Whitefield, Maine Annual Town Meeting

March 17, 2001

The Whitefield Town Meeting was held at the Whitefield School on March 17, 2001, to vote on Articles for the July 1, 2001, through June 30, 2002, fiscal year.

The meeting was called to order by Gwyn Dixon at 10:00 a.m. She read the preamble to the warrant and Constable's return and acted upon Article 1.

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Brian Huntley was elected Moderator.

Mrs. Dixon administered the oath of office before the assembled voters. Mr. Huntley then declared the polls open. The polls were open until 5:00 p.m. There were approximately 68 people present at 10:00 a.m.; approximately 78 present at 10:30 a.m.

Article 2.

To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year: 467 votes were cast with 17 write-in votes for various candidates.

Office	Candidate	Vote
Selectman (3-year term)	Timothy L. Chase	375*
Selectman (3-year term)	David V. Hardman	95
School Committee	David A. Boynton	385*
School Committee	Brenda C. Kaselis	242*
School Committee	Hayley L. Parlin	95
School Committee	Tammy M. Thayer-Hardman	108
Road Commissioner	David A. Boynton	173
Road Commissioner	David W. Jackson	253*
Road Commissioner	Jeffrey L. Vigue	66
Planning Board	Mark Fenderson	307*
Planning Board	Jean G. Paquet	224
Planning Board	Stephen C. Smith	264*
Planning Board	David W. Wright	319*

Article 3.

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Officers salaries for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$75,144.30

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$75,144.30.

A motion was made, seconded and carried by a two-thirds majority to combine Articles 4 through 8.

Article 4.

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for insurance for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$8,450.40

Article 5.

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for joining the Maine Municipal Association for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$2,132.00

Article 6.

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to join the Maine Municipal Association Risk Pool for liability and bond insurance.

Article 7.

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to join the Maine Municipal Association Public Officials Liability Insurance Group.

Article 8.

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to join the Maine Municipal Association Workers Compensation Fund.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendations. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$8,450.40 for insurance, to raise from taxes \$2,132.00 for joining the Maine Municipal Association, and to authorize the Selectmen to join the Maine Municipal Association Risk Pool for liability and bond insurance, the Maine Municipal Association Public Officials Liability Insurance Group, and the Maine Municipal Association Workers Compensation Fund.

Article 9.

To see if the Town will vote to fix the wages of people, trucks, and other equipment of the highways for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend State wages.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to fix the wages of people, trucks, and other equipment of the highways for the ensuing year.

Article 10.

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting brush, grading, surfacing, paving, and repairing Town roads for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to appropriate from excise taxes \$58,768.00, and to appropriate from the State Block Grant \$59,232.00. Total of \$118,000.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to appropriate from excise taxes \$58,768.00, and to appropriate from the State Block Grant \$59,232.00.

Article 11.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell the "Dragon" road grader.

The wording of the article was corrected on the floor to identify the grader as a "Galion T-400A". A motion was made and seconded to authorize the Selectmen to sell the Galion road grader.

Article 12.

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for snowplowing and sanding roads for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$20,803.00 and to appropriate from excise taxes \$103,232.00. Total \$124,035.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. After considerable debate, a motion was made, seconded and carried by a two-thirds majority to cease debate. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$20,803.00 and to appropriate from excise taxes \$103,232.00.

Article 13.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for salt shed maintenance for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$500.00

A motion was made and seconded to raise from taxes \$500.00 for salt shed maintenance. By a majority vote, authorized raising from taxes \$500.00 for salt shed maintenance.

Article 14.

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for incidental expenses for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$33,836.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$33,836.00.

Article 15.

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Office operations for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$21,850.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$21,850.00.

Article 16.

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Townhouse repair and maintenance for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$1,200.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$1,200.00.

A motion was made, seconded and carried by a two-thirds majority to combine Articles 17 through 23.

Article 17.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to be divided equally among the three volunteer fire departments in Kings Mills, North Whitefield, and Coopers Mills stations for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$39,000.00

Article 18.

To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate for replacing personal protective gear for current Fire Department members for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to appropriate year end balance from reserve fund, \$5,000.00.

Article 19.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for air pack replacement for Firefighters. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$6,000.00

Article 20.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Firefighter physicals for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$1,000.00

Article 21.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Whitefield First Responders. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$2,200.00

Article 22.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Fire Department truck loan. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$6,227.69

Article 23.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for fire education material for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$250.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendations on combined Articles 17 through 23. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to:

- raise \$39,000.00 to be divided equally among the three volunteer fire departments in Kings Mills, North Whitefield, and Coopers Mills stations,
- to appropriate year end balance from reserve fund of \$5,000.00 for replacing personal protective gear,
- to raise from taxes \$6,000.00 for air pack replacement,
- to raise from taxes \$1,000.00 for Firefighter physicals,
- to raise from taxes \$2,200.00 for Whitefield First Responders,
- to raise from taxes \$6,227.69 for the Fire Department truck loan,
- to raise from taxes \$250.00 for fire education material

Article 24.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for civil defense for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$1,000.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$1,000.00.

Article 25.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for forest fires for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$500.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$500.00.

Article 26.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Hepatitis B vaccine for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$500.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$500.00.

Article 27.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to help support the Windsor Ambulance Service for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$10,500.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$10,500.00.

Phil Russell presented a plaque to Alden Boynton commending his 27 plus years of service to the Town of Whitefield. Jay Howell and the Whitefield Senior Men's Group presented a gift certificate in appreciation of his years of dedicated service. Representative Peter Rines presented Alden a Legislative Recognition Award for his years of service as a Selectman and community leader.

Article 28.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the General Assistance Program for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$5,000.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$5,000.00.

There were approximately 112 voters participating at 11:30 a.m. when the School Budget Articles were voted upon.

Article 29.

To see what sum the Town of Whitefield will authorize the School Committee to expend for Elementary Programs. School Committee (4-1) recommends \$785,735.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to expend \$785,735.00 for Elementary Programs.

Article 30.

To see what sum the Town of Whitefield will authorize the School Committee to expend for Secondary Programs. School Committee (4-1) recommends \$921,700.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to expend \$921,700.00 for Secondary Programs.

Article 31.

To see what sum the Town of Whitefield will authorize the School Committee to expend for Special Education Programs. School Committee (4-1) recommends \$728,913.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to expend \$728,913.00 for Special Education Programs.

Article 32.

To see what sum the Town of Whitefield will authorize the School Committee to expend for Food Service Programs. School Committee (4-1) recommends \$101,866.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to expend. \$101,866.00 for Food Service Programs.

Article 33.

To see what sum the Town of Whitefield will authorize the School Committee to expend for Undistributed Expenditures.

213, 221, 222, 231, 232,	Support Services &
241, 253, 255	Administration
260	Operations and Maintenance
270	Transportation
510	Debt Service
410	Other Public Instruction

School Committee recommends (4-1) \$687,547.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. After considerable debate, a motion was made, seconded and carried by a two-thirds majority to cease debate. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to expend \$687,547.00 for Undistributed Expenditures.

Article 34.

To see what sum the Town of Whitefield will appropriate from the foundation allocation for school purposes (Recommend \$2,632,033.64) and to see what sum the Town of Whitefield will raise as the local share of the foundation allocation. School Committee (5-0) recommends \$949,930.55

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to expend \$949,930.55 as the local share of the foundation allocation.

Article 35.

To see what sum the Town of Whitefield will appropriate from the debt service allocation (recommend \$47,520.57) and to see what sum the Town of Whitefield will raise as the local share of the debt service allocation. School Committee (5-0) recommends \$17,782.20

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to raise \$17,782.20 as the local share of the debt service allocation.

Article 36.

To see what sum the Town of Whitefield will raise in additional local funds under the provisions of 20-A MRSA Section 15614. School Committee (4-1) recommends \$328,436.79

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to raise \$328,436.79 in additional local funds under the provisions of 20-A MRSA Section 15614.

Article 37.

To see if the Town will vote to raise from taxes and authorize the School Committee to expend no more than \$10,000.00 for engineering and construction services in order to build an additional parking lot at the Whitefield School. School Committee (4-1) recommends this article

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. After considerable debate, a motion was made and seconded to cease debate. The motion failed to carry by a two-thirds majority, resulting in additional debate. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to expend no more than \$10,000.00 for engineering and construction services in order to build an additional parking lot at the Whitefield School.

Article 38.

Shall the School Committee be authorized to acquire a school bus at a cost not to exceed \$56,000.00, and shall the Board of Selectmen be authorized to borrow not more than \$37,000.00 for that purpose, with the balance of costs to be paid from the school budget for the 2001-2002 fiscal year? School Committee recommends approval of this article.

TOWN OF WHITEFIELD, MAINE

Financial Statement Regarding \$37,000.00 Borrowing for School Bus

As of the Town meeting date, the total amount of bonds of the Town of Whitefield outstanding and unpaid is \$82,375.00 of which \$74,911.00 is principal and \$7,464.00 is interest. The Town has no bonds authorized and unissued. The total general obligation to be assumed if the article authorizing this borrowing is ratified by the voters is \$37,000.00. The total debt service costs of the new borrowing will vary depending on the prevailing interest rates at the time the bonds are issued. The total estimated debt service is \$39,775.00, of which \$37,000.00 is principal. Estimated interest of 5% over two years is \$2,775.00.

The validity of this obligation and of the voters' ratification of this obligation may not be affected by any errors in the estimate made pursuant to the above statement. If the actual amount of the total debt service for the bond issue varies from the estimate, the ratification by the electors is nevertheless conclusive and the validity of the obligation is not affected by reason of the variance.

Gwyn Benson Dixon Treasurer, Town of Whitefield

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. After considerable debate, a motion was made, seconded and carried by a two-thirds majority to cease debate. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to acquire a school bus at a cost not to exceed \$56,000.00, and authorized the Selectmen to borrow not more than \$37,000.00, with the balance of costs to be paid from the school budget for the 2001-2002 fiscal year.

Article 39.

To see what sum the Town of Whitefield will authorize the School Committee to expend for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2001 and ending June 30, 2002 from the foundation allocation, debt service allocation, unexpended balances, local appropriations, state subsidy, and other receipts in support of schools. School Committee (4-1) recommends \$3,235,761.00.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to expend \$3,235,761.00 from the foundation allocation, debt service allocation, unexpended balances, local appropriations, state subsidy, and other receipts in support of schools.

Article 40.

To see what sum the Town of Whitefield will appropriate for Adult Education (Recommend \$13,148.58) and to see what sum the Town of Whitefield will raise as the local share (Recommend \$7,862.29) with authorization to expend said appropriated sums and any additional incidental, or miscellaneous receipts and grants. School Committee (4-1) recommends \$7,862.29

Note: This budget does not include the estimated amount of money in employer share of teacher retirement cost that is paid directly by the State.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation to raise as the local share \$7,862.29 with authorization to expend said appropriated sums and any additional incidental, or miscellaneous receipts and grants for Adult Education.

Article 41.

To authorize the School Committee to transfer up to four percent (4%) of any warrant line item account to another. School Committee (5-0) recommends this article

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation.

Article 42.

To see if the Town of Whitefield will vote to accept and expend any additional miscellaneous funds, receipts, and grants in support of the school. School Committee (5-0) recommends this article.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation.

Article 43.

Shall the Whitefield School Committee be authorized and directed to pursue funding through the State Revolving Loan Fund for School Renovations in order to complete renovations, roof repair, and improvements to air quality at the Whitefield School? School Committee recommends (5-0) this article.

A motion was made and seconded to accept the School Committee recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted School Committee recommendation.

Article 44.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to transfer up to 10% of any line item account to another.

A motion was made and seconded and carried by a majority to authorize the Selectmen to transfer up to 10% of any line item account to another.

Article 45.

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate \$160,000.00 from surplus to reduce the amount of money needed to be raised in taxes.

A motion was made, seconded and carried by a majority to appropriate \$160,000.00 from surplus to reduce the amount of money to be raised in taxes.

Article 46.

To see if the Town will fix a date when the taxes shall be due and payable, and to see if the Town will fix a rate of interest to be charged on unpaid taxes after said date. Selectmen recommend November 30, 2001, and April 30, 2002, and an interest rate of 11.50 percent.

A motion was made, seconded and carried by a majority to set November 30, 2001, and April 30, 2002, as the dates when the taxes are due and payable and set an interest rate of 11.50 percent to be charged on unpaid taxes after said dates.

Article 47.

To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen, on behalf of the Town of Whitefield, to sell and dispose of any real estate acquired by the Town for non-payment of taxes thereon, for such terms as they deem advisable and execute quit-claim for same.

A motion was made, seconded and carried by a majority to authorize the Selectmen to sell and dispose of any real estate acquired by the Town for non-payment of taxes.

Article 48.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for solid waste for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$20,275.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendation. By a majority vote, adopted Selectmen's recommendation to raise from taxes \$20,275.00.

A motion was made, seconded and carried by a two-thirds majority to combine Articles 49 through 67.

Article 49.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the recycling program for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes 2,500.00.

Article 50.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of a recycling building. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$500.00

Article 51.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for tax maps for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$1,500.00

Article 52.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$4,100.00

Article 53.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Planning Board for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$1,500.00

Article 54.

To see if the Town of Whitefield will vote to earmark all funds received from the Snowmobile Registration refund program, to be used to maintain trails and bridges within the Town of Whitefield. All expenditures to be approved by the Selectmen. Selectmen recommend this article.

Article 55.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Red Cross for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$200.00

Article 56.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Catholic Charities Maine Family & Community Services. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$50.00

Article 57.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the decoration of soldiers graves in town for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$500.00

Article 58.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for New Hope For Women. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$150.00

Article 59.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Kennebec Valley Mental Health Center for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$1,957.95

Article 60.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Kennebec Valley Humane Society for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$2,826.32

Article 61.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Senior Spectrum for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$958.00

Article 62.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Kno-Wal-Lin Community Health Center for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$1,810.00

Article 63.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Coastal Economic Development for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$1,000.00

Article 64.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Hospice of Kennebec County for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$763.00

Article 65.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Coastal Trans for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$200.00

Article 66.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Whitefield Food Bank for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$200.00

Article 67.

To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Young at Heart Senior Citizens for the ensuing year. Selectmen recommend to raise from taxes \$150.00

A motion was made and seconded to accept the Selectmen's recommendations. By a majority vote, motion carried to accept the Selectmen's recommendations on Articles 49 through 67.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

Results of Referenda Questions:

Question 1. To see if the Town of Whitefield will vote to freeze the amount of money raised from Property Taxes for the 2001-2002 budget year to no more than the current 2000-2001 budget.

Yes 222

No 277

Question 2. Shall an Ordinance entitled "Building Permit Ordinance" be enacted?

Yes 213

No 274

Question 3: Shall an Ordinance entitled "Town of Whitefield Septage & Residuals Ordinance" be enacted?

Yes 249

No 235

Question 4. Shall an Ordinance entitled "Minimum Lot Size Ordinance of the Town of Whitefield" be amended as shown by the portions underscored (additions) and struck through (deletions)?

Yes 230

No 242

Results of Referenda Questions on Community School District:

Question 1. To see if the municipality of Whitefield will vote to join with the municipalities of Chelsea, Jefferson, Somerville, and Windsor to form a community school district to be known as Sheepscot Valley Community School District which shall be responsible for the operation of grades 6 through 8.

Yes 233

No 264

Question 2. To see if the costs of operating Sheepscot Valley Community School District shall be shared among the municipalities of Chelsea, Jefferson, Somerville, Whitefield and Windsor in accordance with the following formula: 85% based on the fiscal capacity of each member municipality as defined in 20-A M.R.S.A. Subsection 15603, subsection 11-A and 15% based on the number of resident pupils in each municipality.

Yes 240

No 256

Question 3. To see if the municipality of Whitefield will vote to have the Sheepscot Valley School District school committee perform the duties of the board of trustees.

Yes 229

No 263

The preceding is a true and accurate account of the actions by the Town of Whitefield at the Annual Town Meeting March 17, 2001.

Attest: Yurp Benson Oyon
Gwyn Benson Dixon

Town Clerk

STATE OF MAINE

CONSTABLE'S RETURN

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE WARNED AND NOTIFIED THE QUALIFIED AND LEGALLY ENROLLED VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF WHITEFIELD TO MEET AT THE TIME AND PLACE AND FOR THE PURPOSE MENTIONED IN THE WITHIN WARRANT, BY POSTING ATTESTED COPIES OF SAME AT:

COUNTRY CORNERS STORE	COOPERS MILLS, ME
COOPERS MILLS POST OFFICE	COOPERS MILLS, ME
NORTH WHITEFIELD SUPERETTE	WHITEFIELD, ME
WHITEFIELD POST OFFICE	WHITEFIELD, ME
KINGS MILLS UNION HALL	WHITEFIELD, ME
WHITEFIELD TOWN OFFICE	WHITEFIELD, ME

AND I HAVE THIS DAY POSTED ONE COPY OF THREE ORDINANCES ENTITLED "SEPTAGE AND RESIDUALS ORDINANCE", "BUILDING PERMIT ORDINANCE", AND "PROPOSED REVISIONS TO THE EXISTING MINIMUM LOT SIZE ORDINANCE" OF THE TOWN OF WHITEFIELD, ATTESTED BY THE MUNICIPAL CLERK, WITH THE WARRANTS AT SAID PLACES.

THIS SAME BEING PUBLIC AND CONSPICUOUS PLACES WITHIN SAID TOWN ON THE 9TH DAY OF MARCH IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUSAND ONE, THE SAME BEING AT LEAST SEVEN DAYS BEFORE THE TIME APPOINTED FOR SAID MEETING.

DATED AT SAID WHITEFIELD, MAINE, THIS 9TH DAY OF MARCH, 2001

ATTEST: (Ina Nelano

ONA DELANO, RESIDENT, TOWN OF WHITEFIELD