

**OXFORD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MEETING MINUTES**

February 2, 2016

Meeting Convened

At the Court of Oxford County Commissioners begun and held at Paris, Maine within and for the County of Oxford at 4:00 pm on Tuesday, February 2, 2016 being a special session, there were present:

David Duguay	Chairman
Timothy Turner	Commissioner
Steven Merrill	Commissioner
Scott Cole	Administrator
Judy Haas	Deputy Administrator

A media representative and other individuals were also present at different times throughout this session.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Agenda Adopted

The agenda was adopted as written. It has been attached to these minutes.

Public Comment

None.

Authorize 2016 County Tax Commitment

The Commissioners authorized the county's 2016 tax commitment with the following confirmed:

Total Expenditure	6,731,434
<u>(Non-Tax Revenues)</u>	<u>(2,430,851)</u>
Taxes to Support All Depts	4,300,583
<u>Jail Tax per Statute</u>	<u>1,265,620</u>
Minimum Net to Raise	5,566,203
<u>Overlay</u>	<u>111,324</u>
Total Tax Commitment	5,677,527

Taxable Value 6,922,900,000

Resulting Tax Rate 0.000820108

A copy of the commitment sheet has been attached to these minutes.

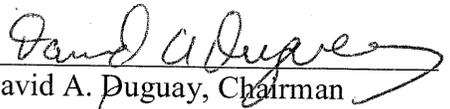
Executive Session to Discuss a Personnel Matter

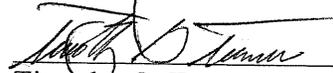
The Commissioners entered executive session to discuss a personnel matter.

They returned to open session, taking no action.

Adjournment

The Commissioners adjourned at 5:52 pm.


David A. Duguay, Chairman


Timothy G. Turner, Commissioner


Steven M. Merrill, Commissioner


Scott G. Cole, Administrator

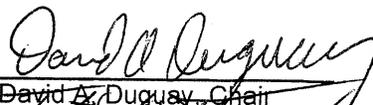
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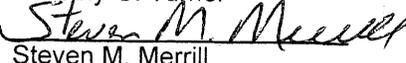
- 1) *These minutes are intended to be a brief description of meeting actions to provide, in a general sense only, an account of what was discussed.*
- 2) *Unless otherwise noted, all votes taken by the Commissioners were unanimous.*

And now on the first day of said adjourned session, ORDERED that the following towns, plantations, and tracts of land in said County of Oxford, in accordance with the valuations as fixed by the State Tax Assessor as provided by law and certified on January 27, 2016, and in accordance with the Oxford County Budget Committee for the year 2016 laying a tax on the towns, plantations, and tracts of land for a just and fair proportion of their respective county taxes, and in said County of Oxford for the year 2016 a sum of **\$5,566,203** the rate being **0.000820108** on the dollar and we have included in said tax a fractional division of **\$111,324** rendered convenient for the assessment of said tax and not exceeding 2% thereof, as provided by law.

MUNICIPALITY	STATE VALUATION	2016 TAX
Andover	81,850,000	67,126
Bethel	429,800,000	352,482
Brownfield	177,700,000	145,733
Buckfield	121,350,000	99,520
Byron	32,350,000	26,530
Canton	54,650,000	44,819
Denmark	281,050,000	230,491
Dixfield	145,000,000	118,916
Fryeburg	368,850,000	302,497
Gilead	31,700,000	25,997
Greenwood	155,800,000	127,773
Hanover	43,950,000	36,044
Hartford	110,050,000	90,253
Hebron	86,250,000	70,734
Hiram	144,750,000	118,711
Lincoln Plantation	34,500,000	28,294
Lovell	498,950,000	409,193
Magalloway Plantation	21,400,000	17,550
Mexico	110,950,000	90,991
Newry	462,700,000	379,464
Norway	429,000,000	351,826
Otisfield	278,850,000	228,687
Oxford	436,350,000	357,854
Paris	338,400,000	277,525
Peru	125,350,000	102,801
Porter	117,650,000	96,486
Roxbury	167,800,000	137,614
Rumford	535,850,000	439,455
Stoneham	74,200,000	60,852
Stow	46,100,000	37,807
Sumner	69,250,000	56,792
Sweden	85,000,000	69,709
Upton	28,300,000	23,209
Waterford	231,600,000	189,937
West Paris	99,300,000	81,437
Woodstock	200,400,000	164,350
Unorganized Territory	<u>265,900,000</u>	<u>218,068</u>
	\$6,922,900,000	5,677,527

OXFORD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:


 David A. Duguay, Chair

 Timothy G. Turner

 Steven M. Merrill