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Pictured are, front, from left, Mike Carlton, Calling All Cargo; Marcie Bergan, Southeast New Hampshire Habitat for Humanity; Mike Steinberg, Relyco; Jeff Leaf, Dover Middle School; and Paula Daley DePlanche, Leone, McDonnell & Roberts, P.A.; back row, from left, Rob Gagnon, Cambridge Trust; Cassandra Leach, Tufts Health Freedom Plan; Dover Mayor Karen Weston; Ann Vennard and Erika Lee, Cornerstone VNA; Roland Lapointe, D.F. Richard; Jeanne Supple, Cognia; Tiffany Melanson, First Seacoast Bank; Margaret Joyce, Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce; and Kelly Glennon, Jewelry Creations.

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To view televised meetings online, on demand, visit [www.dover.nh.gov/dntv](http://www.dover.nh.gov/dntv).

For a complete list of upcoming meetings visit the [meeting calendar page](#).




**CITY OF DOVER,  
NH**

288 Central Avenue  
Dover, NH 03820  
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**City Hall hours:**  
**Monday-Thursday**  
8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.  
**Friday**  
8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Recycling Center  
hours:**  
**Tuesday, Thursday,  
Saturday**  
8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

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# Dover Chamber announces annual award winners

The Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce this week announced the winners of its annual awards, which will be presented at the Chamber's Annual Awards Gala on Jan. 17 at the Rivermill at Dover Landing. The award recipients are as follows:

Volunteer of the Year, sponsored by First Seacoast Bank, is Paula Daley DePlanche, vice president and partner with Leone, McDonnell & Roberts, P.A. DePlanche is a past board member and treasurer of the Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce and she is the current chair of the Leadership Board for the American Lung Association, Northeast Region.

Educator of the Year, sponsored by Cognia, is Jeff Leaf, who teaches music and drama at Dover Middle School.

Small Nonprofit of the Year, sponsored by Newburyport Bank, is Southeast New Hampshire Habitat for Humanity, which works to strengthen families and communities through affordable homeownership opportunities.

Large Nonprofit of the Year, sponsored by Tufts Health Freedom Plan, is Cornerstone Visiting Nurses Association, which seeks to provide trusted, compassionate and expert health care to the community.

Business of the Year, sponsored by Cambridge Trust, is Calling All Cargo, a veteran-owned business that provides relocation services across the country.

Citizen of the Year, sponsored by D.F. Richard, is Michael Steinberg, chief executive officer of Relyco. Steinberg is involved in numerous local organizations including Dover Children's Home, Dover Police Charities, End 68 Hours of Hunger, and the Woodman Museum. He is also one of the founders of the City's annual Thanksgiving Dinner Celebration event.

Tickets for the Chamber's Annual Gala are \$90 each and can be purchased on the Chamber's website, [dovernh.org](http://dovernh.org). The gala is hosted by Shaheen & Gordon. Additional sponsors include Jewelry Creations, Wentworth-Douglass Hospital, Eastern Bank, The Flower Room, Profile Bank, and Portsmouth Regional Hospital Dover Emergency Room.

The Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce is a not-for-profit association of businesses, professionals, individuals, and organizations working together to advance the economic well-being of its members and the community. For details on Dover Chamber membership and programs or for a schedule of activities, call (603) 742-2218 or visit [dovernh.org](http://dovernh.org).

**As cold weather continues, City  
reminds residents how to stay safe**

## Stay social with your City



Want the latest news and important information about your city? Check out the City of Dover's official [Facebook page](#) and [twitter feed](#) for the latest updates.

With a stretch of low temperatures continuing through tonight, including wind chills that will drive temperatures below zero, Fire Chief Paul Haas is urging residents to stay safe.

According to the National Weather Service, daytime high temperatures will likely not rise above the 20s through Saturday. With the wind chill, overnight low temperatures will likely drop below zero tonight.

Frostbite and hypothermia are possible for those without proper protection from the cold.

Haas also reminds residents that the City of Dover is available around the clock to help those who need shelter from the cold.

### **WARMING CENTERS**

For those seeking to warm up, several City of Dover public facilities are available as warming centers. Dover's warming centers include the McConnell Center, the Public Library and City Hall. These specific public buildings are accessible and welcome those seeking relief from the cold during regular business hours.

Other warming centers in Dover are also available and accessible anytime, 24/7, at the City's Police Station, located downtown on Chestnut Street, and the City's three fire stations. The Liberty North End Fire Station is located at 262 Sixth St. The Central Fire Station is located at 9-11 Broadway. The South End Fire Station is located at 25 Durham Road.

In conjunction with the City of Dover's walk-in warming centers located throughout the community, the City's Public Welfare Department is available to coordinate services for those who need and want emergency assistance, including shelter, food and medical care. The Public Welfare Department offices at the McConnell Center are open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., and can be reached by phone at 603-516-6500. For after-hours emergency needs, the public welfare program also remains accessible simply by calling 603-742-4646 or visiting the police or fire stations to request assistance. Police and fire personnel are trained emergency responders and will notify and coordinate with the City's public welfare providers, day or night, getting assistance to those who truly want help. This assistance can include finding available shelter space, day or night, along with transportation, if needed.

To further assist with emergency sheltering needs throughout the Tri-City area, the Strafford County's Extreme Cold Weather Shelter, located at 276 County Farm Road in Dover, may also open when deemed necessary by area emergency management officials and the Strafford County Commissioners. Should this temporary emergency facility be activated, the City of Dover will share this information via the City's website at [www.dover.nh.gov](http://www.dover.nh.gov), via email notifications, social media, and Channel 22. For more information about the Strafford County's Extreme Cold Weather Shelter, including the shelter's operational status, contact 1-857-323-0388.

In addition to warming centers and sheltering options provided by the City of Dover, organizations with an accessible facility and interested in opening and operating a temporary emergency shelter in Dover are asked to contact and coordinate with the City of Dover's Emergency Management Director, Fire Chief Paul Haas. In accordance with the City of Dover's already established Emergency Operations Plan, Chief Haas will ensure that fire and life safety guidelines of the New Hampshire Fire Marshal are met wherever and whenever a temporary emergency shelter is established and activated in Dover.



### **HOME SAFETY TIPS**

As the cold weather continues, Haas suggests that people minimize outdoor activities for the whole family, including pets. If outside, dress in several layers of loose-fitting, lightweight clothing instead of a single heavy layer. Outer garments should be tightly woven and water repellent. Wear a hat, mittens (not gloves) and sturdy waterproof boots to protect your extremities. Cover your mouth with a scarf to protect your lungs.

It's also a good time to check with elderly or disabled relatives and neighbors to ensure their safety.

Additionally, with prolonged cold weather, homes and vehicles may be affected, including frozen pipes. Haas said people should not use safe or improper heating sources to thaw frozen pipes. Instead, these tips for thawing pipes are recommended:

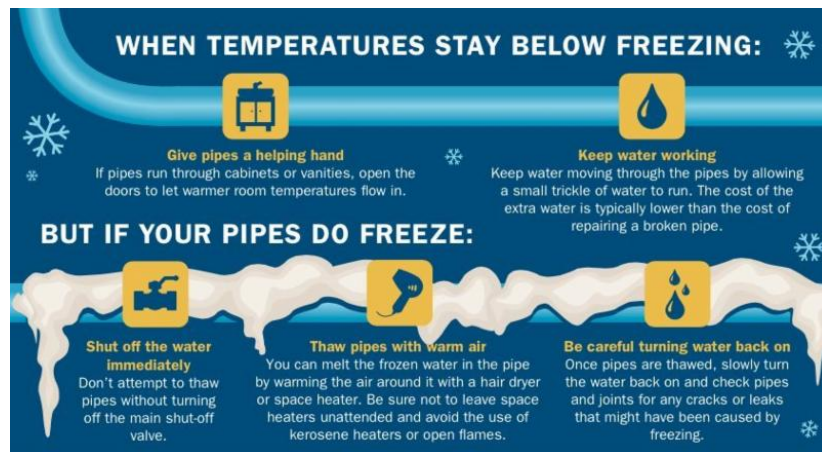
If you turn on a faucet and only a trickle comes out, suspect a frozen pipe. Locate the area of the water pipe that might be frozen. Likely places include pipes running against exterior walls or where your water service enters your home through the foundation.

Apply heat to the section of pipe using an electric heating pad wrapped around the pipe, an electric hair dryer, or wrapping pipes with towels soaked in hot water. Do not use a blowtorch, propane heater, charcoal stove, or other open flame devices. A blowtorch can make water in a frozen pipe boil and cause the pipe to explode. All open flames in homes present a serious fire danger, as well as a severe risk of exposure to lethal carbon monoxide.

Haas said this is also a good time to make sure your car is

properly winterized. Keep the gas tank at least half-full. Carry a winter emergency car kit including blankets, extra clothing, a flashlight with spare batteries, non-perishable foods, windshield scraper, shovel, sand, tow rope and jumper cables in the trunk.

For more information, contact Dover Fire and Rescue at 603-516-6148. For emergencies, dial 911.



## Are your pipes protected?

With colder weather in the forecast through Saturday, be sure to protect against frozen pipes and water damage.

Here are some tips to help prevent frozen pipes:

- Keep building temperatures as consistent as possible, never less than 55 degrees Fahrenheit;
- Insulate areas where water supply lines are located and eliminate drafts;
- If you have water pipes in basements, crawl spaces, or outside walls, insulate the pipes, using pipe-sleeves or other insulating material;
- Allow warm air to circulate by opening up doors to closets and cabinets where pipe chases are located;
- If you suspect that a pipe is particularly susceptible to freezing, as an emergency measure, leave water running at a trickle to prevent freezing. This is never recommended as a permanent measure and should be monitored frequently;
- Dry sprinkler systems are still susceptible to freezing, as water can accumulate in low spots and through condensation. All sprinkler systems should be regularly maintained. Contact your sprinkler maintenance company for recommendations;
- Have a plan in place for responding to water leaks and heating failures;
- Never use torches or devices with open flames to thaw frozen pipes;
- Seal cracks: caulk around door frames and windows to reduce incoming cold air. Winter winds whistling through overlooked openings can quickly freeze exposed water pipes;
- Open cupboard doors in the kitchen and bathrooms: Water lines supplying these rooms are frequently on

outside walls. Leaving the doors open when the temperature is below freezing allows them to get more heat;

- Protect outdoor pipes and faucets: In some homes, the outside faucet has its own shut-off in the basement in addition to the shut-off valve for the entire house. If you have a separate valve for outside faucets, close the valve, remove hoses and drain the faucet. If you don't have a separate valve, wrap the outside faucets (hose bibs) in newspapers or rags covered with plastic;
- Insulate indoor pipes or faucets in unheated areas: pipes in internal unheated areas such as the garage or crawl space under the house should be wrapped with insulated foam. Wrap the entire length of the exposed pipe and cover all valves and pipe fittings.

Remember, when temperatures that hover in the teens or drop to single digits for an extended period of time can weaken pipes and cause breaks.

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



## Upcoming holiday hours for City offices and facilities

**City administrative offices**, including **City Hall**, will be closed Wednesday, Dec. 25 for Christmas. In addition, City administrative offices will close at 2 p.m. on Christmas Eve, Tuesday, Dec. 24. Regular hours will resume on Thursday, Dec. 26.

The **Public Library** will close at noon on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, and will be closed on Christmas Day, Dec. 25.

The **Dover Ice Arena** will be closed on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, and Christmas Day, Dec. 25.

The **McConnell Center** Recreation facilities will close at 2 p.m. on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, and will be closed Christmas Day, Dec. 25.

The **Dover Community Senior Center** will be closed on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, and Christmas Day, Dec. 25.

The **Dover Indoor Pool** will close at 1 p.m. on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, and will be closed Christmas Day, Dec. 25.

The **Recycling Center** on Mast Road will close at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 24.

Curbside trash and recycling pickup will be delayed one day the week of Dec. 25, 2019, beginning on Wednesday. There is no pickup on Wednesday, Dec. 25.

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## Dover Transportation Center to close during construction

The Dover Transportation Center will close for about two months beginning Thursday, Dec. 26, 2019 during the construction of a new delicatessen inside the facility.

The City is looking forward to a regular tenant at the Transportation Center, which will allow the facility to remain open for additional hours and better serve the community.

Previously, volunteers from Train Riders Northeast have greeted train and bus riders and maintained the building. The City looks forward to a continued partnership with Train Riders Northeast.

Train and bus schedules will not be affected by the Transportation Center's temporary closure. The City thanks the public for their patience.

For more information, contact the Dover Planning and Community Development Department at 516-6008.

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## Today is final tour of Santa's Castle

Dover Youth to Youth is hosting its annual Santa's Castle at the McConnell Center where children and their families will be able to tour several rooms in Santa's Castle and meet Santa and many of his elves and other costumed characters.

The final tour of the Castle is today, Friday, Dec. 20, from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.

During the tour, students from Youth to Youth will guide visitors through Rudolph's stable, Mrs. Claus's Kitchen and other parts of the Castle. Along the tour children may choose to take part in a variety activities, including such things as decorating a cookie in Mrs. Claus' kitchen, writing a letter to Santa, or making "reindeer food" in the stable.

Families touring Santa's Castle will also meet Santa's Elves, various costumed characters, and Santa himself. Families are welcome to bring a camera and take pictures or video of their children with Santa.

Santa's Castle is designed for children ages nine and under, but the whole family is invited. The cost is \$8 per child and \$4 per adult. However, a whole family can take the tour for a maximum of \$25. Proceeds support the anti-drug activities of Dover Youth to Youth. Santa's Castle is sponsored by radio station 98.1 WTSN and The BAY.

Entrance to Santa's Castle will be from the Saint Thomas Street side of the McConnell Center (Door #7). Parking is available in the parking lot located behind the Dover Public Library and on the street by the District Court.

For additional information, go to the Youth to Youth web site at [www.DoverY2Y.org](http://www.DoverY2Y.org) or call the Dover Police Department's Community Outreach Bureau at 516-3274.

Dover Youth to Youth is an organization made up of middle and high school students who meet after school to conduct activities and events that promote a drug-free life style. Youth to Youth is coordinated by the Dover Police Department and it is a component of the Police Department's Community Outreach Bureau.



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## Arts Commission winter grants deadline is Jan. 1

The Dover Arts Commission is pleased to announce that applications for its winter 2020 City Arts Grants are now open. City Arts Grants are available to individual artists and arts organizations to create visual art, music, dance, theater, film, and literary projects that benefit the residents of Dover and enrich the cultural life of the city. Winning proposals will be awarded up to \$1,500. The application deadline is Wednesday, January 1, 2020. To download an application, visit the Arts Commission City Arts Grants page at [bit.ly/doverartsgrant](http://bit.ly/doverartsgrant).



**DOVER ARTS**  
COMMISSION

For more information about City Arts Grants or the Dover Arts Commission, email Jane Hamor at [j.hamor@dover.nh.gov](mailto:j.hamor@dover.nh.gov).

The Dover Arts Commission is an advisory board to the Dover City Council tasked with developing and promoting programs, forums, and exhibits that highlight the artistic talent within the city. The Arts Commission works to enhance awareness of and appreciation for the arts through increased dialogue and citizen participation.

To learn more, visit [www.dover.nh.gov/government/boards-and-commissions/arts-commission](http://www.dover.nh.gov/government/boards-and-commissions/arts-commission) or follow the Dover Arts Commission on Facebook ([www.facebook.com/DoverNHArtsCommission](http://www.facebook.com/DoverNHArtsCommission)).

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Text DoverNH to 99411 to receive parking ban alerts

Sign up for text alerts at [bit.ly/dovercodered](http://bit.ly/dovercodered)

Sign up for e-mail alerts at [bit.ly/doverdownload](http://bit.ly/doverdownload)

Current ban status: [bit.ly/doverban](http://bit.ly/doverban) or 516-PARK



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## GREEN WAVE DISPATCH

News from Dover's public schools

### Substitutes needed for Dover schools

The Dover School Department, SAU 11, is seeking substitute teachers at all schools.

Substitutes enjoy convenient hours and training, if needed.

For more information, call (603) 516-6800, or fill out an application at the SAU 11 website. Visit the [Human Resources employment page](#) and select "Substitute Teachers."



Coming up in Dover schools

**Monday, Dec. 23, 2019 - Wednesday, Jan. 1, 2020**

**No School**  
Holiday Recess

**Monday, Jan. 20, 2020**

**No School**  
Martin Luther King Day

**Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2020, 4:30 p.m., McConnell Center,  
Superintendent's Conference Room**  
Dover High School Joint Building Committee Meeting



The following events are recorded in "Notable Events in the History of Dover, New Hampshire: From the First Settlement in 1623 to 1865," by George Wadleigh, and several other historical sources.

For more on the history of Dover, settled in 1623 and the oldest permanent settlement in New Hampshire and seventh oldest in the country, visit the Dover Public Library, Locust Street; and the Woodman Museum, Central Avenue. The Public Library also maintains an online collection of historical information, [located here](#).



**Dec. 25, 1692** - A doeful and tremendous noise was affirmed to be heard in the air nigh Capt. Gerrish's garrison, which continued with a little intermission near half an hour.



**Dec. 21, 1658** - It was voted that the meeting house on Dover Neck be underpinned, and catted and sealed with boards, a pulpit and seats convenient be made, and a bell purchased, to be paid for by a rate upon each man's estate according to the law of the country.



**Dec. 24, 1715** - The "multiplicity of public houses occasioning many disorders," the Assembly enacted that there should be but six taverns in Portsmouth, three in Hampton, two in Dover, one at Oyster River, two at Exeter, two at New Castle, and one in the parish of Newington, and that "all other tipling houses be suppressed."



**Dec. 23, 1757** - Samuel Heard of Dover, a soldier in the Crown Point Expedition, in Col. Nathaniel Meserve's regiment, having represented to the Assembly his indigent circumstances and his not being able to subsist himself by reason of the loss of his leg in May, 1756, and the late grant made him by the

government being spent, it was voted that he be voted the sum of thirty pounds, to be delivered him as occasion may require, by Capt. Thomas Wk. Waldron.



**Dec. 26, 1812** - John Wheeler notified the proprietors of the Dover Cotton Factory to meet at Mrs. Eydia Tibbetts' dwelling house on the 19th of Jan. 1813, at 5 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of organizing under their act of incorporation. The "Dover Cotton Factory," which was incorporated this year, with a capital of \$50,000, was the first attempt at manufacturing on an extensive scale in the town. As the lower falls were supposed to be fully occupied with the saw and grist mills which then stood thereon, the first Factory was built two miles up the river and was long known as the Upper Factory. Like most new enterprises it was but moderately successful to its projectors. John Williams was agent of the corporation.



## This Week at the Library

**Saturday, December 21, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

### **Lego Saturday in the Children's Room**

Imagine, create and build with Legos and/or Duplos. Drop-in anytime between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. to meet old friends and make new ones as you work on building challenges.

**Saturday, December 21, 10 to 11 a.m.**

### **Paws for Reading in the Children's Room**

Murphy, a certified therapy dog, and her handler, Karen, will be in the children's room. Drop in and read her your favorite story. She is a great listener which is very encouraging for young readers.

**Sunday, December 22, 2 to 3 p.m.**

### **Classic Cinema Sunday in the Lecture Hall**

Santa Claus is Coming to Town (1970): A mailman reveals the origin of Santa Claus starring Fred Astaire, Mickey Rooney and Keenan Wynn.

**Tuesday, December 24**

Library closes at noon.

**Wednesday, December 25**

Library closed.

**Thursday, December 26, 6 to 8 p.m.**

**Dungeons & Dragons: 18 and Older in the Trustees Room**

Drop in and play Dungeons & Dragons at the library with Dungeon Master Josh Manley! The group will meet every other Thursday and there is no commitment to attend all meetings. No experience or materials are required and all skill levels are welcome to play.

**Thursday, December 26 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.**

**Fourth Thursday Movie in the Lecture Hall**

Downton Abbey: The beloved Crawleys and their intrepid staff prepare for the most important moment of their lives. A royal visit from the king and queen of England soon unleashes scandal, romance and intrigue -- leaving the future of Downton hanging in the balance. Rated PG

**Saturday, December 28, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

**Lego Saturday in the Children's Room**

Imagine, create and build with Legos and/or Duplos. Drop-in anytime between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. to meet old friends and make new ones as you work on building challenges.

**Saturday, December 28, 2 to 4:30 p.m.**

**Saturday Matinee in the Lecture Hall**

Art of Racing in the Rain: A heartwarming tale narrated by a witty and philosophical dog named Enzo. Through his unique insight into the human condition, Enzo helps his owners-racecar driver Denny Swift, his wife Eve and daughter Zoe-navigate life with a refreshing perspective on friendship, family and unconditional love. Rated: PG



## Coming up at the Dover Community Senior Center

**Wednesday, April 15, 2020**

**Sex Please, We're Sixty**

Shake those winter blues with a raucous romp that proves that fun and games don't stop at any age. When the local lothario's Viagra gets mixed up with a new ladies' little blue pill, he suddenly has all the symptoms of menopause, complete with hot flashes and mood swings. Hilarity ensues! \$110 members/\$120 not yet members. Includes transportation, buffet lunch, the play, a cabaret show following the play, and all gratuities.

**Monday through Thursday, May 11-14, 2020**

### **Visit Ottawa, Canada's Capital City**

Join the Dover Senior Center on a trip to Ottawa. Tour highlights include spectacular blooming tulip displays, Parliament and Embassy Row, Canadian Museum of History, Royal Mounted Police Stables and a cruise on the Rideau River. \$739 per person/double occupancy. For more information, contact Linda at 516-6420.

### **Monday through Monday, Sept. 14-21, 2020**

#### **Pacific Northwest and California Trip**

Join the Dover Senior Center on a trip to the Pacific Northwest featuring Washington, Oregon and California. RSVP to Linda at 516-6420. To learn more, visit: <https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/964441>

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## **2020 New Hampshire fishing and hunting licenses now available**

New Hampshire fishing and hunting licenses for 2020 are now available. Purchase yours and get set for a WILD year of outdoor adventure, from ice fishing this winter to bagging your deer next fall. Licenses are good for the calendar year, from January 1 through December 31, 2020. Purchase your new license online at [www.nhfishandgame.com](http://www.nhfishandgame.com), at NH Fish and Game Department Headquarters, 11 Hazen Drive, Concord, NH, or from Fish and Game license agents across the state.

Your annual hunting or fishing license - or, best of all, your "combo" license - is your year-round ticket to New Hampshire's great outdoors. Seacoast anglers need a saltwater recreational fishing license to fish in coastal or estuarine waters. You may need to search for your record using a previous year's license number or Hunter Education certificate number if your New Hampshire driver's license number has changed.

When you get your new license, be sure to check out the 2020 New Hampshire Freshwater and Saltwater Fishing digests, which are hot off the press. Read them online now at [www.fishnh.com/fishing/publications.html](http://www.fishnh.com/fishing/publications.html), or pick up a copy at license agents, Department Headquarters, or Regional Offices. These handy publications include summaries of important fishing rules and regulations, photos for identifying fish, and more.

For hunters and anglers concerned about maintaining access to pursue their sports, the \$10 Wildlife Legacy donation provides an opportunity to support the Department's Landowner Relations Program, which works in partnership with hunters, anglers, and landowners to maintain hunting and fishing access to private lands. Learn more at [www.wildnh.com/landshare/donate.html](http://www.wildnh.com/landshare/donate.html).

Hikers, climbers, back country skiers, kayakers, and other outdoor enthusiasts are encouraged to purchase or renew their voluntary annual Hike Safe card for 2020. Card sales help defray the costs of training and equipment purchases for the Law Enforcement Division's Conservation Officers should they

need to come to your aid if the unexpected happens. Learn more at [www.wildnh.com/safe](http://www.wildnh.com/safe).

If you are not already a subscriber, check out NH Wildlife Journal magazine, your best source for fishing, hunting, wildlife, and conservation information in the state. Each issue is filled with great wildlife photography, in-depth features, "how-to" articles, and more. Get subscription information and free sample articles at [www.wildnh.com/pubs/wj-magazine.html](http://www.wildnh.com/pubs/wj-magazine.html).

Fishing and hunting license revenue directly supports wildlife and fisheries management, law enforcement, and conservation education in New Hampshire.

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## CITY OF DOVER SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Stay informed with City of Dover special announcements, project newsletters and updates

Want up-to-date information about road work, emergencies, special projects, and other important information? [Sign up now](#) to receive special announcements via email.

In addition to Dover Download, the City of Dover offers a variety of e-mail updates, including emergency and road closure information, development and construction project updates, news from the Public Library, waterfront development, and more.

To sign up for one or all of the City's updates, [click here](#). An e-mail address is required to access the special announcement mailing lists.

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### 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 the following positions:

- **Custodian, City Hall**
- **Library page**
- **Camera operator**
- **Lifeguard**
- **Swim instructor**
- **Gym attendant**

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



## Know what's "In the Bin": How to keep your recycling clear of contamination

The City of Dover and Pinard Waste would like to remind residents that only the items listed below should go in your household recycling bin:

- **Metal:** Food and beverage cans.
- **Glass:** Bottles and jars.
- **Plastic:** Bottles, jars, jugs and tubs.
- **Paper and Cardboard:** Mixed paper, newspaper, magazines and boxes.

When we recycle properly, materials can get to their next best use, which helps protect the environment by conserving natural resources, saving energy and reducing greenhouse gas emissions. Placing items in recycling bins that are not recyclable such as Styrofoam, light bulbs, plastic flower pots and bags, contaminates the entire load and sends it to a landfill. It's important to know when an item is not recyclable and to place it in the trash. Follow these simple recycling guidelines:



1. Recycle all bottles, cans and paper.
2. Keep items clean and dry.
3. No plastic bags of any kind.

Not sure if an item is recyclable? When in doubt, visit <https://www.recyclesmartma.org/>. Enter the item name and



click search.

Knowing what's "In the Bin" can help avoid contaminated loads of recycling, which are being rejected at processing centers and disposed as trash. These contaminated loads of recycling result in additional charges to the city.

For more information, please contact the Recycling Center at 603-516-6450 or refer to the [Talking Trash brochure](#).

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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 on Channels 22 and 95, you can catch it again, online and on demand.

Simply visit [www.dovernh.viebit.com](http://www.dovernh.viebit.com) to begin watching meetings on demand. Online meetings are organized by agenda item for convenience.

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