

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH NEW HAMPSHIRE



THE PROPOSED
ANNUAL BUDGET
2013-2014

Memorial Bridge

The Memorial Bridge was the first major vertical lift bridge constructed in the eastern United States. Built between 1920 and 1923, the bridge was a joint venture between the states of New Hampshire and Maine and the Federal Government.

The Memorial Bridge was dedicated as a World War I memorial. The plaque over the Portsmouth entrance pictured on the front cover reads:

*MEMORIAL TO THE SAILORS AND SOLDIERS OF
NEW HAMPSHIRE
WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE WORLD WAR 1917-1919*

Five year-old Eileen Dondero (pictured on front) was selected to cut the ribbon at the dedication on August 17, 1923. Eileen Dondero Foley later served as the Portsmouth's Mayor for sixteen years.

The Memorial Bridge was in service for 88 years when on July 27, 2011, the bridge was permanently closed due to significant safety concerns. The bridge was removed in February 2012. The replacement bridge is currently under construction and is scheduled to re-open to vehicles, bicyclists, and pedestrians in the summer of 2013. Eileen Foley has been invited by the New Hampshire Department of Transportation to participate in the ribbon-cutting ceremony for the new Memorial Bridge.

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DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS

CITY COUNCIL

Eric Spear, Mayor
Robert Lister, Assistant Mayor

Anthony Coviello	Brad Lown
Esther E. Kennedy	M. Chris Dwyer
Nancy Novelline Clayburgh	Kenneth E. Smith
	Jack D. Thorsen

Board of Education

Edward McDonough, Superintendent
Leslie Stevens, Chairperson
Thomas P. Martin, Vice Chairperson

Carol A. Chellman	Dexter R. Legg
Kent LaPage	Mary Olea
Mitchell Shuldman	Patrick L. Ellis
Ann M. Walker	

Police Commission

Chief Stephen DuBois
John F. Golumb, Chairperson
John C. Russo
Gerald W. Howe

Fire Commission

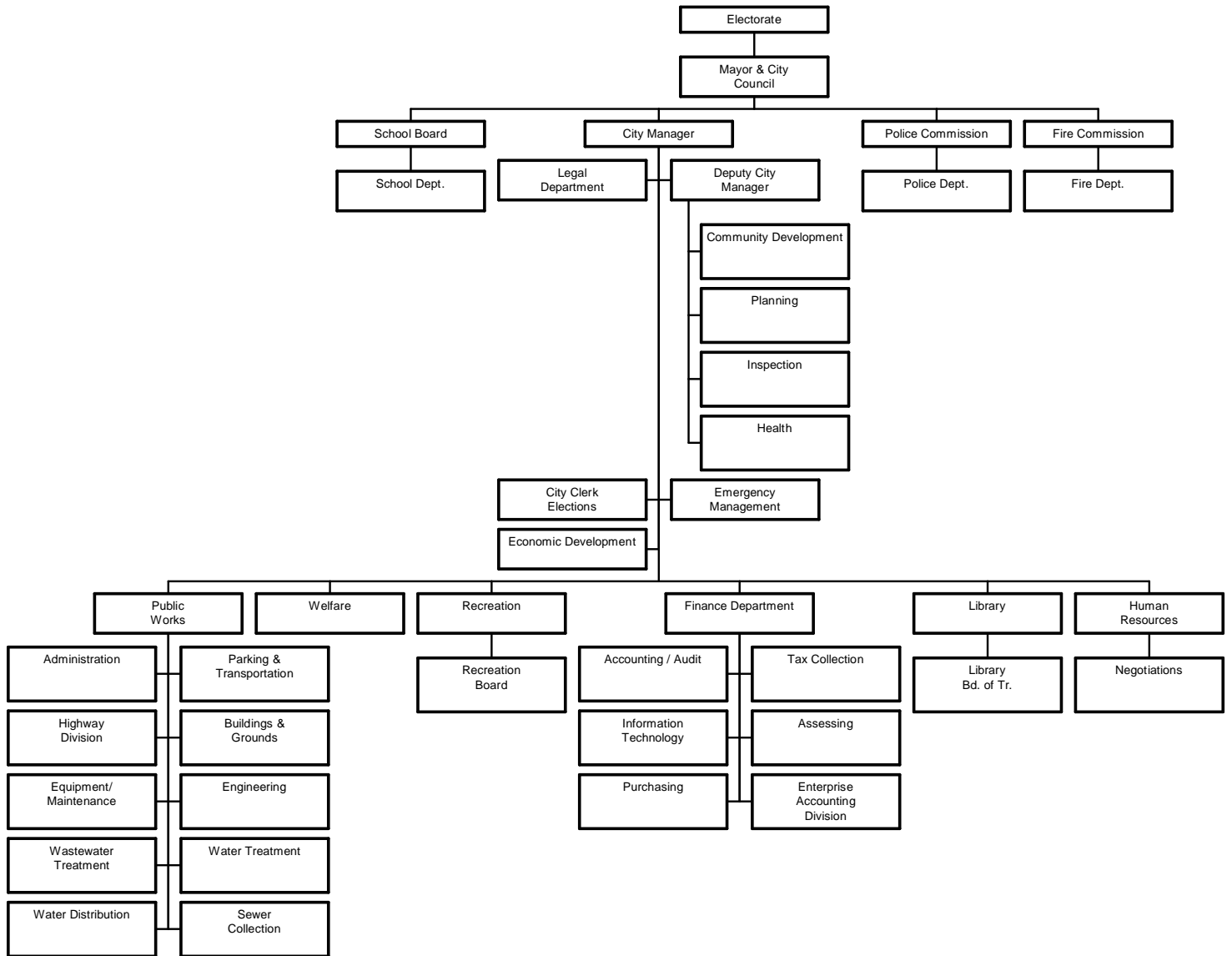
Chief Christopher LeClaire
Richard Gamester, Chairperson
Paul Wentworth
Michael Hughes

Principal Executive Officers

City Manager, John P. Bohenko
Deputy City Manager, David Allen

City Attorney	Robert Sullivan
Finance Director	Judith Belanger
Deputy Finance Director	Andrew Purgiel
City Controller	Gail Cunningham
City Clerk	Kelli Barnaby
Tax Collector	Kristen Regis
City Assessor	Rosann Maurice-Lentz
Director of Public Works	Steven Parkinson
Recreation Director	Melvin Wilson, Jr.
Library Director	Mary Ann List
Human Resource Director	Dianna Fogarty
Community Development Director	David Moore
Chief Building Inspector	Richard Hopley
Public Health Director	Kimberly McNamara
Planning Director	Frederick Taintor
Welfare Administrator	Ellen Tully

City of Portsmouth City-wide Organizational Chart





GOVERNMENT FINANCE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

*Distinguished
Budget Presentation
Award*

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**City of Portsmouth
New Hampshire**

For the Fiscal Year Beginning

July 1, 2012

Christopher P. Morill

President

Jeffrey R. Egan

Executive Director

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) presented a Distinguished Budget Presentation Award to The City of Portsmouth, New Hampshire for its annual budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012. In order to receive this award, a governmental unit must publish a budget document that meets program criteria as a policy document, as an operations guide, as a financial plan, and as a communications device.

This award is valid for a period of one year only. We believe our current budget continues to conform its eligibility for another award.

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PROPOSED BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 2014
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Full view of the proposed FY14 budget document and the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) for fiscal year ending June 30, 2012 can be viewed at the following link on the City's website. <http://www.cityofportsmouth.com/finance>

The entire Master Plan can be viewed at the following link on the City's website. <http://www.cityofportsmouth.com/planning>

The Capital Improvement Plan for 2014-2019 can be viewed at the following link on the City's website. <http://www.cityofportsmouth.com/planning>