



<b>20. Highways and Streets</b>	<b>686,738</b>
<b>21. Road Projects</b>	<b>115,956</b>
<b>22. Street Lights</b>	<b>12,000</b>
<b>23. Solid Waste Collection</b>	<b>163,000</b>
<b>24. Solid Waste Disposal</b>	<b>51,810</b>
<b>25. Health Agencies</b>	<b>18,485</b>
<b>26. Animal Control</b>	<b>500</b>
<b>27. Welfare</b>	<b>10,000</b>
<b>28. Recreation Commission</b>	<b>19,000</b>
<b>29. Library</b>	<b>148,266</b>
<b>30. Patriotic</b>	<b>1,000</b>
<b>31. Conservation Commission</b>	<b>500</b>
<b>32. Principal Long-term debt</b>	<b>25,000</b>
<b>33. Interest Long-term debt</b>	<b>725</b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$2,254,618</b>

This budget is exclusive of other warrant articles.  
The Selectboard recommends this appropriation.

**ARTICLE 3.** To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of **\$167,500** to be placed in existing town capital reserve and general trust funds, pursuant to RSA 35:1 and RSA 31:19-a as follows:

RSA 35:1 funds:

\$15,000	Town Facilities Maintenance Fund created in 2015.
\$10,000	Revaluation Fund created in 1993.
\$50,000	Highway Equipment Fund created in 1987.
\$55,000	Transportation Improvement Fund created in 2006.
\$10,000	Bridge Capital Reserve Fund created 1994.
\$5,000	ADA Access Fund created in 2003.
\$5,000	Police Equipment Fund created in 2011.
\$5,000	Gravel Pit Reclamation Fund created in 2012.

RSA 31:19a funds:

\$10,000	Town Hall Repair Fund established in 1996.
\$2,500	Library Building Repair Fund established in 1992.

The Selectboard is named agent to expend for the bridge fund, the town hall repair fund, the library building repair fund, the revaluation fund, the transportation improvement fund, the police equipment fund, the facilities maintenance fund and the Highway Equipment Fund. The Selectboard recommends this appropriation.

**ARTICLE 4.** To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of **\$7,000** to continue the restoration of the stone entryway into the Plainfield Plain Cemetery. The Selectboard recommends this appropriation.

**ARTICLE 5.** To see if the town will vote to increase the real estate exemption on dormitories, dining rooms, and kitchens of Kimball Union Academy above the required \$150,000 as allowed in RSA 72:23, to fifty (50) percent of the assessed value of property over which the town has statutory discretion.

**ARTICLE 6.** To see if the town will direct the Selectboard to appoint a committee to continue the KUA/Plainfield study. The charge to this committee shall be to meet with representatives of the KUA administration and maintain an ongoing review of the relationship between the academy and the town, including any agreement pursuant to RSA 72:23, and to report its findings at next March's annual town meeting.

**ARTICLE 7.** To see if the town will vote to instruct the moderator to appoint a finance committee (advisory only) of six Plainfield voters to advise the Selectboard and other officers of the town in the prudential affairs of the town.

**ARTICLE 8.** To see if the Town of Plainfield will adopt the Philip Read Memorial Library as the town's one public library building supported by the Town of Plainfield's tax appropriations. The result being that the Meriden Public Library building will no longer have funds raised and appropriated by property tax dollars for the building's maintenance and operation as of March 17<sup>th</sup> 2018. Article by Petition.

**ARTICLE 9.** To see if the Town will vote to direct the Selectmen to continue the Meriden Library/Meriden Village Study Committee established in 2016 for the ensuing year

**ARTICLE 10.** Resolved, that the Town of Plainfield through the FERC relicensing process, has been presented with information on the Connecticut River. If it is shown that there is a causal relationship between the operation of the Wilder Dam by the TransCanada Corporation or subsequent owners resulting in deterioration of the riverbank and attendant roads and farmland, it is recommended that the Town of Plainfield formally request that TransCanada or subsequent owners modify current dam operations and create a mitigation fund to reimburse towns and landowners for any and all damages

**ARTICLE 11.** To see what action the town will take with respect to the reports of town officers.

**ARTICLE 12.** To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

**A True Copy Attest:**

*Ron C. Eberhardt*  
*Judith A. Belyea*  
*Robert W. Taylor*  
Plainfield Selectboard

### **CERTIFICATE OF POSTING**

We, the undersigned Selectboard of Plainfield, hereby certify that on the 15th day of February in the year 2017, we posted a true attested copy of the within warrant at the Plainfield School, it being the place of meeting, and a like true and attested copy of said warrant at the Meriden Town Hall and the Plainfield Town Hall, said locations being public places in the Town of Plainfield.

**Signed:**

*Ron C. Eberhardt*  
*Judith A. Belyea*  
*Robert W. Taylor*

Personally appeared before me the above named, Ron C. Eberhardt, Judith A. Belyea, Robert W. Taylor the Selectboard of Plainfield and took oath the foregoing statement is true.

*Michelle Marsh*  
Notary Public  
My Commission expires  
August 22<sup>nd</sup> 2017