CHAPTER 71

SELECTMEN, BOARD OF

Note: The Town Meeting annually authorizes the Board of Selectmen to do the following:
A. Apply for, receive and expend federal or state grants and accept and expend money for governmental units or private resources.
B. Sell and convey by deed at public auction the title to real estate taken by the town in default or redemption from tax sale acquired by gift or other means.
C. Borrow money as necessary to meet current expenses and in anticipation of taxes.

[**HISTORY:** Adopted by the Annual Town Meeting of the Town of Hillsborough as indicated in article histories. Amendments noted where applicable.]

ARTICLE I

Inventory Blanks [Adopted by ATM 3-10-1942 as Art. 14]

§ 71-1 Delivery to residents.

The town authorized the Selectmen to deliver inventory blanks to residents when assessing.

ARTICLE II

Federally Subsidized Housing [Adopted by ATM 3-14-1978 as Art. 30]

§ 71-2 Entering into agreements.

The town voted to rescind its previous vote taken at a Special Meeting of July 19, 1977, and authorized the Selectmen of the Town of Hillsborough to enter into such agreements as they determine in the best interests of the Town of Hillsborough for the purpose of allowing the development, construction and maintenance of federally subsidized housing for the elderly within the boundaries of the Town of Hillsborough.

ARTICLE III

Real Estate and Personal Property [Adopted by ATM 3-8-1994 by Art. 13]

Note: This Article13 also superseded former Article III, Real Estate, adopted by the ATM 3-13-1984 by Art. 26.

§ 71-3 Authority to sell and convey by deed.

The town voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell and convey by deed the title to real estate taken by the town in default or redemption from tax lien, this section to remain in force indefinitely until rescinded by a subsequent Town Meeting pursuant to RSA 80:80.

§ 71-4 Authority to accept gifts.

[Added by the ATM 3-8-1994 by Art. 17]

The town voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept gifts of real estate and or personal property, other than cash, to the town for any public purpose. This authorization in accordance with RSA 31:95-e and shall remain in effect until rescinded by a vote of the Town Meeting

ARTICLE IV

Highways [Adopted by the ATM 3-8-1994 by Art. 12]

§ 71-5 Authority to accept.

The town adopts RSA 674:40-a delegating to the Selectmen the authority to accept on behalf of the town any new highway which has been approved by the Planning Board.

ARTICLE V

Unanticipated Money [Adopted by the ATM 3-8-1994 by Art. 14]

§ 71-6 Authority to apply for, accept and expend.

The town accepts the provisions of RSA 31:95-b providing that any town at an Annual Meeting may adopt an article authorizing indefinitely, until specific rescission of such authority, the Selectmen to apply for, accept and expend, without further action by the Town Meeting, unanticipated money from a state, federal or other governmental unit or a private source which becomes available during the fiscal year.

ARTICLE VI

Tax Anticipation Notes [Adopted by the ATM 3-8-1994 by Art. 16]

§ 71-7 Authority to issue.

The town accepts the provisions of RSA 33:7 providing that any town at an annual meeting may adopt an article authorizing indefinitely, until specific rescission of such authority, the Selectmen to issue tax anticipation notes.