

**LEGAL NOTICE
PLANNING BOARD
PORTSMOUTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Board will hold a public hearing on the following applications on **Thursday, June 18, 2026** starting at 7:00 p.m. in the Eileen Dondero Foley Council Chambers, City Hall, Municipal Complex, 1 Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

The request of **Liberty Mutual Insurance Company (Owner)**, for property located at **0 Borthwick Avenue** requesting a Wetland Conditional Use Permit from Section 10.1017.50 for maintenance of a stormwater detention pond at the Liberty Mutual property. This project includes replacement of a failed 24" culvert along with removing 2 feet of sediment from the existing detention pond, unburying two existing culverts which will be cleaned and reset, and removing/trimming vegetation. The total surface area impacts within the prime wetland buffer include approximately 9,500 s.f. of temporary impacts for dredging work, 700 s.f. of wetland buffer disturbance for replacement of the culvert and 225 s.f. of direct prime wetland impacts. Said property is located on Assessor Map 240 Lot 3 and lies within the Office Research (OR) District.

The request of **The City of Portsmouth/New Franklin School (Owner)**, for property located at **1 Franklin Drive** requesting a Wetland Conditional Use Permit from Section 10.1017.50 for work within the 100' wetland buffer area in conjunction with building additions to the New Franklin Elementary School. This project proposes a site increase of 535 s.f. of permanent impervious impacts within the wetland buffer area. Additional stormwater infrastructure has been added to offset the increase in impacts within the buffer. Said property is located on Assessor Map 220 Lot 2 and lies within the Municipal (M) and Highway Noise Overlay Districts.

Planning and Sustainability Director
Peter Britz

Members of the public also have the option to join the meeting over Zoom, a unique meeting ID and password will be provided once you register. Registration information will be provided on the meeting agenda when it is posted to the web page. For technical assistance, please contact the Planning Department by email (Planning@portsmouthnh.gov) or by phone 610-7216.

Note: The Agenda for the Planning Board meeting will differ from the Legal Notice. For information on the Agenda call the Planning Department at 610-7216 or check the City's website at <http://www.portsmouthnh.gov/planportsmouth/planning-board>.

Those interested in submitting written comments should email Planning@portsmouthnh.gov. Comments received by close of business the day before the meeting will be incorporated into the record of the meeting. Any comments received after this deadline must be submitted in person by the individual at the meeting.