

Safe Water Advisory Group (SWAG)
A City Council Advisory Committee
Portsmouth, New Hampshire

MEETING NOTICE
Wednesday, June 18, 2025
6:30-8:30 pm

City Hall Conference Room A & Zoom

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AGENDA

1. Welcome, Introduction & Approval of minutes - Andrea Amico, SWAG co-chair
2. Membership update - Andrea Amico
3. EPA PFAS Announcement re: MCLs - Brandon Kernen, NH DES Administrator of the Drinking Water and Groundwater Bureau
4. Cyber Security Presentation - Brandon Kernen & Al Pratt, City of Portsmouth Water Resource Manager & SWAG co-chair
5. Quarterly Water Supply Update - Al Pratt
6. Dover Municipal Landfill Update - Dean Peschel, Peschel Consulting LLC & Christene Binger, Verdantas LLC
7. Legislative Update – Rep. David Meuse
8. Mission discussion - Andrea Amico
9. Public comment

MEETING PURPOSE

Founded by City Council action on October 5, 2020, the group's stated mission is: To review and communicate the latest science on the health and environmental effects of PFAS, to monitor federal and state level legislative changes, and to anticipate policy changes that could impact the City of Portsmouth.