

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the  
**LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY**  
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library  
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied  
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

**LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

AS PASSED BY THE

ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

January 3, 1979 to June 15, 1979

PUBLISHED BY THE DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH IN ACCORDANCE WITH MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED, TITLE 3, SECTION 164, SUBSECTION 6.

---

Kennebec Journal  
Augusta, Maine  
1979

---

---

**RESOLVES**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**  
AS PASSED AT THE  
**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**  
of the  
**ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH LEGISLATURE**  
1979

---

---

Federal Revenue Sharing	175,000
	<hr/>
Total available credits	320,380
	<hr/>
Amount to be raised by taxation	\$650,133

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

Effective May 21, 1979

---

---

## CHAPTER 12

H. P. 1360 — L. D. 1596

### RESOLVE, for Laying of the County Taxes and Authorizing Expenditures of Hancock County for the Year 1979.

**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 1979 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 1979:

**1979 Tax****\$683,315**

;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 1979, 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	9,000
Contractual Services	47,000
1015 - Civil Emergency Preparedness	
Personal Services	17,452
Contractual Services	2,875
Commodities	400
Capital Expenditures	800
1025 - District Attorney	
Personal Services	15,748
Contractual Services	12,035
Commodities	1,625
Capital Expenditures	882

**Appropriation  
Account Number**

**Appropriations**

1030 - County Commissioners	
Personal Services	\$ 25,600
Contractual Services	6,975
Commodities	400
1035 - County Treasurer	
Personal Services	15,592
Contractual Services	2,450
Commodities	475
1040 - Court House	
Personal Services	27,421
Contractual Services	10,471
Commodities	16,600
Capital Expenditures	500
1050 - Jail - Support of Prisoners	
Personal Services	92,000
Contractual Services	18,600
Commodities	16,800
Capital Expenditures	500
1065 - Register of Deeds	
Personal Services	48,686
Contractual Services	29,805
Commodities	1,970

## RESOLVES, 1979

<b>Appropriation Account Number</b>	<b>Appropriations</b>
Capital Expenditures	\$ 500
1070 - Registry of Probate	
Personal Services	41,453
Contractual Services	6,025
Commodities	2,390
1075 - Sheriff	
Personal Services	99,522
Contractual Services	58,150
Commodities	6,575
Capital Expenditures	765
1090 - Auditing	
Contractual Services	3,000
1095 - Debt Service	
Debt Service	27,000
2000 - Interest	
Debt Service	4,162
2005 - Extension Service	
Contractual Services	33,000
2025 - Employees Benefits	
Personal Services	68,618
2035 - Soil Conservation	
Contractual Services	1,200
2040 - Xerox	

**Appropriation  
Account Number**

**Appropriations**

Contractual Services	\$ 2,000
Commodities	500
2045 - Program Grants	
Contractual Services:	
Food Stamp Program	15,000
2050 - Volunteer Firemen's Association	
Contractual Services	2,800
Commodities	200
Capital Expenditures	1,000
2060 - Airports - Maintenance	
Personal Services	21,218
Contractual Services	20,250
Commodities	8,825
Capital Expenditures	4,000
2075 - Capital Reserve	
Contractual Services:	
Bridges	10,000
Court House & Jail	10,000
Hancock County-Bar Harbor Airport	10,000
2090 - Miscellaneous	
Contractual Services	8,500
TOTAL GENERAL FUND	<hr/> \$898,315

; 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 1979, 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>
1095 - Debt Service	
Principal Payment	\$100,000
2000 - Interest	
Debt Service	36,148
2045 - Program Grants	
Contractual Services:	
Eastern Maine Development District	11,552
Maine Publicity Bureau	3,500
County Senior Citizens Clubs	1,800
Down East Resource, Conservation and Development	1,000
Miscellaneous	1,000
2075 - Capital Reserve	
Contractual Services:	
Hancock County-Bar Harbor Airport	10,000
<b>TOTAL FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING FUNDS</b>	<b>\$165,000</b>

; and be it further

**Sec. 4. Summary. Resolved:** That the figures appearing in this resolve represent the total amount of taxes and the total specific expenditures authorized for the year 1979.

Total Appropriations		\$1,063,315
Available Credits:		
Estimated Revenue	\$150,000	
Transfer from Surplus	65,000	
Federal Revenue Sharing	165,000	
	<hr/>	
Total Available Credits		380,000
		<hr/>
Amount to be raised by taxation		\$683,315

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

Effective May 21, 1979

---

---

## CHAPTER 13

H. P. 1417 — L. D. 1621

### RESOLVE, for Laying of the County Taxes and Authorizing Expenditures of Washington County for the Year 1979.

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

Whereas, Washington 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 1979 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