ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TOWN OF TILTON JULY 2, 1869

TOWN MEETING HILLS HALL JULY 17, 1869
1. Choose Moderator
2. Choose Town Clerk
3. Choose three Selectmen
4. Ensuing year – indefinitely postponed
5. Pay for expenditures – indefinitely postponed

TOWN MEETING HILLS HALL OCTOBER 13, 1869
1. Choose Moderator
2. Sell and Convey land to Sanbornton - passed
3. Chose registrar of deeds

TOWN MEETING HILLS HALL NOVEMBER 9, 1869
1. Choose Moderator
2. Establish State Police – in certain cases - passed

Perambulation of Boundary between Tilton and Belmont August 7, 1869

1870

TOWN MEETING HILLS HALL MARCH 8, 1870
1. Choose Moderator
2. State Elections
3. Representative to the General Court
4. Town officers
5. Budget
6. School and Parsonage Fund
   “Interest of the Parsonage fund be divided among the several religious societies in town in proportion to the tax payers.” – motion passed
   “Interest in the School fund be divided equally among the “Scholars” of the several districts” – motion passed
7. Constitutional Question
8. Liquor Agent Appointment
9. Exempt Building and Machinery for Blanchard and Shaw

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING HILLS HALL MAY 21, 1870 BY PETITION
1. Choose Moderator
2. Tax Exemption for Blanchard and Shaw

Widening of Road – Tin Corner and road leading to Franklin (present day Winter Street)

Perambulation of Boundary between Tilton and Sanbornton
Perambulation of Boundary between Tilton and Northfield
Perambulation of Boundary between Tilton and Franklin

1871

TOWN MEETING HILLS HALL MARCH 14, 1871
1. Choose Moderator
2. State Elections
3. Election of Representative to Congress
4. Representative to General Court
5. Officers
6. School Budget – amount required by law passed
7. Current Town expenses -$1,000 passed
8. Raise Money for the Poor - $200 passed
9. Raise Money for Bridges and Roads - $600 passed
10. Labor for bridges and Roads
11. Raise money to pay Town Debt - $3,000 passed
12. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund
   “Interest of the Parsonage fund be divided among the several religious societies in town in proportion to the tax payers.” – motion passed
   “Interest in the School fund be divided equally among the “Scholars” of the several districts” – motion passed
13. Redistrict Town for Schools - dismissed

Widening of Road for Union Bridge Depot and Burleigh Bridge

Purchase land for School - November 28, 1871 - School district #2

1872

TOWN MEETING HILLS HALL MARCH 1872
1. Choose Moderator
2. State Election
3. Elect Representative to General Court
4. Elect Officers and Agents
5. Raise money for School – amount required by law passed
6. Ensuing year - $1000 passed
7. Raise money for Support of Poor - $200 passed
8. Raise money for Roads and Bridges - $600 passed
9. Labor for Bridges and Roads
10. Raise money to pay Town Debt - $3,000 passed
11. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – passed as last year
12. Raise money to purchase safe - passed
13. Disposition of Selectmen and Auditors Reports

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING - APRIL 9, 1872
1. Choose a Moderator
2. 10 year tax exemption for fabric manufacturing
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING – NOVEMBER 5, 1872
1. Choose Moderator
2. Presidential Election

Widening of Road from Depot to land of Bradbury Brown (Prospect St. 1882 map)

1873

TOWN MEETING - HILLS HALL - MARCH 11, 1873
1. Choose a Moderator
2. State Elections
3. Elections of State Representatives
4. Representatives to the General Court
5. Town officers and Agents
6. Raise money for School – pass the article
7. Raise money to defray Town Charges - $800 passed
8. Raise money for support of Poor - $200 passed
9. Raise money for Bridges and Roads - $600 passed
10. Labor for Bridges and Roads
11. Raise money to pay Town debt - $3,000 passed
12. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – passed as last year
13. Selectmen and Auditors Reports - accepted
14. Pay Policemen for services – Selectmen settle with police

Petition to School Committee and Selectmen in Sanbornton and Tilton - February 11, 1873
1. Unite land in School Districts 19 and 18
2. Make equitable apportionment to Towns

1874

TOWN MEETING - HILLS HALL - MARCH 1874
1. Choose Moderator
2. State Elections
3. Representatives to General Court
4. Town Officers and Agents
5. Raise money for Support of Schools – amount required by law passed
6. Defray town charges - $1,000 passed
7. Raise money for Support of Poor - $150 passed
8. Raise money for Bridges and Roads - $600 passed
9. Labor for Bridges and Roads
10. Pay Highway taxes in money instead of labor - defeated
11. Raise money to pay Town Debts - $2,000 passed
12. Disposition of School and Parsonage Funds – passed as last year
13. Pay Town Debts – Borrow money for town debt passed
14. Selectmen and Auditors reports- accepted
15. Abolish School Districts - dismissed
16. Discontinue Driveway – from Shepherd Building to Town Line in Sanbornton - passed

1875
TOWN MEETING - HILLS HALL - MARCH 8, 1875
1. Choose Moderator
2. State Elections
3. Representatives to Congress
4. Representatives to General Court
5. Town Officers and Agents
6. Raise money to Support Schools - dismissed
7. Raise money to Defray Town Charges - $1000. passed
8. Raise money to Support the Poor - $200. passed
9. Raise money for support Roads and Bridges - $600. passed
10. Raise Money instead of Labor of Roads and Bridges - $1600. passed
11. Raise money to Pay Town Debt - $2000. passed
12. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund
13. Selectmen and Auditors Report - accepted
14. Adopt bylaws regarding Mosquito Bridge - Crossing at a rate of not more than a walk - $5.00 penalty each offence
15. Renumber School District and Redistrict and renumber the highway district

Widening of Road - near property of Joshua and Horatio Haynes - November 19, 1875
School Street from Range Road to Colby Road

1876

TOWN MEETING - HILLS HALL - MARCH 14, 1876
1. Choose Moderator
2. State Elections
3. Constitutional question
4. Representative to General Court
5. Town Officers and Agents
6. Raise money to Support Schools
7. Raise money to Defray Town Charges - $1000. passed
8. Raise money to Support the Poor - $200. passed
9. Raise money for support Roads and Bridges - $600. passed
10. Raise money or labor for support of roads and bridges – 3 mills on a dollar in labor - passed
11. Raise money to pay town debt - $2000. passed
12. Disposition of School and parsonage Funds
13. Selectmen and Auditor Report

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING – HILLS HALL - APRIL 8, 1876
1. Choose moderator
2. Funding town debt - $16,000. bond - passed
3. Hire night watchman – voted down
4. Truancy of inhabitants and hire officer for enforcement - passed
5. Disposition of Railroad stock owned by Town of Tilton – consolidate all but 1 share

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING – PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS - NOVEMBER 7, 1876
1. Choose Moderator
2. Presidential Election
3. Elect delegates to Constitutional Convention

1877

TOWN MEETING - HILLS HALL - MARCH 13, 1877
1. Choose moderator
2. State Elections
3. Representative to Congress
4. Consider constitutional amendments proposed by constitutional convention
5. Representatives to General Court
6. Choose Town officers and Agents
7. Raise money for Support of Schools
8. Raise money to Defray town charges - $1000. passed
9. Raise money for support of Poor - $200. passed
10. Raise money for support of roads and Bridges - $450. passed
11. Raise money of labor for support of roads and bridges - passed
12. Raise money for Town debt - $2000. passed
13. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund
14. Selectmen and Auditors Report - accepted
15. Raise money for lighting street lamps – dismissed

TOWN MEETING - HILLS HALL - MARCH 31, 1877
1. Choose moderator
2. Adopt by-laws regarding dogs - passed
3. Disposition of dog tax in treasury

Laying out of Road – High Street - from Cedar Street to the End - May 1, 1877

Widening and Straightening of Center Street May 19, 1877 – the present day (2002) Street next to Providian Bank including the section that is currently blocked off that goes through to Academy Street

Laying out of Road - Center Street – August 30, 1877

Perambulation of Line between Tilton and Franklin - November 1, 1877
Perambulation of Line between Tilton and Sanbornton – August 18, 1877
Perambulation of Line between Tilton and Northfield – December 1, 1877

1878

TOWN MEETING - HILLS HALL – MARCH 12, 1878
1. Choose moderator
2. State Elections
3. Representative to General Court
4. Town officers and Agents
5. Raise money for Support of Schools
6. Raise money to Defray Town costs
7. Raise money to Support the Poor
8. Raise money to support roads and bridges
9. Raise money to pay town debts
10. Raise money or labor for support of town roads and bridges
11. Disposition of School and Parsonage Funds
12. Report of Selectmen and Auditor
13. Select Committee to work with School Committee to select text books
14. 10 year Tax exemption for Shaw and Haywood Manufacturing
15. Bond floating debt
16. Choose policemen by ballot
17. Extend abutment of Shaker Bridge

TOWN MEETING – HILLS HALL – NOVEMBER 5, 1878
1. Choose moderator
2. State Elections
3. Elect Representative for Congressional District 1
4. Elect Representative to General Court
5. County elections
6. Elect Supervisors of Checklist

1879

TOWN MEETING - HILLS HALL – MARCH 11, 1879
1. Choose Moderator
2. Choose Town Clerk
3. Choose Selectmen
4. Raise money for Support of Poor - $200. passed
5. Raise money to Defray Town Charges - $800. passed
6. Raise money for support of Schools – amount required by law – passed
7. Raise money for Support of Roads and Bridges -$500. passed
8. Raise Labor for support of Town Roads and Bridges - 3 mills on the dollar - passed
9. Raise money to pay Town Debts - $2000. passed
10. Disposition of School and Parsonage Funds - passed
11. Vote to buy Official State Map - $25. passed
12. Instruct Selectmen to Enforce Prohibitory Law - passed

TOWN MEETING – HILLS HALL – NOVEMBER 11, 1879
1. Choose moderator
2. Vote to enforce sections 15 & 16 of Chapter 109 of General laws of NH – adopted

1880

TOWN MEETING – HILLS HALL – MARCH 9, 1880
1. Choose Moderator
2. Choose Town Clerk
3. Choose 3 Selectmen
4. Raise money for Support of Poor
5. Raise money to defray town costs
6. Raise money to support Schools
7. Raise money to Support Roads and Bridges  
8. Raise Labor to support Roads and Bridges  
9. Raise money to pay town debt  
10. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund  
11. Disposition of Interest of School and Parsonage Fund  
12. Vote to Adopt Chapter 78 of general laws relating to sidewalks  
13. Raise $50. to defray cost of Decoration Day  
14. Vote to Discontinue Road – High Street - Cedar St to End – passed over  

Layout of Road – (Present day Academy Street 2002)  

Layout of Main Street Sidewalks (North and South sides of the street) from present day School Street to Park Street 2002 July 19, 1880  

Widening and straightening of Main Street October 11, 1880 (reference made to Congo Church)  

TOWN MEETING - HILLS HALL - NOVEMBER 2, 1880  
1. Choose moderator  
2. Elect President and Vice President  
3. State Elections  
4. Elect Representatives  
5. County Elections  
6. Elect Representatives to General Court  
7. Choose Supervisors of Checklist  
8. Adoption of Section 1 of Chapter 54 of Session Laws of 1879  
9. Fix time to close polls  

Special Town Meeting - Hills Hall –December 13, 1880  
1. Choose moderator  
2. Accept Town Hall Building from Charles E. Tilton – passed with the a resolution (page 218)  
3. Raise $100. to defray costs of decorating Town Hall - passed  
4. Action on Town Bonds in Town Safe  

1881  

Town Meeting – Town Hall – March 8, 1881  
1. Choose moderator  
2. Choose Town Clerk  
3. Choose Selectmen and other Town officers  
4. Raise money to support the poor  
5. Raise money to defray town charges  
6. Raise money to support Schools  
7. Raise money to support Roads and Bridges  
8. Raise Labor to Support Roads and Bridges  
9. Raise money to pay Town debt  
10. Disposition of interest in School and Parsonage Fund  
11. Disposition of the Lobby Building  

Town Meeting –Town Hall- September 29, 1881
1. Choose moderator
2. Replace wooden bridge with iron one (Cannon Bridge) provided Northfield also approves – Charles E. Tilton proposed to give $500. toward construction – passed with Northfield approval
3. Replace wooden bridge with iron bridge provided Northfield also approves (Park Street) – passed provided Northfield approves

Layout of Sidewalk east side of School Street from Main Street to Railroad Bridge
October 25, 1881

Layout of Sidewalk north side of Main Street from present day Park Street (Northfield) to near Chestnut Street – October 22, 1881

Widening of Road – Main Street – From present day Park Street (Northfield) to the “Gerrish House” – October 22, 1881

Layout of Road – present day Academy Street west from Prospect Street to the intersection of Main and Chestnut Streets – October 15, 1881


1882

**Town Meeting - Town Hall – March 13, 1882**

1. Choose moderator
2. Choose Town Clerk
3. Choose Selectmen and other Town officers
4. Raise money for support of poor - $200. passed
5. Raise money to defray town charges - $1000. passed
6. Raise money to support schools - dismissed
7. Raise money for support of Roads and Bridges - $500. passed
8. Raise labor for support of Roads and Bridges – 3 mills on dollar
9. Raise money to pay town debts - $2000. passed
10. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – passed over
11. Loan money to townspeople at an interest rate of not more than 4% and also authorize the payments to not be taxed - passed
12. Authorize discount for prepayment of taxes - dismissed
13. Appropriate money for Rev. Runnels for History of Sanbornton - $300. passed
14. Approval of various town officers November 1882

**Town Meeting – Town Hall - November 17,1882**

1. Choose moderator
2. State Elections
3. Congressional Representatives Elections
4. Representatives to General Court
5. Elect Supervisors of Checklist

1883
Town Meeting – March 13, 1883
1. Choose moderator
2. Local Elections
3. Town Elections
4. Raise money to support the poor - $200. passed
5. Raise money to defray town charges - $300. passed
6. Raise money to support schools - $1000. passed
7. Raise money to support Roads and bridges - $600. passed
8. Reconstruct Mosquito Bridge and raise money for project - $500 voted for repairs
9. Raise labor for support of Roads and Bridges – 4 mils on the dollar - passed
10. Raise money for town debts $1500. passed
11. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – Divided as last year
12. Creation of Sinking fund for payment of Bond due 6/1/1886 – passed over
13. Public Library (building and insuring) – committee formed

Widen and Straighten Main Street from Chestnut Street (approx.) to Winter Street
May 21, 1883

Petition for Town to repair damage to private property at corner of School and Pleasant Street – denied

1884

Town Meeting - Town Hall – March 11, 1884
1. Choose moderator
2. Choose Town Officers
3. Choose other Town officers
4. Raise money to support the poor - $200. passed
5. Raise money to defray town charges - $1000. passed
6. Raise money to support schools – passed to raise amount required by law
7. Raise money to support the Roads and Bridges - $500. passed
8. Raise labor to support the Roads and Bridges – 3 mills on the dollar
9. Raise money to pay town debts - $1000. passed
10. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund -
11. Adopt Chapter 92 of laws of 1883 – Blank Inventories - adopted
12. Refund stolen town money to Treasurer Russell Noyes – not to exceed $150
13. Unite with Northfield to provide and maintain a Public Library – passed over
14. Collect balance of taxes for 1878 – for selectmen to decide how to proceed

Perambulation of town line between Tilton and Franklin - 1884
Perambulation of town line between Tilton and Sanbornton – 1884

Town Meeting - Town Hall - November 4, 1884
1. Choose moderator
2. State Elections
3. Presidential Elections
4. Elect State Representatives
5. Representative to General Court
6. Choose Supervisors of the Checklist
7. Constitutional Question

Perambulation of town line between Tilton and Northfield – 1884

Swearing in of various Town officials

1885

Town Meeting – Town Hall – March 10, 1885
1. Choose moderator
2. Choose town officers
3. Choose other town officials
4. Raise money for support of the poor - $200.00 passed
5. Raise money to defray town charges - $1000.00 passed
6. Raise money to support the Schools - dismissed
7. Raise labor to support the roads and bridges - 3 mils on the dollar
8. Raise money for the repair of roads and bridges - $500.00 passed
9. Raise money to pay town debt - $500.00 passed
10. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – passed as last year
11. Require Railroads to put up gates at the crossings - agreeably to the provisions of Sec. 3 Chapter 161 General Laws

Layout of sidewalk – south side of Main Street from Hills Block (at the present day Cannon Bridge 2002) easterly to the J.L. Loverin dwelling house (see map of 1882) – May 26, 1885

Police Regulations of the Town of Tilton – August 15, 1885

Town Meeting – Town Hall – October 10, 1885
1. Choose a moderator
2. Tax Exemption for a period of 10 years for Pillsbury Brothers Manufacturing (shoes) – passed

1886

Appraisal of School Property – March 4, 1886, Tin Corner School house $200.00, Sanborn Road School House $450.00, Union Bridge School house $400.00, The School house in No. 4 $1000.00

Town Meeting – Town Hall – March 9, 1886
1. Choose moderator
2. Choose Town officers
3. Choose any other town officers
4. Raise money for support of the poor - $200.00 passed
5. Raise money to defray town charges - $1000.00 passed
6. Raise money to support the schools - dismissed
7. Raise labor to support repair of roads and bridges - dismissed
8. Raise money for support of Roads and Bridges - $1500.00 passed
9. Raise money to pay town debt - $500.00 passed
10. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – same as last year
11. Vote to buy a road machine and raise money for same - dismissed
12. Accept donations etc for care of Park Cemetery according to section 7 & 8 of Chapter 49 of the General Laws – accepted and adopted

Sale of land from C.E. Tilton, S.B. Peabody and W.T. Cass trustees of Park Cemetery to Town of Tilton

Widen Highway – Center Street from Main St. to Pleasant St. (present day Academy St) – July 24, 1886

Layout and Acceptance of Road – Maple Court – October 9, 1886

**Town Meeting – Town Hall – November 2, 1886**
1. Choose Moderator
2. State Elections
3. Elect Congressional Representative from District 1
4. Elect Representative to General Court
5. Choose Supervisors of the Checklist
6. Raise money for support and maintenance of Library – by petition – $250.00 passed with condition

**1887**

Layout and Acceptance of Road – January 4, 1887 - From Center Street at the corner of Center Street and the present day (2002) Providian Bank building. This is up to and including the alley between the Congregational Church and the building that fronts Main St at 281 Main St.

**Town Meeting – Town Hall – March 8, 1887**
1. Choose Moderator
2. Local Elections
3. Choose Fish and Game Warden
4. Raise money for support of the poor - $200. passed
5. Raise money to defray town charges - $800. passed
6. Raise money to support schools - passed
7. Raise money for repair of Bridges and Roads - $500. passed
8. Raise labor for repair of Bridges and Roads – 3 mills on the dollar passed
9. Raise money to pay town debt- dismissed
10. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – same as last year passed
11. Authorize selectmen to purchase a road machine – by request - passed
12. Ten year tax exemption for Gardner Cook for construction and installation of machinery in a factory - passed
13. Allow town to take water from any individual and/or company for use by town in lieu of taxes in like amount - passed
14. Vote to purchase chemical fire truck for use in East Tilton - dismissed
15. Raise money to purchase land and construct a LOBBY at East Tilton and provide for use and support of the same – by request - $150. passed

**Town Meeting – Town Hall – May 30, 1887**
1. Choose moderator
2. Ten year tax exemption for Lamprey and Knapp for construction of saw mill to replace one that burnt 5/11/1887, together with machinery, logs and equipment - passed
3. Selectmen to appoint walking night watch for town – passed

Layout and Acceptance of a Sidewalk – Easterly Corner of Main and Prospect Streets across present day (2003) Academy Street and continuing up Prospect Street on the Westerly side to present day Daniel Drive - Accepted June 13, 1887

Layout of Road – Pillsbury Lane? – July 12, 1887

Acceptance of petition for the erection of Light Poles in the Fire District – November 12, 1887

Layout and Acceptance of Side walk – Easterly side of Chestnut Street from Main Street to High Street – November 26, 1887

Layout and Acceptance of Sidewalk – Westerly side of School Street from present day (2003) Cohen land to present day center Street – December 17, 1887

1888

Layout and Acceptance of Pine Street and High Street (from Chestnut to Cedar St) and Cedar St (from High St to Pine St.) January 2, 1888

Special Town Meeting – Town Hall – January 7, 1888
1. Choose Moderator
2. Enter into a 10-year contract with Tilton- Northfield Aqueduct Company for constructing a water system and supplying the town with water in lieu of taxes for the 10-year period. Passed

Town Meeting – Town Hall – March 13, 1888
1. Choose Moderator
2. Choose Town Clerk, Selectmen and treasurer
3. Choose Fish and Game Wardens and other town officers
4. Raise money to support the poor - $200. passed
5. Raise money to defray town charges - $1000. passed
6. Raise money for support of Schools- passed over
7. Raise money for repair of Roads and Bridges - $2000. passed
8. Raise labor for repair of Roads and Bridges – passed over
9. Raise money to pay on Town debt – passed over
10. Raise money for the School and Parsonage fund – same as last year
11. 10 year tax exemption for Gardner Cook and A.G. Cook –passed
12. Authorize selectmen to contract for care of Town Clock for 1 year – passed
13. Installation of one electric light in front of town hall to replace 3 gas lamps – with C.E. Tilton’s approval and modification of deed conveyance – passed
14. Raise $250. for support of library – passed

May 16, 1888 Capitol Stock of the Tilton-Northfield Aqueduct Co. fully paid

Layout and Acceptance of Sidewalk from present day Cumberland Farms Convenience Store parking lot/railroad crossing – Main Street to land approximately 380’
beyond the NE side of Grant Street – May 28, 1888

Article of Agreement – Tilton Electric Company – August 20, 1888

Deed August 23, 1888 36x12 foot land in Park Cemetery

**Town Meeting – Town Hall – November 16, 1888**

1. Choose moderator
2. State Elections
3. Presidential Elections
4. Representative to Congress form District 1
5. Representative to General Court
6. Choose delegate to Constitutional Convention
7. Choose Supervisors of Checklist
8. 10 year tax exemption for Lord Brothers Manufacturing Company – passed

Layout and Acceptance of Sidewalk - West side of School Street from Main Street to the Railroad Bridge – July 2, 1888

1889

Article of Agreement – Pillsbury Shoe Company - March 13, 1889

**Town Meeting – Town Hall - March 12, 1889**

1. Choose Moderator
2. Choose Town Clerk, 3 Selectmen, treasurer
3. Choose fish and game warden
4. Raise money for support of poor - $200. passed
5. Raise money to defray town charges - $1000. passed
6. Raise money to support schools – what law allows – passed
7. Raise money for repair of Roads and bridges $1000. passed
8. Raise labor for repair of roads and bridges - 2 mills on the dollar - passed
9. Raise money to pay town debt – dismissed
10. Disposition of school and parsonage fund – same as last year – passed
11. Sense of voters regarding amendments to Constitutional Convention
12. Instruct selectmen to enforce Prohibition Laws –105 for, 130 against
13. Raise money to defray cost of Article 12, 107 for and 135 against
14. Authorize selectmen to pay trustee of Library $250. for buying books and care of building – passed
15. 10 year tax exemption for Dodge mill – passed
16. 10 year tax exemption for Pillsbury Shoe Company - passed
17. 10 year tax exemption for new fabric manufacturing company- passed

August 24, 1888 Capitol Stock in the Tilton Electric Company

March 18, 1889 Park Cemetery $2500.00 for care and maintenance of the Cemetery

Park Cemetery perpetual care of John Mooney March 18, 1889

Article of Agreement - Tilton Mills – June 24, 1889
1890

February 10, 1890 – Tilton Mills – Capitol Stock meeting

Layout and Acceptance of Highway – January 18, 1890 – Mill Street

Layout and Acceptance of Highway - Peabody Street – January 18, 1890

Town Meeting – Town Hall – March 11, 1890

1. Choose moderator
2. Choose Town Clerk, 3 Selectmen, treasurer
3. Choose Auditors
4. Choose Fish and game Warden
5. Raise money for support of poor - $300. passed
6. Raise money to defray town charges - $1000. passed
7. Raise money for support of the schools – dismissed
9. Raise labor for repair of roads and bridges – dismissed
10. Raise money to pay town debt - dismissed
11. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – same as last year

April 1, 1890 – Adopted Butlers Elementary and Complete Geography textbooks for use in the Union and Independent districts.

Special Town Meeting – Town Hall - April 19, 1890

1. Choose moderator
2. Adopt provisions of General Laws, Chapter 78 relating to sewers – adopted

Enlargement of Park Cemetery – June 21, 1890

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Town Meeting – Town Hall – November 4, 1890

1. Choose moderator
2. State/County Elections
3. Choose representative to General Court
4. Choose Supervisors of the Checklist
5. To see if town vote to elect agent to prosecute violations of Prohibition and appropriate money for the same – postponed indefinitely

1891

Town Meeting – Town Hall – March 10, 1891

1. Choose moderator
2. Choose Town Clerk, Selectmen, Treasurer
3. Choose auditors
4. Choose other Town officers
5. Raise money to the poor - $1.00 passed
6. Raise money to defray town charges - $1000. passed
7. Raise money for repair of town roads and bridges - $2000. passed
8. Raise labor for repair of roads and bridges - passed
9. Raise money for town debts - dismissed
10. Disposition of school and parsonage fund – raised as last year -
11. By petition – vote to raise height of Mosquito Bridge 4’ and approx money for same - dismissed
12. By petition – vote to raise $1600.00 and appropriate same for construction of sidewalk from Main Street to the Soldiers Home - $1600.00 passed
13. Transact other business – motion made and carried to dismiss article 5,
Motion made and carried to reconsider articles 6 and 7 and appropriate $3000.00 out of treasury to defray town charges and for repair of roads and bridges

Capitol Stock fully paid in the Tilton Northfield Aqueduct Company May 27, 1891

Tax Collector Sale – 1891

The State Mutual Fire Insurance Company
Aetna Mutual Fire Insurance Company
American Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company
The Home Manufacturers and Traders Mutual Insurance Company

Article of Agreement – 12/3/1891 Tilton and New Hampton Telegraph and Telephone Company

Petition to raise the height of Mosquito Bridge by 4 ½ feet - July 1, 1891 approved

Petition to set poles for Tilton and New Hampton Telegraph and Telephone Company on School St., Cedar St., Main St., to Winter St., and on Winter St. to the dwelling of Mrs. Davis – approved

Perambulation between Tilton and Northfield October 3, 1891
Perambulation between Tilton and Franklin October 19, 1891
Perambulation between Tilton and Sanbornton October 28, 1891

1892

**Town Meeting – Town Hall – March 26, 1892**

1. Choose moderator
2. Choose Town Clerk, Selectmen, Treasurer
3. Choose auditor
4. Choose fish and Game Wardens
5. Raise money to support the poor
6. Raise money to defray town charges
7. Raise money for repair of roads and bridges
8. Raise labor for repair of roads and bridges
9. Choose road agent
10. Disposition of the school and parsonage fund
11. Choose agent to enforce Prohibitionary laws – by request - dismissed
12. Appropriate money to enforce Prohibitionary laws – by request - dismissed
13. Appointment of Town Liquor Agent – by request - dismissed
14.10 year tax exemption for Ideal Manufacturing Co. – by request - passed
15. Elect Library Trustees – by request - passed
16. Build sidewalk from pulp mills to Mudgetts store in East Tilton by request - passed

Partnership of H. Boynton and O. Smith to for Dry Goods Store – April 5, 1892

Mortgage sale in East Tilton – Steam Engine – June 11, 1892

**Town Meeting – November 8, 1892**
1. Choose a moderator
2. Presidential, State and Local Elections
3. Take action regarding damage to land of Caroline R. Thompson when raising grade of Main St referred to the Selectmen
4. Disposal of Railroad Stock and right to the new stock issued – authorized Selectmen to act in best interest of the Town of Tilton

Supreme Court - Caroline Thompson V. Town of Tilton (see above town meeting)

Certification of C.E. Tilton’s request to have the park opposite the cemetery gate and the Island fenced so as to keep out trespassers December 22, 1892

1893

Article of Agreement - Ideal Manufacturing Company – January 9, 1893

Stock payment for Ideal Manufacturing Company – January 9, 1893

January 19, 1893 – New England Telegraph and Telephone Company authorized to erect And maintain poles and wires

**Town Meeting – March 14, 1893**
1. Choose moderator
2. Choose Auditors
3. Choose Fish and Game officers and any other Town officers
4. Raise money for repair of Roads and Bridges - dismissed
5. Raise money for town charges - dismissed
6. Raise money for support of the poor - dismissed
7. Disposition of the School and Parsonage fund – same and last year
8. Memorial Day Expenses - $50.00
9. Purchase a stone crusher for use in building highways - $1000 passed
10. Take action for damages cause to property of Mary Huckins due to changing the grade of Main Street – deals with the Rail Road
11. Tax discounts - dismissed

May 11, 1893 – Pool Table License to H.F. Sinclair & W.E. Emmons

Widen and Straighten Main Street – July 1, 1893 – Rail Road tracks to the brook

Article of Agreement – East Tilton Pulp Company – August 18, 1893
Auction, to be held at Citizen’s National bank, for property in Andover, September 15, 1893

1894

**Town Meeting - March 13, 1894**
1. Choose Town Officials
2. Choose Fish and Game and other officers
3. Raise money for town expenses
4. Layout of Sidewalk in East Tilton form the Post Office north – by petition – deferred to the Road Agent – according to TM March 1895 sidewalk was built on Silver Lake Road

**Town Meeting – November 6, 1894**
1. State and County elections

1895

Article of Agreement – Tilton Cornet Band – July 23, 1895

**TOWN MEETING – MARCH 1895**
1. Choose Town officers
2. Raise money to defray town charges
3. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – passed as last year
4. Raise and appropriate money for a night watchman for Tilton Village -passed
5. Early tax payment discount - dismissed
6. Construct sidewalk on Silver Lake Road opposite newly constructed sidewalk – discretion of Highway Agent
7. Raise the grade of Main Street between the RR crossing and Mills Street – motion carried
8. Instruct road agent to “pave” Main Street from the RR crossing to Mill St. – indefinitely postponed
9. Instruct Selectmen to borrow money to pay for above road improvements – indefinitely postponed
10. Raise money for improvement to heating apparatus in Town Hall – approved steam heat
11. Raise money for new seats and dispose of old ones for Town Hall - dismissed
12. To use portion of Library appropriation for Librarians pay - adopted

Petition for raising the grade of the south side of Main Street April 13, 1895

Raise the Grade of the South Side of Main Street – May 13, 1895

**Selectmen Meeting August 16, 1895**
Motion made to sell the R.R. fights at the market price and the motion passed

**Special Town Meeting – August 26, 1895**
1. Raise money for the concreting of Main Street - passed

Widen and Straighten Main Street from present day Bridge Street to approximately Bryant and Lawrence Hardware – September 21, 1895

Park Cemetery Plot Sale to Mrs. L. A. Morse – November 26, 1895
1896

Park Cemetery Association - $500. in Trust held by Town for investment–January 3, 1896


Perpetual Care for Cemetery Plot of Mary Baker Eddy – January 29, 1896

Perpetual Care Trust for Park Cemetery – February 8, 1896

Capitol Stock for Ideal Manufacturing Company – February 10, 1896

Lease Agreement between Town of Tilton and Boynton & Smith for leasing half of the Town hall building for $280 paid quarterly – January 1, 1896

**Town Meeting – March 10, 1896**

1. Elect Town Officers
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund
3. Authorize Selectmen to appoint night watchman for Tilton Village
4. Raise money for Bonds coming due
5. Raise money to defray town charges

Widen and Straighten Road Silver Lake Road at the Belmont end – by petition – August 26, 1896 – approved

1897

Widen and Straighten West Main Street at the junction of Clark Road – by petition September 28, 1896 – approved March 6, 1897

The Citizens Telephone Company request for extension of telephone lines – approved – July 14, 1897 poles to be erected outside traveled area of roads: 1. The poles shall be 10” in diameter and painted ( in town) and shall be not more than 100 ft apart 2. Wires placed at least 19 ft from the ground

**Presidential, State, County Elections November 3, 1896**

Article of Agreement – Flash Light and Cyclometer Company – January 20, 1897

Public Auction of Willis J Caverly’s carriage shop – January 29, 1897

Lease Agreement between Town of Tilton and Boynton & Smith for leasing half of the Town hall building for $280 paid quarterly – January 1, 1897

March 5, 1897 - Destroying of bonds and coupons which were paid in 1891 and 1896

**Town Meeting – March 13, 1897**

1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage funds – passed as last year
3. Authorize selectmen to employ night watchman for the Village - passed
4. Raise money to defray town charges - passed  
5. Authorize selectmen to purchase new seats for town hall - passed  
6. Vote to give discounts for early payment of taxes – dismissed  

Sale by Pledges – March 20, 1897 – Montpelier and Wells River Railroad bonds  

Park Cemetery Plot sale to L.W and O.J Smith – April 16, 1897  

Park Cemetery to Town of Tilton $500 to be put into Bonds for care and improvements to cemetery – May 12, 1897  

Park Cemetery to Town of Tilton in trust for care and improvements to Cemetery – 10/1/1897  

**Petition to change Fire District – November 13, 1897**  
1. Setting up boundaries – not granted  

1898  

**Town Meeting – March 8, 1898**  
1. Disposition of Town and Parsonage Fund - passed  
2. Appoint liquor agent - dismissed  
3. Appoint night watchman - passed  
4. Purchase roll for Sanborn Road and East Tilton - passed  
5. Discount for taxes aid early – 2% discount if paid before June 15  
6. Raise money for town purposes - passed  
7. Choose town officers  
8. Disposition of report of Town Treasurer, Selectmen, and School Committee and Auditors - accepted  
9. By petition – Request B&M Railroad to furnish flagman at Main Street - dismissed  
10. Transact other business  

Park Cemetery Trust for Hannah Curry for perpetual care – April 15, 1898  

Sidewalk Layout – School St east side – May 28, 1898 passed  

Public Auction – Elizabeth Gouin Property on Cedar Street – July 29, 1898  

Park Cemetery in trust to Town of Tilton $500 for care and improvements to cemetery – August 6, 1898  

Public Auction of horses and various equipment of Alphonzo Labelle of Northfield Auction held at E.G.Powers stables in Tilton August 11, 1898  

Article of Agreement – Citizen’s Ice Company – October 28, 1898  

Perambulation of Town Line between Tilton and Sanbornton for 1898 October 10, 1898  

**State, County and Local Elections - November 8, 1898**
1899

Perambulation of Town Line between Tilton and Franklin for 1898 – January 7, 1899
Perambulation of Town Line between Tilton and Northfield for 1898 – January 7, 1899

Stock increase of Citizen’s Ice Company – December 12, 1898

Article of Incorporation – Tilton and New Hampton Telephone Company February 9, 1899

Layout and Acceptance of Sidewalk in Lochmere on present day Church Str – February 11, 1899

Agreement between Town of Tilton and Luther Morrill for Town to rent the room occupied by the post office for 1 year for $240 payable quarterly _ February 11, 1899

**Town Meeting March 14, 1899**

1. Disposition of the School and Parsonage fund - passed
2. Vote to hire a night watchman for the Village-passed
3. Raise money for town purposes- passed
4. Vote to have roads resurfaced and boundaries marked – postpone indefinitely
5. Vote to pave highways this summer and when and how much-passed
6. Repair concrete sidewalk-passed
7. Town elections
8. Choose necessary agents and officers
9. Transact other business

Bill of Sale – August 9, 1899 for 1 acre of potatoes between Frank Drew and Herbert Varney

Capitol Ice Company stock increase – September 6, 1899

Petition – Sewer line on East Main St. – May 18, 1899

Petition - New England Telephone and Telegraph location of poles and wires on Winter St
January 26, 1900

1900

**Town Meeting – March 13, 1900**

1. Elect town officials
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund - passed
3. Vote to hire a night watchman for the Village – passed
4. Vote to pave town roads - passed
5. Raise money for town purposes - passed
6. Choose officers and agents - dismissed
7. Transact other business – Laid on the table

Sewer Easement granted from Thomas J. Morrill to Mrs. Caroline Philbrick and Mrs. Lill Fifield (possibly in Lochmere) March 15, 1900

Fire Wardens – Clarence W. Adams, Fred A. Clement and Edwin G Morrison April 9, 1900
Park Cemetery trust to Town of Tilton for care and improvements – June 12, 1900

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company – location of poles and wires on the following streets – Main St., School St., High St., Chestnut St. – October 20, 1900

**Elections – Presidential, State, County and local – November 6, 1900**

Public auction – foreclosure of note at Iona Savings Bank – December 15, 1900

1901

**Town Meeting – March 12, 1901**

1. Choose Town officers
2. Raise money to defray town charges - passed
3. Vote to construct sewer for Peabody Street to river – by petition - passed
1. Vote to instruct selectmen to enforce the tramp law – by petition -passed
2. Raise money to concrete sidewalks in East Tilton (Lochmere) – by petition - passed
3. Raise money to pave remainder of Main St to the Franklin line - passed
4. Hire night watchman for the Village and elect the same – first part passed and the second part was dispensed with

**Fire District Meeting – March 30, 1901**

1. Elections of Clerk, Treasurer and Wardens

Resolution after the death of President Wm McKinley – September 19, 1901

Petition by New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. to relocate poles on Main St. – 10/ 9/1901

Resolution: On the death of Hon. Charles E. Tilton, adopted at a mass-meeting held in Tilton Town Hall, October 18, 1901:

November 29, 1901 Fence constructed on North side of Main Street – E.A. Perkins property until December 2, 1901

1902

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company – location of poles and wires on the following streets – Main Street from Sanbornton Road to Belmont Road, Belmont Road from Main Street to B&M RR January 23, 1902

**Town Meeting – March 11, 1902**

1. Choose Town Clerk, Treasurer, Selectmen, Road Agent and Auditors
2. Disposition of School And Parsonage Fund
3. Vote to Macadamize any portion of highways - dismissed
4. Pay Charles Durgin to maintain water trough at Rollins Corner – by petition - passed
5. Vote to concrete sidewalk in East Tilton and how much – by petition - passed
6. Adopt State laws concerning public weighers - dismissed
7. Authorize Selectmen to purchase public scales and maintain the same - dismissed
8. Adopt State laws concerning political concurs and conventions - adopted
9. Raise money for ensuing year – 1.5%
10. Choose officers and agents - dismissed
11. Other Business - dismissed

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company – location of poles and wires on the following streets – Village of East Tilton, Depot St. west of B&M RR 1 pole, River Road between B&M RR & Main St 17 poles, Main St W of River Rd 7 poles - July 29, 1902

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company – location of poles and wires on the following streets – Church Street form Indian Square to rear of bank building–August 1, 1902

Auction of Stock in the Lord Brothers Manufacturing Company – August 23, 1902

**Elections – State, and County – November 4, 1902**

1903

**Town Meeting – March 10, 1903**

1. Choose Town Clerk, Treasurer, Selectmen, Road Agents and Auditors
2. Take sense of voters for Constitutional Convention -
3. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund - passed
4. Vote to purchase Geo. Hosmer farm for isolation hospital with Northfield - passed
5. Concrete sidewalk in East Tilton - by petition - dismissed
6. Raise money for ensuing year – 1.5%
7. Choose necessary officers and agents - dismissed
8. Other business – dismissed

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company – location of poles and wires on the following streets – School Street from present line to farm of FF Osgood, School Street from FF Osgood’s to Sanbornton town line, Sanbornton Square Road from junction of East Main to residence of Herman Clark – March 4, 1903

Rescind sewer right for line running thru Park Cemetery – April 18, 1903

Ideal Manufacturing Stock paid – May 1, 1903

**Special Town Meeting – May 12, 1903**

1. Licensing for sale of “intoxicating liquor” – passed

**Special Town Meeting – September 5, 1903**

1. Enlarge Post Office Apartment and purchase Post Office Equipment – passed

1904

**Article of Agreement – Kearsarge Club of Tilton and Northfield – January 15, 1904**

**Town Meeting – March 8, 1904**

1. Choose Town Clerk, Treasurer, Selectmen, Road Agents and Auditors
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund
3. Vote to fix license fees – by petition - dismissed
4. Vote to erect fire escape on Town Hall - passed
5. Raise money to build hotel in Town of Tilton – indefinitely postponed
6. Raise money for ensuing year – 1.5%
7. Choose other officers and agents
8. Other Business

Widen and Straighten Main Street and maintain grade - March 23, 1904

**Presidential, State, County and Local Elections – November 8, 1904**
1. Licenses for the sale of liquor – defeated

Partnership Agreement – Cole and Davis – November 26, 1904

1905

**Town Meeting – March 14, 1905**
1. Choose Town officers
2. Disposition of the School and Parsonage Fund
3. 10 year tax exemption for The Manufacturing Company - passed
4. Lay a sewer on East Main Street – by petition - passed
5. Build concrete sidewalk in East Tilton - by petition - passed
6. Vote to avail Town to new state aid for highways - passed
7. Raise money for ensuing year - passed
8. Choose other officers - dismissed
9. Other Business – voted to lay on the table

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company – location of poles and wires on the following streets – Clark Rd from Winter St to residence of Charles Smith – June 13, 1905

Highway layout - off East Main St (perhaps present day Copeland)–April 4,1905 – dismissed

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company – location of poles and wires on the following streets – corner of Main and Winter St – July27, 1905

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company – location of poles and wires on the following streets – Sanbornton Road from Belmont town line to Sanbornton town line Winnisquam Bridge – August 5, 1905

Highway layout –off E Main St perhaps present day Copeland Rd -dismissed October 13, 1905

Ideal Manufacturing Company Capitol Stock – June 29,1905

Petition to Selectmen of Tilton and Northfield to change village boundaries – perhaps to change the fire district boundaries – this petition was approved October 20, 1905

Perambulation of lines between Tilton and Sanbornton – October 10, 1905
Perambulation of lines between Tilton and Northfield – November 4, 1905
Perambulation of lines between Tilton and Franklin - November 3, 1905
1906

**Town Meeting – March 13, 1906**

1. Choose Town officials
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund - passed
3. Vote to accept State Highway aid and appropriate money for the same - passed
4. Raise money for the following year - passed
5. Raise and appropriate $50. for the library fund - passed
6. See if the town will discontinue the highway between Chestnut and Pine Streets – present day (2003) driveway for the Tilton Manor Bed and Breakfast - passed
7. Instruct Selectmen to lay out highway off East Main Street (present day Copeland Road?) – left to the Selectmen
8. Authorize Selectmen to build fireproof vault in Town Hall – passed
9. Choose other necessary officers – lay on table
10. Transact other business – lay on table

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company pole and wire construction on the following Streets – Mill, Cedar, Chestnut – March 23, 1906

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company relocation of poles and wires on the following streets – Mill Franklin – August 11, 1906

Highway layout by petition – Off East Main St (present day Copeland Rd ?) – April 26, 1906 – dismissed

**Special Town Meeting - September 11, 1906**

1. 10 year taxation exemption for Ideal Manufacturing – passed

**State, County and Local Elections – November 6, 1906**

2. Shall liquor licenses be granted in Town of Tilton - defeated
3. Adopt Chapter 93 of Session Laws of 1905 -
4. Require B & M RR to establish and maintain gates at all crossings in the Village - passed

1907

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company relocation of poles and wires on the following streets – 3 pole on highway between East Tilton and Belmont – January 5, 1907

Article of Agreement – The Clark Manufacturing Company – January 23, 1907

Perpetual Care Trust for Zeluida Lancaster – February 26, 1907

Capitol Stock increase for Ideal Manufacturing Company – February 26, 1907

**Town Meeting – March 12, 1907**

1. Town elections
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – same as last year
3. Accept State Aid for Highways and raise and appropriate money for the same - passed
4. Construct sidewalk on High Street - passed
5. Construct sewer on Winter Street – amended to instruct Selectmen to investigate the need and to seek state aid then bring before the proper legislative committee
6. 10 year tax exemption for East Tilton Pulp Company - passed
7. Improve Clark Road - passed
8. Raise money for the year ensuing - passed
9. Accept reports of officers and agents - passed
10. Choose other necessary officers - dismissed
11. Transact other business – Voted to adopt the following resolution –Resolved; that it is the sentiment of this meeting that the Selectmen be urged to take the necessary steps towards the suppression of the brown tail moth.

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company pole and wire construction on the following streets – Belmont road from East Tilton RR crossing to the center of the bridge crossing the Winnipesaukee River – July 10, 1907

Capitol Stock increase for the Ideal manufacturing Company – August 12, 1907

Certification of Tilton Mills closing on March 23, 1903 – recorded on September 25, 1907

December 1, 1907 – Pool table and Bowling Alley license granted to W. J. Moulton

1908

Tax Sale – March 4, 1908 – 6 acres of land

Town Meeting – March 10, 1908
1. Town Elections
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund - passed
3. Accept State Aid for Highways and raise and appropriate money for the same - passed
4. Raise money for year ensuing - passed
5. Report of officers and Agents - passed
6. Choose officers and agents - dismissed
7. Transact other business: Voted to instruct Selectmen to take action at once in testing the safety of all public buildings in this town against fire and securing sufficient protection to the escape in cases of fire. - Voted to instruct the Selectmen to confer with the Firewards and make arrangements if possible to place one of the hand tub fire engines now at the engine house at the East end of the town for use in case of fire

Article of Agreement – E. A. Cole and Company – July 3, 1908

Presidential, State, County, and local elections – November 3, 1908
Also to act on the following: Shall licenses be granted for the sale of liquor - defeated
Take action to change the Sewer of the Soldiers Home from its present location to Winter Street – passed

1909
Sale of interest in firm of Roy Harris Perkins Company by Emily Perkins to Roy Harris Perkins – January 16, 1909 also rental agreement

Right of Way granted by George H Tilton and Sons of Laconia to the Town of Tilton and its inhabitants the right of way over their land (present day – 2003- Copeland Road) January 26, 1909

**Town Meeting – March 9, 1909**

1. Choose town officials
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund - passed
3. Accept State Aid for Highways and raise and appropriate money for the same - passed
4. Raise money for year ensuing - passed
5. Vote to purchase steam roller jointly with Northfield - dismissed
6. Vote to observe Old Home Week with Northfield and appropriate money for the same - passed
7. Vote for street lights in East Tilton - dismissed
8. Vote to lay a sidewalk on West Street form Prospect to Chestnut - passed
9. Vote to lay a sidewalk on Peabody Street form West Main to Winter Street - passed
10. Reports of Officers and Agents - passed
11. Choose other officers and Agents – laid on the table
12. Transact other business

Pool Table approval for W.C. Poole – May 1, 1909

Road Closure thru Tilton Mills property – October 16, 1909

Perpetual Care Trust for Joseph Philbrick

1910

**Town Meeting – March 8, 1910**

1. Choose town officials
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – passed
3. Accept State Aid for Highways and raise and appropriate money for the same – passed
4. Vote to accept and maintain the Abigail B. B. Tilton bequest/trust for the aid of the poor - passed
5. Vote to regulate the height of awnings and signs or other overhead obstructions on the business streets – passed not lower than 7.5 feet
6. Vote to replace the wooden Shaker Bridge with an iron one jointly with Northfield and appropriate money for same - passed
7. Raise money for ensuing year - passed
8. Reports of officers and agents - passed
9. Choose officers and agents - passed
10. Transact other business - Voted to discount 2% on taxes paid up to July 1, 1910

Article of Agreement – Tilton Electric Light and Power Company – May 26, 1910

Capitol Stock – Tilton Electric Light and Power Company – May 26, 1910

**Primary Election – September 6, 1910**
The Winnipesaukee Telephone Company pole and wire construction on the following streets –
Gulf Road from School Street corner of High Street to Sanbornton town line-September 20, 1910

**State, County and Local elections – November 8, 1910**
1. Election
2. Vote to grant liquor licenses – defeated

Sale of Property Agreement between Arthur Corliss and Daniel Tilton – November 29, 1910

Division of the Shaker Bridge (present day bridge over the Winnipesaukee River on Route 140 )
November 21, 1910

1911

**Town Meeting – March 14, 1911**
1. Choose town officials
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – passed
3. Accept State Aid for Highways and raise and appropriate money for the same – passed
4. Vote to pave a portion of School Street - passed
5. Appropriate money for Memorial Day expenses - passed
6. Raise money for ensuing year - passed
7. Report of officers and agents - passed
8. Choose officers and agents -dismissed
9. Transact other business – Voted to appropriate $50. for the care of the plot of land in Post
   Office Square, Voted the discount of 2% for taxes paid before July 1, 1911, Voted to instruct
   Selectmen to have a survey made or the streets in town and where necessary to place bounds
   and necessary records made of same.

Tilton Northfield Aqueduct Company Capitol Stock Increase – March 16, 1911

The Winnipesaukee Telephone Company pole and wire construction on the following streets –
Belmont, Tilton, Laconia town lines - August 2, 1911

The Winnipesaukee Telephone Company pole and wire construction on the following streets –
East Tilton to Laconia line- November 22, 1911

1912

**Town Meeting – March 12, 1912**
1. Choose delegate to Constitutional convention
2. Choose town officials
3. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – passed
4. Accept State Aid for Highways and raise and appropriate money for the same – passed
5. Vote to appropriate money for Memorial Day - passed
6. Vote to raise money for ensuing year - passed
7. Report of officers and agents - passed
8. Choose officers and agents – laid on table
9. Transact other business – Voted to give 2% discount on taxes aid before July 1, 1911
Primary Elections – September 3, 1912

1913

Presidential, State, County and local elections – November 5, 1913
1. Vote to grant liquor licenses in district – defeated
2. Approve amendments to the Constitutional Convention – all amendments Passed

Perambulation between Tilton and Sanbornton – October 8, 1912
Perambulation between Tilton and Franklin – November 29, 1912
Perambulation between Tilton and Northfield – December 29, 1913

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The Laconia Gas and Electric Company pole and wire construction – February 24, 1913

Collectors Sale of Non Resident Land – Laconia Gas and Electric Company – February 25, 1913

Tilton electric light and Power Company pole and wire construction on the following streets, Winter, Cedar, High, Pine, Chestnut, West, Prospect, Pleasant, School, Peabody, Main, Pillsbury, Mechanic. March 10, 1913

Town Meeting – March 11, 1913 (112 voters)
1. Choose officers
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund - passed
3. State Aid for Highways - passed
4. Vote to appropriate money for Memorial Day - passed
5. Raise and appropriate $100 for the support of the Library – passed
6. Raise money for ensuing year – passed
7. Report of officers and agents – passed
8. Choose officers and agents – passed on the article
9. Transact other business – Repairing sidewalks in East Tilton – left to the Selectmen. Instructed Selectmen to build sidewalk on Maple Court, Voted to give 2% discount on taxes if paid by July 1

Laconia Gas and Electric Company pole and wiring in East Tilton – May 1, 1913

Bill of Sale- Florentine Stone of East Tilton to Vose and Dearborn – October 11,1913

Winnipesaukee Telephone Company pole and wires along Main Street – October 17, 1913 and December 13, 1913

1914
Town Meeting - March 10, 1914 (129 voters)
1. Town elections
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund - passed
3. State highway aid - passed
4. Raise and appropriate funds for Memorial Day - passed
5. Pave Chestnut Street form Main St. to the Elliot house – by petition – passed
6. Lay a sidewalk on High Street form Cedar St to the Fred Roberts residence – by petition - passed
7. Vote to enforce the Morston Truancy Law – by request - passed
8. 10 year tax exemption for the Arthur S Brown Manufacturing Company - passed
9. Raise money for ensuing year - passed
10. Report of officers and agents - passed
11. Choose officers and agents – left to Selectmen
12. Transact other business – Voted to have a printed pamphlet of all taxable property in Town of Tilton, Voted that Selectmen make recommendations for the different departments in town and publish in the Town Report, Voted to install 5 incandescent lights between precincts line and Franklin

Primary Election – September 1, 1914 (88 democrat, 71 republican)

Driveway/Highway obstruction, Pillsbury Brothers Estate, Chestnut St and Prospect St 4/2/1914

Winnipesaukee Telephone Co poles and wires along Chestnut and Pine St–October 21, 1914

State Elections – November 3, 1914 (491 voters)

Bill of Sale – Blacksmith Shop on land of another – November 12, 1915

1915

Town Meeting – March 9, 1915  (116 VOTERS)
1. Choose town officials
2. Disposition of school and parsonage fund - passed
3. Accept state aid for highway - passed
4. Memorial Day expenses - passed
5. Lay concrete sidewalk on Cedar Street – by petition - passed
6. Pave state road – indefinitely postpone
7. Raise money for ensuing year - passed
8. Sell lock-up at East Tilton - passed
9. Reports of officers and agents - passed
10. Choose officers and agents - passed
11. Transact other business – laid on the table

Special Town Meeting – July 31, 1915
1. 10 year tax exemption for Automatic Fire Escape Company – passed

Park Cemetery Enlargement – August 11, 1915

Winnipesaukee Telephone Company poles and wires along Church Street- October 24, 1915
and October 28, 1915

1916

Town Meeting – March 14, 1916  (113 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund
3. State aid for highways – passed
4. Memorial Day expenses – passed
5. Raise money for ensuing year – passed
6. Report of officers and agents – passed
7. Choose officers and agents
8. Transact other business - Trustee of the Trust Funds furnish joint bond – passed, Voted to raise money in addition to already allocated funds for Library

District Primary Elections – March 14, 1916  (32 republican, 26 democrat)

Primary Election – September 6, 1916  (72 republican, 42 democrat)

Presidential, State, County and Local elections – November 7, 1916  (520 voters)

Rental Agreement between Mrs. CR Thompson and Ipswich Manufacturing Company - November 18, 1916

Deed of Trust – Park Cemetery and Town of Tilton – December 6, 1916

1917

Trustee of the Trust Funds Report – March 1, 1917  (85 voters)

Deed of Trust – Josiah Dearborn and Town of Tilton – March 1, 1917
Deed of Trust – Park Cemetery and Town of Tilton – March 1, 1917

Town Meeting – March 13, 1917  (85 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Choose Trustee of the Trust Funds
3. Disposition of the School and Parsonage Fund
4. State aid for Highway – passed
5. Memorial Day expenses – passed
6. Hall memorial Library – passed
7. Appropriate annually for maintenance and repair of Hall Memorial Library – passed
8. Adopt provisions of the Curfew Laws – by petition – passed over
9. Raise and appropriate money for Main Street improvements – passed
10. Raise money for ensuing year – passed
11. Reports of officers and agents – passed
12. Choose officers and agents – dismissed
13. Transact other business- Early tax payment exemption – passed, Support of HB 444, Pay tax collectors in Tilton and Northfield taxes collected in their respective towns by the Fire Precinct and Union Sanborn School District, On a motion by C. E. Tilton the following resolution
Resolution
That the citizens of Tilton, in town meeting assembles, affirm their loyal adherence to the principals of vigorous freedom fundamentals to the existence of the United States, they declare their approval of the course of the President of the United States on all his efforts to protect the lives and property of their fellow citizens against attacks upon the sea. They urge upon him and upon representatives of the people the speedy prosecutions of the every measure calculated to strengthen the entire nation to govern its own rights and the rights of humanity against unwarranted aggression. And the carrying out of such measures for the continuous defense they pledge to the Chief Executive and the Congress their unqualified support. Voted: That a copy of the foregoing resolutions be forwarded to the Governor of the State.

Special Election – May 29, 1917 – Vote for Senator (384 voters)

Record of the Emily A. Perkins estate being fenced off for 24 hours – July 19, 1917

Dissolution of business partnership between Ray Harris Perkins and Harris A. Morse – 8/24/1917

Winnipesaukee Telephone Company pole and wires along Laconia Road – September 28, 1917

1918

Town Meeting – March 12, 1918 (71 voters)
1. Choose delegates to Constitutional Convention
2. Disposition to School and Parsonage fund – passed
3. Memorial Day expenses – passed
4. Raise and appropriate $150 White Pine Blister Rust – passed
5. State aid to highways
6. Raise and appropriate $2500 for on School Street – passed
7. Ensuing year – passed
8. 10 year tax exemption for Seawill Needle Co. – passed
9. 10 year tax exemption for Ipswich Manufacturing – passed
11. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
12. Choose officers and agents – passed over
13. Transact other business- 2% tax discount for early tax payment

Article of Incorporation – Free Baptist Church – East Tilton – March 15, 1918

Notice of Closing of Passageway between Tilton Mills and Belle Peabody Brown – August 28, 1918

District Primary Elections – September 3, 1918 (68 republican, 32 democrat)

State and Local Election – November 5, 1918 (465 voters, 563 on checklist)

Bill of Sale – Winsor Poole and Josephine Sorrenty – November 26, 1918

1919
**Town Meeting – March 11, 1919  (140 voters)**

1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund - passed
3. Memorial Day expenses – passed
4. Raise and appropriate $150 White Pine Blister Rust – passed
5. Raise and appropriate $600 for District Nurse – passed
6. State aid for highways – passed
7. Raise and appropriate $1000 to lower grade of Lancaster Hill Road – failed
8. Raise and appropriate money to lay sewer line on Mill Street - $400 passed
9. Raise and appropriate $500 to locate and erect a tablet to honor WWI vets – passed
10. Ensuing year - $40,000 passed
11. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
12. Choose officers and agents – dismissed
13. Transact other business – laid on the table

Article of Incorporation – Granite State Motors Company – March 25, 1919

New England Telephone and Telegraph Co pole/wires relocation on Belmont Rd – 6/19/1919

Private Road Obstruction – G.H.Tilton and Sons – September 5, 1919

Granite State Motors Stock Increase – May 3, 1919

Perambulation of line between Tilton and Franklin – November 29, 1919
Perambulation of line between Tilton and Sanbornton – November 11, 1919
Perambulation of line between Tilton and Northfield – December 22, 1919

1920

Article of Incorporation - Arthur S. Brown Manufacturing Company – dated January 20 1914 and recorded February 21, 1920

**Town Meeting – March 9, 1920  (279 voters)**

1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – passed
3. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
4. Raise and appropriate $125. White Pine Blister Rust – passed
5. Raise and appropriate money for Old Home Day – passed
6. Raise and appropriate $750 for District Nurse – passed
7. Raise and appropriate money to raise the sidewalk on Cedar Street – by petition - $300 passed
8. 10 year tax exemption for Dial Needle Company – by request – passed
9. Raise and appropriate $ $125 to upgrade the upstairs ladies room in Town Hall – passed
10. State aid for highways – passed
11. Ensuing year – passed
12. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
13. Choose officers and agents –
14. Transact other business
   a. 2% tax discount for early tax payment
b. Authorize selectmen to incur indebtedness in anticipation of taxes

Article of Agreement – Frank Whitman American Legion Post #49 – April 6, 1920

Agreement between Byron Ingalls and Louis Swett – June 16, 1920

Bill of Sale – Private property from Fred E. Cheney to Flora Cheney – July 2, 1920

Mortgage Sale of private property in Laconia – recorded August 23, 1920

**Primary Election – September 7, 1920** (252 republican, 234 democrat)

**Presidential, State, County and local elections and constitutional question**

November 2, 1920 (1111 voters, 1233 on checklist)


1921

New England Telephone and Telegraph Company pole and wires – West Main Street (64 poles) – February 7, 1921

**Town Meeting – March 8, 1921** (233 voters)

1. Choose town officers
2. Constitutional question – passed
3. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – passed
4. Memorial Day Expenses - $100 passed
5. Raise and appropriate money to install lights on School Street – by request – dismissed
6. Vote to increase Forest Fire Warden salary by $25.00 jointly with Northfield – passed
7. Raise and appropriate $ 750 for District Nurse – passed
8. Raise and appropriate money to change grade and establish road on Lancaster Hill – passé and matter left with Selectmen
9. State aid for Highways – passed
10. Ensuing year – passed
11. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
12. Choose officers and agents – left with selectmen
13. Transact other business- Authorize Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes, 2% tax discount for early tax payment

Layout and acceptance of (present day March 2004) Morrison Ave – May 14, 1921

Personal Property agreement between Walter O’Neill and Hiram Hanscom – July 12, 1921


Sale of Cattle from Mrs. L. M. Callahan to W. B. Moulton – July 13, 1921
Laconia Gas and Electric Company pole and wires – East Tilton July 9, 1921

Personal Property agreement between George D. Provencael to Fred Witcher and John Gilbert
October 15, 1921

1922

Town Meeting March 14, 1922 (112 voters)
1. Choose Town officers
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – passed
3. Memorial Day Expenses - $100 passed
4. Raise and appropriate $750 for District Nurse – passed
5. Vote to increase Library Funding from $500 to $750 – passed
6. State aid for Highways – passed
7. Raise and appropriate $1000 for iron fencing along Park Cemetery – passed
8. Vote to macadamize Cedar Street – passed
9. Raise and appropriate money to establish Municipal Court and Trial Judge – dismissed
10. Raise and appropriate money for Dog Patrolman – dismissed
11. Vote to discontinue the Upper or Union Bridge in East Tilton jointly with Belmont – dismissed
12. Raise and appropriate $200 for Band Concerts – passed
13. Vote to donate $100 to Franklin Hospital – passed
14. Ensuing year – $35,000 passed
15. Report of officers and agents – accepted
16. Choose officers and agents – left to Selectmen
17. Transact other business- Voted to instruct Selectmen to find a site for a Town Dump and devise a system of trash pickup, 2% discount for early tax payment, Vote to hire money in tax anticipation

State Primary Election – September 5, 1922 (85 republican, 45 democrat)

State Elections – November 7, 1922 (936 voters, 1146 on checklist)

Special Town Meeting – December 26, 1922
1. 5 year tax exemption for Winnipesaukee Manufacturing Co. – passed

1923

Bill of Sale between Joseph H. Chase and Russell C. Dearborn – January 1, 1923

Town Meeting – March 13, 1923 (242 voters)
1. Choose officers
2. Constitutional question
3. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – passed
4. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
5. Raise and appropriate $750 for District Nurse Association – passed
6. State aid for highways
7. Raise and appropriate $2500 to macadamize High Street – dismissed
8. Raise and appropriate money for a day policeman – dismissed
9. Raise and appropriate $200 for summer band concerts – dismissed
10. Raise and appropriate $250 for Laconia Hospital - $100 passed
11. Raise and appropriate money for snow removal along Rt. 3 – indefinitely postponed
12. Raise and appropriate money to resurface Chestnut Street - $1000 passed
13. Ensuing year - $35,000 passed
14. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
15. Choose officers and agents – laid on the table
16. Transact other business
   a. Change name of Post Office Square to Veteran’s Square – passed

Trespassing forbidden on H.G. Boynton property on School Street – October 22, 1923

Sale of Ice House from Albert Hebert and Aime Breton to Conrad Hurbert – November 2, 1923

1924

Mortgage of land between Granite State Motors Co. and Citizens National Bank – January 17, 1924 and discharged March 22, 1927

Notice of Closing of Otis Daniel Driveway – March 1, 1924

**Town Meeting – March 11, 1924 (173 voters)**

1. Choose town officers
2. National Convention
3. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – passed
4. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
5. Raise and appropriate $1000 for District Nurse Association – passed
6. State aid for highways – passed
7. Raise and appropriate $200 for summer band concerts – passed
8. Raise and appropriate money for daytime police protection – passed
9. Raise and appropriate money for police protection for dances and other social events – dismissed
10. Raise and appropriate $1000 to renovate town hall – laid on table until adjourned meeting 60 days later
11. Raise and appropriate $1,400 to purchase tractor for snow removal – dismissed
12. Raise and appropriate $100 for Laconia Hospital – dismissed
13. Ensuing year - $35,000 passed
14. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
15. Choose officers and agents – left in hands of selectmen
16. Transact other business
   a. 2% tax discount

**Adjourned Meeting (See Article 10 above) May 10, 1924**

1. Voted to raise $1000
2. Voted to give thanks to Mrs. Hiraim R. Blanchard in appreciation of her $4000 gift to be added to the $1000 for renovations

Laconia Gas and Electric Company pole and wires – East Tilton from Grange Hall to Winnisquam Bridge May 28, 1924

Layout and acceptance of road Morrison Ave (Extension) June 9, 1924
Primary Election September 2, 1924  (184 republican, 33 democrat)

Promise to Pay between Alfred Whitehouse and Luther V. Powers October 9, 1924

Presidential and State Elections November 4, 1924  (964 voters)

1925

Town Meeting March 10, 1925  (100 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of school and parsonage fund – passed
3. Memorial Day expenses – passed $100
4. District Nurse Association – passed $1000
5. State aid for highways - $2792.25 passed
6. Raise and appropriate money for summer band concerts - $200 passed
7. Raise and appropriate $1000 for daytime police protection – passed
8. Raise and appropriate $800 for new scenery at town hall – passed
9. Raise and appropriate $100 for Laconia Hospital – defeated
10. Vote to discontinue as a public highway Union Bridge with Belmont – dismissed
11. Voter to lay a sewer line on Winter Street to Park Road (present day- April 2004 -Deer St) - $1000 passed
12. Vote to have blueprints of sewers in Tilton drawn - $500 passed
13. Ensuing year - $30,000 passed
14. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
15. Choose officers and agents – dismissed
16. Transact other business

Sale of goods and chattel from Ray Perkins to Stella Perkins – May 22, 1925

Rental Agreement between Edward Jackson and W. R. Morrison June 26, 1925

Tilton Electric Light and Power Company sold to Tilton Northfield Aqueduct Company April 22, 1924

Park Cemetery Trust – Addison Wyatt October 29, 1925

Park Cemetery Trust – Mary Richardson November 2, 1925


1926

Loan agreement between Charles Burleigh and Cora Sanborn – January 20, 1926

Town Meeting March 9, 1926  (70 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of school and parsonage fund – passed
3. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
4. District Nurse Association - $1000 passed
5. State aid for highways - $2810.25
6. Raise and appropriate money to lay a sewer line on Tilton School property parallel with Prospect Street to Pleasant Street - $600 passed
7. Close Center Str from RR tracks to Pleasant St (present day April 2004 Academy St) – passed
8. Vote to accept Mill Street – passed
9. Raise and appropriate $100 for Laconia hospital - $100 passed
10. Raise and appropriate money to macadamize West Street – leave in hands of selectmen
11. Raise and appropriate money to macadamize Peabody Street – leave in hands of selectmen
12. Raise and appropriate money to macadamize High Street from Prospect to Chestnut Streets – leave in hands of selectmen
13. Raise and appropriate $850 to paint Mosquito Bridge (with Belmont and State) – $850 passed and increased by another $300
14. Raise and appropriate $300 for blinker in Veteran’s Square – leave to selectmen
15. Raise and appropriate money for daytime police protection – passed
16. White pine blister rust – dismissed
17. Vote to assume care of sewer from Drake and Tilton property on E. Main St – defeated
18. Vote to assume care of the Char land sewer on E. Main St – defeated
19. Raise and appropriate $200 for summer band concerts – passed
20. Ensuing year - $35,000 passed
21. Report of officers and agents – accepted
22. Choose officers and agents – dismissed
23. Transact other business - Voted to raise money in tax anticipation

Road closure – Belle Peabody Brown property West Main St (see map of 1892 in Rd Book)
March 26, 1926

State Primary – September 7, 1926 (279 republican, 37 democrat)

Lease Agreement between R. H. Perkins and E. A. Cole – October 19, 1926

State Elections – November 2, 1926 (441 republican, 339 democrat)

Sidewalk closure – 222 and 224 Main Street by R. H. Perkins – November 8, 1926

Driveway closure at the Walker residence – November 9, 1926

Lease agreement between Lurinia Richardson and United Textile Workers of America Local #1186 – November 1, 1926

Sale of ice business from Conrad Hubert and Gertrude Ladd – October 3, 1926

1927

Town Meeting March 8, 1927 (325 voters)
1. Choose officers and agents
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – passed
3. Memorial Day Expenses - $100 passed
4. District Nurse Association - $1000 passed
5. State Aid for highways - $8695.08 passed
6. Raise and appropriate $1000 to macadamize and layout a sidewalk on High Street for Chestnut to Cedar Streets - $5000 passed
7. Purchase new snow removal equipment - $6000 passed
8. Vote to start program for sewer improvements - $1000 passed
9. White Pine Blister Rust - $400 dismissed
10. Summer band concerts - $200 passed
11. Ensuing year - $20,000 passed
12. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
13. Choose officers and agents – dismissed
14. Transact other business

Perambulation between Tilton and Sanbornton November 15, 1926 – Volume C page 285
Perambulation between Tilton and Franklin November 18, 1926 – Volume C page 287

**Special Town Meeting May 16, 1927**

1. 10 year tax exemption for Eastern Insulated Wire Company – passed

Obstruction of driveway by G. H. Tilton and Sons Co. – July 11, 1927

1928

Park Cemetery Trust Deed #41 Fund #57 January 25, 1928 – Cora Morrison
Park Cemetery Trust Deed #42 Fund #58 January 25, 1928 –
Park Cemetery Trust Deed #43 Fund #59 January 25, 1928 – Willis E. Bickford
Park Cemetery Trust Deed #44 Fund #60 January 25, 1928 – Merritt C. Allen
Park Cemetery Trust Deed #45 Fund #61 January 25, 1928 – Sara Stevens
Park Cemetery Trust Deed #46 Fund #62 January 25, 1928 – Luther Jasper
Park Cemetery Trust Deed #47 Fund #63 January 25, 1928 – Fredrick Osgood

**Town Meeting March 13, 1928 (207 voters)**

1. Choose officers and agents
2. Constitutional Convention questions
3. Disposition of School and Parsonage Fund – passed
4. Memorial Day Expenses - $100 passed
5. District Nurse Association - $1000 passed
6. State aid for highways - $2875.60 passed
7. Construction of highway fro East Main Street to residence of Fred S. Bacon – by request by Fred Bacon – leave in hands of selectmen
8. Raise and appropriate money to macadamize Peasant Street between School and Prospect Streets and make improvements to Mill Street - $3000 for Pleasant Street and $2000 for Mill Street
9. Summer Band Concerts - $200 passed
10. Laconia Hospital - $100 passed
11. Vote to increase tax exemption for Tilton School – increased for property valuation over $75,000
12. Ensuing year - $30,000 passed
13. Report of officers and agents – accepted  
14. Choose officers and agents – dismissed  
15. Transact other business- Action of Selectmen in posting the cutting of sidewalk on East Main St be approved, Borrow money in anticipation of taxes

Loan agreement between Clara Lynch and Public Service Company June 5, 1928

Personal property sale between Nellie and Bert Boynton and L. Batchelder - June 15, 1928

Resignation of A. S. ? from Board of Supervisors August 14, 1928

State Primary Election September 11, 1928 (224 republican, 35 democrat)

Tilton Electric Light and Power Company poles and wires August 20, 1928

By petition – request for layout and acceptance of Linden Ave August 30, 1928 hearing for petition set for September 25, 1928 and waivers requested, presented to residents and ok’d by residents - no record of any action taken by Selectmen

Central New Hampshire Telephone Company pole and wires – October 1, 1928

Presidential Elections November 6, 1928 (964 voters)

1929

Park Cemetery Deeds November 23, 1928 thru January 20, 1929, William Waugh deed #48 fund, #64 George Knapp deed #49 fund #65, Sarah Gorrell deed #50 fund #66, Adella Thorpe deed #51 fund #67, Jane Wheeler deed #52 fund #68

Bankruptcy Sale of equipment from Granite State Motors to Fred Morrill January 4, 1929

Central New Hampshire Telephone Company pole and wires

Town Meeting March 12, 1929 (79 voters)

1. Choose officers  
2. Disposition of the School and Parsonage fund – passed  
3. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed  
4. District Nurse Association - $1000 passed  
5. State aid for highways - $2824.87 passed  
6. Raise and appropriate money to macadamize Pine St., Linden Ave. and Cedar St from High to Pine - $5000 passed  
7. Summer Band concerts – passé  
8. Raise and appropriate $1000 jointly with Northfield to pay balance on precinct pumper- passed  
9. Ensuing year - $25,000 passed  
10. Reports of officers and agents – accepted  
11. Choose officers and agents- laid on the table then dismissed  
12. Transact other business
   a. To appoint a committee to see about hiring a Town Agent then present a bill to the State legislature to grant the town the right to elect the Town Agent
Bill of Sale from Estate of Charles E. Carter to Albert Carter – March 16, 1929

Promise to Pay between Alice Ingalls and Christine and A. B. Ingalls  May 11, 1929

Park Cemetery Deeds # 53 Funds # 69, 70, 71 - Sira Streeter, Charles Kesey, Charlotte Kimball

Bill of Sale between Perley Braley and Charles Edwards and Frank Drake June 25, 1929

Park Cemetery Deeds - Nellie Chase deed 55 fund 73, Nellie Chase deed 56 fund 74, Elizabeth Page deed 57 fund 75, George Cross deed 54 fund 72, Major General Harry Pruitt deed 58 fund 76

1930

**Town Meeting March 11, 1930 (103 voters)**

1. Choose delegate to Constitutional Convention
2. Choose town officers
3. Disposition of school and parsonage fund
4. Memorial Day Expenses - $100 passed
5. District Nurse Association - $1000 passed
6. State aid for highways - $2953.12 passed
7. Raise and appropriate money to rebuild Union Bridge - $4500 passed
8. 10 year lease agreement with post office from July 1, 1929 until June 30, 1939 – passed
9. Raise and appropriate $200 jointly with Northfield to purchase lot on Silver Lake for bathing purposes – passed
10. Ensuing year - $30,000 passed
11. Reports of officers and agents – passed
12. Choose officers and agents – left to Selectmen
13. Transact other business- Town Agent committee gave report and rejected the Town Agent until they can see how other town handle a Town Agent

Bill of Sale between L. S. Atkinson and John F. Fitzgerald July 15, 1930

Lease agreement between George Yantis and The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company August 5, 1930

**State Primary Elections September 10, 1930 (166 republican, 20 democrat)**

**State Elections November 4, 1030 (558 voters)**

Sidewalk closure at Hill Block by Charles Bryant and Nelson Griffin October 1930

Sidewalk closure at Herrick Drug Store in the Hill Block by Joseph Hill October 1930

Park Cemetery Deed- John D. Lang deed 59 fund 77

1931

**Town Meeting March 10, 1931 (64 voters)**
1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of the School and Parsonage fund – passed
3. Memorial Day Expenses - $100 passed
4. District Nurse Association - $1000 passed
5. Increase annual appropriation for Hall Memorial Library from $750 to $1000 – passed
6. Widen West Main Street from RR station to Winter Street – passed
7. Employ day police 12 months of the year – passed
8. State aid for highways - $2926.12 passed
9. Ensuing year - $25,000. passed
10. Report of officers and agents – accepted
11. Choose officers and agents – tabled
12. Transact other business - Borrow money for tax anticipation, Voted to require Trustee of the Trust Funds to provide bonds, Voted to take Article 11 off the table and leave in hands of selectmen, Voted that the action of the State Legislature as described in Chapter 56 Sec. 8 town line change Sanbornton – Tilton near Mosquito Bridge be confirmed

Road Closure for 24 hours –by American Woolen Company near W. Main St and Winter St. – April 9, 1931

Bill of Sale from James Cooney to Charles Hamlin April 11, 1931

Rental payment agreement between J. J. Newberry and Clarence Cotton and G. K. Yantis April 30, 1931

Bill of Sale from Edgar Laughton to Norman and Aura Ouosky June 18, 1931

Article of Agreement – Incorporation of the Tilton and Northfield District Nursing Association – September 5, 1931

1932

Special Congressional Election – First New Hampshire District January 5, 1932 (304 voters)

Town Meeting March 8, 1932 (157 voters, 963 on checklist)

1. Choose officers and agents
2. Congressional delegates
3. Disposition of the School and Parsonage Fund – passed
4. Memorial Day Expenses - $75 passed
5. Vote to discontinue the highway running westerly from C. Lane farm on Gulf Road to near the Webber Farm at Tilton Highlands – passed with the following modification- discontinue road except for about 200 feet from barn of the Webber Farm (Present day – April 2004 - discontinued Range Road near Mary Colby’s)
6. Vote to instruct Selectmen to petition Superior Court to make the road (present day – April 2004 - Pest House Road) running westerly from the Daniels Farm to Franklin subject to bars and gates – passed
7. Raise and appropriate money for continued garbage pickup in the Precinct – passed
8. Vote to employ police for daytime protection – passed
9. Laconia Hospital - laid on table indefinitely
10. State aid for highways – indefinitely postponed
11. Vote to instruct selectmen to make changes to the “garden plot” in Veteran’s Square – form committee and report at next Town Meeting
12. Ensuing year - $22,000 passed
13. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
14. Choose officers and agents – dismissed
15. Transact other business - Borrow money in tax anticipation

Park Cemetery Deeds deed #60 funds #78, 79, 80, 85 – January 30, 1932-Addie Conant ,F. E. Rollins,Filmore Welds,Eva Gilman deed 65 fund 85

Park Cemetery Deed – Joseph Dearborn deed 61 fund 81,Josiah Philbrick deed 62 fund 82, Laura Gilman deed fund 84

**Petition for Special Town Meeting**
1. Emergency arisen for immediate expenditure of money
2. The need cannot be taken care of by the appropriations made at Town Meeting
3. Town officials believe that permanent improvements should be made to a section of town highway and money borrowed from the State without interest in accordance with letter from Highway Commissioner dated August 22, 1932  Permission Granted – August 25, 1932

**Special Town Meeting – September 13, 1932**
1. Vote to borrow money without interest from State to permanently improve section of Town Highway - $5838.37  - Highland Road, balance to be used to repair road from Soldier’s Home to residence of Jean Tucker

**Presidential Primary Election September 13, 1932**  (118 republican, 111 democrat)

**Presidential Elections November 8, 1932**  (940 voters, 1086 on checklist)

1933

**Town Meeting March 14, 1933**  (137 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund - passed
3. Memorial Day Expenses - $75 passed
4. Daytime police protection – passed
5. Laconia Hospital Association – laid on the table
6. 5 year tax exemption for any business operating the G. H. Tilton property – laid on the table
7. Vote to discontinue portions of DW Highway between Tilton and Franklin and Tilton and Belmont by reason of portions of highway in the course of reconstructing the same –*see deeds in vault – passed
8. State aid for highways - $2815.88 passed
9. Raise and appropriate money to support the T-N Boy’s Band - $35.00 passed
10. Ensuing year - $10,000 plus State and County taxes – passed
11. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
12. Choose officers and agents – laid in the table
13. Transact other business - Report of previous year committee re: Article 11  passed and voted not to exceed $500, Borrow money in anticipation of taxes, Voted to form Budget Committee
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company poles and wires – June 14, 1933

Special Town Meeting – June 20, 1933

1. To vote to repeal the 18th amendment to the United States Constitution – passed

[*AMENDMENT XVIII Passed by Congress December 18, 1917. Ratified January 16, 1919. Repealed by amendment 21. Section 1. After one year from the ratification of this article the manufacture, sale, or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited. Section 2. The Congress and the several States shall have concurrent power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation. Section 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by the legislatures of the several States, as provided in the Constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to the States by the Congress.][ *This did not appear in the original Article. It was added in 2004 by KY for reference] 2. To prohibit the transportation, or importation for delivery of intoxicating liquors [*AMENDMENT XXI Passed by congress February 20, 1933. Ratified December 5, 1933. Section 1. The eighteenth article of amendment to the Constitution of the United States is hereby repealed. Section 2. The transportation or importation into any State, Territory, or Possession of the United States for delivery or use therein of intoxicating liquors, in violation of the laws thereof, is hereby prohibited. Section 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by conventions in the several States, as provided in the Constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to the States by the Congress.][ *This did not appear in the original Article. It was added in 2004 by KY for reference] 3. Inoperative unless ratified as a constitutional amendment – passed

1934

Town Meeting March 13, 1934 (421 voters)

1. Choose town officers
2. Vote for whether beer and other alcoholic beverages shall be manufactured or sold locally – passed
3. Disposition of the School and Parsonage fund – passed
4. District Nurse Association - $200 passed
5. Memorial Day Expenses - $50 passed
6. Laconia Hospital - $200 passed
7. Ensuing year - $24,500 passed
8. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
9. Choose officers and agents – Form committee to study how other towns choose officers and agents and to report findings at the next regular or special town meeting
10. Transact other business - Borrow money in tax anticipation, Authorize selectmen to apply for, jointly with Northfield, to make applications with State and Federal agencies to get the necessary surveys and maps outlined by the NH State Planning Board

Sidewalk closure by Hosmer Brothers – July 16, 1934

State Primary Election – September 11, 1934 (146 republicans, 107 democrats)

State Elections – November 6, 1934 (743 voters)

1935
**Town Meeting March 1935**

1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of the School and Parsonage fund – passed
3. Memorial Day Expenses - $50 passed
4. Laconia Hospital Association - $200 passed
5. Adopt Australian Ballot system – defeated
6. Care of cemeteries - $3.50 passed
7. Municipal Budget Act – defeated
8. Employ day policeman – defeated
9. Raise $1285.50 for State Aid Construction on Winter Street – defeated
   
   Or

   Vote $152.27 for Town Road Maintenance and State to give $609.10 – passed
10. Discount for early tax payment – passed
11. Ensuing year - $14,700 plus State and County tax passed
12. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
13. Choose officers and agents – dismissed
14. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
15. Dispose of property by tax collectors sale – passed
16. Transact other business

New England Telephone and Telegraph pole and wire removal – March 29, 1935

Lease agreement between Mary Lord and George Kingsbury May 29, 1935

**1936**

New England Telephone and Telegraph poles and wires – September 3, 1936

**Primary Election September 15, 1936 (212 republican, 50 democrat)**

**Town Meeting March 10, 1936 (240 voters, 1047 on checklist)**

1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – passed
3. Memorial Day Expenses - $50. passed
4. Laconia Hospital Association - $200 passed
5. Care of cemeteries - $75 passed
6. Raise $2569.00 for State Aid Construction of Winter Street or vote $152.89 for Town Road Maintenance the State to give $611.57 – voted to omit first part and raise $152.89 passed
7. Discount for early tax payments – passed
8. Resurface Cedar St between Winter and High Streets - $200 passed
9. Ensuing year - $16,000 passed
10. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
11. Choose officers and agents –
12. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
13. Transact other business

**Presidential Elections – November 3, 1936 (889 voters, 1036 on checklist)**
1937

**Town Meeting – March 9, 1937** (103 voters)

1. Choose town officers
2. Change constitution - defeated
3. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – passed
4. Memorial Day Expenses - $50 passed
5. Laconia Hospital Association - $200 passed
6. Care of cemeteries - $200 passed
7. Vote $151.48 for State aid in Class 5 highway construction the State to give $605.93 – passed
8. Layout and accept highway from West Main Street northwesterly to a suitable point on High Street – passed
9. $229 for Lake Region Association for promotion of the area – passed
10. White Pine Blister Rust – defeated
11. Early tax payment discount – passed
12. Ensuing year - $12,000 and State and County Tax - passed
13. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
14. Choose officers and agents – Moderator to appoint Finance Committee of 3 members- passed
15. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
16. Transact other business
   a. To adopt the following resolution
   To his Excellency the Governor and Members of the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives: Whereas the Town of Tilton is seriously affected by the pollution of the waters of Lake Winnisquam, and Whereas this pollution endangers the health, the recreation and the property values of the citizens of this town, and Whereas the problem of rectifying this situation is of such scope the Town of Tilton cannot alone take remedial action: Be it resolved that the citizens of the Town of Tilton, assembled in Town Meeting hereby urge the State of New Hampshire to assist in the solution of this problem and pray for the passage of a bill now before the Legislature entitled “An Act to provide for the Purification of the Waters of Lake Winnisquam by Installing a Sewage Disposal Plant for the City of Laconia.”

1938

**Town Meeting March 8, 1938** (214 voters)

1. Choose town officers
2. Delegate to Constitutional Convention
3. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund- passed
4. Memorial Day Expenses - $50 passed
5. Laconia Hospital Association – laid on table
6. Care of Cemeteries - $200 passed
7. Vote for $151.33 for State aid for highways - passed
8. $229 for Lake Region Association for promotion of the area – passed
9. White Pine Blister Rust – laid on table
10. Early tax payment discount – passed
11. Authorized selectmen to administer and dispose of Tax deeds – passed
12. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
13. Ensuing year – $11,000 plus State and County taxes
14. Vote how town officers are chosen – laid on table
15. Skating rink and ball field maintenance - $200 passed if Northfield appropriates same
16. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
17. Choose officers and agents – Moderator to appoint committee to investigate salaries and
   functions of town employees and report findings at next town meeting
18. Transact other business - Selectmen to make new traffic ordinances and make provisions to
   enforce same, By-Laws of the Town of Tilton, adopted by Vote of the annual Town Meeting –
   March 8, 1938 (copied as written in book)

State and Local Elections – November 8, 1938  (685 voters, 1032 on checklist)
1. Operation and sale of liquor in Town of Tilton - passed
2. Constitutional amendment – absentee voting - passed
3. Constitutional amendment – gasoline road toll used for highway purposes - passed
4. Constitutional amendment – define “paupers” and give them the right to vote - passed
5. Constitutional amendment - forestry conservation, taxation - defeated

1939

Town Meeting March 14, 1939  (108 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Disposition of the School and Parsonage fund – passed
3. Memorial Day Expenses - $50 passed
4. Laconia Hospital – laid on the table
5. Care of Cemeteries - $100 passed
6. $151.71 Town Road aid for State and State to pay $606.82 - passed
7. $229 for Lake Region Association for promotion of the area – dismissed
8. White Pine Blister Rust – laid on table
9. Build sidewalk on West Main from Peabody Street to the new high school – by request -
   $1000 passed
10. Choose to have one road agent for entire town - passed
11. Early tax payment discount – passed
12. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
13. Skating rink and ball field maintenance - dismissed
14. Selectmen to administer and dispose of Tax deeds – passed
15. Ensuing year – $11,000 plus State and County taxes
16. Reports of officers and agents - accepted
17. Choose officers and agents – passed
18. Transact other business - Lease agreement with Post Office

No Trespassing posting on Belmont Road – July 29, 1939

Northfield Tilton Congregational Church road closing – October 26, 1939

1940

Indenture agreement between T. Rogers and E. Thibodeau of Peoples Market – March 7, 1940

Town Meeting March 12, 1940  (134 voters, 1004 on checklist)
1. Choose town officers
2. Choose Constitutional Convention delegates
3. Disposition of School and Parsonage fund – passed
   “The board of Trustees, feeling that the ratio established 39 years ago is out of proportion with the present Parish membership, asked the different churches for a census of their present members with the results as follows: Baptist 100, Episcopal 150, Methodist 500, Congregational 600, Catholic 1000, Total 2350. We therefore recommend that the interest on School and Parsonage Fund be divided as follows; ½ to the schools, the other half to the Churches on the following ratio: Baptist 4.25%, Episcopal 6.37%, Methodist 21.28%, Congregational 25.54%, Catholic 42.56%. Total100%.

4. Memorial Day Expenses - $50 passed
5. Laconia Hospital Association - $200 passed
6. Care of Cemeteries - $200 passed
7. Petition state for municipal tax audit – dismissed
8. $229 for Lake Region Association for promotion of the area – defeated
9. $151.71 Town Road aid for State and State to pay $606.82 - $151.86 passed
10. White Pine Blister Rust Control - $400 passed
11. Early tax payment discount – passed
12. Ensuing year - $25,700 passed
13. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
14. Choose officers and agents – laid on table
15. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
16. Transact other business - Voted for printing the vital statistics, Enter in lease agreement with post office at town hall, Voted to add 20cents to poll tax not paid by Dec.1st.

Park Cemetery Deeds:

Sale of Granite State Motors to Wayne Smith – September 5, 1944

Billiard Table License granted to T. Soter – May 1, 1942

Notice of sale of Granite State Garage by public auction – October 30, 1940

Granite State Garage sale of goods to Wayne Smith July 22, 1941
Petition for Buried Cable Location – February 11, 1941 and November 2, 1945

Notice for the protection of the Purity of the Water of Knowles Pond – October 28, 1947

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1940

Presidential Election November 5, 1940 (890 ballots)

1941

Town Meeting March 11, 1941 (65 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $50 passed
3. Laconia Hospital Association - $200 passed
4. Care of Cemeteries - $200 passed
5. Town audit – indefinitely postponed
6. $228 for Lake Region Association for promotion of the area – laid on the table
7. Vote for $157.16 for State aid for highways and the state to contribute $6228.25 passed
8. White Pine Blister Rust Control - $400 passed
9. Early tax payment discount – passed
10. Ensuing year - $10,000 plus County and State passed
11. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
12. Choose officers and agents – tabled
13. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
14. Transact other business -Selectmen to administer and dispose of property for tax deeds , Form committee of 3 to work with the T/N Chamber of Commerce and promote the area

Town Meeting March 10, 1942 (127 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $50 passed
3. Laconia Hospital association - $200 passed
4. Care of Cemeteries - $200 passed
5. White Pine Blister Rust control – laid on table then taken off the table and $400 passed
6. Request Town audit – laid on the table
7. State aid for highways - $157.65 Town / $630.00 State
8. Additional fire, police and health protection during the war emergency- $500 passed
9. Early tax payment discount – passed
10. Ensuing year - $9000 plus County and State passed
11. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
12. Choose officers and agents – dismissed
13. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
14. Administer and dispose of Tax collector deed properties – passed

Town Meeting March 9, 1943 (51 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $75 passed
3. Laconia Hospital Association – $200 passed
4. Care of Cemeteries - $300 passed
5. White Pine Blister Rust control – laid on the table
6. Request town audit – indefinitely postponed
7. Lakes Region Association of New Hampshire – indefinitely postponed
8. State aid for highways - $157.88 plus State and County $631.53
9. Additional fire, police and health protection during the war emergency- $500 passed
10. Early tax payment discount – passed
11. Ensuing year - $10,100 plus State and County and original amount amended to reflect $100 for District Nurse
12. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
13. Choose officers and agents – laid on table
14. Borrow money is tax anticipation – passed
15. Transact other business -Issue permits for Sunday movies after 2PM – passed, Administer and dispose of tax deeds

Town Meeting and Primary Election March 14, 1944 (86 voters)

1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $75 passed
3. Laconia Hospital association - $200 passed
4. Care of Cemeteries - $300 passed
5. White Pine Blister Rust control – laid on table
6. Municipal audit – indefinitely postponed
7. Change rate raised for Hall Memorial Library – increase by $100 passed
8. Salary for the Treasurer of the Trustee of the Trust Funds - $45 passed
9. Money for war emergencies - $300 passed
10. $232 for Lakes Region Association – laid on table
11. State aid for highways - $78.98 with $315.92 from State passed
12. Money for recreational purposes under the supervision of the T/N Chamber of Commerce provided Northfield does same - $250 passed
13. Discount for early tax payment – passed
14. Ensuing year - $10,000 for town and 8002.50 for County passed
15. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
16. Choose officers and agents – laid on table
17. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
18. Transact other business - Administer and dispose of tax deeds

Primary Election July 11, 1944 (163 voters)

Presidential Election November 7, 1944 (951 ballots)

Town Meeting March 13, 1945 (40 voters)

1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $75 passed
3. Laconia Hospital Association - $200 passed
4. Care of Cemeteries - $300 passed
5. White Pine Blister Rust control – laid on the table
6. Money for war emergencies - $50 passed
7. State aid for highways - $158.08 passed
8. Early tax payment discount – passed
9. Administer and dispose of tax deed property - passed
10. Ensuing year - $10,000 plus county taxes passed
11. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
12. Support US membership in a general system of international cooperation as proposed at the Dumbarton Oaks Conference – by request of the Governor of NH- passed
13. Choose officers and agents – laid on table
14. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
15. Transact other business -1946 Town meeting begin at 10AM

**Town Meeting March 12, 1946 (265 voters)**
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $350 passed
4. Laconia hospital Association - $200 passed
5. White Pine Blister Rust Control – laid on table
6. State aid for highways - $174.64 passed
7. Audit by Division of Municipal Accounting – laid on table
8. Lakes Region Association – defeated
9. Accept gift of “the band stand lot” from Arthur S. Brown in memory of his late wife Belle Peabody Brown with stipulations – accepted as stipulated
10. Approve Tax Collector to appoint Deputy Tax Collector – passed
11. Raise money for recreational purposes - $350 passed
12. Discount for early tax payment – passed
13. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
14. Ensuing year - $15,000 plus county tax passed
15. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
16. Choose officers and agents – moderator to appoint committee of 10 to study parking areas and zoning regulations
17. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
18. Transact other business – Lease for Post Office, Appoint committee of 5 to study possibility of jointly having a swimming pool and bathhouse with Northfield and report back next year, Selectmen post parking rules and regulations, Voted that it be suggested that 3 trees in front of Belknap Manor and stucco block be removed at towns expense

**State Local and County Elections November 5, 1946 (698 ballots)**

**Town Meeting March 11, 1947 (105 voters)**
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $375 passed
4. Raise money for use of hospitals - $200 for Laconia Hospital passed
5. White Pine Blister Rust control – laid on the table
6. State aid for highways - $174.98 passed
7. Audit by Division of Municipal Accounting – indefinitely postponed
8. Lakes Region Association – laid on the table
9. Cut down trees in front of Stucco Block at 206 Main Street (By request) - defeated
10. Install public toilets in town hall basement and maintain and care for – indefinitely postponed
11. Create a Park Commission for children and beautifying the town with like committee appointed in Northfield – passed
12. Money to be expended under Park Commission - $200 annually passed
13. Repair of parks and Statues and make annual appropriation (by request) - $300 passed and $200 annually passed
14. Money for Winnisquam Fire Department - $300 passed
15. Appoint aviation committee to study building an airport – passed
16. Purchase 2 way radios for fire department - $300 passed
17. Reassessment of entire town – laid on table
18. Early tax payment discount – passed
19. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
20. Ensuing year - $15,000 plus county tax
21. Reports of officers and agents – passed
22. Choose officers and agents – laid on the table
23. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
24. Transact other business – Billboards prohibited with town limits, Motion that parking and swimming committees appointed last year be carried over until next year – motion lost

**Town Meeting and Presidential Primary March 9, 1948 (230 voters)**

1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $400 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $200 for Laconia hospital
5. White Pine Blister Rust control – laid on the table
6. State aid for highways - $175.31 passed
7. Audit by Municipal Accounting – laid on the table
8. Lakes Region Association - $ 262 passed
9. Take action in regards to trees in business section of town (by request) – One tree in front of Belknap Manor on south side of street be removed and $100 passed
10. Build public parking lot on Prospect St near RR Station (by request) - $700 passed
11. Fire fighting equipment for Lochmere - $200 passed
12. Raise and appropriate money for garbage collection in Winnisquam – laid on the table
13. Trustee of Trust Funds salary 5% of funds income (by request) – passed
14. Need for housing authority – accepted
15. Discontinue “Driveway Road” (aka Cottage Drive) bounding Oriole Cabins (Map R09 Lot 25) and said former main “DW Highway” (the causeway at Country Lakes Resort) (Map R07 Lot 11) road, bounding Abel’s and Brickett’s property in Winnisquam – Voted to take each separately – Driveway Road was tabled and D. W. Highway was voted to discontinue
16. Improve facilities in basement of town hall - $500 passed
17. Early tax payment discount – passed
18. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
19. Ensuing year - $42,454.93 including county tax passed
20. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
21. Choose officers and agents – tabled
22. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
23. Transact other business – Authorize selectmen to establish regulations, fees, and qualifications pertaining taxi cabs, Moderator appoint committee of 3 to work with Public Service to get public services in Lochmere and Winnisquam and report back at next town meeting
**Presidential Elections November 2, 1948** (842 ballots---54 abs. Ballots)

**Town Meeting March 8, 1949** (366 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of cemeteries - $400 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $200 for Franklin
5. White Pine Blister Rust control – laid on the table
6. State aid for highways - $175.73 passed
7. Audit by Municipal Accounting – indefinitely postponed
8. Lakes Region Association - $ 286 passed
9. Accept Park Road (present day 2004 Deer Street) (Map U8) – accepted
10. Provide for a suitable memorial for WWII service men – Park commission to appoint committee and report at next meeting
11. Winnisquam Fire Dept (by petition) - $500 passed
12. T-N fire precinct to extend Fire alarm system to Johns Manville plant (present day Innovative Paper Technologies plant) - $1674 passed
13. Street lighting plan for Lochmere and Winnisquam (by petition) – 32 lights for the area at a cost of $22 each passed
14. Observe 50th anniversary of Old Home Day - $1.00 turned over to Chamber of Commerce
15. Purchase tank truck for Fire District for places outside precinct provided Northfield does the same - $750 provided Northfield appropriates same passed
16. Raise money to defray cost of maintaining information booth (by petition) - $300 turned over to chamber of commerce to handle the booth passed
17. Early tax payment discount – passed
18. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
19. Ensuing year - $21,000 plus county tax passed
20. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
21. Choose officers and agents – tabled
22. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
23. Transact other business – Reconsider Article 7 defeated, Direct selectmen to collect rent from anyone using town property for private business – no second – lost

**Town Meeting March 14, 1950** (110 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $475 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $500 for Laconia hospital and $500 for Franklin
5. White Pine Blister Rust control – laid on the table
6. State aid for highways - $175.86 passed State to contribute $704.43
7. Audit by Municipal Accounting – indefinitely postponed
8. Lakes Region Association - $ 295 passed
9. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance (by petition) - $500 passed
10. Provide for a suitable memorial for WWII service men – laid on table
11. Combine with Article 10 and move memorial from Post Office Square to the Island – laid on the table
12. Appropriate money annually to be turned over to the Park Commission as accruing fund for beautification of Town and Island (by petition) - $200 passed
13. Street lighting plan for Lochmere and Winnisquam (by petition) – $66 for the 3 lights in Lochmere passed
14. Maintain Information booth for 1950 - $200 passed
15. Make by-laws regulating the use, equipment and licensing of bicycles - adopted
16. Old Home Day observance - $1 passed and C of C is representative of Town
17. Early tax payment discount – passed
18. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
19. Ensuing year - $19,000 plus county tax passed
20. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
21. Choose officers and agents – laid on the table
22. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
23. Transact other business – Lease extension for Post Office, Moved that Town protest to the Public Service Commission the removal of the 1:30 southbound train and the 6:45 northbound trains

State Primary September 12, 1950 (317 voters)

Biennial Election November 7, 1950 (617 ballots---30 abs. Ballots)

Town Meeting March 13, 1951 (176 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $380 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $500 for Franklin
5. White Pine Blister Rust control – laid on the table
6. State aid for highways - $86.72 passed State to contribute $578.10
7. Audit by Municipal Accounting – indefinitely postponed
8. Lakes Region Association - defeated
9. Maintain Information booth for 1951 - $200 passed
10. Civil Defense - $650 passed
11. WWII memorial - Selectmen and Park Committee make study and report next year
12. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $500 passed
13. Old Home Day observance – laid on the table
14. Post Office lease - passed
15. Early tax payment discount – passed
16. Disposition of Welcome Home Fund for Veterans of WWII - town recommended that the different organizations in town that have a Welcome Home fund join together and create one fund and pool monies
17. Install 4 Street lights in Winnisquam (by petition) - passed
18. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
19. Ensuing year - $23,000 plus county tax passed
20. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
21. Choose officers and agents – passed
22. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
23. Transact other business –

Town Meeting March 11, 1952 (434 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $425 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $500 for Laconia hospital and $500 for Franklin
5. White Pine Blister Rust control – tabled
6. State aid for highways - $86.70 passed
7. Audit by Municipal Accounting – indefinitely postponed
8. Lakes Region Association - $298.00 passed
9. Maintain Information booth for 1952 - $200 passed
10. Civil Defense - $350 passed
11. Purchase new fire truck for Winnisquam Fire Department - $1250 passed
12. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $500 passed
13. Adopt for 1953 elections a Non-partisan ballot – accepted
14. Post Office lease – passed
15. Early tax payment discount – passed
16. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
17. Remove trees in front of 200 and 202 Main Street - $175 appropriated for the removal passed
18. Install 3 Street lights in Lochmere - passed
19. Ensuing year - $27,600 plus county tax passed
20. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
21. Choose officers and agents – tabled
22. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
23. Transact other business –
   a. Future town meetings held at 8PM on 2nd Tuesday in March – passed

President Election November 4, 1952 (914 ballots, 96 absentee ballots)

Town Meeting March 10, 1953 (329 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $425 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $750 for Franklin
5. State aid for highways - $86.7 passed
6. Audit by Municipal Accounting – indefinitely postponed
7. Lakes Region Association - tabled
8. Maintain Information booth for 1953 –tabled
9. Civil Defense - $250 passed
10. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $700 passed
11. World War II Memorial - $1200 passed
12. Lay sewer line on High Street- $1250 passed
13. Remove trees in front of 212 Main Street (by request) –postponed indefinitely
14. Install street light 1 mile south of the Mosquito Bridge – defeated
15. Accept as public road 6/10th of a mile northeasterly from the Johns-Manville Road along the present highway (Map R22) – accepted
16. Accept as public road the lane that extends from the DW Highway past Lockwood’s Pond 555’ (present day Bittern Lane Map R24) – accepted
17. Allow Head Tax collection – passed
18. Early tax payment discount – passed
19. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
20. Ensuing year - $27,600 plus county tax passed
21. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
22. Choose officers and agents – tabled
23. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
24. Transact other business – Voted to have Selectmen to contact State Highway Commission regarding the traffic on East and West Main Streets

**Town Meeting March 9, 1954**  (453 voters)

1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $455 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $750 for Franklin
5. State aid for highways - $89.36 passed
6. Audit by Municipal Accounting – indefinitely postponed
7. Lakes Region Association – defeated
8. Civil Defense - $250 passed
9. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $700 passed
10. Declare entrance to Fire Station a One Way Street – tabled until Article 22
11. Offer Social Security to town employees and cover cost of - $400 passed
12. Town Clerk responsible for administration of Social Security – passed
13. Salary for Municipal Court Judge - $300 passed
14. Continuing garbage collection – laid on table
15. Accept as Town road 5/10th of mile of road from the Johns Manville property to the property of Udoff (Map R22) – accepted
16. Early tax payment discount – passed
17. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
18. Ensuing year - $27,600 plus county tax passed
19. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
20. Choose officers and agents – tabled
22. Transact other business – Three parking spaces in front of Post Office be made 15 minute parking – passed, Passed that the street between the First National Store and the Congregational Church be designated one way in, headed north, and Church Street used as exit only, headed south., Thanks given to Selectmen for fine appearance of Town Hall

**State Primary September 14, 1954**  (266 ballots)

**November Election November 2, 1954**  (727 ballots, 34 abs. Ballots)

**Town Meeting March 8, 1955**  (160 ballots)

1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $455 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $750 for Franklin
5. State aid for highways - $89.86 passed
6. Audit by Municipal Accounting – laid on the table
7. Lakes Region Association – laid on the table
8. Civil Defense - $250 passed
9. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $700 passed
10. Spray trees - $400 passed
11. Accept Hill Road as Town maintained (by petition) – passed
12. Street light on Clark Road (by petition) - $97.92 passed
13. Extend sewer on Morrison Ave (by petition) - $2000 passed
14. T/N Chamber of Commerce to help finance legal aid to keep RR service (similar article on Northfield Warrant) - $500 passed
15. New Equipment - $2000 passed
16. Purchase Civil Defense poster provided Northfield matches funds (by request) – laid on table indefinitely
17. Install street lights from Winnisquam House (present day Junction of Laconia Road and Lancaster Hill Road Map R6 Lot 23A) to west entrance of Hill Road (by petition) - $195.84 passed
18. Install street light at Newell’s Dinning Room (by request) – laid on table
19. Accept as Town road the road off Maple Court to residence of Lockwood and Cunningham (by petition) – accepted
20. Early tax payment discount – passed
21. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
22. Ensuing year - $27,600 plus county tax passed
23. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
24. Choose officers and agents – tabled
25. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
26. Transact other business – Instruct Selectmen to solve parking problem in Tilton and report back at the next Town meeting, Appoint Zoning Board and report at the next town meeting

Town Meeting March 13, 1956 (262 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Marine Memorial at Hampton Beach - $50 passed
4. Care of Cemeteries - $500 passed
5. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $750 for Franklin
6. State aid for highways - $89.85 passed
7. Audit by Municipal Accounting – laid on the table
8. Lakes Region Association – laid on the table
9. Civil Defense - $250 passed
10. New car for District Nurse - $325 passed
11. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $700 passed
12. Spray trees - $400 passed
13. Support Laconia Airport (by request of Laconia Mayor) – laid on the table
15. Establish, equip and maintain a Recreation Council with Northfield provided Northfield raises matching funds - $1000 passed provided Northfield does same
16. Extend sewer line on School Lane - $700 passed
17. Extend sewer line on Grant Street - $400 passed
18. Early tax payment discount – passed
19. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
20. Ensuing year - $27,600 plus county tax passed
21. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
22. Choose officers and agents – tabled
23. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
24. Transact other business – Report of Zoning Board appointed previous year and motions made and accepted as read, Voted to have 2 hour parking on Main Street from tracks to tracks
Presidential Primary March 13, 1956  (273 voters)

Primary Election September 11, 1956  (307 voters)

Presidential Election November 6, 1956  (936 ballots, 95 abs. Ballots)

Special Town Meeting December 11, 1956
1. Adopt Zoning Laws – 22 votes cast, Yes 17 and No 5

Town Meeting March 12, 1957  (370 ballots cast)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $530 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $750 for Franklin
5. State aid for highways - $89.60 passed
6. Audit by Municipal Accounting – laid on the table
7. Lakes Region Association – laid on the table
8. Civil Defense - $300 passed
9. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $1000 passed
10. Spray trees - $400 passed
11. New Equipment - $2000 passed
12. Tree removal in front of Congregational Church and shorten curb in front of Falardeau’s Store - $205 for cutting and stump removal
13. Remove trees on Hill Road - $241.46 for tree removal and town to remove the stumps and repave - passed
14. Maintain Recreation Council with Northfield provided Northfield raises matching funds - $1000 passed provided Northfield does same
15. Install street light on Philbrick Road - $24 passed
16. White Pine Blister Rust - $100 passed
17. Lay 200’ of sewer line on Cedar Street and pave the same - $700 passed
18. Install street light in Lochmere - $24 passed
19. Purchase land for use as a parking lot - $1200 to purchase land from RR
20. Early tax payment discount – passed
21. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
22. Ensuing year - $29,600 passed
23. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
24. Choose officers and agents – tabled
25. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
26. Transact other business – Check location of sign – in sidewalk or not, Remove 2 stumps in front of Tilton Dept. Store and repave

Town Meeting March 11, 1958  (504 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $100 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $535 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $750 for Franklin
5. State aid for highways - $110.31 passed
6. Audit by Municipal Accounting – laid on the table
7. Lakes Region Association – laid on the table
8. Civil Defense - $300 passed
9. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $1000 passed
10. Spray trees - $400 passed
11. New Equipment - $2000 passed
12. White Pine Blister Rust – tabled
13. T/N Recreation Council - $1500 passed – similar article in Northfield
14. Pave School Lane in conjunction with Tilton School - $500 passed
15. Early tax payment discount – passed
16. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
17. Ensuining year - $29,600 passed
18. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
19. Choose officers and agents – tabled
20. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
21. Transact other business – Authorize Selectmen to investigate bus service between Tilton and Franklin – passed, Thanked Kim Perkins for cleaning Town Hall, Moderator to appoint 2 members to committee for item a above

**Primary Election September 9, 1958** (377 voters)

**Biennial Election November 4, 1958** (781 ballots, 47 abs. Ballots)

**Town Meeting March 10, 1959** (724 voters)
1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $535 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $750 for Franklin
5. State aid for highways - $109.78 passed
6. Civil Defense - $300 passed
7. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $1000 passed
8. Spray trees - $400 passed
9. New Equipment - $2000 passed
10. Oil streets - $1000 passed
11. Lakes Region Association – indefinitely postponed
12. White Pine Blister Rust – indefinitely postponed
13. Amend vote of Town Meeting March 13, 1956 regarding 2 hour parking on Main Street to include a fine for violators – postponed until some future date
14. Snow removal on sidewalk on Chestnut Street – referred to Road Agent
15. Accept and maintain sewer line under the Theater building @ 183 Main St, sewer for Main Street block, theater and Coen property on School Street. If not accepted construct separate line for Coen property on School St. – referred to Selectmen for consideration
16. List property owners and property valuations in next Town report – tabled indefinitely
17. Help defray expenses of an Industrial Engineer in conjunction with Lakes Region Industrial Park located at Rt 3 and I93 - $1000 passed
18. T/N Recreation Council - $1750 passed
19. Early tax payment discount – passed
20. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
21. Ensuining year - $30,600 passed
22. Reports of officers and agents – accepted with corrections
23. Choose officers and agents – dismissed
24. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
25. Transact other business – Moderator to appoint 9 people to serve for the Municipal Budget Act, Referring to Article 13 the town to appoint a committee of 5 investigate and propose a plan at the least cost to the Town of Tilton

**Town Meeting March 8, 1960 (696 voters)**

1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $505 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $750 for Franklin
5. State aid for highways - $109.04 passed
6. Civil Defense - $300 passed
7. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $1000 passed
8. Care of trees - $400 passed
9. New Equipment - $2000 passed
10. Oil streets - $1000 passed
11. Lakes Region Association – tabled
12. White Pine Blister Rust – $200 passed
13. T/N Recreation Council - $1750 passed similar article on Northfield Warrant
14. Early tax payment discount – passed
15. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
16. Ensuing year - $37,401.04 passed
17. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
18. Choose officers and agents – laid on the table
20. Construct parking lot (Map U05 Lot 44) and buy property there now and one house on School Street - $20,000 passed expense spread over a 5 year period – vote YES 121 NO 14
21. Install parking meters – any revenue derived above expenses to help defray cost of parking lot – indefinitely postponed
22. Install street light in Lochmere – passed
23. Pedestrian traffic control with cross walks and fines for offenders - tabled
24. Transact other business – Budget committee, Park commission resolution (Map R24 Lot 19)

Be it hereby resolved, That we, the residents of the Town of Tilton, County of Belknap, State of New Hampshire, do hereby claim and sustain that the dwelling at 61 School Street, in said town, known as the “House By The Side Of The Road,” formerly owned by Charles G. Forrest, was the residence of Samuel Walter Foss while a student a Tilton School, then known as The Tilton Seminary. That during 1877 or 1878, while residing in the town of Tilton and attending Tilton Seminary, Samuel Walter Foss wrote his now famous poem, the “House By The Side Of The Road” in the house at 61 School Street, in the aforesaid town. That evidence now in the possession of local citizens would substantiate this claim have been investigated and recorded, and that these facts should be presented to the Honorable Ralph Sanborn, Chairman of the New Hampshire Historical Commission, at a hearing being conducted at the request of Wesley Powell, Governor of the State of New Hampshire, to be held March 10, 1960, at the State House in Concord, for their evaluation and adjudication.

**Special Town Meeting April 18, 1960**
1. Build a bridge over the Winnipesaukee River from Park Street in Northfield to Main Street in Tilton - $9,500 passed with the State contributing $26,500 and the Town of Northfield contributing $4,000
2. Authorize Selectmen to borrow the funds to defray the cost of construction.- Passed – to be paid back over a 5 year period

**Presidential Primary Election September 14, 1960**  (501 voters)

**Presidential Election November 8, 1960**  (1042 ballots, 114 abs. Ballots)

**Town Meeting March 14, 1961**  (164 voters)

1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $750 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $750 for Laconia hospital and $750 for Franklin
5. State aid for highways - $110.22 State to appropriate $734.81 passed
6. Civil Defense - $300 passed
7. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $1000 passed
8. Care of trees - $400 for spraying and $200 for trimming passed
9. New Equipment - $2000 passed
10. Oil streets - $1000 passed
11. Lakes Region Association – tabled
12. White Pine Blister Rust – $100 passed
13. T/N Recreation Council - $1750 passed similar article on Northfield Warrant
14. Revaluation of all real estate property – NOT passed
15. Take over street light upkeep near Winnisquam House (Map R26 Lot 23A) – tabled
16. Sewer installation on Birch Drive - $640 passed
17. Pave Birch Drive - $1,100 passed
18. Repair Town Clock - $500 passed
19. Christmas Lights - $350 passed
20. Install street light at intersection of Sanborn Road and Lancaster Hill Road – passed
21. Make survey on advisability of installing street lights on Lancaster Hill Road and report back at next town meeting - passed
22. Early tax payment discount – passed
23. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
24. Ensuing year - $40,901.04 plus county passed
25. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
26. Choose officers and agents – laid on the table
27. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
28. Transact other business – Estimate cost of repair of retaining wall on the river and report at the next meeting

**Town Meeting March 13, 1962**  (346 voters)

1. Choose town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $750 passed
4. Raise money for use by hospitals - $1000 for Laconia hospital and $1000 for Franklin
5. State aid for highways - $108.51 State to appropriate $723.40 passed
6. Civil Defense - $300 passed
7. Winnisquam Fire Dept operation and maintenance - $1000 passed
8. Care of trees - $400 for spraying and $200 for trimming passed
9. New Equipment - $4000 passed
10. Oil streets - $1000 passed
11. Lakes Region Association – indefinitely postponed
12. White Pine Blister Rust – $100 passed
13. T/N Recreation Council - $2500 passed
14. Set aside $500 per year for purchase and maintenance of Community Center – moderator to
determine legality of the article
15. Paint Highway Department Garage - $1000 passed
16. Christmas Lighting - $350 passed
17. Purchase new police cruiser – $2400 passed
18. Purchase 2 way radios for Police Cruiser - $400 passed
19. Parking Regulations – passed
20. Revaluation of all real estate property – indefinitely tabled
21. Transfer of title of portion of High Street from School Street to Prospect Street to the Tilton
School – no vote taken
22. Licensing of Games – adopted
23. Install Street light on Pleasant Drive at whatever location seems appropriate by request –
passed
24. Install street light on Cross Road - $77 passed for 3 lights
25. Early tax payment discount - passed
26. Administer and dispose of tax deed property – passed
27. Ensuing year - $43351.00 plus county passed
28. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
29. Choose officers and agents – none to appoint
30. Borrow money in tax anticipation – passed
31. Transact other business – All motor vehicles be put out to bid, Road agent to pick up rubbish
weekly, Vote of Thanks given to Charles E. Smith for 50 years of service as Town Treasurer

Primary Election September 11, 1962  (430 voters)

Biennial Election November 6, 1962  (814 ballots, 43 abs. Ballots)

Town Meeting March 13, 1963  (431 voters)
1. Choose Town Officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $800 passed
4. Raise money for use of Hospitals - $1000 for Franklin Hospital & $1000 for Laconia Hospital
   passed
5. State aid for Highways - $111.49 State to appropriate $743.29 passed
6. Civil defense - $1900 passed
7. Winnisquam Fire Department operation and maintenance - $1000 passed
8. Care of Trees - $400 for spraying, $200 for removal
9. Raise money for new equipment - $4000 passed
10. Oil streets - $1000 passed
11. Lakes Region Association – definitely postponed
12. White Pine Blister Rust - $25 passed
13. Tilton – Northfield Recreation Council - $1750 passed
14. Community Center building fund - $500 passed
15. Appropriate money to install a streetlight at Red Wing Trailer Park (Sherwood Drive) – passed
16. Replace incandescent lights at Cozy Corner (Laconia Road) – passed
17. Vote to exclude Mobil Homes from all parts of town except trailer parks – tabled indefinitely
18. Authorize Selectmen to request State Tax Commission to reevaluate all Real Estate property in town on market value – defeated
19. Vote to allow a 2% discount for all tax bills paid within 30 days – passed
20. Vote to allow Selectmen to administer or dispose of any property acquired by tax deed – passed
21. How much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for all purposes for the ensuing year – passed to raise $46,751.04
22. Reports of Officers and Agents – accepted
23. Choose Officers and Agents – article tabled
24. Borrow money in Tax anticipation – passed
25. Transact other business – Moderator to appoint three citizens to work with the selectmen for the police department, 48 hour consecutive parking in town owned lots, parallel parking on one side of Main Street, diagonal parking on the other side

Presidential Primary March 10, 1964     (510 voters)

Town Meeting March 10, 1964 (510 voters)
1. Choose Town officers
2. Memorial Day Expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $800 passed
4. Raise money for use of Hospitals – passed $1000 for Franklin & $1000 for Laconia
5. State aid for highways – Raise $110.94 State to appropriate $739.61
6. Civil Defense - $300 passed
7. Winnisquam Fire Department - $1000 passed
8. Care of Trees – passed
9. New Equipment - $4000 passed
10. Oiling streets – postponed
11. Lakes Region Association – postponed
12. Tilton/Northfield Recreation Center - $2500 passed
13. Community Center Building Fund - $500 passed
14. Install street lights on School Street – passed
15. Install street light at Lancaster Hill – passed
16. Vote to extend sewer system up Highland Avenue – passed
17. Trade in Police car for new one – passed
18. Raise funds to resurface the streets and roads in Tilton – taken care of above
19. Raise and appropriate $6000 to supplement Police Department budget – passed $5000 and voted to accept the report of the committee and adopt the recommendations:
   Report of Committee appointed by Moderator: The town meeting of 1963 authorized the Moderator to appoint three citizens to work with the Selectmen and study the efficiency of the law enforcement set-up of Tilton. The Moderator appointed Norman L. Wiggin, Herbert B. Moore, and Mortimer B. Howell.
20. Raise appropriate funds to purchase half interest in the Dam and Water Service Co. – voted to indefinitely postpone
21. Authorize Selectmen to request State Tax Commission to reevaluate all Real Estate property in town on a basis of true market value – Tabled
22. Allow a discount on early paid taxes – passed
23. Allow Selectmen to dispose of or administer any properties acquired by tax lien – passed
24. Vote to raise money and appropriate funds for all purposes in the ensuing year – passed $46,701.04
25. Reports of Town Officers – accepted
26. Choose any other Officers and Agents – Moderator to appoint a committee of three to study the advisability of purchasing the dam rights of the former American Woolen Co. from Public Service of New Hampshire – passed
27. Allow Selectmen to borrow money for the anticipation of taxes – passed
28. Transact other business: Selectmen to be responsible to building fund meetings, Selectmen to alternate as the wish – passed

Primary Election September 8, 1964  (264 voters)

Biennial Election November 3, 1964  (972 ballots, 95 abs. Ballots)

Special Town Meeting January 20, 1965
1. To authorize Selectmen to have a complete appraisal of all taxable property by the State Tax Commission and to place the costs of such appraisal in the Town Warrant for the regular annual meeting in March 1965 – passed

Town Meeting March 9, 1965  (646 voters)
1. Choose Town Officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $800 passed
4. Use of Hospitals - $1000 for Laconia, $1000 for Franklin passed
5. State aid for Highways – Town to pay $110.12, State to appropriate $734.12
6. Civil Defense - $300 passed
7. Winnisquam Fire Department use- $1250 passed
8. Care of trees - $300 for spraying, $500 for removal passed
9. New equipment - $3000 passed
10. Lakes Region Association – $50 passed
11. Tilton/Northfield Recreation Council - $3000 passed
12. Existing building fund for Community Center - $500 passed
13. Resurfacing of streets - $5000 passed
14. State Tax Commission reevaluation - $9000 passed ($3000 a year for 3 years)
15. Reconstruction of Bridge #128/158 on Route 140 – tabled
16. Raise funds to defray cost of article 15 – tabled
17. Street lights for Northern Shores Development, Lochmere – passed
18. Appropriate $50 to purchase one half interest in the Dam and Water rights of former American Woolen Co. – passed
19. Amend Article X of the Zoning Regulations by adding the following:
   “The Board of Adjustment shall approve plans for the erection and alteration of structures only where such plans meet the standard of construction required by good engineering practice and safety and where the exterior surface of the building meets normal standards.” – defeated
20. Amend Article XI-A of the Zoning Regulations as follows:
   “No person, firm or corporation shall strip or excavate or otherwise remove top soil, sand or gravel from single residence, general residence or apartment house districts for sale, or
for any use other than on the premises from which the same shall be taken except in construction or alteration of a building on such premises and excavation or grading incidental thereto.” – passed
21. Create a Planning Board - $200 passed for 7 member appointed board
22. Discount early paid taxes – passed
23. Allow Selectmen to administer or dispose of property acquired by tax deed – passed
24. Raise money for the purpose of the ensuing year - $58,945 (plus county tax) passed
25. Reports of Town officers – tabled
26. Choose any Officers and Agents – tabled
27. Allow Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
28. Transact other business:
   A resolution was made regarding the pollution of the Winnipsaukee River – resolution passed, Moderator to appoint a Committee of three citizens
   Stop sign removal and erection – various locations 1965 and 1966

**Town Meeting March 8, 1966 (592 voters)**
1. Choose Town Officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $800 passed
4. Use of Hospitals - $1000 for Laconia, $1000 for Franklin passed
5. State aid for Highways – Town to pay $127.84, State to appropriate $852.24
6. Civil Defense - $150 passed
7. Winnisquam Fire Department use- $1250 passed
8. Care of trees - $500 passed
9. New equipment - $5500 passed
10. Lakes Region Association – $50 passed
11. Tilton/Northfield Recreation Council - $3000 passed
12. Existing building fund for Community Center - $500 passed
13. Resurfacing of streets - $5000 passed
14. Vote to discontinue 10 cent a barrel charge for rubbish collection – indefinitely postponed
15. Change to Zoning regulations on West Main Street from residential to commercial – passed
16. Install a larger light at the intersection of Silver lake Road and River Road – tabled
17. Install a light between Jay’s Marina and Lord Hampshire Motel - $84 passed
18. Authorize Selectmen to file an application required by the United States for an advance of $18,000 to be made by the United States to the Town of Tilton to aid in defraying the costs of preliminary report and plan preparation for sewerage and sewage treatment facilities – accepted
19. Authorize Moderator to appoint a Sewer Study Committee to work with Selectmen of both towns to establish a sewer district – Moderator to appoint a committee
20. Discount early paid taxes – passed
21. Allow Selectmen to administer or dispose of property acquired by tax deed – passed
22. Raise and appropriate money for the purpose of ensuing year – passed $62,706.32 (plus county)
23. Reports of officers and agents – accepted
24. Choose other officers and agents for ensuing year – tabled
25. Allow Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
26. Transact other business:
1. Moderator to draw up certificate of appreciation to be presented to H. Andrews in appreciation of many years of service to Tilton
2. Moderator to appoint a committee to study Zoning Regulations – passed

**Primary Election September 13, 1966**  (379 voters)

**Biennial Election November 8, 1966**  (797 ballots, 38 abs. Ballots)

**Town Meeting March 14, 1967**  (552 voters)

1. Choose Town Officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $800 passed
4. Use of Hospitals - $1000 for Laconia, $1000 for Franklin passed
5. Raise money for Lakes Region General Hospital addition - $2000 passed
6. Raise money for Lakes Region Mental health - $275 passed
7. State aid for Highways – Town to pay $128.84, State to appropriate $858.91
8. Raise and appropriate money for the reconstruction of Bridge #128/148 on Route 140 – passed $15,868 over a three period
9. Civil Defense - $150 passed
10. Winnisquam Fire Department use- $1250 passed
11. Care of trees - $500 passed
12. New equipment - $3000 passed
13. Lakes Region Association – $50 passed
14. Tilton/Northfield Recreation Council - $3500 passed
15. Existing building fund for Community Center - $500 passed
16. Resurfacing of streets - $5,000 passed
17. Transfer title for property on High Street running from School Street to prospect Street to Tilton School for $1 and other consideration – passed
18. Raise money for the control of White Pines Blister - $100 passed
19. Install street lights on Pole #904-5 on Route 3 – passed
20. Raise money for uniforms for “Tilton 49’ers” Drum and Bugle Corps – defeated
21. Authorize the Planning Board and Board of Selectmen to take necessary action to carry out a planning project by participating in the Federal Urban Planning Assistance Program, further to vote to raise funds not to exceed $5000 – passed
22. Limit the terms of Selectmen to three consecutive three year terms each to take effect with the annual Town Election of 1968 – tabled
23. Discount early paid taxes – 2% passed
24. Allow Selectmen to administer and dispose of property acquired by tax deed – passed
25. Raise and appropriate money for the purpose of the ensuing year - $68,678.02 passed
26. Reports of Town Officials and Agents – accepted
27. Choose any other Officers and Agents for the ensuing year – passed
28. Authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in the anticipation of taxes – passed
29. Transact any other business: Resolution to Helen Andrews;

**Town Meeting March 12, 1968**  (753 voters)

1. Choose Town Officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $800 passed
4. Use of Hospitals - $1000 for Franklin, $1000 for Laconia passed
5. State Aid for highways – Town to pay $143.50, State to appropriate $956.67
6. Vote to authorize Selectmen to file application with U.S. Government for an interest free advance of Federal Funds to finance costs of engineering of a sewer system – adopted
7. Civil Defense - $115 passed
8. Winnisquam Fire Department use - $1500 passed
9. Care of Trees - $300 passed
10. New Equipment - $3200 passed
11. Lakes Region Association – Tabled indefinitely
12. Tilton-Northfield Recreation Council - $4000 passed
13. Existing Building Fund for Community Center - $500 passed
14. Resurfacing of streets - $5000 passed
15. Discontinue use of the section of High Street running from School Street to Prospect Street – passed Section 2 – Authorized Selectmen to sign a deed to Tilton School conveying that section of street. The consideration to be $1 – passed
16. Appropriate the sum of $7000 as it’s share to raise the roadway grade on each side of the bridge over the canal at Lochmere – adopted
17. EMERGENCY POLICE ASSISTANCE ORDINANCE
   a. The Town of Tilton, New Hampshire hereby accepts the provisions of RSA 106.C
   b. The Chief of Police of the Town of Tilton, New Hampshire Police Department is hereby authorized to act pursuant to the provisions of RSA 106.C, as inserted by Laws 1967, Chapter 431, as now enacted and as may be amended – adopted
18. Become a member of a regional planning agency – voted to do so
19. Petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting and make an appropriation to cover the expense of audit – passed with $1200 appropriated to cover audit expense
20. To accept as a public road, the existing Highway into Northern Shores Development at Lochmere – passed
21. Discount on early paid taxes – passed 2% discount
22. Allow Selectmen to administer or dispose of property acquires by tax deed – passed
23. Raise and Appropriate money for the purpose of the ensuing year - $81,080 passed
24. Reports of Town Officials and Agents – accepted
25. Choose any other Officers and Agents for the ensuing year – passed
26. Authorize Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
27. Transact any other business:

Primary Election September 10, 1968  (398 ballots)

Presidential Election November 5, 1968  (998 ballots, 74 abs. Ballots, 4 special ballots)

Town Meeting March 11, 1969  (516 ballots)

1. Choose Town officers
2. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
3. Care of Cemeteries - $800 passed
4. Use of Hospitals - $1000 for Franklin, $1000 for Laconia passed
5. State aid for Highways - $142.63 passed (State to pay $950.88)
6. Civil Defense - $50 passed
7. Use of Winnisquam Fire Department - $1500 passed
8. Care of Trees - $600 passed
9. New Equipment - $6318 passed
10. Lakes Region Mental Health Care - $500 passed
11. Existing Building Fund - $500 passed
12. Tilton–Northfield recreation Center – Motion made to raise $5049, postponed (later passed)
13. Resurfacing of Roads - $1000 passed
14. Raise and appropriate $4000 to defray costs of expenses of Tilton’s Centennial Celebration – passed
15. Raise and appropriate $6000 to build a retaining wall at the former Public Service Dam – passed
16. Vote to adopt the Municipal Budget Act – tabled
17. Accept a gift, deed or by eminent domain a road known as Mountain View Road – tabled
18. State Tax Commission to conduct a yearly audit of the Town books – passed
19. Raise the salary of the Treasurer of Trustees of the Trust Funds – passed from 8% to 10% of income received
20. Discount for early paid taxes – 2% passed
21. Allow Selectmen to administer and dispose of property acquired by tax deed – passed
22. Raise and appropriate money for the purpose of the ensuing year - $118,845 passed
23. Reports of Town Officials and Agents – accepted
24. Choose any other Officers and Agents for the ensuing year – passed
25. Authorize Selectmen to borrow money in the anticipation of taxes – passed
26. Transact any other business:

**Town Meeting March 10, 1970**

1. Choose Town Officers
2. Zoning amendment – mobile homes
3. Memorial Day expenses - $150 passed
4. Care of Cemeteries - $600 passed
5. Use of Hospitals - $1000 for Franklin, $1000 for Laconia passed
6. TRA
7. Civil Defense - $75 passed
8. Use of Winnisquam Fire Department - $1500 passed
9. Care of Trees - $600 passed
10. Vote to hire a Town Manager – tabled
   - Vote to elect a full time Selectman – amended to changing full time Selectman to administrative assistant (defeated) amended to employ a full time Selectman at $6000 a year – passed
11. New Equipment - $3200 passed
12. Lakes Region mental health Care - $1500 passed
13. Comprehensive Plan for Town of Tilton
14. Discontinue Morrison Ave. – amended to grant Town rights and permission to repair existing sewer running from Wayland Motel to Morrison Ave.
15. Vote to discontinue the portion of Old Route 140 presently being used as the driveway to Edgar Middleton Sr.’s home and revert ownership of land to present abutting owners – passed
16. Existing Building Fund - $500 passed
17. Tilton-Northfield Recreation Center - $4500 passed
18. Resurfacing of streets - $1000 passed
19. Vote to have State Tax Commission conduct a yearly audit – passed
20. Vote to adopt the Municipal Budget Act – defeated
21. Raise and appropriate the funds to restore Time Table Mable and Indian on Main Street - $500 passed
22. Vote on a new method of collecting rubbish and the funds to do so – referred to a committee and postponed for a Special Town meeting
23. Vote to appropriate funds for preparing construction drawings for the sewage treatment facility – passed
24. Authority to apply for grants on sewer facilities – passed
25. Raise and appropriate funds for the Lakes Region Association – tabled
26. Raise and appropriate funds to build a dog shelter for stray dogs - $250 passed
27. Allow Selectmen to administer and dispose of property acquired by tax deed – passed
28. Discount on early paid taxes – 2% passed
29. Raise and appropriate money for the purpose of the ensuing year - $146,349.26 passed
30. Reports of Town Officials and Agents – accepted
31. Choose any other officers and agents for the ensuing year – passed
32. Authorize Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
33. Other business:
   A. Voted that largest money amount articles should be presented first in ensuing years – passed

**Special Town Meeting May 26, 1970**
1. (22A) Vote to change to a new method of collecting rubbish – passed
2. Appropriate necessary funds to carry out article (22A) – passed

**Primary Election September 8, 1970**

**Biennial Election November 3, 1970**

**Town Meeting March 9, 1971**
1. Vote to change the term of office for Town Clerk from 1 year to 3 years – passed
2. Amendment to zoning regulations – passed

**Town Meeting March 13, 1971 (postponed from March 9, 1971)**
1. Choose Town Officers
2. Appropriate money for the salary and expenses for the employment of one full time Selectman - $6600 passed
3. Appropriate funds necessary for check list verification and reprinting of checklist - $1500 passed
4. Use of Winnisquam Fire Department - $1500 passed
5. State Aid for Highways – Town to pay $171.92, State to appropriate $1146.15
6. Vote to raise and appropriate funds for the use of the District Nursing Association - $3100 passed
7. Vote to raise and appropriate funds to cover secretarial work for use by the Tilton Planning Board - $600 passed
8. Vote to raise and appropriate funds for the purchase of the property commonly known as The Methodist Church for use as a town parking area - $7500 passed
9. Resurfacing of streets - $1800 passed
10. Lakes Region Disposal Company - $7725 passed
11. Tilton-Northfield Recreation Council - $4750 passed
12. Use of Hospitals - $1000 for Laconia, $1000 for Franklin passed
13. Existing Building Fund - $500 passed
14. Memorial Day Expenses - $150 passed
15. Care of Cemeteries - $600 passed
16. Civil Defense - $75 passed
17. Care of trees - $250 passed
18. Appropriate funds for State Tax Commission to conduct yearly audit - $1600 passed
19. Appropriate funds for the control of White Pine Blister - $100 passed
20. Raise and appropriate funds to contribute to the New Hampshire Humane Society - $100 passed
21. Lakes Region Association – postponed
22. Vote to change term of Town Clerk form 1 year to 3 years – taken care of at Town Meeting of March 9, 1971
23. Amend existing Zoning regulations as follows: - postponed
   i. To allow trailers and trailer parks
   ii. Trailer parks and trailers shall be located in Town of Tilton
   iii. Shall not be considered a mobile home or trailer park if unit is parked on private property
   iv. Minimum park or subdivision area lot 40x100 – 4000 sq. feet
   v. Mobile home park or trailer subdivision may be allowed in a single or general residence district whose lots have been approved for homes
24. Vote to accept as a town road the section from John Manville property to the residence of Charles Virgin - passed
25. Vote to accept as a public road the road known as Dublin Drive – tabled
26. Vote to require that only phosphate free laundry detergent be sold in the Town of Tilton – passed
27. Vote to elect one trustee for the Northfield Library for a term of 3 years – Mr. Phillip Rudd elected by ballot
28. Vote to extend the present boundaries of the Tilton-Northfield Fire District – postponed indefinitely
29. Vote to allow the Selectmen to appoint a Town Tax Assessor, raise and appropriate the funds to do so – amended to appoint the State Tax Commission for the year of 1971 - $1000 passed as amended
30. Raise and appropriate money for the purpose of the ensuing year – passed $160,150.00
31. Reports of Town Officers and Agents – accepted
32. Authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in the anticipation of taxes – passed
33. Choose any other officers and agents for the ensuing year – passed
34. Transact any other business:
   A. Motion made that $50,971.08 of the total sum of money raised under article 30 to be earmarked as the total budget of the police department for the ensuing year as follows: A general budget of $47,171.08 and wage increases for the chief of $25 per week and wage increases for full time patrolmen of $10 per week – passed – A Motion made that the Town allow a 2% discount for early payment of taxes – passed. Motion made that the Tilton Town Meeting “advise our representative to the General Court that we are heavily oppressed with a multitude of taxes and therefore, we hereby entrust them to vote against the levy of any form of broad based tax and cut state spending accordingly.” – passed
Town Meeting March 7, 1972

1. Choose Town Officers
2. Adoption of the amendments to the existing Town Zoning Ordinances as proposed by the Planning Board
3. (A) Vote to adopt the provisions of the Municipal Budget Act - passed
   (3) if above is affirmative to vote for a Budget Committee consisting of six members, term of office for 1/3 to be 3 years, 1/3 to be 2 years and 1/3 to be 3 years until their successors are elected or appointed. - passed
   (C) if above is affirmative, to see if the Moderator will appoint the members-at-large for the Budget Committee, and there after, 1/3 of the members shall be elected by Ballot at the annual Town Meeting. - passed
   (D) if above is affirmative, to see if the Town will vote for each of the members to receive $50 yearly compensation. – passed
4. (AMENDED) To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $6,000 for Salary for the employment of one full time Selectman – passed as amended
5. To see if the Town will vote to change the existing boundaries of the Tilton portion of the Tilton-Northfield Fire District to the boundaries of the Town of Tilton – passed
6. Raise and appropriate the sum of $1500.00 for the use of the Winnisquam Fire Department – passed
7. Raise and appropriate the sum of $3350.00 for the use of the District Nursing Association. – passed
8. $5400.00 for road resurfacing – passed
9. Raise and appropriate $7956.75 for rubbish collection – passed
10. Raise and appropriate $4750.00 for the Tilton-Northfield Recreation Council to continue a year round program – passed
11. Raise and appropriate $149.97 to obtain Road Aid. The State to appropriate $999.78 – passed
12. (AMENDED) Raise and appropriate $500 to place into an existing Recreational Building Fund savings account – passed as amended
13. Raise and appropriate the sum of $50.00 for the control of White Pine Blister Rust – passed
14. Raise and appropriate $50.00 for partial participation in the Lakes Region Association – passed
15. Raise and appropriate $300 for office expenses of the Planning Board – passed
16. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day expenses - $150.00 passed
17. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries – defeated
18. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of Hospitals - $2000 passed ($1000 for Franklin Hospital, $1000 for Laconia)
19. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Civil Defense - $75.00 passed
20. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of the Housing Authorities Law - voted to form a committee of 5 members to implement plans
21. To see what action the Town will take with regard to the care of trees and stumps - $300.00 passed
22. To see if the Town will vote to have the State Tax Commission conduct a yearly audit of the Town books and to appropriate the sum of money for the same - $1,200.00 passed
23. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the New Hampshire Humane Society - $300.00 passed
24. (AMENDED) To see if the Town will vote to allow the Selectmen to appoint a Town Tax assessor, providing he is not an official of the Town, and appropriate money for the same - $4,000.00 passed
25. To see if the Town will allow a discount on early paid taxes – (2% if paid within 30 days) – passed
26. (AMENDED) To vote to allow the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any property at public auction to the highest bidder which has been acquired by tax deed – passes
27. To see if the Town will vote to continue it’s membership in the New Hampshire Municipal Association. - $181.87 passed
28. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for new equipment - $10,255.00 passed
29. To see if the Town will vote to adopt a dog leash law (by petition) – defeated
30. (AMENDED) To see if the Town will vote to increase the amount of exemption upon dormitories, dining rooms & kitchens at the Tilton School from $150,000 by assessed valuation to $500,000 of assessed valuation in accordance with the provisions of New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated. – passed as amended
31. To see if the Town will allow selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
32. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Conservation Commission under the provisions of RSA 36, and that the selectmen shall appoint said commission, to consist of (3 to 7) members, within 10 days – passed
33. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of the ensuing year - $178,845.35 passed
34. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the road known as Cottage Drive near Oriole Cabins and revert land back to abutting owners – passed
35. To see what action the Town will take in regards to the reports of its officers and agents
36. To choose any other officers and agents for the ensuing year
37. Transact any other business

Primary Election September 12, 1972

Special Town Meeting October 10, 1972

(AMENDED) To raise and appropriate $5,000 to restore the second floor of the Town Hall. Any money not used to be returned to the General Fund of the Town – total $85,752 – passed

Biennial Election November 7, 1973

Town Meeting March 6, 1973

1. Choose Town Officers
2. (AMENDED) To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund the sum of $11,600 – passed as amended
3. To see if the Town will appropriate $2,000 for repairs to Hall Memorial Library – tabled
4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,479.28 to support the Belknap–Merrimack community Action Program – passed
5. To see if the Town will vote to employ one full time selectman and to raise and appropriate $6,600 for same – amended to remove $ amount and combine with article 6 – passed as amended
6. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the position of full time selectman as established by town vote March 10, 1970. (by petition) – (voted by article 5) passed
7. To see if the Town will vote to pave Northern Shore Loop, consisting of Ashuelot Drive and Dublin Drive and located in Lochmere – tabled
8. To see if the Town will vote to have the State Tax Commission conduct a early audit of Town books – passed
9. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes – passed
10. To see if the Town will vote to allow selectmen to administer or dispose of property acquired by tax deed – passed
11. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
12. To see if the Town will vote to accept the budget as submitted - $273,026.28 passed
13. To see what action the Town will take in regards to the reports of its officers and agents
14. To choose any other officers and agents for the ensuing year
15. To transact any other business

Town Meeting March 5, 1974
1. Choose Town Officers
2. Authorize Selectmen to issue bonds totaling $86,775.00 ($15,000 for repairs to dam $71,775 for new bridge) – failed
3. Adopt homeowners exemption provisions of RSA, Chapter 72
4. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses – passed
5. Vote to employ a full-time Selectman (by petition) – passed over
6. Vote to continue the employment of one full time Selectman in an administrative position for the ensuing year (by petition) – defeated
7. Vote to pave Mt. View Drive, Meadow Lane & Stockade Lane and appropriate money for same – postponed indefinitely
8. Vote to accept budget presented by the Budget Committee - $351,910.44 passed
9. Vote to accept a Dog Leash Ordinance (by petition) – passed
10. Vote a proposal for a dog control ordinance – passed
11. Vote to adopt a dog leash law – passed
12. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Town Clerk to accept voter registrations – passed
13. To see if the Town will vote for the adoption of absentee voting at the annual Town Meeting – tabled
14. To see if the Town will allow the Selectmen to administer or dispose of at auction any properties acquired by tax deed – passed
15. To see if the Town will vote to have the State Tax Commission conduct a yearly audit of Town books – passed
16. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes – passed
17. To see if the Town will allow the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
18. Reports of Town officers and agents –
19. Choose any other officers and agents
20. Transact new business

Special Town Meeting September 4, 1974
Resolution approving application of the provisions of chapter 204-A of the New Hampshire revised statutes annotated and the provision of section 23 of the U.S. Housing Act of 1937, as amended, to locality – passed

Primary Election September 10, 1974

Biennial Election November 5, 1074

Town Meeting March 4, 1975
1. Choose officers
2. Vote to adopt the amendments to the Town Zoning Ordinance
3. Vote to rescind the provisions of the Municipal Budget Law – tabled
4. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses – passed
5. Vote to allow the Selectmen to issue long term notes in the total sum of $17,000.00 to be used for the complete reappraisal of the Town – defeated
6. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to issue bonds in the total sum of $89,958.00 to construct a bridge (Bridge Street) – passed
7. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to apply, negotiate and obtain Federal, State or other assistance for design and construction of a sewage system – passed
8. Vote to raise and appropriate $20,000 for the purpose of preparing plans and specifications for sewer and sewage treatment facilities – passed
9. Vote to rescind the exemption of $350,000 granted to Tilton School at Town Meeting in 1972 (Warrant Article #30) (by petition) – tabled
10. To see if the Town will vote to adopt a resolution pertaining to floods and mudslides – passed
11. To see if the Town will vote to adopt a resolution pertaining to building (zoning) – passed
12. Vote to discontinue the portion of US Rte. 140 ending at Edward King’s residence and to revert the land back to the abutting owners – dismissed
13. Vote to discontinue the Road off Sanbornton Road leading to the Binger property and to revert land back to abutting owners – disallowed
14. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of real estate acquired through tax deed – passed
15. Vote to have the New Hampshire Department of Revenue Administration conduct a yearly audit of Town books – passed
16. Vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes – passed
17. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
18. Vote to have a street light placed at the end of circle drive (by petition) – passed
19. Vote to reconstruct and pave the sidewalks on the South side of Church Street, the west side of River Road, the north side of Silver Lake Road and the east side of US Route Number 3 between Silver Lake Road and Church Street (by petition) – tabled
20. Vote to adopt ordinance that no one under 16 shall loiter on any street after the 9:00pm fire whistle – defeated
21. Vote to adopt the budget submitted by the Budget Committee - $344,388 passed
22. Reports of officers and agents
23. Choose any other officers or agents for the ensuing year
24. Transact any other business
   *Moderator to appoint 5 citizens of the community and form a Bi-Centennial Committee – passed

Special Election September 16, 1975

Presidential Primary February 24, 1976

Town Meeting March 3, 1976
1. Choose officers
2. To approve 2 sessions of Town Meeting, first session for choice of Town Officers and second session, (date set by selectmen) for the transaction of other business – passed
3. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses (compactor) - $19,995 passed
4. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses (cab & chassis) - $9,000 passed
5. Vote to pave the road at Northern Shores (Ashuelot Drive & Dublin Drive) and appropriate $13,400 for same - defeated
6. Vote to raise and appropriate $2200 for Bi-Centennial celebration (by petition) – passed
7. Vote to install a street light on Colby Road at the entrance of Colby Road Trailer Park (by petition) – passed
8. Vote to accept the budget submitted by the Budget Committee - $401,771.98 passed

Town Meeting of March 3, 1976 Continued March 6, 1976
9. Vote to continue the $350,000 exemption granted to Tilton School - Defeated
10. Vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 72:43-b and 43-c for expanded exemptions on real estate (by petition) – passed
11. Allow the Tax Collector to appoint deputies – passed
12. Vote to rescind the November 24, 1975 ordinance making Pleasant Street one way – passed
13. Vote to see if the Town will continue to use all street lights on Prospect Street (by petition) – passed over
14. Vote to establish a 3 man police commission to serve a 3 year term (by petition) – defeated
15. Choose to elect members of the Planning Board (by petition) – defeated
16. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by tax deed – passed
17. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to request bids from an authorized firm to conduct an annual audit of Town books – passed
18. Vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes – passed
19. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
20. Reports of officers and agents
21. Choose any other officers and agents for the ensuing year
22. Transact any other business
Primary Election September 14, 1976

Biennial Election November 2, 1976

Town Meeting March 8, 1977

1. Choose officers
2. (OPINION) To see if the Town will vote to express their opinion of the proposed southern route of the East-West by-pass – (YES – 261, NO – 349)
3. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses (reassessment) – $35,000 passed
4. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses (jeep) – $4,100 passed
5. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses (Land acquisitions for bridge approach) – $4,650 passed
6. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses (start-up funds for a center for the handicapped) - $2,000 passed
7. Vote to include officers and employees in the New Hampshire retirement system - $1,125 passed
8. Vote to adopt semi-annual tax bills – passed
9. Vote to renew the contract with Lakes Region Disposal Company (by petition) – defeated
10. Vote to accept the budget as presented by the Budget Committee - $457,798.18 passed
11. Vote to restore additional voluntary $350,000 tax exemption to Tilton School (bringing total exemption to $500,000) (by petition) – defeated
12. To see if the Town wishes to exclude from it’s social security plan services performed by election officials or election workers for each calendar quarter in which remuneration paid is less that $50 – passed
13. Vote to deed a portion of the land adjacent to the Town Pit to Pike Industries for $1 – tabled
14. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by tax deed – passed
15. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to request bids from an authorized firm to conduct an annual audit of Town books – passed
16. Vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes – passed
17. Authorize Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
18. Reports of officers and agents
19. Choose any other officers or agents for ensuing year
20. Transact any other business

Special Town Meeting September 14, 1977

1. Resolved by Town of Tilton that the New Hampshire Housing Commission be and is authorized to operate in the Town of Tilton, in the State of New Hampshire, that said New Hampshire Housing Commission is authorized to sponsor a project, for elderly persons under section 8, for 60 newly constructed housing units – YES – 46, NO – 2

Town Meeting March 18, 1978
1. Choose officers
2. Authorize to combine Town Clerk & Tax Collector positions for a term of 3 years – defeated
3. (OPINION) To see if the Town will vote to express their opinion of the proposed routes 3 & 11 by-pass – (YES – 186, NO – 389)
4. Vote to accept the new provisions of RSA 43-c to expand elderly exemptions – (YES – 365, NO – 198)
5. Vote to adopt new provisions of RSA 72:.43-B changing the eligibility for elderly exemptions – (YES – 347, NO – 193)
6. Zoning Ordinance – defeated
7. Vote to appropriate $4,000 for a Highway sander – passed
8. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses (Town Hall roof and building repairs) - $7,500 passed
9. Vote to appropriate $1,173 for a police cruiser radio – passed
10. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses (Final Payment Town Hall Note) – passed
11. Authorize Selectmen to hire an administrative assistant – defeated
12. To see if the Town will vote to reduce the annual salaries of selectmen from $1,125 to $300 – passed over
13. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of no more than $7803.50 to continue services of Youth Assistance program (by petition) – (YES – 119, NO – 20) passed
14. Vote to raise and appropriate $850 for the continuation of the Lakes Region Family Services – (YES – 103, NO – 19) passed
15. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,204.45 for the continuation of services to the low income people of Tilton – (YES – 99, NO – 28) passed
16. Vote to raise and appropriate $20,000 for the construction of a community building – tabled
17. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000 for the purchase of a fire engine – passed
18. Vote to install 2 street lights on School Street – tabled
19. Vote to accept budget submitted by the Budget Committee – passed
20. Authorize Selectmen to dispose or administer at public auction any real estate acquired by tax deed – passed
21. Authorize Selectmen to request bids for from an authorized firm to conduct an audit of town books – passed
22. Authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
23. Vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes – passed
24. Reports of officers and agents
25. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to file an application with the State for the construction of the Jamestown Bridge – passed
26. Choose any other officers or agents for the ensuing year
27. Vote to name the new bridge built in 1977 between Tilton and Northfield the “Brigadier General Andrew S. Cannon Memorial Bridge” – passed
28. Transact any other business

Primary Election September 12, 1978

Biennial Election November 7, 1978
Town Meeting March 13, 1979

1. Choose Officers
2. Accept Zoning Ordinance amendments
3. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses (1977 Gen. A.B. Cannon Bridge note and interest $10,116) – passed
4. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses (Fire Truck $5000) – passed
5. Authorize the withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for priority uses - passed
6. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5000 for the purchase of a Fire Truck – passed over
7. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5000 for the purchase of a rescue vehicle and related equipment – defeated
8. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6514.67 for the continuation of services to the low income people of town – defeated
9. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $8608.80 to continue the services of the Tilton-Sanbornton-Northfield Youth Assistance Program – passed
10. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1500 to enact a dog control ordinance and appoint a dog officer – passed
11. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500 to be placed in the Recreation Council Building Fund – passed
12. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $850 for the support of the Lakes Region Family Service Association – tabled
13. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2888 for a full time recreation director – passed
14. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow the sum of $25,000 for Tilton’s share of the Jamestown Bridge in Lochmere (to be secured by long term notes) – passed
15. Vote to appropriate the sum of $1500 to be used by the Town of Northfield for maintaining the Northfield Pond swimming area – passed
16. Vote to accept the budget submitted by the Budget Committee – passed $496,568
17. Vote to allow parking on the North side of Pleasant Street – passed
18. To see if the Town (School District) wishes to exclude from its Social Security Plan, services performed by election officials or election workers for each calendar year in which the remuneration paid for such services is less that $100 per year – passed
19. Vote to rescind the vote at the 1977 Town Meeting (Article 8) which was for semi-annual collection of taxes and go back to one annual billing – defeated
20. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of property obtained by tax deed – passed
21. Authorize the Selectmen to request bids for the audit of town books – passed
22. Vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes – passed
23. Authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
24. Reports of officers and agents
25. Choose any other officers and agents for the ensuing year
26. Transact any other business

Presidential Primary February 6, 1980
Town Meeting March 15, 1980

1. Choose Officers
2. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5000 for the purchase of a fire truck – passed
3. Vote to rescind the authorization of the Selectmen to expend the balance of $17,958 for the Andrew B Cannon Bridge as voted in article 6 of the 1975 warrant – passed
4. Vote to rescind the authorization of the Selectmen to expend the amount of $20,000 for the purpose of preparing plans and specifications on sewer as voted in article 8 of the 1975 warrant – passed
5. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $9,653.11 to continue services of the Tilton-Sanbornton-Northfield Youth Assistance program – passed
6. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,822.06 for the continuation of services to the low income people of town – passed
7. Vote to approve use of the southern portion of the Tilton Town Hall basement by the Youth Assistance program – passed
8. Vote to raise and appropriate federal funds to be used for the renovation of a specified area in the Tilton Town Hall basement to be used by the Youth Assistance program ($17,500) by petition – passed
9. Vote to appropriate and authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund, to include principle and interest, for the following specific purposes: (passed)
10. Vote to expend the funds in the Anti-recession Fiscal Assistance Fund in the amount of $5,725.97 – passed
11. Vote to authorize the transfer of $6,000 from the Capital Reserve Fund to be applied towards the purchase of a new trash compactor – passed
12. Vote to enact an ordinance for the protection of public ways – passed
13. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to dispose of the Cotton Mill Dam – passed
14. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to grant to the Arthur S Brown Mfg Co permission to install generating equipment at the end of the sluiceway at the dam in the Winnipsaukee River adjoining company property – passed
15. Vote to sell for $1 a portion of parcel #3 in Northfield owned by Tilton – passed
16. Authorize the Selectmen to dispose of the Acme Machine Dam acquired by tax deed at public auction – defeated
17. Vote to accept the budget submitted by the Budget Committee - $658,325.75 passed
18. Authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of property acquired by tax deed – passed
19. Authorize Selectmen to request bids for the audit of town books – passed
20. Vote to allow discount on early paid taxes – passed
21. Authorize Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
22. Reports of officers and agents
23. Choose officers or agents for ensuing year
24. Transact other business

Primary Election September 9, 1980

General Election November 4, 1980

Town Meeting March 10, 1981

1. Choose officers
2. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $300 as one half the cost for a plaque for the Brig. Gen Andrew B. Cannon Memorial Bridge – passed
3. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500 to be placed in the Recreational Council Fund - passed
4. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,492.77 to continue the services of the Tilton-Sanbornton-Northfield Youth Assistance Program – passed
5. Vote to appropriate and authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund to use for setoffs against appropriations ($51,021.00) – passed
6. Vote to abolish the Capitol Reserve Fund established for the Winnisquam Fire Department and transfer into general funds – amended to authorize the Town to enter into a contractual agreement with the department for services – passed as amended
7. Vote to petition the Representatives and Senators to support the amendment of the State Constitution to limit the annual increasing both taxes and spending – defeated
8. Vote to see if in favor of continuing the Belknap County Sheriff’s department to continue patrolling on a 24 hour basis – defeated
9. Vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for, accept and expend money from federal, state or other governmental units – passed
10. Vote to accept the budget submitted by the Budget Committee – amended to $705,989.33 – passed
11. Authorize Selectmen to administer or dispose of property acquired by tax deed- passed
12. Authorize the Selectmen to request bids for an annual audit of the Town books passed
13. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee of 5 members to study the building of a new Town shed – passed
14. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee of 5 members to study the purchase of a microcomputer for the Town – passed
15. Vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 252 (supp) with relation to sewers – passed
16. Vote to adopt the provisions RSA 252:19 (supp) with relation to establishing a board of sewer commissioners – passed
17. Vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes – passed
18. Vote to authorize Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
19. Reports of officers and agents
20. Choose officers and agents for ensuing year
21. Transact other business


**Town Meeting March 9, 1982**
1. Choose Officers
2. Vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 72:42-f for adjusted elderly exemption rates (BY PETITION) – passed
3. Vote to raise and appropriate $500,000 to be placed in the Recreational Council Fund – passed
4. Vote to raise and appropriate $10,780.52 to continue the services of the Tilton-Northfield-Sanbornton Youth Assistance Program – passed
5. Vote to appropriate and authorize withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund to use for setoffs against appropriations – ($80,250) – passed
6. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow the sum of $90,000 to pay for the construction of a new Highway Garage to be located on Town owned land – passed
7. Allow the to apply for, accept and expend money from the state, federal or other governmental unit – passed
8. Vote to authorize Selectmen to accept donations, gifts or property – passed
9. Vote to accept the budget submitted by the Budget Committee - $775,088.13 passed
10. Vote to create a study committee to examine the feasibility of a combined Tilton-Northfield Police Department – passed
11. Vote to authorize the BOS to abandon and remove the Grey Rocks Bridge – passed
12. Vote to authorize the BOS to dispose of the Acme Machine Dam – passed
13. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey property acquired by the Town Tax Collector’s deed – passed
14. Vote to authorize the BOS to request bids to conduct an annual audit of the Town books – passed
15. Vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes – passed
16. Vote to authorize the BOS to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
17. Reports of officers and agents
18. Choose any other officers for ensuing year
19. Transact any other business

Primary Election September 14, 1982

Special Town Meeting September 22, 1982
1. Vote to authorize the BOS to borrow $90,000 to pay for the construction of a new Town Highway Garage and authorize the BOS to issue long term notes or bonds to fund the project – passed

Biennial Election November 2, 1982

Town Meeting March 8, 1983
1. Choose Officers
2. Vote to amend Zoning Ordinance
3. Vote to authorize Selectmen not to expend $11,300 for continued services of the Youth Assistance program if Northfield or Sanbornton does not appropriate their share. - defeated
4. Vote to raise and appropriate and authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund for use as a set off against appropriations for administrative purposes – passed
5. Vote to raise and appropriate up to $5,000 for the purpose of tearing down and removing the old Town Shed – passed
6. Vote to authorize the Selectmen not to expend the appropriation in Article #10 if the sum of $8,100 is raised by the T-N Fire District - passed
7. Vote to authorize the transfer of $20,000 from the Capital Reserve Fund to be applied towards the purchase of a new truck for the Highway Department – passed
8. Vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for, accept and expend money from state, federal or other governmental unit or a private source in the coming year – passed
9. Vote to authorize the BOS to accept donations, gifts or property – passed
10. Vote to accept the Budget submitted by the Budget Committee - $835,152.50 passed
11. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey property acquired through Tax Collectors Deed – passed
12. Vote to authorize the BOS to sell to the Winnepisogee Corp. all water rights possessed by the Town of Tilton at the Dan site located behind the Riverbank Laundramat for $1 – postponed indefinitely
13. Vote to go on record in support of the control and reduction of Acid Rain – passed
14. Vote to discontinue litigation to prevent the construction of the Route 3 & 11 bypass and return the $25,000 balance to the general fund – defeated
15. Vote to allow a discount on early paid taxes – defeated
16. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
17. Reports of officers and agents
18. Choose additional officers
19. Transact other business

Presidential Primary February 28, 1984

Town Meeting March 13, 1984
1. Choose Officers
2. Vote to raise and appropriate and authorize withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund to use to offset the appropriations for ($70,000 Admin & $5,000 Highway) – passed
3. Vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed $12,000
4. Vote to authorize the BOS to transfer the balance of $585.24 from the Town Garage Building Fund to the General Fund – passed
5. Vote to authorize the BOS to apply for, accept and expend money from State, Federal and other Governmental units or a private source – passed
6. Vote to authorize the BOS to accept gifts, donations or property – passed
7. Vote to accept the Budget as submitted by the Budget Committee - $952,034 passed
8. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey property acquired by tax deed – passed
9. Vote to accept Dunlop Drive as a town road – defeated
10. Vote to limit the duration of parking to 2 hours on that part of Main Street between Chestnut and the Railroad crossing on East Main Street between the hours of 7am and 6pm each day except for Sunday – passed over
11. To see if the Town will vote to elect an overseer of the poor – passed
12. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to convey, in writing, to the Governor and elected State Officials the demands of the Town to have the State of NH appropriate funds and to examine ways to further assist the district in special education costs – passed
13. Vote to authorize the BOS to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
14. Reports of officers and agents
15. Choose officers and agents
16. Transact any other business

State Primary Election September 11, 1984

State General Election November 6, 1984

Town Meeting March 16, 1985
1. Choose officers
2. Vote to raise and appropriate and authorize withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund to use to offset the appropriations for (Administration $100,000) – passed
3. Vote to authorize the BOS to accept a street light, pole PSNH 65-69, located at School Street at an annual cost of $107 – defeated
4. Vote to authorize the BOS to apply for, accept and expend money from State, Federal and other Governmental units or a private source – passed
5. Vote to authorize the BOS to accept gifts, donations or property – passed
6. Vote to accept the paved portion off Lancaster Hill Road – passed
7. Vote to waive interest charges on taxes amounting to less that $1 – passed  
8. Vote to rescind Article #18 of the 1979 Warrant – passed  
9. Vote to accept the Budget as submitted by the Budget Committee - $988,905 passed  
10. Vote to authorize the BOS on behalf of the Town to enter into a cooperative agreement in regards to waste disposal – passed  
11. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey to Zoes J. Dimos and James C. Katsekas the land located within the boundary project of the Clement Dam Hydroelectric Project – defeated  
12. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey property acquired by tax deed – passed  
13. Vote to authorize the BOS to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed  
14. Reports of officers and agents  
15. Choose officers and agents  
16. Transact any other business  

**Town Meeting March 11, 1986**  
1. Choose officers  
2. Vote to adopt the amendments to the existing Town Zoning Ordinance  
3. Vote to raise and appropriate and authorize withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund to use to offset the appropriations for (Administration $35,000) – passed  
4. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500 for the purpose of funding a feasibility study for the expansion of the Sewer service – passed  
5. Vote to authorize the BOS to hire an Administrative Assistant and abolish the position of full time secretary – passed  
6. To see if the Town will vote to provide winter maintenance for Dunlop Drive – passed  
7. Vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 72:37 for the exemption for the blind property tax to a value of $15,000 – passed  
8. Vote to adopt an ordinance waiving the fee charged for a permit to register one motor vehicle owned by any person who is captured and incarcerated for 30 days or more while serving in a qualifying war – passed  
9. Vote to authorize the BOS to apply for, accept and expend money from State, Federal and other Governmental units or a private source – passed  
10. Vote to authorize the BOS to accept gifts, donations or property – passed  
11. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey to Zoes J. Dimos and James C. Katsekas the land located within the boundary project of the Clement Dam Hydroelectric Project – tabled  
12. Vote to accept the Budget as submitted by the Budget Committee - $999,677 passed  
13. Vote to oppose the burial, storage, transportation and production of high level radioactive waste – passed  
14. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey property acquired by tax deed – passed  
15. Vote to authorize the BOS to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed  
16. Reports of officers and agents  
17. Choose officers and agents  
18. Transact any other business  

**State Primary Election September 9, 1986**  

**State General Election November 4, 1986**  

**Town Meeting March 10, 1987**  
1. Choose Officers
2. Vote to adopt the amendments to the existing Town Zoning Ordinance
3. Vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 72:43-b for the exemption for the elderly property tax – passed
4. Vote to raise and appropriate and authorize withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund to use to offset the appropriations for (Administration $80,000) – passed
5. Vote to appropriate the sum of $4,000 to be used for further vitalization of Tilton – passed
6. Vote for the BOS to permit the T-N Recreational Council to continue its activities on the 2nd floor of the Tilton Town Hall – passed
7. Vote to have the BOS negotiate with the State legislature to obtain a lease for the Town to have the use and control of State owned shore front in East Tilton on the shore of Lake Winnisquam – tabled
8. To see if the Town will vote in favor of a non-binding resolution a referendum to amend the State Constitution to enable voters the right to yea or nay the reaffirmation of individual judges – tabled
9. Vote to authorize the BOS to apply for, accept and expend money from State, Federal and other Governmental units or a private source – passed
10. Vote to authorize the BOS to accept gifts, donations or property – passed
11. Vote to accept the Budget as submitted by the Budget Committee - $1,147,033 passed
12. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey property acquired by tax deed – passed
13. Vote to authorize the BOS to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
14. Reports of officers and agents
15. Choose officers and agents
16. Transact any other business

President Primary February 16, 1988

Town Meeting March 8, 1988

1. Choose officers
2. Vote to adopt the amendments to the existing Town Zoning Ordinance
3. Adjustment of elderly exemptions – passed
4. Vote to raise and appropriate and authorize withdrawal from the revenue sharing fund to use to offset the appropriations for (Administration $3,997.65) – passed
5. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $21,000 for the purchase of an administrative computer system – passed
6. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $70,000 for the purchase of a Highway Department Compactor – passed
7. Vote to allow the BOS to withdraw $30,690 plus accrued interest from the Capital Reserve Fund toward the purchase of a Compactor for the Highway garage – passed
8. To see if the Town will vote to enter into an agreement with New Hampshire Governors Energy Office for the Street light Replacement Demonstration program – passed
9. Vote to accept the Budget as submitted by the Budget Committee - $1,346,459 passed
10. Vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 80:58-86 for a real estate tax lien procedure – passed
11. Vote for the BOS to permit the T-N Recreational Council to continue its activities on the 2nd floor of the Tilton Town Hall – passed
12. Vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 72:1-c which authorizes any town or city to elect not to assess, levy and collect a resident tax – passed over
13. Vote to have the Highway Department make provisions to have two special pick-ups a year for the purpose of a spring and fall clean-up – passed
14. To see if the Town will vote to reinstate the name Bamford Brook to the stream in Lochmere now referred to as Winding Hill Brook – passed
15.a. Insert new section 6 of chapter 200 article III;
   It shall be unlawful to operate a motor vehicle in the following manner:
   a. To cause a vehicle to make loud unreasonable noises by manipulation of the accelerator or transmission - passed
   b. Exceed traction limits of the tires of a vehicle by accelerating or decelerating causing the tires to squeal so called “peeling or laying rubber.” It shall be an affirmative defense if the deceleration was to avoid an accident - passed
   c. To accelerate a vehicle in such a way as to cause a vehicle to be operated on it’s rear wheels - passed
   d. The penalty for a conviction of this section will be as provided in Article VII Section I of this chapter. - passed
15.b. Amend Section 9 of Chapter 200 Article III by inserting in place thereof:
   Parking limitations on Main Street to Bridge Street (South side of Main Street) and from Park Street to Mechanic Street (North side of Main Street) exclusive of spaces in front of the Town Hall controlled by Section 13. - passed
   a. Two hour parking: (1) both sides of Main Street - passed
15.c. Insert new section 16 of Chapter 200 Article III as follows:
   a. The Board of Selectmen shall cause the Road Agent to erect appropriate signs restricting the parking of vehicles on the West side of the Town Hall in front of the Police Department to the use of Police Vehicles only. - passed
   b. The penalty for violating this provision shall be as provided in Article IV, Sec. 1a and c. - passed
15.d Insert new Section 16 of Chapter 200 Article III as follows:
   a. The Board of Selectmen at their discretion may cause the Road Agent to erect signs in the Towns Municipal Parking Lots reserving parking spaces, in numbers they deem appropriate, for use of on-duty Town employees only. - passed
   b. The penalty for violation of this section shall be the same as provided in Article IV Sec. 1, a and c. – passed
16. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following Town Health and Safety regulations ordinance change:
   “Article 1: No structure shall be intentionally burned within the Town of Tilton without a permit signed by the Board of Selectmen. The Board shall promulgate administrative regulations for approval and notify appropriate agencies.” – passed
17. Vote to authorize the BOS to apply for, accept and expend money from State, Federal and other Governmental units or a private source – passed
18. Vote to authorize the BOS to accept gifts, donations or property – passed
19. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey property acquired by tax deed – passed
20. Vote to authorize the BOS to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
21. Reports of officers and agents
22. Choose officers and agents
23. Transact any other business

State Primary Election September 13, 1988
State General Election November 8, 1988

Special Town Meeting December 13, 1988
1. To change the Northern Boundary of the Industrial District – passed

Town Meeting March 14, 1989
1. Choose Officers
2. Vote to adopt the amendments to the existing Town Zoning Ordinance
3. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $73,000 for the revaluation of the Town in 1989 – passed
4. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,700 for use by Twin Rivers Counseling and Support – passed
5. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,750 to assist Park Cemetery – passed
6. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the authorization granted to the BOS to borrow and excess monies with the regard to the purchase of a Highway Department Compactor – passed
7. Vote to accept the Budget as submitted by the Budget Committee - $1,579,529 passed
8. To see if the Town will vote to adopt rental property ordinance – passed
9. Vote to discontinue “Old Route 140” – passed
10. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey parcel formally known as “Old Route 140” to abutting land owners for not less than $2500 – passed
11. Vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 72:1-c which authorizes any town or city to elect not to assess, levy and collect a resident tax – passed
12. Vote to establish a Police Department Building Committee – passed
13. Vote to authorize the BOS to apply for, accept and expend money from State, Federal and other Governmental units or a private source – passed
14. Vote to authorize the BOS to accept gifts, donations or property – passed
15. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey property acquired by tax deed – passed
16. Vote to authorize the BOS to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
17. Choose officers and agents
18. Transact any other business

Special State Primary November 7, 1989

Special State General Election December 12, 1989

Town Meeting March 13, 1990
1. Choose Officers
2. Vote to adopt the amendments to the existing Town Zoning Ordinance
3. Adoption of a Town Manager plan – defeated
4. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $260,000 for the construction and original equipping of a Police Station on Town land – passed
5. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,700 for the Lakes Region Community Services Council – tabled
6. Vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,000 for the Tilton-Northfield Recreation Building Fund – passed
7. Vote to accept the budget as submitted by the Budget Committee - $1,473,703 passed
8. Vote to authorize the Planning Board to prepare and amend the Municipal Capital Improvement Program as per RSA 674:5-8 – passed
9. Petition for Federal Government to redirect tax dollars towards education, farming and environmental protection - passed
10. Vote to designate and proclaim April 22, 1990 as Earth Day 1990 – passed
11. Vote to adopt a Town Ordinance regarding licensing for hawkers and peddlers – passed
12. Vote to adopt Solid Waste Ordinance – passed
13. Vote to adopt parking ordinance for snow removal – passed
14. Vote to adopt traffic ordinance for parking at Post Office on Prospect Street – passed
15. Vote to authorize the BOS to apply for, accept and expend money from State, Federal and other Governmental units or a private source – passed
16. Vote to authorize the BOS to accept gifts, donations or property – passed
17. Vote to authorize the BOS to convey property acquired by tax deed – passed
18. Vote to authorize the BOS to borrow money in anticipation of taxes – passed
19. Reports of officers and agents
20. Choose officers and agents
21. Transact any other business

**Special Town Meeting July 24, 1990**
1. Vote to adjust the Western end of the Northern boundary of the Commercial District – passed

**State Primary September 11, 1990**

**1990 State Election November 6, 1990**

**1991 Special Town Meeting 4/11/91**
Elderly Exemption - passed 15 ballots
Procedural Defect of posting Town Budget – voice vote unanimous

**1991 Town Meeting 3/12/91 & 3/16/91 Ballots Cast 423**
1. Officers
2. Zoning Amendments
3. Raise money for Island beautification - passed
4. Raise money for statue cleaning, restoration and relocation - defeated
5. Raise money for Recycling Committee to complete test program - passed
6. Budget – Amended and passed
7. Highway agent term increase - passed
8. Taxing property to support Gunstock Recreation Area - passed
9. Licensing Ordinance – Section II of Chapter 100 - passed
   Game Machine definition
10. Licensing Ordinance – Section VII of Chapter 100 - passed
    A. Game Machine age restriction
    B. Owner responsibility for fines
    C. License renewal
11. Traffic Ordinance – Article III Section 18 of Chapter 200 - passed
    A. Parking on sidewalks
12. Traffic ordinance – Article II Section 7 of Chapter 200 - passed
A. Bicycle, skateboards, scooters on sidewalks

13. Apply for, accept, and expend money - passed
14. Accept Donations, gifts or property - passed
15. Actions on Tax Collectors deeds - passed
16. Tax Anticipation - passed
17. Reports of officers and agents - passed
18. Choose officers and agents
19. Other business
    Request for Town Meeting to be earlier
    Request that council be present at future meetings
    Comment that legislation is in the works for residency requirements
    Request for Rec. Dept to use upstairs at Town Hall
    Thanks to Arthur Abbott for years of service to Town of Tilton

1992 Presidential Primary 2/18/1992 Ballots Cast 1040

1. Officers
2. Propose making tax collector position 3 year elected position
3. Zoning Amendments
3. Raise funds for Northfield-Tilton Economic Development Corp. – defeated
4. Raise funds for New Beginnings – A Women’s Crisis Center - defeated
5. Restore funds for Tax Collector salary and benefits - passed
6. Raise funds for Capitol Reserve Fund for Hall Memorial Library- amended and passed
7. Budget – amended and passed
8. Authorize Planning Board to review, approve or disapprove site plans for non-residential or for multi family - passed
9. Ratify Solid Waste Haulers Licensing Ordinance - passed
   A. Licensed by Town of Tilton
   B. Collection within municipality
   C. Non delivery of Unacceptable of Hazardous Waste
   D. No out of town waste charged to Town
   E. No vehicle weight over 27,500 pounds
   F. Town shall not bear cost for pick up or transportation of solid waste but shall pay tipping charges.
   G. Violation fines
11. Apply for, accept and expend money - passed
12. Accept donations, gifts or property - passed
13. Action on Tax Collector deeds - passed
14. Tax Anticipation - passed
15. Reports of Officer and Agents - passed
16. Choose officers and agents - passed
17. Other business
   A. Selectmen to consider appointing Louise Joscelyn as Tax Collector
   B. Mr. Joscelyn apologized to apologize for offending anyone during the campaign
   C. Attendance urged at the school district meeting
   D. Correct town report error – J. Dodge should appear as Budget Comm. Liaison
   E. Thanks to Mr. Foster
F. Acknowledge Chief George Prescott retirement

1992 Special Town Meeting 7/15/92 Sewer Main in West Tilton  Ballots Cast 96

1992 State Primary 9/8/92 Ballots Cast 718

1992 Special Town Meeting 9/21/92 Outlet Mall  Ballots cast 108


1993 Town Meeting 3/9/93 & 3/13/93 Ballots Cast 600
1. Officers
2. Schools officials
3. Zoning Amendments
4. Adopt Surviving Spouse Amendment
5. Veteran’s Tax Credit
6. Tax Credit for service- connected disabilities
7. Exemption for the Blind
8. Appropriate money for consultation to Planning Board for Master Plan- passed
9. Raise money for Northfield-Tilton Economic Development Corp. – amended and passed
10. Summerfair – amended and passed
11. Raise money for T-N Recreation staff and supplies - passed
12. Raise money for study of Town Hall improvements – amended and passed
13. Budget - passed
14. Adopt enabling legislation for 5 member Planning Board - passed
15. Expend funds to beautify the Island - passed
16. Apply for, accept and expend money – passed
17. Accept donations, gifts or property - passed
18. Action on Tax Collector Deeds - passed
19. Anticipation of Taxes - passed
20. Reports of Officers and Agents - passed
21. Choose officers and agents
22. Other business
   Thank J. McCarthy for years of service
   Thank Chief Prescott for years of service

1993 Special Election for School Board 5/11/93

1. Officers
2. School Officials
3. Zoning Amendments
4. Increasing Board Of Selectmen to 5
5. Combining Town Clerk and Tax Collector- defeated
6. Long Term Borrowing for Town Hall Renovation – amended and passed
7. Raise funds for Concerts on the Island and Summerfair – amended and passed
8. Raise funds for Northfield-Tilton Economic Development Corp. - passed
9. Appoint 3 person committee to oversee Cable TV operations - passed
10. Raise funds for New Beginnings – passed
11. Budget – amended and passed
12. Authorize selectmen to deed mobile home R18-85-21 – passed
13. Dedicate land Map U7-41A for park – passed
14. Traffic ordinance – loud music - passed
15. Apply for, accept, and expend money - passed
16. Accept Donations, gifts or property - passed
17. Actions on Tax Collectors deeds - passed
18. Tax Anticipation - passed
19. Reports of officers and agents - passed
20. Choose officers and agents
21. Other business
   A. Long term use of Town Hall committee remain in place to
determine cost of roof and heating system replacement and
   bring the building up to American with Disabilities Acts code
   B. Request new beginning time for Town Meeting
   C. Request for support of HB 458
   D. Request Town Hall Renovation Committee gather comparison figures for alternative
   site and construction of new building

1994 State Primary 9/13/94 Ballots Cast 508

1994 General Election 11/8/94 Ballots Cast 904

1. Officers
2. School Officials
3. Amend Zoning
4. Raise funds for Noyes Road improvement and betterment and accept
   as public way
5. Sewer line on Northern Shores – passed
6. Raise funds for Town Hall repair and renovation – passed
7. Raise funds for Summerfair – passed
8. Raise funds for Northfield-Tilton Economic Development Corp. – defeated
9. Budget – passed
10. Repeal 1981 Adoption of Sewer Commission – defeated
11. Encumber Portion of Town land for general utilities Easement – passed
12. Adopt provisions for accounting for revenues received form the land
   use change tax - postpone article indefinitely – passed
13. Reports of Officers and Agents – passed
14. Choose Officers and Agents – passed over
15. Other Business: Thank Wm. Joselyn for years of service

1996 Presidential Primary (Total Ballots Cast  819)

1. Officers
2. School officials
3. Zoning Changes
4. Increase Board of Selectmen from 3 to 5 Members
5. Raise funds for purchase of land known as Buffalo Park from Fillion & Hamm – amended and passed
6. Raise funds for Northfield-Tilton Economic Development Corp. - defeated
7. Budget - passed
8. Accept offer to build Little League Park by Outlet Mall Owners - defeated
9. Amend agreement under Section 218 of Social Security Act by excluding election workers - passed
10. Authorize Selectmen to appoint Highway Agent - passed
11. Reports of Officers and Agents - passed
12. Choose Officers and Agents - passed
13. Other Business
   A. Thanks to Harvey Morse
   B. Thanks from Rev. Arthur Clifford

1996 State Primary Total Ballots Cast 454

1996 General Election Total Ballots Cast 1286

1. Officers
2. School Officials
3. Changes in Standards of Elderly Exemption
4. Raise funds for completion of closure of unlined landfill and cover costs of clean up of contamination of gas seepage at the Highway garage - passed
5. Raise funds for addition to Hall Memorial Library - passed
6. Raise funds for Tilton - Northfield Recreation Council - passed
7. Budget – amended and passed
8. Reports of Officers and Agents - passed
9. Choose Officers and Agents - passed
10. Other Business - none

1. Choose Officers
2. Choose School Officials
3. Amend Zoning Ordinance
4. Vote to increase Board of Selectmen form 3 to 5 Members
5. Raise funds to extend sewer line on US Rt 3 from The Anchorage to Chapman Brook with monies raised by issuance of bonds - passed
6. Raise funds for sewer line extension on Manville and Andrews Roads to serve residents in the Silver Lake area limit amount of bond to raise funds –
7. Raise funds for Hall Memorial Library Improvements - passed
8. Vote that Town Officials be Residents of Tilton - tabled
9. Raise funds for sidewalk construction from Mosquito Bridge to Hill Road - tabled
10. Budget – amended and passed
11. Authorize Selectmen to accept streets dedicated to Town of Tilton - passed
12. Authorize Selectmen to accept as a Town Road, Sherwood Drive - passed
13. Ratify Ordinance Prohibiting the Stockpiling and Land Application of Sewage Sludge - passed
14. Reports of Officers and Agents - passed
15. Choose Officers and Agents – passed over
16. Other Business
   A. Mr. Clark stated that there are still bricks for sale
   B. Mr. Sattler recommended recycling aluminum cans at the Pines Community Center
   C. Mr. Dodge motioned for non binding resolution to no longer subsidize Gunstock Recreation area

1998 State Primary  Total Ballots Cast  243

1998 General Election  Total Ballots Cast 803

   1. Choose Officers
   2. Choose School officials
   3. Amend Zoning Ordinance
   4. Raise funds for completing cleanup of Highway garage site - passed
   5. Raise funds for WAVA for Christmas lighting in downtown - passed
   6. Raise funds for Community Organizer for Main Street Program - passed
   7. Adopt and Establish Municipal and Economic Development and Revitalization Districts - defeated
   8. Budget – amended and passed
   9. Reports of Officers and Agents - passed
   10. Choose Officers and Agents - passed
   11. Other Business

   1. Amend Zoning
   2. Adopt Ordinance regarding distributing or posting campaign material at the polling place - passed
   3. Authorize Selectmen to sell by sealed bid, 3 parcels of land consisting of the Highway Garage and Transfer Station and to deposit proceeds of the sale into a “Reserve Trust Fund” - tabled

1999 Special Town Meeting – Selling Town Garage 11/22/1999
   1. Authorize Selectmen to sell 3 parcels of land which comprise the highway garage and transfer station and further authorize selectmen to to reserve the right of transfer of ownership until relocation of public works facility – passed

2000 Presidential Primary  Total Ballots Cast 1007

2000 Town Meeting 3/14/2000
   1. Officers
   2. School Officials
3. Zoning changes – sign heights, cellular towers, sexually oriented businesses, and chart of permitted uses
4. Amend Zoning – Chart of Permitted Uses – motor vehicle sales, and rental lots in Resort Commercial District
5. Addition and renovation to Hall Memorial Library - passed
6. Purchase of land and construction of new Public Works Facility -
7. Raise funds for Main Street Program - passed
8. Dedicate parcels U06-03-00 & U06-03-01 as a park - passed
9. Broadcast Selectmen Meetings on Public Access TV - passed
10. Budget – amended and passed
11. Posting of Selectmen’ Minutes, monthly expenditures and revenue report and most recent copy of certified audit - passed
12. Resolution to General Court – Protection of NH culture and heritage - passed
13. Adopt ordinance pertaining to Tattoo Parlors - passed
14. Reports of officers and agents - passed
15. Choose officers and agents – amended and passed
16. Other business

2000 State Primary  9/12/2000 Ballots Cast 474

2000 Presidential Election  11/7/2000  Ballots Cast 1445

2001 Town Meeting 3/13/2001
1. Officers
2. School District officers
5. Raise funds for drainage and reconstruction work on Silver Lake Road, Church Street, River Street - passed
6. Raise funds for milfoil eradication – amended and passed
7. Raise funds for video equipment purchase for recording selectmen’s meetings - passed
8. Budget – amended and passed
9. Ordinance for littering and trash collection – amended and passed
10. Instruct selectmen to move all accounts to Providian Bank - tabled
11. Elimination of building inspector position - tabled
12. Elect members of the planning board - tabled
13. Voters rule that only town treasurer or assistant have authority to endorse checks - amended and tabled
14. To see if town will vote to make conflict of interest for selectmen to hold any other paid position - tabled
15. To see if the town will vote to instruct the moderator not to accept a “call to question” until speaker has chance to speak once - tabled
16. Report of officers and agents - passed
17. Choose officers and agents – passed over
18. Other business –
   A. Motion to reconsider Article 9 – defeated
   B. Recognize Heber Feener for years of service to Town of Tilton
   C. Town invited to look over new library and asked to volunteer
2001 Special Town Meeting  10/22/2001 Salt Shed/Spreader Racks Ballots Cast 38
   1. Raise funds for construction of salt shed and spreader rack at new Town Garage - passed

Town Meeting March 12, 2002
   1. Choose officers
   2. Choose school officials
   3. Zoning Changes – (hardship, signage)
   4. Vote to rescind the authority granted to the BOS by vote at 1997 Town Meeting for landfill
closure project and gasoline clean up at Laconia Road
   6. Vote to raise and appropriate $100,000 as the Town’s 2nd payment of a State Aid reconstruction
project for drainage work and the reconstruction of Silver Lake Road, Church Street and River
Street – passed
   8. Vote to raise and appropriate and expend $1,300 for the purpose of participation in the State of
New Hampshire project to eradicate the milfoil in Lake Winnisquam – passed
   9. Vote to establish a capital reserve fund for the purposes of financing the construction and/or
development of recreational facilities for the Town and further to see if the Town will vote to
raise and appropriate $20,000 to be deposited with the Trustees of the Trust Fund for this
purpose – passed
   10. Vote to establish a capital reserve fund for the purpose of conducting a reassessment of all real
estate in the Town and to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000 to be deposited with the
Trustees of the Trust Fund for this purpose – passed
   11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the BOS to enter into a purchase and sales agreement
with the State of NH for the purpose of land and buildings as depicted as parcel U05-24-00 –
passed
   12. Vote to raise and appropriate $25,000 for the purpose of establishing a recycling center and to
authorize the BOS to purchase suitable land for the same – passed
   13. Vote to accept the budget as submitted by the Budget Committee – $3,133,525 passed
   14. Reports of officers and agents
   15. Choose officers and agents
   16. Enact any other business

State Primary September 10, 2002  (579 votes cast)

Special Town Meeting September 17, 2002
   To see if the Town will vote to assign a committee for the purpose of overseeing the development
of land identified as the “Pillsbury Mill Site” for use as a Town Park. – passed

State General Election November 5, 2002  (1086 ballots cast)

Town Meeting March 11, 2003
   1. Choose Officers
   2. Choose School District Officials
   3. Changes to the Zoning Ordinance (signage & wetlands)
   4. Vote to raise and appropriate $300,000 for the purpose of completing the clean-up of the
Pillsbury Mill Site – passed
   5. Vote to raise and appropriate $25,000 as the Town’s 1/3 payment on a State Aide
   Reconstruction for drainage work and reconstruction of Silver Lake Road, Church Street and
River Road – passed
   6. Vote to raise and appropriate $15,000 for the Tilton Main Street Program – passed
7. Vote to raise and appropriate $10,000 to be deposited with the Trustees of the Trust Fund for the recreation fund (for the development of the Route 132 ball field) – passed
8. Vote to raise and appropriate $50,000 for deposit with the Trustees of the Trust Fund for the Towns reassessment fund – passed
9. Vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase from the State of NH land and buildings at 302 Main Street (U05-23-00) and to raise and appropriate $75,000 for purchase – defeated
10. Raise and appropriate $10,000 for the purpose of establishing a recycling center and to authorize the formation of a recycling committee – passed
11. Vote to raise and appropriate $30,000 for use as grant matches for the development of a park at the site of the former Pillsbury Mill – passed
12. Vote to raise and appropriate $10,000 to purchase the old Grange building on 11 Grange Road (R09-54-00) – passed
13. Vote to accept the budget - $3,636,061 passed
14. Vote to change the manner of selection of the Members-at-large of the Budget Committee - defeated
15. Vote to deposit 100% of the revenues collected pursuant to RSA 79-A (the land use change tax) in the conservation fund in accordance with RSA 36-A:5 III as authorized by RSA 79-A:25 II – passed
16. Vote to accept the Health Care Resolution – defeated
17. Vote to send resolution to NH General Court:
18. Reports of officers and agents
19. Enact any other business
   Motion made to order the BOS to investigate the re-opening of the portion of Center Street which connects to Academy Street and report to the 2004 Town Meeting – passed

**Presidential Primary January 27, 2004**

**Town Meeting March 9, 2004**
1. Choose Officers
2. Choose School Officials
3. SB2 - defeated
4. Vote for changes in the zoning ordinance (Planning Board) (Dwellings)
5. Vote for changes in the zoning ordinance (Usage)
6. Vote to raise and appropriate $600,000 for Pillsbury Park site – passed
7. Vote to raise and appropriate $400,000 for drainage work and reconstruction of Silver Lake Road, Church Street & River Road – passed
8. Vote to raise and appropriate $3,843,690 for Lochmere Sewer Project – passed
9. Vote to raise and appropriate $15,000 for Tilton Main Street Program – passed
10. Vote to raise and appropriate $10,000 for recreation trust fund – passed
11. Vote to raise and appropriate $50,000 to complete a reassessment of the Town – passed
12. Vote to accept the Budget - $3,694,465 passed
13. Vote to increase the veterans tax credit – passed from $100 to $500
14. Vote to increase surviving spouse veterans tax credit – passed from $1,400 to $2,000
15. Vote to increase service-connected total disability tax credit – passed from $1,400 to $2,000
16. Vote to increase elderly tax exemption – passed
17. Vote to continue the committee established at 9/17/02 Special Town Meeting for the Town Park at Pillsbury Mill Site – passed
18. Reports of officers
19. Enact any other business

**State Primary Election September 14, 2004 (322 Ballots cast)**

**Presidential Election November 2, 2004 (1804 Ballots Cast)**

**Town Meeting March 8, 2005**
1. Choose Officers
2. Choose School Officials
3. SB2 – Defeated
4. Vote for changes in Zoning Ordinances (Planning Board)
5. Vote for changes in Zoning Ordinances
6. Vote to change Zoning Ordinances (re-zone R22-26, R22-73A, R26-73B & R22-73C)
7. Vote to raise and appropriate $15,000 for Tilton Main Street Program – passed
8. Vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund for financing the resurfacing of Town roads, street & bridges – passed
9. Vote to raise and appropriate $1,000 for the Salvation Army in Laconia – passed
10. Vote to authorize the expenditure of an additional $200,000 for the purpose of completing construction of Tilton River Front Park – passed
11. Vote to accept Budget - $4,116,560 passed as amended
12. Vote to form a school funding committee – passed
13. Property trash ordinance (by petition) – passed over
14. Unregistered vehicle ordinance (by petition) – passed over
15. Reports of officers
16. Enact any other business

**Town Meeting March 18, 2006**
1. Choose officers
2. Choose School Officials
3. SB2 – defeated
4. Zoning Ordinance changes (signage)
5. Zoning Ordinance changes (maximum density)
6. Zoning Ordinance changes (parking)
7. Vote to raise and appropriate $391,759 as a supplemental appropriation for Lochmere Sewer project – passed
8. Vote to raise and appropriate $268,500 for the purchase of 7 acres of land on Sanborn Road – defeated
9. Vote to raise and appropriate $15,000 for Tilton Main Street Program – passed
10. Vote to raise and appropriate $40,000 to be added to the Roads and Bridges Reconstruction & Repair Capital Reserve Fund – passed
11. Vote to raise and appropriate $10,000 to be added to the recreational Capital Reserve Fund – passed
12. Vote to raise and appropriate $100,000 for the purpose of completing Riverfront Park – passed
13. Vote to raise and appropriate $10,000 to upgrade video equipment – defeated
14. Vote to raise and appropriate $50,000 for use by the formula committee to investigate and evaluate withdrawal from WRSD – passed
15. Vote to raise and appropriate $50,000 for completing assessment of Tilton PD ($15,000) and to conduct an architectural and engineering study for construction of new PD (35,000) – passed as amended.
16. Vote to accept the Budget - $4,311,782.00 passed as presented
17. Vote to adopt “Winter Parking Ban Ordinance” – defeated
18. Reports of officers
19. Enact any other business

2007

State Primary September 12, 2006 (344 ballots cast)

Town Meeting March 13, 2007

1) Choose officers
2) Choose school officials
3) Adopt provisions of RSA 10:13 (known as SB2) to allow official ballot voting on all issues before the Winnisquam Regional School District on the second Tuesday of March?
4) To see if Town willing to adopt changes in Tilton Zoning Ordinance as proposed by Planning Board.
5) To see if Town will vote to adopt the changes in the Tilton Zoning Ordinance as proposed by petition.
6) To see if Town will vote to combine the Town Clerk and Tax Collector position per RSA 41:45-a for a three year term. This to to take effect one year after the vote, the position would be elected in 2008.
7) To see if Town will raise & appropriate $756,823 For Lochmere Silver Lake Road project, with total amount coming from NH DOT grant. To be added to the $400,000.00 raised by bonding in 2004.Passed as presented.
8) To see if Town will vote to raise and appropriate $100,000 general funds for the repair and reconstruction of the Tilton/Northfield Island. Article 8 tabled.
9) To see if Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $40,000 to be added to Roads & Bridges Reconstruction/Repair Capital Reserve fund. Does not include operating budget. Approved as amended.
10) To see if Town will vote to establish a capital reserve fund for purposes of road and drainage reconstruction on Peabody St, and to appropriate $35,000 to be deposited in this fund. Approved as amended.
11) To see if Town will vote to establish capital reserve fund for repairs to Pine St Bridge, and to appropriate $25,000 to be deposited in this fund. Passed as presented.
12) To see if residents wish to continue broadcasting selectmen's meetings over Lakes Region Public Access channel and to raise $5,794 for this purpose. Passed as presented.
13) To see if the Town will vote to establish a capital reserve fund of $3,500 for the purposes of improving and maintaining the quality of the lakes bordering the Town of Tilton. Passed as presented.
14) To see if Town will appropriate $32,000 for renovation and maintenance to the Grange Hall in Lochmere. Article defeated.
15) To see if the Town will vote to raise & appropriate $20,000 to hire a consultant to study the costs and benefits to disbanding the Tilton-Northfield Fire District and having a Tilton Fire Department. Article passed as amended.
16) To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of $10,000 to be added to the Recreation Capital Reserve Fund. Failed.
17) To see if the Town will vote to establish a capital reserve fund for purchasing garage exhaust system for the Highway Garage, and the sum of $20,000 to be deposited in this fund. Failed.
18) To see if residents will vote to raise $5,000 for the purpose of doing a study exploring improving the traffic flow on Main St. Article defeated.
19) To see if the Town will vote to establish a fund for the purposes of purchasing land and building a new Life Safety Building for the Police and Fire Departments, with $117,917.00 to be deposited into this fund. Article tabled.
20) Shall we adopt RSA 31:95-c to restrict 18% of revenues from the police special duty details to the expenditures for the purpose of purchasing police equipment and vehicles. Tabled.
21) To see if the residents will vote to allow the Board of Selectmen to act as agents for the Roads and Bridges Capital Reserve Fund established in 2005. Passed as amended.
22) To see if the residents will vote not to require the Selectmen to raise any money to offset the 2005 shortfall. The Selectmen have identified a surplus in the 2006 budget that will offset this amount. Passed as presented.
23) To see if the municipality pursuant to RSA 79-E will authorize Selectmen to accept for consideration requests for community revitalization tax relief incentives. Article failed.
24) To see if the Town will vote to accept the operating budget submitted by the Budget Committee in the amount of $4,721,266.00. Total operating budget $4,771,266, Total budget $5,657,383.00 passed.
25) To see if the Town will vote to accept the land donated to the Town of Tilton by the Challie family. Passed as presented.
26) To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 41:14-a and authorize the Selectmen to acquire or sell land, buildings, or both. Passed as presented.
27) To see if the Town will vote to accept an ordinance relative to restrictions on registered and convicted sex offenders. Article 27 passed as amended.
28) To see if the Town will go on record in support of effective actions by the President and Congress to address the issue of climate control change. Passed as presented.
29) To see what action the Town will take in regards to the reports of its officers and agents. Passed as presented.
30) To enact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

2008

Town Election March 11, 2008 (580 ballots cast)

Town Meeting held March 15, 2008

1) Choose officers.
2) Choose school officials.
3) Warrant article 3 (by petition) to allow official ballot voting on all issues before the Winnisquam School District on the second Tuesday of March? Passed.
4) Zoning Articles (Warrant Article 4): a) Signage articles b) rezoning article c) Chart of permitted uses in the industrial zone d) Amending Section 10.3.2 to change fees for demolition or moving buildings. All passed.
5) Zoning Articles (Warrant Article 5) Amending Article VII, Chart of Dimensional values, Appendix C. Failed.
6) To see if Town will vote to raise and appropriate $2,500,000 for acres and building at Business Park Drive. Passed.
7) If Article 6 passes: To see if Town will vote to sell the existing Tilton Police Department Building at 179 Main St at fair market value. Passed as written.
8) To see if Town will vote to approve the cost items included in the Collective Bargaining agreement reached between the Board of Selectmen and the Tilton Police Department. Passed as presented.
9) To see if Town will vote to raise and appropriate $115,000 for road and drainage reconstruction on Peabody St. Passed as presented.
10) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $30,000 for renovations in the Grange Hall in Lochmere. Defeated.
11) To see if Town will vote to raise and appropriate $43,000 to install a vertical lift thereby making Town Hall ADA compliant. Passed.
12) To see if Town will vote to raise and appropriate $10,000 for construction of parking lot at Buffalo Park. Passed as amended.
13) To see if Town will vote to adopt a “Police Special Detail Revolving Fund” pursuant to RSA 31:95-h. Passed as amended.
14) Article 14, to see if the Town will vote to accept the operating budget submitted by the Budget Committee in the amount of $4,772,768 posted as part of this warrant. Passed as amended.
15) To see if the Town will vote to establish the Town Clerk/Tax collector compensation package. Article 15 passed.
16) To enact any other business that may legally come before this meeting. Katherine Dawson read a dedication to retired Chief of Police, Kent Chapman.

2009

Town Election Mar. 10, 2009 (509 votes cast)

Town Meeting held Mar. 14, 2009

1) Choose officers. Choose school officials.
2) Article 2: Zoning article in favor of adding a new Article XV. Passed as presented.
3) Choose school officials.
4) To see if Town will vote to adopt changes in Tilton Zoning Ordinance proposed by Planning Board (printed in annual Town Report). Passed.
5) Article 5: to see if the Town will vote to open discussion and to get clarification on what was presented and passed for Article 6 (Business Park Drive), results of Article 15 from March 18, 2006 Annual Town Meeting of Tilton. Amendment to reconsider Article 5 to not reconsider passes. Assembly accepted change of order for warrant articles to be 5, 7, 8, 15, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14.
6) To see if the Town will vote to adopt the exemption for Disabled pursuant to RSA 72:37-b, to become effective April 1, 2009. Vote- passed as presented.
7) Article 7: to see if the Town will vote to discontinue gates and bars on a portion of Pest House Road- intersection of Pest House Road (Range Road) and Calef Hill Road. Article tabled.
8) Article 8: To see if Town will vote to discontinue gates and bars on portion of Pest House Road-intersection of Range Road and Sanborn Road. Article tabled.
9) Article 9: to see if Town will adopt an Ordinance relative to Highway Regulation, Protection, and Control Regulations pursuant to RSA 31:39; 41:11; 47:17 VII;; 236:19; 236:20;236:39. Passed as presented.
10) Article 10: to see if Town will authorize the Town Clerk/ Tax Collector to accept payment of local taxes, charges, or other fees by use of a credit card. Article passed as presented.
11) Article 11: to see if Town will vote to raise and appropriate $500,000 for the White Rock Cooperative Infrastructure Improvements to be offset by a Community Development Block Grant for $500,000 This project will not be paid for through taxation. Passed as presented.
12) Article 12: to see if the Town will vote to discontinue the Peabody Street Reconstruction Fund created in 2007, as the project is complete. Passed as presented.
13) Article 13: to see if Town will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund to reconstruct Island retaining wall. Article 13 tabled.
14) To see if the town will vote to establish a Recreation Revolving Fund. Article 14 passed as amended.
15) To see if Town will vote to raise and appropriate the Budget Committee's recommended sum of $5,269,900 for general municipal operations as posted as part of the warrant. Passed as amended.
16) To enact any other business that comes before meeting. Selectman Dawson thanked Selectman Albert LaPlante and selectman Tom Cavanaugh for 3 years' service on select board. Article 16 passed.

2010

Town Election March 8, 2010. (366 ballots cast)

Town Meeting March 12, 2010

Before the 2010 Business meeting, selectman Pat Consentino addressed the assembly and presented a certificate to Tom Gallant for his many hours of service and dedication within our community & district.

Senator Kathleen Sgambati presented Kenneth Randall with a citation from Governor John Lynch in recognition of Ken's long career of community service. She presented him with a second citation from the NH Senate in recognition of Ken's retirement as Town Moderator and School District Moderator. Selectman Katherine Dawson presented Ken with a watercolor of Tilton Town Hall thanking him for his many years of service to the Town of Tilton. Selectman Normand Boudreau presented Ken with a certificate for all his years of service on town committees. Ken Randall commended his wife Bonnie for standing by his side and supporting him during his years of public service.

1) Choose officials.
2) Article 2: Zoning articles: Adding new Article XV Tilton Groundwater Protection Ordinance (passed)
3) Article 3: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $560,000 to purchase property and subdivide for locating a suitable Life Safety Complex. Article 3 tabled.
4) Article 4: to see if Town will vote to raise and appropriate $3,771,600 for purpose of designing and constructing a Tilton Police Department Station. Article 4 tabled.
5) Article 5: to see if Town will vote to raise funds to reconstruct Pine Street Bridge. Passed.
6) Article 6: to see if Town will vote to continue the existence of the Tilton Life Safety Building Committee as established in 2009. Passed as amended.
7) Article 7: to see if the Town will vote to authorize Selectmen to sell the property previously acquired by the Town located at 61 Business Park Drive in Tilton. Amendment 1 fails, amendment 2 passes.
8) Article 8: to see if Town will vote to raise and appropriate $2,328 to be added to Recreational Facilities Capital Reserve Fund created in 2002. Article 8 defeated.
9) Article 9: to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $28,854 to purchase a police cruiser with additional equipment. Passed as presented.
10) Article 10: to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $12,464 to install lighting and energy improvements at Town Hall and the Public Works garage. Article 10 passed as presented.
11) Article 11: to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept gifts, legacies, and devises made to the town. Passed as presented.
12) Article 12: to see if the Town will vote to discontinue the “Hall Memorial Library Expendable Trust Fund” that was created for the purpose of the Library Building Fund in 1992. This fund is being discontinued because it is no longer needed and there is no money in the fund. Passed unanimously.
13) Article 13: to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the Budget Committee’s recommended sum of $5,255,230.00 for general municipal operations as posted as part of the warrant. Vote for Amended Amendment 1 passed, Amendment 2 passed, Amendment 3 failed, Amendment 4 passed, Amendment 5 failed, Amendment 6 failed. Vote on Article 13 passed as amended.
14) To enact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

2011

Town Election March 8, 2011 (231 ballots cast)

Town Meeting March 12, 2011

1) Article : To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year as presented on the ballot prepared for same.

2) To see if the Town will vote to adopt changes to the Tilton Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the Tilton Planning Board:

"Are you in favor of the adoption of the Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Tilton Zoning Ordinance as follows: ADD a definition of FLEA MARKET:
Yes 135  No 60

"Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Tilton Zoning Ordinance as follows: REPLACE the Definition of SEASONAL DWELLING:
Yes 143  No 52"
“Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 3. for the Tilton Zoning Ordinance to CHANGE Section 2.3.7 on Signage” Yes 135 No 76

“Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 4 for the Tilton Zoning Ordinance to CHANGE section 8.2.1 on public water and sewage to park lots. Yes 151 No 60

“Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 5 for the Tilton Zoning Ordinance to CHANGE section 10.4 RE: CERTIFICATE of Occupancy? Yes 147 No 65

“Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 6 for the Tilton Zoning Ordinance to CHANGE section 10.8 re: FAMILY APARTMENT. Yes 130 No 81

“Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 7 for the Tilton Zoning Ordinance to CHANGE 11.12 variances to ADD …qualifiers to variances. Yes 130 No 81

“Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 8 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Tilton Zoning Ordinance as follows: CHANGE the CHART OF PERMITTED USES:

Page 2 Section E re: FLEA MARKET Yes 113 No

Page 5 Section B re: NON RESIDENTIAL Yes- 114 No- 87

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 9 for the Tilton Zoning Ordinance to REVOTE on Groundwater Protection Ordinance. Yes- 114 No- 60

The Moderator discussed the Moderator Rules and item 23, and presented Article 3 to the assembly.

**Article 3.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $2,700,000.00 for the purpose of design and construction of a Tilton Police Station located at 61 Park Drive Passage of this warrant article shall override the 10% limitation imposed on this appropriation due to the non-recommendation of the budget committee- RSA 32:18:a

Warrant failed. A special meeting will be called at a later date to reconsider Article 3.

**Article 4.** To see if the town will raise and appropriate $650,000.00 for engineering and construction costs to extend public water supply from Route 132 to 61 Business Park Drive. Article postponed to April 21, 2011. Motion passed by voice vote.

**Article 5.** To see if the Town will vote to rescind the Lochmere Silver Lake Road projects. Article 5 passed by a 2/3 majority.
Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to implement curbside recycling on a weekly basis. Vote on article 6 as amended passed.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise $20,000 to renovate the Grange in Lochmere to turn it into a senior center. Article 7 passed as amended.

Article 8. To see if the Town will approve collective bargaining agreement reached between the Board of Selectmen and the Police Department’s union. Passed as presented.

Article 9. To see if $40,000 to be added to Town Roads, Streets, and Bridges reconstruction and/or Repair Capital Reserve Fund. Passed as presented.

Article 10. To see if Town will raise $5,583.00 to add to Recreational Facilities Fund. Passed as presented.

Article 11. To see if Town will raise $17,700.00 to be added to Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund. Passed as presented.

Article 12. To see if Town will raise $1,500.00 to the Lake Improvement/Maintenance Fund. Passed.

Article 13. To see if Town will raise $7,216.00 to continue to broadcast on Lakes Region Public Access TV. Article 13 failed.

Article 14. To see if Town will raise $7,223.00 for assisting operations for Pines Community Center. Passed.

Article 15. To see if town will vote to discontinue Pine Street Bridge Fund. Article 15 carried by Voice vote

Article 16. To see if town will vote to raise $4,990,688.00 for general municipal operations. Discussion ensued. Original Article 16 passed by voice vote as written.

Article 17. Enact any other business: Selectman Katherine Dawson acknowledged Dave Wadleigh’s decades of service to the Town. Moderator thanked Adam Sattler for helping to run the AV equipment. Marge Bonneville asked if the votes were protected, and Moderator Mitchell said they were. Selectman Boudreau said the Energy committee needs new members. Meeting adjourned.
Continuation of the 2011 Business Meeting

April 21, 2011

1) Moderator Mitchell explained the purpose of this meeting was not to rehash what was said in the past, and hopefully with the new information any misunderstandings will be ironed out. Motion was made that any motion for reconsideration would require a 2/3 majority vote, which passed.

2) Article 3 was read to the assembly. Discussion followed. A vote was taken and since it did not have a 2/3 majority vote, it failed.

3) Moderator read Article 4 to the assembly. If Article 3 is adopted, this Article will be tabled. Discussion followed. Motion was made to postpone this Article indefinitely, which failed without a 2/3 vote. Moderator stated that we are now back to the main article.

3) Article 4, bringing water to Business Park Drive, moved to the floor for discussion. Ken Randall wanted to amend the amount the town would have to bond. The moderator pointed out that this had already been done. Only a majority vote was needed to add the amendment, which passed. Next they were to vote on amended Article 4 and they needed a 2/3 vote to pass this. The motion failed by 3 tenths of a percent. it was moved to reconsider Article 4, and this needed a ¾ vote, which passed.

4) Motion to adjourn was passed and it was determined that the next meeting would be at May 20th at 6 p.m.

Continuation of 2011 Business Meeting

May 20, 2011

1) Meeting was called to order by Moderator Chuck Mitchell. He explained how the meeting would be conducted and that the meeting was for reconsideration after the April 21, 2011 Town Meeting.

2) Article 4 read by Moderator. If Article 3 is adopted, this Article will be tabled. Article 4 would not require a 2/3 majority in order to pass, all that’s necessary would be 50/50 simple majority vote.

3) It was suggested that the select board was deceptive with changing to the 50/50 simple majority vote, however since it had become a non-bond article, a 2/3 vote was no longer legally required.

4) Katherine Dawson explained how the select board was, in fact, working with the townspeoples’ interests in mind and explained how they were, in fact, transparent.

5) The Moderator instructed that everyone needed to vote on the amendment, because to vote on it had been passed. It needed only 10 votes, and this was not the one hour wait for votes to be counted. 65 were in favor, 78 opposed. Amendment failed.
6) Next came the original motion that was presented in April. This would require a 2/3 vote as it was a bond issue and and must be open for an hour. The vote was taken, upon ending the debate, and passed.

7) Moderator Mitchell said that they were now down to the original article as printed in the town report. It was asked if there were any way they could redo the vote, because several people were confused on what they were voting for. The Moderator responded if they were to revote on that, it would require a motion for consideration and it would need to be seconded. As he’d established at the beginning of the meeting, it would require a 2/3 vote and would require another town meeting per state statutes.

8) The Moderator read the article. The polls were open at 8:12 and were closed at 9:13. 139 ballots were counted, 49 in the affirmative and 90 opposed. The motion to adjourn was made and seconded.

2012

Town Election March 13, 2012 (255 Ballots cast)

Town Meeting March 17, 2012

1) To choose all necessary officers for the ensuing year as presented on ballot prepared for same. (A recount was requested for the Moderator position, which will be conducted at the Town Office on Thursday, March 22nd at 3:00 p.m.)

2) **Article 2**: To see if the Town will vote a change to the Tilton Zoning Ordinance on RV Motor Sales and adding additional locations. Voted no.

3) **Article 3, Amendment 1**: To ADD article 3.3 Impact Fee Ordinance, passed.

   **Amendment 2**: To ADD article 3.4 Seasonal Resort Community regulations, passed.

   **Amendment 3**: To CHANGE article 10.3 Fees, passed.

   **Amendment 4**: To CHANGE article VI chart of Permitted Uses: A. Residential-3, passed.

   **Amendment 5**: To CHANGE article VI chart of Permitted Uses: A. Residential-7, did not pass.

   **Amendment 6**: To CHANGE article VI chart of Permitted Uses: B Public and Institutional- (schools )2. passed.

   **Amendment 7**: To CHANGE article VI chart of Permitted Uses: B. Public and Institutional- Public and institutional (hospitals) 3. passed.
Amendment 8: To CHANGE article VI Chart of Permitted uses: C. Recreation and Entertainment-3. Passed

Amendment 9: To CHANGE article VI Chart of Permitted uses: D. Offices-2. Passed.

Amendment 10: To CHANGE Article VI Chart of Permitted uses: D Offices-3. Passed.

Amendment 11: To CHANGE Article VI Chart of Permitted uses: E Commercial 2-b. Passed.

Amendment 12: To CHANGE Article VI Chart of Permitted uses: F Restaurants-3. Passed.

Amendment 13: To CHANGE Article VI Chart of Permitted uses: G Automotive and Transportation -3. Passed.

Amendment 14: To CHANGE Article VI Chart of Permitted uses: G. Automotive and Transportation –4. Passed.

4) **Article 4:** To see if the Town will vote to adopt an exemption on property taxes for the deaf and severely hearing impaired persons for Town Taxes. Failed

5) **Article 5:** To see if the Town will vote to rescind the Lochmere Silver Lake Road Project bond that was passed at the 2007 Town meeting. 2/3 majority vote required. Passed.

On behalf of the Selectboard, Selectman Consentino gave a public thank you and read a testimonial letter thanking him for his many years of service to the Town. Ms. Consentino also thanked Mike Curley for his 9 years of service on the planning board. Selectman Boudreau gave a statement of thanks and recognition to Foster Peverly for his 18 years of service on the Zoning Board of Adjustments, presenting him with a plaque.

Selectman Joe Jesseman gave a report on the state of recycling in Tilton. Selectman Consentino commended the Police Department. Tom Gallant, CHAT co-founder, gave a power point presentation illustrating the accomplishments in rehabbing the Grange Hall into a Senior Center.

6) **Article 6:** To see if the Town will vote to ratify and confirm an intergovernmental agreement between the Town of Tilton, Winnisquam Regional School District, the Town of Northfield, the Tilton-Northfield Fire District, and the Tilton-Northfield Water District pertaining to removal and disposal of a jointly-owned underground fuel tank. Article 6 passed.
7) **Article 7**: To see if the Town will vote that the Sewer Betterment Fees for those projects that are currently assessed upon those persons whose drains enter the municipal sewers will be assessed to all property taxpayers. This warrant article was submitted by petition. Passed.

8) **Article 8**: To see if the Town will vote to discontinue subject to gates and bars a portion of Pest House Road and Calef Hill Road until where it becomes a class 6 road. Postponed indefinitely.

9) **Article 9**: To see if the Town will vote to discontinue subject to gates and bars a portion of Range Road intersecting with Sanborn Road. Passed.

10) **Article 10**: To see if the Town will establish a capital reserve fund for the purpose of engineering a study for the repair of the retaining walls and other construction expenses for stabilization work for the Tilton-Northfield Island Park. (The town of Northfield has a similar warrant article raising and appropriating their 50% share). Passed.

11) **Article 11**: To see if the Town will establish a capital reserve fund for the purchasing highway equipment, this appropriation not included in operating budget. Passed.

12) **Article 12**: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $60,000 to be added to the Town Roads, Streets, and Bridges reconstruction and/or repair Capital Reserve Fund. This is not included in operating budget. Passed.

13) **Article 13**: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000 to be added to the Recreational Facilities Capital Reserve Fund. This is not included in the operating budget. Motion fails.

14) **Article 14**: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $17,000 to be added to the Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund. This is not included in the operating budget. Passed.
2013

Town Election March 12, 2013 (343 ballots cast)

Town Meeting, March 16, 2013

1) Choose officers
2) ZONING ARTICLES Warrant Article 2
   a) Amendment 1 to add article 3.5 Parking Regulation Passed.
   b) Amendment 2 to add article 4.3 Setbacks to give clarity to setbacks Passed
   c) Amendment 3 article 3.6 Wetlands Delineation which clarifies wetlands delineation Passed.
   d) Amendment 4 article 2.01 Definitions to give clarity to various types of dwellings. Passed.
3) Moderator Mitchell covered the updates to the Moderator's Rules.
4) Article 3: To see if the Town will vote to assess the Sewer Betterment Fees, which are currently assessed to all property taxpayers in town, be assessed only to those persons whose land received special benefits there from. Failed. A vote was taken to restrict consideration, which Passed.
5) Article 4: Appropriate and raise $15,000 to be added to Tilton-Northfield Island Park Capital Reserve Fund created in 2012. Passed.
6) Article 5: Appropriate and raise $35,000 to be added to Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund created in 2012. Passed as presented.
7) Article 6: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Sixty Five Thousand Dollars ($65,000) to be added to the Town Roads, Streets and Bridges Reconstruction and/or Repair Capital Reserve Fund that was created in 2005. Passed.
8) Article 7: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) to be added to the Recreational Facilities Capital Reserve Fund that was created in 2002. Passed.
9) Article 8: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000) to be added to the Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund that was created in 2002. Passed.
10) Article 10: To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of RSA 31:95-h for the purpose of setting up a Town of Tilton Recycling Revolving Fund, and to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty Five Thousand Dollars ($45,000) to that fund for the purpose of implementing curbside recycling on a bi-weekly basis, and to change the solid waste pickup to a Pay-As-You-Throw system in accordance with RSA 149-M:17 whereas residents have to purchase designated Town of Tilton bags to dispose of their garbage. All receipts from the sale of designated bags and any other receipts which could come from recycling will accrue to the Tilton Recycling Revolving Fund. All monies in the Tilton Recycling Revolving Fund will be applied toward the total waste management program. The Town Treasurer shall have custody over all monies in the fund and shall pay out the same only by order of the Board of Selectmen. Passed.
9) **Article 11**: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000) for the purpose of investigating and creating a snow storage area in accordance with NHDES Best Management Practices. A vote was taken on restricting reconsideration and passed.

10) **Article 12**: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate Five Million One Hundred and One Thousand Six Hundred and Seventy Four Dollars ($5,101,674) for general municipal operations as posted as part of the warrant and MS7 Form.