



**JANUARY 16, 2024 - 6:30 PM
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A. Community Conversation Details

The City of Lebanon invites community members to a public discussion about the South Main St. Bridge Reconstruction Project. This meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 16, 2024, at 6:30 pm in City Hall Council Chambers, located at 51 N. Park St., Lebanon, NH 03766. For those unable to attend in person, the meeting will also be accessible remotely via Microsoft Teams. Details for remote attendance can be found at [LebanonNH.gov/Live](https://lebanonnh.gov/live).

This project aims to replace and widen the South Main Street Dry Bridge (Route 12A) over the railroad right-of-way near the South Main Street and Seminary Hill intersection. Originally built in 1949, the current South Main Street Bridge is on the NHDOT List of Deficient Bridges and is known for its narrowness and inability to meet modern capacity demands. Bridge inspections have revealed significant structural issues, including concrete deterioration and metal fatigue. Temporary repairs have been made to the bridge rail to ensure the safety of both pedestrians and vehicles.

The meeting will offer a comprehensive overview of the project, including a question-and-answer session to address any inquiries about the proposed reconstruction. Additionally, aspects of water line reconstruction in the area will be addressed. A representative from the Lebanon Water Division will be present to discuss any concerns or issues related to the water line reconstruction.

Following the meeting, the City, in collaboration with Dubois & King, the consulting engineer, will arrange individual meetings with property owners who may be directly affected by the project. These meetings will be scheduled at later dates to discuss specific impacts and concerns.

The Dry Bridge Reconstruction Project is currently in its design and permitting phase, which will continue through December 2024. The construction phase is anticipated to begin in February 2025 and is expected to be completed by September 2026.

We encourage all interested community members to join this important discussion and provide feedback.

For more information about this project and to subscribe to updates, please visit LebanonNH.gov/DryBridge.

Meetings are open for in-person and remote attendance. Members of the public that wish to attend remotely may do so by going to LebanonNH.gov/Live where you will find instructions on how to enter the meeting. Members of the public will be able to participate and ask questions through the City's virtual platform or by phone. Please note: Should technical difficulties occur during the meeting that disrupts virtual or phone connection(s), the meeting will continue without remote access capabilities.