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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

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## STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-FIVE

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**RESOLVE, for the Laying of the County Taxes for the Years Nineteen  
Hundred Fifty-five and Nineteen Hundred Fifty-six.**

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**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the several counties hereinafter named, have certain expenses and liabilities which must be met as they become due; and

Whereas, the several counties have no source of revenue except the taxes hereinafter mentioned; and

Whereas, it is necessary that the taxes for the year 1955 hereinafter mentioned be immediately assessed, in order to provide the required revenue for the several counties; 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

**County taxes apportioned. Resolved:** That the sum appearing opposite to the names of the counties in the following schedule is hereby granted as a tax on each county respectively to be appropriated, assessed, collected and applied to the purpose of paying the debts and necessary expenses of the same and for other purposes of law, for the years 1955 and 1956.

	1955	1956
Androscoggin	\$225,824.89	\$212,441.04
Aroostook	157,332.86	157,332.86
Cumberland	514,020.00	468,602.50
Franklin	60,195.00	60,195.00

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	1955	1956
Hancock	100,000.00	100,000.00
Kennebec	120,635.00	120,635.00
Knox	89,896.00	89,896.00
Lincoln	96,981.00	96,981.00
Oxford	210,600.00	210,600.00
Penobscot	259,375.00	259,375.00
Piscataquis	60,700.00	60,700.00
Sagadahoc	70,450.00	70,450.00
Somerset	117,005.00	117,005.00
Waldo	92,587.00	92,587.00
Washington	110,654.00	110,654.00
York	160,085.00	160,085.00

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