

to Assemble and Meet at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Thursday the Twenty Eighth Day of Feb^{ry} current at Four of the Clock in the After Noon, then & there to make Choice of some suitable Person to represent to the General Assembly of the Province of New-Hampshire the deplorable Circumstances we are in upon the Account of our being exposed to imminent Danger from our Enemies and to Request of them such Aids, which may be sufficient to enable us with a Divine Blessing vigorously to repell all Attempts of our said Enemies. And make due Return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Subscribers at or before said Meeting.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this Twenty Fifth Day of Feb^{ry} Anno Domini 1744.

Benjamin Rolfe } Select Men
John Chandler } of Rumford

Rumford Feb^{ry} 28, 1744.

Province of
New Hamp^s By Virtue of the within Warrant I have notified the within mentioned Inhabitants and Freeholders of the within mentioned Meeting by setting up a Notification thereof at the Meeting House in said Rumford.

James Abbott
Constable of Rumford.

A true Copy

Attest Benjamin Rolfe Clerk.

Notice is hereby given to the Inhabitants & Freeholders of Rumford qualified to vote in Town Affairs to Assemble and meet at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Thursday the 28th Day of Feb^{ry} current at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, then & there to make Choice of some suitable Person to represent to the General Assembly of the Province of New Hampshire the deplorable Circumstances we are in, upon the Account of Our being exposed to imminent Danger from Our Enemies and to Request of them such Aids, which may be Sufficient to enable us with a Divine Blessing vigorously to repell all Attempt of our said Enemies.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this Twenty Fifth Day of Feb^r Anno Domini 1744.

James Abbott
Conftable of Rumford.

By Virtue of a Warrant
from the Select Men

A true Copy of the Notification set up at the Meeting House Door in said Rumford agreeable to the foregoing Warrant.

Attest Benj^a Rolfe Clerk.

At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants and Freeholders of Rumford on the Twenty Eight Day of March Anno Domini 1745.

Cap^t John Chandler was chosen Moderator of this Present Meeting.

Voted, That Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r be Clerk.

For Select Men were chosen Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r Cap^t John Chandler and Lieu^t Jeremiah Stickney.

For Conftable was chosen M^r Samuel Pudney.

For Treafurer was chosen Benjamin Rolfe Esq^r.

For Afsefsors were chosen Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r Cap^t John Chandler and Lieu^t Jeremiah Stickney.

For Surveyers of High Ways were chosen M^r Abraham Bradley, M^r Edward Abbott, M^r Philip Eastman, M^r David Kimball, M^r Jeremiah Bradley and M^r Jacob Shute.

For Tything Men were chosen Deacon Ephraim Farnum and M^r Abraham Colbee.

For Fence Viewers were chosen M^r Daniel Chase, Ensign Joseph Eastman, M^r Abiel Chandler and Ensign Nath^l Abbott.

Voted, That M^r Edward Abbott be Sealer of Weights and Meafures.

Voted, That Samuel Bradley, Isaac Waldron, Sampson Colbee and Philip Kimball be Hogreves.

Voted, That Samuel Gray, Lot Colbee, Jeremiah Eastman and James Abbot jun^r be Field Drivers.

Voted, That Twenty Shillings old Tenor be allowed for each Wolf that shall be killed within this Township in the Year 1745, to the killer of said Wolf.

Voted, That Two Shillings Old Tenor be paid for each Rattlefnake that shall be killed in this Township in April or May next & their Tails brought to One or More of the Select Men by the last Day of said May.

Voted, That the Select Men shall give Orders to the Surveyers of High Ways how the Ways in this Township shall be made or mended for the Year 1745.

Voted, That the Select Men shall let out the School Right for the Year Enfuing.

Voted, That M^r Samuel Pudney be excused for Serving as Constable for this present year.

Voted, That Doct^r Ezra Carter be Constable.

Voted, That the Constable shall have Ten Pounds Old Tenor for Serving.

To M^r James Abbott Constable of Rumford Greeting.

You are hereby required in His Majesty^s Name to notify as the Law directs the Inhabitants and Freeholders of Rumford aforesaid (qualified to vote in Town Affairs) to asemble and meet at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Thurfday the Twenty Eighth Day of March current at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon, then and there to choose a Clerk, Select Men, Treafurer and all other ordinary Town Officers, also to consider what is best to do relating to a School and to act thereon as may be thought proper, also to Vote what shall be given for killing of Wolves and Rattlefnakes within this Township for the Year 1745, also to order how the High Ways within this Township shall be made or mended for the Year 1745, also to order how the School Lot shall be let out for the Year enfuing, and make Return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Subscribers at or before said Meeting.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this Twenty Second Day of March Anno Domini 1744.

Benjamin Rolfe	} Select Men of Rumford.
John Chandler	
Jeremiah Stickney	

A true Copy

Attest Benj^a Rolfe Clerk

Rumford March 28. 1745.

Province of New }
 Hamp^{re} } By Virtue of the within Warrant
 I have notified the within mentioned Inhabitants and
 Freeholders of the within mentioned Meeting by setting
 up a Notification of said Meeting and the Cause thereof
 at the Meeting House Door in said Rumford Six Days
 before said Meeting.

James Abbott
 Conftable of Rumford.

A true Copy of the Return of the foregoing Warrant.
 Attest Benj^a Rolfe Clerk

Notice is hereby given to the Inhabitants and Free-
 holders of Rumford (qualified to vote in Town Affairs)
 to afsemble and meet at the Meeting House in said Rum-
 ford on Thursday the Twenty Eighth Day of March cur-
 rent at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon, then and there
 to Choose a Clerk, Select Men, Treaferer and all other
 Ordinary Town Officers, also to Consider what is best to
 do relating to a School and to act thereon as may be
 thought proper, also to vote what shall be given for the
 killing of Wolves and Rattlesnakes within this Townfhip
 for the Year 1745, also to order how the High Ways
 within this Townfhip shall be made or mended for the
 Year 1745, also to order how the School Lott shall be let
 out for the Year Enfuing.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this 22nd Day of March
 1744.

James Abbott Conftable of Rumford

By Virtue of a Warrant
 from the Select Men
 of Rumford

A true Copy of the Notification set up at the Meeting
 House Door in s^d Rumford agreable to the foregoing
 Warrant

Attest Benj^a Rolfe Clerk

At a legal Meeting of the Inhabitants and Freeholders
 of Rumford on the Fifteenth Day of April 1745.

Cap^t John Chandler was chosen Moderator of this present Meeting.

Voted, That Benjamin Rolfe Esq^r be hereby desired and impowred in the Name and Behalf of said Inhabitants to represent to the General Assembly of the Province of New Hampshire the Deplorable Circumstances we are in, upon the Account of our being exposed to imminent Danger both from the French and Indian Enemy and to request of them such Aids both with respect to Men and Military Stores as to their great Wisdom may seem meet and which may be sufficient to enable us with a Divine Blessing vigorously to repell all Attempts of Our said Enemies.

Voted, That Benjamin Rolfe Esq^r be hereby desired and impowred in the Name and Behalf of said Inhabitants to represent to the General Court of the Province of the Massachusetts Bay the deplorable Circumstances we are in, upon the Account of our being exposed to imminent Danger both from the French and Indian Enemy and to Request of them such Aids both with Respect to Men and Military Stores as to their great Wisdom may seem meet, and which may be sufficient to enable us with a Divine Blessing vigorously to repell all Attempts of Our said Enemies.

To M^r Ezra Carter Conftable of Rumford Greeting,

You are hereby required in his Majesty^s Name (to notify as the Law directs) the Inhabitants and Freeholders of Rumford aforesaid, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to assemble and meet at the meeting House in said Rumford on Monday the Fifteenth Day of April current at Seven of the Clock in the Forenoon, then and there to make Choice of some suitable Person to represent to the General Assembly of the Province of New Hampshire or else where as said Person may think necessary or Convenient, the deplorable Circumstances we are in, upon the Account of Our being exposed to imminent Danger from Our Enemies and to Request such Aids which may be sufficient to enable us with a Divine Blessing vigorously to repell all Attempts of Our

said Enemies, and make Return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Subscribers at or before said Meeting.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this Thirteenth Day of April Anno Domini 1745.

Benjamin Rolfe } Select Men
Jeremiah Stickney } of
John Chandler } Rumford

A true Copy

Attest Benj^a Rolfe Clerk.

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Rumford April the 15th 1745

Province of New }
Hamp^{re} } By Virtue of the within Warrant
I have notified the within mentioned Inhabitants and Freeholders of the within mentioned Meeting by setting up a Notification of said Meeting and the Cause thereof at the Meeting House Door in said Rumford Two Days before said Meeting.

Ezra Carter
Constable of s^d Rumford

A true Copy of the Return of the foregoing Warrant
Attest Benj^a Rolfe Clerk.

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Notice is hereby given to the Inhabitants and Freeholders of Rumford qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to Assemble and meet at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Monday the Fifteenth Day of April current at Seven of the Clock in the Forenoon, then and there to choose some suitable Person to represent to the General Assembly of the Province of New Hampshire, or else where, as said Person may think necessary or convenient, the deplorable Circumstances we are in upon the Account of Our being exposed to imminent Danger from our Enemies and to request such Aids which may be sufficient to enable us with a Divine Blessing vigorously to repell all Attempts of our said Enemies.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid the 13th Day of April Anno Domini 1745.

By Virtue of a Warrant } Ezra Carter
from the Select Men } Constable of Rumford

A true Copy of the Notification set up at the Meeting House Door in said Rumford agreeable to the foregoing Warrant.

Attest Benj^a Rolfe Clerk.

At a legal Meeting of the Inhabitants and Freeholders of Rumford on Tuesday the Fifth Day of November 1745.

Cap^t John Chandler was chosen Moderator of this present Meeting.

Voted, That the Sum of about Seventy Five Pounds be raised to defrey the Ministerial Charge and for a School and for the other necessary Charges of said Rumford.

Voted, That the Select Men be a Committee to allow Accompts and draw Orders upon the Treafurer for paying of the same.

To M^r Ezra Carter Constable of Rumford, Greeting.

You are hereby required in his Majesty's Name to notify, as the Law directs, the Inhabitants and Freeholders of said Rumford qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to assemble and meet at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Tuesday the Fifth Day of November current at Three of the Clock in the After Noon then and there to raise such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be thought necessary to defray the Ministerial Charge and for a School and the other necessary Charges of said Rumford, also to choose a Committee to allow Accompts that the Select Men may draw Orders upon the Treafurer for the paying of the same. and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Subscribers at or before said Meeting.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this First Day of November Anno Domini 1745.

Benjamin Rolfe	} Select Men of Rumford
John Chandler	
Jeremiah Stickney	

Province of } Rumford November the 5th 1745.
New Hamp^{re} }

By Virtue of the within Warrant I have notified the within mentioned Inhabitants and Freeholders of the within mentioned Meeting by setting up a Notification of said Meeting and the Cause thereof at said Meeting House Door four Days before said Meeting.

Ezra Carter
Conftable for Rumford

A true Copy

Attest Benjamin Rolfe Clerk.

Notice is hereby given to the Inhabitants of Rumford qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to asemble and meet at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Tuefday the Fifth Day of November current at Three of the Clock in After Noon, then and there to raise such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be thought necessary to defrey the Ministeral Charge and for a School and the other necessary Charges of said Rumford, also to choose a Committee to allow Accompts that the Select Men may draw Orders on the Treasurer for the paying of the same.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this first Day of November 1745.

Ezra Carter

By Virtue of a Warrant from Conftable for Rumford the Select Men of said Rumford.

A true Copy of the Notification set up at the Meeting House Door in said Rumford agreeable to the foregoing Warrant.

Attest Benjamin Rolfe Clerk.

At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants and Freeholders of Rumford on Monday the Thirty First Day of March Anno Domini 1746.

Capt^t John Chandler was chosen Moderator of this Meeting.

Benjamin Role Esq^r was chosen Clerk.

For Select Men were chosen Benjamin Rolfe Esq^r Capt^t John Chandler, and Lieu^t Jeremiah Stickney.

Doct^r Ezra Carter was chosen Conftable.

For Treafurer was chosen Coll^o Benjamin Rolfe Esq^r

For Afsefsors were chosen, Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r Cap^t John Chandler and Lieu^t Jeremiah Stickney.

For Surveyors of High Ways were chosen Deacon Ephraim Farnum, M^r Abraham Bradley, M^r Edward Abbott, M^r Timothy Bradley, M^r Jonathan Eastman and M^r Jacob Shute.

For Tything Men were chosen M^r Daniel Chase and M^r Benj^a Abbott.

For Fence Viewers were chosen Joseph Farnum, Philip Eastman, Aaron Stevens, and M^r Daniel Chase.

For Sealer of Weights and Measures was chosen M^r Edward Abbott.

Voted, That Samuel Gray, Sampfon Colbee, and Judah Trumble be Hogreves.

Voted, That Samuel Gray, Nathan Stevens, Abiel Chandler and Timothy Walker jun^r be Field Drivers.

Voted, That the Select Men be a Committee to allow Accompts.

Voted, That the High Ways in this Townfhip shall be made or mended according to the Usual Method.

Voted, That the Select Men be a Committee to let out the School Lott for the Year Ensuing.

Voted, That Twenty Shillings Old Tenor shall be paid for each Grown Wolf that shall be catch^t within this Townfhip for the year 1746. to such perfon or Perfons that shall catch the same, provided the Laws of this Province dont oblidge us to pay any Sum therefor.

Voted, That Two Shillings Old Tenor be paid for each Rattlefnake that shall be killed in this Townfhip and their Tails brought to One or more of the Select Men by the last day of May next.

Voted, That Seven Pounds Ten Shillings be raised for Schooling for the Year Ensuing.

Voted, That the Sum of Seventy Five Pounds including what is already voted for a School be raised for defreying the Minfterial Charge and the other necessary Charges of said Rumford.

Voted, That this Meeting be adjourned to the Twenty fourth Day of April next at four of the Clock in the After Noon.

At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants and Freeholders of Rumford begun and held at the Meeting House in said Rumford on the Thirty first Day of March Anno Domini 1746, and continued by Adjournment to this Twenty fourth Day of April 1746 at four of the Clock in the After-noon and then Met according to the Adjournment.

Cap^t John Chandler the Moderator of said Meeting being present, It was Voted That this Meeting be further adjourned to the Twenty Eighth Day of May next at Four of the Clock in the After-noon and then the Freeholders & Inhabitants met according to the Adjournment. The s^d Moderator being present declared the Meeting to be Opened.

Voted, That Benjamin Rolfe Esq^r Treafurer for said Rumford be discharged of the Sum of One Hundred Forty Seven Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Eight Pence half Penny lawful Money which said Rolfe has paid out agreeable to the Order of the Select Men and that there remains the Sum of Thirty Three Pounds Ten Shillings and Three Pence which said Rolfe is to be accountable for to the Town, about Twenty Seven Pounds of said Sum which said Rolfe is to be accountable for remains unpaid to the said Rolfe of the Sums which M^r Ebenezer Virgin, M^r Joseph Hall and M^r George Abbott as they were Collectors for said Rumford were to collect and pay to said Rolfe in his said Capacity ; and the said Rolfe is also to be accountable for the Rates which he is Ordered to receive of Doct^r Ezra Carter.

To M^r Ezra Carter Constable of Rumford Greeting.

You are hereby required in His Majesty's Name to notify as the Law directs, the Inhabitants and Freeholders of said Rumford (qualified to vote in Town Affairs) to Assemble and meet at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Monday the Thirty first Day of March current at Nine of the Clock in the Fore-noon, then and there to choose a Clerk, Select Men, Constable and all other ordinary Town Officers, also to discharge the Treafurer of such Sum or Sums of Money as he hath

paid out agreeable to the Orders of the Select Men, also to raise such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be thought necessary to defrey the Ministerial Charge and for a School and the other necessary Charges arising in said Rumford; also to choose a Committee to allow Ac-compts, also to determine how the High Ways in said Rumford shall be made or mended for the Year 1746. also to Order what shall be done with the School Lott for the Year 1746, also to allow what shall be thought proper for the killing of Wolves and Rattlefnakes in said Rumford for the Year 1746, and make Return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Subscribers at or before said Meeting.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this 20th Day of March 1745.

Benjamin Rolfe	} Select Men	
John Chandler		of
Jeremiah Stickney		} Rumford

A true Copy

Attest Benj^a Rolfe Clerk.

Rumford March 31st 1746.

Province of New }
 Hampshire } By Virtue of the within Warrant
 I have notified the within mentioned Inhabitants and Freeholders of the within mentioned Meeting by seasonably setting up a Notification of said Meeting and the Cause thereof at the Meeting House Door in said Rumford.

Ezra Carter
 Constable of Rumford

A true Copy of the Return of the foregoing Warrant.
 Attest Benjamin Rolfe Clerk,

Notice is hereby given to the Inhabitants and Freeholders of Rumford qualified to vote in Town Affairs to assemble and meet at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Monday the Thirty first Day of March current at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon, then and there to choose a Clerk, Select Men, Constable and all other ordinary Town Officers, also to discharge the Treasurer

of such Sum or Sums of Money as he hath paid out agreeably to the Orders of the Select Men, also to raise such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be thought necessary to defrey the Ministerial Charge and for a School and the other necessary Charges arising in said Rumford, also to choose a Committee to allow Accompts, also to determine how the High Ways shall be made or mended for the Year 1746, also to Order what shall be done with the School Lott for the Year 1746, also to allow what shall be thought proper for the killing of Wolves and Rattlesnakes in said Rumford for the Year 1746.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this Twentieth Day of March 1745.

Ezra Carter
Constable of Rumford

By Virtue of a Warrant
from the Select Men
of Rumford.

A true Copy of the Notification set up at the Meeting House Door in said Rumford agreeable to the foregoing Warrant.

Attest Benjamin Rolfe Clerk.

At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants and Freeholders of Rumford on Monday the Ninth Day of February 1746.

Cap^t Ebenezer Eastman was chosen Moderator of said Meeting.

Voted, That Doct^r Ezra Carter be Clerk for this Meeting, Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r the Clerk for said Rumford being out of the Province.

Voted, That Two Men be chosen to represent the Difficult Circumstances of the Inhabitants of said Rumford to the Great and General Court at Portsmouth respecting the Danger we are exposed to both from the French and Indian Enemy and to request of them such Aid or Protection as they in their great Wisdom shall think Meet

Voted. That Cap^t Ebenezer Eastman and M^r Henry Lovejoy be chosen to make the aforesaid Representation

A true Copy of the Proceedings at the aforesaid Meeting,

Ebenezer Eastman Moderator

A true Copy

Attest Benj^a Rolfe Clerk.

Province of New }
 Hamp^{re} } To Ezra Carter Constable of
 Rumford,

You are hereby in His Majesty's Name ordered and required to notify and warn as the Law directs the Inhabitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford to meet and assembly at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Monday the Ninth Day of February next ensuing at Two of the Clock in the After Noon then and there when met to make Choice of some Meet Person or Persons to represent our difficult Circumstances at the great and General Court at Portsmouth respecting the Danger we are Exposed to both from the French and Indian Enemy and to request of them such Aid or Protection as they in their great Wisdom shall think meet and make due Return of this Warrant with your doings therein to us the Subscribers on or before the Ninth Day of February Current.

Rumford Feb^{ry} y^e 3rd 1746.

John Chandler }
 Jeremiah Stickney } Select Men of
 Rumford

A true Copy

Attest Benjamin Rolfe Clerk.

Feb^{ry} the 9th 1746. By virtue of the within Warrant I have notified and warned as the Law directs the Inhabitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford to Assemble and Meet at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Monday the 9th current at Two of the Clock in the After-noon by setting up a Notification at the Meeting House Six Days before the Time prefixed for said Meeting

Ezra Carter Constable for Rumford

A true Copy of the Return of the foregoing Warrant.

Attest Benj^a Rolfe Clerk.

Province of New }
 Hamp^{te} } Notice is hereby given to the In-
 habitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford to
 assemble and meet at the Meeting House in said Rum-
 ford on Monday the Ninth Day of February next ensuing
 at Two of the Clock in the After Noon, Then and there
 when met to make Choice of some mete Person on Per-
 sons to represent our Difficult Circumstances at the Great
 and General Court at Portsmouth Respecting the Danger
 we are exposed to both from the French and Indian
 Enemy and to request of them such Aid or Protection
 as they in their Great Wisdom shall think mete.

Ezra Carter

Constable of Rumford.

Rumford Feb^{ry} y^e 3rd 1746.

A true Copy of the Notification set up at the Meeting
 House Door in said Rumford agreeable to the foregoing
 Warrant.

Attest Benjamin Rolfe Clerk

At a legal Meeting of the Inhabitants and Freeholders
 of Rumford at the Meeting House in said Rumford on
 Thursday the 19th Day of March 1746.

Cap^t Ebenezer Eastman was chosen Moderator of this
 present Meeting.

Voted, That Doct^r Ezra Carter be Clerk.

Voted, That Cap^t John Chandler, Cap^t Ebenezer
 Eastman and M^r Richard Haseltine be Select Men.

Voted, That Col^o Benfamin Rolfe be Treasurer.

Voted, That Timothy Walker jun^r be Constable.

Voted. That this Meeting be adjourned to Monday
 the Twenty Third Day of March current at Three of the
 Clock in the After-noon and it was accordingly adjourned
 by the Moderator.

At a Legal Meeting of the Freeholders and Inhabit-
 ants of Rumford begun and held at the Meeting House
 in said Rumfor^d on Thursday y^e 19th Day of March 1746
 and Continued by Adjournment to Monday the 23^d Day

of March Current at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon—and then Met at the Meeting Houfe afores^d

Cap^t Ebenezer Eastman the Moderator of s^d Meeting being present Declared the meeting to be opened.

Voted, that Abiel Chandler Jacob Shute Edward Abbott and Ebenezer Virgin be Surveyers of highways.

For Tything Men were chosen Deacⁿ George Abbott and Abraham Kimball.

For Fence Viewers were chosen, Daniel Chafe Lieu^t Nath^l Abbott Philip Eastman Joseph Hall and Amos Eastman.

Voted, that Edward Abbott be a Sealer of Weights and Measures.

For Hogreves were Chosen Lot Colby Amos Abbott Samuel Gray and Ensⁿ Joseph Eastman.

For Field Drivers were Chosen Timothy Bradley John Pudney and Ebenezer Eastman Jun^r.

Voted, That the Select Men be a Committee to allow Accompts.

Voted, That the Select Men be a Committee to Let out the Intervall belonging to the School Right for Such a Term of Years as They shall Think to be most for the Advantage of the Town.

Voted, That Five Shillings be paid for each Wolf Killed in this Town in the Year 1747 to the Killer thereof & That Six pence be paid for each Rattle Snake Killed in this Town and their Tails brought to the Select Men by the first Day of June Next.

Voted, That the Sum of Eighty Pounds be raised for Defreying the Ministerial charge and for the Other Necessary charges of s^d Rumford.

Province of New }
 Hampshire } To M^r Ezra Carter Constable of
 Rumford in Said Province, Greeting.

You are hereby Required in His Majestys Name to Notify as the Law Directs the Inhabitants and Freeholders of s^d Rumford Qualified to Vote in Town Affairs to Assemble and Meet at the Meeting Houfe in said Rumford on Thurfday the Nineteenth day of March Current at eleven of the Clock in the Fore Noon then and there

to choose a Clerk, Select Men, Treafurer, Conftable and all other Ordinary Town Officers, Alfo to raife Such Sum or Sums of Money as Shall be thought Neceffary to Defrey the Ministerial Charge and for a School and the other Neceffary charges of S^d Rumford, alfo to choofe a Committee to allow Accompts, Alfo a Committee to let Out the School Lott for Such a Term of years as may be thought best Alfo to Order how the High Ways in said Rumford fhall be made or Mended for the Year 1747 Alfo to Vote Such Encouragement as Shall be thought proper for the Killing of Wolves and Rattle Snakes in Said Rumford for the year 1747 Alfo to Discharge the Treasurer of Such Sum or Sums of Money as he hath paid Agreeable to the Order of the Select Men. And make due Return of This Warrant.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this Sixth Day of March —Anno Domini 1746.

Benjamin Rolfe }
John Chandler } Select Men
Jeremiah Stickney } of Rumford

A true Copy

Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

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Rumford March y^e 19th 1746.

By Virtue of the within Warrant I have Notified and Warned as the Law directs the Inhabitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford Qualified to vote in Town Affairs to Afsemble and Meet at the Meeting Houfe in s^d Rumford on Thursday March y^e 19th Current at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, by Setting up a Notification at the Meeting Houfe in S^d Rumford Seven Days before the Date hereof

Ezra Carter
Constable for Rumford

A true Copy of the return of the aforegoing Warrant.

Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

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Province of New }
Hampshire } Notice is hereby given to the In-
habitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford
Qualified to vote in Town Affairs to Afsemble and Meet

at the Meeting Houfe in Said Rumford on Thursday the nineteenth day of March Current at Eleven of the Clock in the forenoon then and there to Choofe a Clerk Select men, Treafurer, Constable, and all other Ordinary Town Officers, also to raise Such Sum or Sums of Money as fhall be thought Necessary to Defrey the Ministerial charge and for a School and for the Other Necessary charges of S^d Rumford, alfo to Choose a Committee to allow Accompts, also a Committee to Let out the School Lot for Such a Term of Years as may be thought best, Also to Order how the Highways in S^d Rumford fhall be made or mended for the Year 1747 also to vote fuch Encouragement as fhall be thought proper for the Killing of Wolves and Rattle-fnakes in S^d Rumford for the year 1747 also to discharge the Treasurer of Such Sum or Sums of Money as he hath Paid agreeable to the Order of the Select Men

Rumford March y^e 10th 1746

By Virtue of a Warrant from the Select Men.

Ezra Carter Conf^t^e for Rumford

A true Copy of the Notification Set up at the Meeting Houfe Door in Said Rumford agreeable to the foregoing Warrant. Attest

Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford on Monday y^e 30th of November 1747.

Cap^t Ebenezer Eastman was chosen Moderator of this present Meeting.

It was put to vote whether or no They would raise any Sum or Sums of Money for the Hiring or Maintaining of a School for the present Year in Rumford, and it paised in the Negative.

Province of New }
 Hampshire } To Timothy Walker Jun^r Con-
 stable for Rumford. Greeting.

You are hereby in His Majesty's Name Ordered and required to notify and Warn as the Law directs the Inhabitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford

Qualified to vote in Town Affairs to Assemble and Meet at the Meeting Houfe in S^d Rumford on Monday the Thirtieth of this Current November at one of the Clock in the After-noon Then and there to raise Such Sum or Sums of Money as Shall be thought best for the hireing or Maintaining a School for the present Year in said Rumford, also to vote whether or no the Inhabitants on The East Side of Merrimack River in S^d Rumford shall be Discharged from Defreying any part of the Charge that shall be Raised for the Hireing said School. and Make Due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to us the Subscribers on or before the Thirtieth Day of this Instant November.

Rumford November y^e 23^d 1747

Ebenezer Eastman	} Select Men of Rumford
John Chandler	
Richard Hafeltine	

A true Cobby Attest Ezra Carter Clerk

Province of New }
Hampshire } Notice is hereby given to the Inhabitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford Qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to Assemble and Meet at the Meeting Houfe in said Rumford on Munday the Thirtieth of this Current November at one of the Clock in the After-noon Then and there to raise such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be Thought best for the Hireing or Maintaining a School for the Present Year in said Rumford, Also to vote whether or no the Inhabitants on the East Side of Merrimack River in S^d Rumford Shall be Discharged from defreying any part of the Charge that Shall be raised for the hireing of Said School.

By Virtue of a Warrant from the Select Men of Rumford.

Rumford Nov^r y^e 24th 1747

Timothy Walker Jun^r Constable.

A True Cobby of the Notifcation Set up at the Meeting Houfe door in Rumford agreeable to the foregoing Warrant

attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

By virtue of the Warrant I have Notified and Warned the within Mentioned Inhabitants and Freeholders of the within Mentioned Meeting by setting up a Notification of Said Meeting with the Cause thereof at the Meeting Houfe Door in S^d Rumford five Days before said Meeting.

Timothy Walker Jun^r Constable of Rumford
A true Copy of the return of the foregoing Warrant.
attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford on Fryday y^e 5th Day of February 1747.

Cap^t Ebenezer Eastman was chosen Moderator of this present Meeting.

Voted, to choose a man to make application to the General Afsembly for a Suitable Number of Men to Guard the Inhabitants of Rumford the Year Ensuing.

Voted, That L^t John Webster make application to the General Afsembly for a Suitable Number of Men to Guard the Inhabitants of Rumford the Ensuing Year.

Voted, That D^r Ezra Carter make application to the General Afsembly for a Suitable Number of Men to Guard the Inhabitants of Rumford the Ensuing Year.

Voted, That the Sum of Ninety Pounds Old Tenor be raised for defraying the Ministerial Charge and the Other Necessary Charges of Said Rumford.

Province of New }
Hampshire } To Timothy Walker Jun^r Constable for Rumford within Said Province—Greeting.

You are hereby required in His Majesty's Name to Notify the the Freeholders & Inhabitants of said Rumford Qualified to vote in Town Affairs to assemble and Meet at the Meeting House in said Rumford on Fryday the Fifth Day of this Instant February at Two of the Clock in the After-noon then and there to raise such Sum or Sums of Money as Shall be Thought Necessary to Defrey the Ministerial and the Other Charges of said Rumford Also to allow of Debts which any Person or Persons

have against said Rumford, also to make choice of Some Man or Men for a Suitable Number of Men to Guard said Inhabitants against the Enemy the Year Ensuing. and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this Second Day of February Anno Domini 1747.

Ebenezer Eastman } Select Men
John Chandler } of
Richard Hafeltine } Rumford

A true Copy attest

Ezra Carter Clerk

Province of New }
Hampshire } By virtue of the within Warrant
I have Seasonably Notified and Warned the within mentioned Inhabitants & Freeholders of the within Mentioned Meeting, & the cause thereof by Informing Them.

Rumford February y^e 5th 1747.

Timothy Walker Jun^r Constable.

A True Copy of the Return of the foregoing Warrant
Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants and Freeholders of The Town of Rumford on Thursday y^e 24th of March A. D. 1747

Cap^t Ebenezer Eastman was chosen Moderator of this present meeting.

Ezra Carter was chose Clerk.

For Select Men were chosen Ezra Carter, Cap^t John Chandler and M^r Richard Hafeltine.

Voted, That Ebenezer Eastman Jun^r be Constable and Collector.

Voted, That the Select Men be Afsefsors.

Voted, That Ebenezer Virgin, Timothy Bradly Abraham Kimbal & Benjamin Abbott be Surveyors of High Ways

Voted, That Daniel Chase and James Abbott be Tything Men.

Voted, That Ensign Joseph Eastman Ephraim Farnam & Lot Colbe & Amos Eastman be Fence Viewers.

Voted, That Edward Abbott be a Sealer of Weights & Measures.

Voted, That Jeremiah Eastman William Walker & Ebenezer Hall be Hoggreves

Voted, That Jeremiah Dresfer Amos Abbott Samson Colbe & John Pudney be Field Drivers.

Voted, That Philip Eastman Timothy Walker Jun^r & Timothy Bradley be chosen to take care that the Laws relating to the preservation of Deer be observed and the breakers thereof prosecuted & punished.

Voted, That the Sum of Forty Shillings Old Tenor be paid to the Killer of each Grown Wolf that shall be killed within this Township the Ensuing Year.

Voted, That the Sum of Three Shillings Old Tenor be paid for each rattle snake that shall be killed within this Township before the first Day of May next to the killer thereof.

Province of New }
 Hampshire } To Timothy Walker Jun^r Con-
 stable of Rumford—Greeting.

You are hereby in His Majesty's Name Ordered and Required to Notify and Warn as the Law directs the Inhabitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford Qualified to vote in Town Affairs to Assemble and Meet at the Meeting House in Rumford on Thursday the Twenty fourth Day of this Current March at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon then and there to choose a Town Clerk Select Men Assessors Constable Treasurer and all other Ordinary Town Officers, Also to choose a Committee to allow Accounts, also to order how the High Ways in Rumford shall be made or mended for the Year 1748. Also to vote Such Encouragement as shall be thought proper for the Killing of Wolves and Rattle Snakes in Said Rumford for the Year 1748, and make due Return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to us the Subscribers at or before Said Meeting.

Dated at Rumford aforesaid this Eighteenth Day of March Anno Domini 1747.

Ebenezer Eastman } Select Men
 John Chandler } of
 Richard Hafseltime } Rumford

A true Coppy

Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

By Virtue of the within Warrant I have Notified and Warned the within Mentioned Inhabitants & Freeholders of the within Mentioned Meeting and the cause thereof By Setting up a Notification at the Meeting House Door in Rumford five Days before the time perfixed for S^d Meeting.

Rumford March y^e 24th 1747.

Timothy Walker Jun^r
 Constable of Rumford.

A true Coppy of the return of the foregoing Warrant

Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

Province of New }
 Hampshire } Notice is hereby given to the Inhabitants and Freeholders of the Town of Rumford Qualified to vote in Town affairs to Afsemble and Meet at the Meeting House in Rumford on Thursday The Twenty fourth Day of March Current at Nine of the Clock in the Fore-noon then and there to Choose a Town Clerk Select Men Afsefsors Constable Treasurer and all other Ordinary Town Officers, also to Choose a Committee to allow Accompts, also to Order How the High Ways in Said Rumford fhall be made or mended for the Year 1748. also to vote Such Encouragement as Shall be thought proper for the Killing of Wolves and Rattle Snakes in said Rumford for the Year 1748.

Rumford March y^e 19th 1747

By Virtue of a Warrant from the Select Men of Rumford

Timothy Walker Jun^r Constable.

A True Coppy of the Notification Sett up at the Meeting

House Door in Rumford agreeable to the foregoing Warrant.

Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants & Freeholders of the Town of Rumford Qualified to Vote in Town Affairs on Fryday the Seventh Day of October 1748, at Twelve of the Clock in S^d Day.

Cap^t John Chandler was Chofen Moderator of this present Meeting, & the Meeting Declared to be open.

Voted, That the Sum of Twenty Pounds Old Tenor be raised for Defreying the Ministerial Charge for the Year 1747.

Voted, That the Sum of Two Hundred & Eighty Pounds old Tenor be raised for the Defreying of the Ministerial Charge for the Present Year.

Voted, That the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds old Tenor be raised for the Maintaining a School in & Defreying the other Necessary Charges of S^d Rumford.

Province of New }
 Hampshire } To Ebenezer Eastman Constable
 for Rumford Greeting.

You are hereby in His Majesty's Name ordered and Required to Notify & Warn as the Law Directs the Inhabitants & Freeholders of the Town of Rumford Qualified to Vote in Town affairs to Assemble & Meet in the Meeting Houfe in Rumford on Fryday the Seventh Day of October Next Ensuing at Twelve of the Clock in Said Day then & there to Raife Such Sum or Sums of Money as Shall be thought Necessary for Defreying the Ministerial Charge and the other Necessary Charges of Said Rumford, and make Due Return of this Warrant with Your Doings thereon—to us the Subscribers on or before the Time perfixd for Said Meeting.

Rumford September y^e 21st 1748.

Richard Hafselstine } Select Men for
 Ezra Carter } Rumford.

A true Cobby attest

Ezra Carter Clerk.

Province of New }
 Hampfhire } Rumford October y^e 7th 1748.

By Virtue of the within Warrant I have Notified & Warned the within mentioned Inhabitants & Freeholders of the Within Mentioned Meeting & the Cause thereof by Setting up a Notification at the Meeting House Door in Rumford Fourteen Days before the Time Perfixed for said Meeting.

Ebenezer Eastman
 Constable for Rumford

A True Copy of the Return of Foregoing Warrant
 Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

Province of New }
 Hampfhire } Notice is hereby given to the Inhabitants & Freeholders of the Town of Rumford Qualified to vote in Town Affairs to Assemble and Meet at the Meeting House in Rumford on Fryday the Seventh Day of October Next Ensuing at Twelve of the Clock in said Day then & there to Raife Such Sum or Sums of Money as Shall be thought Necesary for Defreying the Ministerial Charge & the Other Necesary Charges of Said Rumford.

By Virtue of a Warrant from the Select Men of Rumford.

Rumford September y^e 21st 1748.

Ebenezer Eastman
 Constable for Rumford

A True Copy of the Notification Sett up at the Meeting House Door in Rumford agreeable to the foregoing Warrant.

Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

At a Legal Meeting of the Freeholders of the Town of Rumford Qualified to elect a Representative on Monday the Second Day of January 1748. The Select Men Regulating said Meeting.

Voted, That Cap^t John Chandler Represent said Rum-

ford in the general Afsembly to be Convened & holden at Portsmouth on the Third Day of January Current.

Province of New }
 Hampshire } To the Constable of Rumford in
 S^d Province

You are hereby in His Majesty's Name Required to Notifie & warn y^e Freeholders Qualified by Law to Elect Representatives to afsemble & meet at y^e Meeting House in s^d Rumford on Monday y^e 2^d Day of January Next at Two of the Clock in y^e afternoon then & there to elect & Chuse a meet perfon to Represent them att a General Afsembly to be holden att Portsmouth y^e 3^d Day of January Next at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon & fo de Die in Diem During their Sefsion or Sefsions & make Due Return of Your Doings thereon to us the Subscribers on or before the Time prefixed for s^d Meeting.

Rumford December 19, 1748

Joh Chandler } Select Men
 Richard Hafeltine } for Rumford

A True Copsy

attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

Province of New }
 Hampshire } Notice is hereby given to y^e Freeholders of Rumford in s^d Province Qualified by law to Elect Representatives to afsemble and Meet att the Meeting House in s^d Rumford on Monday y^e 2nd Day of January Next at Two of the Clock in the After-noon then & there to Elect & Chuse a Meet Person to Represent you at a General Afsembly to be held at Portsmouth on y^e 3^d Day of January Next at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon & so De Die in Diem During their Sefsion or Sefsions.

By Virtue of a Warrant from the Select Men of Rumf^d to me Directed for that purpose

Rumford December 19, 1748.

Ebenezer Eastman, Constable of Rumford.

A True Copsy of the Notification Set up at the Meet-

ing Houfe Door in s^d Rumford agreeable to the foregoing Warrant

Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

Rumf^d January 2nd 1748.

By Virtue of the Within Warrant I have Notified & Warned the Within Mentioned Freeholders of the within Mentioned Meeting & the Cause thereof by Setting up a Notification at the Meeting House Door in Rumf^d fifteen Days before the time perfixed for s^d Meeting.

Ebenezer Eastman
Constable of Rumford

A True Coppy of the Return of the foregoing Warrant.

Attest Ezra Carter Clerk.

At a Legal Meeting of the Inhabitants & Freeholders of the Town of Rumford on Wednesday y^e 29th of March 1749.

Cap^t John Chandler was chosen Moderator of this present Meeting.

Voted, that D^r Ezra Carter be Town Clerk.

Voted, that Cap^t John Chandler D^r Ezra Carter L^t Jeremiah Stickney M^r Ebenezer Virgin & M^r Henry Lovejoy be Select Men.

Voted, that M^r Samuel Gray be Constable.

Voted, that James Abbott, Jeremiah Dresfer, Dⁿ George Abbott, Aron Stevens, Jacob Shute & Amos Eastman be Surveyors of High Ways.

Voted, That Edward

Anno Regni Regis Georgii Tertii Magnee Britannie Franciee Hiberniee Quinto.

P. S. An Act for setting off a Part of the Town of Bow together with some Lands adjoining thereto with the Inhabitants thereon and making them a Parish Investing them with such Priviledges & Immunities as Towns in this Province have & do Enjoy.

Whereas there are sundry arrearages of Taxes now due which the Inhabitants aforesaid apprehend they cannot Levy for want of sufficient Authority and several of them praying they might be erected into a Town or Parish and enjoy the common Priviledges of other Towns in this Province.

Be it Enacted Therefore By the Governour Council & Assembly, That the Inhabitants who are settled on the Lands hereafter described Viz—

Beginning at the Mouth of Contoocook River (so called) which is the south East corner of Boscawen, from thence south seventy three Degrees West by said Boscawen Four Miles, from thence running South seventeen Degrees East Seven Miles & one Hundred Rodds, from thence running North Seventy Three Degrees East about Four Miles to Merrimack River then crossing the said River and still continuing the same course to Sowcook River, Then beginning again at the Mouth of Contoocook River aforesaid from thence running North Seventy Three Degrees East Six Hundred & Six Rodds from the Easterly Bank of Merrimack River, or till it shall come to the South West Line of Canterbury, from thence South East on said Line Two Miles & Eighty Rodds from thence South Seventeen Degrees East to Sowcook River aforesaid, from thence down the said River till it comes to where the Line from Merrimack River strikes Sowcook River.

And that the Polls & Estates within the aforesaid Boundary Be & hereby are set off & made a Parish by the Name of CONCORD and invested & Enfranchised with all the Powers Priviledges and Authorities which any Town in this Province doth by Law enjoy, excepting

that when any of the Inhabitants of the aforesaid Parish shall have occasion to lay out any Road thro' any of the Lands that are already laid out and divided by the said Town of Bow that application shall be for the same to Court of general Quarter Sesion of the Peace for the said Province as in other Cases.

And that the Inhabitants of said Parish are hereby subjected to the same Dutys Pains & Penalties the Law subjects the Inhabitants of other Towns in this Province.

And that their first meeting for the choice of Town Officers be held on the third Teusday of August next, which Officers shall stand & continue till the next march following, which meeting shall be notified by Samuel Emerson, Esq^r who is hereby directed to Post the same together with the Time Place & occasion thereof in some Publick Place in said Parish fifteen days beforehand, who shall also govern said Meeting untill a Moderator shall be chosen by the major Part of such Inhabitants as the Law directs in such Cases, and that their annual Meeting for the future for the choice of Town Officers be held on the first Teusdays of March Annually.

And that the officers that shall be chosen in Virtue of this Act are hereby invested with the same Powers which other like officers have in other Towns in this Province, and under the same Duties & Penalties of other like Officers.

And whereas the Province Tax for the year 1763 which arose & should have been paid by the said Town of Bow as their Proportion thereof amounting to Eighty Pounds Ten Shilings Sterling and Ninety six Pounds Twelve Shilings New Tenor—and for the year 1764 the Sum of Ninety Six Pounds Two Shillings New Tenor.

Be it therefore Enacted that the Select Men that shall be chosen in consequence of this Act the Day the first Meeting shall be held for the Choice of Town Officers as aforesaid together with John Noyes & Edward Rufsell Esq^{rs} or the major part of them shall assess the Polls & Estates of the Inhabitants living within the aforesaid Limits as also the other Inhabitants within the remaining part of Bow (exclusive of such as are already sett off to Pembroke & New Hopkinton) with the said Tax that arose and became due in said year 1763 together with

the Current Charges that shall arise on said Bow for the year 1794 and order the same to be paid into the Treasury of s^d Province by the 25th Day of December 1765 and the Select Men that shall be chosen in said Parish for the year 1766 together with the said John Noyes & Edward Russell or the major Part of them as aforesaid shall assess all the Inhabitants that shall be within the said Boundaries and the aforesaid Town of Bow excepting as aforesaid with the Sum of Ninety Pounds Twelve Shilings New Tenor together with the current Charges of the said year 1766 and order the same to be paid by the Twenty Fifth Day of December 1766, and that the Select Men that shall be chosen annually for this Parish together with the aforesaid John Noyes & Edward Russell as aforesaid shall annually assess the Inhabitants aforesaid with the Current Charges of the Government that shall be due from the said town of Bow as their Part of the Province tax untill a new Proportion of the same shall be made.

And be it further Enacted that the Constables or Collectors who shall have any of the said Taxes to Collect, shall have full Power & Authority to Levy & Collect the same as tho' all the Persons mentioned in the respective Lists were within the aforesaid Parish.

And be it further Enacted that no Person or Persons who shall move into the said Town of Bow or any New Lands that are not improved, nor the Polls that shall come into said Bow after the Date of this act shall be lyable to pay any part of of the arrearages that arose in the year 1763 & 1764 but are hereby declared to be exempt there from.

And be it further Enacted that in Case of Death or removal of either of the aforesaid John Noyes or the said Edward Russell that their Place shall be supplied by the Proprietors of the town of Bow upon having notice thereof but if in Case the Proprietors of said Bow shall not supply such Vacancy within one Month after Notice is given to one of the agents of the Proprietors of said Bow that then the Select Men of said Parish shall make the necessary Taxes for the Province themselves, Provided that Private Property be no Ways effected by this Act.

Province of New }
 Hampshire } In the Houfe of Representatives
 may 25th 1765
 This Bill having been read three Times
 Voted that it Pafs to be enacted—
 H. Serburne Speaker.

Province of New }
 Hampshire } In Council June 7th 1765
 This Bill read a Third Time & pafst to be Enacted
 Confented to T Atkinfon J^r Secretary
 B. Wentworth.

Copy Exa^d

p^r T. Atkinfon Jun^r Sec^{ry}
 Copy Ex^a p^r Tim^o Walker Jun^r } Parifh Clerk
 } of Concord

In the Houfe of Representatives Nov^r 27th 1765.

Whereas by an Act past in in the fifth year of his Maj-
 estys Reign for Setting off a Part of the Town of Bow
 together with some Lands adjoyning thereto with the
 Inhabitants thereon Erecting them into a Parifh &c for
 the reasons therein expreffed in which act it was ordered
 that the first Meeting of the faid Inhabitants for the
 Choice of Town Officers fhould be held on the Third
 Teusday of Augst then next which meeting was to have
 been notified by Sam^l Emerfon Esq^r according to partic-
 ular Directions given in the fame act which may more
 fully appear by referrence to the faid Act

Which Time is elapsed and by some accident interven-
 ing the faid meeting was not duly called but has heither-
 to been omitted

Therefore Refolved & Voted
 that the faid Samuel Emerson be & hereby is authorized
 to call the meeting of the faid Inhabitants and to do &
 perform every other Service Duty and Bufinefs to which
 he was directed & authorized by the faid Act, and the
 faid Meeting is here by ordered to be held within the
 fame Parifh on the Third Teusday of January next and
 every Officer who fhall be chofen & appointed in confe-
 quence here of fhall have the fame Power & Authority

to all intents as if the meeting appointed by said Act had been duly held, and all the said Officers shall have the same Time to discharge the Duty enjoyned by said Act reckoning from the Time of holding the meeting hereby appointed that was allowed from the Time of holding the Meeting appointed & mentioned in said Act.

Peter Gillman Speaker pro Tempore

In Council Eod^m Die

Read & concurred Theodore Atkinson Jun^r Sec^{ry}

Copy Ex^a p^r Tim^o }

Walker J^r Parifh }

Clerk of Concord }

Consented to B. Wentworth

Copy Ex^a p^r T Atkinson J^r Sec^{ry}

Province of New Hampshire }
 At a legal Meeting of the Freeholders and Inhabitants of the Parish of Concord on the Twenty first Day of January AD 1766

Voted, That Lieu^t Richard Hafseltine be Moderator.

Voted, That Peter Coffin be Parifh Clerk.

Voted, That Joseph Farnum, Lot Colby & John Chandler Jun^r be Select Men.

Voted, That Benjamin Emery be Constable.

Voted, That Lieu^t Richard Hafseltine & Amos Abbott be Tything Men.

Voted, That Jonathan Chafe, Robert Davis & Nath^l Eastman be Surveyers of High Ways.

Voted, That Dⁿ George Abbott be Sealer of Leather

Voted, That Leiu^t Nath^l Abbott be Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Province of New Hampshire }
 To M^r Benjamin Emery Constable }
 of the Parish of Concord—Greeting.

You are hereby required by us the Select Men to notify the Inhabitants of said Concord to meet at the meeting House in said Concord on Teusday the fourth Day of March next at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, then & there to choose a Moderator, Clerk, Select Men, Constable & other Town Officers as the Law directs,

Also to raise Money for all necessary Parish Charges,
 Also to choose a Committee to reckon with those that
 have been Collectors or Constables in this Place, Also to
 see what the Parish will allow the Constables for collect-
 ing the Taxes.

John Chandler Jun^r } Select
 Lot Colby } Men of
 Concord

Province of New } Concord March 4th 1766
 Hampshire }

Pursuant to the within order I have notified the within
 mentioned Inhabitants of the within mentioned Meeting
 by setting up a Notification thereof at the Meeting
 House Door in said Concord Ten Days before the said
 Meeting.

Benj^a Emery } Constable of
 the Parish
 of Concord.

A Copy Ex^a p^r Tim^o Walker J^r } Parish
 Clerk of
 Concord

Province of New } At a legal Meeting of the Inhab-
 Hampshire } itants and Freeholders of the Parish
 of Concord held at the Meeting House in said Concord
 the 4th Day of March A^D 1766

Voted, That Ezra Carter Esq^r should be Moderator

Voted, That Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r be Clerk

Voted, That M^r Lot Colby be Constable.

Voted, That Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r M^r Joseph Farnum and
 M^r John Chandler J^r be Select Men.

Voted, That L^t Richard Hafseltine M^r Nath^l Eastman
 and M^r Amos Abbott be Tything Men

Voted, That M^r William Coffin be a Sealer of Leather

Voted, L^t Nath^l Abbott be Sealer of Weights and
 Measures

Voted That L^t Eben^r Virgin M^r Reuben Abbott, M^r

Robert Davis M^r Richard Flanders, and Dⁿ George Abbott be Surveyors of High Ways

Voted, That Enfⁿ Tim^o Bradley Capⁿ John Chandler M^r Amos Abbott M^r Ebenezer Hall and Deacon Joseph Hall be Fence Viewers

Voted, That M^r Philip Eastman M^r Benj^a Emery L^t Peter Coffin M^r Isaac Chafe and M^r Joseph Hall Jun^r be field drivers

Voted, That M^r John Chandler Jun^r M^r Daniel Gale M^r Benj^a Fyfield M^r Abiel Lovejoy M^r James Walker and M^r Simon Trumble be Hogg Reves.

Voted, That M^r John Kimball and M^r John Blanchard be surveyors of Boards Plank & other Lumber

Voted, That one Hundred Pounds Lmy be raised for paying the Rev^d M^r Walker's Savary from the 26th of May 1765 to 26th May 1766, together with the other necessary Charges of the Parish.

Voted, That Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r Cap^{ta} Henry Lovejoy and M^r Benj^a Emery be a Committee to Reckon with the Collectors & Constable that have been chosen in Rumford.

Province of New Hampshire } To M^r Lot Colby Constable of the
 Hampshire } Parish of Concord—Greeting

You are required and ordered to Warn as the Law directs the Freeholders & Inhabitants of said Concord (qualified by Law to Vote) to assemble & meet at the Meeting House in said Concord on Teusday the 25th Day of March current at three of the Clock in the afternoon then & there to Order in what Parts of the Parish the School shall be kept, Also to order where a Pound shall be built, Also how much Work shall be done upon the High Ways this year, and to do any other Businests that shall be thought Proper. And make due return hereof at or before the said Meeting.

Dated at Concord aforesaid this Eighteenth Day of March AD 1766

Benj^a Rolfe } Select Men
 Joseph Farnum } of Concord

Province of New } Concord March 25th 1766.
Hampshire }

Purfuant to the within order I have notified the within mentioned Freeholders & Inhabitants of the within mentioned Meeting and the Cause thereof by fetting up a Notification of faid Meeting and the caufe thereof at the Meeting Houfe Door in faid Concord fix Days before faid Meeting

Lot Colby } Constable
 } of Concord
Copy Exam^d pr Tim^o Walker Jⁿ } Parifh Clerk
 } of Concord

Province of New } At a legal Meeting of the Free-
Hamp^{re} } holders & Inhabitants of the Parifh
of Concord held at the Meeting Houfe in faid Concord
on Teusday the 25th Day of March /D 1766—

Voted That Cap^t Henry Lovejoy be Moderator

Voted That the School fhall be kept on the Easterly fide of the River fuch part of the year as their Rates for the School fhall come to of the Polls & Estates that lay to the Northward of Sugar Ball, Also at a Place that will beft accomodate those Perfons that live upon Con-toocook Road Northward of Nathan Colby's and those Perfons that live Westward of faid Road, fuch a part of the year as their Rates will pay. Also at a Place that will beft accomodate those Perfons that live upon Hopkinton Road. Westerly of Thodore Stevens's & Westerly of Turkey River fuch a part of the year as their Rates will pay, And the remainder of the year it fhall be kept in the Town freet about the middle way from Cap^t Chandler's to Lot Colby's.

Voted That the Select Men fhall place the Pound where they think beft.

Voted That each Man fhall work five Days upon the High Ways and Pound, this year

Province of New } To M^r Lot Colbe Conftable of
Hampshire } the Parifh of Concord—Greeting.

You are hereby required and Ordered to Warn as the Law directs the Freedolders & Inhabitants of faid Concord, qualified by Law to Vote, to afsemble and meet at the Meeting Houfe in faid Concord on Monday the Tenth Day of November Current at one of the Clock in the Afternoon then and there to make choice of fome Perfon for a Surveyor of Highways to fupply the vacancy in that office by the Death of L^t Eben^r Virgin,

Also to choofe a Committee to let out the Interval Lott belonging to the School Right on the Easterly fide of Merrimack River for fuch a Term as fhall be tho't beft. And make due return hereof to the Subscribers at or before faid Meeting.

Dated at Concord aforefaid this Third Day of November *AD* 1766.

Benj^a Rolfe }
Joseph Farnum } Select Men of
John Chandler Jun^r } faid Concord

Province of New } Concord November 10th 1766
Hampshire }

Purfuant to the within order, I have notified the within mentioned Freeholders & Inhabitants of the within mentioned Meeting, by fetting up a Notification of faid Meeting and the Caufe thereof at the Meeting Houfe Door in faid Concord one Sabbath Day before faid Meeting.

Lot Colby }
} of Concord

A Copy Exam^d p^r Tim^o Walker J^r Parifh Clerk of Concord

Province of New } At a legal Meeting of the Free-
Hampshire } holders and Inhabitants of the Par-
ifh of Concord held at the meeting Houfe in faid Con-
cord on Monday the 10th Day of Nov^r *AD* 1766

Voted, That Ezra Carter Esq^r be Moderator

Voted That M^r Phinehas Virgin be a furveyor of High Ways in the room of L^t Eben^r Virgin dec^d

Voted That Benjamin Rolfe Esq^r M^r Joseph Farnum and M^r John Chandler Jun^r be a Committee to let out the Interval Lot belonging to the School Right lying on the Easterly side of Merrimack River for the Term of Seven years.

A Copy Exam^d pr Tim^o Walker Jun^r Parish Clerk of Concord.

Province of New } To M^r Lot Colby Constable of
Hampshire } the Parish of Concord—Greeting—

You are hereby required and Ordered to Warn (as the Law Directs) the Freeholders & Inhabitants of said Concord, qualified by Law to Vote, to Assemble & Meet at the Meeting House in said Concord on Teusday the Third Day of March next, at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon then and there to choose a Clerk, Select Men, Constable and all other Ordinary Town Officers, Also to raise such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be thought necessary for defreying the Ministerial Charge and the other necessary Charges of said Parish, Also to choose a Committee to let out the Interval Lott belonging to the School Right on the Westerly side of Merrimack River for such a Term as shall be thought best, Also to Vote in what Parts of the Parish the School Shall be kept, Also to choose a Committee to Reckon with the Rev^d M^r Tim^o Walker, Also to make such addition to M^r Walker's Salary, as shall be thought proper so that he may get his own Fire Wood, Also to Vote what the Select Men shall have for making the Province Rate that Benj^a Emery was to collect, Also to Vote what said Emery shall have for collecting the same, Also to Vote what the Select Men shall have for making the Rate committed to Lot Colby to collect, Also to Vote what said Colby shall have for collecting said Rates.

And make due Return hereof to the Subscribers at or before the said Meeting. Dated at Concord aforesaid this Twenty Third day of February A^D 1767

Benj^a Rolfe } Select Men
Joseph Farnum } of Concord

Province of } Concord March 3^d 1767
 New Hampshire }

Purfuant to the within Order I have notified the within mentioned Freeholders & Inhabitants of the within mentioned Meeting by setting up a Notification of said Meeting and the Cause thereof at the Meeting House Door in said Concord Seven Days before said Meeting

} Constable
 Lot Colby } of Concord

A Copy Exam^d pr Tim^o Walker Jr } Parish Clerk
 } of Concord.

Province of } At a legal meeting of the Freehol-
 New Hampshire } ders and Inhabitants of the Parish of
 Concord held at the meeting House in said Concord on
 the 3^d Day of March AD 1767

Voted That Ezra Carter Esq^r be Moderator

Voted That Benjamin Rolfe Esq^r be Clerk

Voted That L^t Richard Hafseltine, M^r Philip Eastman
 and M^r Amos Abbott be Select Men

Voted That M^r Joseph Farnum be Constable

Voted That L^t Thomas Stickney M^r John Kimball
 and L^t Timothy Bradley be Tything men

Voted That M^r William Coffin be Sealer of Leather

Voted That L^t Nath^l Abbott be Sealer of Weights and
 Measures.

Voted That Dⁿ George Abbott, Ensⁿ Jonathan Chafe,
 M^r Eben^r Virgin, M^r Abiel Lovejoy, C^t Peter Coffin and
 Dⁿ Joseph Hall be Surveyors of High Ways

Voted That M^r Nath^l Eastman, M^r William Coffin, L^t
 Thomas Stickney, Dⁿ Joseph Hall, M^r Eben^r Hall & M^r
 Ephraim Farnum, be Field Drivers

Voted That M^r Joseph Eastman Jr, M^r Benjamin
 Fifield, M^r John Bradley M^r Richard Eastman and mr.
 Daniel Gale be Hogg Reves

Voted That M^r Benj^a Hunniford & M^r John Kimball be
 surveyors of Lumber

Voted That one Hundreds Pounds Lawful Money be
 raised on the Polls & rateable Estate in the Parish of Con-

cord for defreying the Ministerial and other necessary Charges of said Parish

Voted That the School be kept in the severall Parts of the Parish as Voted last year

Voted That Capⁿ Peter Coffin Capⁿ Andrew Mcmillan and Richard Eastman be a Committee to Reckon with the Rev^d M^r Tim^o Walker and settle what we are in Debt to Him

Voted That M^r Joseph Farnum, M^r Lot Colby and M^r John Chandler J^r be allowed Ten Shilings Lmy for making the rates which were committed to M^r Benj^a Emery to collect

Voted That M^r Benj^a Emery be allowed six pence on the Pound for collecting the Province Tax committed to Him to collect

Voted That Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r be allowed Thirty Six Shilings Lmy for his Service as Select Man last year

Voted That M^r Joseph Farnum & M^r John Chandler Jun^r be allowed Twelve Shillings each for their service in making Rates last year.

Voted That the Selectmen be a Committee to let out the Interval Lott belonging to the School Right on the Westerly side of Merrimack River for such a Term as they shall think best

A Copy Exam^d pr Tim^o: Walker Jun^r } Parish Clerk
of Concord

Province of } to the Constable of the Parish of
New Hampshire } Concord in said Province Greeting

You are hereby notified to Warn the Inhabitants & Freeholders of said Concord, qualified by Law to Vote in the Choice of Town Officers to meet at the Publick Meeting House in said Concord, on Teusday the First Day of March next at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon then & there to choose a Moderator, Select Men, Conftable and all other Town Officers as the Law directs, and to agree upon the raising and granting such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be judged necessary for defraying the Charges arising within the said Parish, and to act on any other Matter or Thing, that shall be be tho't needful } promote the

welfare of said Parish: Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant, and your doings thereon unto us on or before said Day. Dated at Concord aforesaid the Eighth Day of February *AD* 1768

Richard Hafseltine }
Philip Eastman } Select Men
Amos Abbott } of Concord

Province of }
New Hampshire } Concord February 15th 1768

By Virtue of this Warrant I have warned the Inhabitants & Freeholders of said Concord to meet at the Time and Place within mentioned, as the Law directs

pr me Joseph Farnum, Constable

A Copy Exam^d pr Tim^o Walker J^r Parish Clerk

Province of } At a legal Meeting of the Free-
New Hampshire } holders and Inhabitants of the Parish
of Concord in said Province, held at the Meeting House
in said Concord on the First Day of March *AD* 1768

Voted, That Cap^t John Chandler be Moderator

Voted, That Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r be Clerk

Voted, That Benj^a Rolfe Esq^r Ebenezer Hall and Reuben Kimball be Select Men

Voted, That Nathaniel Eastman be Constable

Voted, That Reuben Abbott, Robert Davis and Ebenezer Virgin be Tything Men

Voted, That David Hall be sealer of Leather.

Voted, That L^t Nath^l Abbott be Sealer of Weights and Measures

Voted, That John Chandler Jun^r, Dⁿ George Abbott, Benj^a Fifield, Ephraim Farnum Jun^r, James Walker, Ezekiel Diamond, Joseph Farnum Jun^r and Dⁿ Joseph Hall be Surveyors of High Ways

Voted, That Cap^t Joseph Eastman, Richard Harbut, Benj^a Emery & Jacob Hoyt be Fence Viewers

Voted, That John Bradley, William Virgin & Joshua Abbott be Field Drivers

Voted that Moses Eastman Jun^r James Hafseltine, Jonathan Stickney, William Coffin & Jabez Abbott be Hog Reves

Voted That John Kimball & Benj^a Hunniford be Surveyors of Boards Plank & all Lumber

Voted, That Benj^a Hunniford be Pound Keeper

Voted, That one Hundred Pounds Lmy be Raifed on the rateable Polls & Estates in the Parish of Concord for defreying the Ministerial Charge and the other necessary Charges of the Parish

A Copy Exam^d pr Tim^o Walker Jun^r } Parish Clerk
 } of Concord

Province of } At a legal Meeting of the Free-
 New Hampshire } holders and Inhabitants of the Parish
 of Concord held at the Meeting House in said Concord
 on the 2^d Day of January AD 1769.

Voted That Cap^t John Chandler be Moderator

Voted That Cap^t John Chandler be chosen & desired to notify all Persons that owe any Rates in this Parish and use his best indeavours with them to get them to settle with the Rev^d M^r Tim^o Walker and to pay what Rates they owe before Concord was incorporated

Voted That a Committee be chosen to Reckon with M^r Philip Eastman M^r Eben^r Hall & Cap^t Thom^s Stickney as they were appointed by the general Assembly of this Province to gether a Province Tax in Bow & Rumford. Also to Reckon with those Persons that have had the Profits of the School Lott in Rumford or Concord

Voted That Andrew Mcmillan Esq^r M^r Tim^o Walker Jun^r & M^r Benj^a Emery be a Committee to Reckon as above mentioned in the foregoing Vote

Voted That This Meeting be adjourned to the Second Teusday of March next at one of the Clock in the afternoon to be held at the Meeting House in said Concord

Copy Ex^a p^r Tim^o Walker Jun^r } Parish Clerk
 } of Concord

Province of } To Mr Nathaniel Eastman Conft-
 New Hampshire } able of the Parifh of Concord—Greet-
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You are hereby required & ordered to warn (as the Law directs) the Freeholders & Inhabitants of faid Concord qualified by Law to Vote, to afsemble & meet at the Meeting House in faid Concord on Teusday the Seventh Day of march next at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon, then, and there to choofe a Clerk, Select Men, Conftable and all other ordinary Town Officers, Also to receive any account from any Perfon to whom the Parifh is indebted and order the fame to be paid, Also to raise fuch Sum or Sums of Money as fhall be tho't necessary for defreying the ministerial Charge and the other necessary charges of of said Parifh, Also to choofe a Committee to allow Accounts against the Parifh that the Select Men may order the pay for the fame. Also to choofe a Committee to let out the Interval Lott belonging to the School Right on the Westerly Side of Merrimack River for fuch a Term as fhall be thought beft. And make due return of your doings hereon to the Subscribers at or before faid Meeting, Dated at Concord aforefaid This Twenty Eighth Day of February AD 1769

Benj^a Rolfe }
 Eben^r Hall } Select Men of
 Reuben Kimball } the Parifh of Concord

Province of } Concord March 7th 1769
 New Hampshire }

By Virtue of the within Order I have notified the within mentioned Freeholders & Inhabitants of the within mentioned Meeting by fetting up a Notification of 1st Meeting & the caufe thereof at the meeting House Door in faid Concord Five Days before faid Meeting. attest Nath^l Eastman Conftable of Concord

Copy Examin^d p^r Tim^o Walker 2^d } Parifh Clerk
 of Concord