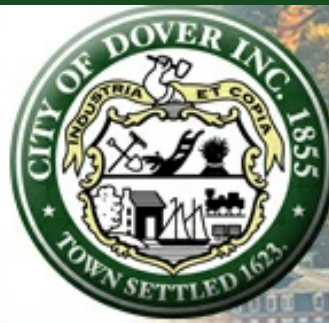


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DOVER CITY COUNCIL

ON THE AGENDA

Coming up at the next City Council meeting

Waterfront contract before City Council on Wednesday

Additional waterfront bonding also on agenda

On the City Council's agenda at the April 26 meeting are two resolutions related to the waterfront development.

One is to authorize an additional \$6 million in bonding for public improvements at the waterfront; the other is to award the contract bid for the public improvements to the site. The additional bonding and appropriation is needed for the Council to award the bid as currently presented.

Waterfront bonding

If approved, the \$6 million in additional bonding would bring the

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grand total to \$24.6 million in bonding authorization, including \$4 million authorized in the adopted six-year FY2024-2029 Capital Improvements Program. The City Council also authorized bonding in waterfront projects in FY2017, 2018, 2021, 2022, and 2023 CIPs. Of the authorized bonding, \$4.8 million has been issued, with \$2.75 million issued in FY2020 and \$2.06 million issued in FY2022.

The Waterfront Tax Increment Finance Advisory Board voted unanimously to recommend the City Council approve the bonding and appropriation for the waterfront site improvements when it [met on April 10](#) to review the proposal.

According to the City Council resolution background material and as presented to the Waterfront TIF Advisory Board, bonding would be issued as needed to meet the cash flow requirements of the public improvements and not be issued at once. The repayment of the bonds would be from the sale of the publicly-owned waterfront parcel to the developers for \$3,372,500 and tax increments collected by properties included in the 83-acre Waterfront Tax Increment Financing District. Part of the land development agreement for the sale of the waterfront property to the private developer includes guaranteed tax-assessed values.

The Waterfront TIF District [was authorized](#) by the City Council in February 2015, which includes the 29-acre city-owned property and nearby private properties. When a TIF district is authorized, the assessed values and property tax revenues within the TIF are essentially frozen. The property tax revenue from these assessed values continues to flow to the city's General Fund. However, the future incremental increases in property tax revenues realized through increased assessed values are captured in a dedicated fund used to pay for the infrastructure for improvements within the TIF. Once the improvements are paid for, the TIF is dissolved, and 100% of the property taxes generated go to the city's General Fund.

TIF Districts are authorized by state law RSA 162-K, "Municipal Economic Development and Revitalization Districts." It's meant to encourage commercial development in specific areas of the community that is not expected otherwise occur on a timely basis.

Awarding the waterfront construction bid

The Council will consider awarding the public improvements of the waterfront project to Northeast Earth Mechanics LLC, of Pittsfield, for \$19,532,250, one of two bids submitted for the work. Public improvements include constructing a new street system to provide site access and the utilities necessary to serve the proposed buildings. Other improvements include the construction of a new 3.4-acre public riverfront park, stabilizing the Cochecho River shoreline, grading the elevation to account for projected sea level rise, and installing a stormwater management system with green infrastructure.

Also on the agenda:

- Authorization to allow a weekly farmers market at Guppy Park. Seacoast Eat Local, Inc., seeks to move its weekly farmer's market from the Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce's parking lot.
- Authorize the reprogramming of unexpended proceeds from the sludge dewatering project to the aeration blower

replacement project.

- Authorize an amendment to the upgrades of the River Street Pump Station.

[Click here](#) for the complete agenda. The meeting begins at 7 p.m. in City Hall's Council Chambers and is open to the public. It will be televised on Channel 22 and online at <https://dovernh.viebit.com>, where it will also be available for on-demand viewing.



Crews installed the new membrane on the Chestnut Bridge deck. Paving the bridge is set to begin today.

Chestnut Street bridge rehabilitation work nears completion

The rehabilitation of the Chestnut Street bridge is nearing completion and is on schedule to reopen vehicular and pedestrian traffic by May 19, 2023. It's been closed to all traffic since Jan. 3.

The reconstruction of the sidewalks is now complete. This week, crews installed the bridge membrane to protect it against corrosion. Paving is scheduled to begin today and be completed next week, weather permitting. Once paved, the bridge will need to be line-striped before it can be reopened. The contractor will complete minor punch-list items once the bridge is opened, which may require intermittent lane shifts/closures to complete.

The project included removing the pavement, membrane, and sidewalks on the bridge, repairing deteriorated concrete in the bridge deck, reconstructing the bridge sidewalks, and installing a new bridge membrane, new bridge pavement, and new wearing-course pavement.



Volunteers needed for Dover Pride Clean Up Day on May 6

One of Dover Main Street's flagship activities, Dover Pride Clean Up Day, will be held on Saturday, May 6, beginning at 8 a.m. and concluding by noon.

Join hundreds of volunteers, with help from the City of Dover's Community Services Department, to rake, prune, sweep, mulch, weed, paint, and plant multiple sites in the downtown area. Celebrate at the end with a pizza lunch courtesy of Kendall Pond Pizza.

Clean Up Day is an opportunity for community members to give a few hours of time by contributing some sweat equity to make Dover look its best for the coming tourist season. Come see friends and neighbors and meet new ones. Dover Pride Clean Up Day is a great opportunity to get out of the house and do something for our community. This civic volunteer effort is an important aspect of helping keep the downtown area clean and beautiful throughout the spring and summer and also provides cost savings to the City of Dover.

"The amount of work accomplished within four hours on Saturday is nothing short of amazing," said Community Services Director John Storer. "The pride shown by the community also helps our department deploy our scarce resources to other timely projects."

Community Services will have workers out with equipment, such as loaders and skid-steers, to help move mulch and collect trash and debris.

Individuals, groups, or families can volunteer for just an hour or come for the entire morning. Locations will be set up by Dover Main Street, but there are numerous spots around the city to lend a helping hand, such as Henry Law Park, the Community Trail, Joe Parks Riverwalk, Skate Park, and the Library and McConnell Center public spaces. Work will include raking, weeding, edging, sweeping, mulching, and picking up litter.

There are plenty of spots available to help. Register your commitment on the Dover Main Street website at <https://dovermainstreet.org/event.php?id=55> or visit the registration table at the Cocheco Mill courtyard on the morning of the event.

Bring your home gardening tools if you can — gloves, brooms, rakes, shovels, and wheelbarrows. Make sure to put your name on your tools. This is a rain-or-shine event, so please come prepared.

Dover Arts Commission opens funding cycle for City Arts Grant

The Dover Arts Commission is accepting applications for the 2023-24 City Arts Grant, with winning proposals to be awarded up to \$3,000.

City Arts Grants are available to individual artists and arts organizations to create visual art, music, dance, theatre, film, and literary projects that benefit the residents of Dover and enrich the city's cultural life. Eligible projects include concerts, performances, festivals, workshops, exhibits, readings, after-school programs, and other creative endeavors that engage the arts and artists to benefit the community.

The application deadline is Friday, June 30, 2023, at 5 p.m. The application is available for download on the City Arts Grants webpage at <https://www.dover.nh.gov/government/boards-and-commissions/arts-commission/city-arts-grants/>.

For more information about City Arts Grants or the Dover Arts Commission, email the Commission at ArtsCommission-All@doover.nh.gov.

Nighttime rolling roadblocks planned for Spaulding Turnpike in Dover

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation (NHDOT) announces that rolling roadblocks will be performed along the Spaulding Turnpike in Dover to install new cable between existing poles across the Turnpike, just north of the Little Bay Bridges.

State Police will lead intermittent rolling roadblocks in the northbound and southbound travel lanes between exits 3 and 6 on Wednesday, April 26, at 11 p.m. and ending early Thursday morning, April 27, at 4 a.m.

The weather may delay the start of the work.

For more information, contact the NHDOT Turnpikes Bureau at (603) 485-3806.

Room at City Hall.
To view the meeting agenda,
[click here](#).

Graffiti Management Committee , April 25, 10 a.m.

The Graffiti Management Committee will hold a regular meeting on Tuesday, April 25, 2023, beginning at 6 p.m., in the Council Conference Room at City Hall.

To view the meeting agenda,
[click here](#).

Planning Board, April 25, 7 p.m.

The Planning Board will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday, April 25, 2023, beginning at 7 p.m., in Council Chambers, City Hall.

To view the meeting agenda, [click here](#).

City Council, April 26, 7 p.m.

The City Council will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday, April 26, 2023, beginning at 7 p.m., in Council Chambers, City Hall.

To view the meeting agenda, [click here](#).

Planning Technical Review, April 27, 10:30 a.m.

The Planning Technical Review Committee will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, April 27, 2023, beginning at 10:30 a.m., in the Council Conference Room at City Hall.

To view the meeting agenda, [click here](#).

For a complete list of upcoming meetings, visit <https://www.dover.nh.gov/go>

On the Agenda: Planning Board, 4/25/2023

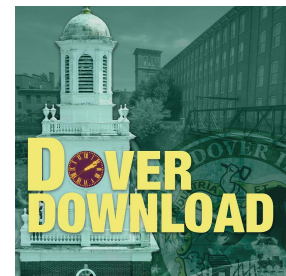
In this video, Director of Planning and Community Development Donna Benton reviews what's on the agenda at the next Planning Board meeting on Tuesday, April 25, 2023. The video can be viewed by clicking the image above or <https://dovernh.viebit.com/player.php?hash=Xv5feC4q3vdC>.

The meeting begins at 7 p.m. in Council Chambers at City Hall.

Want to keep up on other projects and planning and community development initiatives in the City of Dover? Subscribe to the Planning Department's newsletter, the Dover Planning Review. To sign up, visit bit.ly/doverdownload and select Dover Planning Review.

Dover Download podcast: Your guide to what's happening this week

In addition to each week's email edition of Dover Download, the City of Dover offers a weekly podcast. The podcast is hosted by Deputy City Manager Christopher Parker, who chats each week about the city's programs, services, public bodies and projects. Each episode also takes a brief detour to the past with a look back at the week in Dover's history.



The podcast is available wherever you get your podcasts, including Spotify and Apple Podcasts, and at <https://anchor.fm/cityofdovernh>.

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Missed the meeting? Catch it again online

Don't forget: If you missed the live City Council, School Board or Planning Board meetings on Channels 22 and 95, you can catch them again, online and on demand.

Simply visit www.dovernh.viebit.com to begin watching meetings on demand. Online meetings are organized by agenda item for convenience.



GBYC Celebrates Dover's 400th
with the 2nd annual
Ned McIntosh Small Boat Regatta

Join us!

2023 SMALL BOAT REGATTA

In the spring of 1954, a group of sailors gathered with a simple purpose: "to organize and provide rules for racing this summer on Great Bay, or other places designated." Races were held each Sunday afternoon at the State Pier and included class racing for 12 foot catboats — Merry Macs designed by club member Ned McIntosh — and other boats by handicap.

Join us to celebrate Dover's 400th and GBYC's 65th year of sailing Merry Macs, Oyster River Cats, Handy Cats, Nutshell Prams, small sailing boats, and dinghies.



SATURDAY, JUNE 24TH, 2023
HILTON PARK DOVER, NH
GREATBAYYACHTCLUB@GMAIL.COM

SCHEDULE
Registration
3 pm @ Hilton Park
Skipper's Meeting
4 pm @ Hilton Park
Race Starts at 5:30 pm
7 pm ish Awards
BBQ, Stories, and FUN
at Great Bay Yacht Club following.

Great Bay YACHT CLUB

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Entry Form

Open to all ages.
\$45 per entrant

Kids race FREE!

YES! I want to race!
☐ \$45

Name _____
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Sail Number (required) _____ Type of Boat _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Great Bay Yacht Club, PO Box 1644, Dover, NH 03821
www.greatbayyachtclub.org

Register here: <https://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/5996048> or mail the registration form above.



The following events are from a variety of historical records, sources, and texts about the history of Dover.

For more on the history of Dover, visit the Dover Public Library, Locust Street, and the Woodman Museum on Central Avenue. The Public Library also maintains an online collection of historical information [located here](#).

April 25, 1729 — The inhabitants of the northeast of Dover (now Somersworth), petitioned the Assembly to be set off as a parish for the benefit of the ministry.

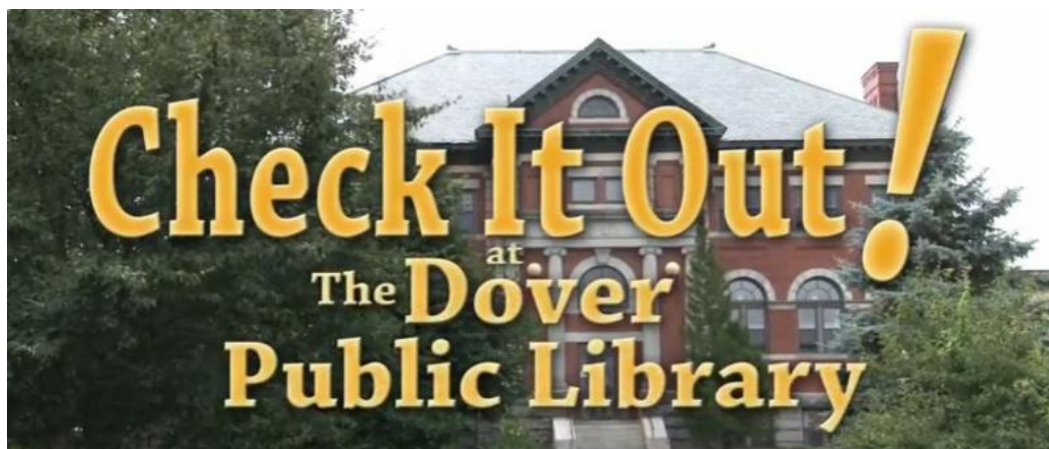
April 22, 1852 — The paper-hanging manufacturing operation of Crawford & Busby on Fifth Street was lost to fire on this day. The financial loss was reported to be about \$4,500.

April 23, 1895 — The agent overseeing the mills of the Cocheco Print Works announced on this day that mill workers would receive a wage increase of 5 percent. The raise restored wages to previous levels, which had been reduced several months earlier. It was reported that the mill workers rejoiced at the announcement. The mills at that time were running at full capacity.

April 23, 1895 — Dover's Marilla Ricker announced on this day she was running for governor of New Hampshire, the first woman to do so. Ricker at that time was already well known for her

advocacy for women's suffrage. She had already convinced the courts to allow women to take the bar exam, and was the first woman to attempt to vote. Although denied a ballot by the City Clerk in Dover, she persisted. Her work did finally pay off, even though she wouldn't live long enough to see it. Marilla Ricker died in 1920, just a few months after the 19th Amendment was ratified, which granted women the right to vote.

April 28, 1999 — New Hampshire Partners in Education announced that the Greater Dover of Chamber's School-to-Work initiative would receive an award for the program that helped prepare high school graduates for entry-level jobs. The program included a career development curriculum, beginning a business/teacher exchange program, having educators work with the chamber, and sending 22 business volunteers to the elementary schools.



Friends of the Dover Public Library May book sale

The Friends of the Dover Public Library will hold a book sale beginning on Friday, May 5, through Sunday, May 7, in the Library Lecture Hall. All leftovers will be free on Monday, May 8.

Hours will be Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Hundreds of items will be available for sale, including fiction and nonfiction books, biographies, DVDs, CDs, children's books, cookbooks, and more. Prices range from 50 cents to \$3, and all proceeds benefit the Friends of the Dover Public Library funds, which are used to help support the library in many ways. The Friends pay for programs throughout the year, support the Summer Reading Program, purchase all of the museum passes available to patrons, and much more.

For more information, call the Library at 603-516-6050.

McManus to share 'Dover: Stories of Our Past' at the Public Library

For years, Anthony McManus served as a Trustee for the Woodman Museum. Despite all of his time being around the history of Dover, he never really had a chance to explore it until 2018. That was the year he was approached by a friend at Foster's Daily Democrat who asked if he would be interested in writing a column for the newspaper focused on the yesteryears of the city.



On Thursday, April 27 at 6:30 p.m., McManus will share some of these tales in "Dover: Stories of Our Past" at the Dover Public Library. The event will take place in person, with an option to

watch virtually from home. Those wishing to view online will need to sign up through the library's website to access a link to the program.

McManus's column, titled "Historically Speaking," continues to this day. In honor of the 400th anniversary of Dover, a collection of three years' worth of his articles was published as a book. The book, which has the same title as the presentation, will be available for purchase and signing at the event.

McManus's column chronicles the day-to-day life, events, and families that shaped the Dover community. Much of his research was done by exploring Pine Hill Cemetery and exploring the shelves of the Dover Public Library's Historical Room.

McManus is a native of Dover, attending St. Mary Academy and Dover High School. He is a graduate of Georgetown University and received a degree from Boston College law before becoming a public defender in Boston. In 1966, he returned to Dover, eventually opening up his own office. From 1967 to 1973, he served as Dover's City Attorney.

He has long been involved in the government and community life of Dover including as a member of the city's Planning Board, Parking Commission, and City Council, and serving on the board of Dover Main Street. Throughout the 1970s, he served in the NH House of Representatives. He continued to practice law until 2001 when he was named Executive Secretary of the NH Judicial Conduct Committee, a position he held until 2008.

This program is free and open to the public.

For more information or to sign up to watch online, visit the library's website at library.dover.nh.gov or call (603) 516-6050.

This Week at the Library

National Library Week is from Sunday, April 23, to Saturday, April 29. Celebrate with the library by helping us read over 100 books.

Every time you finish a book during the week, stop by the Adult Services desk and fill out a book spine with the title of the story you read – then watch as the piles grow. This week is also April vacation, so be sure to check out one of our many programs happening during the week after you fill out a book spine.

CHILDREN EVENTS

Spring STEM Event (In-Person)

Monday, April 24 at 3 p.m.

Join us for a Spring inspired STEM program. Children ages 3-plus are invited to participate in this event with their caregivers.

Fairy and Gnome Houses (In-Person)

Tuesday, April 25 at 2 p.m.

Families are invited to join us on the library lawn to create fairy and gnome houses. Supplies will be provided.

Crafternoon: Dog Man Crafts (In-Person)

Thursday, April 27 at 3 p.m.

Are you a fan of Dog Man by Dav Pilkey? Let's celebrate the release of the new Dog Man book "Twenty Thousand Fleas Under

Drop Everything and Read

Wednesday, April 26 at 2 p.m.

Join us in the library's Lecture Hall for an hour of reading to celebrate "Drop Everything and Read" (or D.E.A.R.), a national month-long celebration of reading designed to remind folks of all ages to make reading a priority activity in their lives. Bring the book that you are currently reading or chose a new book from the library's collection, then tuck in for an hour of reading! This program is open to all ages.

ADULT EVENTS

Dungeons and Dragons for Adults (In-Person)

Tuesday, April 25 at 6 p.m.

Ages 18-plus can drop in and play Dungeons and Dragons every Tuesday night at the library. You do not need to have attended previous sessions to enjoy the game. No experience or materials are required, and all skill levels are welcome.

All Abilities Club: Video Gaming (In-Person)

Wednesday, April 26 at 11 a.m.

Join the All Abilities Club. These weekly programs are geared towards adults with intellectual/developmental disabilities and their caregivers. Adults with disabilities are

the Sea" with some Dog Man crafts! Kids in grades one and up are invited to join us in the lecture hall, and preschoolers with an adult caregiver are welcome as well to join in the fun.

Come and Play! (In-Person)

Friday, April 28 at 2 p.m.

Families with kids of all ages are invited to come play with us on the library lawn. Toys, games, and snacks will be provided.

TEEN EVENTS

After Hours Egg Hunt (In-Person)

Friday, April 28 at 5:30 p.m.

Teens in grades 6-12 are invited to an after-hours egg hunt inside the library! We'll start by searching for glow-in-the-dark eggs around the main floor of the library, then finish with pizza and games. Candy and gift card prizes will be hidden inside the eggs. Please bring your own basket or tote bag to collect your eggs with. Registration requested.

ALL AGES

LEGO Club

Wednesday, April 26 at 11 a.m.

Stop by for a special SCHOOL VACATION edition of Lego Club. We will have a specific "Challenge-of-the-day" to work on, or you can build your own creations. This is a family event for people ages 5-99.

Drop Everything and Read

Wednesday, April 26 at 2 p.m.

Join us in the library's Lecture Hall for an hour of reading to celebrate "Drop Everything and Read" (or DEAR), a national month-long celebration of reading designed to remind folks of all ages to make reading a priority activity in their lives. Bring the book that you are currently reading or chose a new book from the library's collection, then tuck in for an hour of reading! This program is open to all ages.

invited for an hour of Wii ga.m.ing action! Just Dance, Wii Sports, Mario Kart, and more. Everyone will get a chance to play, and activities will be provided for the downtime between turns.

Get Lit! Book Club (In-Person)

Wednesday, April 26, at 6:30 p.m.

Join us at Blue Latitudes in Dover to discuss "The Department of Rare Books and Special Collections" by Eva Jurczyk! Copies of the book will be available to borrow at the main circulation desk of the library and on Hoopla. All are welcome!

Yin Yoga (In-Person)

Wednesday, April 26 at 7 p.m.

Join instructor Bridget Harton for a free half-hour Yin Yoga class in the Library's Lecture Hall. Wear loose comfortable clothing, and bring a yoga mat or a blanket to place on the floor. Space is limited, but registration isn't required.

Cocheco River Writers (In-Person)

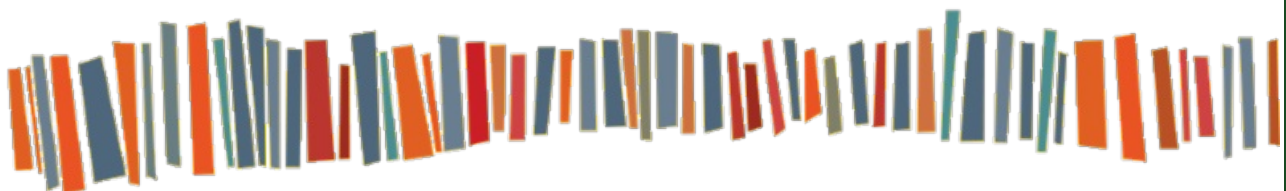
Thursday, April 27, at 6:30 p.m.

Join a community of local writers with Cocheco River Writers. This group welcomes all skill levels. Discuss ideas, get tips, and share your work with others in a low-key, inviting atmosphere. Whether you want to write creatively for fun or for publication, this group is a great way to hone your craft!

Dover: Stories of Our Past (In-Person or Virtual)

Thursday, April 27, at 6:30 p.m.

Tony McManus shares stories from his newspaper columns covering the fa.m.ilies, events, and stories that shaped the Dover community. This is an in-person event; if you wish to view it remotely, please sign up at the library's website to receive a link to the program.



Storm debris cleanup continues

City public works crews continue to remove woody debris left from the January winter storm.

The work is expected to take several more weeks to finish, as weather conditions and work priorities allow. Crews are not accepting new work orders for debris pickup.

Residents are encouraged to bring woody debris to the Recycling Center for free disposal. It is open Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Community Services at 603-516-6450.

Tax bills in the mail next week

The City Clerk and Tax Collector's Office will mail tax bills to all property owners the week of April 24, with all tax bills arriving by Monday, May 1, 2023.

It's the second half of the annual tax bill, which is due Thursday, June 1, 2023. As calculated and certified by the New Hampshire Department of Revenue Administration, the City of Dover's property tax rate for fiscal year 2023 (tax year 2022) is \$19.84 per \$1,000 assessed valuation.

In addition to mail, property tax payments can be paid online by clicking the "Pay My Bill" button on the home page of the City's website at www.dover.nh.gov. Payment of property tax bills is only available for current year tax bills and is not available for properties with a prior year's tax lien. There are online payment transaction fees collected by the payment processing company.

For more information, contact the City Clerk and Tax Collector's Office at 603-516-6018. The City Clerk and Tax Collector's Office, located at City Hall at 288 Central Ave., is open Monday through Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Fridays from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Assistance available for past-due property taxes for financial hardship due to COVID-19

New Hampshire Homeowner Assistance Fund Program can provide up to \$40,000 per household for past-due property taxes due to financial hardship experienced because of the COVID-19 public health crisis. Assistance can also be used for mortgage reinstatement and/or utility payments; only past-due expenses are covered.

The program assists New Hampshire homeowners who have been affected in any way by an increase in expenses or a reduction in income due to COVID-19. It is federally funded through the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 and the New Hampshire Governor's Office for Emergency Relief and Recovery. New Hampshire Housing Finance Authority administers the program.

To be eligible, homeowners must:

- Have experienced a COVID-related reduction in income or increase in household expenses after January 21, 2020;
- Own and occupy the property as their primary residence;
- Have incomes of less than 125% of the area median income. According to the NH Homeowner Assistance Fund online calculator, the gross annual income limit for a family of four in Dover is \$145,500.

For more information and to apply, visit <https://homehelpnh.org/>.

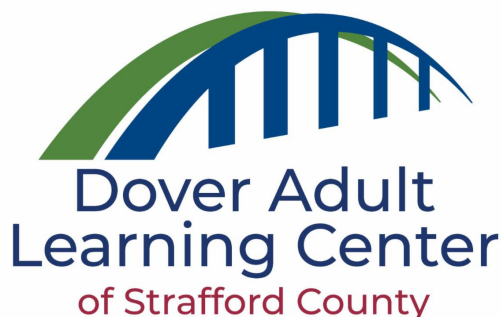
Coming up at Dover Adult Learning Center

The Enrichment program is winding down at Dover Adult Learning Center, but there are still some great classes on offer.

Learn the ins and outs of Medicare in DALC's Medicare Basics workshop on May 3, from 6 to 7 p.m. Register at <https://tinyurl.com/39e4mrkh>.

Want to learn to play the ukulele (or brush up on your skills)? Join DALC's four-week class, starting on May 2, from 6:30-7:30 p.m., here: <https://tinyurl.com/yjmfh5d6>.

Enjoy the spring weather with two great offerings. Join DALC's Nordic Walking class beginning May 4 at <https://tinyurl.com/kpxxj6nx> or get out and paint landscapes with our Outdoor Painting for Beginners class starting May at <https://tinyurl.com/44mzd7ap>.



Volunteer boards help keep Dover vibrant

The City of Dover is a vibrant community due in large part to the significant energy and talent of citizen participation on the city's many boards, committees, and commissions. Input from these boards, committees, and commissions helps guide Dover's policy decisions.

Want to get involved? There are currently committees seeking members to fill regular and alternate member vacancies, including the:

- Zoning Board of Adjustment
- Energy Commission
- Pool Advisory Committee
- Committee for Racial Equity and Inclusion
- Recreation Advisory Board
- Utilities Commission

The complete list of boards and committees can be found at www.dover.nh.gov/government/boards-and-commissions/

To apply, complete an application, [available here](#) and at the City Clerk's Office, and either drop it off at the Clerk's Office or email it to City Clerk Susan Mistretta at s.mistretta@dover.nh.gov. Applicants are welcome to apply to any board or commission. Applications are kept on file for one year.

The City Council appoints citizens to boards and commissions from recommendations of its Appointments Committee, which meets regularly to review applications.

City of Dover employment opportunities

Want to work for the City of Dover? The City's website offers an updated list of open positions, including job descriptions and a downloadable application for employment. The City of Dover is now seeking applications for the following positions:

- **Public Safety Dispatcher**
- **Police Officer**
- **Lifeguard**
- **Swim Instructor I**
- **City Planner**
- **Heavy Equipment Mechanic/Automotive Technician**
- **Utility Systems IT Administrator**
- **Parking Maintenance Specialist**
- **Summer Camp Counselor**
- **Police Systems IT Technician**
- **Truck Driver -- Streets**
- **Working Foreman -- Water and Sewer Pump Stations**

- Heavy Equipment Operator -- Utilities
- Laborer -- Public Works, Streets, and Stormwater
- Laborer I

For more information about these positions or employment opportunities with the City of Dover, [click here](#).

Dover School District employment opportunities

Want to work for the Dover School District? The District's website offers an updated list of open positions, including job descriptions and online applications. The District is now seeking applications for the following positions:

- Dean of Students
- English Teacher
- Physical Education/Wellness Teacher
- Science Teacher
- School Psychologist
- DALC - Adult High School Math Teacher
- Child Care Coordinator-Dover Adult Learning Center (DALC)
- DALC Teacher-Spanish Literacy and HiSET Prep in corrections facility
- Special Education Paraprofessionals
- Noon Aide/Recess Monitor
- Sub-Varsity High School Boys Soccer Coach

For more information about these positions, [click here](#).

