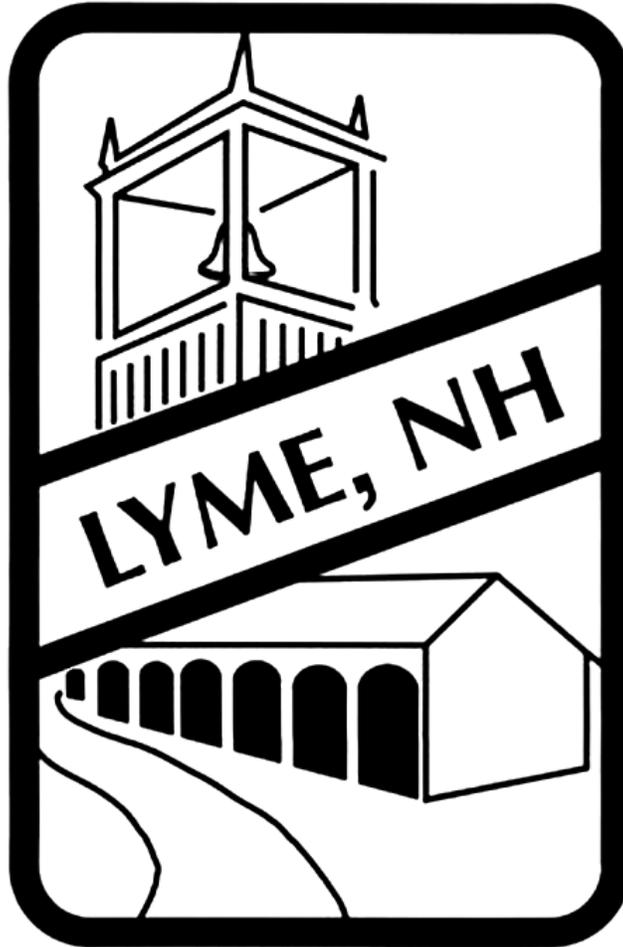


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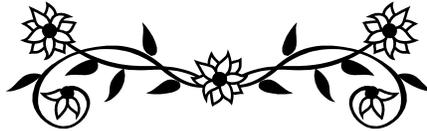


GENERAL INFORMATION 2011

ABOUT LYME

Origin: The Town of Lyme is a rural community located in the upper Connecticut River Valley region of New Hampshire, rising from the Connecticut River bottom on the western border to the top of Smarts Mountain in the northeast corner at 3,238 feet. Lyme was chartered in 1761 with the first settlers arriving in 1764 and the first Town Meeting convened in 1769. Some think Lyme's name came from Old Lyme, Connecticut, which lies at the mouth of the Connecticut River and others mention Lyme Regis, England. The spelling on the original 1761 charter of "Lime" has been attributed to an error by Governor Wentworth's secretary. The population peaked in 1820 at about 1,824 when the hillsides were covered with sheep farms and then fell to 830 in 1930. Today the population is estimated at 1711.

Geography: Lyme contains approximately 55 square miles of territory: 54.8 square miles of land and 0.2 square miles of inland water. There are approximately 65 total miles of roads, of which 28 miles are paved and 38 are gravel roads. The town maintains 49 miles of these roads.



***We recognize and honor the following people who died in 2011.
Each of them served the Town of Lyme in their own way.***

***Warren Birch ~ Maintenance
Laurel Finley ~ School
Wilbur Hutchins ~ Road Crew
Judy Thrasher ~ Library***

NATIONAL ELECTED OFFICIALS 2011

UNITED STATES SENATORS:

Senator Kelly Ayotte, Republican
144 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510
202-224-3324
<http://ayotte.senate.gov/>

Senator Jeanne Shaheen, Democrat
520 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510
202-224-2841
<http://shaheen.senate.gov/>

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS: (District 2)

Representative Charles Bass, Republican
2350 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515
202-225-5206
<http://bass.house.gov/>

STATE ELECTED OFFICIALS 2011

GOVERNOR:

Governor John Lynch, Democrat
State House
107 North Main Street
Concord, NH 03301
603-271-2121
governorlynch@nh.gov

COUNCILOR: (District 1)

Councilor Raymond Burton, Republican
State House, Room 207
107 North Main Street
Concord, N.H. 03301
603-271-3632
rburton@gov.state.nh.us

STATE SENATOR: (District 2)

Senator Jeanie Forrester, Republican
State House, Room 105A
107 North Main Street
Concord, N.H. 03301
603-271-2104
jeanie.forrester@leg.state.nh.us

STATE REPRESENTATIVES: (District 9)

Representative Bernard Benn, Democrat
Hanover
643-5058
bernard.benn@leg.state.nh.us

Representative Beatriz Pastor, Democrat
Lyme
795-4315
beatriz.pastor@leg.state.nh.us

Representative Sharon Nordgren, Democrat
Hanover
603-643-5068
sharon.nordgren@leg.state.nh.us

Representative David Pierce, Democrat
Etna
603-643-6010
david.pierce@leg.state.nh.us

**TOWN OFFICERS,
COMMITTEE AND BOARD MEMBERS**

Budget Committee

(Elected for a 3-year term)

Morton F. Bailey	Term expires 2012
Tim Cook	Term expires 2012
Elizabeth Glenshaw	Term expires 2012
Laszlo Bardos	Term expires 2013
Earl Strout	Term expires 2013
Robin Taylor	Term expires 2013
Phil Barta	Term expires 2014
Judith Lee Shelnutt Brotman, Chair	Term expires 2014
Lisa Celone	Term expires 2014
Kathleen Semple-Barta	School Board Representative
Simon Carr	Select Board Representative
Charles Ragan	Alternate Select Board Representative

Cemetery Commission

(Elected for a 3-year term)

Michael C. Hinsley	Term expires 2012
Jean A. Smith, Commissioner	Term expires 2013
Jennifer Cooke	Term expires 2014

Connecticut River Joint Commissions – Upper Valley River Subcommittee

(Appointed by the Selectmen for an indefinite term)

Henry Swan, CT River Commissioner (Appointed by the Governor)
David Kotz, Lyme Representative
Vacant, Representative & Alternate

Conservation Commission

(Appointed by the Selectmen for a 3-year term)

James Graham	Term expires 2012
Russ Hirschler	Term expires 2012
Tom Colgan	Term expires 2013
Lee Larson, Vice-Chair	Term expires 2013
Heather Toumlin, Alternate	Term expires 2013
Blake Allison, Secretary	Term expires 2014
Matthew Stevens, Chair	Term expires 2014
Richard Vidal	Select Board Representative

Energy Committee

(Appointed by the Selectmen for a 3-year term)

Sue MacKenzie	Term expires 2012
Carola Lea, Co-Chair	Term expires 2012
Gary Phetteplace	Term expires 2012
Matthew Brown	Term expires 2013
Daniel O'Hara	Term expires 2013
Joanna Laro	Term expires 2014
Rebecca Lovejoy, Co-Chair	Term expires 2014
Charles Ragan	Select Board Representative

Fast Squad
(Volunteers)

Karen Keane, President & Captain

Federal Emergency Management Agency Plan

(Appointed by the Selectmen for a 3-year term)

Wallace Ragan, Director of Local Emergency Management (Retired, November 2011)

Kevin Peterson has been appointed. Term expires 2014

Fire Department

(Appointed by the Selectmen for an indefinite term)

Michael Hinsley, Chief

Forest Fire Wardens

(Recommended by the Warden, Approved by the Selectmen, Appointed by the State)

*Don Elder	Warden	Term expires 2013
Alfred Balch	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014
Henry S. Flickinger, Jr.	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014
Michael Hinsley	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014
*Stephen Maddock	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014
Bill Nichols	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014
A. Wayne Pike	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014
Richard Pippin, Jr.	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014
Charles Ragan	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014
Tyler Rich	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014
*Robert Sanborn	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014
Douglas Vogt	Deputy Warden	Term expires 2014

**Only these Wardens are authorized to issue burn permits.*

Health Officers

(Recommended by the Selectmen, Approved & Appointed by the State)

Jeff Hanissian, Health Officer

Michael Hinsley, Deputy Health Officer

Heritage Commission

Ray Clark, Chair	Term expires 2012
Jane Fant	Term expires 2013
Charlotte Furstenberg	Term expires 2013
Tim Cook, Alternate	Term expires 2014
Adair Mulligan, Vice-Chair	Term expires 2014
Laurie Wadsworth, Alternate	Term expires 2014
Simon Carr	Select Board Representative

Highway Safety Committee

Chief Shaun O'Keefe	Police Department
Dina Cutting	Town Office/Recreation
Charles Ragan	Select Board Representative

Independence Day Committee

(Appointed by the Selectmen for a 3-year term)

J. Marie Pippin Term expires 2012

Robert Couture, Jr.
James Mayers
Dina Cutting
Marci O'Keefe

Term expires 2013
Term expires 2013
Term expires 2014
Term expires 2014

Inspectors of Election

(Appointed by the Selectmen for a 3-year term)

Marsha Armstrong	(Republican Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Laura DeGoosh	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Julia Elder	(Republican Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Jane Fant	(Republican Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Alison Farrar	(Republican Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
George Hartmann	(Republican Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
David Keane	(Republican Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Paul Klee	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Marya Klee	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Lee Larson	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Darlene Lehmann	(Republican Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Margot Maddock	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Stephen Maddock	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
C. Jane Owen	(Republican Nominee)	Term expires 03/2013
Christina Schonenberger	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 03/2013
Letitia Smith	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Beverly Strout	(Republican Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Cindy Swart	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Peter Swart	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Janet Williams	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013
Barbara Woodard	(Democratic Nominee)	Term expires 11/2013

Library Trustees

(Elected for a 3-year term)

Nancy Snyder	Term expires 2012
Anne Baird	Term expires 2012
Margaret Bowles	Term expires 2012
Nora Palmer Gould	Term expires 2013
Jonathan Kuniholm	Term expires 2013
Dan Lynch	Term expires 2013
Stephen Campbell	Term expires 2014
Nancy Grandine	Term expires 2014
Tom Goodrich	Term expires 2014
Betsy Eaton	Librarian

Lyme 250th Anniversary Observance Committee

(Appointed by the Selectmen)

Lisa Hayes
Patty Jenks
O. Ross McIntyre, Co-Chair
Rob Meyer, Co-Chair
Nancy Snyder
Jeff Valence
Laurie Wadsworth

Simon Carr, Select Board Representative

Overseer of Public Welfare

(Elected for a 1-year term)

Nancy Elizabeth Grandine

Term expires 2012

Planning Board

(Elected for a 3-year term)

John Stadler, Co-Vice Chair

Term expires 2012

Sam Greene, Alternate

Term expires 2013

David Roby Sr., Chair

Term expires 2013

Vicki Smith

Term expires 2013

Tim Cook

Term expires 2014

Ben Kilham, Alternate

Term expires 2014

Freda Swan, Alternate

Term expires 2014

Simon Carr

Select Board Representative

Richard Vidal

Alternate Select Board Representative

Police Department

Shaun O'Keefe

Chief

Recreation Commission

(Appointed by the Selectmen for a 3-year term)

Dina Cutting

Term expires 2013

Robert Couture, Jr.

Term expires 2014

Peter Mulvihill

Term expires 2014

Charles Ragan

Select Board Representative

Stephen Small

Recreation Director

Road Agent

(Elected for a 1-year term)

Fred O. Stearns, III

Term expires 2012

Selectmen

(Elected for a 3-year term)

Charles Ragan, Chair

Term expires 2012

Simon Carr

Term expires 2013

Richard Vidal

Term expires 2014

Sexton

(Elected for a 1-year term)

William LaBombard

Term expires 2012

Supervisors of the Checklist

(Elected for a 6-year term)

Linda Goodrich

Term expires 2012

Alan Groatorex, Chair

Term expires 2014

Katherine Larson

Term expires 2016

Tax Collector

(Elected for a 3-year term)

Joanne Coburn

Term expires 2013

Town Buildings Maintenance Committee
(Appointed by the Selectmen for a 3-year term)

Michael Woodard	Term expires 2012
Frank Bowles	Term expires 2013
Steve Campbell	Term expires 2013
Don Elder	Term expires 2014
Dina Cutting	Administrative Assistant
Richard Vidal	Select Board Representative

Town Clerk
(Elected for a 3-year term)

Patricia G. Jenks	Term expires 2012
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Town Moderator
(Elected for a 2-year term)

William Waste	Term expires 2012
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Town Treasurer
(Elected for 3-year term)

Andrea Colgan	Term expires 2013
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Trustees of the Trust Funds
(Elected for a 3-year term)

Marlene Green	Term expires 2012
Blake Allison	Term expires 2013
Peter Glenshaw	Term expires 2014

Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Regional Planning Commission
(Appointed by the Selectmen for an Indefinite Term)

Paul Mayo

Zoning Board of Adjustment

(Appointed by the Selectmen and Planning Board for a 3-year term)

O. Ross McIntyre, Vice-Chair	Term expires 2012
Paul Mayo, Alternate	Term Expires 2013
Walter Swift	Term expires 2013
Robert Titus	Term expires 2013
Francis Bowles	Term expires 2014
Alan Greatorex, Chair	Term expires 2014
Adair Mulligan	ZBA Recorder