Dear Reader,
The Selectmen delivered copies of the Annual Report/Warrant to the mailboxes of those who get their mail in town. The rest were mailed out Monday. If somehow we missed you, you can pick up a copy at the town hall Tuesday during the tax collector's hours, or Wed, June 28 from 6:30-7:30.

Items of Interest that have come up at Selectmen's meetings:
Spring cleanup brought several complaints from residents and T&R, our refuse collector. Folks around town were complaining because a few people put their trash out a week and a half before it was picked up, and even after it was picked up there were tires left alongside the road. T&R complained because there was at least twice as much this year as in past years, and it took them a whole extra Saturday to finish up. We decided to pay T&R for their time, and arrange a regional tire pick-up as soon as we can. We will keep you posted.

Tony Carey and Ray Hutton were in the other day talking about other towns' use of point systems to reimburse volunteer firefighters for some of their time. Volunteers collect points for training, working fires, mutual aid, etc., and at the end of each year are paid according to how many points they have acquired. We talked of proposing something like this system at the next town meeting.

Maine Yankee is giving the town another siren to replace the one sitting presently atop the pole near the fire station. The new sirens are being distributed to all towns in the ten mile safety radius of Maine Yankee. Although their primary purpose is to alert the town of any Maine Yankee emergencies, they can be used by the towns for any other purposes. The main difference in the old and new sirens is the new one's ability to carry sound further - the siren is a few decibels louder, and the sound is aimed differently. Maine Yankee is footing the entire bill, it won't cost us a penny. They estimate a two month delivery time.

The Sheriff department is interested in Arrowsic becoming a Crimewatch community - if there is anyone in town who would like to be a liaison between the town and the Sheriff department in deciding whether to go ahead with the project, please let one of the selectmen know.

There is a parking ban in effect at Sewall Pond at the Old Stage Road and 127 entrances from 1/2 hour after sunset to 1/2 hour before sunrise. The signs will be posted as soon as we get some time. At the public hearing, it was a popular idea to have no parking on the east side of Old Stage Road. We will have a public hearing to enact that ordinance on July 11 at 7 pm. This will be our first meeting of fiscal year 1989/1990. The first and third Tuesday of each month are our usual meeting times, but the first Tuesday of July is the fourth - so we are taking the day off.

The following auto registrations are due in July:

| ATER, DAVID W | MCLUE, PAULINE A |
| BLAIKLOCK, EDWARD | MORONG, GEORGE A |
| BRENNAN, WILLIAM R | NELSON, ROBERT |
| CARTER, KARIN | NICHOLSON, A L |
| COWLEY, DAVID J | NICHOLSON, AL |
| DRAKE, SALLY | OLEARY, ROBERT |
| FRYE, BRADLEY J | ORR, EDWARD M |
| GOWELL, RANDALL | PINETTE, JILL |
| HUDSON, W DONALD JR | PROCTOR, NANCY |
| HUTTON, PATRICIA L | PROCTOR, RONALD |
| KENNEY, VIVI M | RUIZ, DONALD N |
| KRAUCH, ROBERTA | SIMMONS, WILLARD |
| MANN, LAURIE | SKILLINGS COLEMAN, ELIZABETH |
| McCLURE STONEMAN, VICTORIA | SMITH, LESLIE R |
| McCLURE STONEMAN, VICTORIA | SOKOL, DAMIAN |
| MCKEEN, KEVIN A | TYLER, FRED F |
| MCLEAN, DANIEL W | WILLIAMS, SARAH B |

NEXT ARROW WILL BE PUBLISHED AFTER TOWN MEETING WITH A BRIEF SYNOPSIS OF WHAT TRANSPIRED. PATTY OLS, EDITOR.

We don't inherit the earth from our ancestors. We borrow it from our children. - Pennsylvania Dutch saying
The Planning Board has proposed several warrant articles amending the Town Zoning Ordinance and adopting a completely revised Subdivision Ordinance, in order to carry out the intent of the new Comprehensive Plan passed at the March 1969 special town meeting. Taken together, these articles will:

- a. establish a new zoning district in which a larger minimum lot size is required,
- b. establish a new standard controlling cluster development,
- c. establish a new subdivision ordinance containing upgraded standards and improved application procedures,
- d. provide additional protection for the Back River shoreline.

In addition, separate articles ask for the adoption of a moratorium on mobile home parks to give the Town time to develop ordinances governing mobile home park siting and design.

These articles are summarized in detail below.

ARTICLE 29: PROTECTION FOR THE BACK RIVER CORRIDOR

The amendments to the Zoning Ordinance prohibit timber harvesting, land clearing, and permanent docks, piers, wharves, and bridges, etc., in the Resource Protection and Shoreland District areas which border the Back River from Mill Island to Bald Head.

ARTICLE 30: ESTABLISHMENT OF RURAL RESIDENTIAL 1 (2-acre minimum lot size) AND RURAL RESIDENTIAL 2 (5-acre minimum lot size) ZONING DISTRICTS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

Standards in the Rural Residential 1 District (RR-1) are essentially unchanged from the present Rural Residential District, except that the 5-acre average lot size for subdivisions will be eliminated. The minimum lot depth will be 150 feet measured from the Resource Protection District boundary.

The Rural Residential 2 District (RR-2) is designed to be a low-density neighborhood with a 5-acre minimum lot size. The dimensional requirements and setbacks are proportionally larger and cluster development is mandatory for subdivisions.

ARTICLE 31: CLUSTER DEVELOPMENT

A new section (3.1.7) in the Zoning Ordinance sets up the performance standards for cluster development. Cluster development is intended to promote imaginative, well-designed subdivisions which preserve open space, respect the physical environment, and reduce the overall development costs. Cluster development is mandatory in new subdivisions and is encouraged in all other parts of the Town through a 50% density bonus. Single and multifamily housing are permitted. The number of dwelling units is based on a net residential density calculation. Actual lot size will be determined in the RR-1 District and 1.5 acres in the RR-2 District.

The remaining land will be dedicated open space with controls on its use. The section also provides for a 250 ft. setback from the river's edge.

ARTICLE 32: MISCELLANEOUS CORRECTIONS

These include amending the section that follows the new section development section, changing references to Section 5.6.4 of the Ordinance to Section 5.6.4 of the Zoning Ordinance, updating Section 1.3.3 to include lots that are less than the new minimum lot size in the RR-1 District, and increasing the number of items.

ARTICLE 33: MOBILE HOME PARK MORATORIUM ORDINANCE

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The Solid Waste/Recycling Committee sent out 185 surveys, 40 were returned (Thank you all very much). 14 said they would save their construction debris for a semi-annual pickup. 25 are currently composting yard wastes, 19 are composting food wastes. 5 people would like to get rid of their leaves, 7 would like more leaves (if you send us your names, we'll try to match you up). 1 person was interested in the possibility of an off property compost station. 20 people said they think we need curbside pickup for recycling to work. 13 said they don't mind, or prefer coming to a drop off center. Most thought monthly collection would be the best. 26 were for mandatory recycling, 5 against. The rest unsure.

19 thought tax incentives for recycling were a good idea, 11 didn't. 18 change their own automobile oil, 16 do not. 20 said they would save their used oil and bring it to a central collection point periodically. Bulk oil purchasing is not a very popular idea due to the wide variety of oils used in town. 10 people support the idea of town subsidized diaper service, 20 did not.

Why Recycled Paper?

Reducing one ton of paper from discarded waste paper usage in the United States results in 74% less water pollution, saves 17,000 trees, and prevents 15,000 pounds of air pollution. (Chain of Command)

New! Recycled Paper Bathroom Tissue

Toilet paper—can't live without it, but can the environment live with it? Co-op America is happy to offer it, if not a solution, then at least a compromise. This toilet paper is standard, 2-ply paper in white, with no color dyes or perfumes. The perforations are sure-cut for easy dispensing, and the sheets are tightly embossed for softness. Each roll contains 200 sheets, and each case contains 96 rolls. As an added bonus, these rolls are not wrapped in petroleum-based, non-biodegradable plastic, but in simple, recyclable paper wrappers. (The wrappers ensure sanitation.)

Please note: Because this paper is 100% recycled, it will not have quite the softness and bright white color of the "name brands." We feel that its merits as an environmentally-conscious product far outweigh any lack of marketing lingo—besides, how white should something be if it's only meant for disposal?

Team up with your family, your neighbors, your co-op, and order a case, or keep one on hand in your house—buying in bulk saves trips to the store!

1895 One Case of 96 Rolls $52.95 ($1.20 per roll)