

PRESS RELEASE

TOWN OF CAPE ELIZABETH SEPTEMBER 5, 2024

After completion of a nationwide search, the Cape Elizabeth Town Council is extremely pleased to announce Patrick W. Fox as their unanimous choice for the Town's next Town Manager. The Town Councilors will be approving an initial three-year agreement at their meeting on Monday September 9, 2024. Mr. Fox will officially assume the position on October 7, 2024, with a starting salary of \$160,000.

Mr. Fox resides in Saco, Maine. He currently serves as Director of the City of Saco's Public Works Department, a position he has held since 2012 and where he's worked since 2005. He has a Bachelor of Science in Environmental Engineering from Wentworth Institute of Technology, Boston, Massachusetts.

Mr. Fox currently serves our region as the Chair of the Policy Board and Executive Board of Portland Area Comprehensive Transportation System (PACTS), within Greater Portland Council of Governments.

Town Council Chair Timothy Reiniger said, "I want to thank the Town Councilors for their hard work. This was a difficult decision because of the many outstanding candidates who came forward. Ultimately, Mr. Fox stood out in all ways. We are confident that Cape citizens and staff will highly value and enjoy working with him."

The Town Council was assisted by Don Gerrish of Eaton Peabody Consulting Group in their search. "The Town Council could not have conducted this successful search without Mr. Gerrish's tenacity and expert guidance" said Reiniger.