KINGSTON TOWN REPORT

REPORT OF THE TOWN MEETING March 14, 1967

Article 1. Meeting was declared open for balloting for officers for the ensuing year. On motion of Mr. Jillson it was voted that after the ballots are counted the meeting be adjourned until the following night at eight o'clock to take up the remaining articles in the warrant. The Moderator declared the polls closed at seven o'clock and the following is the result of the balloting. Total number of voters on the check list - 1304.

Total number of votes cast	733
Town Clerk L. Evelyn Bake Selectman for 3 Years Joseph A. Bassett John Ratta Ralph E. Southwick	662 237 203 278
Treasurer Dena S. Snow	659
Tax Collector Bettie C. Ouellette	687
Road Agent Roger E. Nason, Sr.	647
Auditors Irving E. Johnson Harry T. Snow	591 620
Chief of Police Earl S. Carter Newell V. Pitkin	379 347
Police Officers Sarkis Bannaian Andrew Christie, Jr. Louis J. Cyr Earl C. Marcotte Joseph Orlando Neil R. Parker, Sr.	172 415 47 308 49 381

Trustee of Trust Funds

Frank W. Foster	654
Fire Ward for Three Years	
Frank R. Fellows	357
Elden C. Nason	338
Library Trustee	
Eunice L. Clark	668
Recount Mar. 29, 1967	
Fire Ward - Frank R. Fellows had 355 votes Elden C. Nason had 399 votes. No	vote - 37
	Invalid 2
Total	733
Chief of Police - Earl S. Carter had 377 votes Newell Pitkin had 348 votes.	No vote 8

Article 2. The meeting opened at eight o'clock on Mar. 15, 1967. Prayer was given by Father Vickery. The Moderator read the result of the balloting under Article 1. He also read the following names to serve on the Finance Committee: Lawrence B. Cheney, Martha Long, Donald Champion and Kenneth Therrian.

Total

733

Motion was made by Mr. Harold Jillson and seconded by William Bartlett, Jr. that the sum of \$61,406.25 be raised and appropriated to defray town charges for the ensuing year. Motion was carried.

Article 3. It was voted to authorize the Selectman and Treasurer to borrow sums of money in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current year and to issue in the name of the Town negotiable notes, the aforesaid notes to be paid during the current year from taxes collected during the year.

Article 4. Motion made and seconded by the Selectmen that the Town vote to ratify and confirm the action of the Selectmen in conveying to Maurice and Minnie Hoyt, the premises previously taken from them by the Town for

non-payment of taxes, the consideration for the conveyance being payment in full of all taxes in arrears plus statutory interest and penalties. Motion was carried.

Article 5. Voted to take up Article 6 before Article 5.

Article 6. Mr. Friend made a motion that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000.00 to finance the construction of a fire station at South Kingston to cost \$15,000.00 and a two story addition to the existing Central Fire Station to cost \$35,000.00 such sum to be raised by the issuance of serial notes under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (N. H. RSA 33) and any amendments thereto, and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such notes, the discretion of fixing the date, maturities, denominations, the interest or discount rate, place of payment, form and other details of said notes and of providing for the sale thereof to be delegated to the Board of Selectmen, as shall be in the interest of the Town, and to pass any vote relating thereto. Motion was seconded. Mr. Romano spoke in favor of the Article. On Mr. McAskill's suggestion a vote of thanks was given to the Fire Dept. for their faithful services. Mr. Philips also spoke in favor of the Article. A ballot vote was taken with the following result. 163 ballots cast. Yes - 132 No - 31.

Article 5. It was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,000.00 to be used toward the purchase of a Class A750 GPM Combination Fire Truck. Total estimated cost to be \$22,000.00. The balance to be paid by the Fire Wards Capital Reserve Fund of \$3,671.92 and the Kingston Fire Dept. Association Fire Truck Fund of \$12,000.00.

Article 7. Voted to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$100.00 to carry on White Pine Blister Rust Control in Kingston. Work to be performed by the State Resources Development Division.

Article 8. Voted that the Town establish a Town Conservation Commission as set forth in RSA-36A.

Article 9. Motion made that the Selectmen be authorized to sell tax deeded property at public auction. Mr. Ralph Roberts made an amendment that the Selectmen be required to sell tax deeded property, if sold. The Amendment and the Article were passed.

Article 10. Voted to accept the Auditor's Report and the Town Report as Corrected.

Article 11. Joseph Bassett was appointed to serve on the Planning Board and Harvey Lafayette on the Board of Adjustment.

Oral Collins, Jr. suggested that, in the future all Police Equipment owned by the Town be included in the Inventory. The Selectmen said that this would be done next year.

Voted to adjourn.

L. Evelyn Bake Town Clerk

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Kingston in the (L.S.) County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at The Town Hall in said Kingston on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
- 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
- 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow sums of money in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current year and to issue in the name of the Town negotiable notes, the aforesaid notes to be paid during the current year from taxes collected during the year.
- 4. To see whether the Town will vote to ratify and confirm the action of the Selectmen in conveying to Maurice I. and Minnie Hoyt, the premises previously taken from them by the Town for non-payment of taxes, the consideration for the conveyance being payment in full of all taxes in arrears, plus statutory interest and penalties.
- 5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,000.00 to be used toward the purchase of a Class A 750 GPM Combination Fire Truck. Total estimated cost to be \$22,000.00. The balance to be paid by Fire Wards' Capital Reserve Fund of \$3,671.92 and the Kingston Fire Department Association Fire Truck Fund of \$12,000.00.
- 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000.00 to finance the construction of a fire station at South Kingston, to cost \$15,000.00 and a two story addition to the existing Central Fire Station, to cost \$35,000.00, such sum to be raised by the issuance of serial notes under and in com-

pliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (N.H. RSA 33) and any amendments thereto, and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such notes, the discretion of fixing the date, maturities, denominations, the interest or discount rate, place of payment, form and other details of said notes and of providing for the sale thereof to be delegated to the Board of Selectmen, as shall be in the best interest of the Town, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

- 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$100.00 to carry on White Pine Blister Rust Control in Kingston. Work to be performed by the State Resources Development Division.
- 8. By petition of the Kingston Garden Club, to see if the Town will establish a Town Conservation Commission as set forth in RSA 36-A.
- 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell tax deeded property at public auction.
- 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Auditors' Report and the Town Report as printed.
- 11. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-seven.

Harold H. Jillson Dwight L. Killam Jr. William S. Bartlett, Jr. Selectmen of Kingston, N.H.

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

Harold H. Jillson
Dwight L. Killam Jr.
William S. Bartlett, Jr.
Selectmen of Kingston, N.H.