

General Information

Established as the Springfield Parish of Dedham in 1748

Incorporated as the District of Dover in 1784

Incorporated as a Town in 1836

Geographic/Legislative Information

Latitude: 42° 14' North

Longitude: 71° 17' West

Land Surface: 9,701.4 acres

Water Surface: 94.6 acres

Total: 9,796 acres or 15.3 square miles

Perimeter: 23.51 miles (10.87 on the Charles River)

Political Location of the Town: Norfolk County

Norfolk, Worcester, and Middlesex District: State Senator Rebecca L. Rauch

Thirteenth Norfolk Representative District: State Representative Denise C. Garlick

Second Councillor District: Councillor Robert A. Jubinville

United States Senate: Senators Elizabeth Warren and Edward J. Markey

Fourth Congressional District of Massachusetts: U.S. Representative

Jake Auchincloss

Building Dates

Library	1968	Regional Middle School	2003
Caryl Community Center	1912, 1972	Regional High School	1968, 2004
Town House	1922	Post Office	1975
Chickering School	2001	Protective Agencies Bldg.	1976, 1999
		Town Garage	1998

Census Figures

Year	Registered Population	Number of Voters	Households
1790	485		
1910	769		
1950	1,722	318	
1975	4,896	2,674	1,335
1980 (est.)	5,000	2,988	1,460
1985	5,039	3,140	1,450
1990	5,240	3,231	1,668
1995	5,585	3,383	1,812
2000	5,874	3,566	1,902
2005	6,088	3,785	1,958
2010	6,034	3,955	1,985
2015	6,199	4,030	1,995
2020	6,305	4,508	2,150
2021	6,264	4,455	2,160
2022	6,260	4,475	2,162
2023	6,216	4,466	2,149

Town Offices Directory

Dover Town House: 5 Springdale Avenue/PO Box 250, Dover, MA 02030

Town Website: www.doverma.gov

Police and Fire Emergencies: 911

Town House Offices: (508) 785-0032 + ext.

For Fax: (508) 785 + fax number

Office	Ext.	Fax	Hours
Accountant	227	2341	M-Th 9-5; F 9-1
Assessors	241	8134	M-Th 9-5; F 9-1
Board of Health	232	8114	M-Th 8:30-3:30
Building Department	225	8114	M-Th 9-4; F 9-1
Wiring Inspector	245	8114	
Plumbing Inspector	357		
Building Maintenance	235	2341	M-Th 7-3; F 7-1
Town Clerk	226	2341	M & W 9-3; T & Th 9-4; F 9-1
Conservation Commission	233	8114	M-Th 9-3:30
IT Manager	247		M-Th 9-5; F 9-1
Municipal Project Manager	247		M-Th 9-5; F 9-1
Planning Board	238	8114	M-Th 9-5; F 9-1
Board of Selectmen	221	2341	M-Th 9-5; F 9-1
Treasurer/Tax Collector	228	0457	M-Th 9-5; F 9-1
Water Department	235	2341	M-Th 7-3; F 9-1

Other Offices: Unless otherwise noted, (508) 785 + number

	Number	Fax	Hours
Animal Control Officer	1130	0683	
Cemetery Superintendent	0058 (x120)	8115	M-F 7:30-3
Council on Aging	(508) 315-5734		M-Th 9-5; F 9-1
Emergency Management	1130		24 hours
Fire Department (non-emergency)	1130	8122	
Highway Department	0058 (x110)	8115	M-F 7-3:30
Library	8113	0138	M-Th 10-8; F 10-6; Sat 10-4
Parks and Recreation	0476	8123	M-F 9-5
Police Dept. (non-emergency)	1130	0683	
Schools			
Administration	0036	2239	
Chickering Elementary	0480	9748	
D-S Middle School	0635	0796	
D-S High School	0624	8141	
Community Education	0480 (x2020)	9748	
Minuteman Voc/Tech High School	(781) 861-6500		
Transfer Station	0058 (x110)		W, Sat, Sun 8-3:45
Tree Warden	1130	0683	
Veterans' Agent	(508) 647-6545		

Elected Officials

For 2023–24

	Term Expires		
Moderator		Cemetery Commissioners	
James R. Repetti	2024	Mariah Riess, Chair	2025
Board of Selectmen		Carol A. Jackman	2024
Robert P. Springett, Chair	2024	Frederick G. Sears	2026
Robyn M. Hunter	2026	Trustees Larrabee and Whiting	
John D. Jeffries	2025	Estate	
Town Clerk		Jonathan P. Fryer, Chair	2024
Felicia S. Hoffman	2026	Mary C. Crane	2024
Board of Assessors		Phillip R. Luttazi	2024
Caroline “Bonnie” Akins, Chair	2026	Constables	
Robert G. Cocks Jr.	2025	André G. Boudreau	2025
Charles W. Long	2024	William R. Herd	2025
Dover School Committee		Christopher Jackman	2025
Elizabeth Grossman, Chair	2024	Planning Board	
Jeff Cassidy	2025	Carol L. Lisbon, Chair	2024
Martha H. Castle	2026	Jody B. Shue, Vice Chair	2026
Jessica N. Hole	2026	Scott Freedman	2027
Goli Sepehr	2025	William Motley	2026
D-S Regional School Committee		George L. Sidgwick	2025
(Dover members)		Valerie Lin, <i>associate member</i>	2024
Mark G. Healey, Vice Chair	2025	Board of Health	
M. Colleen Burt	2026	Kay M. Petersen, Chair	2026
Margaret Charron	2024	Stephen I. Kruskall	2024
Library Trustees		John Quackenbush	2025
Erin E. Rodat-Savla, Chair	2024	Parks and Recreation	
Robert Andrews	2024	Commission	
Peter K. Hoffmann	2026	Christopher Boland, Chair	2025
Judith Schulz	2026	Jennifer J. Daman	2024
Amee V. Tejani	2025	Michael Gilio	2024
Tracy L. Tobin	2024	Eric H. Loeffler	2025
		Kathleen W. Weld	2026

Appointed Officials

For 2023–24

	Term Expires
Appointed by the Board of Selectmen	
Town Administrator	
Michael Blanchard	2026
Town Accountant	
Kathleen LaPlant	2024
Town Counsel	
Anderson & Kreiger, LLP	2024
Treasurer/Collector	
Kyle Banoey	2024
Affirmative Action Officer	
Michael Blanchard	2024
Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Compliance Officer	
Robin Tusino	–
Animal Control Officer	
(Position open)	2024
Board of Appeals (Zoning)	
Alan Fryer, Chair	2025
Nadir Ahmed	2025
Michael Donovan, <i>associate member</i>	2024
Nancy Greene, <i>associate member</i>	2024
LaVerne Lovell	2024
Board of Fire Engineers	
J. Ford Spalding, Chair	2026
Kathryn Cannie	2026
James P. Dawley Jr.	2024
Board of Registrars	
George Chimento	2024
Margaret “Peg” Crowley	2025
Erin Gorden	2026
Felicia S. Hoffman, <i>ex officio</i>	–

Term Expires

Board of Selectmen Membership Size Study Committee

Kathryn Cannie, Chair	–
James Dawley Jr.	–
Richard Forte Jr.	–
LaVerne Lovell	–
David Peress	–
Carolyn Ringel	–
Mark Sarro	–
Michael Blanchard, <i>ex officio</i>	–

Capital Budget Committee Representative

Robyn Hunter	2024
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Chief of Communications

Joseph P. Vinci	2024
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Community Center Building Committee

Ford Spalding, Chair	
David Billings	–
Luciana Burdi	–
Barry Goldman	–
Dick Malcom	–
Terry Sobolewski	–
Ruth Townsend	–
Cameron Hudson, <i>Warrant Committee liaison</i>	
John D. Jeffries, <i>Board of Selectmen liaison</i>	
Michael Blanchard, Town Administrator, <i>ex officio</i>	

Conservation Commission

John Sullivan, Chair	2026
Tim Holiner	2026
James A. McLaughlin	2024
Sarah Monaco	2025
Amey Moot	2024
Anna Nagy	2025
(Positions open: <i>one full member; two associate members</i>)	

Council on Aging

Robert G. Cocks Jr., Chair	2025
Maureen Dilg	2026
Reverend Peter DiSanto	2025
Betty Hagan	2024
Cindy Holmes	2025
Gilbert Thisse	2024
Annemarie Thompson, <i>associate member</i>	2024
Geraldine Wise	2026
(Positions open: <i>at-large member; associate member</i>)	

	Term Expires
Cultural Council	
Judith Schulz, Chair	2026
Denise Auclair	2026
Shashi Chawla	2026
Stefanie Leahy	2026
Antonio Saenz	2024
Director of Public Works	
Kevin McCabe	–
Forest Warden	
Paul Luttazi	2026
Groundwater Bylaw Enforcement Agent	
Kevin McCabe (Position open)	2024
Hazardous Waste Coordinator	
Robert Tosi	2026
Historical Commission	
Anne Reitmayer, Chair	2026
Sierra Bright	2026
Gene Hornsby	2025
Stephen Kruskall, <i>resigned September 2023</i>	2024
Jane Moore	2025
Geoffrey Sauter	2026
Ellen Weinberg, <i>to fill unexpired term</i> (Position open)	2024
Housing Task Force	
Walter Avallone	–
Jason Belmonte	–
Michael Blanchard	–
Janet Bowser	–
Christopher Costello	–
Jasmin Farinacci	–
R. Alan Fryer	–
Robyn Hunter	–
Valerie Lin	–
Carol Lisbon	–
Anna Nagy	–
Kay Petersen	–
Jody Shue	–

	Term Expires
Inspector of Buildings	
Walter Avallone, Commissioner/Inspector of Buildings Zoning Enforcement Officer Floating Dock Inspector	2024
Joseph Doyle, Local Inspector of Buildings	2024
Felix Zemel, Back-up Inspector of Buildings	2024
Inspector of Wiring <i>(Appointed by Inspector of Buildings)</i>	
Kevin Malloy, Inspector of Wiring	2024
Paul Angus, Alternate Inspector of Wiring	2024
James Murphy, Second Alternate Inspector of Wiring	2024
Inspector of Plumbing and Gas <i>(Appointed by Inspector of Buildings)</i>	
James Vaughan, Inspector of Plumbing and Gas	2024
Robert Piersiak, Alternate Inspector of Plumbing and Gas	2024
Jeffrey Harris, Second Alternate Inspector of Plumbing and Gas	2024
MBTA Advisory Board	
John Jeffries	2024
Measurer of Wood and Bark <i>(inactive)</i>	
Metropolitan Area Planning Council Representative <i>(Includes Three Rivers Interlocal Council and Southwest Advisory Planning Committee)</i>	
Jasmin Farinacci	2026
MetroWest RTA Representative	
Kevin McCabe	–
Norfolk County Advisory Board	
Michael Blanchard	–
Open Space Committee	
Amey Moot, Chair	2024
Mark Adamczyk	2025
Henry Faulkner	2024
Boynton Glidden	2024
Gregory M. Kahoun	2024
Justine Kent-Uritam	2024
Carol Lisbon, <i>Planning Board appointee</i>	2024
Sarah Monaco	2024
Rick Nagy	2024
Tara Nolan	2025
Connie Sullivan	2026
John Jeffries, <i>Board of Selectmen liaison</i>	2024

	Term Expires
Superintendent of Streets	
Robert Tosi	2024
Personnel Board	
Juris Alksnitis, Co-Chair, <i>Moderator appointee</i>	2026
Sue Geremia, Co-Chair	2025
Mary Hornsby, <i>to fill unexpired term</i>	2024
Robert Seiler	2026
Michael Blanchard, <i>ex officio</i>	
(Position open: <i>Warrant Committee appointee</i>)	
Personnel Rules Ombudsmen	
Robin Tusino, <i>female</i>	2024
Michael Blanchard, <i>male</i>	2024
Police Department	
Joseph P. Vinci, Chief of Police	2027
Nicole Bratcher-Heffernan	2024
Donald Cahill	2024
David Chaisson	2024
Richard Collamore Jr.	2024
Katherine Kolodziejczyk	2024
Matthew Lavery	2024
Jeffrey Lynch	2024
Anthony Madden	2024
Bruce Maggio	2024
Edward Maguire	2024
Charles Marscher	2024
Ryan Menice	2024
Bret Rowean	2024
Ryan Sullivan	2024
Todd Wilcox	2024
Joseph Woollard	2024
Colin Young	2024
Recycling Committee	
Jennifer Luethy, Chair	2026
Matthew Hadge, <i>to fill unexpired term</i>	2025
Janit Greenwood	2025
Carol Lisbon	2025
Wendy Muellers, <i>to fill unexpired term</i>	2024
Leesa Mullin	2025
Catherine Piemonte	2026
Right-to-Know Coordinator	
Robert Tosi	2024
Title VI Nondiscrimination Coordinator	
Robin Tusino	2024

	Term Expires
Town Engineer	
Michael J. Angieri	2024
Town Report Committee	
Kathy Weld, Chair	2026
Zaiga Alksnitis	2026
Mary Kalamaras	2025
Hadley Reynolds	2024
(Position open)	
Town Sexton	
Laurence R. Eaton	—
Tree Warden and Moth Superintendent	
Kevin McCabe, <i>to fill unexpired term</i>	2024
Veterans' Grave Officer	
Bill Herd	2023
Veterans' Services	
Paul Carew	2024
Appointed by the Moderator	
Warrant Committee	
Cameron Hudson, Chair	2025
Woodrow Weiss, Vice Chair	2026
Peter Smith, Secretary	2024
Jerry Chen, <i>to fill unexpired term</i>	2024
Melissa Herman	2025
Martin Howard	2026
Sara C. Kinney	2026
Janet McCormick	2025
Stephen Migausky	2024
Memorial Day Committee	
Carol Jackman	2025
Chris Jackman	2026
(Position open)	2021
Dover Representative to Minuteman	
J. Ford Spalding	2025
Personnel Board	
Juris Alksnitis	2026
Appointed by the Assessors	
Town Assessor	
Amy Gow	2024

Appointed by the Board of Health

Administrative Assistants

Linda Baldwin-Lyons	—
Priscilla Steenberg	—

Board of Health Director

Jason Belmonte	—
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Board of Health Consultants

Jim Palmer, Deer Management Agent	2024
Mike Francis, DMP Representative	2024
Jay Walsh, DMP Representative	2024

Natick Walpole Visiting Nurse Association

Eileen Garvey, Executive Director	—
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Inspector of Animals

Jennifer Shaw Cronin	2024
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Appointed by the Capital Budget Committee

Capital Budget Committee

Barry Goldman, Chair	2026
Cynthia Devall	2024
Garfield Drummond	2026
Cameron Hudson, <i>Warrant Committee appointee</i>	2024
Robyn Hunter, <i>Board of Selectmen appointee</i>	2024
Stephen Migausky, <i>Warrant Committee appointee</i>	2024
John Quackenbush	2024

Appointed by the Conservation Commission

Open Space Committee

Sarah Monaco	2024
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Appointed by the Planning Board

Planning Assistant

Susan Hall	—
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Land Use Director

Jasmin Farinacci	—
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Open Space Committee

Carol Lisbon	2024
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Term Expires

Tree Preservation Committee

Valerie Lin, Chair	2024
Janet Bowser	2024
Julian Crocker	2024
Shannon Crotty	2024
Boynton Glidden	2024
Angela Lin	2024

Appointed by the Warrant Committee

Personnel Board

(Position open)

Capital Budget Committee

Cameron Hudson	2024
Stephen Migausky	2024

“Appointee” denotes a voting member; “liaison” refers to a non-voting member.

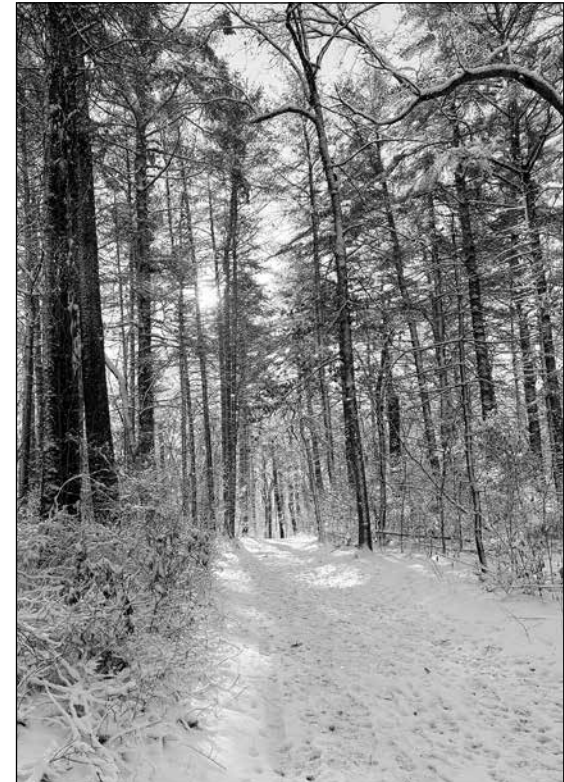


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