



**LACONIA CITY COUNCIL  
2026 INAUGURAL CEREMONIES**

**Belknap Mill - Third Floor  
January 5, 2026, 6:00 pm**

- I. New Mayor and City Councilors are seated, accompanied by the Laconia Police Department Color Guard**
- II. Welcome:** Comments from the Master of Ceremonies: Belknap County Sheriff William Wright
- III. Salute to the Flag**
- IV. Invocation**
- V. Comments:** Guest Speaker - Governor Kelly Ayotte
- VI. Introduction of 2026-2027 Mayor and City Council Members:**

Mike Bordes, Mayor

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| Ward 1: Jon A. Hildreth | Ward 4: Mark Haynes   |
| Ward 2: Robert Soucy    | Ward 5: Steven Bogert |
| Ward 3: Eric Hoffman    | Ward 6: Mike Conant   |

- VII. Presentation to Mayor Charlie St. Clair**
- VIII. Comments:** Mayor Charlie St. Clair
- IX. Presentations to Councilor Bruce Cheney and Councilor Tony Felch**
- X. Ceremonial Swearing in of 2026/2027 City Councilors:** City Clerk Katie Gargano
- XI. Ceremonial Swearing in of Mayor Mike Bordes:** City Clerk Katie Gargano
- XII. Inaugural Address by Mayor Mike Bordes**
- XIII. Mayor Mike Bordes opens Regular Meeting:**

- a. Roll call
- b. Meeting called to order
- c. Nomination and vote on Mayor Pro Tem
- d. Announcement of Committee/Liaison Assignments
  - Finance Committee
  - Government Operations Committee
  - Land & Buildings Committee

Public Safety Committee  
Public Works Committee  
Belknap EDC  
Capital Improvement Projects  
Heritage Commission  
Human Relations Commission  
Lakes Region Public Access  
Library  
Parks & Recreation  
Planning Board  
Police Commission  
Laconia Motorcycle Week Association  
Water Commission

**XIV. Adjournment**

**XV. Benediction**

**XVI. Reception**

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