

SEE Notices Below!

- **Police Officer Chris Heney to play in the “Battle of the Badges” 8/30/15**
- ***New Hampton Garden Club News – 9/1 & 9/8 events***
- ***Deputy Town Clerk/Tax Collector position opening***
- ***Proposed changes to Old Bristol Road and Blake Hill Road Intersection Meeting 8/27***
- **Senator Ayotte’s staff available in New Hampton September 4th 12:30-1:30pm**
- ***NORTHERN PASS – PUBLIC MEETING – 9/10 6:00PM***
- ***Emerald Ash Borer Quarantine – Belknap County***
- ***Drawdown of the Pemigewasset River starting 9/7***
- ***New Commercial Development – NH Wine and Liquor Store Project***

WELCOME TO THE “NEW HAMPTON CONNECTION”

E-mail notices will be sent from this office with dates, locations and times of Town Meetings, special meetings, special events, and other important town events or information. We hope you will find these notices helpful. These e-mails will not provide notice of regular scheduled meetings, deadlines, holiday hours, general information, etc. For such scheduled information, please check the town web site www.new-hampton.nh.us or call the Town Office at 744-3559. All public meeting notices are posted at the Town Office and Public Works Department. All town newspaper notices are placed in the Laconia Daily Sun.

Please talk with other New Hampton residents who may not have been contacted to see if they are interested in receiving these e-mails. I also would encourage you to get the “word out” about important information to those who may not have e-mail.

If at some future time you change your e-mail address or you wish to be removed from the list please send an e-mail to blucas@new-hampton.nh.us.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN: Neil G. Irvine, Nathaniel H. Sawyer, Jr. and Kenneth M. Mertz

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Town Administrator
Town of New Hampton
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August 20, 2015

**SUPPORT CHaD AND CHEER ON
OFFICER CHRIS HENEY**



Chris Heney 2014

The Battle of the Badges Autumn Baseball Classic enters its 5th year with the best of the red and blue again going to bat for the kids at CHaD on August 30, 2015!

Firefighters and police officers will meet on the diamond in this highly competitive game of "Good vs. Good", to support kids from across the region who receive care at Children's Hospital at Dartmouth-Hitchcock (CHaD).

You too can join the battle by supporting Chris Heney, a New Hampton Police Officer who will be a starting pitcher by purchasing a ticket to the game and/or donating to sponsor him through this link:

<http://www.kintera.org/faf/donorReg/donorPledge.asp?ievent=1138985&lis=1&kntae1138985=B47EF4C38464540928DEF383F14BC0C&supId=423660064>

Learn more about [CHaD](#).



The New Hampton Garden Club would like to thank all of you who supported our recent raffle/plant/yard sale at the New Hampton Old Home Day. We appreciate the opportunity to share in this wonderful community event. It was a beautiful day filled with sunshine and opportunities to reconnect with family and friends. It is such a joy to see so many who appreciate the values of living in small town New England. Congratulations to our winners: Nancy Conkling, (NH Basket) John Hughes, (Book Basket) Phyllis Schofield, (Children's Basket) and Anita Mulligan, (Wine Basket).

Our next meeting is September 1st at 10 am for our business meeting and at 11:00, New Hampton resident, Karen O'Shea will share her expertise on creating healing oils for skin and hair with natural oils, herbs, and blooms from our gardens. Please join us.

Our next community event is a Books and Blooms exhibit at the Gordon-Nash Library the week of September 8th. Members will create floral displays to enhance one of their favorite books. Stop by the library and check it out! While you are there take a look at the art exhibit and the wonderful little gift shop where you will find some beautiful hand crafted items.

If you are interested in more information regarding our club or if you might be interested in becoming a member, you can pick up membership information at the Gordon-Nash Library, talk to any member, or call 744-8356. We would love to have you join our group and share in our commitment to the New Hampton Community.

The Town Clerk/Tax Collectors' office

is accepting applications for a part-time deputy

To qualify for this position the successful candidate shall be a New Hampton resident. Candidate must be able to perform a variety of clerical/secretarial tasks in support of the Town Clerk/Tax Collector. Will possess a High School diploma/G.E.D. and have 1-2 years of documented experience in general office practices. The ability to work cooperatively in a small office environment, which deals with the public, is essential. Experience with Windows based computers and their applications are required. The average work week will be 10 hours with the potential of additional hours as needed. Starting wage is \$10-\$13.00/hour based on knowledge, skills and abilities. The selected candidate must successfully complete pre-employment testing, criminal background and reference check.

Please submit a resume, with 3 work references. The deadline for submitting applications will be August 28, 2015.

Equal Opportunity Employer (EOE)

Submit applications to: ctorsey@new-hampton.nh.us or,

Town Clerk/Tax Collector

P.O. Box 538

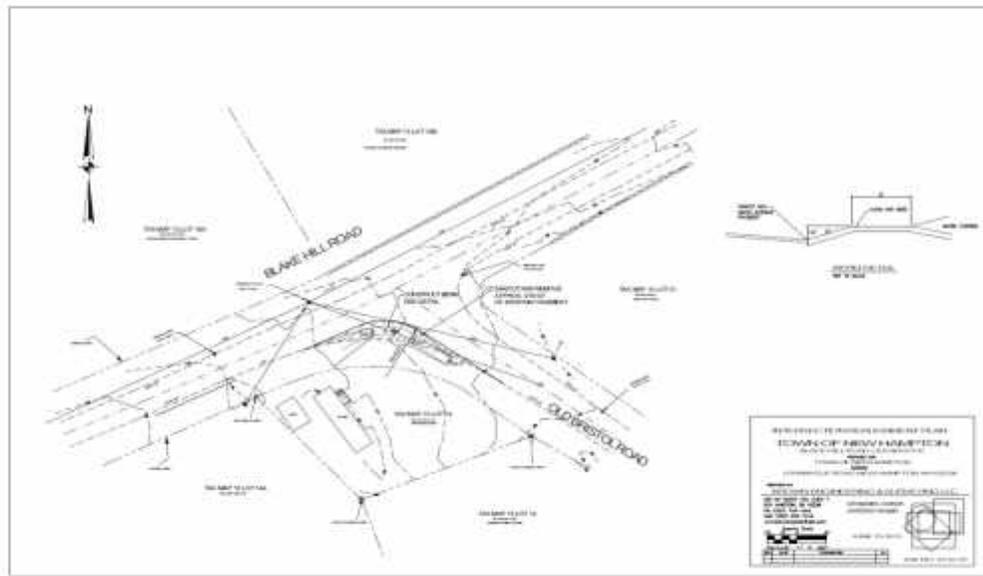
New Hampton, NH 03256

Job description is available at the Town Clerk/Tax Collectors' office

PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT PLANS

FOR BLAKE HILL ROAD AND OLD BRISTOL ROAD INTERSECTION

The Board of Selectmen will hold a public meeting and present the proposed realignment to the intersection at Blake Hill Road and Old Bristol Road plan at their meeting on, Thursday, August 27th at 7:30pm at the Town Office. Public comments are welcomed.



Full size plan is available at the town office for your review prior to the meeting.

Congresswoman Kelly Ayotte's Office Staff to Hold Office Hours

U.S. Senator Kelly Ayotte (R-NH) announced today that a member of her staff will be holding office hours on **Friday, September 4th in New Hampton** to citizens with official business.

Residents who are interested in meeting with a member of the Senator's staff should stop by the **New Hampton Town Office, 6 Pinnacle Hill Rd from 12:30pm to 1:30pm.**

NORTHERN PASS

New proposal from Northern Pass involves changes in the number of poles, height of poles, and burying the line for additional 52 miles. The new 52 miles of buried line are from Bethlehem to Bridgewater. It does not currently propose buried lines for Ashland, New Hampton, Bristol, Hill or other affected towns to the south. The Town will continue to advocate for extending the underground lines through New Hampton and other communities, but we need the public to attend public sessions to voice your opinion on the project and particularly the route

through New Hampton. The next public meeting in this area will be on Thursday, September 10, 2015 at the Lake Opechee Inn & Spa, 62 Doris Ray Court, Laconia.

Open House: 5:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.

Public Information Session:

6:00pm to 6:30pm Overview

6:30 pm to 7:30 pm Questions and Answers

7:30 pm to 10:30 pm Public Comments

Current plans are available at the Town Office.

Also see <http://www.northernpass.us/new-hampton-nh.htm>

***There are other dates and locations available. See the website: www.northernpass.us**

Emerald Ash Borer Quarantine

Affecting hardwood firewood and ash wood-products and nursery stock



Emerald Ash Borer (EAB) was found in Concord in March 2013, and the list of towns with known infestations continues to grow. As a non-native insect, EAB lacks predators to keep it in check. EAB attacks ash trees and infested trees die within 3 to 5 years. Help protect New Hampshire's ash trees. A quarantine of all hardwood firewood, ash wood-products and all ash nursery stock is in effect for Belknap, Hillsborough, Merrimack, and Rockingham counties.

ATTN: PEMIGEWASSET RIVER NEIGHBORS AND RECREATIONISTS

Eversource (formerly PSNH) will be temporarily lowering the water level of the Pemigewasset River above the Ayers Island Hydo Station for maintenance work.

On September 7, 2015 – They will begin lowering the water level.

By September 14, 2015, the water level will be approximately 8 feet below normal and will remain at this level until October 9th.

On October 10, 2015 they will begin to raise the water level to its normal level, as soon as river flows allow.

The water is being drawn down to enable the company to conduct necessary maintenance activities to keep the dam operating efficiently. If you have any questions concerning the lowering of the water level, please call (603)752-3223, x 555-5884

“What is going on at 325 NH Route 104?”



Recent demolition of the old gas station/convenience store in which Tedeschi’s and Subway were previously located, will be replaced by a 12,000 sq. ft. commercial building for a NH Wine and Liquor Outlet. They anticipate opening this December.

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