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City of Dover implements mandatory water use restrictions

Effective immediately, the City of Dover will implement a mandatory, citywide ban on outdoor water use as local drought conditions worsen.

Drought conditions in Dover and southern Strafford County were elevated this week to severe, prompting the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services to urge affected communities to invoke mandatory water restrictions. With no significant rain predicted over the next several days, and drought conditions persisting, City Manager J. Michael Joyal, Jr., issued an emergency order today, Friday, Aug. 21, 2020, enabling water restrictions on nonessential outdoor water use, per City Ordinance 121-51.

"With drought conditions expected to worsen in the coming weeks, the mandatory restrictions are necessary so we can meet essential commercial, domestic and residential drinking water needs over the course of at least the next 60 days," Joyal said. "The restrictions will likely remain in place until we see significant rainfall and the aquifers relied upon for the city's drinking water supply have been replenished." Under the emergency order, the following outdoor water use restrictions are in place:

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Missed the meeting?

Meetings this week:

School Board, August 24, 5:30 p.m.

The School Board will hold a special session on Monday, Aug. 24, 2020, beginning at 5:30 p.m., in Room 305 at the McConnell Center.

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

Planning Board, August 25, 7 p.m.

The Planning Board will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, Aug. 25, 2020, beginning at 7 p.m., in the Council Conference Room at City Hall.

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

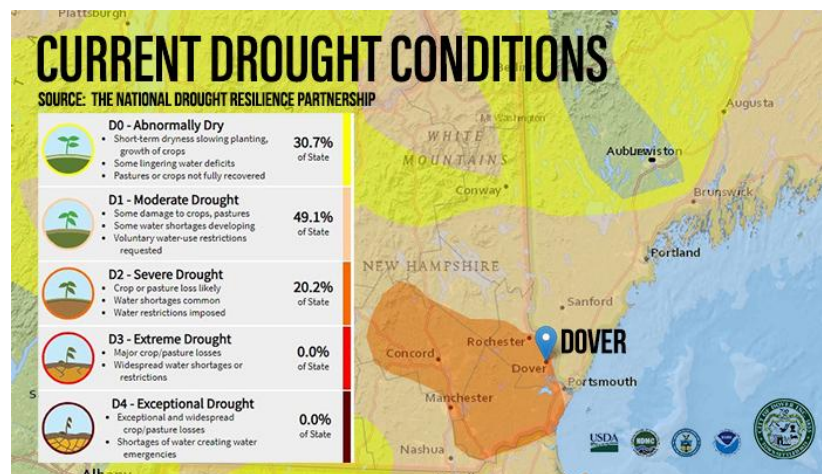
City Council, August 26, 7 p.m.

The City Council will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday, Aug. 26, 2020, beginning at 7 p.m., in the Council

- No outside lawn watering or irrigation, including automatic sprinklers, automatic irrigation systems, and no unattended lawn watering
- No washing of vehicles, including automobiles, trailers and trucks
- No filling of swimming pools greater than 100 gallons

Hand watering of gardens and new plantings is allowed. Commercial car washes, agriculture operations, flower shops and garden centers are not affected by the restrictions at this time.

Water conservation efforts by all water users, including well users, will reduce the demands on Dover's water supplies, reduce stress on water resources, and ensure sufficient water is available to meet the needs of all customers, as well as emergency operations, such as fire supply. The emergency order will be enforced by public outreach, followed by warnings to those in violation, and fines of up to \$250 per violation, if necessary. For specific questions about the water restrictions, including usage, contact Community Services at 516-6450.



In addition to the mandatory water restrictions outdoors, there are several other ways users can help conserve water, including:

- Cutting back on shower times, only doing full loads of laundry when necessary, and turning off the faucet while brushing teeth, doing dishes and washing hands.
- Replace old water fixtures and appliances that are wasting water. Top-loading washing machines built before 2003 and toilets older than 1994 are known to be the largest water-wasting culprits in the home. Showerheads older than 1994 can also waste a great deal of water, as can older bathroom sink aerators. Selecting ENERGY STAR certified machines and replacing old water fixtures with EPA WaterSense certified fixtures is an easy way to ensure you are choosing products that will save water and perform. For guidance on selecting ENERGY STAR and

Conference Room at City Hall.

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

To view televised meetings online, on demand, visit www.dover.nh.gov/dntv.

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



CITY OF DOVER, NH

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Dover, NH 03820
603-516-6000

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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WaterSense certified products and more water efficiency tips, see the NHDES water efficiency fact sheets at <https://go.usa.gov/xfSz4>.

- Fix leaks, including running toilets. Running toilets can waste hundreds of gallons a day. Old and worn toilet flappers are often the culprit and are very easy to replace. Also, some toilet leaks can't be heard. Check for a leak by dropping food coloring (12 drops) or a leak detector dye tablet in the toilet tank. Do not flush for 15 or 20 minutes. If the dye shows up in the bowl, you know that your toilet is running.

The City's water users can learn more about current drought conditions, outdoor water use restrictions, water efficiency tips, and drought guidance at <http://bit.ly/NHDROUGHT>.

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

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.



CURRENT RESTRICTIONS



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OTHER WAYS YOU CAN HELP



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Hazardous Waste Collection Day is Saturday

The City of Dover, along with the towns of Rollinsford, Lee and Madbury, will hold a Hazardous Waste Collection Day on Saturday, Aug. 22, 2020, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., at the City's Community Services facility, 271 Mast Road.

The goal of Hazardous Waste Collection Day is to allow for the proper disposal of household hazardous materials. Residents of the four communities can bring household

hazardous waste to Community Services for safe disposal.

The following household waste will be accepted: fertilizer with acids; bathroom cleaners; brush cleaner; pesticides car waxes/polish; disinfectants; corrosives; fungicides; creosote; furniture polish paint/stain/finish; insect spray; driveway sealers/tar; metal polish (lead and oil based); lighter fluid; flea powder; mothballs; rust preventative; pest strips/traps; gasoline; oven cleaner; solvents; pesticides; radiator flush; photo chemicals; thinner/turpentine; poisons; roofing tar; rug cleaner; wood preservatives; pool chemicals; and wood strippers.

Empty containers are not hazardous. Please dispose of them in your regular trash.

Explosives, asbestos, latex paint, oil (new or used) and antifreeze will not be accepted.

Hazardous Waste Collection Day in Dover is for household residents only. Proof of residency is required.

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



Supervisors of the Checklist in session Tuesday, Sept. 1

The Supervisors of the Checklist will meet on Tuesday, Sept. 1, 2020, from 7 to 7:30 p.m., at the City Clerk's office at City Hall, 288 Central Ave.

During this session, supervisors will register new voters, make changes of address and name, and make other necessary corrections to the checklist.

Party affiliation cannot be changed during this session.

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

**Not registered to vote?
It's not too late**

Residents not yet registered to vote for the State Primary Election on Tuesday, Sept. 8, 2020 can register in person at City Hall or by absentee registration. Requirements for absentee voter registration can be found at sos.nh.gov.

To register in person, visit the City Clerk's Office at City Hall during regular hours, Monday through Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., and Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. New voters can also register during the next session of the Supervisors of the Checklist on Tuesday, Sept. 1, from 7 to 7:30 p.m. The Supervisors of the Checklist session will be the last chance to register to vote before the Primary Election. Unregistered voters can also register to vote on Election Day, Sept. 8.

You can check your registration status at sos.nh.gov.

All new voters must complete a voter registration form. To vote, you must be a New Hampshire resident who will be 18 years of age or older on the day of the next election, and a United States citizen. There is no minimum period of time you are required to have lived in the state before being allowed to register.

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

Absentee ballots available for Sept. 8 State Primary Election

Dover City Clerk Susan Mistretta reminds voters that absentee ballots for the State Primary Election on Tuesday, Sept. 8, 2020 are available at the City Clerk's Office. Applications for an absentee ballot are [available online here](#) or at the City Clerk's Office.

Voters are urged to request and return absentee ballots as soon as possible to avoid postal delays.

Any registered voter unable to vote on Election Day, or who cannot make it to the polls because of a disability, religious observance, due to employment obligations, or any reason relating to COVID-19, may request an absentee ballot from the City Clerk's Office in person or by mail.

The City Clerk's Office, located in the Customer Service Center at City Hall, is open Monday through Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. The mailing address is 288 Central Avenue, Dover, NH 03820.

For more information, call 516-6018 or visit <https://www.dover.nh.gov/government/open-government/election-information/>.

City Clerk's Office open limited hours

on Labor Day for election requests

The City Clerk's Office, located in the Customer Service Center at City Hall, will be open on Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 7, from 3 to 5 p.m., for election information and requests only. The office will not be staffed for other business on Labor Day. City Hall's other administrative offices will be closed on Labor Day.

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

Election officers needed in all wards

The City Clerk's Office is seeking election officers to help staff Dover's polling places during upcoming elections, including the State Primary in September and the General Election in November.

The City Clerk's office provides training to all election workers. These are paid positions. Election workers must be at least 18 years old and a Dover resident.

Election officers assist with a variety of duties on election day, including aiding voters, maintaining order, opening and closing the polls, and processing the vote counts. Election workers are needed in all of the City's six wards.

For more information, contact the City Clerk's Office at 516-6018 or email City Clerk Susan Mistretta at s.mistretta@dover.nh.gov.



Children's Museum of New Hampshire to open in September

The Children's Museum of New Hampshire is excited to announce its reopening to the public in September after a nearly six-month closure due to COVID-19.

"During this unprecedented time of stress and hardship, we hope that reopening the Museum brings joy and a hint of normalcy to the lives of children, families and the community," said Jane Bard, Museum President. "We recognize that there is still much uncertainty, and that some families might not be ready for in-person experiences like visiting a Museum. For those families, we are committed to continue offering virtual programming and learning resources through our social media channels. For families ready to return, we look forward to welcoming you back."

The Museum's plan for reopening is a phased approach, and initially CMNH will open to their members only on Thursday through Saturday, Sept. 3 to 5, and to the public starting the following week, Sept. 10 to 12. There will be two timed-ticket entry sessions each day from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 3:30 p.m. Maximum occupancy for each session will be capped at 50 visitors, which is 10 percent of CMNH's building capacity. All visitors must pre-register for their visit at childrens-museum.org. Beginning in October, the Museum plans to offer two-hour private Museum rentals to groups of up to 50 people on Sundays.

"As we prepare to open our doors, we feel it is important to share the steps we are taking to keep our guests and employees safe," said Bard. "We've always taken pride in providing a safe, clean, and accessible environment. During our closure, we've been preparing to reopen implementing best practices set forth by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Association of Children's Museums, and the New Hampshire Reopening Guidelines."

These safety guidelines include:

- **Physically distancing** - There are occupancy limits posted for each exhibit, (usually one family at a time), floor decals and dinosaur footprints guiding visitors on the one-way flow of traffic around the Museum.
- **Face coverings** - All visitors over the age of 2 and all staff must wear a face covering over their mouth and nose at all times in the Museum. We will offer a once-monthly after-hours session for visitors who cannot wear a mask due to medical reasons.
- **Frequent hand washing and sanitizing** - The Museum has 17 hand-sanitizing stations and 12 sinks for hand-washing spaced throughout the building.
- **Ventilation**; we have increased the air rate of exchange in our building to maximum levels and will keep windows open when possible to maximize air flow
- **Cleaning and disinfecting surfaces** - Museum staff will perform a deep clean in between each timed sessions, disinfecting all surfaces and replacing all exhibit props with a new sanitized set. Some exhibits have been modified and items that are difficult to sanitize or that touch a visitor's face or head have been removed. Disinfectant wipes will be placed strategically around the Museum for visitor use, and staff will continually clean high-touch surfaces during the day.
- **Staying home if you are sick** - The Museum asks that all visitors and staff stay home if they are sick or experiencing any symptoms associated with COVID-19. We are happy to reschedule visits if necessary. All Museum staff will answer health screening questions and take their temperature prior to each work day.

For more information, visit www.childrens-museum.org.

**STOPPING THE SPREAD
OF COVID-19 ISN'T
JUST ABOUT YOU.**

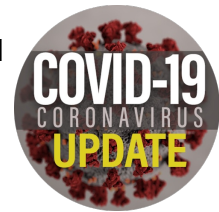
**IT'S ABOUT PROTECTING
EVERYONE AROUND YOU.**

**WEAR
A MASK**



How cloth face coverings help slow the spread of COVID-19

COVID-19 spreads mainly from person to person through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs, sneezes, talks, or raises their voice (e.g., while shouting, chanting, or singing). These droplets can land in the mouths or noses of people who are nearby or possibly be inhaled into the lungs. Recent studies show that a significant portion of individuals with COVID-19 lack symptoms (are "asymptomatic") and that even those who eventually develop symptoms (are "pre-symptomatic") can transmit the virus to others before showing symptoms.



To reduce the spread of COVID-19, CDC recommends that people wear cloth face coverings in public settings when around people outside of their household, especially when other social distancing measures are difficult to maintain.

The City Council recently unanimously adopted a resolution requesting the use of face coverings in public to help prevent the spread of the COVID-19 coronavirus.

Why it is important to wear a cloth face covering

Cloth face coverings may help prevent people who have COVID-19 from spreading the virus to others. Wearing a cloth

face covering will help protect people around you, including those at higher risk of severe illness from COVID-19 and workers who frequently come into close contact with other people (e.g., in stores and restaurants). Cloth face coverings are most likely to reduce the spread of COVID-19 when they are widely used by people in public settings. The spread of COVID-19 can be reduced when cloth face coverings are used along with other preventive measures, including social distancing, frequent handwashing, and cleaning and disinfecting frequently touched surfaces.

The cloth face coverings recommended here are not surgical masks or respirators. Currently, those are critical supplies that should be reserved for healthcare workers and other first responders. Cloth face coverings are not personal protective equipment (PPE). They are not appropriate substitutes for PPE such as respirators (like N95 respirators) or medical facemasks (like surgical masks) in workplaces where respirators or facemasks are recommended or required to protect the wearer.

For more information, visit <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/about-face-coverings.html>.



City Council seeks to fill stormwater and flood resilience funding task force

The City Council is seeking to fill a stormwater and flood resilience funding task force. The task force was created following the unanimous vote of the City Council on Aug. 12.

The panel will be tasked with investigating funding options for stormwater and flood resilience initiatives.

The City Council discussed the formation of a task force at a workshop on the topic on Aug. 3. At the workshop, the City Council heard details about a pilot program established by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) that aims to help coastal communities explore alternative

funding to address stormwater and flood resilience. Stormwater and coastal flooding are significant issues for coastal communities, including Dover, and will require significant investments in resources in the coming years due to new regulatory requirements and climate change.

The workshop [can be viewed here](#).

Those interested in joining the task force should contact the City Clerk's Office for an application. The application can also [be downloaded here](#) and returned to the City Clerk's Office. The Appointments Committee will recommend members of the task force to the City Council after interviewing all applicants


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




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


Aug. 23, 1649 - The privilege at Bellemy Bank was granted to William Pomfrett, Thomas Layton and John Dam, for the erecting of a saw mill, and also 1,500 trees, oak and pine, to be "failed" in the swamp above the falls. Pomfrett and his partners also had liberty to fall timber in any place on the river out of other men's lots, paying the town 3d. for every tree.



Aug. 27, 1724 - The house of John Hanson, at Nock's Marsh, was attacked by the Indians, two of his children killed, and his wife, maid servant and four children carried into captivity. Being a Friend he refused to leave his exposed position, as advised by his neighbors in the more compact part of the settlement. Thirteen Indians and French Mohawks lay for several days near his house in ambush waiting until Hanson and his men were away. When he had gone to the weekday meeting and two sons were at work at some distance the Indians entered the house. Mrs. Hanson with the servant and four children were in the house, of which one child the Indians immediately killed to terrify the others; two other children were at play in the orchard and would have escaped but that just as the Indians had finished rifling the house the two came in sight and made such noise that the Indians killed the youngest boy to stop the alarm. They then started for Canada, with Mrs. Hanson (who had been confined but two weeks previously,) her babe, a boy of six years, and two daughters of 14 and 16 years, and the servant girl. They all reached Canada and Mr. Hanson, soon after the attack, went there to ransom them. This he succeeded in doing, with the exception of his daughter of 16, whose ransom he was unable to obtain, as the Indians would not release her on any terms. Mr. Hanson got home Sept. 1, 1725, but he could not content himself while his daughter was in bondage, and about the 19th April 1727 started in company with a kinsman who with his wife was bound on a similarly sad errand to redeem children; but he was taken sick and died on the journey. The daughter married a Frenchman and never returned. (An interesting account of Mrs. Hanson's capture and residence in Canada was published in 1780.)



Aug. 26, 1750 - A singular and splendid appearance in the heavens was noticed at this time which is thus described by one who witnessed it: "This evening I was suddenly surprised by an explosion in the air. It was a quarter after nine, and the sky as free from clouds and thick of stars as I ever saw it. It appeared as if the sky opened in the south about half way from the horizon, as large as the broadside of a house, and the flame as deep a color as any fire I ever saw. It closed up gradually, and was near two minutes before it disappeared."



Aug. 26, 1833 - Died, widow Abigail Brown, aged 102 years, 4 months, 19 days. She was born in Madbury (then part of

Dover) March 27, 1731. Her mother lived to the age of 102, and her grandmother to the age of 104.



Aug. 25, 1846 - A smart shock of an earthquake was felt in many places. To those within doors it sounded like a carriage driven violently over the ground, or the departure of a heavy train of railroad cars, for which it was at the time by many mistaken.

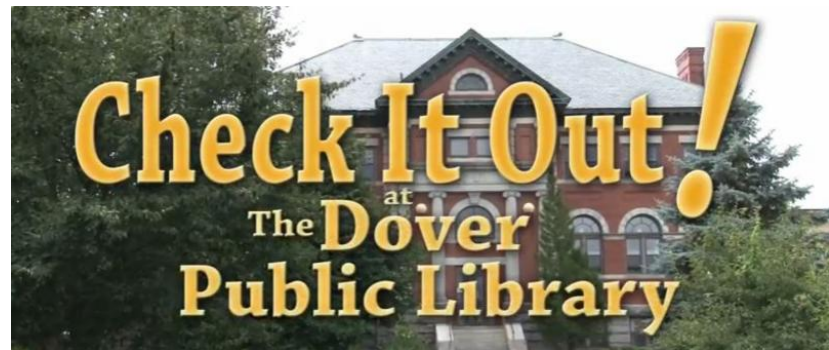
Historic Walking Tours: Summer 2020

The Greater Dover Chamber of Commerce will offer its Historic Walking Tours on a limited basis throughout the summer of 2020. There will not be a set schedule; rather, tours will be conducted by request depending on the availability of our volunteer tour guides. The three tours offered include Downtown Walking Tour, Pine Hill Cemetery Tour, and Historic Homes Architectural Tour.

Group size will be limited to no more than 10 and participants will be required to wear masks. Participants will also be encouraged to bring their own water, wear comfortable shoes, and wear a head covering. Tours run about 90 minutes long.

To schedule a tour, call the chamber at 603-742-2218 or email info@dovernh.org. The fee for the walking tours is \$10 per person, with a \$25 limit for families.

If interested in becoming a tour guide, contact the Chamber at 603-742-2218 or info@dovernh.org.



This Week at the Library

Saturday, August 1 through Monday, August 31, All Day
VIRTUAL Cookbook Club

Join us for a virtual exploration of Katie Lee's Endless Summer Cookbook. Throughout the month of August, send in pictures of your dishes created with recipes from the book and a small description of your cooking process, how you felt about the recipe, and/or your thoughts on the book. We will share your creations on our social media pages throughout the month. Photos can be sent to Emily at e.fortin@dover.nh.gov, or tag us on Instagram

Sunday, August 23, 2 to 4 p.m.

VIRTUAL Dungeons & Dragons: 18 and Under

Drop in and play Dungeons & Dragons LIVE online through Roll20 with Dungeon Master Aidan! The group will meet every other Sunday and there is no commitment to attend all sessions. No experience or materials are required and all skill levels are welcome to play. **Please register for this program and you will receive an email 30 minutes prior to the event with the login information.**

Monday, August 24, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Read to a Librarian

You can choose what works best for your child, phone or computer and schedule reading time for your child to keep practicing their reading skills this summer! You can pick from any title we have on Hoopla so a librarian can read along with them easily. Please register for this program and you will get a specific time slot.

Monday, August 24, 8:30 to 10:15 p.m.

Movies on the Front Lawn

Enjoy the throw back film, Jurassic Park (1993), starring Sam Neill, Laura Dern and Jeff Goldblum. A pragmatic paleontologist visiting an almost complete theme park is tasked with protecting a couple of kids after a power failure causes the park's cloned dinosaurs to run loose. Showing will be limited to the first 50 people. No registration is required. Attendees are welcome to bring a snack and a blanket or chair to sit on. In order to stay safe, the library will be practicing social distancing measures and ask that moviegoers wear a mask when they are not seated. Rated PG-13



COURTESY PHOTO

The Amanda Dane Band will perform at the Woodman Museum's outdoor concert series on Aug. 22.

Woodman Museum outdoor concert series kicks off Saturday

The Woodman Museum will host a "socially distanced outdoor concert series" on the museum grounds beginning Aug. 22. The series will feature four local bands.



The concerts will be held from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. The museum grounds will open at 4 p.m. on the day of the performance.

The first concert will be held on Saturday, Aug. 22, with the Amanda Dane Band. The Amanda Dane Band has been playing in and around the Seacoast area for just about three years. Lead singer and guitarist Amanda Dane is a Dover native singer/actress with credits that include commercials, stage, and screen. She has been playing guitar for 19 years and was thrilled to find singer and exquisite guitar player CJ Lewis, family man and extremely talented bass player Jon Wilkins and in-the-pocket and wildly versatile drummer Derek Swenson. With experience beyond their years, you're guaranteed an exciting breadth of music that brings a unified sound to the last 75 years of classic American Rock and Roll. You can find more information at www.amandadane.com.

On Saturday, Aug. 29, the museum will host Bad Penny. Bad Penny is a popular Seacoast area high energy rock cover band covering songs primarily from the 70's, 80's and 90's. The four band members are all life-long seasoned musicians comprised of two married couples: Ralph Napolitano on guitar and vocals, Renee Napolitano on bass and vocals; and Kathy Bosclair on keyboards and vocals, and Don Bosclair on drums. For more information about Bad Penny, visit <https://m.facebook.com/badpennynh/>.

On Saturday, Sept. 12, the Taylor O'Donnell Jazz Combo will perform. Known for her exploratory use of vocal timbre and texture in her musical stylings, Taylor O'Donnell uses her roots in R&B, folk, jazz, rock, and classical music training to communicate her musical dialogue. Live performances weave jazz standards and originals together with folk songs and improvisation, all tied together with O'Donnell's unique sound. Highlights of Taylor's career have been an appearance on the Oprah Winfrey Show working with producer David Foster, performances at Carnegie Hall and Lincoln Center in New York City, her time working with Grammy award-winning producer Rudy Perez, and has been a featured soloist with symphony orchestras throughout New England. Taylor is known as the front-woman for retro-soul band, Mother Superior & The Sliding Royales, the electronica duo Novel/Novella, and is the lead soprano in the Boston-based vocal group, Vintage Vocal Quartet.

On Saturday, Sept. 19, The Bog Standard will perform. The Bog Standard is a three-piece group of musical folks who love to play acoustic songs about the sea, pirates, and rebels. High energy sing alongs', acapella favorites and a guaranteed minimum of 20 songs about sinking boats.

Rain dates for the concerts are Sunday on the same weekend.

For tickets, visit www.woodmanmuseum.org or call 603-742-1038.

This is an outdoor event and each group will have their own 6-foot by 6-foot space. Please bring your own lawn chairs or blanket.

For your health and safety as well as for the health and safety of all, attendees and staff will be required to wear a mask, except when seated in socially distanced areas. If you do not have a mask the Woodman Museum will provide one. There will be sanitizer stations throughout the grounds.

If you are experiencing COVID-19 symptoms, or are not feeling well we request that you wait until you are completely symptom free, to attend our concert series.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, public restrooms will be provided by outdoor Porta-Potties. Please note this is a concert-only event. The Woodman Museum will not be open during the concert.

The Woodman Museum is open for private tours Wednesday through Sunday, with tours at 10 a.m., 11a.m., 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m. All guests and staff are required to wear a mask. The museum is cleaned between each tour with hospital-grade disinfectants. This is an excellent and safe way to see the museum as your tour will only be the only tour in each building at any time, so it is a fun and unique experience for your family.

To schedule a tour, visit www.woodmanmuseum.org or call 603-742-1038.

City's 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 in person, by mail, or by email. 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.

Trash and recycling reminders

Waste Management, the City's new solid waste and recycling vendor, began curbside pick-up on July 1. Although pick-up routes mostly remain the same, residents are reminded that:

- The pick-up time on your regularly scheduled collection day may be different than it was prior to July 1. To ensure trash and recycling are picked up, please remember that all items must be placed curbside by 7 a.m. on the designated collection day or as early as 4 p.m. the day before.
- By City ordinance, the maximum weight of trash bags is 35 pounds. Waste Management may reject trash bags that exceed the weight limit. Bags should be tied or sealed and should not be overloaded. Please note that the smaller, 15-gallon bags are rated for 20 pounds maximum.
- Dover trash bags can be purchased from a variety of local merchants, as well as the City Clerk's Office, the Community Services facility on Mast Road, and the Recycling Center. For a list of local merchants selling Dover trash bags, visit <https://go.usa.gov/xfXAs>.
- Curbside trash and recycling pick-up will follow the existing holiday schedule. Collection during a holiday week will be delayed by one day for the remainder of the week beginning on the holiday. For a list of holidays, see the city's website here: <https://go.usa.gov/xwApG>.
- All non-metal items too large to fit in a Dover trash bag, such as furniture, mattresses, toilets and carpets, require a bulky item tag. Bulky item tags can be purchased at the City Clerk's Office, the Community Services facility on Mast Road, the Recycling Center and at most locations where city trash bags are sold.

There are new restrictions on what types of plastics can be recycled. Only the items listed below should be placed in your household recycling bin:

- **Plastic:** Only #1, #2 and #5 plastics are allowed. Bottles, tubs, jugs, jars only. Bottle caps can be recycled if removed, washed, and placed back on the bottle. Loose caps, which fall through processing screens, cannot be recycled. NO PLASTIC BAGS.
- **Glass:** Bottles and jars only. Rinse and dry.
- **Cardboard, cartons, paper:** Newspaper, magazines, office paper and junk mail only. Flatten, then place in recycling bin, paper bags, or bundle and tie. Rinse and dry. No plastic bags.
- **Metal:** Aluminum, tin and steel cans. Rinse and dry.

Note: The City of Dover discourages the use of single-use plastics including, but not limited to, plastic straws, disposable plates, cups, utensils, light-weight plastic bags, beverage containers and razors.

Clean recycling means materials can get to their next best use, which helps protect the environment by conserving natural resources, saves energy and reduces 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 may send it to a landfill and will cost us more. Recycling bins that contain non-recyclable items may not be picked up or flagged with a warning sticker.

Follow these simple recycling guidelines:

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

For more information, [visit the city's website here](#) or contact Community Services at 516-6450.

CITY OF DOVER SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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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

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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:

- **Police Officer**
- **Police Secretary I**
- **Systems and Technology Librarian**
- **Deputy City Attorney**
- **Parking Enforcement Officer**
- **Arena maintenance/ice resurfacers**
- **Lifeguard**

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