



December 30, 2022 - Edition #569

*A winter view of the Busiel Mill  
(photo compliments of Rob Clifford Photography)*

## Disposal of Christmas Trees



Please note that the City of Laconia does not pick up Christmas trees curbside.

Laconia residents can bring their trees to either the City's Transfer Station on Meredith Center Road during its hours of operation, or bring them to the designated area in the dirt parking lot at the end of Memorial Park Drive which is available every day.

Christmas trees may also be taken to the City's Brush Dump on Friday or Saturdays from 10 am to 2 pm unless it snows.

### *Welcome to Laconia Links!*

We hope you enjoy this issue of our weekly e-mail newsletter created to keep you up to date on City of Laconia news and activities. If you would like the newsletter sent to your email each Friday, or if you have changes to your email subscription, please call the City Manager's office at (603) 527-1270 or email us at [info@laconianh.gov](mailto:info@laconianh.gov).



The Transfer Station and Brush Dump will be closed on Saturday, December 31 so that our employees can enjoy the holiday with their families.

The Transfer Station will re-open on Monday, January 2 following the holiday.

Curbside trash collection is NOT DELAYED during the week of January 2.

Questions? Please call Public Works at 603-528-6379.



# Laconia Public Library Events and Programs



Click [here](#) to access the Library's Event Calendar for more information on any program you're interested in!

## SHAYLA'S TECH HELP

Tuesdays at 10am  
Wednesdays at 2pm

Have your basic computer and electronic device questions answered by a librarian. Most Tuesdays at 10 am and most Wednesdays at 2 pm, in the Volpe Room; check our event calendar to confirm dates.

## HAPPY New Year

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2022  
9AM-NOON


MONDAY, JANUARY 2, 2023  
LIBRARY CLOSED

### PRESCHOOL PALS



Thursdays at 10am for ages 3 to 6

### TODDLER TIME



WEDNESDAYS AT 10AM FOR NEWBORNS TO AGE 3

### STORYTIME CRAFT

JANUARY 4 & 5



### FAMILY DROP-IN CRAFT: SNOWMAN STRESS BALLS



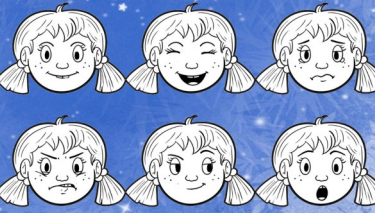
Saturday, January 7  
10am-12pm  
Families Welcome

### Move & Groove



Friday, January 6 & 20  
Newborns - age 6

### SENSORY STORYTIME



TUESDAYS 2 PM  
NEWBORNS - AGE 6

### TEEN CRAFT: HOT GLUE SNOWFLAKES




Wednesday, January 4 3:30pm

### Non-Fiction Book Club

**BRAIDING SWEETGRASS**  
BY ROBIN WALL KIMMERER

Thursday, January 5  
6pm



### Sensory Storytime Craft



TUESDAY, JANUARY 3 2PM FOR  
NEWBORNS TO AGE 6

**HAPPY NEW YEAR**





## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICES

Please see the Public Hearing Notices on this page which has been published in the Laconia Daily Sun. In future issues of the newsletter we will continue to provide citizens with notices of upcoming Public Hearings that may be of interest to our community. If you have questions regarding any Public Hearing shown, please call City Hall at 603-527-1270 and we will be happy to direct you to the appropriate department. Thank you for staying informed about what is happening in City government!



### CITY OF LACONIA Notice of Public Hearing

The City Council will hold a Public Hearing on **January 9, 2023** during the regular City Council meeting which will begin at 7:00 pm in the Armand A. Bolduc City Council Chamber in Laconia City Hall, relative to:

**ORDINANCE 2022-161-25 (01) TO AMEND CHAPTER 161, SECTION 161-25, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

Katie Gargano, City Clerk



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**GRANTING AN EASEMENT ON CITY LAND (PARCEL 458-205-20)**

Katie Gargano, City Clerk



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**PARKING OPTIONS REQUESTED BY SCOTT EVERETT FOR HIS PROPERTY IN LAKEPORT AT 51 ELM STREET**

Katie Gargano, City Clerk

## Prescott Farm

Environmental Education Center

### Saturday, January 7

Soapmaking  
Soapmaking 101

Adults

10 am—12 pm

Snowshoe Tours  
Beginner Snowshoe

Adults

1—3 pm

**Registration & FMI: [prescottfarm.org](http://prescottfarm.org)**



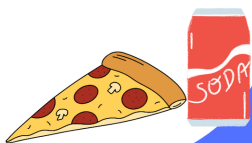
**Recycling  
Collection**

**Curbside recycling  
will be picked up the  
week of January 2,**





## Join us for an Informational Session and Launch of our New Application



**Time: 4:30 – 6:00pm**

**Questions – call 603-527-3533 or email us:**  
**[scholarship@lrscholarship.org](mailto:scholarship@lrscholarship.org)**

***Changes are coming to Medicare in 2023!  
Learn what's new by clicking the  
image below...***

## What's New in 2023?



**Emily Whicheloe**  
Director of Education, Medicare Rights Center & SHIP TA Center

This year, there are several changes to Medicare enrollment periods, prescription drug coverage, and Part A, B, and D costs.

### Enrollment Period Changes

General Enrollment Period (GEP)

The General Enrollment Period (GEP) runs January 1 through March 31 of each year. Beginning in 2023, people who enroll in Medicare during the GEP will have their coverage begin the first of the month following the month they enroll. For example, if someone enrolls in Medicare in January, their coverage begins February 1.

Before 2023, GEP enrollments did not take effect until July 1.

**Initial Enrollment Period (IEP)**

The Initial Enrollment Period (IEP) is the seven-month period surrounding an individual's 65th birthday month. It includes three months before, the month of, and three months after someone's 65th birthday month. Before 2023, people who enrolled in Medicare during the last three months of their IEP had to wait up to three months before their coverage would begin. Starting in 2023, that wait in coverage is eliminated.

Beginning in 2023, people who enroll in Medicare during the GEP will have their coverage begin the first of the month following the month they enroll.

Coverage is now effective the first of the month after the month of enrollment for those who enroll in months four through seven of their IEP. For example, someone who turns 65 in May 2023 has an IEP that begins in February 2023 and ends in August 2023.

- If the person enrolls in Medicare in February, March, or April: Medicare coverage begins May 1.
- If the person enrolls in Medicare in May: Coverage begins June 1.
- Enrolls in June: Coverage begins July 1.
- Enrolls in July: Coverage begins August 1.
- Enrolls in August: Coverage begins September 1.

• **Enrolls in August:** Coverage begins September 1. This IEP change only applies to someone who became eligible for Medicare on or after January 1, 2023. Someone who turned 65 in December 2022 will still have their enrollment processed according to the previous rules. On the other hand, if someone turns 65 in January, then coverage will be effective the first of the next month if they enroll during the later months of their IEP.



The non-profit Bolduc Park Association is offering Cross Country Ski Lessons to Youth and Adults at 282 Gilford Avenue on the Laconia/Gilford Town Line.

Lessons begin at 10am on four consecutive Saturdays, January 7, 14, 21 and 28. Make up dates will be scheduled if weather interferes with lessons.

The cost of lessons is \$50 if you have your own equipment and an additional \$50 if equipment is needed. Income eligible youth can receive a full scholarship for equipment rental and lessons.

Sign up in advance by contacting Bolduc Park at 603-524-1370 or email: [golf@bolducpark.com](mailto:golf@bolducpark.com).

Laconia and Gilford Parks and Recreation Departments and Piche's Ski and Sports also have registration forms.

Call 603-630-5650 to learn more about lesson scholarships for youth and free cross country ski outings for income eligible families.

Bolduc Park Association  
Cross Country Ski Lessons  
January 7-14, 21 and 28  
282 Gillford Ave. Gillford NH 03049

Lessons begin at 10:00 A.M. (SKI rentals may be picked up at 9:00 A.M. at Piche's)

Click here

for

Registration

Form!

By signing this permission slip, the undersigned acknowledges that skiing or skating outdoors can be a vigorously physical activity and may result in death, not limited to; exposure to the elements (heat, rain, and wind); trails that are uneven, muddy, snow covered, icy, and slippery. I understand that participating in Cross Country Skiing program may expose me to the COVID 19 strains, broken bones, sprains, cuts, scrapes, and bruising. I also understand that Virus. I do release the Bolduc Park Association the Board of Directors, Volunteers, and participants of any claim arising from injury my child may sustain in the normal course of the program.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parents or Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_





## Powerful Tools for Caregivers

### Online

**Mondays**  
**Jan. 23-Feb. 27**  
**(6 Mondays)**  
**1 - 2:30 p.m.**

Caregiving can add stress to our physical and emotional health. "Powerful Tools for Caregivers" is an educational program to help family caregivers learn to take care of themselves.

This interactive workshop helps caregivers learn to:

- Reduce personal stress
- Change negative self-talk
- Communicate more effectively
- Handle different feelings
- Make challenging caregiving decisions

Registration is required and space is limited.  
To register, call (603) 224-4093, ext. 85815 or click [here](#).  
This program is offered at no charge.

Please note that a camera and microphone is needed to complete the program. Once your registration is confirmed, you will receive a link to the program. Technical instruction is available to participate in this group.

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# Winter Information from the Department of Public Works

## DID YOU KNOW?

...That drivers cannot park their vehicles overnight in the City's downtown parking lots? Cars and trucks that park overnight interfere with Public Works' ability to clear snow from these parking lots.

Instead, please park in the parking garage overnight. The Police Department announces through Twitter whenever Public Works will be plowing or removing snow from these parking lots, and owners of vehicles parking in the City lots may be fined or have their vehicles towed at their expense to ensure that these parking lots can be plowed.

And did you know that it is unsafe to plow a driveway's snow across a street and leave it there? Traffic passing by your driveway during the plowing could have an accident as a result of hitting the plow truck or hitting the snow windrow left by the plow.

Also, please be aware that pushing or blowing snow onto a City sidewalk could prevent the City from clearing the sidewalk if the snow pile is too large for the sidewalk plows to clear. Please ensure that you or your plow contractor do not push driveway snow across a public street or blow snow into the sidewalk. This will help Public Works clear the streets and sidewalks after a storm to keep our community safe.

The City Council has implemented an Ordinance to minimize these problems. Public Works will reach out to educate a property owner if there is a violation and arrive at a resolution to the problem. The City appreciates your willingness to work with us to ensure a safer community.

Please feel free to contact our Department at (603) 528-6379; we will be happy to answer any questions and provide additional details.

*Thank you for helping to keep our community safe this winter !*

## Please Note!

*City Hall will be  
closed on Monday,  
January 2, 2023  
for the holiday.*

## News

## From the City Clerk's Office



## 2023 Transfer Station Stickers

2023 Transfer Station stickers are now available for sale at the City Clerk's Office. Transfer Station stickers are \$25 each; a valid vehicle registration for the vehicle must be presented at the time of purchase for the vehicle the sticker will be put on.

Questions?

Call the Clerk's Office, 603-527-1265.



# When Seconds Count...



**We need your help!**

If you're able, please shovel out the fire hydrants close to your home or business. In a fire seconds count! Remember to clear a 3 foot perimeter round the hydrant, especially towards the street. Clear a wide enough perimeter around the hydrant for firefighters to work.

A common question that is asked is why do I need to clear the hydrant, won't the fire department clear the hydrant? The answer is yes, they will as soon as they can. However the fire department still has to respond to emergency calls. The City of Laconia has over 600 hydrants to clear and we could really use your help!

**The life you save could be your own!**



# Sand is available!



Laconia residents needing sand for their driveways or walkways during icy weather can get sand from our Department of Public Works.

There is a sand pile for residential use located at our DPW garage at 257 Messer Street.

Residents can get a maximum of two five-gallon pails (or the equivalent). Please do not take sand from our facility on Bisson Avenue; it is for City use only to maintain our streets and sidewalks.

Questions? Please call (603) 528-6379.

*Thanks and have a safe winter!*

HAPPY  
NEW YEAR!  
2023

## Department of Public Works



# Winter Parking Ban!

The City of Laconia's winter parking ban is now in effect. No vehicle is allowed to be parked on a public street between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 6:30 a.m.

This parking ban allows our City vehicles to safely and effectively keep our streets passable during and after a winter storm. Failure to comply with the winter parking ban may result in your vehicle being towed at your expense.

*Thank you for your cooperation!*

The Laconia 2023 Curbside Recycling Collection Calendar is now available! Click on the image (above) to view a full-sized version of the calendar.

Printed copies are available for pickup at Laconia City Hall, 45 Beacon St. East, or at the Public Works Department (27 Bisson Avenue).

Questions?  
Please call the Department of Public Works at (603) 528-6379.



# Our yesterdays

*Our sincere thanks to Warren D. Huse, the Laconia Historical and Museum Society, and the Laconia Daily Sun for providing a glimpse into our community's past.....*



## THEN ...

This was Main Street, Laconia, in the early 1880s, with Court Street just off-photo at left. Building at left was later occupied by Harry Sanborn's grocery store for many years and then by Laflamme's Bakery from November 1945 to November 1970. The middle building was moved to Mill Street when the Smith Block (later, Tilton Block) was built in 1886. The Main Street Bridge is just in front of the large building at right. (Laconia Public Library)



## ... AND NOW

The former Laflamme's Bakery building would be located to the left of the entrance to today's Landmark Inn, which now occupies the space next to the river. Beacon Street West and the parking lot to the west of today's Legacy Insurance Group (the former Sawyers Jewelry) building would mark the site of the large building at right in the earlier view. Older residents will remember the 'Gen. Knight House,' which stood at the corner of Main and Court streets until moved to Rowe Court in 1948 and demolished in 2009 to make way for Walgreens. (Jon Decker/The Laconia Daily Sun)





**Most winter parent education classes will be offered in “hybrid” format. Participants can choose to attend in person at our office at 719 North Main St., Laconia or virtually via Zoom.**

**Cooking Matters for Families (Adults & Children Ages 6 and up)**

**Wednesday evenings from 6:00-8:00pm, beginning January 11, 2023 (6 Weeks)**

**\*OFFERED IN PERSON ONLY, NO ZOOM OPTION FOR THIS CLASS\***

Cooking & nutrition class, participants will receive groceries each week to practice their cooking skills. Topics covered will include making meals more nutritious, tips for grocery shopping, healthy & kid-friendly recipes, cooking skills for the family, & much more! Food will be prepared in class each week. *Dinner will be served during class at 6pm.*

**Cooperative Parenting & Divorce**

**January 11-February 2, 2023. Class meets twice weekly on Wednesdays & Thursdays from 6:00-8:00pm (4 weeks)**

This program helps separated/divorced parents shield their children from parental conflict. Parents learn to guide their children through the process of recovery while establishing a cooperative long-term relationship with the other parent. This program educates parents on the impact their conflict has on their children, and teaches parents the practical skills they need to manage anger, increase impulse control, resolve conflict and talk to each other without arguing. While co-parents are welcome to take this class together, it is not required. *For participants who attend in person, dinner will be served during class at 6pm.*

**Understanding Children's Growth & Development—A Nurturing Skills Module**

**January 12-February 16, 2023. Daytime and Evening Sessions Available!**

**Thursdays 10:00-11:30am —OR— Thursdays 6:30-8:00pm (6 weeks)**

This Nurturing Skills module focuses on creating a nurturing environment that stimulates children's overall healthy development. Topics covered include brain development, developmental milestones, creating nurturing routines, and encouraging a growth mindset. *For participants who attend in person, dinner will be served at 6pm.*

**Parenting with Resilience**

**January 17-February 21, 2023. Class meets Tuesdays from 6:30-8:00pm (6 weeks)**

Learn about Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE's) and how trauma can effect children's development and behavior. Caregivers will learn strategies to build their own ability to persevere through tough times, as well as techniques for encouraging resilience in children. *For participants who attend in person, dinner will be served at 6pm.*

**Active Parenting of Teens**

**January 17-February 21, 2023. Class meets Tuesdays from 6:00-8:00pm (6 weeks)**

Active Parenting of Teens will give parents the guidance and support needed to turn the challenges of raising a teenager into opportunities for growth. Topics include: methods of respectful discipline, skills for clear, honest communication, strategies to prevent risky behavior, how to be an encouraging parent, and issues such as teens on-line, bullying and depression. *For participants who attend in person, dinner will be served during class at 6pm.*

**Nurture Hope**

**February 8-April 5, 2023. Class meets Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00pm (8 weeks)**

This series is designed for parents with children who have special needs and health challenges, giving them an opportunity to explore their hopes and fears, develop effective parenting skills, enhance communication, develop strategies for facing challenges and recognize opportunities for celebration. *For participants who attend in person, dinner will be served at 6pm. \*There will be no class on March 1st\**

**For all classes register at: [www.lrcs.org/parentedregistration/](http://www.lrcs.org/parentedregistration/)**

**Or email [tricia.tousignant@lrcs.org](mailto:tricia.tousignant@lrcs.org)**

**\*On-site childcare *may be available* if reserved at the time of registration.  
Space is limited.\***



**A Suggested New Year's Resolution from the Public Works Department....  
To place only those items that can be recycled in Laconia's single stream recycling system!**

The following items are not recyclable but are commonly found in recycling bins:

- Shredded paper – it is non-sortable. The recycling processing center sends non-sortable materials to the landfill. Putting shredded paper in the trash saves the City dollars for other recycling programs.
- Coat hangers – Also non-sortable. The wire gets wrapped around all of the equipment. This stops the sorting system and increases the cost of recycling.
- Tops to plastic bottles – They generally are made out of different material that is non-recyclable, so please remove all bottle tops when you put the bottle in the recycling system.
- Heavy metal – Not the music (!) but everything other than tin or aluminum cans that hold food and drinks.
- Pizza boxes and other food contaminated cardboard - Please put it in the trash so that the City can continue to afford to support the recycling program.
- Paper coffee cups – They have a wax coating that prevents them from being recycled.

*Thank you for your cooperation!*



Each year a City of Laconia employee is nominated by their peers and chosen by the Personnel Advisory Board to be awarded the Employee Recognition Award. This award is presented to an employee who has shown great dedication and a high degree of commitment to their job with the City of Laconia.

We are proud to announce that the winner of the 2022 Employee Recognition Award is Dane Anderson from the Laconia Parks and Recreation Department. Dane is shown (left) at the Employee and Board and Commission Christmas Luncheon held recently.

***Congratulations Dane!***





## Public Events at Taylor Community - Laconia, NH

*\*All events listed are free and open to the public\**

### Music

**The Wholly Rollers** - *January 18th at 6:30 p.m.*

A Concord-based band performing bluegrass, old time, string band, and gospel music.

**The Freese Brothers** - *January 23rd at 6:30 p.m.*

A performance that pleases audiences of all generations with classic sounds from the Duke, the King, the Count, the Chairman of the Board and the Sentimental Gentleman of Swing and combo arrangements of contemporary tunes.

**Debbi Gibson - Flute & Clarinet Duo** - *January 25th at 3:00 p.m.*

Join us as clarinetist Debbi Gibson is joined by the talented flutist Alison Witham.

**Rich Araldi on the Vibraphone** - *January 26th at 2:00 p.m.*

Join us as Rich brings us his Holiday Presentation on Vibraphone. He will also intersperse stories, trivia and facts to accompany the music.

**Topper and Fed - a Comedy featuring John Stanley Shelley** - *January 30th at 6:30 p.m.*

Enjoy this unique duo as they play songs of many different genres both original and favorites and always with a comical twist. This wacky pair always has something up their sleeve to keep you guessing.

### Lectures

**Lucia Brimer Stars & Science** - *January 4th at 2:00 p.m.*

Experience the wonders of the night sky from inside the Lakes Region Stars and Science Discovery Domes. See the stars, the Moon and the planets day or night, rain or shine.

**David Hill** - *January 11th at 6:30 p.m.*

Storyteller Extraordinaire David Hill tells his story at Taylor. From mountain biking, rafting, spelunking, to the people he met along the way, David tells us how these adventures continue to shape his life to this day.

**The Islands of Lake Winnepesaukee with Ron Guilmette** - *January 18th at 2:00 p.m.*

Join Ron Guilmette, author and photographer, as he relates his adventures and experiences paddling to all of the islands of Lake Winnepesaukee.

**Michael Cross - Obscure Collections Part II** - *January 23rd at 11:00 a.m.*

Obscure collectibles and the stories they tell — From World War II liferaft bullet hole plugs to antique mining lamps and murder hornets, there are many fascinating items in this world. Learn about the fascinating stories behind these objects.

**History Journey around Lake Winnepesaukee** - *January 25th at 1:00 p.m.*

Join us for this virtual drive around Lake Winnepesaukee with several stops and brief history lessons at historic points of interest

For more information on  
Taylor Community please  
call us at (603) 366-1200



**taylorcommunity.org**

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## Laconia Water Department

### Prevention Is Better Than Reaction



***Temperatures have been moderately warm for this time of the year but do not let this warm spell fool you and make you believe that pipes are not capable of freezing.***

***Temperatures are falling below freezing at nights which would allow for the pipes to freeze. As always be cautious and double check that all the pipes are properly protected.***

If the temperature inside a house gets below 32 degree Fahrenheit (0 degree Celsius) it's likely that the water supply pipes and the drain traps will freeze. When water freezes it expands 9 percent, and if there is no room for expansion it's possible that the pipe will develop a crack and eventually leak once the ice thaws out. Fixing a ruptured pipe can be expensive, but the damage from uncontrolled water leakage can easily reach into the thousands of dollars.



The majority of the calls received for frozen water pipes and water meters are a result of inadequate heating and cold air drafts where piping is located in the home. It is recommended that property owners check their property for these conditions and identify the location of their water meter and shutoff valve before an emergency.

The property owner is ultimately responsible for repairs to the piping within the home or building. The Water Department can replace frozen or damaged meters.

Customers will be charged for the cost of the replacement of the meter and service calls, as applicable. Your plumber can also replace a frozen meter.

If for any reason you cannot stop the flow of water from a frozen or broken pipe, call the Water Department's 24-hour emergency number at 603-524-0907.



# City of Laconia

Laconia City Hall  
45 Beacon St. East  
Laconia, NH 03246  
[www.laconianh.gov](http://www.laconianh.gov)  
[info@laconianh.gov](mailto:info@laconianh.gov)



CITY HALL HOURS:  
8:30 am to 4:30 pm  
Monday through Friday  
(603) 527-1270

## SENIOR RESOURCES

ServiceLink Resource Center  
(603) 528-6945 is the first number  
to call for senior services.

### *Tis the Season* TO AVOID MEDICARE SCAMS

- Medical identity theft
- Hospice fraud
- Home health fraud
- Brace fraud
- Ambulance fraud

 **SMP** RESOURCE.ORG  
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## City Meetings

Week of:  
Jan. 2 - 6, 2023

Public participation and citizen input is a vital part of City government. Below is a list of meetings scheduled for the upcoming week. As agendas become available they will be posted on the City's [website](http://www.laconianh.gov). Also, printed copies of any agenda are available in the City department in charge of a particular Board or Commission. You are invited and encouraged to participate in any of our public meetings. **All meetings are open to the public and are held at Laconia City Hall, unless otherwise noted:**

### **Water Commission**

January 3, 2023, 6:00 pm

**Agenda**

### **Conservation Commission**

January 4, 2023, 6:30 pm

**Agenda**



## CITY OF LACONIA PHONE DIRECTORY

(All phone numbers below  
must be preceded by 603)

Airport .....	524-5003
Airport Manager - Marv Everson	
Assessing .....	527-1268
Assistant Assessor - Tara Baker	
City Clerk .....	527-1265
City Clerk - Katie Gargano	
City Manager .....	527-1270
City Manager - Kirk Beattie	
Code Enforcement .....	527-1293
Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen	
Conservation .....	527-1264
Conservation Technician Taylor Daigle	
Finance .....	524-3877
Finance Director - Glenn Smith	
Licensing .....	528-6331
Licensing - Hilary Young	
Planning & Comm. Dev. ....	527-1264
Planning & Zoning Dir. - Dean Trefethen	
Fire Dept. (Central Station) ...	524-6881
Fire Chief - Tim Joubert	
Fire Dept. (Weirs Station) .....	366-2229
Library .....	524-4775
Library Director - Deann Hunter	
Parks & Recreation .....	524-5046
Parks & Rec. Director - Amy Lovisek	
Personnel .....	524-3877
Personnel Administrator - Lindsey Allen	
Police (Administration) .....	524-5257
Police (Crime Line) .....	524-1717
Police Chief - Matthew Canfield	
Public Works (Main Office) .....	528-6379
Public Works (Transfer Station) ..	528-5822
Public Works Director - Wes Anderson	
Tax .....	527-1269
Tax Collector - Katie Gargano	
Water .....	524-0901
Superintendent - Ben Crawford	
Welfare .....	527-1267
Welfare Technician - Cathy Raymond	

### **City Council Contact Info:**

Mayor Andrew Hosmer .....	496-2078
Bruce Cheney (Ward 1) .....	491-8946
Robert Soucy (Ward 2) .....	524-7054
Henry Lipman (Ward 3) .....	528-0191
Mark Haynes (Ward 4) .....	524-3605
Robert Hamel (Ward 5) .....	524-6360
Tony Felch (Ward 6) .....	998-1418

General Council E-mail:

[citycouncil@laconianh.gov](mailto:citycouncil@laconianh.gov)

Visit the City's website at:  
[www.laconianh.gov](http://www.laconianh.gov)