

At a meeting of the Proprietors by Adjournment at the
Vernon Tavern on Wednesday the 26 of June 1771

Present The moderator, the Hon Andrew Oliver Esq of the Hon Council
Board Esq William Phillips Esq Mr Daniel March Thomas
Mutchinson junr Esq Joseph Warner Esq Mr Garrison Brown
Mr Edward Lad Sanders Mr Joseph Allen & Saml Adams

The Proprietors took under consideration a Proposal of Mr
Thomas Parsons for a Settlement of the upper Township
to be laid out by a former Vote, and committed the
same to the Hon Andrew Oliver Esq William Phillips Esq
& Joseph Warner Esq to consider thereof and report at the
next Adjournment

Adjourn'd till Saturday next at four o'clock then to meet
at this place

Saturday June 29. 1771 The Proprietors met according to Adjournment
Present the moderator, the Hon Andrew Oliver Esq Mr W. Phillips Esq
Joseph Warner Esq Mr Garrison Brown Mr Joseph Allen and Daniel March
Dea March Clerk of the Court of Swome

Voted that the Hon Mr Math. Sparhawk and David Smeal Esq^s be the only
one empowered upon a valuable Consideration to quiet if they see fit such persons
in their possessions who have settled upon Land within the Bounds of the
Townships agreed to be laid out adjoining to Cox Hall with such Lands as
they have built upon or improved if it may be done so as not to interfere
with the laying out and allotment of said Townships together with other
Lands in Addition sufficient to make up the quantity which may be
contained in the other Lots in general to be laid out in the Townships

The Committee appointed to take into Consideration a proposal of Mr
Thomas Parsons at the last meeting Reported as follows, which was accepted by the
Proprietors and voted accordingly

At a meeting of the Proprietors claiming Lands in the County of York on
the Southwesterly Side of Saco River under the will of Mr Bridget Phillips
at the Corner Head Tavern in Kingstreet Boston duly called & Regulated
according to Law on Wednesday the 29. day of June Anno Domini 1771
By Adjournment

Whereas Thomas Parsons of Exeter in the Province of New
Hampshire a Freeman has applied to said Proprietors and Represented that
he was disposed to make a Settlement of a New Plantation and to advance
all such Sums of money from time to time as should be necessary to a speedy
and vigorous prosecution of that design if he could obtain the Votes of said
Proprietors to a suitable Tract of Land for that purpose and has thereupon requested
such a Grant and said Proprietors being willing to encourage a prosecution so likely
to be of Publick Utility

Therefore in case the said Thomas shall within Three Months
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