# HOPKINTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY 2013 Annual Report







#### **Statement of Purpose**

"The purpose of the New Hampshire Antiquarian Society [doing business as Hopkinton Historical Society], a not-for-profit organization, is to investigate, collect, preserve, and communicate whatever may relate to the history of the Town of Hopkinton and its people. To fulfill this purpose, the Society shall collect, maintain, interpret, and make available to the public such books, papers, artifacts, and related materials as may serve to document or illuminate the town's history. In addition, the Society recognizes a responsibility to promote and disseminate the study and understanding of Hopkinton and New Hampshire history through scholarly inquiry, exhibitions, programs, and publications." HHS Bylaws

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Nancy lo Chabot

#### 2013 Dedication



It is our privilege to dedicate the 2013 Hopkinton Historical Society Annual Report to our retiring President, Don Lane. Don's service to the Society has been particularly positive, not only in his efforts to firm up and grow the Society's financial base, but also in his efforts to expand the impact of the Society on the town in general.

Don was born in Boston and raised in Waban, a village in the city of Newton, Massachusetts. He attended the Newton Public School system, which in those days

was considered one of the best in the country, and from there went on to Harvard College, graduating in 1959.

Upon graduation Don joined IBM as a sales trainee and later that summer married Mona Kean, now his wife of almost 55 years. Following completion of his sales training - an intensive two-year education which was almost the equivalent of attending graduate school - he was transferred to New Hampshire where he assumed sales responsibility for the western and northern sections of the state.

Don, Mona, and their young daughter Jennifer moved to Gould Hill in Hopkinton in 1961, into the same house where they still live today. The move was made with great trepidation; however, shortly thereafter their life-long love affair with the Town of Hopkinton began. Don went on to spend eight years with IBM, a company he describes as reflecting the best characteristics of the American business culture. Don went on to work for two other great companies: Software International, a pioneering packaged software start-up where he was instrumental in its early formative growth; and Coed Sportswear, a company started by his son, Mark, upon his graduation from the University of New Hampshire. Don will testify that they were all "great rides."

Don's upbringing, formal education and business experience all emphasized involvement in the greater community. During his working career he devoted 24 years to Hopkinton Town Baseball as a

coach and president of the organization. It was a natural fit because within ten years of moving to Hopkinton, daughter Jennifer was joined by three brothers, Don, Mark and David, and baseball has always been one of his passions.

Upon retirement Don quickly recognized he had too much time on his hands. He called up a friend, Peter Russell, who was at that time a town selectman, and asked if there might be some volunteer work he could do. There was plenty! Don's question led to a long and satisfying experience with town development. He became involved in the development of the playing fields behind the Hopkinton Town Library (now known as Houston Fields), followed by involvement in the development of the Children's Playground sponsored by the Hopkinton Woman's Club. He then became chairman of the Slusser Senior Center development which he saw through to completion.

Throughout this period Don was also deeply involved in the town's open space effort with a personal commitment to see Hopkinton Village completely protected by open space, which was accomplished by the acquisition of Ransmeier Woods. Along the way his interest in moving the town forward while preserving its rural character caused him to decide to run for town selectman. He served on that board for six years and describes it as a marvelous platform for getting things done. According to Don, a terrific side benefit was that all this activity introduced him to many great, hard-working people, the "movers and shakers" who make Hopkinton what it is - a consummately livable New Hampshire town.

Besides the community of Hopkinton, Don has also dedicated himself to supporting his church. He has been a Lector and Eucharistic Minister since the introduction of those functions into New Hampshire over thirty-five years ago. He and Mona also co-chaired the fundraising effort to build a new church which was completed in 2004.

Both Don and Mona feel very fortunate to have chosen Hopkinton as the town to live in 53 years ago. It was purely serendipitous, but the fact remains they believe they could not have made a better choice. Here their family grew from three to six with the addition of the three boys. Now their four children have provided them with eleven grandchildren. All of this progeny have chosen to stay in New Hampshire and live in small, Hopkinton-like towns in the Exeter area.

Don feels that the beauty of a town like Hopkinton is that, in spite of doubling in population over the past 50 years, it has remained a simple and caring community. When his children were young they could ride their bikes to school or to Contoocook Village. They could have a paper route. When a teenager did something stupid the first to know were the parents, not a judge. Despite the pressures to avoid involvement there are still those who are always ready to help. And the town has protected its rural character. The pace of life in Hopkinton is so very attractive. We have a very livable community - a peaceful community.

Don sees his years at the Historical Society as his contribution to the preservation of that peace because the Society retells Hopkinton's story again and again.

## **President's Report**

2013 was a very good year for the Hopkinton Historical Society. Our programs were very successful, our interaction with the citizens of Hopkinton remained strong, our involvement with the school system remained in demand and was much appreciated, and, despite our struggling economy, our financial condition thrived. But first let me recognize the great work done by our board and our volunteers. Over my term as president our Board has made some great additions. Roxanne Benzel, Anya Kattef, Allita Paine and Don Piatt joined such stalwarts as Kathy Thesing, Bob Wilson, Mary Leadbeater, Scott Metzger, Carol Hooper and Carol Duston. The combination of experience and energy gave your Society dynamic and creative leadership entering 2014. Then when you consider the quality of our permanent staff, Heather Mitchell, Nancy Jo Chabot and Elissa Barr, we have to rank with the best historical societies in the State of New Hampshire.

There were two specific areas that deserve particular recognition - our event success and our financial performance. Our Annual Art Show & Sale was incredibly strong in 2013. Fifty-four artists, 78 pieces of artwork sold and almost \$6,000 in revenue to the Society broke all previous records. We can comfortably say that we now have an event that has become a true "institution" here in Hopkinton. The other event that demands recognition was our joint effort with the Hopkinton Woman's Club, the Historical Hopkinton Candlelight Home Tour. It too was remarkably successful. Much credit goes to the gracious homeowners, our sponsors and our volunteers who provided the very complex direction and management that was needed to guarantee the success of this endeavor. Special thanks needs to go to Roxanne Benzel, Kathy Thesing and Heather Mitchell for their great work.

Our financial performance in 2013 also deserves "a real round of applause." The Finance Committee, chaired by Don Piatt and made up of the Society's treasurer Anya Kattef, Don Lane, Kathy Thesing, and Bob Wilson, working with our advisory management firm, ended the year with an increase in net asset value of 11.3% and increased the net value of funds under management by 12.6%. The long-range goal of the Finance Committee is to achieve an effective endowment large enough to minimize the need for relatively constant fundraising.

As my three-year term comes to an end and Roxanne Benzel assumes the position of president, my major disappointment has been our inability to solve our growing space problem. This is a need that grows monthly and will require some truly creative solution in the near future. With the resolution of the drainage problems and the sealing of the foundation we have a very serviceable building in a great location. But we have no land.

I want to thank everyone whom I have worked with over the last three years. It has been a "great ride" fulfilling an extremely important need in our community - an understanding of our history.

Respectfully submitted, Don Lane President

## Director's Report

2013 was a very full year for the Society in terms of exhibits and programs. The year began with our annual meeting which included a social, salute to volunteers, and the NH Humanities Council program "Rally 'Round the Flag" with local musicians/educators Marek Bennett and Woody Pringle. The program presented an overview of the American Civil War through music and included the banjo, fiddle, dulcimer, accordion, whistle, and guitar.

Our summer exhibit, "Hopkinton's Lost Farms: How Disaster and Progress Changed Hopkinton," focused on some of the once thriving farms in our town that are no longer here. A 1937 agricultural map of Hopkinton, which identified more than 90 commercial agricultural farms, was the starting point for the exhibit. Volunteer Jean Weld deserves a special thank you for the many hours she spent working on the exhibit, including research, writing, photography, object loans, and going door-to-door to interview people. Her assistance was very much appreciated and resulted in a richer and more meaningful exhibit.

Throughout the summer and into the fall Mary Leadbeater and Carol Duston faithfully manned a table at the Contoocook Farmers' Market. In addition to selling items from the museum shop, Mary and Carol also had available membership, exhibit, and program information.

The "Tomorrow's Masterpieces: Annual Art Show & Sale" opened with a gala Champagne Reception on September 28. Artists had been given the option of submitting pieces with a farming theme as a tie-in to our summer exhibit, and many of them did. We had an abundance of farm animals and three versions of Jeff Dearborn's barn on Hopkinton Rd. As always, guest curator Parker Potter did a wonderful job of arranging the art. Strong sales throughout the show made it our most successful show ever.

Later in the fall, more than 230 people toured eight historic properties during the tremendously popular Hopkinton Historical Candlelight Home Tour. The event was a very terrific fundraiser for the Hopkinton Historical Society and the Hopkinton Woman's Club, raising more than \$9,000 that was divided between the two organizations for programming and community outreach in our town.

The event was kicked off at a Pre-Event gala hosted by Pam McDonald and Chris Closs. Many thanks to all of the homeowners, sponsors, vendors, and more than 50 volunteers for their help in making the event such a success.

In December the Society participated in the town-wide Starry, Starry Weekend event. We held a Last Chance Reception for the Annual Art Show & Sale and held a family craft event at the Society.

In addition to our exhibits and programs, the Society offers genealogical and historical research to the public. We have copies of abstracted deeds and vital records, information on many family histories, town reports, and state papers available for research purposes. The Society is contacted frequently for information from people around the country.

Our volunteers play an important role in fulfilling the Society's mission to collect, preserve, and exhibit items relevant to the Town of Hopkinton. Last year nearly 100 people volunteered their time at the Society, helping with everything from yard work to cataloging to data entry. If you are interested in volunteering, please give us a call.

Located across the street from the Cracker Barrel Store is Chase Park, which is owned by the Society. It is a lovely garden cared for by a group of dedicated volunteers. Peg Kimball and Deb Monroe water and care for the plants during the summer, and John Cook keeps the lawn trimmed and lovely all season. Other volunteers include Ben Wilson, Jackie Rietveld, and Green Horizon Landscaping. Overseeing all of their efforts is Inge Eddy, who helps with everything from planting to mulching to raking.

My report would not be complete without expressing my thanks to museum staff Nancy Jo Chabot, Elissa Barr, and Alex Sanford, as well as to our volunteers and the Board of Trustees. Their support and contributions help keep the Society running and make my job easier, more interesting, and more fun.

Respectfully submitted, Heather Mitchell Executive Director

### **Collections Committee**

Over the course of 2013, the Society added nearly 700 items of local historical importance to its collection. These items were given to or purchased by the Society. The items given to the Society were donated by more than 50 different donors. From the early 1800s to the modern day, the items touch on the people and places that have made Hopkinton the community it is today. They include stories about people who are parents and grandparents of local residents, our community's businesses and workers, and our town's natural resources.

The following items were accessioned by the Collections Committee in 2013:

(2013.1-2013.4 reserved for Found In Collections items)

- 2013.5 Watercolor painting by Denise Green, "Cemetery Walk Interpretations." Image depicts Jeff Dearborn walking in a Hopkinton Cemetery during one of the Hopkinton Historical Society's cemetery walks.

  Purchased from the artist
- 2013.6 Worked stone object, found at Rice farm by donor's brother when he was a teenager working at the farm (now in his 70s). Gift of Mary Jane Beardsley
- 2013.7 Collection of more than 300 pieces of Chase family correspondence.

  Purchased via E-bay
- 2013.8 Bureau, signed Moses Hazen, Hopkinton, 1800, and possibly Young (Hopkinton cabinet maker David Young).

  Purchased from Gary Yeaton Antiques
- 2013.9 October 6, 1880, original issue of Hopkinton Times newspaper. Given by Scott Metzger
- 2013.10 "Undertaker" sign, used by Frank H. Reed. His shop (for undertaking and for embalming) was in the little building that's connected to the Methodist Church in Contoocook.

  Given by Frank Reed's grandson, Robert (Robin) G. Reed, Jr.
- 2013.11 Framed watercolor painting on yupo paper by Audrey Gardner titled "Hollyhocks." This piece is pictured on page 25 of the book, "A Tribute to Audrey: the Art of Audrey Gardner."

  Gift of Bruce Gardner in memory of Audrey Gardner

Gift of Ben Wilson

2013.13 Three postcards, with birch bark framing. Titled, "The Falls, Hopkinton, N.H.", "Main Street, Contoocook, N.H.", and "The Cascade".

Ten postcards depicting Hopkinton scenes.

Gift of Mary Cogswell

2013.12

- 2013.14 Two framed broadsides: 1) Independence Day 1882, Hopkinton Lower Village, and 2) Dramatic Entertainment, 1880, Lyceum Hall. These were given to Bob York by Jim Hargrove in appreciation of assistance; the Yorks had the pieces framed. Given by Bob and Joan York
- 2013.15 Photographs of Paul Reck and his performances, some signed by Hope Finney and Bill Finney.

  Gift of Frances T. Bakeney
- 2013.16 Original sketches of Long Memorial Building, by Andre Hurtgen of Hopkinton, NH. Found while cleaning files in Long Memorial Building.
- 2013.17 CDs of images from Hopkinton Cemetery Walks: 2009 in Old Hopkinton Cemetery and 2010 in Contoocook Village Cemetery.
- 2013.18 Four black & white 8x10" photographs of the Norris Patch Farm, Hopkinton. Photos were taken by Bill Fenollosa in the mid-1980s as part of a class with Hopkinton photographer Bill Finney.

  Gift of Bill and Lyn Fenollosa
- 2013.19 Prevent Forest Fires broadside, Town of Hopkinton. Printed on fabric.

  Gift of Joan York
- 2013.20 Deed for tract of timber in Hopkinton, from George Putnam to True Putney for one dollar, 1903. Donor found E-bay, while researching George Putnam for the Hopkinton Historical Society's 2013 agricultural history exhibit.

  Gift of Jean Weld-Cowan
- One-hundred and twenty items from the home of Lester and Bonnie Cressy (many of these items came to the Cressys from Horace Stanley), including baskets, photographs, autograph books, Kingsbury & Davis items, books, deeds, letters, linens, framed portrait of Charles Clough, ox yoke for child-size wagon said to have been used with child-size Patch wagon (HHS 1998.11).

  Given by Lester and Bonita Cressy
- 2013.22 Six volumes from the Union Grange and eight volumes of records from the New Union Grange of Hopkinton, N.H.

  Donated by the N.H. State Grange

- 2013.23 Styrofoam apple cooler, from Gould Hill Farm. Purchased by donor at Gould Hill Farm barn sale.

  Gift of Derk and Heather Mitchell
- 2013.24 Four diaries and two photo albums from the Putney family of Hopkinton.

  Purchased from Rob Huff
- 2013.25 Materials from Kingsbury-Davis that had belonged to Odetta Hardy, mother-in-law of the donor. Hardy worked for Kingsbury-Davis from 1946-1967. Items include a booklet and several photographs.

  Given by Lousie French
- 2013.26 Selective Service registration card for Henry Warner Perkins (1892-1958), Contoocook, 1942. Perkins was the son of Ida Batchelder and Phillip Perkins. Card is in a vinyl case, which has advertisement for A.C. Huntoon insurance, Contoocook. Given by Dan Dustin
- 2013.27 Printed paper materials from the 2006 65<sup>th</sup> anniversary program of the Hopkinton Woman's Club, including: two copies of the 52-page booklet, "A Collection of Memories that Span Our Club's 65 Years", two copies of the program, "HWC / Hopkinton Woman's Club / Hopkinton, New Hampshire / 1941-2006 / 65<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY", two copies of the two-page packet, "Vintage Fashion Show", with entries from 1940s through 2000s, name card, "Ginny Friberg / '74 / Honorary Member / 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary / Planning Committee" Name card, "Cathy Rothwell / '93 / Past President / Director / 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Planning Committee". Gift of Kathy Thesing and Roxanne Benzel
- 2013.28 Book, "The Granite Kiss: Traditions and Techniques of Building New England Stone Walls." Author is a Hopkinton resident.

  Donor purchased book at Hopkinton Library's annual book sale.

  Donated by Heather Mitchell
- 2013.29 Photographs (originals and digital copies) of "Swallow Farm," 329 Rollins Rd., Hopkinton, NH, 1920s-1940s. (scans arrived 5/2012; originals arrived 7/11/2013).

  Donated by Linda Brew and Richard Brew in memory of Richard O. and Eleanor N. Brew
- 2013.30 Two items: 1) Gould Hill Orchard t-shirt, purchased by donor between 1980 and 1990. 2) Book, "NH Elected Officials 1983 & 1984." Photos are by Patti Cass Smith. Cover illustrated by Tom Pratt; includes proofs of the Pratt illustration.

  Donated by Patti Cass Smith

A collection of 79 photos, correspondence, papers, etc. belonging to Rachael Johnson. Gift of John Ransmeier, Given in Memory of Rachael Johnson, Margaret & Joseph Ransmeier Child's book, "Somebody's Luggage," with name hand-written 2013.32 inside, "Harrison Rufus Duston." Given by Carol Duston 2013.33 Book, "The History and Economics of the New Hampshire Dairy Industry," by John C. Porter through the UNH Cooperative Extension. Signed by the author. Given by Ruth Smith Hopkinton Town reports, 1937 and 1939. 2013.34 Donated by Sunapee (New Hampshire) Historical Society 2013.35 T-shirt, "Ruby's Donuts," artwork by John Duston, 2013. Artist's description: "Homer's seal of approval; humorous t-shirt depicting Homer Simpson sampling Farmer's Market goods (Ruby's Donuts)". Given by John Duston 2013.36 Postcard, "Elmwood Farm / Hopkinton, N.H." with correspondence on reverse. Given by Kathryn Lang in memory of her maternal grandmother Alice Mildred Crowell Sign, "MARTIN'S GARAGE / TED. 22-5 / HOPKINTON, N.H." 2013.37 Hopkinton Historical Society purchase 2013.38 Metal sign, "J. SCHOCH & SON / AUTO BODY." Collected by Staff 2013.39 Research, "Old Hopkinton Cemetery Mapping Project," completed as an Eagle Scout Project in August, 2013. (Identical copy given to Hopkinton Cemetery Commission.) Donated by Alden Mitchell 2013.40 Two scythes, found at a farmhouse on Patch Rd. Purchased (for \$20 donation) at Hopkinton Lion's Club yard sale, 2013. Gift of Nancy Io Chabot 2013.41 State of N.H. chart of communicable diseases (post 1919), found at 166 Cedar St., Lloyd Holmes's house (donor resides at house where poster was found).

2013.31

Playbill, "New Faces: A musical comedy in three acts Cast of 2013.42 sixty-five from Hopkinton and Contoocook," to benefit 4-H club of Hopkinton, 1935. Event was held at Columbia Hall. Donated by Rose Hanson

Gift of Cheryl Sisson

- 2013.43 Cracker Barrel flyer, January 11-13, 1968; Cracker Barrel flyer, February 8-10, 1968.

  Gift of Virginia Roberts
- 2013.44 Summit Farms I quart milk bottle; Milk Bottle cap from old Story Farm.

  Given by Curt Martin
- 2013.45 Six documents, with note from donor: "Enclosed are some 1878 items concerning Ebenezer Wyrman of Hopkinton who apparently was subject to some charges by John Burnham. You have various copies of Hopkintons' luminaries signing petitions as well as Mr. Burnham's agreement to go no further. I don't know the provenance of these documents but they were in some of mother's papers. I am forewarding them all to you along with a 1828 Encampment Order under seal."

  Given by Charles Douglas in memory of Elizabeth Douglas
- 2013.46 Six photographs that came with note: "I have enclosed some photos I found in my parents photos. My father and mother were working in a traveling carnival that went through Contoocook, NH, during the 1938 hurricane. My dad was a photographer so he wanted to document the conditions. I thought perhaps the town historian would like these."

  Donated by Phyllis Lester in memory of Robert and Dorothy Nelson
- 2013.47 Poster for Hopkinton Fair, Aug. 29 Sept. 2, 2013. Given by Covered Bridge Frame Shop & Gallery
- 2013.48 Voter Checklist for Hopkinton, NH, 1901. Dimension: 34 1/2in x 23in. Document is titled, "An Alphabetical List of the Legal Voters, In the town of HOPKINTON, made by supervisors of said town, on the 20TH day of FEBRUARY, A.D. 1901."

  Donated by Billy Stevens
- 2013.49 CD about the life and accomplishments of architect and former Hopkinton resident David Campbell.

  Donated by Ginny Friberg
- 2013.50 Items from Boulder Farm including photographs, postcards, business cards, business letter and envelope, Boulder Farm t-shirt and sweatshirt, Boulder Farm cookbook, and picking tub with "Boulder Farm Strawberries" printed on it.

  Given by Wayne and Sally Patenaude
- 2013.51 1938 diary of Claire Poole, Contoocook; pair of framed Hopkinton Old Home Day broadsides.

  Purchased from Brenda Joziatis

- 2013.52 Framed photograph of Ellen Ayers Putney (grandmother of Rose Hanson), along with three men and eight women; 1876 marriage certificate of True J. Putney and Ellen W. Ayers; bundle of approximately 70 letters addressed between Bessie Barker and Ira Allen Putney (parents of Rose Hanson), dated 1910-1914. Purchased from Brenda Joziatis
- 2013.53 Broadside, American Legion Presents Moonlight Cabaret Minstrels; and a collection of Hopkinton-related postcards and pamphlet.

  Purchased from Nan McNicholas
- 2013.54 Copper plate for calling card with engraved name, "Miss Mildred M. Raymond." Wrapped in paper.

  Gift of Anne Batchelder
- 2013.55 Three pieces purchased from 2013 Tomorrow's Masterpieces Annual Art Show & Sale, including: photograph, "Wooden Silo, Warner, NH," by Carol Van Loon -- note that the image is misidentified, the silo is of the Jeff Dearborn barn on Rt. 103, Contoocook; watercolor painting, "Dearborn's Barn," by Peg Kimball; and oil on canvas painting, "Hitchin' Up," by Mimi Wiggin which depicts horse pulling in Durgin Arena at the Hopkinton Fair.

  Hopkinton Historical Society purchases
- 2013.56 Framed black-and-white photograph portrait with charcoal. Image depicts a member of the Straw family of Hopkinton, who is an ancestor of the donor.

  Gift of David Melby
- 2013.57 Compact disc titled, "Hopkinton Village Precinct Hopkinton Town Clock: Status Report 012/29/12 LAW," created by Leland A. Wilder regarding the clock tower at the Hopkinton Congregational Church.

  Given by Leland Wilder

The Collections Committee would like to recognize and thank Shirley Watson, who has recently decided to step down from the Committee, for her many contributions over the years.

Current Committee Members: Charlotte DeBell, Carol Duston, Nancy Heck, Don Lane, Jean Lightfoot, Nancy Miner, Patti Smith, and Dr. Robert Wilson. Staff assistance provided by Nancy Jo Chabot.

Respectfully submitted, Carol Duston, Committee Chair

## **Cataloging Project**

Thanks to the diligent collecting of its founding members, the generous donations by members and area residents, and the selective purchases of the Collections Committee, the Society owns more than 5,000 artifacts, nearly 700 books, as well as a sizable collection of letters, diaries, photographs, and ephemera. As part of our on-going cataloging project, Elissa Barr continues to document objects and enter the information into our electronic database.

The Society has also benefitted from three Hopkinton High School students who volunteered their time or completed cataloging internships during 2013. Under the expert guidance of staff member Nancy Jo Chabot, Brittney Marshall, Bethany Glanville, and Alex Sanford learned the philosophy behind cataloging and successfully entered items into our database.

Since 2005 when the project began, more than 3,300 of the Society's artifacts have been cataloged, as well as more than 500 books, 1,400 images, and 1,500 ephemera items. This database has proved its usefulness in searching for object information for general inquires, exhibit planning, and collections management.

Respectfully submitted, Heather Mitchell Executive Director

# Hopkinton Historical Society Income Statement

January through December 2013

**Ordinary Income/Expense** 

Fundraising	31,095.00
Special Events Revenue	24,123.00
Committee Program Income	125.00
Other Program Income	3,503.49
Gifts	1,328.32
Investment Income	133,891.05
Other Revenue	532.73
Total Income	194,598.59

#### **Expense**

Income

Fundraising Expenses	3,281.23
Exhibit Expense	304.80
Special Events Expenses	15,678.95
Committee Program Expenses	15,841.70
Other Program Expenses	4,365.11
General and Administrative*	28,787.63
Staff Expenses	41,045.98
Total Expense	109,305.40

**Net Income** 85,293.19

<sup>\*2013</sup> Depreciation expenses are estimated at \$1,814

# Hopkinton Historical Society Balance Sheet as of December 31, 2013

#### **ASSETS**

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Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Merrimack County Savings Bank	8,666.89
MCSB Building Preservation Fund	4,196.35
Petty cash	100.00
TD Ameritrade MM - GENERAL	11,448.38
TD Ameritrade MM - COLLECTIONS	2,375.79
TD Ameritrade MM - PRESERVATION	515.96
Total Checking/Savings	27,303.37
Other Current Assets	
Pledges Receivable	700.00
Total Other Current Assets	700.00
Total Current Assets	28,003.37
Fixed Assets	
Building Improvements	65,932.94
Elevator Addition	220,987.00
Equipment	1,581.00
Office Computer Systems	844.00
Accumulated Depreciation*	-236,040.94
Total Fixed Assets	53,304.00
Other Assets	
TD Ameritrade - GENERAL	411,718.13
TD Ameritrade - COLLECTIONS	95,650.95
TD Ameritrade - PRESERVATION	228,785.33
Total Other Assets	736,154.41
TOTAL ASSETS	817,461.78
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
General Operating Fund**	293,237.40
Board Restricted Funds	
Collections Fund	98,026.74
Preservation Fund	234,197.64
Nichols Fund	90,750.00
Slusser Fund	101,250.00
Total Board Restricted Funds	524,224.38
Total Equity	817,461.78
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	817,461.78
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<sup>\*2013</sup> Depreciation expenses are estimated at \$1,814

<sup>\*\*</sup>General Operating Fund includes \$53,304 in Fixed Assets

### **List of Members**

Life Members indicated with a single asterisk; Business Members indicated with a double asterisk.

Joe Alcott Edith B. Allison

Marjorie C. Anderson LeRoy J. Anderson

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Elizabeth & Rick Brockman

Jean Buck

Emilie & Tom Burack Jay & Kim Burgess

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Ken Hayden Nancy Heck

Richard & Shirley Hesse

Sarah Dangelas-Hofe & Chisholm

Hofe

Betsey M. Holder

Carol Hooper & Roland DuBois

Linda & John Hopper Christine & Garrett Hoyt Melissa and Bill Hoyt Andre & Barbara Hurtgen

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