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RESOLVES  
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### CHAPTER 31

#### RESOLVE, for Laying of the County Taxes and Authorizing Expenditures of Cumberland 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, Cumberland 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. Cumberland County; taxes apportioned. Resolved: That the following sum is hereby granted as a tax on Cumberland 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 1977:

1977 TAX

\$1,892,698

; 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<br>Account Number | Appropriations |
|---------------------------------|----------------|
| 1000 — District Court           |                |
| Contractual Services            | \$ 500         |
| 1005 — Superior Court           |                |
| Contractual Services:           |                |
| State Allocation                | 173,000        |

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| Appropriation<br>Account Number     | Appropriations |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| 1015 — Civil Emergency Preparedness |                |
| Personal Services                   | \$ 22,622      |
| Contractual Services                | 7,605          |
| Commodities                         | 3,080          |
| 1025 — District Attorney            |                |
| Personal Services                   | 23,175         |
| Contractual Services                | 11,275         |
| Commodities                         | 1,525          |
| 1030 — County Commissioners         |                |
| Personal Services                   | 28,313         |
| Contractual Services                | 1,205          |
| Commodities                         | 500            |
| 1035 — County Treasurer             |                |
| Personal Services                   | 34,201         |
| Commodities                         | 200            |
| 1040 — Court House                  |                |
| Personal Services                   | 74,454         |
| Contractual Services                | 39,265         |
| Commodities                         | 20,090         |
| Capital Expenditures                | 650            |
| 1045 — Engineer                     |                |
| Contractual Services                | 10,175         |
| Commodities                         | 50             |
| 1050 — Jail                         |                |
| Personal Services                   | 327,704        |
| Contractual Services                | 29,848         |
| Commodities                         | 48,243         |
| Capital Expenditures                | 4,000          |
| 1065 — Register of Deeds            |                |
| Personal Services                   | 87,035         |
| Contractual Services                | 60,543         |
| Commodities                         | 1,325          |
| 1070 — Registry of Probate          |                |
| Personal Services                   | 57,226         |
| Contractual Services                | 24,750         |

| Appropriation<br>Account Number          | Appropriations |
|--|----------------|
| Commodities                              | \$ 2,450       |
| Capital Expenditures                     | 500            |
| 1075 — Sheriff — Administrative Services |                |
| Personal Services                        | 75,678         |
| Contractual Services                     | 15,520         |
| Commodities                              | 3,000          |
| Capital Expenditures                     | 300            |
| 1076 — Sheriff — Police Services         |                |
| Personal Services                        | 340,507        |
| Contractual Services                     | 92,746         |
| Commodities                              | 4,025          |
| 1077 — Sheriff — Judicial Services       |                |
| Personal Services                        | 66,982         |
| Contractual Services                     | 400            |
| Commodities                              | 600            |
| 1080 — Advertising and Promotion         |                |
| Contractual Services                     | 1,500          |
| 1090 — Auditing                          |                |
| Contractual Services                     | 3,000          |
| 1095 — Debt Service                      |                |
| Contractual Services:<br>Principal       | 255,000        |
| 2000 — Interest                          |                |
| Contractual Services:<br>Bonds           | 212,719        |
| Temporary Loans                          | 20,000         |
| 2005 — Extension Service                 |                |
| Contractual Services                     | 47,000         |
| 2025 — Employees Benefits                |                |
| Contractual Services                     | 188,000        |
| 2030 — Public Relations                  |                |
| Contractual Services                     | 5,000          |
| 2035 — Soil Conservation                 |                |
| Contractual Services                     | 2,473          |

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Account Number**

**Appropriations**

2045 — Program Grants

Contractual Services:

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Civic Center                              | \$ 174,662 |
| Insurance, deductible clause              | 1,000      |
| Cumberland County Day Care                | 25,000     |
| Salvation Army—Meals on Wheels            | 4,700      |
| Cumberland-York Task Force on Aging       | 1,000      |
| Holy Innocents Home Care Services         | 6,800      |
| Regional Transportation Program           | 7,500      |
| P.R.O.P.                                  | 12,000     |
| York-Cumberland Housing                   | 6,000      |
| Cumberland County Lawyer Referral Service | 500        |
| Fair Harbor Emergency Shelter             | 3,000      |
| Campership Program                        | 2,250      |
| Cerebral Palsy Center                     | 1,500      |
| Saco River Corridor Commission            | 4,000      |

2080 — Contingent Account

|                      |        |
|----------------------|--------|
| Contractual Services | 50,000 |
|----------------------|--------|

TOTAL GENERAL FUND \$2,729,871

; 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 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 Number**

**Appropriations**

1015 — Civil Emergency Preparedness

|                      |          |
|----------------------|----------|
| Personal Services    | \$ 2,272 |
| Capital Expenditures | 4,000    |

1025 — District Attorney

|                      |        |
|----------------------|--------|
| Contractual Services | 30,000 |
| Capital Expenditures | 600    |

1030 — County Commissioners

|                      |       |
|----------------------|-------|
| Personal Services    | 4,649 |
| Contractual Services | 750   |

| Appropriation<br>Account Number    | Appropriations |
|------------------------------------|----------------|
| Capital Expenditures               | \$ 560         |
| 1035 — County Treasurer            |                |
| Contractual Services               | 1,755          |
| Commodities                        | 500            |
| 1040 — Court House                 |                |
| Personal Services                  | 15,222         |
| Contractual Services               | 2,000          |
| Capital Expenditures               | 7,000          |
| 1045 — Engineer                    |                |
| Personal Services                  | 2,500          |
| 1050 — Jail                        |                |
| Personal Services                  | 14,508         |
| Commodities                        | 40,457         |
| 1065 — Register of Deeds           |                |
| Contractual Services               | 15,000         |
| Capital Expenditures               | 9,300          |
| 1076 — Sheriff — Police Services   |                |
| Capital Expenditures               | 28,000         |
| 2005 — Extension Service           |                |
| Contractual Services               | 3,000          |
| 2010 — Council of Governments      |                |
| Contractual Services               | 4,000          |
| 2035 — Soil and Water Conservation |                |
| Contractual Services               | 2,327          |
| 2040 — Copying                     |                |
| Contractual Services               | 2,100          |
| Commodities                        | 2,000          |

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| Appropriation<br>Account No.    | Appropriations    |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| 2045 — County Programs          |                   |
| Contractual Services:           |                   |
| Food Stamps                     | \$ 68,000         |
| 2095 — Extradition of Prisoners |                   |
| Contractual Services            | <u>2,500</u>      |
| <b>TOTAL REVENUE SHARING</b>    | <b>\$ 263,000</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 1977, 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<br>Account Number                | Appropriations   |
|--|------------------|
| 1040 — Court House                             |                  |
| Personal Services                              | \$ 15,208        |
| <b>TOTAL ANTIRECESSIONAL FISCAL ASSISTANCE</b> | <b>\$ 15,208</b> |

; 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 1977. The following is a summary of receipts and appropriations:

|                                   |                    |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|
| Total Appropriations              | \$3,008,079        |
| Available Credits:                |                    |
| Estimated Revenue                 | \$667,173          |
| Transfer from Surplus             | 170,000            |
| Federal Revenue Sharing           | 263,000            |
| Antirecessional Fiscal Assistance | 15,208             |
| Total Available Credits           | <u>1,115,381</u>   |
| Amount to be raised by taxation   | <b>\$1,892,698</b> |

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