

**ELECTED OFFICIALS - Rev. October 31, 2020**

**BOARD OF SELECTMEN - 2 YEAR TERM**

Lauren S. Gister	11/16/21 - D
Charlene Janecek	11/16/21 - D
Tommy Englert	11/16/21 - R

**TOWN CLERK & REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS - 4 YEAR TERM**

Debra Germini Calamari	01/03/22 - D - She's an Unaff. but won as a Dem.
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**TOWN TREASURER - 4 YEAR TERM**

Elizabeth A. Netsch	11/16/21 - D
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**TAX COLLECTOR - 4 YEAR TERM**

Madaline A. Meyer	11/16/21 - D - She's an Unaff. But won as a Dem.
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**JUDGE OF PROBATE - 4 YEAR TERM**

Jeannine M. Lewis	01/04/23 - D
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**STATE 36th REPRESENTATIVE - 2 YEAR TERM**

Christine Palm	01/06/21 - D
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**STATE 33rd SENATOR - 2 YEAR TERM**

Norman Needleman	01/06/21 - D
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**U.S. REPRESENTATIVE - 2ND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT - 2 YEAR TERM**

Joe Courtney	01/03/21- D
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**U.S. SENATORS - 6 YEAR TERM**

Richard Blumenthal	01/03/23 - D
Christopher S. Murphy	01/03/25 - D

**BOARD OF ASSESSMENT APPEALS - 4 YEAR TERM**

Sarah J. Germini	11/21/23 - U - Apptd. By BOS to Fill a Vac.
Dudley W. Clark	11/16/21 - D
Kristina Pollock	11/16/21 - R

**BOARD OF EDUCATION - 4 YEAR TERM**

Robert Bibbiani	11/02/21 - D
Tom Englert	11/02/21 - R
Maria Scherber	11/02/21 - D
Rebecca Greenberg-Ellis	11/02/21 - D - She's an Ind. But won as a Dem
Kris Pollock	11/02/21 - R
Kristin L. Smith	11/02/21 - U - Apptd. To Fill Vac.
Charlene Fearon	11/07/23 - D - She's an Unaff. But won as a Dem
David Fitzgibbons, Chmn.	11/07/23 - D
Dale Bernardoni	11/07/23 - D

**BOARD OF FINANCE - 6 YEAR TERM**

Virginia Carmany, Chmn.	11/21/23 - D
Richard Nygard	11/21/23 - D
Jennifer Hummel-Rannestad	11/16/21 - D - She's an Unaff. But won as a Dem
Jon Joslow	11/16/21 - R
Richard Strauss	11/18/25 - D
Gregory Merola	11/18/25 - R

**ALTERNATES:**

Michael Joplin	11/21/23 - D
John P. O'Hare	11/16/21 - R
Andrew Gardner	11/18/25 - D

**LIBRARY TRUSTEES- 6 YEAR TERM**

Margaret Carter-Ward	11/21/23 - D
Devin L. Chester	11/21/23 - CG - She's a Dem but won as CG
Karin Badger	11/16/21 -D
Sandra Senior-Dauer	11/16/21 - D
Jennifer Rice	11/18/25- R - She's an Unaff but won as a Rep
Abigail J. Rice	11/18/25 - D

**PLANNING AND ZONING - 6 YEAR TERM**

Jon M. Lavy, Chmn.	11/18/25 - D
Henry Krempel	11/18/25 - D
Seth Fidel	11/18/25 - D
Elizabeth Perreault	11/21/23 - R - She's an Unaff. But won as Rep
Peter Zanardi	11/21/23 - D
Michael A. Sanders	11/21/23 - CG - He's an Unaff. But won as CG
Elaine M. Fitzgibbons	11/16/21 - D
Steven Merola	11/16/21 - R
Keith Scherber	11/16/21 - D

**ALTERNATES**

Patricia P. Bisacky	11/16/21 - CG - She's a Dem but won as CG
Shubert C. Koong	11/21/23 - D
Andrew P. Landsman	11/18/25 - D - He's an Unaff. But won as Dem

**REGISTRAR OF VOTERS - 4 YEAR TERM**

Leslie Ann Holbrook	01/04/23 - D
Tracey Ohaus	01/04/23 - R

**REGIONAL BOARD OF EDUCATION - 6 YEAR TERM-No Minority Rep Necess.**

Robert Bibbiani	11/07/23 - D- Position to be on '21 ballot to fill vac
Lori Ann Clymas	11/02/21 -D
John Stack	11/04/25 - D - He's an Unaff. But won as Dem

**ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS - 4 YEAR TERM**

John J. DeLaura, Jr.	12/31/21 - D
Errol F. Horner	12/31/21 - D
Vacancy	12/31/23 - D
Erik P. Anderson	12/31/23 - D
Robert Blair	12/31/23 - R

**ALTERNATES**

Michael Peck	12/31/21 - D
Victor Fetter	12/31/23 - D
Alexander C. Stein	12/31/23 - CG - He's an Unaff. But won as Cmn Grd

**JUSTICES OF THE PEACE - 4 YEAR TERM**

Mario S. Gioco	01/04/21 - R
Keith N. Dauer	01/04/21 - D
Jonathan A. Joslow	01/04/21 - R
Emily S. Masters	01/04/21 - D
Elizabeth A. Perreault	01/04/21 - R
Anna Shubik Sweeney	01/04/21 - D
Jerry A. Walden	01/04/21 - D
Bruce H. Watrous	01/04/21 - R
Whitelaw Wilson	01/04/21 - U - By Town Clerk
Thomas W. Brelsford	01/04/21 - D
Patricia C. Bandzes	01/04/21 - R



## APPOINTED OFFICIALS

### ACCOUNTING MANAGER

Peter Evankow

Sharon Echtman, Account Clerk

### ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Jenny Watrous

### ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

Caitlyn Sikora

### ASSISTANT ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

Scott McCoid

### ASSESSOR

Loreta Zdanys

Darlene Pollock, Assistant

### AUDITORS

O'Connor Davies

### BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS - 4 YEAR TERM

Bettie Perreault, Chmn. 11/16/21 - R

John M. Divis 11/16/21 - D

Robert P. Quale 11/16/21 - U - Apptd. By BOS to Fill Vac.

Robert C. Bandzes 11/21/23 - U

Richard Schreiber 11/21/23 - R

Ex-officio members:

Richard Leighton - Fire Marshal

James Grzybowski, Chief

Lauren Gister, First Selectman

**BUILDING OFFICIAL - 4 YEAR TERM**

Richard Leighton, Building Official      06/30/2024

Jenny Watrous, Building Clerk

**CABLE TELEVISION ADVISORY COUNCIL NUMBER FIVE - 2 YEAR TERM**

Vacancy      (Town)      07/30/21 -

Vacancy      (School)      07/30/21 -

**CEDAR LAKE WATERSHED COMMISSION - 2 YEAR TERM**

Rick Holloway      07/01/21 - R - Cons. Comm. Rep. - Apptd. By BOS

William T. Bernhart      07/01/21 - R - IWWA Rep.- Apptd. By BOS

Denise Learned      07/01/21 - D - Camp Hazen Rep. - Reapptd. By BOS

Christopher Hayward      07/01/21- R - Town Rep. - Repptd. By BOS

Thomas Brelsford      07/01/22 - D - Reapptd. By BOS

Vacancy      07/01/22- -

Nancy Byrne      07/01/22- R - Town Rep. - Reapptd. By BOS

**CENTRAL REGIONAL TOURISM DISTRICT - 3 YEAR TERM**

Shubert Koong      09/10/22 - D - Apptd. By BOS

**CHESTER HOUSING PARTNERSHIP COMMITTEE**

David Mesite

Vacancy

Vacancy

Vacancy

Vacancy

Vacancy

**CITATION HEARING OFFICERS - 2 YEAR TERM**

Elizabeth Perreault      11/16/21 - U

Whitelaw Wilson      11/16/21 - U

Richard Schreiber      11/16/21 - R

Kathryn M. Merola      11/16/21 - R - Apptd. By BOS to Fill Vac.

Vacancy      11/16/21 -

**COMMUNITY DECOMMISSIONING ADVISORY COMMITTEE - 2 YEAR TERM**

Vacancy      11/16/21 -

Vacancy, Alternate      11/16/21-

**COMPLIANCE OFFICER/TOWN ATTORNEY - 2 YEAR TERM**

John Bennet 11/16/21

**CONNECTICUT RIVER ESTUARY TRANSIT DISTRICT - 4 YEAR TERM**

Leslie B. Strauss 02/21/21 - D - Reapptd. By BOS

**CONNECTICUT RIVER GATEWAY COMMISSION - 2 YEAR TERM**

Thomas Brelsford 07/01/22 - D - Apptd. By BOS

Jenny A. Kitsen, Alt. 07/01/22 - D - Reapptd. By BOS to fill Vac.

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION - 4 YEAR TERM**

Michael P. Prisloe, Jr., Chmn. 11/01/24 - U - Reapptd. By BOS

Margot D. Burns 11/01/24 - D - Reapptd. By BOS

Margaret Wilson 11/01/23 - D - Reapptd. By BOS

Vacancy 11/01/23 - D - Reapptd. By BOS

Theodore Taigen 11/01/23 - D - Apptd. By BOS

Richard P. Holloway 11/01/22 - R - Reapptd. By BOS

Lisa Catherine Wahle 11/01/22 - D - Apptd. By BOS

**DIRECTOR OF HEALTH**

CRAHD

**EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

Reinaldo (Ray) Guasp, Jr.

Joel P. Severance, Deputy

Bruce H. Watrous, Deputy

Thomas B. Layton, Deputy

Cy Libby, Deputy

**ENGINEER - 2 YEAR TERM**

Nathan L. Jacobson & Assoc. 11/16/21

**FIRE MARSHAL- Lifetime**

Richard Leighton

Peter Terenzi, Deputy

David Roberge, Fire Investigator

**HARBOR MANAGEMENT COMMISSION - 6 YEAR TERM**

James Barrington 10/03/23 - D - Reapptd. By BOS

Leroy Edward Ward III 10/03/23 - D - Reapptd. By BOS

Carolyn Kane 10/03/25 - R - Reapptd. By BOS

Joel Severance 10/03/25 - R - Reapptd. By BOS  
Gordon VanNes 10/03/25 - D - Reapptd. By BOS

ALTERNATES:

Thomas Brelsford 10/03/23 - D - Apptd. By BOS to Fill Vac.  
Vacancy 10/03/21 -

HARBOR MASTER

Everett (Cy) Libby - Appointed by Governor June 30, 2016 to June 30, 20218  
Michael S. Adams, Deputy - Apptd. By Governor 7/1/2018 to June 30, 2021

HISTORIAN

Robert Miceli

HUMAN SERVICES DIRECTOR

Rosemary Bininger

INLAND WETLAND OFFICER

Anna Shubik Sweeney

INLAND WETLANDS AND WATERCOURSES COMMISSION - 4 YEAR TERM

Eleanor Wahlberg 11/16/21 - D - She's an Unaff. But appoint as a Dem  
Eric Davison 11/16/21 - D - He's an Unaff. But won as a Dem  
Albert Bisacky 11/21/23 - R - Apptd by BOS  
Robert Blair 11/21/23 - R - Apptd. By BOS  
William Bernhart 11/21/23 - R - Apptd. By BOS  
Sally Sanders 11/21/23 - D - Apptd. By BOS  
Kim Senay 11/21/23 - U - Apptd. By BOS

LIBRARY DIRECTOR

Stephanie Romano

LOWER CT RIVER VALLEY COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS - 2 YEAR TERM

Vacancy - BOS Rep. 12/04/21- BOS Rep.  
Michael Sanders-P&Z Rep. 12/04/21 - P&Z Rep.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY REVITALIZATION COMMISSION - 2 YEAR TERM

Vacancy 11/16/21 -

MUNICIPAL AGENT FOR CHILDREN - LIFETIME

Tri-Town Youth Service Bureau, Allison Abramson, Director

**MUNICIPAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION - 5 YEAR TERM**

Patricia C. Bandzes	11/01/23 - R - Repptd. By BOS
Adam Scott Perl	11/01/24 - U - Apptd. By BOS to fill vac.
Susan Wright, Chmn.	11/01/24 - D - Apptd. By BOS to fill vac.
Michael Sanders	11/01/20 - U - Reapptd. By BOS
Jeffrey Liggett	11/01/20 - U - Apptd. By BOS to fill vac.

**PARK AND RECREATION COMMISSION - 3 YEAR TERM**

Ivey Gianetti	11/01/21 - D - Reapptd. By BOS
Deron Grabel	11/01/21 - R - Repptd. By BOS
John Saunders	11/01/22 - U - Reapptd. By BOS
Michael Jay Abramson, Chmn.	11/01/22 - D - Reapptd. By BOS
John B. Williams	11/01/23 - U - Reapptd. By BOS
Dawn C. Saunders	11/01/23 - U - Apptd. By BOS to fill Vac.
Kurt Ziemann	11/01/23 - D - Apptd. By BOS to fill Vac.

**PARK AND RECREATION DIRECTOR**

Elizabeth A. Netsch

**REGIONAL AGRICULTURE COUNCIL**

Bev Markham

**REGIONAL MENTAL HEALTH BOARD - 2 YEAR TERM**

Vacancy 04/30/22-

**REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT #4 GROUNDS MAINTENANCE AND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE - 2 YEAR TERM**

Charles F. Greeney	11/16/21 - U - Apptd. By BOS to Fill Vac.
Vacancy	11/16/21 -

**RESIDENT STATE TROOPER**

Trooper Matt Ward - State Police - Troop F 06/30/22

**RETIREMENT BOARD - 3 YEAR TERM**

Andrew Gardner 12/16/21 - D - Apptd. By BOS to Fill Vac.  
Benjamin G. Belisle 12/16/21 - R - Apptd. By BOS to Fill Vac.  
Jen Rannestad 12/16/22 - U - BOF Rep. Apptd. By BOS  
Van C. Standke, Chmn. 12/16/22 - U - Reapptd. By BOS  
Francine Cornaglia 12/16/20 - R - Apptd. By BOS to Fill Vac.

**SOUTH CENTRAL CT EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES COUNCIL INC. - 2 YR. TERM**

Vacancy 12/01/20 - D

**SANITARIAN**

Ryan Grenon, CRAHD

**TAX CLERK**

Susan Shrack

**TOURISM LIAISON FOR TOWN OF CHESTER**

Vacancy 06/30/2020

**TOWN CLERK**

Sharon Echtman, Assistant

**TOWN TREASURER-Deputies**

Julie Netsch, Deputy  
Randy Netsch, Deputy

**TREE WARDEN - 2 YEAR TERM**

Vacancy 11/16/21 -

**TRI-TOWN YOUTH SERVICE BUREAU REPRESENTATIVE - 2 YEAR TERM**

Jan Taigen 11/16/21- D - Apptd. By BOS to Fill Vac.

**VALLEY SHORE EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
2 YEAR TERM**

Vacancy 11/16/21 - U  
Vacancy 11/16/21 -

**WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY-4 YR TERM-APPTD AS OF 2/21/19**

Edward Ward III 11/16/21 - D

Edmund Meehan	11/16/21 - D
Samuel H. Chorches	11/16/21 - D
Ian McLachlan	11/21/23 - R
Mark Riggio	11/21/23- D

**ZONING ENFORCEMENT OFFICER**

Vacancy