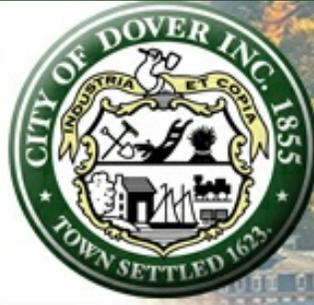


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## Waterfront blasting operations resume week of Oct. 15

Crews from Severino Trucking Company and Maine Drilling and Blasting will resume blasting operations on Dover's waterfront development site the week of Oct. 15, 2018.

The blasting site is the area known as "the bluff," a steep area of ledge that borders River Street. The ledge is being excavated as part of the City's waterfront development project.

Although blasting operations are not loud, the ground within the vicinity of the blasting may tremble.

The five-acre bluff is part of the City's 12-acre waterfront parcel slated for development. The bluff's 3.7 acres of ledge will be excavated to street level to allow for more buildable land. The Cochecho Waterfront Development Advisory Committee, which oversees the project, recently selected Cathartes as the preferred developer for the project on the

## **Meetings this week:**

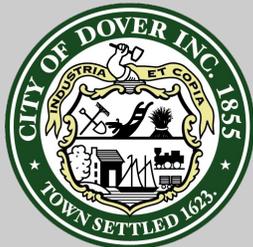
### **Zoning Board, Oct. 18, 7 p.m.**

The Zoning Board of Adjustment will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, Oct. 18, 2018, beginning at 7 p.m., in Room 306 at the McConnell Center.

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

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](#).



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NH**  
288 Central Avenue  
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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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city owned waterfront property.

For more information about the waterfront development project, contact the Planning Department at 516-6008.

## **Catch up with the superintendent over coffee**

A Coffee Chat with the Superintendent will be held on Saturday, Oct. 20, from 9 to 11 a.m., at the new Gourmet Table at Dover High School. Use the school's main entrance to access the Gourmet Table.

Coffee with the Superintendent is open to everyone and provides an opportunity for discussion on all school matters of interest with Dover Superintendent of Schools William Harbron.



For more information, contact the Dover School District at 603-516-6800.

## **Community Services and Eversource partner for Freon Appliance Disposal Day**

Community Services has partnered with Eversource for free recycling of old household appliances containing Freon on Saturday, Oct. 13, 2018 at the Recycling Center on Mast Road.

Residents will be allowed to dispose of up to two Freon-based appliances during the disposal day during regular hours, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Items allowed include refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers, and air conditioners. Residents will be required to complete a short form with their name, address, product make, model, and serial number. Recycling Center staff are required to cut the electric cords on all of the appliances to ensure they are not reused.

Eversource will reimburse the city for the disposal expense of all appliances collected.

This is a one-day event only.

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

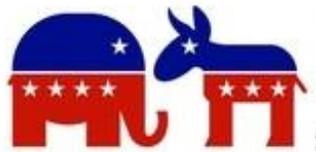
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Who Will Best Represent Dover in Concord?

*A Conversation with the Candidates for the New Hampshire House of Representatives & Senate*

## Dover Listens, Chamber to host "Candidate Conversations"

Dover Listens and the Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce will host "Candidate Conversations: Who Will Best Represent Dover in Concord?" on Tuesday, Oct. 23, from 6-8:30 p.m. in the McConnell Center cafeteria.

Candidates representing Dover in the New Hampshire House and Senate will be in attendance. The event is intended to allow residents to learn more about the candidates, talk with neighbors about the issues, and share views about how Dover can best be represented by its elected officials in Concord.

The event is free but preregistration is required.

For more information, including how to register, visit [www.dovernh.org/candidates](http://www.dovernh.org/candidates).

## Fall leaf collection begins in November

The City of Dover 2018 fall leaf collection will take place on the following weeks:

- Nov. 5-9
- Nov. 12-16
- Nov. 19-24
- Nov. 26-30

Bagged leaves will be picked up on the same day as trash and recycling.

Leaves must be placed curbside in biodegradable paper leaf bags. No brush will be accepted. Paper bags can be purchased at your local hardware or home improvement store.

Grass clippings, leaves, brush and yard waste are also accepted at the Recycling Center during regular operating hours, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

## Community Development Block Grant applications now available

The City of Dover Department of Planning and Community Development is now accepting applications from public service agencies, qualified individuals and eligible organizations for grants from the fiscal year 2020 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program. The fiscal year spans July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020.

Applications are available online at [www.dover.nh.gov/government/city-operations/planning/](http://www.dover.nh.gov/government/city-operations/planning/) and at the Planning Department. The application submission deadline is 4 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 19, 2018, at the Planning Department, located at 288 Central Ave., Dover, NH 03820-4169.

CDBG workshops to provide an overview of the CDBG Program and specific application requirements will be held in Room 306 at the McConnell Center, 61 Locust St., on Thursday, Oct. 18, 2018, at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Attendance at the workshop is not a prerequisite for submission of an application. Unlike in previous years, interested parties may submit an application for the Public Service category and an application for the Public Facilities category, with some restrictions.

Incomplete or late applications are ineligible.

Eligible CDBG activities include, but are not limited to acquisition of property, development or improvement of public facilities, clearance or demolition, public services, and special economic development activities.

To be eligible for funding, certain requirements must be met, including but not limited to:

- Submission of a complete and timely application.
- Support the goals outlined in the city's Consolidated Plan.
- Meet one of the following HUD national objectives:
  1. Benefit low and moderate income people;
  2. Eliminate of slums and blight;
  3. Meet a particularly urgent community development need.

For more information about project eligibility or to learn more about Dover's Community Development Block Grant program, visit [www.dover.nh.gov/government/city-operations/planning/index.html](http://www.dover.nh.gov/government/city-operations/planning/index.html).

The City of Dover has been a CDBG entitlement community for over 25 years. The HUD program provides annual grants on a formula basis to entitled cities and counties to develop

viable urban communities by providing decent housing and a suitable living environment, and by expanding economic opportunities, principally for low and moderate income people. HUD awards grants to entitlement community grantees to carry out a wide range of community development activities directed toward revitalizing neighborhoods, economic development, and providing improved community facilities and services. Entitlement communities develop their own programs and funding priorities. The entitlement grant is expected to be available in the summer or fall of 2019. The amount to be received by the City of Dover has yet to be determined by Congress.

For more information, contact Dave Carpenter, Community Development Planner, at [d.carpenter@dover.nh.gov](mailto:d.carpenter@dover.nh.gov) or 603-516-6008.

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## Kirkland Street closed for drainage work

Drain line replacement on Kirkland Street, between Central Avenue and Academy Street, is now underway. The work is expected to be completed within two weeks, weather permitting.

During the work, Kirkland Street will be closed weekdays to through traffic between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. On-street parking will not be permitted during construction hours. The road will reopen each evening.

For more information, contact Community Services 516-6450.

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## Trick-or-Treat in Dover is Oct. 30

Trick-or-Treat in Dover is scheduled for Tuesday, Oct. 30, 2018, from 5 to 8 p.m.

For more information, contact the Recreation Department at 516-6401.

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## Sunday hours at the Recycling Center

The City of Dover Recycling Center on Mast Road will open for additional hours on Sunday beginning Oct. 28.

From Oct. 28 to Dec. 2, the Recycling Center will be open on Sunday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The Recycling Center's regular hours are Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

For more information about the Recycling Center, call 516-6450.

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## Dover Chamber seeking nominations for annual awards

The Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce is now accepting nominations for their Business of the Year, Citizen of the Year, Non-Profit of the Year and Volunteer of the Year awards. Winners will be announced at the Annual Awards Dinner in January 2019.

The deadline for nominations is Friday, Nov. 16

To nominate a business, organization or person, [click here for the nomination form](#).

For more information, visit [dovernh.org](http://dovernh.org).



## GREEN WAVE DISPATCH

News from Dover's public schools

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### Pink the Wave fundraiser is tonight

#### Dover High School booster clubs partner with My Breast Cancer Support

Dover High School Green Wave Football, Band, and Cheer booster clubs are teaming up to host Pink the Wave, an annual breast cancer awareness event and fundraiser, to be held Oct. 12, 2018 at Dunaway Football Field in Dover. During the 7 p.m. home football game against Exeter High School, the DHS Green Wave will turn pink with decorations and adornments to celebrate October's breast cancer awareness month. Players, fans, and coaches of both teams are encouraged to wear pink--the enduring symbol of breast cancer awareness.

A portion of concession stand sales and ticket admissions will be donated back to My Breast Cancer Support, a local nonprofit that delivers tangible, practical, and emotional support to breast cancer patients in the Greater Seacoast. The organization will have representatives on hand to share information on its services, early detection, and advancements for finding a cure.

For more information visit  
[www.mybreastcancersupport.org](http://www.mybreastcancersupport.org).

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### Coming up in Dover schools

**Friday, Oct. 12**

#### **Dover High School Dedication Ceremony**

The official dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremony with dignitaries in attendance.

**Monday, Oct. 15, 6:30 to 8 p.m.**

#### **Destination Imagination Information Night in the Dover Middle School Library**

Learn about Destination Imagination -- the world's largest creative problem solving organization - and how your student can join a team this year.

**Friday, Oct. 26, 7 to 9 p.m.**

**Dover Middle School 7th and 8th Grade Dance**

**Sunday, Oct. 28, starting at 9 a.m.**

**Dover Middle School PTA 6th Annual Trick or Trot 5K Race at 1 Shaws Lane, Dover**

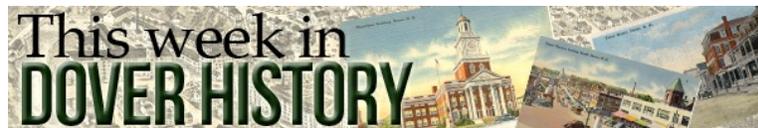
Cash prizes and medals will be awarded to the top 3 female and male finishers. 1st place medals will be awarded to top female & male finishers in each age group. These awards will be held immediately after the 5K road race. Race proceeds benefit the Dover Middle School PTA.

Register today: <http://www.lightboxreg.com/trick-or-trot-5k-2018?func=&mobile=0>

**Thursday, Nov. 8, 5:30 p.m.**

**We Need to Talk: Mental Health at Dover High School**

A community conversation helping to de-stigmatize mental illness in our community because YOU MATTER.



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](#).



**Oct. 12, 1648** - There was granted to Richard Waldron fifteen hundred trees, either oak or pine, for the accommodation of a saw mill which he intendeth shortly by God's permission to erect and set up at or upon the lower fall of the river Cochecho. The said Richard Waldron is to pay three pence per tree.



**Oct. 18, 1649** - The Court being informed of a great misdemeanor committed by Edward Starbuck of Dover, with profession of Anabaptism, for which he is to be proceeded against at the next Court of Assistants, if

evidence can be prepared by that time, and it being very far for witnesses to travel to Boston at that season of the year, appointed Captain Thomas Wiggin and Mr. Edward Smith to take the testimony of the witnesses for the prosecution of Starbuck, whose offence, apparently, was the wearing of his hair beyond the statute length, "after the manner of ruffians and barbarous Indians," which had been decreed by the Court to be "sinful."



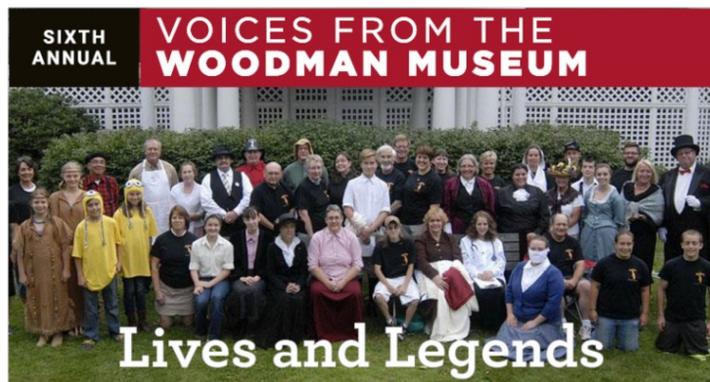
**Oct. 15, 1693** - The General Assembly in ordering that every town in the Province should provide a schoolmaster for the supply of the town on penalty of ten pounds, exempted Dover during the war with the French and Indians from the provisions of the act. This exemption was doubtless in consequence of the desolation of the town in 1689, from which it had not yet sufficiently recovered to support the charge of a school.



**Oct. 16, 1840** - Died, Moses Hodgdon, Esq. Counselor at Law, aged 66 - one of the oldest members of the Strafford County Bar, having commenced practice in 1801. He had represented Dover in the Legislature and at the time of his death was President of Strafford Bank and of the Savings Bank for the County of Strafford.



**Oct. 13, 1855** - The Piscataqua Ferry Co. for carrying passengers from Dover Point to Newington was organized. Capital \$2,000.



## Tickets now on sale for "Lives & Legends: Voices From the Museum"

On Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 20 and 21, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., the Woodman Museum, along with a cast of 40 actors and tour guides, will proudly present its sixth re-enactment event, "Lives & Legends: Voices From the Museum."

The 90-minute guided walk through 19 scenes are spread throughout the museum's four-building campus. Visitors will meet famous and infamous Dover citizens and historical characters who have come back from the dead to narrate their stories. In two scenes, these renowned Dover citizens

are still alive and have remarkable tales to tell.

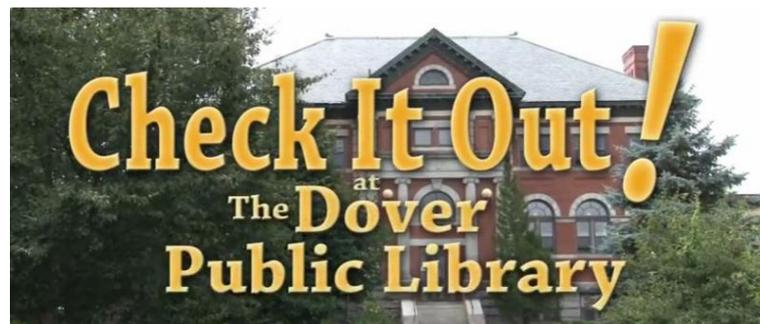
Visitors will learn how some of the museum's most extraordinary artifacts, like its iconic 10-foot polar bear, Nanuq, came to reside in Dover. Along the route, guests will meet the farmer who shot the last cougar killed in New Hampshire (you'll meet the cougar, too), an Arctic explorer poisoned by his crew, the museum's first curators, a Purple Heart-awarded Navy nurse, veterans of the Revolutionary War and the Civil War, a nearly 300-year-old wooden doll, two hale and hardy 19th century sea captains, several striking mill girls from the Cocheco cotton factory, a NH governor, a prominent minister, various 17th-century colonists who are fearing an attack on their garrison, and a famous Dover boat builder.

"Lives & Legends" is a brand new tour, not a repeat of any previous tours of the museum.

The organizers of this year's re-enactment are the same people who produced the previous, popular historic tours of Dover's downtown mills, Garrison Hill and Pine Hill Cemetery. The event is suitable for even younger children. Stair climbing is involved, so those with mobility issues may not be able to do the whole route.

Tickets for "Lives & Legends: Voices From the Museum" are now on sale. Prices are \$15 for adults and \$10 for children 12 and under. You must choose a specific time to start your tour (with maximum group size at 15 people), from 10 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. on Saturday or Sunday. Tours will leave every 15 minutes. Each group is limited to 15 people. Reserve your spots early in order to get the time you want.

For more information, call the Woodman Museum at 603-742-1038.



## Dover Library launches new book group for teens

The Library is pleased to announce a new teen book group: Pizza & Pages.

The discussions will be held on the third Wednesday of each month with the first being held on Nov. 14. All teens in



grades 7 and up are welcome to attend. The group will be very informal with pizza and refreshments.

Join the Library to hang out with friends and maybe meet new ones. The first book will be "Life as We Knew It," by Susan Beth Pfeffer, and copies of the book are currently available for borrowing at the adult circulation desk.

For more information, email [d.lafrance@dover.nh.gov](mailto:d.lafrance@dover.nh.gov) or call 516-6050 and ask for Denise.

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## Beekeeping program at Dover Library Oct. 16

The Friends of the Dover Public Library are pleased to present a fascinating slide program by renowned local beekeeper Wendy Booth on Tuesday evening, Oct. 16 at 7 p.m. in the library's Lecture Hall.

Wendy will share her passion for honey bees in "How Sweet It Is: the Exciting Life of the Honey Bee". Learn and laugh as you are amazed by these tiny insects that produce such a delicious sweet syrup. Come and hear about the bees' division of labor, the many processes that result in their creation of honey, and the roles of Her Royal Highness the Queen, the workers and the drones.

Wendy Booth is past president of New Hampshire Beekeepers, 2018 Beekeeper of the Year NH, and has been featured on WMUR's New Hampshire Chronicle and with Laura Kinoy on NH Public Radio. She has many published bee photos to her credit.

All ages are welcome to attend and honey tasting will be offered.

For more information, call the Dover Public Library at (603) 516-6050.

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**Sunday, Oct. 14, 2 to 4 p.m.**  
**Classic Cinema Sunday in the Lecture Hall**

The Invisible Man (1933): A scientist finds a way of becoming invisible, but in doing so, he becomes murderously insane, starring Claude Rains, Gloria Stuart, and William Harrigan.

**Monday, Oct. 15, 1:30 to 2:15 p.m.**  
**Preschool Storytime in the Storytime Room**

Children ages 3-5 are invited to attend this program which includes stories, fingerplays, songs, and puppets. Crafts and films are also offered several times each session.

**Monday, Oct. 15, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.**  
**Evening Book Group in the Trustees Room**

Discussion on The Muse by Jesse Burton. Copies of the book are available at the Library.

**Monday, Oct. 15, 6:30 to 8 p.m.**  
**Green Burial Presentation in the Lecture Hall**

Why would you want your family to spend over \$10K on a funeral that uses toxic chemicals, rainforest woods, concrete or plastic? Find out how you can continue to care for the planet and save money by planning a home funeral and green burial. Current legal rights and responsibilities, local options and costs for services will be discussed.

Presented by Lee Webster, director of NH Funeral Resources Education & Advocacy, conservationist, hospice volunteer, and gardener.

**Tuesday, Oct. 16, 10 to 10:45 a.m.**  
**Preschool Storytime in the Storytime Room**

Children ages 3-5 are invited to attend this program which includes stories, fingerplays, songs, and puppets. Crafts and films are also offered several times each session.

**Tuesday, Oct. 16, 7 to 8 p.m.**  
The Friends of the Library Cultural Event: How Sweet It Is ...  
The exciting life of the Honey Bee in the Lecture Hall (see above)

**Wednesday, Oct. 17, 10 to 10:45 a.m.**  
**Family Storytime in the Lecture Hall**

Kids of all ages and their caregivers are invited to join for a family storytime. Books, songs, rhymes, games and activities are all part of the fun.

**Wednesday, Oct. 17, 2 to 3 p.m.**

**Financial Workshop Series: Foundations of Investing  
in the Trustees Room**

Join experienced financial advisor, Brian Sliney of Edward Jones for a series of workshops on financial planning. The third week will be focused on Retirement, Making Your Money Last. Brian will have a presentation, but also is flexible enough to move into topics of interest of those present. REGISTRATION REQUIRED

**Wednesday, Oct. 17, 4 to 5 p.m.**

**Monster Mash Escape Room in the Lecture Hall**

Kids in grades 3-5 are invited to join us as we try to escape from Igor's Dance Dungeon before all of the monsters come back from lunch! REGISTRATION REQUIRED

**Wednesday, Oct. 17, 6 to 8 p.m.**

**Monthly Game Night in the Lecture Hall**

Join us for monthly game night every Third Wednesday of the month. We provide the games and snacks; you bring the fun, yourselves!

**Wednesday, Oct. 17, 6:30 to 8 p.m.**

**The Great American Read viewing party: What We Do  
For Love in the Trustees Room**

This is a TV series on PBS that is seeking Americans' favorite book, based on the list of 100 books revealed in May. Join us in the Trustees Room to watch and discuss episodes of the show on Wednesdays from September 19 to October 17 from 6:30-8 p.m. Get up to speed by going to [pbs.org/greatamericanread](http://pbs.org/greatamericanread) and watching the first episode which aired in May and then episode #2 which will air on Sept. 11 at 8 p.m. Tonight's penultimate episode and last we will view together (due to the Booksale taking over space upstairs) explores how books about other worlds reflect our own world.

**Thursday, Oct. 18, 10 to 10:45 a.m.**

**Toddler Storytime in the Storytime Room**

Toddlers and their parents or caregivers are invited to attend a 45 minute program which includes stories, fingerplays, songs, puppets, and crafts. These storytimes are intended for toddler and parent/caregiver to share one-on-one.

**Friday, Oct. 19, 10 to 10:30 a.m.**

**Mother Goose on the Loose in the Lecture Hall**

Parents/caregivers are invited to join with their babies for a 1/2 hour early learning program specifically designed for children from birth to 24 months. Mother Goose on the Loose uses books, rhymes, songs, musical instruments, finger plays, flannel board characters, puppets and other props to help parents/caregivers develop the child's early literacy skills in a fun and joyful environment.

**Friday, Oct. 19, 11 to 11:30 a.m.**  
**Adult and Toddler Yoga in the Lecture Hall**

Adults with toddlers are invited to try out this fun introductory yoga class. Learn some basic poses to share with your child. No experience necessary.

**Saturday, Oct. 20, 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, Oct. 20, 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 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am. Drop in and read her your favorite story. She is a great listener which is very encouraging for young readers.

**Saturday, Oct. 20, 2 to 4:30 p.m.**  
**Saturday Matinee in the Lecture Hall**

Ant-Man & the Wasp: Ant-Man must learn to fight alongside The Wasp as the team works together to uncover secrets from their past. PG-13



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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, Police Facility and Parking Garage updates, Silver Street reconstruction news, 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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## How to contact your elected representatives

The City of Dover makes it easy to reach out to your local, state, county and federal elected officials by providing contact information for City Councilors, state representatives and the New Hampshire congressional delegation.



Visit the City's online resource, [Find My Representative](#), for a complete list of local, county, state and federal elected officials, including contact information.

Want to contact your City Councilor, or wondering which councilor represents your ward? You can find out [more information about the City Council here](#).

Wondering what ward you live in? Access the City of [Dover's interactive ward map](#). The map also includes polling locations.

A list of School Board members and contact information [can be found here](#).

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## MUNICIPAL MATTERS

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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:

- **Electrical supervisor**
- **Parking enforcement officer**
- **Gym attendant**
- **Truck driver**

- Lifeguard I
- Swim instructor I

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

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## Your City needs you! City boards and commissions seek to fill several vacancies

The City of Dover is a vibrant community due in large part to the energy and talent of citizen participation on boards and commissions.

The City's boards and commissions encourage public participation and are seeking new members to fill several vacant positions.

Joining one of the City's numerous boards commissions not only offers a chance to give back to the community, it can be a rewarding and valuable experience, and helps shape the City's future.

For a complete list of the City's boards and commissions, as well as more information about vacancies and how to apply, [click here](#).

To download an application for board and commissions, [click here](#). Completed forms should be returned to the City Clerk's Office. Committee application forms are kept on file for one year from date of submission.

For more information, contact the City Clerk's office at 516-6018.

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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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