

**FALMOUTH TOWN COUNCIL
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
Monday, October 23, 2006
MINUTES**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM.

Present and answering roll call: Chairman Olson. Councilors Armitage, Breen, Goggin, Libby, Wrobleski and Mulhern.

Chairman Olson opened the public forum.

Howard Reiche stated the following:

“My purpose tonight is to plant a seed and encourage you to broaden the concept of and interest in combining local town governing functions. More specifically, to think about forming the towns of Yarmouth, Cumberland and Falmouth into one town. A few hundred years ago there were just three towns between Freeport and Biddeford: North Yarmouth, Scarborough and Falmouth.

Westbrook came down to the shores of Back Bay. There was no Portland or South Portland. During the intervening years all of the towns of North Yarmouth, Yarmouth, Cumberland, Falmouth, Portland, Deering, Cape Elizabeth, South Portland, Westbrook and Scarborough have emerged and or changed. None of those towns has remained static. Even the new State of Maine felt it could meet the times better by separating from Massachusetts.

All of those dynamic moves have been in response to wanting a stronger government to meet the changes of those times.

In my mind, we are entering one of those times; a time when great strengths will be needed and may be gained through combining the towns of Yarmouth, Cumberland and Falmouth.

The similarities of these three towns are amazing:

- They have common boundaries and shapes
- They range from salt water frontage on Casco Bay to fairly large tracts of open, inland acres
- Primarily residential towns.
- Their populations and demographics are quite similar
- Very few alliances with other towns.
- Similar infrastructures
- Similar income streams
- Have healthy finances

I would like to suggest that Falmouth create an agenda item and advocate a three-town committee with a very focused approach. The committee made up of citizens of the towns would be focused on identifying and defining the issues which would be involved in joining the three towns – not the plusses and minuses of those issues,

just the issues. That committee should be charged with reporting back to the three towns within 6-8 months. It should not be beyond their scope to report their perception of the next step in the process of creating a new town.”

Chairman Olson closed the public hearing.

ITEM 1 - Resolution regarding TABOR.

Councilor Armitage submitted a resolution concerning TABOR.
Town of Falmouth

Resolution of the Town Council opposing passage of the proposed State Law entitled Taxpayer Bill of Rights (TABOR)

- Whereas,** we acknowledge that Maine’s Tax Burden is be high relative to our State’s level of personal income on a per capita basis and steps must be taken to control the overall increase in that burden; and
- Whereas,** on November 7, 2006, the people of the State of Maine will vote on a citizen initiated law entitled the Taxpayer’s Bill of Rights (TABOR); and
- Whereas,** TABOR relies on questionable and untimely population and economic data in establishing these annual spending limits: for example: the 2003-2004 estimated population change in the Town of Falmouth was projected to be 5 people, or a 0.05% increase, when a total of 66 building permits were issued during 2003; Census estimates at the sub-county level, which Falmouth is classified as, are not released until June each year (July 1, 2005 data was released on June 21, 2006, which would not be used until the 2007-2008 Fiscal Year Budget process); and
- Whereas,** the spending limit on local schools for the Town of Falmouth would be based on the lower of the two local government formulas: the change in total assessed value or the consumer price index adjusted by population change, which may not accurately reflect the demand or need for services as demonstrated over the last ten years (between 1995 and 2005 the Falmouth population, according to the US Census Bureau increased by 31% when the Falmouth School enrollment increased by 63% over the same time period) instead of the consumer price index adjusted by student population change; and
- Whereas,** spending limits are based on prior year revenues, which are not known until the close of the fiscal year, the municipal budget can not be approved until after the start of the new fiscal year; and

- Whereas,** according to the Maine Heritage Policy Center, Local Tax Collections as a percent of Personal Income have increased from 4.8% in 1958 to 5.4% in 2002, while State Tax Collections have increased from 4.8% to 7.4% over the same period of time; and
- Whereas,** TABOR is a State Statute, enforceable on municipalities but voluntary for the Maine State Legislature; and
- Whereas,** TABOR will override the State's current obligation to limit increases in taxation and spending at the state, county and local level (LD1), and could impair the state's ability to fund the recently passed citizen initiated statute requiring the State to contribute 55% of the cost of K-12 education in order to reduce the burden of that funding on the property tax; and
- Whereas,** if the proposal is adopted, it is likely to jeopardize the Town's bond rating by reducing the Town's financial flexibility, resulting in higher interest costs on needed investments in the Town's infrastructure; and
- Whereas,** while TABOR provides for an override process that would allow for spending increases over and above those allowed by formula as well as for increases in fees charged for services, this process limits majority rule and is both time consuming and expensive, requiring a 2/3rds vote of the Town Council and a referendum election estimated to cost \$11,000; and
- Whereas,** current law allows any municipality to adopt the TABOR system if the voters of that community choose to do so, thereby eliminating the need for a statewide referendum mandating TABOR, however, if approved statewide, TABOR does not allow the voters of this community to adopt an ordinance or local charter that would suspend, repeal or amend any of the budget formulas or governance procedures that are dictated statewide by TABOR; and
- Whereas,** Colorado, the only state that has ever adopted a TABOR system, suspended the core element of TABOR in 2005 because of deteriorating infrastructure, public services and schools; and
- Whereas,** Maine Heritage Policy Center has agreed to support amendments and revisions to the proposed statute language, which we do not know the specifics of and what will be approved by the legislature; and
- Whereas,** the ambiguities and flaws within the bill as currently proposed and itemized in this resolution raise significant concerns related to the practical application of this bill and the potential for unanticipated or unintended consequences; and

Now therefore, the Town Council of the Town of Falmouth hereby resolves:

That the Town Council hereby indicate our opposition to the TABOR proposal which will appear on the November election ballot and call upon our citizens and the citizens of our region to join us in opposition.

And, be it further resolved, that:

Town staff is hereby authorized to express the opposition of the Town to this measure and to participate in efforts to educate the public as to its meaning and its effect.

Signed on October 23, 2006 at Falmouth, Maine

FALMOUTH TOWN COUNCIL

Richard Olson

Richard Olsen, Chair

Ann Goggin

Cathy Breen

Dave Libby

Rick Mulhern

Joe Wrobleski

Will Armitage

Attest:

Kathleen W. Babeu

Kathleen Babeu, Town Clerk, Town of Falmouth

Councilor Libby expressed his opposition to TABOR stating that the state can elect by voter to exempt themselves completely from this and in doing so, shifts the tax burden quite a bit.

Councilor Goggin felt the presentation Councilor Armitage did the week before was very informative whereas it is important that we want tax relief, which is the conclusion that the council has reached independently. She will support the resolution.

Councilor Olson stated that the council even with a whole wide range of political views have all come to the same conclusion and that is to support the resolution.

On motion of (Libby), duly seconded by (Goggin), it was VOTED (7 Ayes) as follows:

BE IT ORDERED BY THE MUNICIPAL OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF FALMOUTH, MAINE IN TOWN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED:

“To support the Resolution of the Town Council opposing passage of the proposed State Law entitled Taxpayer Bill of Rights (TABOR).”

ITEM 2 - CONSENT AGENDA

- A. Order to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of September 25, 2006.**
- B. Order to sign the warrant for the State election to be held on November 7, 2006 and to establish the polling hours for the November 7, 2006 election.**
- C. Order to set Registrar hours for the November 7, 2006 election.**
- D. Order to appoint Wardens and Ward Clerks for the Nov. 7, 2006 election.**
- E. Order to appoint Election workers for the Nov. 7, 2006 election.**
- F. Order to appoint the Finance Committee as the Audit Committee.**

On motion of (Armitage), duly seconded by (Libby), it was VOTED (7 Ayes) as follows:

BE IT ORDERED BY THE MUNICIPAL OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF FALMOUTH, MAINE IN TOWN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED:

“To approve the consent agenda.”

Consent Items B, C, D & E are included at the end of the minutes.

ITEM 3 - Report from Council Committees and liaisons regarding updates on assignments.

Councilor Goggin reported that there was a meeting of the Finance Committee this morning. Discussions regarding capital improvements will begin earlier this budget season. The next scheduled meeting of the Finance Department is planned for Tuesday, November 7th at 8:30 AM at the Town Hall. The plan is for a Finance Committee to review each department, work with the manager and work as a team.

Chairman Olson mentioned that if residents have any concerns, the Finance Committee would like to hear that early on in the process, and he encourages residents to stay involved.

Councilor Libby reported that the Harbor/Waterfront Committee is present this evening regarding a proposed update to the Coastal Waters Ordinance. The Cable TV Committee has a vacancy and is looking for a volunteer. The Workforce Housing Committee is re-convening in November. The Cumberland County Budget Advisory Committee has started their budget process. Kevin Roache, representing ECO-Maine is here tonight to present information on single stream recycling.

Councilor Breen reported that November 8th at 7PM, the CDC (Community Development Committee) will be meeting to develop a work plan.

Chairman Olson reported the Route One Committee is getting finished up and will be brining forth information to the council in either November or December.

ITEM 4 - Report from the Appointments Committee and order relative to filling various vacancies on Boards and Committees.

Councilor Libby reported that there are no official appointments this month. However, there are several sub committees on the Conservation Commission consisting of at large members. Those people need to be appointed by the Council for liability and insurance issues. A list of the individuals was submitted by Lissa Robinson and Councilor Libby recommends approval of the following names from the Invasive Species sub-committee and the Open Space sub-committee:

On motion (Libby), duly seconded (Armitage), it was VOTED (7 Ayes) as follows:

BE IT ORDERED BY THE MUNICIPAL OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF FALMOUTH, MAINE IN TOWN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED:

“To appoint the following members to the “Invasive Species” subcommittee:

Steve Hundley, Caleb Hemphill, Frank Ruch, Judy Adelman, Darcy Donald, Ellen Klain, and Dave Skillins.”

“To appoint the following members to the Open Space subcommittee:

Mel Dickenson, Frank Ruch, David Chase, Steve Gauthier, Bonita Marchetti, Dave Gagnon, Joe Wroblewski, and Tony Hayes.”

Councilor Breen suggested in the future that these folks should fill out the same paperwork and do the same as others have, therefore the process remains the same.

The Town Clerk was asked to send a notice out to the Chairs of the various committees regarding subcommittee appointments.

On motion (Libby), duly seconded (Goggin), it was VOTED (7 Ayes) as follows:

BE IT ORDERED BY THE MUNICIPAL OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF FALMOUTH, MAINE IN TOWN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED:

“To listen to Item #11 now: “Report regarding ECO Maine single stream and automated solid waste/recycling systems.”

Report regarding ECO Maine single stream and automated solid waste/recycling systems.

Kevin Rouche, General Manager of ECO Maine spoke regarding single stream recycling and automated solid waste/recycling systems. He explained that this combines all recycling together, paper, plastic, metal, cans in one stream through the purchase of machinery. New innovations include: equipment: drum feeder, cardboard screen, newspaper screen, mixed paper screen, magnet, plastic sizing screen, glass breaker screen, t-Tech PET optic Plastic Sorting System, Hand sorting – Inmates. In addition to automated sorting there will hand sorting.

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2. collection is all about saving time. With a single stream there is a single compartment and a single sort and a single dump.
3. a pilot study was done last year in Portland and single stream provided 24% improvement of efficiency when switching from a two steam to single stream.
4. municipalities save on trucking, when drivers don't have to stop and sort at the curb.
5. provides the opportunity to automate your collection process.
6. more collection cost savings: reduce set-out rate, fewer trips to MRF, less idling, fewer compartments,
7. advantages at the recycling center:
8. 38 hour days saved with single stream recycling.

Mr. Roache stated that he feels the time is right for single stream and we need to stay on the cutting edge and to allow for better participation in our program. Other cities and towns considering switching are Scarborough, Falmouth and Hollis. By May, you could be ready to start. It was mentioned that inmates who are at the end of their sentence may be able to work off some of their time as this has been found to be quite successful.

Councilor Libby commented on a great job that is being done by ECO-Maine.

Councilor Breen mentioned that she is excited and is looking forward to it.

Mr. Roache responded that the future is automation as this is the trend. He would recommend a fully automated system.

ITEM 5 - Report & introduction of amendments to the rate of growth ordinance regarding Option 1 or Option 2.

Hugh Smith reported the following:

Talking Points for Council Presentation
October 24, 2006

- Introductions and agenda
- What we are presenting is a significant paradigm shift. This paradigm shift comes after extensive input from citizens and various town organizations.
- WHAT ARE THE OBSERVATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC PROCESS?
 - Growth will happen in Falmouth because Falmouth is a desirable place to live.
 - While we have placed limits on the rate of growth, Falmouth will still grow.
 - Citizens have told us time and again that we need to preserve Falmouth's rural character as much as we can in the face of growth.
 - Citizens have also told us we need to protect the value of their land both by preserving their right to develop their property but also by ensure quality development so that when their neighbors develop land, the impact is minimized to the extent possible.
- WHAT IS WRONG WITH THE CURRENT PARADIGM?
 - The current language requires that the land be broken into 2 acre pieces irrespective as to whether this best protects the key features of the land.

- The current RCOD language is cumbersome at best. The current cluster provisions have not been used that much in spite of density bonuses.
- The current language works against preserving the rural character of Falmouth by not allowing flexibility in the placement of homes to minimize their impact on the land.

SO WHAT IS THE PARADIGM SHIFT?

- The proposed language forces the development process to start with a complete inventory of the key features of the land, not where to layout the lot lines.
- The proposed language allows flexibility in the placement of the homes to protect those features as George will outline in his presentation.
- The RCOD and cluster language of the current ordinances is repealed.
- At the same time the proposed language protects the value of the land by allowing the same density as the current language.

As is always the case with any significant change, the devil is in the details.

These proposed changes are not the last word in how to address the issues of growth and its impact. But CPAC believes that the changes in how we manage growth as proposed in this new ordinance language balances the desire to protect the quality of life we cherish in Falmouth while at the same time protecting the value landowners have in that land.

Public comment will be accepted in November.

ITEM 6 - Annual report from the Board of Sewer Appeals and Assessment Review.

Andrew Sparks, Chair of the Board of Sewer Appeals and Assessment Review presented the following annual report.

For 2005 (FY 05/06), there were no appeals to the Board.

On November 9, 2005, the board met to hear the 2004 appeal of 23 condominium sites owned by Fairway Villas. The Board denied the appeals.

ITEM 7 - Public Hearing relative to approve proposed changes to the Coastal Waters Ordinance.

Richie Garrett, Steve Archambault, Chair of the committee and **Kevin Cady**, acting Harbormaster were present. They discussed upcoming proposed amendments to the Coastal Waters Ordinance. One of the proposed changes is to have the date of Jan. first as the date for the mailing of mooring applications. The dinghy situation was addressed regarding the next three years, as well as rate increases for commercial haulers.

Richie Garrett suggested 60 dinghies next year for Falmouth residents, with a registration fee of \$50.00 allotted on a first come first serve basis.

Steve Archambault is concerned with basic liability on the part of the town. He stated that the Town Landing is physically a small part of land, with limited dock space. As many as 130 dinghies can be tied up. The plan is to get away from the reliance on the dinghies, have a limit of 60.

Councilor Mulhern asked if this would affect the traffic pattern.

Kevin Cady responded that he does not think it would change the traffic piece. You will still have the same amount of people.

Councilor Goggin would like to give some thought to a lottery system. Once you have that dinghy permit, do you get it every year?

A Cumberland resident stated that he had a boat for 15 years with a dinghy and enjoyed the privilege of having access to water. For non-residents this is a very dramatic change. He thinks it is important to allow people a time to adapt to a change.

David Leonard stated that he has had a mooring since 1970 and does not have a dinghy at Town Landing currently, however has a lot of friends that do. He stated that he actually keeps his dinghy out of the water because "unless you get down there every couple of days, it sinks and there are about 90 dinghies at Town Landing. This is a problem for the Harbor Master as they are sinking every week, and it has to be determined whose dinghy it is. He thinks keeping dinghies out of the water is the answer." However, to limit the amount of dinghies from 60 to 30 to none concerns him. His

suggestion is to have a rack at Town Landing to hold 30 to 40 dinghies, thus keeping them out of the water.

Mr. Leonard expressed concern regarding language in the ordinance addressing the linear foot fee. The language should read “Falmouth residents”, not Falmouth Mooring Permit Holders.”

John Koranos stated that he has had a mooring for 30 years & it is a problem down there, however if “it ain’t broke, do not fix it.”

Pete Haxelbottle stated that the landing is a spectacular resource for the town and the best thing about it is affordable access to the water.

Discussion continued regarding the dinghy permits, dinghy rack, and having uniformity at the Town Landing.

Stan Reed stated he is a resident of the town of Falmouth and he has had a dinghy at Town Landing for 15 years. There is a tremendous resource down there. It appears there are a lot of uncertainties about the future of the launch service. He encourages all in the decision making to try to keep the access to people that currently use it and as affordable as possible at the same time. Has everything be done to maximize the existing situation?

Richie Garrett explained that last year the council directed us to hire a consultant to help us with the anchorage. An RFP for the long term plan, management and operation of the Falmouth Waterfront will be going out soon.

Councilor Mulhern would like to think long and hard about the dinghy process and thinks it is really aggressive.

Police Chief, **Ed Tolan** stated that the dates are key to us. There is more time to handle the administrative end of the moorings in the winter.

This item will continue to be discussed at workshop on November 14th at 7 PM at the Falmouth Town Hall, council chambers.

ITEM 8 - Public Hearing and order relative to approve the MMA Model Ordinance GA Appendixes (A-C) for the period of October 1, 2006 – October 1, 2007.

Chairman Olson opened the public hearing.

There was no public comment.

Chairman Olson closed the public hearing.

On motion (Goggin), duly seconded (Olson), it was VOTED (7 Ayes) as follows:

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“To approve the MMA Model Ordinance GA Appendixes (A-C) for the period of October 1, 2006 – October 1, 2007.”

ITEM 9 - Public Hearing relative to proposed amendment to add MUC (Mixed Use Cluster) to 5.22.1.a – Accessory Dwelling Units.

Chairman Olson opened the public hearing.

David McGill stated that he would like to get this added and believes it is the only zone in this town at this time. He thinks it would be a benefit to the town and allow for a stronger tax base. He stated that he thinks this is overdue and would appreciate the council's consideration on the matter.

Chairman Olson closed the public hearing.

ITEM 10 - Public Hearing regarding new Victualer's license for "The Cookie Gallery."

Chairman Olson opened the public hearing.

Lynda DiPhilippo, owner of "The Cookie Gallery" was present and explained that she has converted a small room in her home to a kitchen for baking of the cookies.

Chairman Olson closed the public hearing.

On motion (Olson), duly seconded (Goggin), it was VOTED (7 Ayes) as follows:

BE IT ORDERED BY THE MUNICIPAL OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF FALMOUTH, MAINE IN TOWN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED:

"To include: "an order to adopt Victualer's license for "The Cookie Gallery."

On motion (Mulhern), duly seconded (Goggin), it was VOTED (7 Ayes) as follows:

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ITEM 12 - Consider order relative to proposed ordinance concerning private collector sewers.

On motion (Breen), duly seconded (Goggin), it was VOTED (7 Ayes) as follows:

BE IT ORDERED BY THE MUNICIPAL OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF FALMOUTH, MAINE IN TOWN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED:

“To approve ordinance concerning private collector sewers.”

TOWN OF FALMOUTH, MAINE

AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING PRIVATE COLLECTOR SEWERS

Introduction: September 6, 2006

Public Hearing: September 25, 2006

Adopted: October 23, 2006

Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Falmouth, Maine in Town Council assembled that section 18-132 of the Code of Ordinances, Town of Falmouth, Maine, is hereby amended by adding a new paragraph at the end thereof to read as follows:

Exceptions to the foregoing may be made and the use of a private collector sewer allowed by the Superintendent if:

- (a) The private collector sewer, with property stubs, was constructed prior to June 13, 2004 and meets the criteria of (1) and (3) above;
- (b) The construction of the private collector sewer and stubs is in compliance with the plans and Town standards; and
- (c) No properties will be served by the private collector sewer other than those that were intended to be served by the private collector sewer as constructed and that are parties to the original maintenance agreement for the private collector sewer.

ADJOURN

On motion (Mulhern), duly seconded (Breen), it was VOTED (7 Ayes) as follows:

BE IT ORDERED BY THE MUNICIPAL OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF FALMOUTH, MAINE IN TOWN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED:

“To adjourn at 9:25 PM.”

Respectfully submitted,

Kathleen W. Babeu

Kathleen W. Babeu, CMC

Falmouth Town Clerk

ITEM 2 - CONSENT AGENDA: B

State of Maine

Notice of General Election WARRANT

Tuesday, November 7, 2006

Municipality:	Falmouth	Voting District: High School
Voting Place Name:	Falmouth High School	
Voting Place Location:	Woodville Road	
Polls open at 7 AM	Polls close at 8 PM	

A person may register to vote and/or enroll in a political party on or before Election Day. Pursuant to Title 21-A, Section 759(7), absentee ballots will be processed centrally/at the polls at the following times:

Beginning at opening of polls and running consecutively throughout the day.

State Offices To Be Voted On:

United States Senator

Governor

Representative to Congress (U.S.), District 1

State Senate, District(s) 11

State Representative, District(s) 112 & 113

County Offices

Judge of Probate

County Treasurer

Register of Deeds

Sheriff

District Attorney

Questions To Be Voted On:

Question 1: Citizen Initiative

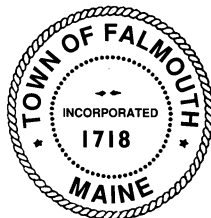
Do you want to limit increases in state and local government spending to the rate of inflation plus population growth and to require vote approval for all tax and fee increases?

Question2: Constitutional Amendment

Do you favor amending the constitution of Maine to state that a citizens' initiative or people's veto petition must be submitted to local or state officials by the constitutional deadline in order to be certified and, in the case of a citizens' initiative, must be filed with the Secretary of State within 18 months?

A True Copy Attested: *Kathleen W. Babew*

ITEM 2 CONSENT AGENDA C



TOWN OF FALMOUTH
VOTER REGISTRATION

The **REGISTRAR** will be in session at Town Hall during the following days and times:

Tuesday, October 31st	1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Wednesday, November 1st	1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Thursday, November 2nd	12:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Friday, November 3rd	1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Monday, November 6th	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

The **REGISTRAR** will be in session at the polling place, Falmouth High School Gym, 74 Woodville Road on **Election Day, Tuesday, November 7th** from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

These sessions are for the purpose of accepting new registrations and name and address changes in preparation for the Special Municipal/State **Election November 7, 2006.**

Voter registrations will also be accepted by the Town Clerk's Office during regular business hours, Monday - Friday, 8:00 - 4:30 and Thursdays until 5:30 p.m.

If you would like to request an absentee ballot, please contact the Clerk's office.

Polls open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 8:00 p.m. on November 7, 2006.

Falmouth's town wide polling place is the Falmouth High School Gym on Woodville Road.

Signed: Kathleen W. Babeu
Town Clerk/Registrar

ITEM 2 CONSENT AGENDA D & E

TOWN OF FALMOUTH--ELECTION WORKERS

Tuesday, November 7, 2006

WARDENS

Name	Party	Time
Robert Stakel	Staff	6:45-2:00
Ryan J. Anderson	Staff	2:00-Finish

ELECTION CLERKS

Name	Party	Time	Name	Party	Time
Colleen Donovan	D	6:45-2:00 PM	Susan Tartre	R	1:45-Finish
Truth Holden	D	6:45-2:00 PM	Jean Whiting	R	1:45-Finish
John Radebaugh	D	6:45-2:00 PM	Joan Jensen	R	1:45-Finish
Polly Burke	D	6:45-2:00 PM	Doris Thomas	R	1:45-Finish
Mary Pasmore	D	6:45-2:00 PM	Susan Payzant	R	1:45-Finish
Tim Blanchette	D	6:45-2:00 PM	Marjorie Hodges	R	1:45-Finish
Susan Soule	D	8:00-2:00 PM	Priscilla Hallett	R	1:45-Finish
Dorothy Brunette	D	6:45-2:00 PM	Dave Humphrey	U	1:45-Finish
Anne Barnicle	U	6:45-2:00 PM	Philip Rhineland	U	1:45-Finish
Jean Scanlon	U	10:00-2:00 PM			
Mary Agnes Wine	R	6:45-2:00 PM	Dolores Rimkunas	D	1:45-8:00 PM
Nancy Richards	R	6:45-2:00 PM	Theresa Forestell	D	1:45-8:00 PM
Donald McCrann	R	6:45-1:00 PM	Joyce Harmon	D	1:45-8:00 PM
Shirley MacMaster	R	8:00-1:00 PM	David Harmon	D	1:45-8:00 PM
Peggy Wood	R	6:45-2:00 PM	Kathleen Parr	D	1:45-Finish
Deborah Walker	R	8:00-2:00 PM	Donna Enking	D	1:45-Finish
Mary Louise Dyer	R	6:45-2:00 PM	Dolores Kehoe	D	1:45-8:00 PM
Charlotte O'Connor	R	6:45-2:00 PM			
Faith Varney	R	6:45-2:00 PM			
Marion Ross	R	6:45-10:00 AM			

COUNTERS

Name	Party	Time
Martha Dudley	R	8:00 PM-Finish
Richard Dudley	R	8:00 PM-Finish
Joyce Harmon	D	8:00 PM-Finish
David Harmon	D	8:00 PM-Finish

REGISTRAR/DEPUTY REGISTRAR

Name	Party	Time
Betsy Jo Whitcomb	Staff	6:45-Finish
Jane Miller	Staff	6:45-Finish