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# CERTIFICATE OF HIGHWAY MILEAGE FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 10, 1991

Fill out the certificate, file a copy with the Town Clerk, and mail original to Vt. Agency of Transportation, Planning Division before February 10, 1991.

▶ IF NO CHANGES IN MILEAGE, OMIT PART I, CHECK BOX IN PART II, AND SIGN PART III. ◀

## PART I

DISTRICT 2+1

We, the Selectmen/Trustees/Aldermen of Halifax, Windham County on an oath state that the mileage of highways, according to Title 19, V. S. A., Sec. # 305, added 1985, is as follows:

	TOWN HIGHWAYS				STATE HIGHWAYS	TOTAL EXCLUDING CLASS 4
	CLASS 1	CLASS 2	CLASS 3	CLASS 4		
PREVIOUS MILEAGE AS SHOWN FEBRUARY 10, 1990	0.000	16.800	47.850	1.920	5.846	70.496
MILEAGE ADDED SINCE FEBRUARY 10, 1990 EXPLAIN UNDER (1) BELOW			0.270			0.270
SUB TOTAL			48.120			70.766
MILEAGE SUBTRACTED SINCE FEBRUARY 10, 1990 EXPLAIN UNDER (2) AND (3)			0.130	0.160		0.130
TOTAL HIGHWAY MILEAGE FEB. 10, 1991	0.000	16.800	47.990	1.760	5.846	70.636
SCENIC HIGHWAY MILEAGE (19 VSA 2502)						

**DURING THE PAST YEAR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES HAVE OCCURRED.**

(1) NEW HIGHWAYS: We hereby certify that the following new highways, as substantiated by the attached \*Selectmen's Certificate of Completion\* have been added.

(2) DISCONTINUED: We hereby certify that the following highways have been discontinued according to statute and are substantiated by the attached copy of the proceedings.

(3) RECLASSIFIED/REMEASURED: We hereby certify that the following highways have been reclassified/remeasured and are substantiated by the attached copy of the proceedings.

T-58: 0.270 mile reclassified to Class 3 - from legal trail

T-34: 0.130 from Class 3 - 0.160 from Class 4 due to error.

(4) SCENIC HIGHWAYS: We hereby certify that the following highways have been designated or discontinued as \*Town Scenic Highways\*, and are substantiated by the attached copy of the proceedings.

**PART II - CHECK BOX IF NO CHANGES IN MILEAGES.**

**PART III**

SELECTMEN/ALDERMEN/TRUSTEES SIGNATURES

Laura J. Sumner  
Richard H. Stetson  
Richard H. Stetson

Town/City/Village CLERK SIGNATURE: Laura Sumner attests that this record of highway mileage was filed and recorded on Feb 5, 1991.

Approved: Keith L. Beach 2-11-91  
Representative, Agency of Transportation Date

Note: Applicable section of Vermont Statutes is printed on reverse side.

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Title 19, V. S. A. Section 305  
Added 1985

**SEC. 305. MEASUREMENT OF HIGHWAYS**

(a) A representative of the agency in the presence of the selectmen or their designee shall measure and inspect the class 1, 2 and 3 town highways in each town at least once every ten years. The agency shall notify the town when any highway, or portion of a highway, does not meet the standards for its assigned class. If the town fails, within one year, to restore the highway or portion of the highway to the accepted standard, or to reclassify, or to discontinue, or develop an acceptable schedule for restoring to the accepted standards, the agency for purposes of apportionment under section 306 of this title shall deduct the affected mileage from that assigned to the town for the particular class of the road in question.

(b) Annually, on or before February 10, the selectmen shall, after review by a representative of the agency, file with the town clerk a sworn statement of the description and measurements of all class 1, 2 and 3 town highways, then in existence, including any special designation such as a throughway or scenic highway. When class 1, 2 or 3 town highways are accepted, discontinued, or reclassified, a copy of the proceedings shall be filed in the town clerk's office and a copy shall be forwarded to the agency.

(c) The agency shall not accept any change in mileage until the records required to be filed in the town clerk's office by this section are received by the agency.

(d) The selectmen of any town who are aggrieved by a finding of the agency concerning the measurement, description or classification of a town highway may appeal to the board by filing a notice of appeal with the executive secretary of the board.

Title 19, V. S. A. Section 2502  
Added 1985

**Sec. 2502. TOWN SCENIC ROADS; DESIGNATION AND DISCONTINUANCE**

(a) On recommendation of the planning commission of a municipality, or on the initiative of the legislative body of a municipality, a legislative body may, after one public hearing warned for the purpose, designate or discontinue any town highway or portion of a town highway as a town scenic highway. Such action by the legislative body may be petitioned by the registered voters of the municipality pursuant to the provisions of section 1973 of Title 24.

(b) A town scenic road may be reconstructed or improved in a manner consistent with the standards established by the transportation board, pursuant to section 425 of Title 10. A class 1, 2 or 3 scenic highway shall still be eligible to receive aid pursuant to the provisions of this title.

(c) The legislative body of a municipality may appeal for a variance from standards promulgated by the transportation board. In these appeals the board's decision shall be final.

RETURN TO: VERMONT AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION  
DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND PRECONSTRUCTION  
PLANNING DIVISION  
133 STATE STREET  
MONTPELIER, VERMONT 05602



1990

# TOWN OF HALIFAX

P.O. BOX 45  
WEST HALIFAX, VT 05358

April 9, 1990



Mr. Edward J. Chabot  
Business Manager  
Vermont Agency of Transportation  
133 State Street  
Administration Building  
Montpelier, VT 05602

Dear Mr. Chabot:

Enclosed please find the documentation to support the designation of Town Highway #34 from a legal trail to a Class 3 Town Highway which is recorded in Book 35, Pages 401-403 of the Halifax Land Records. Since Town Highway #34 is measured at 1.16 miles and two sections of the road had previously been classified as Class 3, there remains .71 miles to reclassify as Class 3.

In looking at the most recent highway map prepared by the Vermont Agency of Transportation, there are several errors. The Windham County Superior Court on June 11, 1987 filed for recording a Judgment Order which amends some of the roads which the Board of Selectmen had previously designated on July 24, 1972 as legal trails. According to the Judgment Order the following roads which had been designated by the Selectmen as trails were amended by the Court to remain as public highways:

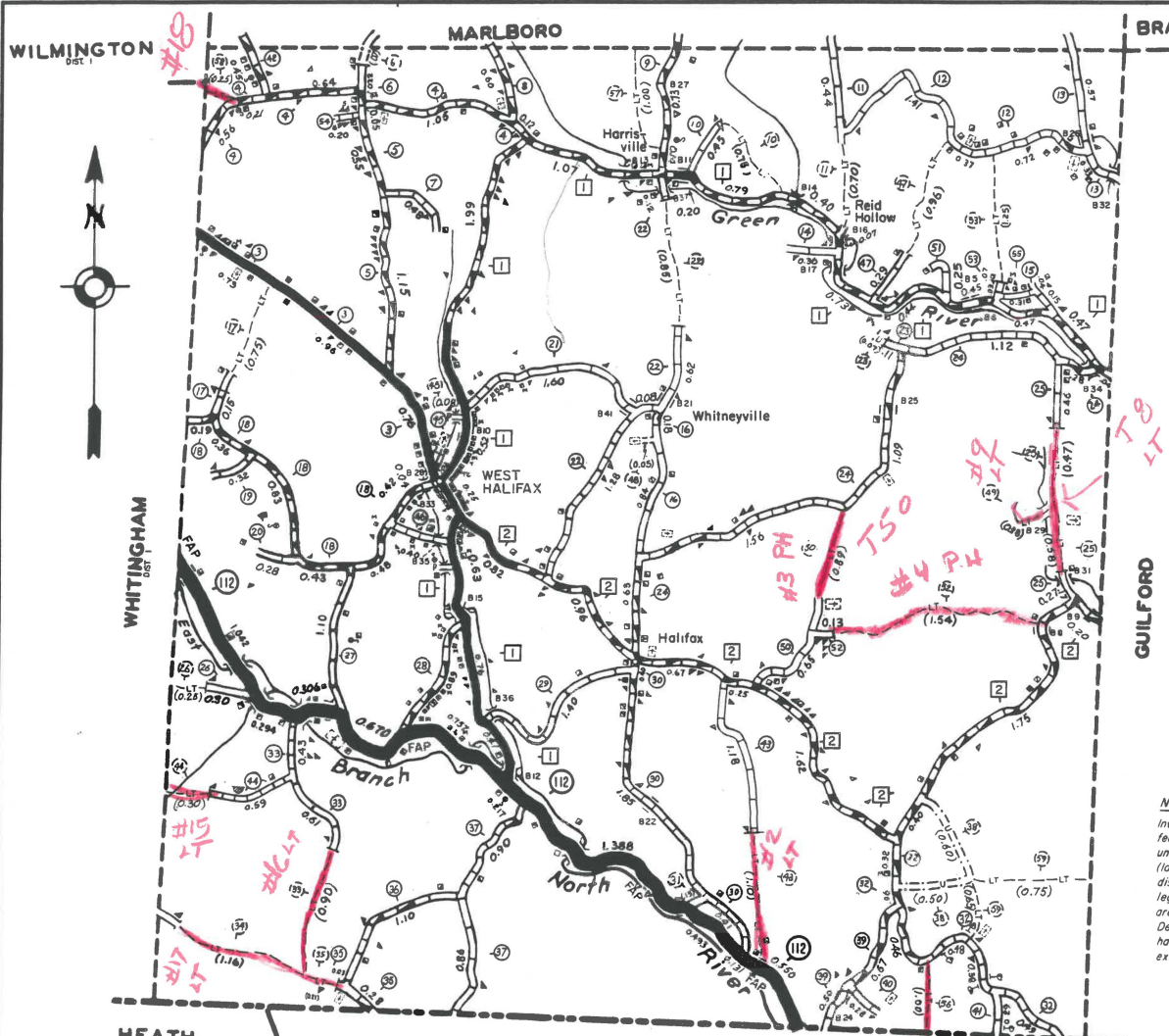
Town Highway # 52	mileage not measured
Town Highway # 50	mileage not measured
Town Highway # 58	mileage not measured
Town Highway # 35	0.24 miles (which has been reclassified by the state)
Town Highway # 34	0.29 miles (which has been reclassified by the state)

Since Town Highway #50, #52 and #58 have not been measured, the Board of Selectmen are not able to correctly update this Certificate of Highway Mileage for year ending Feb. 10, 1990. It is our understanding that the roads in Halifax will be remeasured by the State of Vermont this current year.

Sincerely,

Lewis L. Sumner, Chairman  
Board of Selectmen





**SUMMARY OF TOWN HIGHWAYS**

TOWN HWY. NO.	LENGTH IN MILES	CLASS 1	CLASS 2	CLASS 3	CLASS 4
3	2.49				
4	2.70				
5	1.75				
6	0.22 (0.07)				
7	0.48				
8	0.60				
9	0.87				
10	0.45 (0.75)				
11	0.44 (0.70)				
12	2.50				
13	0.90				
14	0.36				
15	0.19				
16	1.02				
17	0.15 (0.75)				
18	2.71				
19	0.32				
20	0.28				
21	1.60				
22	2.10 (0.85)				
23	0.11 (0.07)				
24	4.68				
25	0.65 (1.05)				
26	0.30 (0.25)				
27	1.10				
28	0.89				
29	1.40				
30	2.30				
31		(0.15)			
32	2.18				
33	1.04 (0.90)				
34		(1.16)			
35	0.31 (0.21)				
36	1.10				
37	1.76				
38		(1.10)			
39	1.17				
40	0.28				
41	0.29				
42	0.45				
43	1.18 (1.10)				
44	0.59 (0.30)				
45	0.02 (0.08)				
46	0.40				
47	0.29 (0.96)				
48		(0.05)			
49		(0.38)			
50	0.65 (0.49)				
51	0.25				
52	0.13 (1.54)				
53	0.10 (1.25)				
54	0.20				
55	0.31				
56		(1.00)			
57		(0.00)			
58		(0.25)			
59		(1.40)			
TOTALS	46.25	(18.21)			

**NOTES**  
Inventory date of cultural features is 1980. The untraveled highways (laid-out town highways), discontinued highways, and legal trails shown hereon are those of which the Department of Highways has record; others may exist.

HEATH FRANKLIN CO. COLRAIN MASSACHUSETTS

GENERAL HIGHWAY MAP  
**TOWN OF HALIFAX**

1980 POPULATION: 488

PREPARED BY  
VERMONT AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION  
PLANNING DIVISION



**LEGEND**

<b>HIGHWAYS</b>	<b>ROAD SURFACE TYPES</b>	<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>
7 DIVIDED HWY, INTERSTATE OR STATE INTERCHANGE NUMBER	BITUMINOUS MIX, MACADAM MIX, MACADAM PENETRATION, CONCRETE	RAILROAD AND GRADE CROSSING
2-LANE STATE HIGHWAY	BITUMINOUS CONCRETE, BRICK OR BLOCK	VILLAGE CENTER
END OF STATE HIGHWAY	SURFACE TREATED GRAVEL	
TOWN HIGHWAY	GRAVEL	<b>CULTURAL FEATURES</b>
U = UNTRAVELED ROAD	SOIL SURFACE (2ND CLASS GRAVEL)	FARM UNIT
P PRIVATE ROAD AND NUMBER	GRADED AND DRAINED EARTH	DWELLING (other than farm)
D DISCONTINUED HIGHWAY	UNIMPROVED EARTH	SEASONAL DWELLING
LT LEGAL TRAIL (FORMER TOWN HWY.)	PRIMITIVE	MOBILE DWELLING
FT FOOT TRAIL		TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE
89 INTERSTATE NUMBERED ROUTE	<b>BRIDGES</b>	BUSINESS
U.S. NUMBERED ROUTE	BRIDGE OR CULVERT (LESS THAN 6' SPAN)	SCHOOL
22 STATE NUMBERED ROUTE	BRIDGE OR CULVERT (6' THRU 20' SPAN)	CHURCH
4 CLASS 1 TOWN HIGHWAY	BRIDGE (OVER 20' SPAN)	POST OFFICE
2 CLASS 2 TOWN HIGHWAY	HIGHWAY UNDERPASS	FIRE STATION
21 CLASS 3 TOWN HIGHWAY	HIGHWAY OVERPASS	CEMETERY
6 CLASS 4 TOWN HIGHWAY	COVERED BRIDGE	SANITARY LANDFILL
FCA FULLY CONTROLLED ACCESS	B10 BRIDGE NUMBER	GRAVEL PIT
FAP FEDERAL AID PRIMARY HIGHWAY		SUGAR HOUSE
FAS FEDERAL AID SECONDARY HIGHWAY		HALL (I-town, C-community, G-grange, P-fraternal)
FAS FEDERAL AID SECONDARY ENDS		

**MILEAGE SUMMARY**

CLASS 1 TOWN HIGHWAYS:	0.000
CLASS 2 TOWN HIGHWAYS:	
NO. 1	9.86
NO. 2	6.94
NO.	
TOTAL CLASS 2 TOWN HWYS.	16.80
CLASS 3 TOWN HIGHWAYS:	46.25
TOTAL TOWN HWYS.	63.05
STATE HIGHWAYS:	
STATE HWY. VT. 112	5.848
STATE HWY.	
TOTAL STATE HWYS.	5.848
TOTAL TRAVELED HWYS., FEB. 10, 1986.	68.898*

TOWN BOUNDARIES AND ROAD ALIGNMENTS ARE APPROXIMATE

\* EXCLUDES CLASS 4 MILEAGE

Handwritten red notes:

- 4 } Public Highways
- 3 } Public Highways
- 18 } Public Highways
- 7 } Trails
- 8 } Trails
- 9 } Trails
- 2 } Trails
- 2 } Trails
- 15 } Trails
- 16 } Trails
- 17 } Trails

HAP IDENT. LETTER	TOWN HWY. NO.	CLASS 3 CHANGE	CLASS 4 CHANGE	EXPLANATION
<b>#1 RECLASSIFIED HIGHWAYS - DOCUMENTATION IS REQUIRED</b> (Please add to mileage certificate)				
TOTAL #1		( )		
<b>#2 NEW TOWN HIGHWAYS</b> "CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION AND OPENING" AND RIGHT-OF-WAY DESCRIPTION IS REQUIRED (Please add to mileage certificate)				
B	Prov. T-59	+0.140		
E	Prov. T-60	+0.080		
TOTAL #2		( )		
<b>#3 "OLD TOWN HIGHWAYS" - DOCUMENT SIGNED BY SELECTMEN STATING</b> THAT THESE ROADS HAVE BEEN MAINTAINED AS TOWN ROADS FOR "X" YEARS IS REQUIRED (Treat as new road on mileage certificate)				
TOTAL #3		( )		
<b>#4 CHANGES FROM CLASS 3 TO CLASS 4 DUE TO AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION FIELD INSPECTION</b> (If The Town Fails, Within One Year, To Restore The Highway Or Portion Of The Highway To The Accepted Standard, Or To Reclassify, Or To Discontinue, Or Develop An Acceptable Schedule For Restoring To The Accepted Standards, The Agency For Purposes Of Apportionment Under Section 306 Of This Title Shall Deduct The Affected Mileage From That Assigned To the Town For The Particular Class Of The Road In Question.)				
D	T-29	-0.500	+0.500	Not up to Class 3 standards.
F	T-21	-0.400	+0.400	Not up to Class 3 standards.
TOTAL #4		( )		
<b>#5 MILEAGE CHANGES DUE TO REMEASUREMENT</b> (Already Entered on Mileage Certificate)				
A	T-58	+0.270	-0.270	From legal trail per court order.
C	T-34	-0.130	-0.160	Due to error
TOTAL #5		+0.140	(-0.430)	
<b>#6 TOWN HIGHWAY CHANGES</b> FOR WHICH DOCUMENTATION HAS ALREADY BEEN RECEIVED BY AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION (Already Entered on Mileage Certificate)				
TOTAL #6		( )		
GRAND TOTAL				