

Town of Orland



Town Report 2013-14

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ORLAND
2013-14

Town Report

And

Warrant
2015-2016

This town report is
dedicated to
the membership of the
Orland Historical Society
for their many hours of
service to preserve the
history of the
Town of Orland



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Town Officers - 2013-2014

Selectmen & Overseers of the Poor

Ralph Gonzales

Edward Rankin, Sr., Chair

Lester Stackpole

Term Expires

June, 2014

June, 2015

June, 2016

Assessors

Mary Hauger, Chair

Geoffrey Hauger

Rhonda Clement

Term Expires

June, 2014

June, 2015

June, 2016

Town Clerk & Tax Collector

Connie Brown

Deputy Town Clerk & Tax Collector

Suzanne Norris

Assistant Town Clerk & Tax Collector

Tracy Patterson

Treasurer

Dorothy E.S. Baker

Road Commissioner

Robert Wardwell

Term Expires

June 2016

Registrar of Voters

Connie Brown

Superintendent of Schools

James Boothby

RSU #25 Committee

Term Expires

<u>Scott Frasier</u>	<u>2014</u>
<u>Robbins, Allen</u>	<u>2014</u>
<u>David Burgess</u>	<u>2015</u>
<u>Sue Bernier</u>	<u>2015</u>
<u>Thomas Foster</u>	<u>2015</u>
<u>Melinda Stegner, Chair</u>	<u>2015</u>
<u>Thomas Taylor-Lash</u>	<u>2016</u>
<u>Jen Tyne</u>	<u>2016</u>

Fish Committee

<u>Robert Mushrall, Chair (resigned)</u>	<u>June, 2014</u>
<u>Philip Whitney</u>	<u>June, 2015</u>
<u>Margaret Hanscom</u>	<u>June, 2016</u>
<u>Peter Robshaw</u>	<u>June, 2017</u>
<u>Jay Clement</u>	<u>June, 2017</u>

Planning Board

Term Expires

<u>John MacBrayne, Chair</u>	<u>June, 2014</u>
<u>Michael Bishop</u>	<u>June, 2015</u>
<u>W. Roger Wood</u>	<u>June, 2015</u>
<u>Dexter Johnson</u>	<u>June, 2016</u>
<u>Charles Giosia</u>	<u>June, 2016</u>
<u>Kristin Cook , Alternate</u>	<u>June, 2014</u>

Board of Appeals

Terms Expire - June 2014

William Chandler, Chair
Goodwin Ames
Michael Bouthot, Alt.

David Burgess
Kent Conary
Bruce Downs, Alt

Health Officer

Miriam Devlin

Term Expires

June 2014

Recreation Committee

Jean Sargent

Pamela Nanson

Mike Malenfant

Bart McGraw

Winslow Coombs

Constable

Robert Mushrall

General Assistance Administrator

Ralph Gonzales

Tracy Patterson

Plumbing Inspector

Gerald Guse

Code Enforcement Officer

Gerald Guse

Fire Chief, Civil Preparedness Director

Robert Conary

Assistant Fire Chief

Julia Clark

Fire Warden

Robert Harriman

Animal Control Officer

Robert Gross

Fish Warden

Peter Robshaw

State Senator District 31

Kimberly Rosen

State Representative District 41

Karlton Ward

Schedule of Meetings & Office Hours

<u>Selectmen</u>	<u>1st & 3rd Thursday of each month</u> <u>6:30- 8 pm at the Town Office</u>
<u>Assessors</u>	<u>1st & 3rd Thursday of each month</u> <u>6:30- 8 pm at the Town Office</u>
<u>Treasurer</u>	<u>1st & 3rd Thursday of each month</u> <u>6:30- 8 pm at the Town Office</u>
<u>Town Clerk & Tax</u> <u>Collector</u>	<u>Monday-Friday 8:30-12, 1-4 pm</u> <u>1st & 3rd Thursday of each month</u> <u>6:30- 8 pm at the Town Office</u>
<u>Planning Board</u>	<u>1st Monday of each month</u> <u>7 pm at the Community Center</u>
<u>RSU #25 Committee</u>	<u>3rd Tuesday of each month</u> <u>6:30 pm at Middle School</u>

Important Phone Numbers

<u>Emergency</u>	<u>911</u>
<u>Sheriff</u>	<u>911</u>
<u>Town Office phone</u>	<u>469-3186</u>
<u>Town Office fax</u>	<u>469-3187</u>
<u>Orland Post Office</u>	<u>469-2184</u>
<u>East Orland Post Office</u>	<u>469-1170</u>
<u>Animal Control</u>	<u>469-3969</u>
<u>Plumbing Inspection</u>	<u>469-3055</u>
<u>Code Enforcement</u>	<u>469-3055</u>
<u>(Fridays from 1pm to 3pm)</u>	<u>469-3186</u>
<u>Orland Community Center</u>	<u>469-7691</u>

ANGUS S. KING, JR.
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Portland, ME 04103-0001

United States Senate
WASHINGTON, DC 20510

LEGISLATIVE
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RESEARCH
POLICY AND LEGISLATION

Town of Orland
PO Box 67,
Orland, ME 04472-0067

Dear Friends,

It has been a privilege to serve the State of Maine since being sworn into the U.S. Senate in January of 2013. First off, I want to make sure you know how to reach my offices, as I welcome your thoughts, questions, or concerns. You can call our toll-free, in-state line at 1-800-432-1599. In addition, our local numbers are as follows: Augusta (207) 622-8292, Presque Isle (207) 764-5124, Scarborough (207) 883-1588, and Washington D.C. (202) 224-5344. You can also provide your input on our website at www.king.senate.gov.

Maine is a large state; I know that traveling to our offices can present logistical and financial challenges, which is why our team implemented an outreach program, **Your Government Your Neighborhood**. My staff has been traveling to communities throughout the state for two years now, hosting office hours for local residents. Since we began, we have made over 400 trips and plan to increase that throughout 2015.

If we haven't yet been to your town office, community library, or school, or hosted an information table at a local non-profit, please let us know!

My work in Washington this year has been broad reaching, and I am committed to continue this work in a transparent and nonpartisan manner.

My projects have included:

- Overseeing national security and defense issues from ISIS to cybersecurity
- Continuing efforts to simplify student loans and make higher education more affordable
- Easing the regulatory burdens facing Maine businesses, farms, and schools
- Co-sponsoring budget initiatives for a smarter economic direction
- Supporting vital infrastructure and highway investments
- Tackling climate change mitigation and its long-term impacts
- Ensuring financial transparency in politics through campaign finance reform
- Promoting the growth of rural internet access
- Co-sponsoring legislation to help working families get paid leave to care for loved ones

I am tremendously grateful for the opportunity to serve you and will keep you informed of my activities in Maine and Washington.

Sincerely,



ANGUS S. KING, JR.
UNITED STATES SENATOR

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STATE OF MAINE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
1 STATE HOUSE STATION
AUGUSTA, MAINE
04333-0001

PA / R. LePage
04333-0001

March 30, 2015

Town of Orland
PO Box 67
Orland, ME 04472-0067

Dear Citizens of Orland,

Maine has a long tradition of civil participation in both state and local government, and I thank you for being informed and involved citizens.

My vision for Maine is prosperity, not poverty. For this reason, one of my top priorities is the reduction and eventual elimination of the income tax. Not only does an income tax cut put more money back in your pockets, but it will attract businesses that can offer good paying careers to keep our young people here in Maine. Further, this tax cut maximizes one of our existing resources — tourism — and ensures the millions of visitors who come to Vacationland each year contribute their small part to our economy.

Simply put, this proposal results in an immediate pay raise for all of you hard-working Mainers. It creates stronger and even more vibrant communities as we show people that we are serious about wanting people and businesses to come — and stay — in Maine.

If we are to make Maine prosperous, we must also work hard to reduce our heating and energy costs. I am committed to lowering the cost of energy, not only to attract job creators, but also to allow Maine people to affordably and effectively heat and power their homes.

And finally, it is of utmost importance that we begin to address the growing drug problem in our state. Maine's people are its most precious commodity, and our safety is being threatened by the drugs that are entering our state each and every day. My goal is to face the problem head on by employing more drug agents, prosecutors and judges before the epidemic destroys our communities.

It is a pleasure serving as your Governor. If ever I can be of assistance to you or if you have any questions or suggestions, I encourage you to contact my office by calling 287-3531 or by visiting our website at www.maine.gov/governor.

Sincerely,

Paul R. LePage
Governor

Annual Report to the Town of Orland
A Message from Senator Kimberley Rosen

Dear Friends and Neighbors:

I am honored to represent you in the Maine Senate. I am so grateful for the trust you have placed in me and I will work tirelessly for the betterment of you and your neighbors, as well as for the great state of Maine.

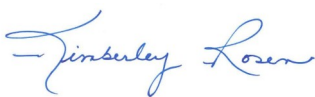
My fellow legislators and I have a great deal to accomplish in the 127th Legislature. The most important item on our to-do list is clear: our state needs more jobs at all levels of the pay scale, so it is our responsibility and my solemn promise to work to expand economic opportunity for all Mainers. Growing our economy and increasing the number of jobs available to Mainers will be a challenge, but I am confident that our ongoing commitment to addressing our outrageous energy costs and the needs of our aging population will continue to move our state in the right direction.

Private sector gains remain the best vehicle to spur robust economic growth, and I am focused on ensuring that traditional industries and small businesses have their needs met so Maine will continue to create jobs. In the same sense, innovation is critical to providing a path forward for Maine's economy – and my colleagues and I are excited to encourage the ideas of entrepreneurial minds young and old.

Another essential component of a robust economy is efficiency in allocating the state government's scarce resources, and I was elected because I will be an attentive steward of your tax dollars. Unfortunately, Maine's current distribution of benefits from our welfare system is not helping the folks who need these benefits most. In order to help our truly needy survive and get back on their feet, I will work with my fellow legislators to protect our state's vulnerable citizens while fighting fraud, waste, and abuse in Maine's welfare system. In short, we must reform welfare.

You have my humble and sincere thanks for allowing me to represent you in Augusta. I stand ready to work with you over the next two years, so please feel free to contact me at 207-287-1505 and kurlykim40@aol.com if you would like assistance in navigating our state's bureaucracy. I will be gratified to help you.

Best,



Kimberley Rosen
State Senator



Karleton S. Ward

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333-0002
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April 2015

Dear Friends and Neighbors:

It is an honor and a privilege to have been elected to serve the residents of Orland in House District 131 in the Maine Legislature. Thank you for entrusting me with this responsibility and I look forward to beginning my first term as your Representative.

Members of the 127th Maine Legislature were sworn into office on December 3, 2014. Lawmakers will face extraordinary challenges during the next six months as we work on the challenges that Maine citizens expect *their* government to address. I look forward to working with our governor and my colleagues from the House and Senate on both sides of the aisle to ensure that we have an efficient system in place to address our challenges.

I am pleased to have been appointed to the Joint Select Committee on Labor, Commerce, Research and Economic Development, this panel is charged with the responsibility of creating and amending laws regarding employee wages, working conditions and safety. This committee also oversees workers compensation, collective bargaining, business regulation, licensing, consumer protection and Maine State Housing to name a few. My background and experience in the business and finance sector and my interest in improving Maine's business climate should make this appointment a good fit.

Again, thank you and please do not hesitate to contact me with questions or comments you may have concerning state government. I look forward to proudly representing the interests of House District 131 in Augusta.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Karl Ward", written over a horizontal line.

Karl Ward
State Representative



No Cost

WE NOW RECYCLE ELECTRONIC DEVICES

No Cost

No Cost



Televisions



Complete Computer



Mouse



Towers



Scanners



Keyboard



Computer Speakers



Printers

In the past, no one thought of recycling computers and other electronics. But these days engineers have taken notice that electronics usually contain a wealth of valuable materials. Plus, recycling almost always means lower net carbon emissions that would normally be emitted while manufacturing a new product. Finally, electronics are made with a sizable amount of lead, cadmium, brominated fire retardants and plastics that can leach toxic breakdown products — that's stuff no one wants in their water supply! Recycling electronics is good for the environment and our local communities.

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If you have any questions about whether your electronic device can be recycled at the Buck-sport Transfer Station, feel free to contact us at 469-7496.

Nationally, approximately 2.8 billion pounds (1.4 million tons) of electronic equipment were recycled in 2006, including 65 million units of computer equipment (CPUs, monitors, and printers). The electronics recycling process yielded 1.3 billion pounds of recyclable materials, more than half of which were metals. Consumer electronics alone are now considered to be approaching more than 3 million tons generated annually.

*(Institute of Scrap Recycling Industries, Inc.
www.isri.org)*



DVD Recorders & Players



Gaming Systems



Fax Machines



VCR Cameras & Players



Digital Clocks

All Receivers,

Radios WITHOUT speakers



RECYCLABLE MATERIALS



NEWSPAPER, MAGAZINES, TELEPHONE DIRECTORY AND CATALOGS:



Loosely deposit in yellow container. You may combine all the above items in the same container. Do not bundle or leave in a paper bag. Items should not be contaminated.



MIXED PAPER:

Please, No Trash

Includes a wide variety of light cardboard boxes such as cereal or cracker boxes, shoe boxes, foreign in, junk mail, office paper, egg cartons. Please remove the waxed paper liner from any container, flatten and dispose of in the designated green #2 baler located on the recycling wall.



CARDBOARD & BROWN PAPER BAGS:

Only corrugated cardboard and brown grocery bags. Flatten and dispose of in the designated green #1 baler left of the trash hopper.

CLOTHING:

Must be clean and not contaminated with dirt or other substances. Deposit usable clothes in the designated box container.



LEAVES, GRASS CLIP, PINES & GARDEN RESIDUE:

Dispose of in compost pile located behind the transfer station. Please remove all plastic bags and containers. Please stop and see attendant before going down back.



PLASTICS:

Includes all plastics that have the recycle symbol on the bottom and are Numbers 2 & 3. Rinse clean. There is no need to remove labels. Remove all caps and rings. Do Not include plastic bags, motor oil containers, plastic wrap, styrofoam, or plastic utensils. Dispose of the plastics in the yellow container marked for plastics on recycling wall.

TIN CANS:

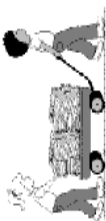


Please rinse clean. There is no need to remove labels. Include covers and rings from other containers. Included aluminum

NOTICE TO ALL USERS

Substantial Recycling means that you separate the required materials EACH time you visit the facility.

Items such as foil pie plates, pans or TV dinner containers. No motor cans. Dispose of the cleaned items in garbage can located along the recycling wall.



METAL ITEMS:

There is no charge for metal items, except for:
Propane Tanks
20 lbs \$10.00
>20 lbs \$20.00
Refrigerators
\$12.00
Air Conditioners, water coolers, etc. \$15.00

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED:

Automobile gas tanks unless cut in half, unrefined containers that contain a hazardous waste, and whole 50 gallon drums.

MOTOR OIL:

Regular used motor oil ONLY. See Attendant for disposal. Limited to 5 gallons per visit from containers no larger than 2 gallons.

MOTOR VEHICLE BATTERIES

There is no charge to dispose of m/v batteries. Batteries are to be placed in designated container.



DEMO DEBRIS:

1/2 ton pick-up load \$25.00 and limited to two loads per household. Includes all painted and stained wood.

CLEAN WOOD:

Includes brush, trees no larger than 6" diameter, lumber no longer than 8' in length. Limited to two loads per household. NO painted or stained wood.

ASPHALT SHINGLES:

Shingles must be free of wood and paper. Limited to two pickup loads per household. No asbestos shingles will be accepted.

TRANSFER STATION

FEE'S

(N/C = No Charge)

- Wood: 1/2 ton pickup load \$15.00
- Metal: N/C
- Shingles: 1/2 ton pickup load \$35.00
- Demo debris: 1/2 ton pickup load \$25.00
- Refrigeration, per item: \$12.00 – \$15.00
- Rugs (room size) 12x12 \$ 3.00
- Mattresses & Springs;
- Regular and larger: \$ 5.00
- Twin size: \$ 3.00
- Couch: \$10.00
- Stuffed Chair: \$ 5.00
- Wooden furniture: \$
- 5.00
- TV's 27" & less (residential) \$ N/C
- TV's over 27" (residential) \$ N/C
- Computer Monitors (residential) \$ N/C
- Commercial TV's & Monitors \$ 6.00
- Propane Tanks 20 lbs \$10.00
- >20 lbs \$20.00
- N/C
- If it can be given away:
- if furniture is taken apart and separated (stuffing, cloth, metal, wood): N/C
- An armful of clean wood N/C
- or demo debris: N/C

The Town's cost for disposal is:

- Metal \$7.00 per ton
- Wood \$83.00 per ton
- Demo \$90.00 per ton
- Shingles \$60.00 per ton
- Refrigeration \$12.00 per unit

For those who do not choose to **Substantially Recycle**, the cost for bagged garbage disposal is \$.50 per bag up to 30 gal., \$1.00 per bag greater than 30 gal, and when actual weight is known, \$40.00 per ton.

SUBSTANTIAL RECYCLING MEANS:

Removing the following items from your household garbage **EACH VISIT**:

- Newspaper
- Cardboard
- Mixed paper
- Magazines
- Plastics
- Tin cans

All recycled items must be free from contaminants such as grease, oil, dirt, food, etc.

If you have any questions, please see the attendant on duty.

UNIVERSAL WASTE IS RECYCLED AT THE TRANSFER STATION. UNIVERSAL WASTE INCLUDES FLORESCENT LIGHT BULBS, BALLASTS, MERCURY THERMOMETERS AND RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES



BUCKSPORT TRANSFER STATION & RECYCLING CENTER

Transfer Station Road
16 Transfer Station Road
(on Central Street)
Bucksport, ME 04416

Operating Hours:

Thursday - Monday 9am – 5pm
Tuesday & Wednesday - CLOSED

● Tel: 469-7496

This facility services the towns of Bucksport and Oland by Permit only

All temporary permits may be obtained at the

Bucksport Town Office
50 Main Street
Tel: 469-7368

Transfer Station Personnel
Daniel Robinson, Operator
Misty Young, Asst. Operator

Report of the Board of Selectmen

To the Citizens of the Town of Orland;

The year 2013-2014 has been an active one for the Selectmen's office.

Discussion continued regarding the Wind Energy Facility Ordinance. To date, no application has been received.

Work continues on the Community Center. Thanks to Mike Malenfant, our properties manager, the building is being used by several businesses and we are in the process of opening a fitness center.

In the Clerk's office, we have been joined by Tracy Patterson. She is working as an Assistant Clerk/Tax Collector, as well as taking the general assistance applications.

As always, thanks to our fellow town officers and the many committee volunteers for another good year.

Respectfully submitted,
Edward Rankin, Sr., Chairman
Ralph Gonzales
Lester Stackpole

Report of the General Assistance Administrator

The Selectmen adopted the General Assistance Ordinance (prepared by Maine Municipal Association, August 2005) on the 12th day of October 2006. We also adopted the Appendices (A-C) for Fiscal Year 2013/2014 to keep up with the State mandates. Applicants must show that they are attempting to improve their present situation which has caused them to seek assistance.

For fiscal year 2013/2014, we had an appropriation of \$11,600.00, expenses of \$13,921.55, labor \$1,200.00, reimbursement of \$6,770.20, and refund of \$567.20 from Fiscal Year 2012/2013 adjustment, leaving a balance of \$3,815.85.

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph Gonzales

Report of the Town Clerk & Tax Collector

As in past years, I wish to thank the citizens of the Town of Orland for their support. Being your Town Clerk is very special to me and I am amazed at how fast the years have gone by! Being the first contact most citizens have with the Town, the Clerk's office strives to give the best service possible. We can not always answer a person's question; however, we usually can refer the person to the appropriate department.

In the clerk's office, we licensed 258 dogs in 2013-14. **Please remember that a state-mandated \$25.00 late fee applies to re-registrations of dogs after January 31st of any given year.**

We are still working with the MOSES program for hunting/fishing licensing and recreational vehicle registrations. The licenses are completed and the State knows instantly that a customer has their license and/or registration. In 2013-14, we registered 86 snowmobiles, 139 ATVs, and 345 boats. We also processed 528 recreational licenses. In 2013-14, we processed over 3000 motor vehicle transactions.

On the tax collection side, we have moved from a calendar year to a fiscal year. We have changed from a single payment cycle to a semi-annual payment cycle. Therefore, the first payment is due by September 30th and the second payment is due by March 31st.

With times becoming more difficult, we understand that finding the money to pay property taxes is not always easy. ***Please be aware that taxes can be paid on a monthly basis instead of coming up with the lump sum in September and March. If you have fallen behind in your taxes, please consider making a payment arrangement with the Board of Selectmen. These arrangements call for a mutually agreed upon amount to be paid monthly.*** Call the office if you are interested.

Respectfully submitted,
Connie L. Brown, CMMC
Town Clerk & Tax Collector

Vital Statistics for 2012-13

Births	17
Deaths	21
Marriages	12

Report of the Code Enforcement Officer

To the Citizens of the Town of Orland:

There were 15 permits issued by the CEO in the shoreland zone as follows:

New Residences	6	Trees/cutting	5
Residence Additions	3	Sheds	1
Garages	1	Decks, Ramps, Docks	3

Respectfully Submitted,
Gerald Guse, CEO

Report of the Plumbing Inspector

New Septic Systems	15
Replacement Systems	2
Replacement Septic Fields	0
Replacement Septic Tanks	2
Hook-ups Trailer	2
Internal Plumbing Permits	22
Complaints	10

Respectfully Submitted,
Gerald Guse, LPI

Report of the Assessors

The Town's total valuation went up from \$198,102,200.00 in 2013/2014 to \$200,140,280.00, in 2014/2015, without exemptions. New listings include 4 new homes, 1 seasonal property and 2 business expansions.

The Assessors processed 121 real estate transfers from April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014. Your tax bill showed that due to State Municipal Revenue Sharing and State Aid to Education, each bill has been reduced by 44%.

The Maine Revenue Service issued an update pertaining to Property Tax Abatement and Appeals Procedures, in August of 1993. If a taxpayer believes that the valuation of his or her property is too high, the taxpayer's only remedy is to submit a written application to the Assessors for an abatement within 185 days of the commitment date of the tax in question, stating the grounds for abatement.

Homestead Exemption Applications are available at the Town Office for the 2015 tax year. If you did not qualify last year, you may reapply. If you did qualify last year, you do not need to apply again. We granted 564 Homestead Exemptions for the year 2014/2015. Due to Legislative Changes, the Homestead Exemption is now \$10,000.00 before adjustment to the State Certified Ratio, however, the state only reimburses 50% of that amount.

The mil rate for the 2014/2015 tax year did not increase from .0142.

The Assessors will be in session on or around April 1st each year to provide Declaration of Estate Forms. Declaration of Estate Forms are for the purpose of providing the Assessors with any changes made to your property during the year. The exact dates of these sessions will appear in local newspapers and will be posted at the Town Office.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary E. Hauger CMA Chairman
Geoffrey N. Hauger
Rhonda Clement

REAL ESTATE

LAND	\$ 70,656,930.00
BUILDING	\$128,916,290.00
TOTAL REAL ESTATE	\$199,573,220.00

PERSONAL PROPERTY

BUSINESS EQUIPMENT	\$ 3,965,375.00
EXEMPTIONS	\$ 0.00
TOTAL PERSONAL PROPERTY	\$ 3,965,375.00

TOTAL VALUATION **\$203,538,440.00**

TAX RATE PER THOUSAND	<u>.0142</u>
	\$ 2,890,245.84

COUNTY TAX	\$ 88,561.00
MUNICIPAL APPROPRIATION	\$ 1,136,586.00
SCHOOL/EDUCATION APPROPRIATION	\$2,162,940.00
OVERLAY	\$ 30,653.23
TOTAL ASSESSMENT	\$ 3,388,087.23

STATE REVENUE SHARING	\$ 85,000.00
HOMESTEAD REIMBURSEMENT	\$ 40,288.03
BETTE REIMBURSEMENT	\$148.25
OTHER REVENUE	\$ 491,600.00
TOTAL DEDUCTION	\$576,600.00
NET ASSESSMENT FOR COMMITMENT	\$ 2,811,487.00

Report of the Treasurer

Town of Orland Cash Balances as of 06/30/2014

Revenues:

Property Tax, incl.Homestead	\$2,877,973.00
Excise Tax	\$405,704.00
State of Maine	
Veterans' Exemption	\$2,065.00
State Revenue Sharing	\$81,760.00
Local Road Assistance	\$35,748.00
Tree Growth Reimbursement	\$28,771.00
Permits and Fees	\$16,192.00
Investment Income	\$2,257.00
Interest & lien costs	\$37,611.00
Miscellaneous Revenues	\$18,365.00
Total Revenues	\$3,506,448

Expenditures:

Administration	\$186,681.00
Health & Sanitation	\$57,161.00
Education	\$2,136,969.00
Protection	\$78,555.00
Highways	\$592,306.00
Unclassified	\$27,207.00
Assessments	\$90,698.00
Total Expenditures	\$3,169,576

Report of the Treasurer, continued

Excess of Revenues	\$336,871.00
Capital Reserve	-\$50,000.00
Cemetery Trust Interest	+\$455.00
Excess 6/30/2014	\$336,462.00
Fund Balance 7/1/2013	\$1,675,061.00
Fund Balance 6/30/2014	\$2,011,523.00

Capital Reserve	
Beginning Balance	\$106,892.00
Appropriation	+\$50,000.00
Fund Balance	\$156,892.00

Cemetery Trust Funds	
Beginning Balance	\$4,090.00
Interest to General Fund	-\$409.00
Fund Balance	\$3,681.00

Respectfully submitted,
Dorothy E.S. Baker, Treasurer

Unpaid Taxes as of June 30, 2014

A PEACE OF MAINE	1090.10
A PEACE OF MAINE	170.61
A PEACE OF MAINE	434.97
A.F.H. INC	1917.26
AMES, DANIEL & MARTHA	1104.39
ARBO, HEIRS OF TERRANCE	478.63
ATHERTON, JEREMY & MARGARET	229.27
BARRY, JOSEHPINE	2610.52
BECKETT, MICHAEL	308.74
BEHRENSHOUSER, JOSHUA	798.41
BURGESS, ROBERT E.	1965.05
BURPEE, MARCUS & JACKIE	1300.06
CAMPBELL, BRUCE & BRENDA	1767.32
CAREY-LORD, PAULA & DALE LORD	320.56
CARLISLE, MARY S.	978.81
CARLISLE, NICOLE A.	1032.50
CARRIER, MATTHEW	141.51
CARTER, ADAM MICHAEL	152.67
CHAMBERLAND, WILLIAM	1398.42
CHATTIN, DANIEL A. & LINDA M.	485.40
CHATTIN, DANIEL A. & LINDA M.	525.83
CHATTIN, DANIEL ALLEN	694.76
CHVETS, OLEG & A. MELIKHOV	354.54
CHVETS, OLEG & V.DONCHAK	263.53
CLARK & C THOMAS, MICHAEL	2543.17
CLEMENT, NORMAN	1615.71
COGSWELL, BARBARA	109.58
COOMBS, EILEEN	149.28
COOMBS, WESTLY O JR & ANGELA	2937.49
COOMBS, WINSLOW	1126.59
COTE, VALERIE R	508.36
CRAIG-GREEN, LAURENCE	666.52
CUNNINGHAM, SHELDON & AIMEE	86.97
CUSKELLY, CHRISTINE	1893.62
DANKEL, NANCY J	260.84
DEJOY & M DUMONT, DALE J	1047.47
DESROSIERS ET ALS, FRANCIS	660.50
DIAMOND STAR PROPERTIES LLC	700.70
DOKKA, MICHELLE R.	3000.28
DOUCETTE, CHRISTOPHER & MICHELLE	535.06

DOUGLASS, KAREN	580.73
DOW, KEVIN & CAROL	297.68
DUMONT & D DEJOY, MICHAEL	414.23
DYER, HARRY A	458.19
ELDRIDGE, KERRY	2798.25
ELDRIDGE, WANDA	1610.01
FARNHAM, DIANNE	168.99
FARREN, DANIEL J	1278.01
FORTE, ROBERTO	130.11
FORTIER, ROBERT CHARLES	250.32
FREEMAN, KATHERINE ET AL	123.61
FRENCH, ALBERT	1408.43
GALLANT, WILLIAM G & MELANIE L	306.49
GERRY, PAULA	419.38
GILLEY, RICHARD D & LAURALEE	1823.64
GRAY, M. & RYAN MCGUIRE SR	616.68
GRAY, ARTHUR J & EDYTHE B	665.94
GRAY, RICHARD	465.46
GRAY, WALTER A	988.43
GRAY, WAYNE A	933.18
GRINDLE ET ALS, PHILIP B JR	728.69
GRUNWALD II, LEO	1942.84
HANSCOM, SCOTT E	165.61
HARRIMAN, ROBERT F & BELINDA J	1841.42
HEATH, MATTHEW	499.78
HENDERSON REALTY TRUST	200.01
HENDERSON REALTY TRUST	198.99
HENDERSON REALTY TRUST	196.19
HENDERSON, BENJAMIN	216.63
HENDERSON, DILLON	184.42
HENDERSON, HOLLY	196.34
HOPKINS, DAVID	605.22
HOPKINS, KEVIN	900.75
HOYT, DAVID F	294.11
HUTCHINS, ROLAND	647.56
HUTCHINS, ROLAND	386.30
HUTCHINS, TERRY M	171.65
JACOBS JR, TROY A	416.87
JOY, AUDREY	478.78
KEENE, GORDON C	187.23
KELLEY, RICHARD D & HENRIETTA S	1544.86
KENNEDY, LISA DAWN	774.42

LADD, JOHN & JESSICA	782.32
LAMBERT LIVING TRUST	378.64
LAMBERT LIVING TRUST	1101.28
LEWIS, HERBERT E JR	201.78
LUMBERT, LLOYD	348.15
MACDONALD, KEVIN	1305.79
MAGGS, KRIS & DOMINGA	387.42
MOEN, RICHARD C	525.81
MORRISON, HAROLD ET AL	915.42
MOTT, DAVID & ELLEN	1971.69
MOTT, DAVID & ELLEN	373.82
MOTT, DAVID & ELLEN	264.74
MURCH, DAVID & CYNTHIA	939.25
NEWBEGIN ET AL, JEFFREY S	1595.02
OAK LEAF REALTY INC	75.48
OAKLEAF REALTY INC	232.80
OAKLEAF	126.94
ODONNELL, ALLEN M	422.18
OLDFIELD, FREDERICK & PATRICIA	125.82
PANARO, ANGELO	1700.57
PELLETIER, ROCHELLE	1121.24
REED, JEFFREY L	358.06
REYNOLDS, OLA	281.03
REYNOLDS, OLA	1173.78
RICCIARDELLI, GINA MARIA	2288.08
ROBERGE, BETH	2112.38
RIEMERSMA, RICHARD R	1973.34
ROBBINS, WILLIAM L JR	1081.57
ROBERGE, BETH A	2012.44
ROBERGE, BETH A	175.61
ROBICHAUD, NICOLE M	487.75
ROBSHAW, MARY	447.91
ROBSHAW, MARY	1062.52
ROBSHAW, MARY	143.57
ROBSHAW, MARY	171.79
RUCKER, EMELY	724.46
SAMPSON, TIMOTHY K & GLORIA E	420.70
SAMPSON, TIMOTHY K & GLORIA E	1065.86
SAMPSON, TIMOTHY K & GLORIA E	444.81
SARGENT, SCOTT E & LEE A	659.59
SAUNDERS, ROY B	1435.18
SEA LAND INDUSTRIES INC	321.90

SILVA & A CHAMBERS, CHRISTOPHER	1216.81
SKINNER JR, JOHN & KELLY M	951.90
SMITH, KIMBERLY A	476.57
SMITH, MARTHA & RICHARD	2022.12
SNOWMAN, BRUCE	728.94
SOPER, BRENT	1671.44
SOPER, BRENT	87.24
SOPER, FRANCES	568.47
STEELE, MOLLY ORCUTT	1878.91
STUBBS, JUDITH	631.80
TAYLOR, BEVERLY	171.79
TAYLOR, WILLIAM A & BONNIE	385.46
TAYLOR, WILLIAM A & BONNIE	369.64
THIBODEAU, GLORIA J.	3082.03
THIBODEAU, MARK E & JOSEPHINE E	1476.48
TINNEY, WILLIAM	1569.10
TOCHTERMAN, SHAUN & J GRANT	147.53
TOWER, DANIEL T	1476.93
TOWER, DANIEL T	1504.12
VEILLEUX, JOSEPH	404.54
WELLS, CYNTHIA	1309.02
WILKINSON, JOANNE & JOHN G	1860.17
WINTERS, ROBERT & LISA	888.53
WOTTON-DRAKE, LISA L	2361.29
WRIGHT, WAYNE	830.19
YEO, RUSSELL	173.70

Unpaid Tax Liens as of 06/30/2014 - 2013

A PEACE OF MAINE	1110.87
A.F.H. INC	1164.42
AMES, DANIEL & MARTHA	133.75
BARRY, JOSEPHINE	507.16
BURGESS, ROBERT E	821.41
CARLISLE, MARY S	453.55
CARLISLE, NICOLE A	1045.88
CARTER, ADAM MICHAEL	160.68
CHAMBERLAND, WILLIAM	1106.30
CHATTIN, DANIEL A & LINDA M	497.93
CHATTIN, DANIEL A & LINDA M	538.92
CHATTIN DANIEL ALLEN	710.14
CLARK & C THOMAS, MICHAEL	1458.02
CLEMENT, NORMAN	1643.62
COOMBS, EILEEN	157.25
COOMBS, WESTLY O JR & ANGELA	2976.80
CRAIG-GREEN, LAURENCE	683.01
DEJOY & M DUMONT, DALE J	1067.64
DESROSIERS ET AL, FRANCIS	41.01
DOKKA, MICHELLE R	3040.44
DUMONT & D DEJOY, MICHAEL	425.80
ELDRIDGE, KERRY	463.55
ESTHER BOOBER REVOCABLE TRUST	86.02
FORTIER, ROBERT CHARLES	312.64
GERRY, SHAWN & PAULA	31.80
GILLEY, RICHARD & LAURALEE	1849.28
GRAY, ARTHUR J. & EDYTHE B.	984.05
GRAY, WAYNE	1026.22
GRINDLE, PHILIP JR ET AL	813.85
HANSCOM, SCOTT E.	159.95
HARRIMAN, ROBERT E. & BELINDA J.	1867.31
HENDERSON, BENJAMIN	225.52
HENDERSON, DILLON	192.87
HENDERSON, HOLLY	204.94
HENDERSON REALTY TRUST	208.67
HENDERSON REALTY TRUST	207.63
HENDERSON REALTY TRUST	204.79
HOPKINS, DAVID	619.38
HOPKINS, KEVIN	506.68
HOYT, DAVID F.	305.39

HUTCHINS, ROLAND	662.29
HUTCHINS, ROLAND	397.48
HUTCHINS, TERRY	121.87
KEENE, GORDON	54.14
KELLEY, RICHARD D. & HENRIETTA S.	1552.61
LEWIS, HERBERT E. JR	150.06
MURCH, DAVID & CYNTHIA	1116.23
OAKLEAF REALTY INC.	241.90
OAKLEAF	129.83
ODONNELL, ALLEN M.	75.17
OLDFIELD, FREDERICK & PATRICIA	26.82
REED, JEFFREY L.	368.86
REYNOLDS, OLA	253.23
REYNOLDS, OLA	1272.40
RICCIARDELLI, GINA MARIA	1231.73
ROBERGE, BETH	2147.03
ROBICHAUD, NICOLE M.	500.31
RUCKER, EMELY	740.23
SAUNDERS, ROY B.	148.65
SMITH, KIMBERLY	414.53
SMITH, MARTHA & RICHARD	1032.66
SOPER, FRANCES	545.55
STEELE, MOLLY ORCUTT	1441.57
TAYLOR, BEVERLY	164.26
TOCHTERMAN, SHAUN & J. GRANT	155.47
VEILLEUX, JOSEPH	415.96
WELLS, CYNTHIA	1013.24
WOTTON-DRAKE, LISA L.	2174.60

Unpaid Tax Liens as of 06/30/2014 - 2012

COOMBS, EILEEN	56.91
DEJOY & M DUMONT, DALE J	148.78
DOKKA, MICHELLE R	1028.81
HARRIMAN, ROBERT E. & BELINDA J.	659.52
REED, JEFFREY L.	176.78
RUCKER, EMELY	219.50
SAUNDERS, ROY B.	1167.98
SMITH, KIMBERLY	2274.15
SMITH, KIMBERLY	331.24
SNOWMAN, CHRISTOPHER	694.68
SOPER, DENNIS	327.28
TAYLOR, BEVERLY	112.09
TOCHTERMAN, SHAUN & J. GRANT	92.40
VEILLEUX, JOSEPH	337.12

Unpaid Sewer Bills as of 06/30/2014

BLOOD, CLIFTON L.	1230.00
CARTER, BETSY R.	105.00
DEANS, ARTHUR W.	4350.00
DORR, LORI	3390.00
GIOSIA, CHARLES & CAROLYN	105.00
GOLDING, HEIDI	105.00
H.O.M.E. INC	97.50
H.O.M.E. INC	112.50
H.O.M.E. INC	75.00
LADD, JOHN & JESSICA	105.00
MURCH, DAVID	315.00
PEARCE, SALLY	315.00
PLANTE, SHARON	105.00
RUCKER, EMELY	60.00
RUCKER, EMELY	105.00
RUMNEY, DONALD	105.00
SOPER, FRANCES	525.00
STEVENSON, JODY L.	3030.00
VICTOR, TONY ET AL	105.00
YEO, NICKY L.	4918.00

Orland Historical Society 2013-2014

The society had a successful year with open museum twice weekly during the summer months and an Open House in August. We held monthly meetings at the museum at 7 PM on the 4th Wednesday of the month from April through September. At several meetings, we enjoyed a pot luck dinner before the business meeting. We hosted the Bucksport Historical Society at one meeting with a pot luck supper. The society featured a special display of vintage wedding dresses that were loaned by local folks for the summer season. This display was very popular and we had many visitors in to view this wonderful display. For the summer of 2015, we are featuring a vintage toy display for toys loaned by local residents.

We held a great open house in conjunction with an Antique Auto Show the last Saturday in August. The Society ladies also held a bake sale in conjunction with the Car Show. We plan to have our 3rd Annual Antique Auto Show on August 22, 2015.

Orland Historical Society will accept donated or loaned historical artifacts for display in our museum. Our expanding collections will allow us to rotate items for display for public viewing.

The society welcomes groups to schedule tours of our museum. We will also entertain folks to call to view the museum on days that we are open by schedule.

Orland Historical Society welcomes anyone interested in joining who has an interest in Orland history. We want to thank the town of Orland for its continuing support of OHS to preserve our past for future generations to enjoy.

Respectfully submitted

Roger Wood

OHS President

Orland Dam Committee 2013-14

The Orland Dam Committee has continued to meet about once a month for the past year (2014/15). The initial Feasibility Study was submitted to the town in 2013/14 and is posted on the town web page at (<http://www.orlandme.org/Orland%20Dam.html>). This study uncovered a number of questions that need further investigation. It should be pointed out that no decision on the future of the dam has been made and that we have been looking at five alternatives:

- No Action – just keep the dam as it is
- Dam and Fishway Rehabilitation
- Dam and Fishway Modification (improvement)
- Dam Removal
- A Nature Like Fishway

These five alternatives are discussed and analyzed in the Feasibility Study and a final decision on which one the Town decides to follow will be made by a vote at the town meeting or a referendum probably in June of 2016. Meanwhile, there are several questions that still remain and will be investigated further this summer. Funding for these further studies is being provided 100% by NOAA through the Nature Conservancy.

Mercury - A court ordered study of Holtra Chemical Company's contamination of the Penobscot River shows a very high concentration of mercury in the area below the Orland dam and Verona Island area. The significance of this contamination needs to be determined before any action on the future of the dam is determined.

The recent closing of the Verso Paper mill will be impacting the water flow in the Orland River as the mill previously pumped about 10 million gallons/day from Alamoosook dam and that reduced the flow in the Orland River. The increased water flow should improve the water quality in the river but the future of the Alamoosook and Toddy dams as well as future water use by the new owners of the mill are unknown at this time.

We need to determine with more precision the hydrography of the river if the dam were to be removed and what the river would look like without the dam.

We need to determine what type of scouring or erosion would occur to the bridges and the effect on the culverts on the Upper Falls Road if the river would become tidal.

We need to determine what could be done to provide adequate water supply for fire suppression if the dam was removed. It is our plan to provide information including future costs, funding sources and impacts for each of the alternatives so you the citizens of Orland can make an informed decision on the future of the dam and its impact on the town.

John Barlow, Chair



Installing the repaired fish way 2012

Application Procedures

In order to provide information to anyone who is planning a project (new or old) in Orland, outlined is a brief description of those permits, which may be required. Unless otherwise noted, applications are available at the Town Office. A \$5.00 fee is charged for copies of any of the ordinances.

SITE PLAN REVIEW PERMIT: This permit is required for all development proposals for establishment, alterations, or substantial enlargements of commercial, retail, industrial, institutional buildings and multiple family dwellings consisting of three or more units. Permit approval must be obtained from the Planning Board. A fee is charged.

SUBDIVISION REVIEW PERMIT: Subdivision review is required whenever three or more units are developed or any one lot is divided three or more times in any five-year period. Approval for a subdivision must be obtained from the Planning Board. The application fee is dependent upon the number of units or lots.

SHORELAND ZONING PERMIT: This permit must be obtained by anyone who proposes to construct, modify, enlarge, or change the use of any building located within 250' of the shoreline or any other area as designated on the official shoreland zoning map, which is located at the Town Office. This permit must also be obtained by anyone who proposes any changes to the land, such as clearing, erosion control, etc. within those designated areas. Permits are issued either by the Code Enforcement Officer or the Planning Board. The Code Enforcement Officer makes the determination as to who issues the permit. Whenever a shoreland zoning permit is requested for a new or expanded building, a copy of a plumbing permit must be attached to the application.

FLOOD HAZARD AREA PERMIT: This permit must be obtained by anyone who plans to construct, relocate, replace, enlarge, or modify any building which is located in the Special Flood Hazard area as designated by the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, such map being located at the Town Office. The Code Enforcement Officer issues this permit.

PLUMBING PERMIT: This permit must be obtained by anyone who is going to do any type of plumbing either on the interior or exterior of a new or existing building. The permit must be obtained from the Plumbing Inspector. A permit fee is charged and the amount depends on the number of fixtures, which will be installed. Once the permit has been obtained and the work completed, the Inspector must be notified so that he can inspect the work done. Plumbing permits are valid for twenty-four months after issuance. If a plumbing permit is being requested for the purposes of installing a subsurface disposal system, the applicant will be required to obtain the services of a certified soils scientist to design the system prior to seeking the permit. The Plumbing Inspector can be contacted for suggested names of certified soils scientists who serve the Orland area.

HIGHWAY ENTRANCE PERMIT: This permit must be obtained by anyone who is proposing to construct any driveway entrance or approach within the right of way of any town road. This is also true if the grade or location of any existing driveway entrance will be changed. Applications are obtained from the Road Commissioner. A similar permit has to be obtained from the Department of Transportation if the new entrance is proposed within a state owned right of way.

ELECTRICAL SERVICE FORM: Anyone who is planning to install a new electrical service will be required by the utility company to obtain a signed form from the Code Enforcement Officer indicating that the property on which the improvements are to be made is not in violation of subdivision requirements and a shoreland zoning permit has been obtained if required. There is no fee for this permit. Application forms may be obtained from the utility company.

WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES PERMIT: This permit is required for the location, construction and expansion of wireless telecommunication facilities. Permit approval must be obtained from the Planning Board.

NOTE: The above is solely informational and is not meant to represent any ordinance or state law in its entirety. Other state and federal regulation may apply to the same project. It is your obligation to obtain all other necessary permits before commencing work.

Report of the Orland Planning Board

This year was slow in terms of permit activity. The Board approved three Site Plan Review Permits. One was for a seafood shop, another was for a woodworking shop, and the third was for the demolition and reconstruction of the Big Apple Store. The Board also authorized the Code Enforcement Officer to issue a Shoreland Zoning Permit for an addition to a non-conforming house.

The Board recommended a fee structure for wind turbines to the Selectmen. The ordinance requires the Selectmen to establish a fee schedule, and this has been done.

During the year the Board worked on revising the Site Plan Review ordinance, and the new ordinance was approved at the Town Meeting in June.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jack MacBrayne – Chairman
Mike Bishop
Charles Giosia
Dexter Johnson
Roger Wood
Kris Cook – Alt
Bill Orcutt – Alt

Report of the Orland Fish Committee

A total of 2098 bushels were caught and were sold for \$18.00 per bushel. The Town's share of the proceeds was \$7,553.00.

Respectfully submitted,
Margaret Hanscom
For Committee Members:

Anne Leclerc
Jay Clement

Peter Robshaw
Margaret Hanscom

Report of the Animal Control Officer

To: Selectman and Residents of Orland .

This year was a busy year with lots of Complaints; I handled 46 complaints this year 2013/14. The complaints ranged from Barking Dogs to Animal Trespass. The state does not have a law against barking dogs under animal welfare regulations therefore you need to have a town ordinance to enforce barking dogs. Orland does have a barking dog ordinance: Enforcement of this ordinance will have to be accompanied by a written complaint and the person making a complaint testifying in court. A change to the Animal Trespass law allows a summons to be issued on the first complaint now not waiting or giving an owner 12 hours to remove trespassing animals anymore. Animal trespass only applies to live stock and does not apply to dogs or cats. Please make sure to get your pets vaccinated against rabies and make sure your dogs are licensed with the Town Clerk. Feel free to contact me with any questions @ my phone number listed below or via E-mail.

Robert L. Gross
167 Upper Falls Road
Orland Maine 04472
Home Phone 469 3969 cell Email fire4utec@aol.com

Complaints Handled 2013/2014

Dogs at Large	10
Missing Cats	8
Animal Cruelty	4
Horse Cruelty	3
Animal Trespass	10
Dogs Struck by Car	2
Wildlife Complaints	9
Total Complaints	46

Report of the Road Commissioner

Road Maintenance Account

Appropriation: \$325,000.00

Carry-over: \$ 4,500.00

Expenditures: Wardwell Construction & Trucking

One Ton	4,725.00
6-8 yd Trucks	405.13
12-18 yd Trucks	14,810.28
Excavators	16,297.93
Grader	484.05
Loader	1,056.90
Skid Steer	480.00
Sweeper	2,160.00
Labor	4,637.50
Hay & Mulcher	1,390.00
Rip Rap	2,568.00
Crusher Dust	480.00
1 1/2" Stone	680.00
1-6" Gravel	4,920.00
Calcium	36.00
Hot top	1,449.36
Cold Patch	99.00
Schedule 20 Pipe	28.00
Man & Saw	922.50
Hydroseeding	<u>600.00</u>
Total	\$58,229.65

Materials & Contractors used:

D J's Municipal Supply	684.00
Viking Lumber	2,704.60
EBS	246.50
Lane Construction	2,952.13
Steve Crawford (Mowing)	2,032.78
Vaughn Thibodeau II	262,659.51
Total Materials & Contractors Used	271,279.52
Total Expenditures	\$329,509.17
Unexpended Balance	-\$9.17

Winter Road Account

Appropriation: \$250,000.00

2013 Carryover \$44,000.00

Total \$294,000.00

Expenditures:

Contract Plow/Sand Roads- Wardwell Construction	164,693.20
International Salt	27,771.54
Ice Sand (Wardwell Construction)	42,372.00
Central Maine Power -Salt Shed Power	909.46
Emergency Storm Situation	4,737.76
Maine Municipal Insurance	763.00
Total Expenditures:	\$241,246.96
Unexpended Balance	\$52,753.04

Report of the Fire Department

To our fellow residents of Orland, Greetings.

This past fiscal year was looking to be one with the fewest incidents recorded in recent memory, until the ice storm. The most numerous type of incident calls we responded to were weather related, most of them right around Christmas with the ice storm. Motor vehicle accidents with injuries came in next then building fires.

Through the Hancock County Mutual Aid Pact, we traveled as far as Sedgwick and Brooksville to assist at fires, as well as received help from many others at some of our own incidents. This pact makes equipment and manpower available when an incident requires additional help beyond what the local department can provide at that time, such as large structure fires or complicated motor vehicle accidents to name a few. This is even more vital during the day when many of our volunteers are away at work and unavailable. We have forged a great working relationship with our mutual aid departments and have trained together on many occasions to increase our combined efficiency.

Our firefighters put in over 2000 volunteer hours responding to emergencies and training and conducting station and equipment maintenance throughout the past year. What makes this significant is that we are one of the last departments in the county that are truly all-volunteer. This means none of our firefighters receive compensation for the services they provide or calls they respond to.

We had two members successfully complete a basic firefighter course, which taught them the minimum State of Maine required skills of structural firefighting. One of our members also successfully completed the Hancock County Fire Academy.

We were fortunate to receive private grant funding to replace 15 sets of structural firefighting turn out gear. This gear helps protect our fire fighters at fires and accidents, and has a 10 year service life, sometimes much less when heavily used or damaged. Our grant to replace the gear saved the town approximately \$20,000 in tax dollars.

We strongly urge everyone to have working smoke and carbon monoxide detectors in their homes, and test them regularly. We recommend replacing the batteries twice a year or whenever you change your clocks for daylight savings time. If you need or know someone who may need help checking, replacing batteries, or installing detectors please let us know and we will see that you get help.

We still have difficulty locating addresses when responding to emergencies due to unmarked or improperly marked mailboxes or houses. Please ensure your mailbox is marked with highly visible numbers that stand out which can be seen from both directions of travel on your road, day or night by responders. Not all emergencies are visibly obvious to responders, and a delay in locating you could be devastating to life or property. If you have any questions or need assistance posting your house number, please let us know.

Contact information for the department is as follows:

For Emergencies (Fire, Police, Ambulance)	911
Station Business Line	469-3079
Bucksport Dispatch	469-7951
Email	ovfddispatch@aol.com

Incidents 2012-13

Building Fires	13
Chimney Fires	1
Vehicle / Mobile Property Fires	1
Wildland / Grass Fires	3
Unauthorized Burning	2
EMS Assists	7
Motor Vehicle Crash with injuries	23
Motor Vehicle Crash without injuries	8
Good Intent / False Alarms	6
Fuel Spills / Leaks	3
Cancelled En Route	4
Sever Weather / Storm Related	27
Service Calls	2
Other Fires and General Calls	17
Total Incidents	117

Respectfully Submitted,
Robert Conary, Fire Chief

ORLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT FINANCIAL REPORT

UTILITIES	\$6,953.50
SUPPLIES & EQUIPMENT	\$19,253.57
GAS & MAINTENANCE	\$13,801.27
WAGES	\$4,247.50
INSURANCE	\$4,715.16
DUES, SUB, TRAINING	\$829.00
MEDICAL	\$200.00
TOTAL	\$50,000.00

ORLAND ENROLLMENT RSU #25 2013

Grade	Number
Pre K	7
K	30
1	16
2	20
3	24
4	19
5	21
6	19
7	14
8	21
9	21
10	8
11	17
12	12
Total	249



George Stevens Academy Annual Report to the Community

George Stevens Academy continues to serve the local community as it has for more than two hundred years with traditions of academic and extracurricular excellence, and community spirit that contributes substantially to the unique character of this area. Founded in 1803 as Blue Hill Academy, George Stevens Academy is an independent school serving local publicly-funded day students as well as residential students and private-pay students.

GSA's comprehensive program of studies offers more than 100 courses each year in ten different departments taught by experienced and dedicated teachers. Many of these are offered at three levels: fundamentals, college preparatory, and honors/advanced placement.

<u>GSA Enrollment</u>	<u>Boys</u>	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Enrollment by Town:</u>
Grade 9	41	40	Blue Hill 117, Brooklin 20, Brooksville 25, Castine 12,
Grade 10	48	39	Hancock 1, Mariaville 1, Orland 16, Penobscot 36,
Grade 11	38	45	Sedgwick 34, Surry 37, Twp. Unorganized 1,
Grade 12	45	39	Residential 30, Private 4, AFS 1
	172	163	

Governance – Board of Trustees

Marion Morris, *President*, Brooklin
James Marston, *Vice President*, Blue Hill
Brian van Eenkerk, Sedgwick
James Henry, Clerk, Penobscot

Margaret Hannah, Blue Hill
Mary Tyler Knowles, Blue Hill
Deborah Ladlow '79, Brookville
Melissa Matras, Sedgwick
Michael McMillen, Brookville

Marjorie Olviart, Castine
Lin Parker, Penobscot
Samantha Polina, Blue Hill
Phyllis Taylor, Blue Hill
Jon Woodward, Sedgwick

Administration

Paul H. Perkinson, *Head of School*
Gail Strehan, *Asst. to the Head of School*
Harriet Moore, *Assistant Head of School*
Joanna Evans, *Admissions*

Martha Garfield, *College & Voc. Counseling*
Frederick Hulsner, *Business Manager*
James Murphy, *Athletic Director*
Kathy Pelletier, *Residential Life*

Libby Rosenzweig, *Dean of Students*
Rada Stacey, *Development*
Liffey Thorpe, *Communications*
Jennifer Trumb, *Annual Giving*

George Stevens Academy welcomes community support and participation. We continue to implement our Strategic Plan, "Renewing the Commitment to Student Success," that improves GSA's program, supports the students and staff, increases professional development, provides new buildings, and renovates existing facilities. The plan is available on the GSA Website. Please contact the GSA office at 207-374-2808 if you would like to be involved in any of our projects.

Finances

The State has set the maximum tuition rate for FY15 at \$10,339. Our annual operating budget is \$5,315,000. We depend on a strong fund-raising effort to meet our expenses. In FY14 the Annual Fund raised \$189,000 in unrestricted gifts and \$150,000 in restricted funds. The FY15 goal is \$225,000 in unrestricted donations. Our ability to offer programs and services not funded by state tuition is a distinct advantage of an independent school.

The Annual Fund is successful thanks to the many, generous contributions of GSA's alumni, parents & friends. We are especially proud of our alumni who gave last year at record rates. In FY14, more than 800 donors contributed to this community school.

For up-to-date information about GSA, our programs, and what's happening on campus, visit our Web site at www.georgestevensacademy.org. Thank you!

Paul B. Perkinson
Head of School

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Members of the Board of Selectmen
Town of Orland
Orland, ME 04472

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities and each major fund of the Town of Orland, Maine (the Town) as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014, which collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statement

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities and each major fund of the Town of Orland, Maine, as of June 30, 2014, and the respective changes in financial position for the fiscal year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 3 through 7 and 22 be presented to supplement the

basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Town of Orland, Maine's financial statements as a whole. The introductory section and other supplementary information are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. The other supplementary information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole. The introductory section has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

Respectfully Submitted,

James W. Wadman, C.P.A.

James W. Wadman, C.P.A.
September 9, 2014

TOWN OF ORLAND, MAINE
REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

(Exhibit X)

	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
<u>Revenues:</u>				
Tax Revenues, Including Homestead Exemption	\$2,817,831	\$2,817,831	\$2,877,973	\$60,143
State Road Assistance	\$30,000	\$30,000	\$35,748	\$5,748
Excise Taxes	\$330,000	\$330,000	\$405,704	\$75,704
State Revenue Sharing	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$81,760	(\$8,240)
Interest & Fees on Taxes	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$37,611	\$34,111
Investment Earnings			\$2,257	\$2,257
Tree Growth Reimbursement			\$28,771	\$28,771
Veterans Exemption Reimbursement			\$2,065	\$2,065
Licenses, Permits & Fees	\$13,000	\$13,000	\$16,192	\$3,192
Community Center Rental			\$8,015	\$8,015
Alewives	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$7,553	\$2,553
Cemetery Lot Sales			\$1,600	\$1,600
Other Revenues	\$868	\$868	\$1,197	\$329
<u>Total Revenues</u>	<u>\$3,290,199</u>	<u>\$3,290,199</u>	<u>\$3,506,448</u>	<u>\$216,249</u>
<u>Expenditures (Net of Departmental Revenues):</u>				
Administration	\$180,900	\$180,900	\$186,681	(\$5,781)
Protection	\$101,425	\$101,425	\$78,555	\$22,870
Health & Sanitation	\$97,250	\$97,250	\$57,161	\$40,089
Highways	\$575,000	\$575,000	\$592,306	(\$17,306)
Education	\$2,159,591	\$2,159,591	\$2,136,969	\$22,622
Unclassified	\$79,600	\$79,600	\$27,207	\$52,393
Assessments	\$131,433	\$131,433	\$90,698	\$40,735
<u>Total Expenditures</u>	<u>\$3,325,199</u>	<u>\$3,325,199</u>	<u>\$3,169,576</u>	<u>\$155,622</u>
<u>Excess of Revenues over Expenditures</u>	<u>(\$35,000)</u>	<u>(\$35,000)</u>	<u>\$336,871</u>	<u>\$371,871</u>
<u>Other Financing Sources (Uses):</u>				
Operating Transfers Out	(\$50,000)	(\$50,000)	(\$50,000)	\$0
<u>Net Change in Fund Balances</u>	<u>(\$85,000)</u>	<u>(\$85,000)</u>	<u>\$286,871</u>	<u>\$371,871</u>
<u>Beginning Fund Balances</u>	<u>\$1,563,624</u>	<u>\$1,563,624</u>	<u>\$1,563,624</u>	<u>\$0</u>
<u>Ending Fund Balances</u>	<u>\$1,478,624</u>	<u>\$1,478,624</u>	<u>\$1,850,495</u>	<u>\$371,871</u>

The Notes to the Financial Statements are an Integral Part of this Statement.

**SCHEDULE OF DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014**

Department	Beginning Balance	Appropriated	Revenues/Transfers	Total Available	Expenditures/Transfers	Lapsed Unexpended (Overdraft)	Ending Balance
Administration:							
General Government	\$3,500	\$78,000	\$1,279	\$82,779	\$81,670	\$9	\$1,100
Officers Salaries		\$79,000	\$900	\$79,900	\$80,412	(\$512)	
Unemployment		\$800		\$800	\$658	\$142	
Worker's Compensation		\$900	\$192	\$1,092	\$957	\$135	
Social Security	\$2,100	\$8,200		\$8,200	\$9,278	(\$1,078)	
Town Property Maintenance	\$6,000	\$6,000		\$8,100	\$3,566	\$4	\$4,530
Utilities	\$1,400	\$8,000		\$9,400	\$7,510	\$10	\$1,880
	\$7,000	\$180,900	\$2,371	\$190,271	\$184,052	(\$1,291)	\$7,510
Protection:							
Fire Department		\$50,000	\$10,088	\$60,088	\$60,088	\$0	
Bucksport Ambulance	\$12,000	\$33,400		\$45,400	\$16,700	\$0	\$28,700
Bucksport Dispatch		\$12,800		\$12,800	\$7,024	\$2	\$5,775
Forest Fires	\$5,000			\$5,000		\$0	\$5,000
Civil Preparedness	\$3,500	\$500	\$200	\$3,500	\$77	\$3	\$3,420
Legal	\$15,000			\$15,700		\$0	\$15,700
Street Lights		\$4,200		\$4,200	\$3,855	\$0	\$345
Animal Control	\$1,200	\$525	\$178	\$1,903	\$1,277	\$1	\$625
	\$36,700	\$101,425	\$10,466	\$148,591	\$89,021	\$5	\$59,565
Health & Sanitation:							
Solid Waste	\$14,500	\$79,900	\$9,440	\$103,840	\$40,309	\$1	\$63,530
Septic Waste	\$4,000			\$4,000	\$4,000	\$0	
Community Health & Counseling		\$1,530		\$1,530	\$1,530	\$0	
Hospice of Hancock County		\$500		\$500	\$500	\$0	
Eastern Area Agency on Aging		\$1,400		\$1,400	\$1,400	\$0	
Bucksport Community Concern		\$2,500		\$2,500	\$2,500	\$0	
Child & Family Opportunities		\$1,400		\$1,400	\$1,400	\$0	
American Red Cross		\$400		\$400	\$400	\$0	
Bucksport Bay Healthy Coalition		\$800		\$800	\$800	\$0	
Washington Hancock Community Agency		\$3,000		\$3,000	\$3,000	\$0	
Hancock County Home Care		\$2,100		\$2,100	\$2,100	\$0	
Yesterday's Children		\$300		\$300	\$300	\$0	
WIC Nutrition Program		\$1,820		\$1,820	\$1,820	\$0	
Downeast Horizons		\$1,600		\$1,600	\$1,600	\$0	
	\$18,500	\$97,250	\$9,440	\$125,190	\$61,659	\$1	\$63,530

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES - CONTINUED
FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2014

	Expending Program	Appropriated	Revenues Proceeds	Total Available	Expenditures Transfers	Unexpended (Over/Short)	Ending Balance
Disbursements:							
Town Bonds	\$4,300	\$125,000		\$129,300	\$125,000	(4300)	\$4,300
Winter Roads	\$44,000	\$430,000		\$474,000	\$430,000	\$44,000	\$44,000
Road Signs	\$7,700			\$7,700	\$7,700		\$7,700
State Food Assistance				\$15,748	\$15,748		\$15,748
	\$50,000	\$555,000		\$605,000	\$555,000	\$50,000	\$50,000
Professional:							
Evaluation Assessment	\$25,750	\$7,150,500		\$7,176,250	\$7,150,500	\$25,750	\$25,750
Evaluation Research Fund	\$25,750	\$7,150,500		\$7,176,250	\$7,150,500	\$25,750	\$25,750
	\$51,500	\$14,301,000		\$14,352,250	\$14,301,000	\$51,250	\$51,250
Per Diem:							
General Assistance	\$1,100	\$5,500		\$6,600	\$6,600		\$6,600
Elm Village Village Dues		\$5,500		\$5,500	\$5,500		\$5,500
Elm Village Dues Grant		\$5,500		\$5,500	\$5,500		\$5,500
Elm Village Dues	\$1,100	\$5,500		\$6,600	\$6,600		\$6,600
Elm Village Dues	\$26,700	\$10,000		\$36,700	\$36,700		\$36,700
Community Center Reserve	\$500	\$500,000		\$500,500	\$500,000	\$500	\$500
Community Center		\$500,000		\$500,000	\$500,000		\$500,000
Capital Reserve	\$1,100	\$1,100		\$2,200	\$2,200		\$2,200
Backlund Remanufact	\$1,100	\$1,100		\$2,200	\$2,200		\$2,200
Grand River Days	\$1,100	\$1,100		\$2,200	\$2,200		\$2,200
Grand River Days	\$1,100	\$1,100		\$2,200	\$2,200		\$2,200
Buck Memorial Library	\$1,100	\$1,100		\$2,200	\$2,200		\$2,200
Ellsworth Library	\$1,100	\$1,100		\$2,200	\$2,200		\$2,200
Ellsworth Family YMCA	\$1,100	\$1,100		\$2,200	\$2,200		\$2,200
Family Success Clinic	\$1,100	\$1,100		\$2,200	\$2,200		\$2,200
Ellsworth Historical Society	\$1,100	\$1,100		\$2,200	\$2,200		\$2,200
Chamber of Commerce	\$1,100	\$1,100		\$2,200	\$2,200		\$2,200
	\$44,000	\$1,100,000		\$1,144,000	\$1,144,000		\$1,144,000
Other Activities and Fund Service:							
County Fair		\$40,000		\$40,000	\$40,000		\$40,000
County		\$40,000		\$40,000	\$40,000		\$40,000
	\$0	\$40,000		\$40,000	\$40,000		\$40,000
TOTAL	\$182,550	\$5,315,100	\$102,500	\$5,417,650	\$5,417,650		\$5,417,650

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**WARRANT AND NOTICE OF ELECTION
CALLING REGIONAL SCHOOL UNIT NO. 25
BUDGET VALIDATION REFERENDUM
(20-A M.R.S. § 1486)**

TO: Jane Marston, a resident of Regional School Unit No. 25 (the "Regional School Unit") composed of the Towns of Bucksport, Orland, Prospect and Verona Island, State of Maine.

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby ordered to serve upon the municipal clerks of each of the municipalities within Regional School Unit No. 25, namely, the Towns of Bucksport, Orland, Prospect and Verona Island, an attested copy of this warrant and notice of election. Service shall be in hand within three (3) days of the date of this warrant and notice of election. The municipal clerks of the above municipalities shall immediately notify the respective municipal officers. The municipal officers shall meet forthwith and countersign this warrant and notice of election. The municipal officers shall provide below for the respective municipal clerks to post or have posted this warrant and notice of election.

**TOWN OF ORLAND
REGIONAL SCHOOL UNIT BUDGET VALIDATION REFERENDUM
WARRANT AND NOTICE OF ELECTION**

Hancock County, ss.

State of Maine

TO: Connie Brown, Town Clerk of Orland: You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine to notify the voters of this municipality of the election described in this warrant and notice of election.

TO THE VOTERS OF ORLAND:

You are hereby notified that a Regional School Unit budget validation referendum election will be held at the Orland School, 21 Schoolhouse Road in the Town of Orland on Tuesday, June 9, 2015 for the purpose of determining the following articles:

Article 1A: To elect a moderator to preside at said meeting.

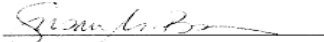
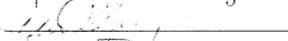
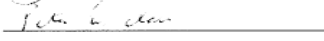
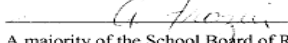
Article 1: Do you favor approving the Regional School Unit No. 25 budget for the upcoming school year that was adopted at the latest Regional School Unit budget meeting?

The voting on Article 1 shall be by secret ballot referendum. The polls will be opened immediately after election of the moderator following commencement of the meeting at 8:00 a.m. and closed at 8:00 p.m.

The Registrar of Voters shall hold office hours while the polls are open to correct any error in or change a name or address on the voting list; to accept the registration of any person eligible to vote and to accept new enrollments.

A person who is not registered as a voter may not vote in any election.

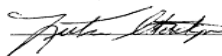
Given under our hand this day, May 19, 2015 at Bucksport, Maine.

A majority of the School Board of Regional School Unit No. 25

A true copy of the Warrant and Notice of Election, attest: 
Jane Marston, Resident of
Regional School Unit No. 25

Countersigned this 21 day of May, 2015 at Orland, Maine.

A majority of the municipal officers of the Town of Orland

A true copy of the Warrant and Notice of Election, attest: 
Connie Brown, Town Clerk
Town of Orland

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

To Brandon Patterson, a constable in the Town of Orland, in the County of Hancock.

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the voters of the Town of Orland, in said County, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Orland Community Center, in said town, on Tuesday, the 9th day of June A.D. 2015 at 8 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on Articles numbered 1 through 2.

And, to notify and warn said voters to meet at the Orland Community Center, in said town, on Wednesday, the 10th day of June, 2015 at 7 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on Articles numbered 3 through 23. All of said articles being set out below.

The polls for voting on Articles numbered 1 through 2 will be open at 8 o'clock in the forenoon and will close at 8 o'clock in the evening.

ARTICLE 1. To choose a moderator to preside at the said meeting.

ARTICLE 2. To choose by secret ballot the following officers; one Selectman and Overseer of the Poor for three years, one Assessor for three years, one Fish Committee Member for four years and one RSU#25 Board Member for three years.

ARTICLE 3. To authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint the following officers: Constable, Fire Warden, Civil Preparedness Director, Fish Warden, Plumbing Inspector, Animal Control Officer, Planning Board Members, Board of Appeals Members, Registrar of Voters, Solid Waste District Board Members, Recreation Committee Members, River Day Committee Members, Code Enforcement Officer.

ARTICLE 4. Shall the Town vote to raise or appropriate the following sums for Administration:

	2014-15	2015-16
Town Officers' Salaries	86,000.00	92,000.00
Current & Contingent Account	123,500.00	149,500.00
Unemployment Compensation	1,300.00	1,400.00
Worker's Compensation	2,100.00	2,300.00
Social Security	10,200.00	13,000.00
Town Property Maintenance	0.00	0.00
Utilities	<u>8,000.00</u>	<u>4,000.00</u>
<i>The Selectmen recommend</i>	\$231,100.00	\$262,200.00

ARTICLE 5. Shall the Town vote to raise or appropriate the following sums for Health and Sanitation:

Solid Waste Disposal	87,000.00	80,000.00
Septic Waste Disposal	4,000.00	0.00
Community Health & Counseling Services	1,500.00	1,500.00
Hospice of Hancock County	500.00	500.00
Eastern Area Agency on Aging	1,400.00	1,400.00
Bucksport Community Concerns	2,500.00	2,500.00
Child & Family Opportunities	1,400.00	1,400.00
American Red Cross	1,500.00	1,500.00
Downeast Horizons	1,600.00	1,600.00
Bucksport Bay Healthy Coalition	800.00	800.00
Washington-Hancock Community Agency	3,000.00	3,000.00
Hancock County Home Care	2,100.00	2,100.00
WIC Nutrition Program	<u>1,800.00</u>	<u>1,800.00</u>
<i>The Selectmen Recommend</i>	\$109,100.00	\$98,100.00

ARTICLE 6. Shall the Town vote to raise or appropriate the following sums for General Assistance:

	2014-15	2015-16
<i>The Selectmen Recommend</i>	\$8,500.00	\$0.00

ARTICLE 7. Shall the Town vote to raise or appropriate the following sums for Protection:

	2014-15	2015-16
Bucksport Ambulance Service	37,620.00	30,000.00
Bucksport Dispatch Service	13,566.00	12,000.00
Legal Fund	0.00	0.00
Orland Fire Department	50,000.00	50,000.00
Civil Emergency Preparedness	0.00	0.00
Animal Control	1,000.00	500.00
Street Lighting Program	3,600.00	4,200.00
Lifeflight Foundation	<u>0.00</u>	<u>500.00</u>
<i>The Selectmen Recommend</i>	105,786.00	\$97,200.00

ARTICLE 8. Shall the Town vote to raise or appropriate the following sums for Roads:

	2014-15	2015-16
Winter Road Maintenance	250,000.00	250,000.00
Road Maintenance & Paving	325,000.00	325,000.00
Road Signs	<u>0.00</u>	<u>400.00</u>
<i>The Selectmen Recommend</i>	\$575,000.00	\$575,400.00

ARTICLE 9. Shall the Town vote to raise or appropriate the following sums for Recreation:

Bucksport Recreation Program	3,000.00	2,000.00
Orland River Day	500.00	500.00
Family Snowmobile Club	600.00	600.00
Orland Historical Society	1,000.00	1,000.00
Buck Memorial Library	3,000.00	2,000.00
Downeast YMCA	2,500.00	2,000.00
Ellsworth Public Library	1,500.00	2,000.00
Bucksport Bay Chamber	1,000.00	1,000.00
MPBN	<u>0.00</u>	<u>100.00</u>
<i>The Selectmen Recommend</i>	\$13,100.00	\$11,200.00

ARTICLE 10. Shall the Town vote to raise or appropriate the following sums for Miscellaneous accounts:

	2014-15	2015-16
Care of Parks & Cemeteries	0.00	1,000.00
Capital Reserve Fund	50,000.00	50,000.00
Community Center Reserve	10,000.00	10,000.00
Community Center Expenses	<u>30,000.00</u>	<u>60,500.00</u>
<i>The Selectmen Recommend</i>	\$90,000.00	\$121,500.00

ARTICLE 11. Shall the Town vote to raise or appropriate the following sums for County Tax:

	2014-15	2015-16
<i>The Selectmen Recommend</i>	\$88,561.00	\$91,688.00

ARTICLE 12. Shall the Town vote to raise or appropriate the following sums for the fish account:

	2014-15	2015-16
Weir Expense	0.00	0.00
Orland Village Dam	<u>5,000.00</u>	<u>5,000.00</u>
<i>The Selectmen Recommend</i>	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00

ARTICLE 13. Shall the Town vote to raise or appropriate the following sums for updating the Comprehensive Plan:

	2014-15	2015-16
	\$0.00	\$30,000.00

ARTICLE 14. Shall the Town vote to use the following revenues to reduce the 2015-16 appropriations:

	2014-15	2015-16
Undesignated Fund Balance (surplus)	100,000.00	145,000.00
Excise Taxes	330,000.00	330,000.00
State Revenue Sharing	85,000.00	74,000.00
Local Road Assistance	33,000.00	33,000.00
Town Clerk Fees	12,000.00	12,000.00
Snowmobile Reimbursement	600.00	600.00
Sale of Alewives	5,000.00	5,000.00
Community Center Rental	5,000.00	33,000.00
Lien Costs	6,000.00	8,000.00
Plumbing Permit Costs	<u>0.00</u>	<u>1,000.00</u>
<i>The Selectmen Recommend</i>	\$576,600.00	\$641,600.00

ARTICLE 15. Shall the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to use up to \$25,000.00 from the capital reserve fund to pay the Town of Bucksport toward the mandatory sewer treatment plant upgrade.

ARTICLE 16. Shall the Town vote to use the remaining Orland Dam Feasibility Study monies as a local match for the Maine Coastal Program Grant.

The Selectmen recommend \$4,750.00

ARTICLE 17. Shall the Town vote that the taking of alewives for the year 2016 from all waters in the Town of Orland be regulated by the Fish Committee and the Selectmen according to the general laws of the State of Maine and the Town of Orland.

ARTICLE 18. Shall the Town vote to allow the Selectmen to negotiate wages for Town labor and equipment.

ARTICLE 19. To see what method the Town will use to collect taxes.
The Selectmen recommend: the same method as used in 2014-15.

ARTICLE 20. Shall the Town vote to charge interest on all unpaid taxes for the first installment of the 2015-16 tax billing cycle after September 30, 2015 and to charge interest the second installment after March 31, 2016.

Recommended Rate: 7% per annum

ARTICLE 21. Shall the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to dispose of any Town-owned land or real estate acquired by non-payment of taxes on such terms as they deem advisable, to execute quit-claim deeds for the same, and to sell and dispose of any obsolete equipment and property.

ARTICLE 22. Shall the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to borrow money and issue the Town's negotiable note from money raised during the year.

ARTICLE 23. Shall the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to issue General Obligations Securities of the Town for the purpose of funding and refunding certain notes of the Town due now or to become due during the municipal year, 2015-16, and to fix time within which said securities are to become due.

Connie Brown, Registrar of Voters, will be at the Town Office during business hours for the purpose of correcting the voting list and for new registrations.

Given under our hands at Orland on the 21st day of May, 2015.

Edward Rankin, Sr.
Ralph Gonzales
Lester Stackpole
Selectmen for the Town of Orland

Save the Date... June 27th Orland River Day!

Miss Orland River Day Pageant



Friday beginning at 6:00 pm

Orland River Day Pageant

Girls ages 2-4, 5-7, 8-10, 11-13

Prizes for the top 3 in each group!

Top winner in each category will join the parade Grand Marshall!

Orland United Methodist Church Yard Sale

Find a bargain at their indoor yardsale!



River Duck Dash

Watch the ducks dash
down the Narramissic!

Try your luck!

Adopt a duck!

Sponsored by the
Bucksport Bay Chamber



Kayak Capsize & Rescue

Castine Kayak will offer this
workshop. Learn what you need
to know to be a safe paddler.



Children's Games

Spin the wheel, Ring Toss
Match the duck, PLINKO,
and many more!



Alewife Run

Come enjoy a leisurely
3.5 mile paddle from the
Fish Hatchery to Orland
village. Need a boat?
Rent one from Castine
Kayak for \$20!

40th Annual Raft Race!

Put your "thinking caps" on & build a raft
to "race" down the Narramissic River!

- Food Vendors
- Craft Vendors
- Music



"The Crazy Family Fun
Magic Show" featuring
Danny Baker, Maine's



Chili Cook-off!

Enter your best chili -
prizes for top three
judges' choices!



Come Join the Parade!

Parade through the village—
beginning at 10 am



Orland Historical Society

Come enjoy the exhibit of vintage toys

And much more!

