# S T A Y I N G INFORMED About Your City



# A CITY OF OPPORTUNITY

As the fastest-growing city in the state, the City of Dover, New Hampshire is a busy place. So are its citizens, businesses and visitors. To help navigate the abundant information shared each day about the city's development, growth and vision,



the City offers this guide to staying informed and involved. The City's knowledgeable staff take pride in listening to residents – our customers – supporting their needs, delivering high-quality services and ensuring the public's satisfaction. We know transparency and open government help inform an involved and engaged community. I hope this guide will serve as a convenient roadmap to the detailed information we strive to make readily available each day.

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# YOUR CITY COUNCIL



The Mayor and City Council are Dover's elected representatives. The Council's nine members consist of a mayor, two at-large Councilors, and six ward representatives. The City Council, which sets the policies for city government, is elected every two years.

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CITY COUNCIL AT:
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More Information, including meeting schedule: https://www.dover.nh.gov/government/boards-and-commissions/city-council/index.html

## **PUBLIC MEETINGS AND RECORDS**

The City broadcasts many meetings of public boards and commissions live on Channel 22 and online at https://www.dover.nh.gov/dntv. The meetings are also available for on-demand viewing after the live meeting. Tune into Channel 22 for a schedule of live meetings and rebroadcasts, and to our online archive of previously televised meetings, including those of the City Council, School Board, Planning Board, Zoning Board of Adjustment and many more.





In addition to televised meetings, an archive of minutes and agenda material for the meetings of all City boards and commissions is available online at http://www.dover.nh.gov/government/open-government/municipal-documents/index. html. Select "Public Meetings."

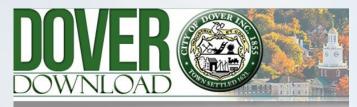
## CITY CHARTER AND CITY CODE

Official versions of the City Charter and City Code are maintained by the Office of the City Clerk at City Hall. Online versions of both documents can be found at www.dover.nh.gov/government/city-charter-code.



Transparent Dover is an online resource that provides easy access to many public records, documents and information. It can be found at:

www.dover.nh.gov/government/open-government/
transparent-dover/index.html



News from the City of Dover, New Hampshire



In This Issue:

Cochecho Arts Festival continues tonight
Art Walk is today

Dover Night Out is Aug. 6 Chestnut Street closure in Friday, August 2, 2019

## **DOVER DOWNLOAD**

Dover Download is a weekly electronic newsletter distributed by the City each Friday. The newsletter contains a variety of information about local government and the Dover community. To sign up, visit the City's list of newsletters and select "Dover Download":

bit.ly/doverdownload



#### SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sign up for e-mail alerts and announcements about road closures, weather events, street work and more. Select "Dover Alert; current public safety and road closure notices," at bit.ly/doverdownload.

# **ONLINE RESOURCES**

The City of Dover's website at www.dover.nh.gov, is home to a wealth of public information about City services, programs, events, meetings, projects, news and important documents and archives.



### **INFORMATIVE LINKS**

A list of online resources, including contact information, a communications guide, interactive maps, and more can be found at: https://www.dover.nh.gov/services/online-services/index.html

#### PLANNING DEPARTMENT

The Planning Department maintains a comprehensive online resource about planning and community development projects at:

https://www.dover.nh.gov/government/city-operations/planning/

#### **OPEN GOVERNMENT**

The City's Open Government page includes easily accessible information about City finances, election information, searchable archives and more at: https://www.dover.nh.gov/government/open-government/

#### **PARKING**

A guide to public parking, including a map of public parking locations, permit options, parking ban information, and more can be found at: drivingdover.com



The City of Dover offers online access to City maps and property records through a web-based mapping platform. Explore neighborhoods and access local property data including: When is trash pickup at my address? What ward am I in and where do I vote? What zoning district am I in? Visit http://maps.dover.nh.gov/.

## **EMERGENCY NOTIFICATIONS**



You can sign up for text alerts about emergency and other important community information, including winter parking bans, using the CodeRED notification system. To enroll, or for more information, visit bit.ly/dovercodered.

#### **BUDGET REVEALED**

Take a deep dive into the City's finanances, including detailed information about spending, purchase orders, City wages, the annual budget and related documents: go.usa.gov/xyhwE.

#### **SOCIAL MEDIA**

The City of Dover's official social media pages are a great resource for up-to-date information about City meetings, special events, services, resources and more.





For a complete list of the City of Dover's official social media pages, see our communications service guide at https://www.dover.nh.gov/services/online-services/index.html