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**STATE OF MAINE**  
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William Moran	T 11, R 4

Effective July 6, 1978

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## CHAPTER 77

### RESOLVE, for Laying of the County Taxes and Authorizing Expenditures of Hancock 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, Hancock 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. Hancock County; taxes apportioned. Resolved:** That the following sum is hereby granted as a tax on Hancock 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

\$578,062

; 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>
1000 — District Court	
Personal Services	\$ 5,000
Contractual Services	4,000
1005 — Superior Court	
Personal Services	\$ 10,000
Contractual Services	55,000
1015 — Civil Emergency Preparedness	
Personal Services	16,476
Contractual Services	2,875
Commodities	300
Capital Expenditures	500
1025 — District Attorney	
Personal Services	14,684
Contractual Services	10,735
Commodities	1,625
Capital Expenditures	275
1030 — County Commissioners	
Personal Services	24,721
Contractual Services	3,950
Commodities	400
1035 — County Treasurer	
Personal Services	14,433
Contractual Services	1,700
Commodities	500
1040 — Court House	
Personal Services	23,618
Contractual Services	7,850
Commodities	14,900
Capital Expenditures	500
1050 — Jail — Support of Prisoners	
Personal Services	36,008

Appropriation Account Number	Appropriations
Contractual Services	27,375
Commodities	6,800
Capital Expenditures	825
1065 — Register of Deeds	
Personal Services	44,133
Contractual Services	23,925
Commodities	1,970
Capital Expenditures	1,700
1070 — Registry of Probate	
Personal Services	38,203
Contractual Services	2,250
Commodities	2,140
1075 — Sheriff	
Personal Services	79,416
Contractual Services	31,750
Commodities	\$ 5,400
Capital Expenditures	7,400
1090 — Auditing	
Contractual Services	4,000
2000 — Interest	
Contractual Services	2,000
2005 — Extension Service	
Contractual Services	36,515
2010 — Regional Planning Commission	
Contractual Services	16,000
Commodities	2,000
2025 — Employees Benefits	
Contractual Services	68,642
2035 — Soil Conservation	
Contractual Services	1,200
2040 — Xerox	
Contractual Services	2,000
Commodities	500
2045 — Program Grants	

<b>Appropriation Account Number</b>	<b>Appropriations</b>
Contractual Services:	
Food Stamp Program	18,000
Miscellaneous	2,500
2050 — Insurance — Firemen	
Contractual Services	2,700
Commodities	200
Capital Expenditures	300
2060 — Airports — Maintenance	
Personal Services	8,846
Contractual Services	13,147
Commodities	8,750
Capital Expenditures	4,600
2075 — Capital Reserve	
Contractual Services:	
Bridges	10,000
Court House	10,000
Jail	10,000
Hancock County — Bar Harbor Airport	10,000
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<b>TOTAL GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>\$755,237</b>

; 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 account in the county budget:

<b>Appropriation Account Number</b>	<b>Appropriations</b>
1075 — Sheriff	
Contractual Services	\$ 20,000
1080 — Advertising and Promotion	
Contractual Services	22,000
1095 — Debt Service	

Appropriation Account Number	Appropriations
Contractual Services	70,000
2000 — Interest	
Contractual Services	10,500
2045 — Community Programs	
Contractual Services:	
Eastern Maine Development District	11,522
Mental Health	3,000
WHCA	5,000
React	1,000
County Senior Citizens Clubs	4,000
Action Opportunities, Inc.	500
Counseling Center	1,000
2060 — Airport	
Contractual Services	6,478
2075 — Capital Reserve	
Contractual Services:	
Court House	10,000
Jail	10,000
Hancock County — Bar Harbor Airport	10,000
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<b>TOTAL FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING FUNDS</b>	<b>\$185,000</b>

; 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
1040 — Court House	
Personal Services	\$ 1,600
1050 — Jail — Support of Prisoners	
Personal Services	9,543



Appropriation Account Number	Appropriations
1075 — Sheriff Personal Services	17,099
2025 — Employees Benefits Contractual Services	8,140
2035 — Soil Conservation Personal Services	4,000
2060 — Hancock County — Bar Harbor Airport Personal Services	8,518
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TOTAL ANTIRECESSIONAL FISCAL ASSISTANCE	\$48,900

; 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.

Total Appropriations	\$989,137
Available Credits:	
Estimated Revenue	127,175
Transfer from Surplus	50,000
Federal Revenue Sharing	185,000
Antirecessional Fiscal Assistance	48,900
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Total Available Credits	411,075
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Amount to be raised by taxation	\$578,062

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

Effective March 25, 1978

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## CHAPTER 78

**RESOLVE, for Laying of the County Taxes and Authorizing Expenditures of Franklin County for the Year 1978.**