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IN ACCORDANCE WITH MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED,
TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.

J.S. McCarthy Company
Augusta, Maine
1993

5. Except as provided in this deed, the Maine Veterans' Homes may not sell or convey the parcel or any interest in the parcel.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 70

H.P. 1462 - L.D. 1988

Resolve, for Laying of the County Taxes and Authorizing Expenditures of Somerset County for the Year 1994

Mandate preamble. This measure requires one or more local units of government to expand or modify activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenues but does not provide funding for at least 90% of those expenditures. Pursuant to the Constitution of Maine, Article IX, Section 21, two thirds of all of the members elected to each House have determined it necessary to enact this measure.

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

Whereas, Somerset County has certain expenses and liabilities that must be met as they become due; and

Whereas, it is necessary that the taxes for the year 1994 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. Somerset County; taxes apportioned. Resolved: That the following sum is granted as a tax on Somerset County to be apportioned, assessed, collected and applied to the purposes of paying debts and necessary expenses of the county as authorized in this resolve, and for other purposes of law, for the calendar year 1994:

1994 TAX

\$2,737,483

; 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 1994, 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 NUMBER APPROPRIATIONS

1000 - District Court	
Personal Services	\$38,942
1005 - Superior Court	
Contractual Services	22,295
1010 - Emergency Management Agency	
Personal Services	29,739
Contractual Services	4,360
Commodities	825
Capital Expenditures	300
1015 - District Attorney	
Personal Services	122,197
Contractual Services	35,111
Commodities	4,600
1020 - County Commissioners	
Personal Services	92,397
Contractual Services	41,630
Commodities	1,235
Capital Expenditures	700
1025 - County Treasurer	
Personal Services	41,904
Contractual Services	5,330
Commodities	565
Capital Expenditures	300
1040 - County Buildings	
Personal Services	59,865
Contractual Services	54,615
Commodities	14,300
Capital Expenditures	300
1050 - Jail - Support of Prisoners	
Personal Services	735,670
Contractual Services	174,033
Commodities	90,735
Capital Expenditures	13,800
1060 - Telecommunications	
Personal Services	161,005
Contractual Services	51,600
Commodities	400
Capital Expenditures	15,892
1065 - Register of Deeds	
Personal Services	107,997
Contractual Services	71,570

Commodities	1,635
1070 - Register of Probate	
Personal Services	92,851
Contractual Services	16,796
Commodities	2,010
Capital Expenditures	1,200
1075 - Sheriff	
Personal Services	483,407
Contractual Services	149,112
Commodities	13,800
Capital Expenditures	36,879
1090 - Auditing	
Contractual Services	4,500
1095 - Debt Service	
Contractual Services	127,077
2000 - Interest	
Contractual Services	35,000
2005 - Extension Service	
Contractual Services	44,876
2035 - Soil Conservation	
Contractual Services	16,000
2040 - Copy Machine	
Contractual Services	3,455
Commodities	500
2041 - Microfilm	
Personal Services	11,592
Contractual Services	1,875
Commodities	350
2045 - Program Grants	
Contractual Services:	
Catholic Charities	2,000
Senior Spectrum	5,000
Youth and Family Services	13,000
Sebasticook Farms	5,000
Ken-A-Set Association for the Retarded	4,250
Crisis and Counseling Centers	2,000
2075 - Capital Reserve	
Buildings	30,000
TOTAL GENERAL FUND	<u>\$3,098,377</u>

; and be it further

Sec. 3. Positions eliminated. Resolved:
That the following positions are eliminated by this county budget:

Appropriation Account Number	Position
1050 - Jail	Program Officer
1075 - Sheriff	Director of Law Enforcement
1075 - Sheriff	Director of Support Services
1075 - Sheriff	Warrant Officer
1075 - Sheriff	Crime Scene Investigator

; 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 calendar year 1994. The following is a summary of revenues and appropriations:

Total Appropriations	\$3,098,377
Available Credits:	
Estimated Revenue	\$320,894
Community Corrections	40,000
Total Available Credits	360,894
Amount to be Raised by Taxation	<u>\$2,737,483</u>

; and be it further

Sec. 5. Proceeds from drug seizures. Resolved: That the expenditure of the proceeds from drug seizures that accrue to the Somerset County Sheriff's Department must be authorized in the same manner as other county expenditures.

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

Effective April 12, 1994.

CHAPTER 71

S.P. 772 - L.D. 1992

Resolve, Authorizing Aroostook County to Issue Bonds for the Northern Maine Development Commission, Inc.

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

Whereas, the Northern Maine Development Commission, Inc. has an opportunity for a limited time to finance a portion of its existing debt by utilizing the Municipal Securities Approval Program under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 10, chapter 110,