



**Proposed Budget
Bath**

For the period beginning January 1, 2025 and ending December 31, 2025

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Account	Purpose	Article	Expenditures for	Appropriations	Proposed Appropriations for period	
			period ending	for period ending	ending 12/31/2025	
			12/31/2024	12/31/2024	(Recommended)	(Not Recommended)
General Government						
4130	Executive	04	\$90,238	\$88,900	\$97,000	\$0
4140	Election, Registration, and Vital Statistics	04	\$70,521	\$71,500	\$74,500	\$0
4150	Financial Administration	04	\$37,509	\$32,000	\$35,000	\$0
4152	Property Assessment	04	\$29,279	\$31,600	\$32,500	\$0
4153	Legal Expense	04	\$13,887	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$0
4155	Personnel Administration	04	\$40,145	\$52,000	\$50,000	\$0
4191	Planning and Zoning	04	\$1,201	\$1,600	\$1,600	\$0
4194	General Government Buildings	04	\$14,658	\$15,000	\$16,000	\$0
4195	Cemeteries	04	\$12,281	\$15,000	\$16,500	\$0
4196	Insurance Not Otherwise Allocated	04	\$38,056	\$38,100	\$41,550	\$0
4197	Advertising and Regional Associations	04	\$2,471	\$2,500	\$2,350	\$0
4198	Contingency		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4199	Other General Government	04	\$0	\$26,600	\$46,900	\$0
General Government Subtotal			\$350,246	\$389,800	\$428,900	\$0
Public Safety						
4210	Police	04	\$159,726	\$168,100	\$168,100	\$0
4215	Ambulances	04	\$57,502	\$57,502	\$61,626	\$0
4220	Fire	04	\$72,864	\$73,000	\$73,000	\$0
4240	Building Inspection	04	\$0	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$0
4290	Emergency Management	04	\$5,351	\$13,800	\$8,200	\$0
4299	Other Public Safety	04	\$12,036	\$13,000	\$15,000	\$0
Public Safety Subtotal			\$307,479	\$326,402	\$326,926	\$0
Airport/Aviation Center						
4301	Airport Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4302	Airport Operations		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4309	Other Airport		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Airport/Aviation Center Subtotal			\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Highways and Streets						
4311	Highway Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4312	Highways and Streets	04	\$568,664	\$580,000	\$580,000	\$0
4313	Bridges	04	\$5,390	\$6,500	\$6,500	\$0
4316	Street Lighting	04	\$13,609	\$13,700	\$14,900	\$0
4319	Other Highway, Streets, and Bridges	04	\$10,402	\$11,000	\$11,500	\$0
Highways and Streets Subtotal			\$598,065	\$611,200	\$612,900	\$0
Sanitation						
4321	Sanitation Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4323	Solid Waste Collection	04	\$1,140	\$1,200	\$1,400	\$0
4324	Solid Waste Disposal		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0



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4325	Solid Waste Facilities Clean-Up		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4326	Sewage Collection and Disposal		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4329	Other Sanitation		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Sanitation Subtotal			\$1,140	\$1,200	\$1,400	\$0

Water Distribution and Treatment

4331	Water Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4332	Water Services	04	\$3,162	\$3,300	\$3,350	\$0
4335	Water Treatment		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4338	Water Conservation		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4339	Other Water		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Water Distribution and Treatment Subtotal			\$3,162	\$3,300	\$3,350	\$0

Electric

4351	Electric Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4352	Generation		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4353	Purchase Costs		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4354	Electric Equipment Maintenance		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4359	Other Electric Costs		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Electric Subtotal			\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Health

4411	Health Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4414	Pest Control	04	\$0	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$0
4415	Health Agencies and Hospitals	04	\$7,835	\$7,836	\$7,835	\$0
4419	Other Health		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Health Subtotal			\$7,835	\$8,836	\$8,835	\$0

Welfare

4441	Welfare Administration	04	\$6,354	\$10,000	\$8,000	\$0
4442	Direct Assistance		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4444	Intergovernmental Welfare Payments		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4445	Vendor Payments		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4449	Other Welfare		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Welfare Subtotal			\$6,354	\$10,000	\$8,000	\$0

Culture and Recreation

4520	Parks and Recreation	04	\$3,560	\$5,000	\$4,550	\$0
4550	Library	04	\$63,368	\$68,600	\$66,000	\$0
4583	Patriotic Purposes	04	\$1,211	\$1,300	\$1,300	\$0
4589	Other Culture and Recreation		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Culture and Recreation Subtotal			\$68,139	\$74,900	\$71,850	\$0

Conservation and Development

4611	Conservation Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
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4612	Purchase of Natural Resources		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4619	Other Conservation	04	\$250	\$2,500	\$2,000	\$0
4631	Redevelopment and Housing Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4632	Other Redevelopment and Housing		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4651	Economic Development Administration		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4652	Economic Development		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4659	Other Economic Development		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Conservation and Development Subtotal			\$250	\$2,500	\$2,000	\$0

Debt Service

4711	Principal - Long Term Bonds, Notes, and Other Debt	04	\$99,131	\$98,500	\$76,320	\$0
4721	Interest - Long Term Bonds, Notes, and Other Debt	04	\$7,258	\$6,550	\$4,200	\$0
4723	Interest on Tax and Revenue Anticipation Notes	04	\$0	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$0
4790	Other Debt Service Charges		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Debt Service Subtotal			\$106,389	\$106,050	\$81,520	\$0

Capital Outlay

4901	Land		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4902	Machinery, Vehicles, and Equipment		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4903	Buildings		\$19,867	\$45,000	\$0	\$0
4909	Improvements Other than Buildings	04	\$0	\$0	\$15,000	\$0
Capital Outlay Subtotal			\$19,867	\$45,000	\$15,000	\$0

Operating Transfers Out

4911	To Revolving Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4912	To Special Revenue Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4913	To Capital Projects Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4914A	To Airport Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4914E	To Electric Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4914O	To Other Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4914S	To Sewer Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4914W	To Water Proprietary Fund	04	\$21,461	\$25,500	\$25,500	\$0
4918	To Non-Expendable Trust Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
4919	To Fiduciary Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Operating Transfers Out Subtotal			\$21,461	\$25,500	\$25,500	\$0

Total Operating Budget Appropriations					\$1,586,181	\$0
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Account	Purpose	Article	Proposed Appropriations for period ending 12/31/2025	
			(Recommended)	(Not Recommended)
4902	Machinery, Vehicles, and Equipment	05	\$139,750	\$0
	<i>Purpose: New 1-Ton Truck</i>			
4903	Buildings	03	\$1,000,000	\$0
	<i>Purpose: New town Garage</i>			
4903	Buildings	06	\$50,000	\$0
	<i>Purpose: Renovations to Town Hall for PD</i>			
4915	To Capital Reserve Funds	07	\$20,000	\$0
	<i>Purpose: CRF for Highway Equipment</i>			
4915	To Capital Reserve Funds	08	\$10,000	\$0
	<i>Purpose: CRF Road Repairs</i>			
4915	To Capital Reserve Funds	09	\$10,000	\$0
	<i>Purpose: CRF for Fire Department Vehicles</i>			
4915	To Capital Reserve Funds	10	\$15,000	\$0
	<i>Purpose: CRF Police Vehicles</i>			
4915	To Capital Reserve Funds	11	\$5,000	\$0
	<i>Purpose: CRF Generator</i>			
4915	To Capital Reserve Funds	12	\$20,000	\$0
	<i>Purpose: CRF Land/Buildings Highway Dept etc</i>			
Total Proposed Special Articles			\$1,269,750	\$0



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Account	Purpose	Article	Proposed Appropriations for period ending 12/31/2025	
			(Recommended)	(Not Recommended)
Total Proposed Individual Articles			\$0	\$0



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Account	Source	Article	Actual Revenues for period ending 12/31/2024	Estimated Revenues for period ending 12/31/2024	Estimated Revenues for period ending 12/31/2025
Taxes					
3120	Land Use Change Taxes for General Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0
3180	Resident Taxes		\$0	\$0	\$0
3185	Yield Taxes	04	\$0	\$27,290	\$23,000
3186	Payment in Lieu of Taxes	04	\$0	\$201,111	\$200,000
3187	Excavation Tax	04	\$0	\$94	\$150
3189	Other Taxes		\$0	\$0	\$0
3190	Interest and Penalties on Delinquent Taxes	04	\$0	\$15,000	\$13,000
Taxes Subtotal			\$0	\$243,495	\$236,150
Licenses, Permits, and Fees					
3210	Business Licenses and Permits		\$0	\$0	\$0
3220	Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	04	\$0	\$260,000	\$270,000
3230	Building Permits		\$0	\$0	\$0
3290	Other Licenses, Permits, and Fees	04	\$0	\$4,500	\$4,500
Licenses, Permits, and Fees Subtotal			\$0	\$264,500	\$274,500
From Federal Government					
3311	Housing and Urban Development		\$0	\$0	\$0
3312	Environmental Protection		\$0	\$0	\$0
3313	Federal Emergency		\$0	\$0	\$0
3314	Federal Drug Enforcement		\$0	\$0	\$0
3319	Other Federal Grants and Reimbursements		\$0	\$0	\$0
From Federal Government Subtotal			\$0	\$0	\$0
State Sources					
3351	Shared Revenues - Block Grant		\$0	\$0	\$0
3352	Meals and Rooms Tax Distribution	04	\$0	\$106,835	\$100,000
3353	Highway Block Grant	04	\$0	\$74,635	\$70,000
3354	Water Pollution Grant		\$0	\$0	\$0
3355	Housing and Community Development		\$0	\$0	\$0
3356	State and Federal Forest Land Reimbursement		\$0	\$0	\$0
3357	Flood Control Reimbursement		\$0	\$0	\$0
3359	Railroad Tax Distribution		\$0	\$0	\$0
3360	Water Filtration Grants		\$0	\$0	\$0
3361	Landfill Closure Grants		\$0	\$0	\$0
3369	Other Intergovernmental Revenue from State of NH		\$0	\$0	\$0
3379	Intergovernmental Revenues - Other	05	\$0	\$0	\$19,046
State Sources Subtotal			\$0	\$181,470	\$189,046
Charges for Services					
3401	Income from Departments	04	\$0	\$2,500	\$3,000
3402	Water Supply System Charges		\$0	\$0	\$0



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3403	Sewer User Charges		\$0	\$0	\$0
3404	Garbage-Refuse Charges		\$0	\$0	\$0
3405	Electric User Charges		\$0	\$0	\$0
3406	Airport Fees		\$0	\$0	\$0
3409	Other Charges	04	\$0	\$9,350	\$11,140
Charges for Services Subtotal			\$0	\$11,850	\$14,140

Miscellaneous Revenues

3500	Special Assessments		\$0	\$0	\$0
3501	Sale of Municipal Property	04	\$0	\$1,000	\$1,000
3502	Interest on Investments	04	\$0	\$1,000	\$1,500
3503	Rents of Property		\$0	\$0	\$0
3504	Fines and Forfeits		\$0	\$0	\$0
3506	Insurance Dividends and Reimbursements		\$0	\$0	\$0
3508	Contributions and Donations		\$0	\$0	\$0
3509	Revenue from Misc Sources Not Otherwise Classified	04	\$0	\$3,000	\$3,000
Miscellaneous Revenues Subtotal			\$0	\$5,000	\$5,500

Interfund Operating Transfers In

3911	From Revolving Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0
3912	From Special Revenue Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0
3913	From Capital Projects Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0
3914A	From Airport Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0
3914E	From Electric Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0
3914O	From Other Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0
3914S	From Sewer Proprietary Fund		\$0	\$0	\$0
3914W	From Water Proprietary Fund	04	\$0	\$25,500	\$25,500
3915	From Capital Reserve Funds	06, 03, 05	\$0	\$0	\$210,000
3916	From Trust and Fiduciary Funds	04	\$0	\$20	\$20
3917	From Conservation Funds		\$0	\$0	\$0
Interfund Operating Transfers In Subtotal			\$0	\$25,520	\$235,520

Other Financing Sources

3934	Proceeds from Long-Term Notes/Bonds/Other Sources	03, 05	\$0	\$0	\$930,704
9998	Amount Voted from Fund Balance	06	\$0	\$0	\$20,000
9999	Fund Balance to Reduce Taxes		\$0	\$0	\$0
Other Financing Sources Subtotal			\$0	\$0	\$950,704

Total Estimated Revenues and Credits			\$0	\$731,835	\$1,905,560
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Item	Period ending 12/31/2025
Operating Budget Appropriations	\$1,586,181
Special Warrant Articles	\$1,269,750
Individual Warrant Articles	\$0
Total Appropriations	\$2,855,931
Less Amount of Estimated Revenues & Credits	\$1,905,560
Estimated Amount of Taxes to be Raised	\$950,371