Congratulations to Police Chief "Doug" Salmon retiring on July 31st.

WELCOME TO THE "NEW HAMPTON CONNECTION"

E-mail notices will be sent from this office with dates, locations and times of Town Meetings, special meetings, special events, and other important town events or information. We hope you will find these notices helpful. These e-mails will not provide notice of regular scheduled meetings, deadlines, holiday hours, general information, etc. For such scheduled information, please check the town web site www.new-hampton.nh.us or call the Town Office at 744-3559. All public meeting notices are posted at the Town Office and Public Works Department. All town newspaper notices are placed in the Laconia Daily Sun.

Please talk with other New Hampton residents who may not have been contacted to see if they are interested in receiving these emails. I also would encourage you to get the "word out" about important information to those who may not have e-mail.

If at some future time you change your e-mail address or you wish to be removed from the list please send an e-mail to blucas@new-hampton.nh.us.

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Barbara A. Lucas Town Administrator Town of New Hampton 6 Pinnacle Hill Road Tel. 744-3559 Fax 744-5106

July 29, 2014

NEW HAMPTON'S POLICE CHIEF "DOUG" SALMON RETIRING

His retirement culminates over 35 years of service in law enforcement, starting with the Connecticut State Police. He has served the people of New Hampshire throughout the years in the Rockingham and Belknap Sheriff's Departments, as Holderness Chief of Police as well as a part-time officer in both Holderness and Meredith. His service with the New Hampton Police Department began in 1980, and then he was promoted to Police Chief in 1983, serving until 1993. He returned as New Hampton's Police Chief in 2009 and has decided to retire this July 2014. He is well respected in the law enforcement field and his decision to leave the Department is a significant loss to our community.

His service to the Town of New Hampton has been exemplary and the citizens of New Hampton were glad he returned in 2009. Just in the past 5 years his accomplishments were many, such as overseeing the design and construction of the new Police Department, reorganizing police policies and procedures, ensuring the hiring of good officers and supporting them in their law enforcement career goals and establishing a working relationship with the New Hampton School which resulted in the creation of a full-time position of campus Safety Resource Officer.

We appreciate his years of dedicated service and wish him all the best in the future and a healthy and enjoyable retirement!

If you would like to send him a message to wish him well in his retirement and/or thank him for his service you can email him at: msalmon@new-hampton.nh.us

NEW HAMPTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

Please be advised that Sergeant George Huckins will be appointed to assume the responsibilities as the Police Chief on August 1, 2014.

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