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**LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**  
AS PASSED BY THE

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE  
AT THE

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

January 4, 1978 to April 6, 1978

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RESOLVES  
OF THE  
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**authorized. Resolved:** That the following additional sums, based on the county budget filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, are authorized as expenditures by the county during the calendar year 1978, from antirecessional fiscal assistance funds received by the county, in specific total amounts of expenditures for personal services, contractual services, commodities and capital expenditures for the accounts in the county budget:

Appropriation Account No.	Appropriations
1075 — Sheriff Personal Services	\$10,000
TOTAL ANTIRECESSIONAL FISCAL ASSISTANCE	\$10,000

; and be it further

**Sec. 5. Summary. Resolved:** That the figures appearing in this resolve represent the total amount of taxes and the total specific expenditures authorized for the year 1978. The following is a summary of receipts and appropriations:

Total Appropriations	\$510,015
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Available Credits:

Estimated Revenue	\$52,425
Federal Revenue Sharing	60,000
Antirecessional Fiscal Assistance	10,000
Transfer from Surplus	40,000
Total Available Credits	162,425
Amount to be raised by taxation	\$347,590

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this resolve shall take effect when approved.

Effective March 15, 1978

## CHAPTER 71

### RESOLVE, for Laying of the County Taxes and Authorizing Expenditures of Lincoln County for the Year 1978.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, Acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, Lincoln County has certain expenses and liabilities which must be met as they become due; and

Whereas, it is necessary that the taxes for the year 1978 hereinafter mentioned be immediately assessed in order to provide the required revenue for the county; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

**Sec. 1. Lincoln County; taxes apportioned. Resolved:** That the following sum is hereby granted as a tax on Lincoln County to be apportioned, assessed, collected and applied to the purposes of paying debts and necessary expenses of the county as authorized herein, and for other purposes of law, for the calendar year 1978:

**1978 TAX**  
\$579,546

; and be it further

**Sec. 2. General Fund expenditures authorized. Resolved:** That the following sums, based on the county budget filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, are authorized as General Fund expenditures by the county during the calendar year 1978, in the specific total amounts of expenditures for personal services, contractual services, commodities and capital expenditures for each account in the county budget:

<b>Appropriation Account Number</b>	<b>Appropriations</b>
1005 — Superior Court	
Personal Services	\$7,800
Contractual Services	7,270
Commodities	220
State Allocation	36,800
1015 — Civil Emergency Preparedness	
Personal Services	\$ 8,327
Contractual Services	4,010
Commodities	475
Capital Expenditures	2,125
1025 — District Attorney	
Contractual Services	3,910
Commodities	850
Capital Expenditures	300

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Appropriation Account Number	Appropriations
1030 — County Commissioners	
Personal Services	16,000
Contractual Services	6,506
Commodities	175
Capital Expenditures	100
1035 — County Treasurer	
Personal Services	9,890
Contractual Services	925
Commodities	45
1040 — Court House	
Personal Services	15,100
Contractual Services	19,815
Commodities	9,500
Capital Expenditures	875
1050 — Jail — Support of Prisoners	
Contractual Services	20,980
Commodities	1,400
1065 — Register of Deeds	
Personal Services	36,931
Contractual Services	18,650
Commodities	1,400
Capital Expenditures	3,250
1070 — Registry of Probate	
Personal Services	29,586
Contractual Services	1,720
Commodities	1,610
1075 — Sheriff	
Personal Services	157,340
Contractual Services	42,600
Commodities	8,000
Capital Expenditures	10,850
1080 — Advertising and Promotion	
Contractual Services	3,050
1090 — Auditing	
Contractual Services	\$ 1,600
1095 — Debt Service	

Appropriation Account Number	Appropriations
Contractual Services:	
Principal	15,000
Interest	10,768
2000 — Interest	
Contractual Services	5,000
2005 — Extension Service	
Contractual Services	14,300
2010 — Regional Planning Commission	
Contractual Services	923
2025 — Employees Benefits	
Contractual Services	62,222
2035 — Soil Conservation	
Contractual Services	5,408
2040 — Copying	
Contractual Services	660
Commodities	3,750
2045 — Program Grants	
Contractual Services:	
Food Stamps	7,500
Coastal Economic Development Corp.	290
Downeast Housing	1,000
Regular	1,300
Time and Tide R. C. and D.	350
Officials Association	250
Maine Publicity Bureau	4,000
2046 — Juvenile Youth Aid Bureau	
Contractual Services	2,350
2050 — Insurance — Firemen	
Contractual Services	1,800
2075 — Capital Reserve	
Bridges and Roads	2,000
Building	15,000
2090 — Old Court Records	
Contractual Services	3,795
Commodities	95
TOTAL GENERAL FUND	\$647,746

; and be it further

**Sec. 3. Revenue sharing expenditures authorized. Resolved:** That the following additional sums, based on the county budget filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, are authorized as expenditures by the county during the calendar year 1978, from federal revenue sharing funds received by the county, in the specific total amounts of expenditures for personal services, contractual services, commodities and capital expenditures for the accounts in the county budget:

Appropriation Account Number	Appropriations
2040 -- Copying Capital Expenditures	\$2,500
2045 -- Program Grants Contractual Services:	
Group Home	8,500
Dyers Valley Day Care Center	7,500
Lincoln County Criminal Shelter	5,000
Senior Citizen's Service	29,000
2075 -- Capital Reserve Funds Contractual Services:	
Solid Waste Disposal	42,073
Property Purchase	27,500
	\$122,073
TOTAL FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING	

; and be it further

**Sec. 4. Antirecessional fiscal assistance expenditures authorized. Resolved:** That the following additional sums, based on the county budget filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, are authorized as expenditures by the county during the calendar year 1978, from antirecessional fiscal assistance funds received by the county, in specific total amounts of expenditures for personal services, contractual services, commodities and capital expenditures for the accounts in the county budget:

Appropriation Account Number	Appropriations
1025 -- District Attorney Personal Services	\$6,600
1030 -- County Commissioners Personal Services	9,125



Appropriation Account Number	Appropriations
1075 — Sheriff Personal Services	4,375
2025 — Employee's Benefits Contractual Services	7,978
2046 — Juvenile Youth Aid Bureau Personal Services	9,000
2090 — Old Court Records Personal Services	10,522
TOTAL ANTIRECESSIONAL FISCAL ASSISTANCE	\$47,600

; and be it further

**Sec. 5. Summary. Resolved:** That the figures appearing in this resolve represent the total amount of taxes and the total specific expenditures authorized for the calendar year 1978. The following is a summary of receipts and appropriations:

Total Appropriations	\$817,419
Available Credits:	
Estimated Revenue	\$68,200
Federal Revenue Sharing	122,073
Antirecessional Fiscal Assistance	<u>47,600</u>
Total Available Credits	<u>237,873</u>
Amount to be raised by taxation	\$579,546

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this resolve shall take effect when approved.

Effective March 18, 1978

## CHAPTER 72

### RESOLVE, for Laying of the County Taxes and Authorizing Expenditures of Piscataquis County for the Year 1978.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, Acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and