REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

It's hard to believe that 2007 has come and gone. We were extremely busy this past year providing a multitude of services to the residents of Fremont. As society changes, the Town grows, and new Federal & State RSA's are implemented, the services from this office become more complex, diverse and unique.

We are continually working with the Department of Safety providing updates to the Municipal Agent Automated Program as well as attending several training / certification classes. These updates and classes help us continue to remain proficient and efficient in our professional functions. Being on-line with the Division of Motor Vehicles has enabled our office the ability to provide faster service and expanded motor vehicle transactions to our residents, making a trip to the Town Clerk's office truly a "one-stop" shop.

In June, we received our boat certification from the DMV. This certification allows us to now process the Town and State portions of both renewals and new boat registrations. You are no longer required to travel to a DMV sub-station to complete your transaction and receive your decals. The entire process can be done without having to leave Town. Again, making the office a "one-stop" shop.

Also in June, the "mail-in" program began. This new service has proven to be a very successful tool with residents, whether utilizing the "mail-in" service or using the service to serve as a renewal courtesy reminder. We are able to process your registrations or dog licenses within 2 days of receiving your "mail-in".

We encourage you to read the Town Newsletter that is mailed to your home monthly and visit the Town's website at Fremont.nh.gov for the most up-to-date information regarding any of the services this office provides.

As always, we are readily available to assist our residents with whatever transactions, questions or concerns you may have relative to the functions of the Town Clerk's office. Please feel free to call at 895-8693 or stop by the office with any questions, concerns or suggestions you may have.

We would like to express our appreciation for the opportunity to serve you, the residents of Fremont. We look forward to serving our community in 2008. We will continue to strive to maintain our major goal, which is to serve the Fremont community in a fair, respectful, courteous and timely manner.

I would like to extend my gratitude and sincere thanks to my Deputy, Kathy and to all Town employees and Town departments with whom this office works with on a daily basis. Your continued support and assistance is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

Lori A. Holmes, Town Clerk