HUDSON TOWN HALL



Hudson Town Hall Renovations

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April 2025



- Town Hall is the most visited building in Town by the Hudson taxpayers
- Town Clerk & Tax Collector
- Water & Sewer Clerks
- Board of Selectmen and Administration
- Engineering / Planning / Zoning
- Building Department and Inspection Services
- Assessing Department
- Meeting place for most board meetings
- Town Hall is the people's building



- 2023 Board of Selectmen held a Special meeting at the Community Center regarding the needs for a possible new town hall
- Approximately 45 residents showed about to provide feedback
- The feedback across the board was to concentrate on renovating and expanding the existing building



 April 2024 - Town advertises for assessing the existing town hall and the following:

 Improvements to the existing building
 Evaluate building addition
 Improve flow and functionality through the building
 Address handicap access through out the building

• May 2024 - NorthPoint Construction, from Hudson, was hired



- September 2024 The report and findings are complete and as follows:
- 1. Our existing bathrooms don't comply with current handicap requirements
- 2. Lack of handicap access on lower level of the building to the Board of Selectmen area.
- 3. ADA noncompliance throughout the building, including customer's countertop.
- 4. Lifting station is in need of repairs/replacement.
- 5. Inadequate working space and customer/reception area in the Land Use / Inspectional Services Department.
- 6. Inadequate working space for the Sewer Department Clerk.
- 7. Inadequate working space for the Town Clerk's Office service window, their working area, and their vault area.



- October 2024 Board of Selectmen evaluates the following options for a warrant article
- **Option 1** Renovations throughout the building for \$165/square foot, for

\$1.0 - \$1.7 million dollars for the entire Town Hall.

- Option 2 Renovations throughout the building for \$165/square foot and include a building addition 1,000 s.f./floor, for \$1.5 \$2.3 million
- Option 3 Complete demolition of the entire building and building a new and bigger town hall, for \$7 million

Option 4 - Lease a building for approximately \$168,000/ year and spend \$1.8 million for retrofitting

Option 2 was picked and a warrant article related to design services for \$50,000 was approved in March of 2025

First Floor



Lower Floor

