash 206,977.54		
Investments Accrued Interest	606,288.79	
Reserved Fund Balances:	135.23	
Reserved For Expenditures Stabilization Fund Retirement Fund		32,278.00 32,216.29 748,907.27
FUND TOTALS	813,401.56	813,401.56
AGENCY FUND Cash 53,649.13		
Warrants Payable		638.15
Police Detail Payable		416.00
Misc. Payable		420.00
Withholdings Payable: Health Insurance		51,466.48
Life Insurance		596.01
Meal Tax		112.49
FUND TOTALS	53,649.13	53,649.13

	AVAILABLE REVENUE	EXPENDED	ENCUMBERED	TO SURPLUS
ACCOUNTANT				
Salaries	56870	47165	0	9705
Expenses	1085	1085	0	0
APPEALS				
Salaries	1400	426	0	974
Expenses	2195	449	0	1746
ASSESSORS				
Salaries	93145	93054	0	91
Expenses	2736	2297	0	439
Tax Hearings	2000	383	1617	0
Map Printing-Art	14 2500	0	2500	0
Revaluation-Art 1	6 24065	12208	11857	0
Encumbered	9700	5708	0	3992

	AVAILABLE REVENUE	EXPENDED E	ENCUMBERED	TO SURPLUS
BOARD OF HEALTH				
Salaries	91864	91829	0	35
Expenses	9085	9072	0	13
Encumbered	1436	1175	0	261
Pump Out-#7 FY90		1645	1344	0
Lab Equip-#4 FY9	0 5500	5500	0	0
PT Clerk-#5 FY93	4610	3447	1163	0
Computer-#1 FY93	3500	0	3500	0
BUILDING INSPECT	ORS			
Salaries	19743	19742	0	1
Expenses	25117	24625	0	492
CEMETERY				
Salaries	58807	57038	0	1769
Expenses	5793	5697	62	34
New Grave Sect.		3470	728	0
Perp/Grave Sites		722	2102	0
Cemetery Upkeep		1381	189	0
Cemetery Upkeep		1081	13919	0
Tractor FY93	7200	7200	0	0
CIVIL DEFENSE				
Salaries	500	500	0	0
Expenses	650	634	0	16
Civil Def Equip	FY93 5500	0	5500	0
COLLECTOR				
Salaries	70748	70462	286	0
Expenses	19393	17333	2000	60
Tax Takings	2000	856	0	144
CONCERNATION				
CONSERVATION	25764	24500		
Salaries	25764	24592	0	1172
Expenses Encumbered	2760		0	39
APR Art-FY89	67		0	0
Critical Area FY	22000 93 2000		22000	0
CITCICAL ALEA FY	93 2000		0 2000	0
COUNCIL ON AGING				
Salaries	35167	34976	6 0	191
Expenses	1840		1 0	0

	AVAILABLE REVENUE		NCUMBERED	TO SURPLUS
DATA PROCESSING Expenses Encumbered Equip. Art. FY89	26055 15498 16927	25709 15498 4502	0 0 12425	346 0 0
DOG OFFICER Salaries Expenses	8100 8160	8065 7883	0 0	35 277
ELECTION & REG. Salaries Expenses	35708 14082	34551 13238	0 0	1157 844
EMPLOYEE BENEFIT Health Ins. Life Ins FICA/Medicare Unemployment Workers Comp Encumbered	912000 6000 32000 50000 260000 1576	744179 5331 40246 88746 154901	0 0 0 0 75000	167821 669 -8246 -38746 30099 1576
ENGINEERING Expenses	2000	0	0	2000
FAIR HOUSING Expenses	300	29	0	271
FENCE VIEWER Expenses	0	0	0	0
FINANCE COMMITTE Salaries Expenses Reserve Fund	0 1075 35000	0 99 29829	0	0 76 5171
FIRE DEPARIMENT Salaries Expenses Encumbered Ambulance Art-FY Prior Yr Medical		732071 68 42 83 0	3019 0 76	2499 3906 2 0 95

	AVAILABLE REVENUE	EXPENDED	ENCUME	BERED	TO SURPLUS
GAS INSPECTORS		4.1		0	862
Salaries	5027	41		0	265
Expenses	818	5	53	U	203
HARBORMASTER					_
Salaries	17723	177		0	5 2
Expenses	5145	51	43	0	2
HIGHWAY					705
Salaries	361498	3607		0	705
Expenses	108960	1085		39	336
Road Cons. FY91	65689	646		1064	0
Road Cons. FY92	67326	147		2582	0
Chipper FY93	17000	156	29	0	1371
HIGHWAY/SNOW & 3	ICE				
Salaries	12000	269		0	-14972
Expenses	10000	322	282	0	-22282
HISTORICAL COMM	ISSION				
Expense	320		320	0	0
LANDFILL					
Salaries	48121	44	4603	0	3518
Expenses	97648	4	4958	0	52690
Encumbered	28875	21	8875	0	0
Compactor/Dozer	FY90 41779	4:	1779	0	0
Asst/Agent/Oper	ator 11960		6396	5564	0
Landfill Assess	/ 30000	1	1762	18238	0
LEGAL					
Salaries	21743	2	1706	0	37
Expenses	46139	4	6139	0	0
Encumbered	2334		2334	0	0
LIBRARY					
Salaries	95298		95296	0	2
Expenses	25368		25368	0	0
MODERATOR					
Salaries	C	)	0	0	0
Expenses	149	)	149	0	0
Ladocation					

	AVAILABLE REVENUE	EXPENDED	ENCUMBERED	TO SURPLUS
NURSING				
Salaries	203310	196084	0	7226
Expenses	14000	12796	0	1204
Computer FY92	3000	2088	912	0
PARKING TICKETS				
Expenses	4250	1737	0	2513
PERSONNEL BOARD				
Expenses	400	381	0	19
PLANNING BOARD Salaries	0650	7040	704	
	8652	7949	701	2
Expenses Encumbered	2872 84	1873 84	701	298
In contret ed	04	84	0	0
PLUMBING INSPECT	OR			
Salaries	6273	4828	0	1445
Expenses	1570	708	0	862
POLICE				
Salaries	878633	876206	2224	149
Expenses	117795	117609	0	186
Radio Upgrade FY		45077	0	38
DDODETNIH THEFT				
PROPERTY INSURAN		150405		
Expenses Encumbered	180000	150425	29575	0
Elicumpered	5081	3581	0	1500
RECREATION				
Salaries	2400	2400	0	0
Expenses	270	183	6	81
RECYCLING				
Expense	4000	3110	0	890
Recycling Monito	or Art	1		1
Recycling/Compos	sting 5814	0	5814	0
Encumbered	7152	0	0	7152
REGIONAL SCHOOLS				
Diman	106037	106037	0	0
	100037	100037	0	0
RETIREMENT				
Expenses	483525	483097	0	428

A	VAILABLE REVENUE	EXPENDED	ENCUMBERED	TO SURPLUS
SCHOOL DEPARIMENT				
Gen. Ed Salaries	4486747	4365046	121702	0
Gen. Ed Expenses	1480567	1469796	10771	0
Gen. Ed Encumbered	74403	73842	0	561
Special Ed Salarie		928976	30146	0
Special Ed Expense	s 521513	515721	5792	0
Special Ed Enc.	9262	8930	0	332
Encumbered	185868	185868	0	0
SEALER OF W & M				
Salaries	1062	620	0 0	442
Expenses	363		0 0	363
	303		0	203
SELECIMEN				
Salaries	102948	102930	0 0	18
Expenses	7410		6 84	710
Encumbered	21		2 0	0
SHELLFISH				
Salaries	37326	3732	5 0	1
Expenses	7125		5 1807	1
Encumbered	8096		7 0	0
II Culiber a	8090		,	387
STATE RAMP				
Salaries	2400	2399	9 0	1
Expenses	1800	1478	В 0	322
STREET LIGHTING				
Expenses	19000	1646	61 0	2539
TOWN BEACH				
Salaries	15645	121	75 0	3470
Expenses	1410	13:		98
Encumbered	429		29 0	0
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TOWN CLERK				
Salaries	31099	3104	45 0	54
Expenses	1300	128	38 0	12
Encumbered	2		2 0	0
TOWN FARM				
Expenses	3000	200	20	
Linfed DCS	3000	300	00 0	0

A	VAILABLE REVENUE	EXPENDED	ENCUMBERED	TO SURPLUS
TOWN HALL				
Salaries	28912	28852	0	60
Expenses	28672	28598	0	74
Encumbered	4189	3822	0	367
Rep/buildings FY90	51788	44103	7685	0
Rep/buildings FY91		0	53107	0
Rep/buildings FY92	126114	9850	116264	0
TOWN REPORTS				
Expenses	5000	3980	0	1020
TREASURER				
Salaries	68414	68071	0	343
Expenses	36735	36390	195	150
Bank Services	3000	1785	0	1215
UNCLASSIFIED				
Expenses	25150	21966	0	3184
WATER ENTERPRISE				
Expenses	8504	11376	6 0	-4472
WIRE INSPECTORS				
Salaries	16025	15813		214
Expenses	2830	2351	1 0	479
WHARFINGER				
Salaries	2461	1460		1001
Expenses	7469	7469		0
Town Dock FY90	3351	3351		0
Town Dock FY91	10000	10000	0	0
VETERANS GRAVES				
Salaries	538	538		0
Expenses	1603	1593	3 0	10

	AVAILABLE REVENUE	EXPENDED	ENCUMBERED	TO SURPLUS
VETERAN SERVICES Salaries Expenses Vet. Benefits Out State Travel Encumbered	19740 5972 49875 160 5717	19740 45408 1 2483	0 0 4467 0	0 3 0 8 323
OTHER GOVERNMENT Print By-Laws FY84 Heating Assist. FY9 Dredge Channel FY79 Mosquito Control FY9 Hazardous Waste FY9 Senior Transport FY9 Hazardous Waste FY9 Building Comm. FY99 Country Cottage FY99	9 5000 293 1 92 14944 293 7500 93 12000 1 2792	3 0 0 0 13655 7500 0 0 34026	323 1000 5000 1 1289 0 12000 2792 23648	0 0 0 0 0 0 0
LONG TERM DEBT Expenses	425000	425000	0	0
LONG TERM INTEREST Expenses	133688	133643	0	45
SHORT TERM INTERES	30000	5190	0	24810
STATE ASSESSMENTS Expenses	51479	51479	0	0
COUNTY ASSESSMENTS Expenses	177682	177682	0	0

#### TOWN OF WESTPORT STATEMENT OF REVENUE BUDGET VS. ACTUAL FISCAL YEAR 1993

TAXES & LOCAL RECEIPTS	BUDGET	ACTUAL
Property Taxes	9,270,380	8,983,873
Tax Lien Redemptions	0	41,518
Motor Vehicle Excise	614,039	690,735
Boat Excise	24,700	21,936
Farm Excise	5,000	5,133
Forest Excise	300	190
Rentals	16,000	20,766
Public Hearings	2,500	810
Liquor Licenses	14,000	17,250
Misc Licenses	50	185
Entertainment Licenses	1,200	1,353
Auto Repair Licenses	5,000	6,525
Common Victualler	600	705
Auto Licenses	7,000	6,975
State & Sunday Licenses	1,250	1,135
Trailer PermitS	1,800	2,281
Yard Sales & Flea Markets	200	226
Misc Selectment	0	74
Misc Assessor Charges	0	10
Tax Title Release & Postage	300	166
Investment Earnings	111,300	69,857
Interest On Parking Fines	300	693
Misc Treasurer Charges	0	19
Interest On Taxes	46,000	41,140
Interest On Excise	3,500	3,789
Demands on Taxes	8,000	3,096
Demands on Excise	26,000	12,783
Interest on Liens	4,500	9,775
Lieu of Taxes	4,000	5,415
Municipal Liens	15,000	19,766
Release Fees	200	3,973
Marking Fees	100	1,290
Misc Tax Collector Charges	0	752
Misc Data Processing Charges	500	0
range based recommend damages	300	
Town Clerk Charges	1,000	1,431
Town Clerk Fees	10,000	8,435
Raffle, Junk Peddler, Hawkers	300	340
Misc Town Clerk Charges	500	73
Voting List	400	346
Conservation Filing Fees	2,500	3,545
Conservation Soil Permits	0	525
Planning Board Fees	3,000	5,416
Board of Appeals Fees	5,000	800
Workers Comp Reimbursement	0,000	
mothers comp herman seneric	U	1,540

#### STATEMENT OF REVENUE BUDGET VS. ACTUAL FISCAL YEAR 93

TAXES & LOCAL RECEIPTS	BUDGET	ACTUAL
Unclassified Charges	1,000	7,434
Workers Comp Reimbursement	0	1,540
Misc. Revenue	25,000	33,100
Police Charges for Service	500	0
Police Charges for Reports	3,000	1,569
Police Fire Arm Permits	2,200	3,952
Court Fines	15,000	27,290
Fines/Forfeits	127,000	88,047
Parking Fines	25,000	24,025
Fire Dept Charges for Service	3,000	2,415
Ambulance Charges	121,179	60,000
Building Inspections	38,000	31,806
Gas Inspections	6,000	5,442
Plumbing Inspections	10,000	10,797
Weights & Measures	1,500	218
Electrical Inspections	19,000	17,069
Dog Licenses	6,000	4,476
State Ramp Permits	8,500	9,754
HarborMaster Moorings	1,500	1,700
Dock & Slip Fees	25,000	24,926
Mooring Rentals	100	188
Wharfage Fees	12,200	12,601
Shellfish Licenses	15,000	16,389
Non Resident Tuition	400	0
Highway Misc Charges	2,500	7
Scrap Iron	500	1,156
Tires	500	1,317
Waste Oil	0	4
Paper	250	160
Glass	250	0
Plastics	500	0
Cemetery-Interment	21,000	25,820
Cemetery-Foundations	1,800	2,455
Cemetery-Sat/Sun Burial	1,200	2,300
Bd of Health Permits	45,000	43,034
Landfill/Day Passes	0	184
Landfill Stickers	0	11,801
Nursing Charges	6,000	12,442
Nursing Patient Fees	15,000	29,094
Nursing Medicare	75,000	200,440
Nursing Medicaid	50,000	17,058
Library Charges	4,000	3,753
Beach Stickers	19,000	18,724
Historical Commission	700	242

#### TOWN OF WESTPORT STATEMENT OF REVENUE BUDGET VS ACTUAL FISCAL YEAR '93

STATE AID	BUDGET	ACTUAL
Abatements to Veterans	6,620	5,083
Abatements to Surviving Spouse	0	525
Abatements to Blind	0	788
Abatements to Elderly	64,800	70,000
School Aid Chap 70	1,667,977	1,667,977
School Transp Prog	192,852	203,530
School Construction	156,640	156,640
Police Incentive	14,152	38,061
Veteran Benefits	33,000	44,616
Lottery	667,687	655,157
Highway Fund	175,627	188,157
State Owned Land	0	104,645
Civil Defense	0	790

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN BEACH

The Westport Town Beaches were patrolled by four full-time lifeguards and one part-time lifeguard. All lifeguards are certified in lifesaving, first aid and CPR. Our duties include patrolling Cherry & Webb Beach (seven days a week) and East Beach (on weekends). The Town Beach lifeguards are also responsible for cleaning the beaches and the beach parking lots.

Portable radios allowed us to communicate with the police and ambulance in case of emergency.

The Highway Department provided us with a vehicle to get to the beach or from the beach to the street quickly in case of emergency. The vehicle was also used to pick up beach trash. The garbage is put into a dumpster located at the Cherry & Webb parking lot.

Two port-o-johns are provided by the Beach Department. One is located at the Cherry & Webb parking lot and the other is located at the East Beach parking lot.

I would like to acknowledge and thank Nancy Brown and her mother Connie for cleaning East Beach and Carl Lawton for cleaning Cherry & Webb Beach daily.

> Respectfully submitted, Gustin Cariglia Head Lifeguard

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN FARM

1993 was a very good year for the Town Farm. With both apartments rented to excellent tenants and the land rented and maintained by a Westport farmer it has been our smoothest year to date. The property is bringing in over \$14,000 in rents annually, while both sets of tenants have made substantial improvements to the house and continue to maintain the property well.

1993 was especially good in that there were very few emergency repair expenses so we were able to tackle the more major repair of rebuilding the cellar stairs in the south apartment.

the Town Farm's entire budget is spent on services and repairs. it is a self-sufficient project that provides housing, open space with both agricultural and potential recreational use, and preserves a very unique 18th century farmstead.

Respectfully submitted,
Geraldine Millham



TOWN FARM VISITORS

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TREASURER

I hereby submit my annual report as Treasu	urer June 30	), 1993.
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Receipts July 1, 1992-June 30, 1993	\$ 5,639,928.01 17,651,738.49
Total	\$23,291,666.50
Expenditures-Warrant July 1, 1992-June 30, 1993 Balance June 30, 1993	19,228,881.79 \$4,062,784.71
Total Cash June 30, 1993	\$4,062,784.71
You are hereby advised the following interest the Town of Westport through the cash manager regular investments by the Town Treasurer of cash July 1992 through June 30, 1993.	ment system and
Interest earned on Certificates of Deposit-Stabilization Fund	\$ 5,327.76

Total Income earned July 1992 through 1993.....\$117,419.43

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Foster Treasurer

#### TOWN OF WESTPORT DEBTS ACCOUNT JUNE 30, 1993

Amount to be provided for the retirement of general long-term debt \$1,975,000

School Renovation \$1,975,000 \$1,975,000 \$1,975,000

## SCHEDULE OF DEBT & INTEREST OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 1993

Date of Issue	Purpose	Rate	Due Date	Interest	Principal
10/15/91	School Renov.	5.86%	11/15/93	\$57,706.25	\$225,000
			5/15/94 11/15/94	49,831.25 49,831.25	225,000
			5/15/95	43,981.25	
			11/15/95		225,000
			5/15/96	37,906.25	
			11/15/96	37,906.25	225,000
			5/15/97	31,662.50	
			11/15/97	31,662.50	225,000
			5/15/98	25,250.00	
			11/15/98	25,250.00	225,000
			5/15/99	18,725.00	
			11/15/99	18,725.00	225,000
			5/15/00	12,087.50	
			11/15/00	12,087.50	225,000
			5/15/01	5,337.50	
			11/15/01	5,337.50	175,000
	TOTAL			\$507,268.75	\$1,975,000

#### TOWN OF WESTPORT BALANCE SHEET TRUST & INVESTED ACCOUNTS JUNE 30, 1993

Cash & Securities in Custody of Treasurer \$1,923,866.98

## FUND BALANCES Nonexpendable:

expericable.	
Hicks Library Principal	\$ 500.00
Interest	20.30
Imogene Weeks Library Principal	1,000.00
Interest	123.48
Salisbury Scholarship Fund Principal	52,966.53
Interest	3,241.61
Ronald Desrosiers Memorial Principal	10,000.00
Interest	2,433.53
Hazel Tripp Public Library Principal	202,879.20
Interest	25,983.53

Harry Hoyt Interest High School Library Interest Edythe M. Pelletier Library Interest	10,000.00 997.00 5,000.00 1,151.72 2,500.00 218.40
Q	
Cemeteries:	
Point Cemetery Principal	8,232.00
Hicks Lot Principal	2,000.00
Private Cemetery Principal	6,907.00
Peleg Peckham Principal	6,430.00
Irene Poole Principal	2,190.00
Linden Grove Principal	16,715.00
Beech Grove Principal	168,242.00
Maple Grove Principal	70,527.66
Interest	152,149.16
Expendable:	
Ambulance	5,123.11
Helen Ellis Trust (Arts Lottery)	6,802.66
Bicentennial Playground	787.41
Conservation Trust	7,967.99
Conservation-Open Space	2,212.66
Engineering/Planning Board	2,489.45
Historical Commission	760.73
Law Enforcement	49,261.84
Pension Trust Fund	781,191.06
Public Landing	19,817.09
Rehabilitation Fund	723.02
Stabilization Fund	32,081.06
Town Farm	33,963.49
Veterans Memorial	871.13
Westport Citizen Betterment-Fuel Assistance	1,478.38
Westport Citizen Betterment	3,723.54
Hazel Tripp Senior Center	222,204.24
Totals\$1,171,458.86	\$1,171,458.86

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE VETERANS AGENT

I herewith submit my report for 1993 as Director/Agent of Veterans Services.

Cases on hand December 31, 1993	31
Cases on hand December 31, 1992	30
Cases opened during 1993, State & Federal	102
Cases not approved in 1993, State & Federal	26
Cases closed during 1993, State & Federal	26
Cases pending end of 1993, State & Federal	17
Veterans Hospitalized in 1993	108
Veterans/Dependents requiring services in 1993	2,647
Veterans Population in Westport in 1993	1,470

Again as always thank you to all individuals who have donated time, money, equipment, food and compassion to the less fortunate of our community. Without you those who were hospitalized, homebound and destitute both Veterans and non-veterans became a lot better off at least for a short period of time.

Respectfully submitted,

Ronald E. Costa, Veterans' Agent Director of Veterans' Services

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE VETERANS GRAVE REGISTRATION OFFICER

I herewith submit my report for 1993 as Veterans' Graves Registration Officer.

In Outlying Private Cemeteries \$ Large Flags, U. S. & POW/MIA Graves Flags Grave Flag Holders Transportation, Graves Officer	380.00 220.35 95.45 508.01 180.40
Flowers, Veterans Day	25.00
Supplies, Office/Groundskeeping	25.00
Upkeep, Latessa Square & Bugler Services	325.00
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\$1,979.26

On behalf of the Veterans' Graves and Memorial Department, I would like to thank our four Veterans' organizations—the V.F.W., V.V.A., D.A.V., and the American Legion and Auxiliaries. Without their support, many of my services would not be possible.

Respectfully submitted,

Ronald E. Costa

Veterans' Graves Registration
and Memorial Officer

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS

I herewith submit my report as Service Officer for the Veterans' Organization located in the Town of Westport.

Through the combined efforts of the A.L. Post 145, D.A.V. Chapter 118, and the V.V.A Chapter 207 and their Auxiliaries the following improvements were made.

A new steel door was installed replacing the old wooden fire door in the hall. Renovations to the rest rooms have begun and will be completed in time for the American Legion Post #145 James Morris 75th Anniversary. We hope to see you all at our Celebration.

Officers and members of the W. A & R. Ouellette Post 8502 Veterans of Foreign Wars are proud that renovations to the building inside and out continue. We continue to play an important part in community activities and affairs. Our children's activities continue with great success. Our halloween, Easter and Christmas parties sent the children of our community home happy with gifts, candy and prizes from games played. Even the adults enjoyed themselves. A salute to Gilbert Picard and his committee for their effort to make these events a success.

We thank the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the Town of Westport for the opportunity to deliver this report.

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Respectfully submitted,

Leo St. Onge, Commander American Legion Post 145

Arthur Proulx, President Vietnam Veterans, Chapter 207

Gladys Huyler, Commander Disabled American Veterans, Chapter 118

Paul Boudria, Commander Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 8502

Ronald E. Costa, Service Officer Massachusetts Veterans' Services

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WHARFINGER

The bridge span from the main dock to the west dock was repaired this year. Work on the west side will begin this winter and should make that portion of the dock safer for everyone. Dock revenue for this year totaled \$12,601.00.

I wish to thank the Police Department for the extra patrols that occurred at the dock this year and I also have a special thanks to the Highway Department for their help with related services to the dock.



"RIVER DAY"
CREE INDIANS FROM QUEBEC CANOEING THE EAST BRANCH

# WESTPORT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

ANNUAL REPORT

Dear Members of the Westport Community:

The school department remains committed to improving schools even within the budgetary constraints we have experienced in the past three years. The School Committee and I have taken a proactive position in view of declining resources and have seen successful in implementing new programs and initiatives by cost reductions in programs that are less effective or not cost-efficient. We have acted very responsibly in terms of working with the community leadership to provide education services within the constraints of Proposition 21/2.

In 1993 the Education Reform Act was passed and we clearly have a piece of legislation that will do much to improve our schools in terms of finances, accountability, and student achievement. We eagerly await the Department of Education's Common Core of Learning so that we can begin to retool our curriculum for the 21st century.

Our Strategic Plan in fact anticipated much of the Education Reform initiatives. In 1993 we undertook a substantial teacher retraining project, made substantial inroads in office and education technology, and developed a Communication Studies program at the High School.

We are proud and pleased to submit the annual report on school programs and activities to the residents of the Town of Westport. On behalf of the entire student body I ask you for your continued support for our plans to increase student achievement for every student in every Westport School. We cannot achieve that outcome working alone, isolated from the community. But together, we can build a 21st century school system that we all can be proud of.

Sincerely, Margot desJardins Superintendent of Schools

### SCHOOL DIRECTORY THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Members	Residence Term	Expires
Catherine Madsen	55 Cornell Road, Westport	1994
Robert Wicks	1785 Main Road, Westport	1995
Joan Tripp	18 Windrush Lane, Westport	1995
Christopher Cooney	27 Monique Drive, Westport	1994
June LeMere-LaBonte	83 Beechwood Ave., Westport	1996

ORGANIZATION OF COMMITTEE Catherine Madsen, Chairman Robert Wicks, Vice-Chairman

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Margot desJardins

B.A./M.Ed./C.A.G.S.

Rivier College

Boston State College

Bridgewater State College

Administration Office: 17 Main Road - 636-1137

BUSINESS MANAGER
Edward J. Ritter
B.S. Finance
Southeastern Massachusetts University

DIRECTOR OF PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES
Dr. Virginia A. King
A.B./M.Ed./C.A.G.S./D.Ed.
Catholic University
Boston State College
Bridgewater State College
University of Massachusetts

HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL Mr. Charles E. Menard, B.A./M.Ed.

MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL Mr. John Mello, B.A. - History/M.Ed., C.A.G.S.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL Mr. John DeFusco, Jr. - B.S./M.Ed.

ALICE A. MACOMBER PRIMARY SCHOOL Marylou Clarke, B.S./M.Ed., C.A.G.S.

EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY & MEDIA SERVICES DIRECTOR Laurie Dias-Mitchell, B.A., M.A., M.L.I.S.

COMMUNITY RESOURCE COORDINATOR
Lana M. Paolillo
B.S./ M.Ed./Ph.D
Southern Connecticut University
University of Hartford
Syracuse University

STUDENT SERVICES COORDINATOR
Paula Gendreau
Associates Degree, B.C.C.

BUSINESS & TECHNOLOGY SERVICES COORDINATOR
Christopher Rauner
B.S. UMass Dartmouth

#### ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

Lucille Bouchard	Appointed April 28, 1971
Luella Kirby	Appointed October 30, 1977
Anne Dyson	Appointed September 22, 1980
Beverly Medeiros	Appointed October 7, 1985
Carol Borden	Resigned April 23, 1993

SECRETARY TO SUPERINTENDENT
Doris A. Michaud Appointed July 21, 1986

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN
Westport Family Medicine Center
Dr. Dennis R. Callen Appointed August 1987

#### SCHOOL NURSES

Kathleen Mendes, R.N. Dolores M. Simmons, R.N.	High Middle		October 13, 1993 March 17, 1975
DOTOLES M. STUMOUS, K.M.	TILLIAMITO		
Cynthia Azevedo, R.N.	Elem.		October 13, 1993
Maureen Conboy, R.N.	Macomber	Appointed	Sept. 25, 1989

#### SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Regular meetings are usually held on the second and fourth Tuesdays of every month and are open to the public. Each agenda opens with a "Comments and Statements from the Public" opportunity for parents and interested parties to express their concerns or to have questions answered.

#### ADMINISTRATION OFFICES

The Administration Offices are open from 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. daily throughout the school year.

It is the policy of the School Department to issue no school bulletins or announcements through radio stations: WSAR, WBSM, WALE, WPRO, WHJJ, WHIM, WHDH, WCLB, WJFD-FM, WLKW/Pro FM, and TV stations Channel 10 and Channel 12, whenever driving conditions are, or seem likely to be dangerous. On doubtful mornings, the family radio should be turned to one of the above stations for the no school announcements. Please depend upon your radio rather than your telephone for obtaining this information, as telephone lines have to be kept open. School may be cancelled during school hours due to inclement weather or emergencies. Parents should make provisions accordingly.

#### ADMISSION TO THE SCHOOLS

Initial admission of kindergarten and grade one children is based solely on chronological age. Children who will become five years of age before October 1 are eligible for kindergarten in September of that school year. Children who will become six years of age before January 1 are eligible for grade one in September of that school year.

A vacccination certificate for immunization against diptheria, tetanus, pertussis, measles and polio must be presented to the school when the student enters for the first time, unless the child is exempted for medical or religious reasons.

A birth certificate must be presented by those pupils whose births were recorded outside of Westport.

#### SCHOOL PERSONNEL

SCHOOL PERSONNE	
Food Service Support Staff	Į
Joyce Araujo	(
Janice Benoit	2
Elizabeth, Manager, Macomber	-
Ora Caya	N
Claire Gagne, Manager, WES	1
Beverly Graves	I
Nancy Raposa	I
Rose Sutcliffe, Manager, High School	I
Jeanne Thiboutot	20
Joan Gagne	M
Veronica Kirby	i
Rose Rebello	1
Nancy Medeiros, Manager, Middle School	(
Janice Carvalho	M
Lucia Ferreira	N
Diane Pacheco	I
Priscilla Materia	(

Appointed October 1991 September 1975 June 1984 March 1983 November 1977 December 1983 February 1973 February 1984 September 1975 March 1983 June 1985 November 1985 October 1986 March 1985 May 1988 August 1988 October 1989

Custodial Support Staff Macomber School Richard Hamel, Head August 1974 Robert Moreira September 1992 Elementary School Robert Kirby, Head July 1982 Robert Samson July 1983 Normand Thibodeau September 1982 Middle School July 1972 Dennis Auclair July 1982 Richard Bates High School Richard Landry, Head May 1985 Russell Robertson July 1988 John Walsh October 1990 William Long July 1993 Clerical Support Staff Lydia Santos High School September 1970 Christine Cabral High School
Natalia Silva High School
Lorraine Brown Middle School
Margaret Amaral Middle School Ret. June 1993 May 1984 October 1977 September 1975 Delores Robertson Middle School June 1972 Madeleine E. Leite Westport Elementary April 1974
Mary Trepanier Westport Elementary July 1976 Joan Fuller Macomber September 1981 Paraprofessionals Media Leona Andrade Elementary School April 1977 Judith Medeiros Middle School January 1986 Special Needs Linnea J. Assad High School November 1984 High School Diane K. Silvia September 1987 Middle School Elaine Marshall May 1986 Patricia Morse Middle School October 1988 Sharon Wypych Middle School February 1991 Claudette Alberto Elementary School August 1988 Jeanne Gizzi Elementary School September 1987
Irja K. Meerbach Elementary School April 1986
Louann Pauls lementary School September 1988
Agatha Beaulieu Elementary School September 1974 PreSchool(WES/MAC) Debra Proulx November 1991

Boys Locker Rm Supr October 1992

Regular Ed Paul Menzies

# FINANCIAL REPORT SCHOOL LUNCH REVOLVING ACCOUNT FISCAL YEAR 92-93

BALANCE July 1, 1992	68,537
Local Appropriation  1. State Aid  2. Federal Aid  Sales Other Receipts	N/A 10,512 74,661 229,550 7,226
TOTAL BALANCE & RECEIPTS	390,486
EXPENDITURES:	
Salaries Supplies & Materials Other Expenses Acquisition of Equipment	188,102 123,412 6,473 1,249
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	319,236
BALANCE June 30, 1993	71,250

#### FOOD SERVICE REPORT FISCAL YEAR 92/93

The food service program had a successful year in terms of both financial and operational effectiveness.

Student participation of hot lunches averaged approximately 60% at the elementary level and 50% at the upper levels due to A La Carte choices. The cost of a full lunch including milk remained at \$1.25 and .40 for a reduced price lunch.

In April we were randomly selected for a Federal Administrative Review. This process audits required records, menus, cost control, dietary guidelines and procurement practices as well as other managerial and operational aspects of the program. An exit interview was conducted with the auditor and the overall rating for our program was "good".

During the school year cafeteria personnel received in-service training on sanitation, personal hygiene, and prevention of food born illness. The success of the program is a result of the cooperation and dedication of the entire food service staff.

Goals for next year include efforts to increase participation at all levels, to maintain current pricing, and to continue to offer students a wholesome, nutritious and healthy meal.

## WESTPORT COMMUNITY SCHOOLS FY 92-93 OPERATING STATEMENT

#### REVENUE SUMMARY: (as budgeted)

#### SOURCES OF REVENUES AMOUNT

SOURCES OF REVENUES AMOUNT	
REVENUES FROM STATE & LOCAL SOURCE	
Local appropriation / source	\$ 7,472,922
State Aid	
Chapter 70	1,667,977
School Construction	156,640
School Transportation	192,852
TOTAL REVENUES FROM STATE & LOCAL	\$ 9,490,391
CDANIE	
GRANTS State Grants (for education)	
	\$ 42,811
Equal Educational Opportunity	186,300
Per Pupil	
Other State Grants	25,883
Federal Grants (for education)	110 227
Chapter 1 Disadvantaged	118,227
Title 6 Handicapped	128,150
Pre School Incentive	13,650
Other Federal Grants	17,569
TOTAL REVENUES FROM GRANTS	\$ 532,590
REVENUE FROM REVOLVING & SPECIAL FUNDS	
REVOLVING FUNDS	¢ 220 E02
School Lunch Receipts	\$ 229,503
Athletic Receipts	11,831
Insurance Settlement	7,045
TOTAL REVENUES FROM REVOLVING FUNDS	\$ 248,379
REVENUE FROM LUNCH REIMBURSEMENTS	
State Lunch Reimbursements	\$ 10,512
Federal Lunch Reimbursements	74,661
TOTAL REVENUES FROM LUNCH REIMBURSEMENTS	\$ 85,173

OTHER SOURCES (NON CASH)

#### SOURCE APPROXIMATE VALUE

#### GIFTS & NON CASH GRANTS & VOLUNTARY SERVICES

1.	PROJECT I	ENTERPRIS	E (POLAROI	D CORP)		\$70,000
2.	DR. MILTO	ON YOUNG	STRATEGIC	PLANNING	CONSULTANT	UNKOWN

3. DR. BETSY ACHESON TEACHER TRAINING UNKOWN
4. MAURICE TRUDELL COMPUTER CONSULTANT UNKOWN

## FY 92-93 OPERATING EXPENSES EXPENSE SUMMARY: (as expended - including encumbrances)

ВУ	ACCOUNT BY SCHOOL	OL COMMITTEE	BY TOWN	BY GRANT
	(FEDERAL & STATE)			
1.	ADMINISTRATION	299,649	145,598	2,500
2.	INSTRUCTION	5,206,107		502,503
3.	HEALTH	114,796		14,600
4.	TRANSPORTATION	551,531		
5.	STUDENT ACTIVITIE	ES 79,295		
6.	BUILDINGS	848,413	12,998	
7.	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	5	1,001,120	
8.	INSURANCE		125,000	
9.	DEBT SERVICE		558,643	
10.	EQUIPMENT	41,195		12,487
11.	TUITION	306,964	106,037	
TOT	AL EXPENSE	7,447,950	1,949,387	532,090

(Please see food serice report for fy93 fiscal backup data) BALANCE SUMMARY: (JUNE 30, 1993)

#### ACCOUNT BALANCE

#### BALANCE STATE & LOCAL

1.	TOTAL REVENUES FROM STATE & LOCAL (as budgeted)	9,490,391
2.	LESS EXPENDED BY SCHOOL COMMITTEE & TOWN	(9,229,225)
3.	LESS ENCUMBERED	( 168,112)
4.	BALANCE JUNE 30, 1993	93,054
5.	RETURNED TO GENERAL FUND	93,054

#### BALANCE GRANTS

1.	TOTAL GRANT REVENUES FEDERAL & STATE	532,590
2.	LESS EXPENDED	532,590
3.	BALANCE JUNE 30, 1993	0

## Community Schools Business Operations Overview FY93

Transportation

Through the use of an outside transportation consultant the School's Business Office was able to reduce the total number of

General Education bus routes by five routes down to sixteen routes this past year. The reorganization of the School's transportation service delivery represents a significant saving over the life of the present three year contractual agreement.

General Education Transportation Contract awarded to the

General Education Transportation Contract awarded to the following Contractors:

Karen Carreiro d/b/a K & J Bus Co. Albert J. Enos

Rudolph Carreiro d/b/a Jak Transportation Co.
Edward Pires
Frank Pires

Laidlaw Transportation

Special Education Transportation Contractor: Emerald Limousine, Inc.

#### Facilities

The Facilities Department continued this year in its effort to help provide a quality learning environment for the students and staff of our schools. A major emphasis was placed on establishing a high standard for the daily cleaning of the building and the physical condition of all classrooms. Savings realized through reorganization and operating efficiencies in other areas of school operations allowed the Facilities department to make the critically needed capital investment of the replacement of the High School's emergency generator (approximately \$60,00. total coats) with current year funds.

#### Business Office

During this past year the Business Office moved further along the path to the goal of becoming a contemporary automated work place. The use of personal computers to improve the quality and output of the office's everyday work load has grown from the occasional use of one computer shared by the entire office staff two years ago to the establishment of a work at nearly every office's worker's desk, which can be found today in regular and continuous use. The training of the office staff in various business software applications was a move to not only invest in updating our equipment but staff skills as well.

The automation process and upgrade has allowed the schools to provide to the Finance Committee and the town's people an unparalleled level of information, data and analysis of the

schools operations.

We are presently planning on a year of continuous progress in building all our automated office systems with our sights particularly set on upgrading the payroll system to a more interactive computerized format.

### Westport Community Schools Bond Repair Projects

Over the past three years a significant amount of repair and upgrade work has been completed in our Schools as a result of the 2.2 million dollar Special Bond financed construction initiative. The 2.2 million dollar investment was half of the original amount recommended by consultants. Included in the Bond was the repair and reconstruction of the fire damaged areas of the High School, for which the Town received a insurance reimbursement. All funds invested have had an extremely positive overall impact in addressing some of the major operating concerns in our Schools.

The Bond process was a very demanding and challenging undertaking that required a large outlay of time and effort by all participants to meet the stated agenda within budget and time restraints. The successful completion of the Bond Agenda came about through the cooperation and team work of many town employees. Special thanks are needed for the above and beyond effort of George Simmons retired Head of School Maintenance, Carlton Lees past Town Counsel and the volunteers on the Town's Building and School Committee. Without their effort none of these accomplishments would have been possible.

The following is list and description of the completed work:

PROJECT

Repair and replacement of the High School roof 127,374.

Repair and replacement of the Middle School roof 199,960.

Repair and replacement of the Macomber School roof and chimney 59,000.

Repair and replacement of the High School windows 169,138. New construction of the High School interior walkway and installation of new exterior doors 165,685.

High School fire renovations 355,735.

Middle School masonary repair and Macomber School walkway 71,131.

Middle School partial repair of exterior windows. 43,900.
Middle School heating controls, gas conversion, chimney repair
98,713.

Macomber electrical repair 11,261.

Macomber handicap bathroom upgrade 12,860.

Middle and High School (three tanks) oil tank removal 17,652.

High School boiler replacement and total systems upgrade 555,891.

High School asbestos removal and encapsulation 44,705. Architectual and engineering design,

administration and consulting costs all projects 155,491. Clerk of the works, all projects 64,465.

Bidding Costs 19,275. Bond costs 27,764.

Total all Costs \$2,200,000.

It is important to note that while the 2.2 million dollar Bond intitiative has protected the Town's basic investment in its school buildings, additional work is presently needed to complete the upgrade and move our facilites into the 21st century.

### ENROLLMENT AS OF OCTOBER 1, 1993

Alice A. Macomber Primary School

Grade	Early Education Development Program Pre School Kindergarten 1	42 119 129 298
	Westport Elementary School	
Grade	2 3 4 5	146 156 133 <u>158</u> 593
	Westport Middle School	
Grade	6 7 8 Pre Vocational	$     \begin{array}{r}       145 \\       173 \\       146 \\       \underline{4} \\       468     \end{array} $
	Westport High School	
Grade	9 10 11 12	110 125 114 103 452
Total E	nrollment	

## PUPIL PERSONNEL SERVICES Annual Report

Between 7/1/92 and 7/1/93, many organizational improvements were made in order to coordinate all of the Pupil Personnel Services and allow them to function more efficiently. Under the supervision of Dr. Virginia A. King, Director of Pupil Personnel Services, the following services were provided by the Westport

Community Schools including: Guidance and Counseling Services, Health and Medical Services, Health Education, Summer Programs, and Special Education.

These services were provided to support and enhance the quality of the educational experience for Westport students and to prevent problems which might affect student health, safety, and school success.

#### Guidance and Counseling Services

Guidance services forWestportstudentswereprovided by four guidance counselors, with two counselors assigned to the high school level and two counselors also at the middle school level. In addition, an adjustment counselor was assigned to meet the needs of students at the elementary level. Two school psychologists also provided individual testing and specialized counseling services for the special education student population.

Counselors at all levels effectively organized the smooth, efficient building level administration of the Iowa Tests of Basic Skills in grades 3-10. This year heralded a significant change in the standardized testing program, with Fall administration of the Iowa Tests. This change from Spring to Fall testing was made to provide teachers with more up-to-date information about their individual student's skills and abilities as early as possible in the school year. In each of the schools, counselors assumed responsibility for scheduling the testing sessions, the coordination of materials before and after testing sessions, and the dissemination of results to students and parents. For additional information about the Iowa Test results, please refer to the scores reported in the individual school reports for Westport Elementary School, Westport Middle School, and Westport High School.

When test scores were received, counselors provided information about them to parents and faculty members. They also provided data on students who had done poorly on these tests and arranged for retesting and remedial services wherever possible.

In order to align all types of student assessment, which may include classroom and standardized testing, report cards, writing samples, portfolios, and performance testing with the goals of the Strategic Plan, "Building a Learning Community," an assessment committee has been established. This group will work during the next year to improve the quality and diversity of all assessment tools used in the Westport Community Schools.

Counselors and school psychologists have effectively utilized teamwork whenever possible to improve the coordination and delivery of counseling services to all students throughout the

school system. In addition to their role of monitoring academic progress for all students by providing academic and careerrelated counseling, the guidance counselors forge many connections for students and their families with other schools and helping agencies. The use of the team approach in dealing with crisis intervention and making referrals to various outside agencies has been refined and expanded to include members of other helping professions wherever appropriate. With the currently poor economic climate and the high levels of unemployment in the region, the number of crisis intervention referrals rose dramatically, with a record number of complaints in the area of child abuse and neglect. The close contact maintained by the counselors with the Department of Social Services, Corrigan Mental Health Services, and other referral agencies has assisted many troubled families to access needed services.

#### Health and Medical Services

The Westport Community Schools employed full-time Registered Nurses at each of the four schools and a part-time School Physician, Dennis Callen, M.D. of Westport Family Medicine to provide for the medical needs of students and staff members during school hours. Having full-time nurses at each of the schools provided for exceptionally personalized care and attention to any health problems experienced by individual students. Additionally, the nurses worked constantly with educators providing advice about positive health practices leading to disease prevention and promoting good health and wellness for all members of the school community.

With the personal medical attention and special procedures required by the increasing numbers of physically challenged and medically fragile children now attending the Westport public schools instead of separate institutional programs, maintenance of comprehensive nursing services remained a very high priority.

Regularly scheduled staff meetings with the school nurses continued to be very productive during the 1992-93 school year, resulting in the complete revision and School Committee approval of the Medical Policy Handbook. The development of new systemwide forms for Emergency Information and Accident Reports also improved the efficiency of record-keeping in those areas. The promulgation of new state regulations for the dispensation of medications required very few changes in Westport because the policies and procedures employed here had already been updated.

Nursing Staff meetings helped to identify problem areas as well as improving communication and sharing ideas. These meetings

will continue and be expanded to include the building principals and members of the Town Nursing Staff, whenever possible. Among the notable outcomes was the training provided to every school staff member in the proper "Universal Precautions" to be employed when someone is injured or ill. All staff members were also provided with latex gloves to be utilized when dealing with body fluids. Concern about disease prevention as well as the development of good student hygiene habits led the nurses to implement the placement of antibacterial soap dispensers in all lavatories and classrooms at the elementary level. The importance of proper handwashing was emphasized to all elementary students by teachers, as well as the nurses, and improvement in student health habits were observable. A pamphlet describing health services in the schools was also revised, reprinted, and sent to parents with the nurses' annual mailing.

In addition to their work providing excellent health services during the school day for Westport students, all four of the school nurses voluntarily participated in evening meetings of the Westport Health and Human Services Advisory Council and actively assisted in the development of the policy for dealing with AIDS in the community. Outreach activities also included participation in meetings with the Fall River Department of Public Health aimed at sharing information about possible regional funding for health clinics and participation in the planning process for the Charlton Memorial Hospital "Health Van" which will be visiting Westport on a regular basis in the coming year.

#### Health Education

Westport's commitment to the concept of a K-12 comprehensive health education program was emphasized in September, 1992, with the appointment a full-time health educator at Westport High School. In addition to regular classroom instruction in a variety of health areas, the high school health educator was also instrumental in presenting a number of very successful special health-related programs and activities for the high school population. These included the adoption of "flour sack babies" by upper-class students to learn about parenting and a number of smoking cessation activities.

Mrs. Constance Strauss, Middle School Health Educator, also served the community as K-12, system-wide Health Education Coordinator. She continued to demonstrate strong leadership skills in supporting the introduction of the Quest Programs at the Macomber and Westport Elementary Schools. As an additional component of the health education program, all teachers and administrators at the Macomber Primary School and the Westport Elementary School were trained in August, 1992 in the QUEST Self-Esteem Program. Continued participation in this nationally

recognized program was made possible through the generosity of the Westport Lions Club which furnished funding for classroom materials for all students in grades K-8.

During FY93 Mrs. Strauss wrote and managed the Drug Free Schools Grant and was also instrumental in obtaining Commonwealth Inservice Institute grant funds for an exceptionally popular Self-Esteem course and for the Quest training to be offered to the Middle School Faculty. Additional substance abuse prevention programs continued to be coordinated with Westport Police Department staff under the auspices of the DARE program.

As a representative on the town-wide AIDS Action Committee, Mrs. Strauss worked closely with Health Agent John Ciccotelli in the development of the Condom Availability Policy approved by both the School Committee and the Board of Health. This policy has since become a model for other area communities.

#### Summer Programs

Under the able direction of the Summer School Director, Mr. Gerald Poisson, the Westport Community Schools 1992 Summer School Program provided classes at the Middle School in a variety of course offerings for approximately seventy students. Mr. Poisson also supervised a Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) Program at Westport High School, which was funded by a grant received through the Bristol County Training Consortium. Under this program, eleven Westport residents between the ages of 14 and 18, who met income guidelines, were employed for 8 weeks(June 29-August 21, 1992) in a variety of town departments and also participated in a school program focused on academic remediation and job skills in data processing. As a follow-up to these successful summer programs, Mr. Poisson provided an excellent report to the School Committee, making suggestions for improvements for the 1993 Summer Program.

Due to changes in the Chapter 766 Regulations for Special Education, extended summer services were also mandated during FY93 for special education students who might regress during a long vacation. As a result, the Early Elementary Developmental Class taught at the Macomber Primary School had a four-week summer session, during which speech therapy, occupational therapy, and physical therapy were provided in addition to classroom instruction. Older special education students also received therapy services, tutorial services, and attended academic programs offered at Camp Latham through the South Coast Educational Collaborative.

#### Special Education

During FY93, the total number of special education students averaged approximately 372, which was slightly more than the previous year's average of 365. Many more of these students, however, spent considerable time integrated into regular education classes. Out of district placements of Westport students in collaborative and private school programs were reduced to 18 as of June 30, 1993.

During the past school year, a significant number of students formerly in outside placements, were successfully integrated back into the Westport Schools (Two at Westport High, three at Westport Middle, one at Westport Elementary, and two at the Macomber). The hard work and dedication of Westport's professional staff members was the crucial ingredient in making the transition process successful for every one of these students. The considerable tuition and transportation savings achieved would not have happened without their phenomenal team effort. Additional outside placements, however, continue to become necessary. These placements, which place great financial strain on the school budget, are often forced through the intervention of the juvenile court and social service agencies. Although the Education Reform Bill signed into law in June, 1993 included language requiring state funded tuition resources for outside placements of foster children living in Westport, funding was not appropriated for that purpose.

Special Education programs continued to be upgraded and improved during FY93. In line with both national and state-wide efforts to promote the integration and inclusion of special education students in regular classroom programs, a number of new programs and procedures were put into place. The table of FY93 SPED Statistics provided at the end of this report reflects some of the efforts currently underway to utilize prereferral interventions to develop modifications that assist students to remain in regular education classes. The statistics also show significant numbers of students exiting special education or moving to lower prototypes, which require fewer hours of special education services.

At the Macomber Primary School, special education teaching staff included a Resource Room Teacher, an Early Elementary Developmental Teacher with two paraprofessionals, an Integrated Preschool Teacher and paraprofessional(P.M. only), and a part-time Counselor.

During the past year, an integrated first grade classroom was created to help eight students with significant special needs in the area of language development. This highly successful inclusion model was designed to provide special education

services to the identified children while keeping them in an integrated regular classroom setting. Setting up the class in this manner not only included the special education students in a regular classroom environment with normal role models for learning behavior, but also individualized and enriched the learning environment for the regular education students as they received more staff assistance. This class also included ten regular students who were chosen as models. The class was cotaught by a first grade teacher and a speech pathologist for most of the morning, with the Chapter 1 teacher and a special education resource teacher assisting in the classroom at other times of the day.

In addition, service providers for occupational therapy, speech therapy, physical therapy, and adaptive physical education offered their services throughout the school in integrated classroom settings and provided consultation to regular education teachers. This integrated model for including special education services traditionally done on a "pull out" basis within classroom settings was met with much enthusiasm by both staff and students. It has reduced the learning fragmentation that resulted from students constantly leaving the classroom for special services and allowed regular education students to participate in and benefit from additional individualized activities.

The integrated preschool program successfully provided an outstanding early school experience for thirty students. Participation of preschool staff in the area Early Childhood Network, and in the NAECP (National Academy of Early Childhood Programs) Accreditation Process helped to keep the program up to date with current trends in early childhood education. With a long waiting list of students for the preschool, the September, 1993 expansion of the Integrated preschool program to accommodate a larger enrollment of sixty students was approved by the School Committee in the Spring of 1993.

In September, 1992, the Headstart Program located at the Macomber was expanded to include a full day classroom program with a capacity of 18 students, in addition to the Home-Based Program offered the prior year.

Members of the Early Elementary Developmental Class taught by Mrs. Teotonio added a swimming program at the Fall River YMCA to their learning activities.

At the Westport Elementary School, special education services were provided by five special education classroom teachers and five paraprofessionals.

A Teacher Assistance Team has been established to implement a pilot pre-referral process designed to provide help for students within regular education programs. The team met twelve times between November and February, assisting with six cases. Ultimately, only three of the cases resulted in referrals for special education services. The team also held a workshop on behavior management techniques for teachers of special subjects (Art, Music, Physical Education, Science, Computers) in an effort to support the integration of special needs students.

In order to increase the number of special education students learning in integrated classroom settings, regular education and special education teachers worked together, co-teaching in specific subject areas for part of each school day at every grade level. Particularly effective was a collaborative effort at the second grade level where the "Math Their Way" curriculum was introduced to a very large group of both regular and special education students by two teachers. Plans for the 1993-94 school year will involve the inclusion of every child in grades 2-5 in an integrated classroom setting for the major portion of the school day. Teams for each grade level, including both regular and special education teachers, as well as paraprofessionals and other service providers, have been established to implement these changes.

At the Westport Middle School, special education staff members included six special education teachers, three paraprofessionals, and a pupil personnel clerk.

Each of the six special education teachers selected a regular education teacher and planned and implemented an integrated instructional program for at least one period each school day. Even the most disabled students, who previously spent the almost the entire school day in the substantially separate Prevocational program, were able to be included, along with their teacher in a regular sixth grade reading and language arts program for up to two periods each day. During the 1993-94 school year the efforts begun during the past year will be expanded to at least two periods per day for each of the special education teachers and their regular education colleagues.

The High School special education staff included four special education teachers, three paraprofessionals, and a pupil personnel clerk.

At the High School, special education students are succeeding in many more regular classroom settings, due to the expanded efforts of regular education teachers, special education teachers, and paraprofessionals in providing modifications and assistance. Computerized instruction in the writing process was also begun in September, 1992. Due to increased enrollment of special

education students at the high school, Mrs. Joan Blake was appointed as a special education teacher in September, 1992. During the 1993-94 school year, each of the special education teachers will be co-teaching at least one regular education class daily. The English, Social Studies, Mathematics, and Science departments will all be participating in this pilot integration program.

A part-time Language Intervention Tutor/Consultant, was added to the system-wide staff to provide mandated services to identified students with significant handicaps in the language area. A part-time Licensed Occupational Therapist was also appointed in late 1992, after a very lengthy search. In the Winter of 1993, a new contractual arrangement was made with SCEC (South Coast Educational Collaborative) for the provision of Physical Therapy Services by licensed Physical Therapists and Adaptive Physical Education Services by a certified APE Teacher.

#### **Grant Activities**

During the past year, considerable time and effort was expended by the Pupil Personnel Services Office in seeking grant funds amounting to over \$200,000 and managing grant programs, once funding was received. Salaries for both school psychologists and the elementary adjustment counselor were provided through the use of special education grant funds. A listing of funded grant proposals is included at the end of this report.

Efforts to obtain additional grant funds also included offering a well-attended workshop to interested staff and community members on the preparation of grant proposals. As a result of this opportunity and assistance provided by the PPS Office, a number of teachers and administrators were successful in obtaining grant funds for important projects.

Mrs. Lucille Bouchard, the PPS Clerk in the administrative office, organized separate files for each grant and willingly extended her responsibilities to include keeping track of bills, reports, and inquiries related to each of these programs. Without her able assistance, it would not have been possible to access these additional funds.

#### Staff Development

During FY93, Westport teachers participated in a variety of training opportunities. Many workshops were offered, with clerical staff, paraprofessionals, and administrators included along with teachers. Computer courses were offered at the elementary, middle, and high school levels with each emphasizing the importance of using the Apple computers purchased for each

SPED classroom as a learning bridge between regular and special education classes. Grant funding obtained through the Massachusetts Commonwealth Inservice Institute and a variety of other sources was also utilized to present courses related to Cooperative Learning Strategies, Self-Esteem, the Writing Process, Math Their Way, Reality Therapy, and on Developmentally Appropriate Practices. Attendance levels in all of these workshops were very high, and participants have requested additional offerings in areas related to the process of integration. Inclusion of paraprofessionals, clerical staff, bus drivers, parents, and interested community members has also been considered in the planning process for all upcoming staff development programs.

In addition to the many on-site workshops and courses offered, staff members were encouraged to utilize available grant funds to attend professional meetings and conferences in their subject and skill areas, as well as in the general areas of Integrating Regular and SPED Programs and Educational Restructuring. Most staff members who were able, for the first time in a number of years, to attend programs outside the school system found the opportunity very stimulating and said it helped to renew their enthusiasm for teaching and learning.

#### Other Activities

The Westport Parent Advisory Council (PAC) for Special Education continued to conduct regular monthly meetings and to be among the most active in the state. In addition to its meetings, mailings, and other support activities, the PAC also assembled a library of pamphlets, books, and audio/video tapes designed to help the parents of children with special needs. This collection is available to community members at the Westport Public Library.

During FY93, a task force chaired by the PPS Director began the lengthy process of making major revisions of the discipline code and handbook for the school system. A town-wide Accessibility Committee was also established to investigate Westport's compliance with the newly enacted Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA) in terms of handicapped accessibility. An Attendance Committee chaired by the PPS Director updated attendance policies and prepared a brochure explaining them. Grant funds were also obtained to support the work of a local Transitions Committee to assist special education students in making the successful transitions to further education, work, or independent living situations. The work of all of these groups will be continued during FY94.

In addition to the areas mentioned in this report, the PPS Director and staff members have also taken an active role in a number of exciting system-wide school improvement projects,

including the Strategic Planning Initiative and training in Outcome-based Education. With such a highly motivated and dedicated professional staff, the Westport Community Schools will continue to maintain high expectations for the success of all students.

Submitted by:
Dr. Virginia A. King,
Director of Pupil Personnel Services

#### GRANTS MANAGED BY PPS OFFICE IN FY 93

#### SPED GRANTS (Written and Managed by Dr. King)

Early Childhood Allocation	\$13,650
Title I 89-313 Entitlement Grant	\$11,600
Title VI 94-142 Grant	\$116,550
Project Integration (Sprig)	\$4,500
Transition Project	\$3,000
Math-Science Connection	\$750

## Other Grants(Coordinated by Dr. King with other identified staff members)

Eisenhower -Math/Science Teacher Training	\$5,086	with	John
Mello			
CII - Integrating Math/Science	\$2,430	with	
Sue Amato			
CII - Automating Science/Math Curr.	\$2,370	with	
Don McCabe			
Chapter II Block Grant - Computer Equipment	\$9,483	with	
Don McCabe			
CII - Quest Training- Skills for Adolescence	\$3,000	with	Connie
Strauss			_
CII - Self Esteem	\$3,000	with	Connie
Strauss	** ***		
Drug Free Schools Strauss	\$9,833	with	Connie
Strauss			

In addition to those above, a Comprehensive Health and Human Services Grant Proposal was submitted during the 1992-93 school year. This proposal has been funded for FY 94 in the amount of \$48,766.

#### Alice A. Macomber Primary School 1992-93 School Year Report

It is my privilege to review and report the events of the 1992-93 school year at the Macomber Primary School.

The goals of the Macomber School in its reorganization as a primary school have paralleled the system-wide school improvement goals. Our curriculum, instruction, professional development, outreach, and facilities improvement objectives are singularly focused upon the goal of increased student achievement.

#### School Programs

The Macomber School, with an average monthly enrollment of 300 students, ages three through seven, houses an Integrated Preschool, Headstart program, one Early Developmental Special Needs Program, six half day Kindergarten classes, and six Grade One classes.

Continued development and improvement of our curriculum is a school-wide priority. As such, significant progress has been realized this year in the training and implementation of language-based reading instruction and a developmentally based mathematics approach. A formal Language Integrated model was developed in Grade One. This effective inclusion model addresses the specific language needs of students with individual educational plans and their peers through interdisciplinary teaming.

The implementation of the Quest curriculum has positively impacted school climate and effected improved student problem solving and decision making skills. A parent/faculty committee disseminated information describing the curriculum in a series of evening parent meetings, in addition to planning several unifying school spirit and community service projects.

We continue to make significant strides in outreach, early intervention, and high quality early childhood service provision. Our early childhood program for three and four year olds continues to represent a community service model, with the expansion of the Headstart program to include both a Homebase and Full Day Program. Our preschool and Headstart staffs jointly participated in a self study process designed by the National Academy of Early Childhood Programs. This eighteen month process, fully funded by a Massachusetts Department of Education grant provided training as well as the purchase of materials for our programs. We have recently been awarded national accreditation status. This signifies that national standards for

high quality early childhood programming have been met or

exceeded by our preschool.

We have been able to improve our annual Preschool and Kindergarten screening service, provided to the community according to state law. This has been possible as a result of being selected as a national standardization site for the University of Michigan for the Early Screening Inventory, an early childhood screening process. Staff training, as well as complete screening materials have been provided at no charge to our school system through our participation in the study. The improved screening system and continuation of the pre-referral process through convening of a building based team has assisted us in identifying individual learning strengths and needs, reporting useful information to parents, and providing special service or early childhood programming to maximize young children's growth and development prior to entering Kindergarten.

Through the introduction of an Integrated Arts program, all areas of the creative arts have been related to the classroom curriculum through music, literature, drama, etc. Our participation in the Polaroid Corporation's Project Enterprise focused on "foods around the world" and "foods and farming in Westport", and connected the classroom activities to the study of other cultures and their customs. Both Lees Supermarket and Costa's Farm became the classrooms beyond the schoolhouse doors for our children's explorations and investigations during this project. The theme culminated in a performance developed through Integrated Arts, "Patrick Muldoon and His Flying Balloon" depicting the children's year-long multicultural study.

Parents and Community

The Macomber School is very fortunate to enjoy the ongoing support of its parents and the community at large through active

participation in our school life.

Through Helen Ellis Arts Trust funding, the Macomber School enjoyed artist-in-residence programs in the areas of dance, poetry, and illustration. The Trust has funded a joint After School Arts Program (ASAP) between the Westport Elementary School and Macomber School for the Fall, 1993.

Our school business partnership with Lees Supermarket continues to benefit the Macomber School through the time, imagination, and dedication of our partners. Some of the year's events included community service projects, an afterschool workshop, and a highly successful spring sports "clinic". One of our goals is to strengthen and expand our relationship by increasing the opportunities for our children and Lees employees to be "partners in learning".

Our successful Visiting Reader program has expanded to include committees at both the Macomber and Westport Elementary Schools. Its goals include welcoming community readers to our schools by involving them in the children's literature based reading

curriculum.

The Macomber School Playground Improvement Project continues to progress with both dedicated community and parental support. This represents an important school improvement project, as the importance of creative outdoor play space appropriate and accessible to our young children equals the importance of academic programs. Once complete, it will be an ideal outdoor learning environment for both our school and community.

Professional Training

The Macomber school Outcomes Based Leadership Team has represented the faculty in the system-wide ODDM training program and effectively communited training modules to staff. This has resulted in a high level of professional exchange and the implementation of classroom strategies, modifications to the instruction process, and expanded student evaluation processes, which result in developing student competencies.

This significant training which sets a positive direction for teaching and learning in our school is connected through its base in the best educational knowledge to all of our professional

development efforts.

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For example, both teachers and parents have accessed training as discussion leaders in the Junior Great Books Read Aloud Program. Through examples of fine literature, interpretive questions, discussion, and extension activities the program's goal is to both develop higher level thinking skills, as well as to encourage literature appreciation.

Our teachers continue to train in improved language arts instructional process, Math Their Way, and inclusion practices.

#### Facilities

Through a program of regular and thorough maintenance, the Macomber School is in excellent condition. Modifications to increase accessibility and security have been made, along with interior painting, partial classroom carpeting, and drapery replacement over the course of two years to ensure a healthy, safe, and inviting learning environment. The playground improvement is ongoing and some replacement projects have been identified and prioritized by the School Improvement Council.

#### Conclusion

In conclusion, the Macomber School is a "community" school, supported by dedicated staff members and families. Our school can be described, as was the early Kindergarten in the 1800's as a "garden of children"- in which it is our goal to provide a nurturing learning environment where children are given every opportunity to grow and develop according to their individual abilities.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Marylou Clarke, Principal

#### Westport Elementary School 1992-93 School Year Report

The Westport Elementary School continued to move in a new direction during the 1992-1993 school year. New horizons began to open to us that reflected a change in the way our school views public education. An emphasis on increased student success, professional development, teaching techniques, and school-community relations, has placed the Westport Community Schools on the "cutting edge" of positive school reform. In addition, our school system's Strategic Plan has given us the tool to succeed, as we move into the 21st century. Specific goals and accomplishments will be discussed in detail in the following section of this report.

#### SCHOOL PROGRAM

Student Achievement

The Westport Elementary School continued to lead in accomplishing outstanding results in standardized testing, given annually to our students. These positive results reinforce our commitment for excellence. The following is a summary of these test scores:

Massachusetts Educational Assessment Program
This test was given to students in grades 4-8-12 (statewide), in the area of reading, our school average (WES)

the state average Comparison Score Band ( the range in which WES scores should fall as compared to communities similar to Westport).

Westport Elementary School students exceeded the state average in all categories.

Content Area	WES Score	State Average	Comparison Score Band
Total Reading	1380	1330	1300 - 1350
Mathematics	1350	1330	1300 - 1350
Science	1400	1330	1310 - 1360
Social Studies	1390	1330	1300 - 1350

The Writing segment was scored differently. Results were divided into five levels: the higher the level, the more proficient the results. Again, WES exceeded the state average in every proficiency level.

Proficiency Level *	State Percent	age	WES Pe	ercei	ntage	
Writing		6%			0%	
< I	below Level I		below	Leve	el I	
Writing	26	% at			14%	at
I	Level I		Level	I		
Writing	46	% at			36%	at
II	Level II		Level	II		
Writing	19	% at			41%	at
III	Level III		Level	III		
Writing		4% at			98	at
IV	Level IV		Level	IV		

### \*Proficiency Level Explanation:

 ${\tt I}={\tt U}{\tt nable}$  to communicate with the reader, using the written word.

I = Responses tend to be minimal, using simple sentences.

II = Paragraphs begin to show rudimentary development, some
attempt at organization.

III = An awareness of paragraph formation and communication of ideas.

IV = Writers construct a logical progression of ideas that leads to sophisticated Iowa Test of Basic Skills

This test was given to students in grades 3-4-5. This test was given to students in grades 3-4-5. Scores are recorded on a <u>National Scale</u>. Areas include: vocabulary, reading, language, mathematics, social studies, and science. The following results are the <u>Complete Composite Score</u> which is the Scores are combination of all the above.

Percentage Of Students Tested - Scoring At Or Above Grade Level

Grade 5	3-4-	# Students Tested	% AT or Above Grade Level	% Below Grade Level
	3	118	88	12
	4	150	94	6
	5	133	96	4

Enrollment and Staffing:

The Westport Elementary School continued to have the largest school population in the community (approx. 600 students). Our grade-level breakdown consists of the following:

Grades 2-5 ( 6 homerooms of each) 5 special needs classes

5 specialists classes

3 Chapter I Classes

various special needs and support staff

Our total number of professional, paraprofessional, and support staff members is fifty -nine (59).

Expense Budget:

With additional funds from the State Per-pupil Grant, we were able to upgrade educational materials in several areas. These include:

> Junior Great Books (2-5) New Mathematics Series (2-5) Updated Social Studies materials (2-5) New Science series - Science for Life and Living (2 -5)

#### Curriculum:

Several commitments for curriculum improvement have been initiated:

In Mathematics we have changed the way in which Mathematics is taught. Simple memorization of math facts has given way to the use of a manipulative approach, as well as greater emphasis on higher level thinking skills and problem solving.

reflected in our new Mathematics series: <u>Mathworks</u> and <u>The</u> Mathematics Experience.

In Language Arts the Writing Process has been incorporated in <u>all</u> classrooms. A continued effort to update our Language Arts Program is in progress. State of the Art materials such as Junior Great Books, Trade Books, and the McCracken Spelling Series have all been utilized successfully.

Our new Science series, <u>Science For Life and Living</u>, has renewed our effort to reform science education. <u>Science For Life and Living</u> provides relevant science education for all students, so that they might become empowered to make decisions and take actions that will improve the quality of their lives. Numerous hands-on/minds-on activities will help children understand modern science and technology.

Updated Social Studies materials include the latest in texts, computer software, and geography programs. Thematic units allow for the integration of the various subjects within a certain unit project.

In an attempt to expand on subject integration, our new QUEST Program was utilized in all phases of the curriculum. The teaching of positive values, good decision-making, and building healthy self-esteem was stressed.

Instruction:

The Westport Elementary School Staff continued to look for ways to improve instruction. Instruction must focus on the premise that "all students can learn", yet learn at different rates. Instruction should be interesting, focus on specific outcomes, and follow a developmental pattern that strives for student success. Some of the instructional techniques WES has embarked upon include:

The ODDM Process - Outcomes Driven Developmental Model. This is the basic belief that all students can learn if given enough time and proper instructional models in the classroom. Heterogeneous grouping in all classes has also been formulated. Again, the need to utilize proper instructional models is imperative. Cooperative learning activities within the classroom also foster increased self-esteem and peer interaction. Special Needs inclusion and mainstreaming allow all students to contribute within the classroom. "Pull-out" programs have proven to be detrimental to overall special needs success. Team Teaching activities are beginning to expand at all grade levels. With proper planning and flexible grouping, students will be able to "extend" their knowledge at their rate of learning. Included in several team teaching activities is the concept of "thematic

units". Lessons are taught using a specific theme that includes the integration of several subjects when appropriate.

After School Activities:

The Westport Elementary School continued to provide opportunities for students to participate in after-school programs. These activities were coordinated by the teaching staff at Westport Elementary School. Funding was provided by WES/MAC - PTO, our parent-teacher organization, and by occasional fund-raising activities at school. Several programs were initiated in 1992-1993. They included academic assistance for students, Newspaper Club, Science Club, Music programs, Art Club, Physical Education activities, and Computer Club.

PARENTS AND COMMUNITY

The parent-teacher organization for the Elementary and Macomber Schools consists of one group, with representatives of parents and teachers from both schools. The official name is WESMAC - PTO. The organization meets once per month, rotating from MAC to WES. WESMAC has expanded its role from being solely a fundraising organization to a combination of fundraising, volunteers, and guest speakers.

The Westport Elementary School's partnership with Whites and the Hampton Inn has been quite successful. In addition to hotel staff members speaking at school, students visited Whites and the Hampton Inn, and were involved in various projects that dealt with restaurant/hotel themes. We plan to continue and expand our relationship next school year.

WES continued to extend "education" into the most valuable resource of school/community involvement. Project Enterprise, under the capable leadership of Sandra Wellens and Polaroid, enabled our school to connect with local businesses on various learning projects. (see Special Projects Section). The Council on Aging worked closely with the WES Student Council to provide for guest reader activities and donation programs. Dr. Elizabeth Acheson, retired English Professor from Rhode Island College, worked closely with our staff on "Whole Language" techniques. Parent Visiting Reader programs and community visitors frequented our school throughout the year. Topics, such as farming, fishing, dentistry, and even dog-sled racing were presented. Close association with the Harvest Festival highlighted our October. Several staff members and many students participated in this exciting event. Other community projects included working with Project DARE (drug awareness), the Fire Department, Westport Library, the Fishermen's Association, the Watershed Alliance and community projects with Westport High School students.

Special projects involving parents and the community varied at WES. Some were short-term, some lasted through the year. All, however, were successful. Examples of projects included:

Visiting Reader Program
"Book Buddies" Program with Macomber

"For Kids - By Kids", hotel activities for youngsters, made by grade 2 students for the Hampton Inn Farming Projects ( grades 3+5 )

Hydroponics Projects ( grade 4 )

#### PROFESSIONAL AND SUPPORT STAFF

Westport Elementary School did not have any changes in staff during the 1992-1993 school year. Our numbers remained the same. The breakdown included the following:

2 - administration 24 - homeroom staff 5 - special needs 5 - specialists 3 - Chapter I

3 - custodian 2 - speech staff 1 - school psychologist 1 - quidance 3 - remedial, O.T., P.T.

It was a credit to our WES staff to see the variety of staff training activities that occurred during the year. Short and long-term professional development constituted staff-training activities.

Strategic Plan ( Westport Community Schools ) ODDM ( Outcomes Driven Developmental Model )

QUEST ( Self Esteem Model )

AIMS Workshops

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Buzzards Bay Rim Project Reality Therapy Training

Math Their Way - Math A Way Of Thinking

Cooperative Learning Activities

Project ERR ( An Educational Training Collaborative ) Project BER(Bureau of Education and Research)

Teacher Support Group ( WES Staff) Computer training for staff

6 - paraprofessionals

1 - school nurse

3 - clerks 5 - cafeteria

The staff at Westport Elementary School has been in the forefront in recognizing the need for positive change. They have initiated several opportunities to lead this system in that direction:

Our ODDM School Team reporting endeavors have been a model for the system. ODDM "Teacher Share" days were extremely effective. Our WES Teacher Support Group received excellent notices. Teachers met after school to discuss and share valuable educational issues. Teacher-initiated ideas for educational improvement also involved areas such as: team teaching, special needs inclusion models, community resources, and working relationships with other schools in our system.

PHYSICAL PLANT - SCHOOL FACILITIES

The current custodial staff continued to make significant strides in improving the physical atmosphere at WES. Painting projects, floor-wax problems, and other building issues were addressed. Our White Pine Environmental Center has been cleared and is being fully utilized as of this writing.

Finally, the issue of school security has been addressed. Exterior doors are always locked from the outside, and a monitoring system has been installed for added safety.

#### SPECIAL AWARDS - RECOGNITION

School attendance continued to be excellent. Our attendance rate of over 95% reflects the responsibility of parents and students in viewing school attendance as an important aspect of academic success.

Academically, report card review has indicated that the majority of students strive for success. In addition, we have had a large number of fifth grade students attain the <u>National Presidential Academic Fitness Award</u>. Thirty-seven students achieved this prestigious award. To be eligible, a student must maintain a B+ academic average, and score a minimum of 80% on standardize testing. These criteria must be maintained in grades 4-5. We are certainly proud of their accomplishments. In addition, awards for general academic achievement, improvement, citizenship, and attendance were also presented at the end of the year.

Our goal is to assist  $\underline{all}$  students, so that their academic achievement will continue as they progress through the Middle and High Schools.

Respectfully submitted, Mr. John DeFusco, Principal

#### WESTPORT MIDDLE SCHOOL 1992-93 SCHOOL YEAR REPORT

The 1992-93 school year has proven to be most challenging and productive for students and faculty at the Westport Middle School. Using the Westport Community Schools "Strategic Plan" as a main focus, we have made a significant effort to increase student learning through teacher training, collaboration with member schools in the Southeast Region Middle School Alliance, and the establishment of relationships with businesses, agencies, and organizations in the community through Project Enterprise.

Project Enterprise, sponsored by the Polaroid Corporation, is meant to foster the development of problem solving experiences that will nurture the growth of our students as "successful life long learners".

#### SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Student Population

The student population of the Westport Middle School remained stable during the 1992-93 school year. Grade level enrollments were as follows:

Grade 6......169
Grade 7......150
Grade 8......152

TOTAL....477 students

In terms of student attendance, despite flu, chicken pox, mumps, etc., we were able to maintain an overall daily attendance of 93.83%.

Testing

During the 1992-93 school year students took the Iowa Tests of Basic Skills in the Fall. Test results showed that 90% of Grade 6 students scored at or above grade level compared to 82% the previous year, 91% of Grade 7 students scored at or above grade level compared to 87% the previous year, and 89% of Grade 8 students scored at or above grade level compared to 76% the previous year.

Language Arts

The format for the delivery of the Language Arts program was restructured. All teachers now teach their own discipline and one Language Arts class. All teachers received training in the writing process, and we purchased updated textbooks and materials. A Language Arts teacher support group was formed. Teacher training with Holt-Rheinhart consultants took place and continued teacher training in this area is planned for the 1993-94 school year. The goal of this restructured program is to improve writing skills across the curriculum.

#### Mathematics

The Math Curriculum Committee and the Science Curriculum Committee were active in the textbook adoption process and will now begin to look at the specific curriculum issues relative to the expectations that were established during the 1992-93 school year. Similar planning and discussions will take place in the areas of Social Studies, Reading and Language Arts during the 1993-94 school year.

Supplies and Materials

The updating of textbooks in all major academic areas was completed by the end of the 1992-93 school year. Students received new texts and updated materials in Language Arts, Grade

6 Social Studies, Grade 7 Social Studies and Mathematics and Science across the grades. The purchase of Language Masters, and calculators, manipulatives and overhead projectors for math provided increased learning opportunities for all students.

Improvements in Instruction

The major focus of instruction continues to be increasing learning opportunities for all students in a heterogeneous setting. Specific instructional strategies for increased learning included the development of problem solving skills in a cooperative group settings, Writing Process as a teaching and learning strategy, use of math manipulatives, hands-on science activities, and promotion of positive self-esteem.

Extracurricular programs

Students were able to participate in an exciting and rewarding Extracurricular Program during the 1992-93 school year. Middle School students participated in the following clubs and activities: Student Council, Yearbook, National Junior Honor Society, Drama Club, Science Club, Model Making Club, Chess Club, and Volleyball Club. Through the Interscholastic Sports Program we were able to offer students the opportunity to participate in the following sports: Soccer, Field Hockey, Boys & Girls Basketball, Baseball, and Softball.

## PARENTS & COMMUNITY

Parents

The active participation of parents in school life has enhanced the educational climate of our school. Our parent organization, the Westport Middle School Association, had a successful year and provided opportunities for student enrichment by sponsoring several successful assembly programs. Parent fundraising activities provided for refreshments following the Eighth Grade Promotion Ceremony and various after school club activities including Basketball, Cosmotology, Tennis, and Photography.
Diane Colletti, Parent Association President, is thanked and
commended for the outstanding effort she put forth throughout the school year.

Community Connections

Project Enterprise, the school/business partnership program sponsored by the Polaroid Corporation, provided our students with the opportunity to form positive relationships with various businesses and agencies in the community. Students actually experienced all of the activities related to the organization and presentation of a theatrical performance. With the assistance of Ms. Sandra Wellens, a representative of Polaroid, the students and faculty members of Red House sponsored a highly successful show showcasing Krinsky the Magician. This is an example of comunity-based learning activities designed to teach standard curriculum skills through engaging and meaningful activities.

Junior Achievement sponsored a program for Grade 8 students which ran for ten weeks and culminated with a field trip to Cameo Curtains in New Bedford.

Detective Mario Lewis coordinated a very successful DARE (Drug Awareness Resistance Education) program for Grade 8 students. This program is sponsored by law enforcement agencies. Its aim is to strenghten relations between students and the police through the presentation of accurate information about drugs. Also incorporated into the program is a component which focuses on strategies to be used by students which fosters positive decision making.

Mr. David Sullivan and Mr. Peter Holt coordinated various highly successful activities sponsored by the Westport River Watershed Alliance for all students in Science. A series of hands on activities were created to focus on Ground Water, Habitats, and Water Chemistry. Students also participated in the Jason Project Program at Bridgewater State College, and various essay writing contests.

PROFESSIONAL AND STAFF SUPPORT SYSTEM

As a means of addressing the needs of our students in a heterogeneous (mixed ability) setting, teachers participated in extensive training during the 1992-93 school year. Topics included cooperative learning, outcomes-based education, writing process, math manipulatives and self-esteem. Each staff member attended a variety of workshops. Sponsors included Project ERR, the Southeast Middle School Alliance and the New England Middle School League.

Cooperative Learning: David Sullivan, Carol Michaels, Peter Holt and MaryBeth Dowd attended a two day seminar at Rhode Island College. There they had the opportunity to train with Spencer Kagan, the nationally renowned cooperative learning expert. As a direct result of their experiences, the four teachers presented an outstanding in-service training opportunity for teachers in grades 4 thru 8 here at the Westport Middle School. It was the first time that members of our staff had ever taken on this type of responsibility. They did so in commendable style.

Math Manipulatives: Teachers in grades 4 thru 8 were given the opportunity to train with Mahesh Sharma, a world class mathematician. The training took place in Westport and teachers came away excited about new techniques he presented. Funding was made available through the D.D. Eisenhower Grant.

Math Across Ability Levels (Grades 4-8): Fred Gross, a Lucretia Crocker Fellow, shared ideas with teachers regarding approaches

which could be implemented to improve the learning environment for students in a mixed ability setting.

Writing Process: Nancy Nagle from the Fall River Public Schools did an experiential training for teachers in the writing process. Two thirty-hour sessions were presented and this provided an active learning experience for all participants. Our efforts to enhance the concept of writing across the curriculum were greatly advanced by this professional development opportunity.

Self Esteem: Dr. Milt Young conducted a 3 credit graduate course for teachers. The training provided staff with numerous examples of methods for improving self esteem. Increased positive feelings about oneself is a major factor in students success.

Language Arts Consultant: We are most appreciative and wish to acknowledge the assistance given to our staff by Dr. Elizabeth Acheson, a Westport community member with extensive experience in Language Arts and Writing Instruction. Her expertise was most helpful.

ODDM Training: The concept of Outcomes Based Education has sparked a great deal of interest and excitement at the Westport Middle School. Training for individual teams from each of our four schools took place in Randolph with staff from that Town and Danvers, as well. Teacher share days provided the opportunity for team members to collaborate with one another in a collegial atmosphere.

PHYSICAL PLANT/SCHOOL FACILITIES

We were most fortunate this year to have our intercom system completely updated. A security system for our main entrance has been installed as a precautionary measure in light of the unfortunate events which occured recently in two of our neighboring communities. Classrooms, bathrooms, and hallways received fresh coats of paint and new window shades were installed to provide adjustment of light in the learning environment. In one significant change to our physical plant, we are now sharing space with a community agency. The Council on Aging has established the Westport Senior Social Day Program in the former Industrial Arts area.

The carpeting at the Middle School is the original carpet that was installed approximately twenty years ago. There is a serious need to replace the carpeting and we urge everyone to help us find a solution to the problem of finding funds for this very serious problem.

SPECIAL AWARDS & RECOGNITION

We continue to recognize our **staff** for their dedication to our students throughout the school year. In addition, we officially

recognized them during National Education Week and Teacher Appreciation Week. This year, each teacher was treated to breakfast in the teachers' dining room and was given a pin in celebration of each special occasion. Individual teachers who were recognized for outstanding accomplishments are: David Sullivan: Who's Who in Teaching, Joanne Lambert: Who's Who in Teaching, and James O'Hara: John Reilly Award in Geography

Students continue to be recognized for academic excellence and perfect attendance at honors assemblies and honors parties at the end of each academic quarter also, several students received awards for participation in essay and poetry writing contests. In grade 8 students were recognized for their academic excellence over the past three years and received Presidential Academic Fitness Awards. Forty-nine students in Grades 7 and 8 were inducted into the National Junior Honor Society this past June.

#### Conclusion

As the year came to a close, The Middle School Community felt pride in our accomplishments. We consider ourselves to be on the path toward demonstrating increased academic excellence for all students. We look forward to continued growth and the challenges of the 1993-94 school year.

Submitted by: John L. Mello, Principal

#### WESTPORT HIGH SCHOOL 1992-93 Annual Report

This past year has been an extremely busy and significant one for the staff at Westport High School.

The High School as of June 1993 has completed its intensive self evaluation and all its reports have been submitted in preparation of the October visit by New England Association Visiting Committee. The Visiting Committee is composed of fourteen educators located throughout New England. The fourteen members will be as follows: Four administrators, including chair and assistant chair; Eight teachers, one each from the following areas: Business Education, English, Foreign Language, Industrial Arts, Math, Science, Social Studies, Special Education; One specialist from Educational Media Services; One specialist from Student Services.

The purpose of the N.E.A.S.C. process is dual...evaluation and accreditation. Evaluation is a process during which a school conducts a self study and then hosts a Commission Visiting Team which evaluates the school in terms of its stated goals and the Commission's Standards for Accreditation. Accreditation signifies that the school has met Commission standards, is

willing and able to maintain those standards, and will improve its educational programs by implementing valid recommendations of the Commission's Visiting Committee. Member schools are required to conduct a comprehensive self-study and to host a Visiting Committee once every ten years.

The value of Accreditation may vary according to point of view. The taxpayer is assured that tax money is supporting a school facility and programs that have been judged worthwhile against national standards. The reputation of the school and larger community benefits from accreditation since retention or the loss of accreditation has a demonstrable effect on property values. Dianne Rezendes and Louis Finucci were appointed, and served as co-chairs of the Westport High Accreditation Committee this past year.

#### SCHOOL PROGRAM

Four hundred and seventy four students were enrolled at the High School. There were thirty four regular classroom teachers, two guidance counselors, one media director and two administrators on the professional staff.

One hundred twelve seniors received their diplomas at graduation on June 13, 1993. Members of the graduating class received substantial scholarship and financial aid awards in some cases exceeding over twenty thousand dollars per year. Scholarships were awarded to Westport students by community organizations, businesses, and local citizens totaling over twenty-two thousand dollars.

Sixty-nine percent of the class members will be continuing their education at the post-secondary level. Forty-one percent are planning to attend four year public or private colleges or universities. Six joined the military and twenty-six have joined the work force. Several of the students who have secured employment are intending to work in order to save money for post-secondary school next year. Two of the six entering the military are joining the Massachusetts National Guard in order to obtain free tuition to a Massachusetts College for the 1994-95 academic year.

The graduating class totaled one hundred twenty-two students when they entered Westport High School in September of 1989. The drop out rate for this was (11.47%) with fourteen students having dropped out. During the four years that they were enrolled, twenty-seven additional students transferred into the high school while nineteen transferred because they moved out of the school district.

### Curriculum and Instruction

#### Mathematics

After an assessment of the mathematics curriculum it was concluded the present sequence of algebra one for grade nine, algebra II for grade ten, and geometry for grade eleven was not properly preparing students for the Scholastic Achievement Test (SAT). The delaying of the introduction of geometry until the eleventh grade was a disadvantage for students taking the test.

Therefore, beginning in September 1993, the sequence will be changed to algebra I, geometry, algebra II.

Recommendations by major professional mathematics associations, including the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics has recommended the use of calculators in all mathematics courses. In addition the College Entrance Examinations Board has conducted field trials of the SAT using calculators. The results of their study has shown that students who use calculators on a regular basis in their mathematics course are likely to do better on the tests than students who do not. Beginning in October 1993 calculators are optional but recommended for the PSAT/NMSQT. Most importantly for our students the use of calculators will be optional but recommended for use in the SAT as of May 1994. Therefore, A) Texas Instrument calculators will be available for all students in their math classes and B) scientific and graphic calculators will be available in trigonometry and calculus classes.

#### Social Studies

An assessment of the social studies department indicated a need to develop a focus on the subject of global interdependence and a lack of concern dealing with Africa, Asia and the Middle East.

Therefore, it is proposed to revise the present Western Civilization course into a four term global culture course. The chief emphasis on the new course would be World History with European history as the focal point. However, there would be units in each term concerning third world or global interdependence.

#### English

The English curriculum for students has undergone a number of recent revisions. American literature is now taught in grade ten, British literature in grade eleven and World literature in grade twelve. Despite this reorganization it was concluded that the material was not suited for all students. It is the belief

every student should learn and prosper if the material is presented in a manner to motivate the students.

Therefore, a communications department has been created that will provide students with an educational program that will allow them to prove their competency in writing, speaking and reading.

### Science

An assessment of the science curriculum revealed a need for more experiential learning. All courses will include more activity based and investigative instruction.

Therefore, beginning September 1993 all students will be scheduled for physical science in grade nine and chemistry in grade eleven. Both courses will have equipment available to conduct laboratory investigations. Mr. Leite and Mr. Freeman will receive training to implement the laboratory based chem-com program. The chem-com program will be available for all juniors.

The High School daily schedule was changed from seven periods to six periods. The new schedule is a six day rotating into each block. The last period of the day is scheduled to meet from 12:43 to 1:58. The first 46 minutes is a regularly scheduled class period. The extra time is used for individual student help, projects, enrichment and make-ups. There are no regularly scheduled study halls for students and each teacher spends approximately an added 30 minutes a day teaching with the new schedule. The schedule was designed specifically to meet the needs of staff and students meet the academic success goals identified in the ODDM belief statements.

All High School seniors took the Massachusetts Educational Assessment Program Test (MEAP). The test are broad ranging achievement tests in each subject area and consist of over 3,000 test items, including multiple choice and open ended questions. The test are given every two years on three levels, 7th, 8th, and 12th grade. The test is a curriculum assessment not a student assessment. At the 12th grade level, scores in reading, mathematics, science and social studies all fell within above the comparison score bands for similar communities. It was felt seniors had difficulty with the open ended questions because they had not gone through the writing process program that is now part of the Westport School System curriculum.

## Parents and Community

Students continued to volunteer their time and service to agencies and schools in Westport. Over sixty seniors took part in the community service program. Community Learning a new program combining the Science Department (Environmental Science),

the English Department and Computer Technology was introduced as a pilot program. Seventeen seniors followed a community based curriculum not only performing community service but using the community as a learning laboratory.

As part of Polaroid's Project Enterprise, Science Teacher Jane Dybowski and John Moniz worked on a project that involved forensics. Forensics is the use of biological and chemical techniques to solve crime-related problems such as murder. The object of the project was to acquaint students with techniques such as DNA fingerprinting, blood typing, human bone identifications and, more importantly the use of science techniques as a means of problem solving.

Two parent groups should be given special recognition for their continued support. The Band Boosters and Sports Boosters raised thousands of dollars for student scholarships. They also assisted both programs by raising funds for special projects and volunteering their time to help our students enjoy tremendous success in both areas.

## Performance and Staff Support

The High School and the rest of the school system is presently adopting the Outcome Driven Developmental Model (ODDM) school improvement program. The 1st goal of the program is to develop learner centered outcome based educational programs which utilizes the community as a laboratory and provide opportunities for specific skill development as well as challenging academic curriculum to prepare students to succeed in a culturally diverse, information rich, global society.

The High School ODDM Leadership Team is composed of seven teachers: Louis Finucci, Janice Migneault, Dianne Rezendes, Mary Anne McQuillan, David Allen, Donald McCabe, Harry Proudfoot and Principal Charles Menard.

The Leadership Team received two days of intensive training from Dr. John Champlin the Director of the National Center for Outcome Based Education in early September. The rationale, the beliefs, the research, the organization of the model were topics explained by Dr. Champlin. School teams which included all staff and teachers were organized by the school leadership team. In this way all members of the High School family received ODDM training. In December the ODDM instructional model was presented by Steven Olson from the Juab School District, Nephi, Utah to the ODDM Leadership Team. In addition ODDM training was received by the ODDM Leadership Team in early May and an intensive week of training is planned for the team in August.

In conjunction with the ODDM training, a Self-Esteem course was presented by Dr. Milton Young to the entire school system. Twenty five High School staff members enrolled in the Self-Esteem course. The course was designed to introduce staff to the concepts related to the building of healthy self-esteem. Staff examined a wide variety of programs and all constructed their own self-esteem programs.

Dave Moran from the Institute for Reality Therapy presented a workshop at the High School designed to teacher concepts of control theory and reality theory therapy. The workshop was held on two consecutive weekends (Friday afternoon, Saturday and Sunday) and was attended by Donald McCabe, David Allen, Edith LaBran, Robert Wood, Manuel Cabral, and Charles Menard. And a two day workshop is scheluled for all high school teachers (August 30 - September 1.)

A full time health position replaced a physical education position. Grade ten and eleven students are assigned to health. Grade twelve now may elect family living and the health teacher is scheduled to a student drop in center to assist students who have personal problems or had been assigned by the school crisis team.

Westport High physical education policy continued to meet state requirements. Grades 9 and 10 have physical education two days each six day period. Grades 11 and 12 may elect physical education or take one hour of physical education per term.

We wish to recognize the following teachers for their dedication to the students of Westport High School over the years and wish them health, happiness, and success in the future: Anne Sebastyen (1 year), Anthony Coelho (7 years), and Marcel Marchand (36 years).

Mr. Frost was appointed to a full time music position at the High School. In the past only two music classes were scheduled. With the appointment of a full time teacher a sectional rehearsal class and two midi music lab classes were added. The electronic midi lab is designed to teach students the use of computers and synthesizers how to create, arrange and record their own music.

The Westport High School Band competed in Toronto, Canada with "Music in the Parks." The band competed in stage band and marching band event. They placed first in marching band and second in stage band. In the stage band competition student Brian Silvia won an award as outstanding Jazz soloist on the saxophone.

The great success of the band during this past year can be credited not only to Mr. Frost but the tremendous support of the

Music Boosters, Mrs. Patricia Souza, Mrs. Cynthia Lavoie and all the Band Parents have been instrumental not only in the success of the band but also the growth of the music program.

The Westport High School Athletic Department enjoyed an excellent '91 - 92 campaign. Over one hundred and fifty young men and women were able to enjoy the enjoyment and challenges of Interscholastic Athletics at Westport High. The program offered competition at nine varsity level teams, 8 junior varsity level teams and one freshmen level team. Westport High won its third consecutive Small School Division Soccer Championship, finished in second place in Volleyball, boys and Girls Basketball and Softball and had five State Tournament appearances. The athletic program continued to flourish due in great part to the continued support it received from the Athletic Boosters. All the Booster parents and presidents Dee Silvia and Louise Carvalho are to be commended for their service to the community.

The French Club under the advisorship of French Teacher Mrs. Lynette Ouellette and Guidance Counselor Anthony Melli took students to the Winter Carnival in Quebec City. This four day trip was highlighted when they met President Nixon when visiting the Palais de Glace. President Nixon shook hands, spoke to the students and posed for pictures with students from the French Club.

Parents, students, staff and teachers through the Carnegie initiative continued to discuss and pass legislation. The Carnegie Senate and Assembly passed legislation raising the passing grade from 60 to 65, had input on proposed changes in the requirements for physical education, security in the school parking lots, dress code, student schedules, early dismissal for seniors, constitutional change that will allow two students to serve in the senate.

The Villager earned another high ranking award in national competition. They received a first place rating from the Columbia Scholastic Press Association at Columbia University, New York. The CSPA considers five major categories or divisions: coverage, writing and editing, design, hands on production, and business. Special accolades go to the Editor-In-Chief, Erica Kaiser and Villager Advisor, Harry Proudfoot.

In closing, I would like to thank the staff, parents and students who gave freely of their time to help make this past year a successful one.

Submitted by: Charles R. Menard, Principal

### GRADUATION EXERCISES

Harold S. Wood Auditorium June 13, 1993

#### PROGRAM

Welcome	Frost, Kimberly Anne Moniz	Salutatorian
Speakers		Erica Kaiser Valedictorian
Presentation of Diplomas	Vice-Chairman c	Robert Wicks fthe School Committee es Menard, Principal

#### MARSHALLS

Rachel Ronco	Benjamin Allen
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\*National Honor Society Members

### AWARDS

Harvard Book Award Wellesley Book Award

Rachel Ronco Sherry Soares

\*Jonathan E. Ward

Presidential Academic Fitness Awards: Erica Kaiser, Kim Moniz, Rene Alova, Craig Gifford, Linda Lopes Stacey Souza, Julia Conforti, Jonathan Ward, Lisa Maucione, Sue Alden, Matthew Croft

American Citizenship Awards: William Bernier, Erica Kaiser, Ian St. Yves, Matthew Croft, Brian King, Jonathan Ward, Cathleen Dionne, Keith Pirtle, Jonathan Bernier

## Westport High School Academic Awards

Outstanding, Effort, & Motivation Computer Sciences Spanish Portuguese Art Theatre Arts Social Studies Math French Science

English Journalism

Band

Industrial Arts Citizenship

Principals Award Community Service Award Henry Sylvia Corinne Miranda Jonathan Ward Linda Lopes Crystal Kennedy Brian King Kim Moniz Lisa Maucione Kim Moniz Craig Gifford Matthew Croft Erica Kaiser Sue Alden Erica Kaiser Ian St. Yves Matthew Croft Stacey Souza Randall Medeiros Keith Pirtle Matthew Croft Hillary Webster Christina Viveiros

Daughters of the American Revolution

1) Good Citizen Award Erica Kaiser
2) Outstanding Work in American History Jonathan Ward

Massachusetts Elks

1) Teenager of the Month - Rene Alova, Kelly Lord, Matthew Croft, Erica Kaiser,
Jonathan Ward, Julia conforti, Kimberly Moniz, Henry Sylvia, Hillary Webster,
Craig Gifford, Lisa Maucione, Heather Navin, Brian King.

2) Teenager of the Year - Matthew Croft, Erica Kaiser.

New England Institute of Technology Book Award Randall Medeiros Paul Brodeur

#### SCHOLARSHIPS

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Appeals Board636-1004
Assessors, Board of636-1012
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Cemetery Department636-1025
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Friday, Saturday, and Sunday)
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