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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-SEVEN

**RESOLVE, for Laying of the County Taxes and Authorizing Expenditures
of Androscoggin County for the Year 1977.**

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

Whereas, Androscoggin 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 1977 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. Androscoggin County; taxes apportioned. Resolved: That the following is hereby granted as a tax on Androscoggin 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 year 1977:

1977 TAX

\$676,412

; 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 1977, in the specific total amounts of expenditures for personal services, contractual services, commodities and capital expenditures for each account in the county budget:

Appropriation Account No.	Appropriations
1005 — Superior Court	
Personal Services	\$ 15,000
Contractual Services:	
State Allocation	75,000
Witness Fees	15,000
1015 — Civil Emergency Preparedness	
Personal Services	54,502
Contractual Services	7,800
Commodities	3,200
1025 — District Attorney	
Personal Services	13,629
Contractual Services	18,800
Commodities	3,150
Capital Expenditures	2,500
1026 — District Attorney — Joint Budget	
Contractual Services	5,333
Commodities	742
1030 — County Commissioners	
Personal Services	12,800
Contractual Services	1,750
Commodities	350
1035 — County Treasurer	
Personal Services	23,769
Contractual Services	1,565
Commodities	1,000
1040 — County Buildings	
Personal Services	21,320
Contractual Services	40,900
Commodities	18,500
Capital Expenditures	800
1050 — Jail — Support of Prisoners	
Personal Services	82,706
Contractual Services	33,400

Appropriation Account No.	Appropriations
Commodities	28,195
Capital Expenditures	3,000
1065 — Register of Deeds	
Personal Services	38,860
Contractual Services	10,150
Commodities	1,040
1070 — Registry of Probate	
Personal Services	37,313
Contractual Services	1,675
Commodities	1,840
1075 — Sheriff	
Personal Services	97,602
Contractual Services	30,476
Commodities	8,825
Capital Expenditures	7,000
1080 — Auditing	
Contractual Services	3,000
1095 — Debt Service	
Contractual Services — Interest :	
Temporary Loans	32,000
Debt	7,890
1096 — Microfilm	
Commodities	25
2005 — Extension Service	
Contractual Services	27,264
2025 — Employees Benefits	
Contractual Services :	
State Retirement System	52,000
Health Insurance	5,000
Blue Cross — Blue Shield	20,000
F.I.C.A.	35,000
2035 — Soil Conservation	
Contractual Services	1,000
2040 — Copying	
Contractual Services	3,650
Commodities	967

Appropriation Account No.	Appropriations
2045 — Program Grants	
Contractual Services:	
Food Stamps	35,000
Western Maine Transportation Services	11,665
Red Cross — Blood Donor Program	8,000
2050 — Insurance — Firemen	
Contractual Services	2,600
2080 — Contingent Account	
Contractual Services	10,000
2090 — Miscellaneous	
Setting Monuments	100
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TOTAL GENERAL FUND	\$974,653

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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 1977, 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 No.	Appropriations
1040 — County Buildings	
Personal Services	\$ 12,016
1050 — Jail — Support of Prisoners	
Personal Services	37,634
1075 — Sheriff	
Personal Services	33,350
1095 — Debt Service	
Contractual Services:	
Principal	35,000
2705 — Capital Reserve — Bridges	
Contractual Services	30,000
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TOTAL REVENUE SHARING	\$148,000

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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 1977, from anti-recessional 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
1025 — District Attorney	
Personal Services	\$ 4,680
1030 — County Commissioners	
Personal Services	3,120
1040 — County Buildings	
Personal Services	8,840
1050 — Jail — Support of Prisoners	
Personal Services	4,392
1096 — Microfilm	
Personal Services	8,089
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TOTAL ANTIRECESSIONAL FISCAL ASSISTANCE	\$ 29,121

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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 1977.

The following limitations are placed on the expenditures authorized under this resolve:

1. The county shall expend no funds for 1977 dues for the Maine County Commissioners Association;
2. The District Attorney shall expend no funds for an investigator; and
3. The Red Cross shall expend its appropriation only in direct support of its blood donor program.

The following is a summary of revenues and appropriations:

Total Appropriations	\$1,151,774
Available Credits:	
Estimated Revenue	\$ 232,350
Transfer from Surplus	61,500
C.E.T.A.	4,391

Federal Revenue Sharing	148,000
Antirecessional Fiscal Assistance	29,121

Total Available Credits 475,362

Amount to be raised by taxation \$ 676,412

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

STATEMENT OF FACT

This resolve sets the county tax for Androscoggin County and authorizes the county's expenditures for the year 1977.