

HUMAN RESOURCE DIRECTORY

for



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In collaboration with the Town Manager and Select Board and the
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Key to Entries

This directory is organized according to **FUNCTIONAL AREAS**.

Under each **FUNCTIONAL AREA**, offices/organizations/positions are arranged by the following categories:

State County/Region

Town Government ("Town" is a substitute for "Northfield." Where Municipal is used, it replaces the older, functional division of "Town & Village")

Town, Non-Municipal, Governing

Town, Volunteer

Town, Private

Norwich University

Under each of the above categories, the offices/organizations/positions are arranged according to the following convention:

XXXXXX Overall office/organization/position

XXXX Major office/organization/position in the overall office

xxxx Subordinate office/organization/position in the overall or major office

The entries for each organization show as many of the following as is available:

- A) The title of the organization. If more information is available as a URL, the name will be indicated as an [active link](#) (either a URL or a Facebook page)
- B) (The function/mission of that organization, if not obvious from its title)
- C) If both URL and Facebook pages are available, the Facebook page will follow B).
- D) The email for the organization

For each position in that organization:

- 1) the title of that position
- 2) If applicable, the next time position will become available through appointment or election.
- 3) the name of the person filling that position
- 4) If no email at "D" above, email for that person if person is point of contact for the organization
- 5) Town telephone # for town officials or telephone # if email at 4) is not available
- 6) how (by appointment, election, volunteering) and when that person attains that position and the duration in office. Where applicable this will be indicated by the following fonts:

Ppp person is hired indefinitely by the Town of Northfield to fill that position. Ppp person is hired indefinitely by the Select Board to fill that position.

Ppp not an elected or appointed town official; person is a Town Employee. Ppp person is not a Town Employee of Northfield or an appointed town official

For the remaining town officials: **Ppp person is appointed for 5 years** Ppp person is appointed for 4 years

Ppp person is appointed for 3 years

Ppp person is elected for 3 years at Town Meeting Ppp person is appointed for 2 years

Ppp person is elected for 2 years at Town Meeting or election day in November **Ppp person is appointed yearly**

Ppp person is elected yearly at Town Meeting

GOVERNING BODIES/POSITIONS

State/County, Washington District STATE SENATORS

[State Senator](#) (2026), *Ann Cummings*, acummings@leg.state.vt.us

[State Senator](#) (2026), *Andrew Perchlik*, aperchlik@leg.state.vt.us

[State Senator](#) (2026), *Anne Watson*, awatson@leg.state.vt.us

State/County, Washington-1 STATE REPRESENTATIVE

[State Representative](#) (2026), *Anne Donahue*, adonahue@leg.state.vt.us

[State Representative](#) (2026), *Ken Goslant*, kgoslant@leg.state.vt.us

Town Government TOWN OF NORTHFIELD

TOWN MANAGER (primary contact person for municipal matters)

Town Manager, *Jeff Schulz*, jschulz@northfield.vt.us, 802-485-9822

Administrative Assistant, *Kenneth McCann*, kmccann@northfield.vt.us, 802-485-9823

TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE (gateway to and resource center for the municipality; curates town records, licenses, and taxes)

Town Clerk/Town Treasurer, *Kim Pedley*, kpedley@northfield.vt.us, 802-485-5421

Assistant, *Janel Doney*, jdoney@northfield.vt.us, 802-485-5241

FINANCE DIRECTOR (manages accounting department)

Finance Director, *Vacant*

SELECT BOARD (locally elected legislature responsible for the general supervision of local governmental affairs of Northfield, including enacting town regulations, ordinances, and policies; prepares the municipal budget for voter consideration.) Selectboard@northfield.vt.us

Chair, (2026) *Charles L. Morse*

Vice-Chair, (2027) *Merry Shernock*

Member, (2027) *K. David Maxwell*

Member, (2028) *Lydia Petty*

Member, (2026) *John B. Stevens*

Select Board Subcommittees (prepare issues for discussion at full Select Board meetings) Subcommittee meetings consist of two members of the Select Board and the Town Manager.

Budget & Finance Review Labor Agreement & Bargaining

Public Safety Oversight & Planning Economic Development

Norwich University Town Buildings & Energy

Highway Planning & Project Oversight Policy Review

Waste/Wastewater Utility Commissioner Electric Utility Commissioner

For Justices of the Peace, see next page.

Justices of the Peace (officiate at elections, property tax grievance, perform civil marriages)

Member, (2026) *Jessica Amell*
 Member, (2026) *Paul Bean*
 Member, (2026) *Scott Blanchard*
 Member, (2026) *Anne Donahue*
 Member, (2026) *Britta Eberle*
 Member, (2026) *Elizabeth Ellsworth*
 Member, (2026) *Lawrence Garland*
 Member, (2026) *Kenneth Goslant*
 Member, (2026) *Lea Hatch*
 Member, (2026) *Denise MacMartin*
 Member, (2026) *Dexter Rowe*
 Member, (2026) *Merry Kay Shernock*
 Member, (2026) *Carolyn Stevens*
 Member, (2026) *Richard Wobby*

Board of Listers (Maintain and defend the grand list – the aggregate valuation of taxable property)

Chair, (2027) *Thomas Alsheimer*, Listers@northfield.vt.us
 Member, (2026) *Alexandria Najdich*
 Member, (2026) *David Ritzer*

First Constable (power to serve civil process, assist the health officer, destroy unlicensed dogs, kill injured deer, and remove disorderly people from town meeting) [Appointed by Select Board](#)

(2026) *Richard Wobby*, 802-485-7725

Town Moderator (moderates the annual town meeting)

(2026) *Cassie Morse*

Grand Juror (bringing a complaint against a town official)

(2026) *Vacant*

Town, Volunteer

Northfield Town Democratic Party

Chair Aaron Rhodes, aaronn@gmail.com

Northfield Town Progressive Party

Chair, Nathaniel Miller

Vice-Chair, Laura Hill-Eubanks, laurahill-eubanks@tds.net

[Northfield Town Republican Party](#), northfieldvtrepublicans@gmail.com

Chair, William Kolb, mailto:wkolb83@gmail.com

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

State

VERMONT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Town Government TOWN OF NORTHFIELD

NORTHFIELD EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Emergency Management Coordinator (Acting), Jeff Schulz 802-485-9822

Fire Department

Fire Chief, Peter J. DeMasi, 802-498-8592

Fire Warden, (burn permits), Brian Elwell, 802-279-4023

Assistant Fire Warden, Titus Soble, 802-793-9030

Police Department (safeguard life and property, preserve the peace, prevent, and detect crime, enforce the law, and protect the rights of all citizens who live, work, and visit Northfield) 802-485-9181

Email: npd05663@gmail.com Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61574089736300>

Police Chief, Pierre Gomez

Patrol Corporal, Mike Gero

Patrol Corporal, Brian Gosselin

Police Officer, Logan Potkowski

Patrol Officer, Andrew Serrels (Part-Time)

Patrol Officer, Peter Vosburgh (Part-Time)

Northfield Ambulance Service (NAS) (NAS and NAVI work in conjunction to provide 24-hour basic and advanced level emergency medical care), emergency: 911

Ambulance Chief, Meggan McCusker, EMSchief@northfield.vt.us, 802-485-8550

Town, Volunteer

Northfield Ambulance Volunteers Inc. (NAVI)

President, Lawton Rutter, NothfieldAmbVolunteersinc@gmail.com

Secretary, Thomas Scott

UTILITIES AND COMMUNICATIONS

State

VERMONT PUBLIC POWER SUPPLY AUTHORITY ([VPPSA](#))

(Provides wholesale power supply to municipalities and cooperatives)

Northfield Representative, appointed by Select Board:

Stephen Fitzhugh, sfitzhugh@northfield.vt.us

Alternate, Jeff Schulz, jschulz@northfield.vt.us

Town Government TOWN OF NORTHFIELD

Utility Superintendent, **James Russo**, jrusso@northfield.vt.us

Utility Office Manager, **Douglas Reed**, utilities@northfield.vt.us

Administrative Assistant, **Kenneth McCann**, kmccann@northfield.vt.us

Electric Department, 802-485-5411

Manager, Jeff Schulz, jschulz@northfield.vt.us, 802-485-9822

Electric Utility Commissioners, **appointed by Select Board** or elected by affected voters

Chair, **Stephen Fitzhugh**, (2026), sfitzhugh@northfield.vt.us

Member, **Charles L. Morse**, appointed by Select Board

Member, **Dennis Donahue**, (2028)

Water & Sewer Department, 802-485-5411

Water & Wastewater Commissioners (non-appointed members elected by affected voters)

Chair, **Dennis Donahue**, (2026)

Member, **John B. Stevens**, appointed by Select Board

Member, **Michael B. Kelley**, (2028)

Northfield Energy Committee (promote the transition towards renewable energy for the Town of Northfield), appointed by Select Board

Chair, Outreach Coordinator, **Joseph Wantuch**, (2028)

Secretary, **Gail Hall**, (2027)

Treasurer, **Patrick Meehan**, (2027)

Sheila Bannister (2026)

Chandler Murch (2026)

WASTE DISPOSAL

County/Region

[The Mountain Alliance](#) (a Solid Waste Management Advisory Committee formed by the Select boards of Braintree, Brookfield, Northfield, Randolph, and Roxbury. Manages solid waste & recycling generated within the Alliance), appointed by Select Board

Representative, Lydia Petty, lpetty@northfield.vt.us

Alternate Representative Jeff Schulz, jschulz@northfield.vt.us

Town Government TOWN OF NORTHFIELD

Recycling Depot and Transfer Station

Site Coordinator, Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 888-485-1469

Town Private

[Convenience Plus Redemption](#), redemption of returnable bottles and cans

Manager, Fauzia Gul, NUbeveragelc@gmail.com, 802-485-6300

COMMUNICATIONS

County/Region

Central Vermont Fiber (CVF) (bringing internet to central Vermont), appointed by Select Board
CVF Northfield Representative, Tom Davis, tdavis@northfield.vt.us, 802-917-3777

Town, Private

NORTHFIELD NEWS, www.northfield-news.com, (a community-focused publication that serves the vibrant neighborhoods of Northfield, Roxbury, and Berlin)

Owners, David Abare and Kimberly Lyon Abare, Thenorthfieldnewsdesk@gmail.com

Editor/Art Director Fred Young, fyoung@ydadesign.com

NORTHFIELD AND ROXBURY FRONT PORCH FORUM (member-driven discussion about local issues, events, recommendations, lost and found, job postings, sale items, expressions of gratitude, and requests for information/items)

Northfield Forum, <https://frontporchforum.com/northfield/forum>

Roxbury Forum, <https://frontporchforum.com/roxbury/forum>

(area forums pull content from one another, so members still get information from neighboring forums)

Town, Volunteer

Northfield Vermont Facebook Group

Administrator, Steve Davis

Administrator, Tammie Davis

Administrator, Amy E. Davis Administrator, Lea Hatch

Greater Northfield VT Community

Co-Administrator, Britta Eberle, therealvermont@gmail.com

Co-Administrator, Gavin Porter

Norwich

Media Relations and Community Affairs VP, Marketing & Communications,
Director, Sarah Stefaniuk, sstefani@norwich.edu

WNUB (Norwich Communications Department Radio Station)

WNUB Dog River Radio 88.3 FM, wnubradioclub@norwich.edu

Faculty advisor: Lindsay Gacad

Station Manager: Doug Smith

COMMUNITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

State/County

VERMONT AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION-BETTER CONNECTIONS PROGRAM (aligns state and local investments to increase transportation options, build resilience, and strengthen economic vitality)

Go! Vermont (public transport, ridesharing, biking, trains, ferries in VT)

<https://www.connectingcommuters.org/>

Manager, Agency of Transportation, Washington, Orange Counties, Daniel Currier

#93 Northfield Commuter (bus between Northfield and Montpelier, Mon-Fri)

Central VT Services Director: Monica White, mwhite@ridegmt.com

Operations Manager, Michael Murray-Smith, Msmith@ridegmt.com

CENTRAL VERMONT REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION (CVRPC) (assists member municipalities in providing effective local government and to work cooperatively with them to address regional issues)
<http://centralvtplanning.org/towns/northfield/>, appointed by Select Board

CVRPC Representative, **Royal DeLegge**, 801-699-1088

CVRPC Alternate Representative, **Jeff Schulz**, 802-485-9822

CVRPC Transportation Advisory Committee Representative, **Tom Davis**, 802-485-9835

CVRPC Trans. Advisory Committee Alt. Representative, **Jeff Schulz**, 802-485-9822

CENTRAL VERMONT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (CVEDC) (Serves as a “satellite” of the Vermont Department of Economic Development. Provides local knowledge and assists development), PO Box 1439, Montpelier, VT, 05601

Executive Director, Jamie Stewart, 802-223-4654, jstewart@cvedc.org

Town Government TOWN OF NORTHFIELD ZONING

Zoning Administrator, Mitch Osiecki, 802-485-9824

Northfield Planning Commission (Northfield Town Plan, Northfield Zoning Bylaws), appointed by Select Board. npc@northfield.vt.us

Chair, **Royal DeLegge** (2029)

Vice-Chair, **Brain Massey, Jr.** (2028)

Member, **Elroy Hill** (2029)

Member, *Vacant* (2026)

Member, *Vacant* (2027)

Development Review Board (approve development projects), appointed by the Select Board

Chair, **William S. Smith**, (2028)

Member, **Elroy Hill**, (2029)

Member, **Kevin Pecor**, (2026)

Member, **Joel DeLary**, (2028)

Member, **Brian Massey, Jr.**, (2027)

Alternate Member, **Byron J. Furman** (2029)

Economic Development Director (Combine Northfield’s economic resources into an efficient engine)

Tom Davis, tdavis@northfield.vt.us, 802-485-9835

Highway Department

Foreman, **Karl Bailey**, kbailey@northfield.vt.us 802-485-9851

Town, Volunteer

[Vermont Outdoor Recreation Economic Collaborative or VOREC Grant](#) Steering Committee, (To improve access and wayfinding for the Town Forest, address an area of invasives, reopen the view at the Hawk Watch, and repair a section of trail that Tropical Storm Irene) Members appointed by Select Board for implementation of the grant awarded by the Vermont Forest Parks and Recreation Department.

Chair, Deborah Zuaro, deborah.zuaro@gmail.com

Member, Russ Barrett

Member, Colin Bright

Member, Kimberly Caldwell

Member, Melody Currier

Member, Lucas Herring

Member, Andrew Padilla

Member, Lydia Petty

[Rotary Club of Northfield](#), northfieldvtrotary@gmail.com

President, Mel Adams, [email](#), 802-485-8387

Secretary, Louisa Tripp, [email](#)

Treasurer, Dexter Landers, [email](#)

[Northfield Community Development Network \(NCDN\)](#) (nonprofit stimulating growth and community spirit in Northfield by focusing on marketing and inventorying Northfield resources) ncdnvt@gmail.com

Chair, Kaitlyn Keating, kaitlyn@caffrykeating.com

Treasurer, Carolyn Stevens, carolynstevensvt@gmail.com

Member, Natalie Arbor, kozlow47@gmail.com

Member, Kahwa Douoguih, kahwa2@gmail.com

Member, Jason Endres, jendres@mac.com

Member, Erin Hicks-Tibbles, elh211@gmail.com

Member, Elizabeth "Liz" Kennedy, Elizabeth.kennedy.p@gmail.com

Member, Carlos Pinkham pinkhamcnu@gmail.com

[Northfield Common Connections](#) (promotes placemaking, walkability and art in Northfield)

Co-Director, Bonnie Kirn Donahue, bonniekirn@gmail.com

Co-Director, Lydia Petty, lydbright@gmail.com

[Welcome Home Northfield](#) (focusing on community engagement events that welcome new residents to town including Monday Night Music in Memorial Park Summer Concert Series), northfieldvermont@gmail.com

Co-Director, Leslie Striebe, lstriebe@cvsu.org

Co-Director, Cara Gauthier carabgauthier@gmail.com

Northfield Activity Group (Northfield people wanting to make memories)

Chair, Sally Davidson, sallycosmo13@gmail.com

Vice-Chair, Vacant

Treasurer, Frank Hall

Secretary, Bethany Drum

Member, Kundan Kushwaha

[Northfield Observances](#) (organizes [Northfield Labor Day Weekend](#) and other town-wide celebrations),
NorthfieldVTObservances@gmail.com

Board Members

President, Angie Allen
 Vice-President, Titus Soble
 Secretary, Debbie Stevens
 Treasurer, Margaret Cole

Labor Day Observances Subcommittee

Booth Committee Chair, Lindsey Sanders Entertainment Committee Chair, Josh Sanders
 Facilities Committee Chair, Patrick Patterson
 Fundraising Committee Chair, Christine Brown
 Media & Communication Committee Chair, Dexter Rowe
 Parade Committee Chair, Louisa Tripp
 Volunteer Coordinator Committee Chair, Michelle Leslie

Northfield: Our Common Future Initiative (working with the Vermont Council on Rural Development to make Northfield a great place to visit, work, or live through four Task Forces)

Community Chair, Kaitlyn Keating, kaitlyn@caffrykeating.com

Accessibility, Walkability, and Pedestrian Safety Task Force (description)

Co-Chair, Mary Nadon Scott, marynadonscott@gmail.com
 Co-Chair, Daniel Anderson, andersond@hartfordschools.net

Community Center Task Force (Exploring opportunities to bring members of our community together by asking questions, [listening](#) to Northfielders and using those responses to create a vision of a Community Center) northfieldcommunitycenter@gmail.com

Co-Chair, Cara Gauthier Co-Chair, Jeanne Bright

Norwich-Northfield Partnership Task Force (improving communication and cooperation between Norwich and Northfield for Our Mutual Benefit)

Co-Chair, Northfield, Susan Stillinger, wapond08@aol.fr
 Co-Chair, Norwich, Allison Neal, aneal1@norwich.edu
 Member, Susan Barnard
 Member, Carlos Pinkham
 Member, Steve Rand
 Member, Carolyn Stevens

Town, Private

[Northfield Farmers Market](#), [NFM Facebook page](#)

Northfield Farmers Market Board, northfieldfarmersmarketvt@gmail.com

President, Barbara Walker
 Vice President, Laura Olsen
 Treasurer, Carol Noyes
 Secretary, Cassie Morse
 Member at Large, JoAnn Clancy
 Member at Large Charlie Morse

HEALTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES

State/County

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

AGENCY OF HUMAN SERVICES, BARRE DISTRICT (Manage relationships with community partners to improve outcomes for Vermont individuals and families)

Field Director, Ken Hammond, Ken.Hammond@vermont.gov

VERMONT STATE HOUSING AUTHORITY (provides affordable housing services to Vermont neediest families)
Dogwood Glen, Dogwood Glen Drive, Northfield

Community Harvest of Central Vermont, (bringing our community together through gleaning to recover surplus food produced on area farms to feed those with limited access to nutritious, fresh local food), CommunityHarvestVT@gmail.com

Founder and Director: Allison Levin, 802-229-4281

Volunteers: over 60 Northfield volunteers

Farms: 5 farms from Northfield and more from around Northfield provided over 5000 pounds of food to the Northfield Senior Center, CERV, and local schools in 2024.

Town Government TOWN OF NORTHFIELD

BOARD OF HEALTH (investigates and deals with public health hazards and risks and enforces health laws, rules and permits)

Health Officer, **Mitch Osiecki**, 802-485-9824, recommended by Select Board and approved by Vermont Board of Health

Deputy Health Officer, **Jeff Schulz**, 802-485-9822, recommended by Health Officer and Select Board and confirmed by Vermont Board of Health

Town, Non-Municipal Governing

Northfield Senior Center (provide social, educational, recreational, and nutritional services [Meals on Wheels], to local residential and non-residential seniors, to enhance their lives, share their knowledge, and enable them to remain productive citizens)

Director, Tim McAdoo, 802-485-8112

Chef, Dianne Knowles

Northfield Senior Center Board of Trustees

President, Marie Chilson

Vice President, Thelma Baroffio

Secretary, Valerie Drown

Treasurer, Deb Partlow

Member, Susan Boyd

Member, Mike Popowski

Member, Audrey Lyford

Member, Stewart McLean

Member, Mark Smith

Town, Private

[Green Mountain Family Practice](#) 802-485-4161 Medical Director, Matt Sullivan, MD
 Family Medicine Nurse Practitioner, Cally Hughes, FNP
 Family Medicine and Obstetrics/Women's Health Physician, Callie Linehan, MD
 Family Medicine Nurse Practitioner, Alexis Malcom, FNP Family Medicine Physician, Elizabeth Meehan, MD
 Family Medicine Physician Assistant, Elizabeth Nugba, PA-C

Northfield Dental Group

Ray Kunkel, DMD, 802-485-3051
 Heidi Kunkel, DMD, 802-485-3051

Northfield Elite Dental, northfielddeletedental@gmail.com

Alaa H. Fahoum, DDS, 802-485-5100

[Inspire Massage and Healing Arts](#), 802-485-9660

licensed massage therapist, Laura Manfred, Laura@inspirevt.com

[Falls River Yoga](#), nirmala@fallsriveryoga.com 917 903-8688

Instructor, Norma Berrios-Rooney

[Four Seasons Care Home](#) (residential care), fourseasons@tds.net, 802-485-8163

Ashley Hudson, RN
 Courtney Tabor, RN

[Mayo Healthcare](#) (rehabilitation and residential and continuing care), 802-485-3161

Administrator, Shellie Stevens, sstevens@mayohc.org
 Director of Nursing Services, Crystal Peterson, RN, cpeterson@mayohc.org

Mayo Healthcare Board of Trustees

President, Joseph P. O'Brien
 Vice President, Megan Cicio
 Member, Christine Scott
 Member, Kim Whitcomb
 Member, Jim Roux

[The Veterans' Place](#) (a transitional housing facility combined with assistive services for Homeless Veterans with a tie to Vermont), <https://www.facebook.com/TheVeteransPlace> 802-485-8874

Management/Officers

Managing Director, Bonnie Pollard-Allen, tvpi.director@gmail.com
 Case Manager, Currently Hiring for this position
 Housing Case Manager, Currently Hiring for this position
 Evening Dinner Chef and Facilities Team, Brian (Pete) Clark

Veteran Peer Support and Facilities Team

Team Leader, Skyler "Cochise" Koch
 Administrative Assistant, Rebecca Dezan
 Part Time Wellness Coach, Currently Hiring for this position

Board of Directors Officers

President, Lucas Herring tvpi.president@gmail.com
 Vice-President, Candi Smith
 Treasurer, Richard Theken
 Secretary, Mary Page

Pro-Bono Attorney, William Smith
 Accountant, Shannon S. Blais

Sorrel-Maynard American Legion – Post 63

Commander, Ric Braman
 1st. Vice, Lisa Pettrey
 2nd. Vice, Randy Peace
 Finance, Dexter Landers
 Historian and Adjutant, Michael Krause
 Sgt. At Arms, Glenn French
 Club Steward, Sarah Gerdes

Sons of American Legion– Squadron 63

Commander, Kerry Kelley, 802-522-6607
 1st Vice-President, Sammy Knapp, psknapp3a@gmail.com
 2nd Vice-President, Scott Wright, swgranite@yahoo.com, 802-485-5456 or 802-777-5429
 Finance, Jeff Demartino,
 Adjutant, Craig Ciampi, craigciampi@gmail.com
 Sgt at Arms, Mike Lemieux
 Historian, Randy Herring
 Chaplain, Ronnie Herring
 Amer. Chair, Lucas Herring

Sorrel-Maynard American Legion Auxiliary – Post 63 (assisting Post and Squadron 63)

President, Carly Quinn vtauxiliary63@gmail.com
 1st Vice President, Karen Hutchinson
 2nd Vice President, Bobbi Underhill
 Sergeant-at-Arms, Marilyn Peace
 Historian, Lori McLellan
 Members at Large, Janice Halford, Christin Ashford, Judy Chagnon

Town, Volunteer

Community Emergency Relief Volunteers (CERV) (nonprofit serving the needs of Northfield, Roxbury, and Riverton residents with the food shelf, clothing shelf, and emergency grants for utility and medical costs)
northfieldcerv41@gmail.com, 802-485-4293

Chair, Liz O'Connor,
 Vice Chair, Donna Barr
 Treasurer, Karen Davis
 Secretary, Aimee Farnum
 Board Member, Joe Zuaro
 Board Member, Stevie Balch
 Board Member, Sonya Rhodes
 Board Member, Carolyn Stevens
 Board Member, Wendy Rea
 Board Member, Judy Wright

Mama Meetups (A chat group with local mamas, where you can ask questions, post events, and make/receive meetup invites)

Facilitator, Kelly Wantuch, mamameetupsvt@gmail.com, 201-452-5149

[Feed Every Need](#), (Non-profit organization preparing meals to local Vermont organizations for distribution to those in need) <https://www.facebook.com/feedeveryneed>

Co-Founder, Lisa Burr, hello@feedeveryneed.org

Co-Founder, Jonathan Burr, 802-552-3123

Norwich

Arnold Air Society (provides volunteers for service projects)

Student Leader, Anthony H. Barton, abarton2@stu.norwich.edu

Faculty Advisor, Obie Ritchey, oritchey@norwich.edu

[Center for Civic Engagement](#), (engaging students with the surrounding community and beyond)

Director, Steve Rand, srand@norwich.edu

Asst. Director, Ciara Mead, cmead@norwich.edu

NATURAL AND RECREATIONAL RESOURCES

County/Region

VERMONT AGENCY OF NATURAL RESOURCES

DEPARTMENT OF FOREST PARKS AND RECREATION

Washington County Forrester, Robert Nelson, Robert.Nelson@vermont.gov, 802-636- 7203

Dog River, River Corridor Plan, Roxbury, Northfield, Berlin, & Montpelier, Vermont

Northfield Coordinator, Larry Garland (Also see Northfield Conservation Commission, below)

MadDog Chapter Trout Unlimited (conserving and restoring cold-water fisheries so that future generations can enjoy healthy fisheries in their home waters)

Secretary, Daphne Zencey, daphnezencey@gmail.com

Town Government TOWN OF NORTHFIELD

Northfield Conservation Commission (promote stewardship of natural and cultural resources in Northfield)

NCC Facebook, ncc@northfield.vt.us, appointed by Board of Selectmen for four-year terms

Chair (2028), David K. Mears

Vice-Chair (2026), Russ Barrett

Secretary (2027), Deborah Zuaro

Member (2029), Nigel G. Hicks-Tibbles

Member (2029), Ruth Ruttenberg

Member (2026), Mariela Swiech

Member (2028), Jeremy Whalen

Town Forest Stewardship Subcommittee (acts as advisory Committee to NCC and promotes stewardship on the Town Forest), appointed by Board of Selectmen for four-year terms.

Chair (2027), Jeremy Whalen

Member (2026) Russ Barrett

Member (2027) Bill Dell'Isola

Member (2029) Ray Crowder

Member (2028) Nelson Hoffman

Member (2026) Virginia Kunkel

Member (2026) Andrew Padilla

Dog River Park Committee (Promotes stewardship of the Dog River Park's open space and conservation of natural floodplain functions), appointed by Board of Selectmen for four-year terms

Chair (2027), Bonnie Kirn Donahue

Treasurer (2026), Kim Adams

Member (2028), Russ Barrett

Member (2025), Fred Nadon

Member (2027), Vacant

Tree Warden (responsible for trees on public ownership and rights of way and neighbor disputes), appointed by Select Board)

Russ Barrett, (2025) 802-279-1370

Town, Volunteer

[Dynamos Soccer Club](#) (providing soccer and sportsmanship development programs for youth from Northfield and surrounding communities)

President, Josh Miller, northfielddynamossoccer@gmail.com, 802-380-4752

Vice President, Sunni Ericksen

Registrar, Jennifer Magee

Secretary, Christine Christiano

Fundraiser, Josh Miller

Treasurer, Josh Miller

Scheduler, Melinda Davis and Simon Pearish

Field Manager, position vacant

Member at Large, Melinda Davis

Coaching Coordinator, Simon Pearish

Website Administrator, Jennifer Magee

[Onion River Soccer Club](#) (a volunteer, not-for-profit organization serving Central Vermont committed to promoting fitness, sportsmanship and competitiveness through the game of soccer)

Club Director, Gary Holloway, onionriversc@gmail.com

[Northfield Youth Basketball](#) (providing basketball and sportsmanship development programs for youth from Northfield and surrounding communities)

League Leader, Michael Eriksen, northfielddybball@gmail.com

[The Black Bears](#)! (Northfield Youth Hockey-providing hockey and good sportsmanship development programs for youth of the community)

President, Jaime Fontaine, President@blackbearhockey.org

Vice President, Carly Quinn, Vice-President@blackbearhockey.org

State Representative, John Quinn

Coaching Coordinator, Brian Elwell

Secretary, Christine Elwell

Treasurer, Melissa Rogers, Treasurer@blackbearhockey.org

Registrar, Laura Lafielle, Registrar@blackbearhockey.org

Scheduler, Molly Perrigo

Asst Scheduler, Jeff Dukette

Fundraising Coordinator, Kathy Yacavoni

Webmaster, Cheryl Rogers

[Paine Mountain Little League](#) (providing baseball and softball and sportsmanship development programs for youth from Northfield, Williamstown, and Roxbury), info@painemtnll.org

President, Dan Morris

[Girls on the Run](#)

Co-Leader, Carly Humke, chumke@cvsu.org

Co-Leader, Joann Clancy-Muller, jcmuller@cvsu.org

[Central Vermont Martial Arts](#) (Okinawan and Japanese Karate with elements of Taekwondo, Kickboxing, Kung fu, Tai Chi, and Filipino Martial Arts)

Instructor, Jeremy Lesniak, jeremylesniak@gmail.com

Instructor, Cory Anderson

Northfield/Roxbury Outing Club (Exercising in the outdoors every Tuesday and Thursday between late October and late April)

Leader: Susan Barnard, Sbarnard46911@gmail.com, 802-485-4691

Norwich University and Town Volunteer

[Northfield Ninjas](#) (Promote and grow interest in the sport of wrestling)

Head Ninja, Head Wrestling Coach, Alexander Whitney, whitneya@norwich.edu, 802-917-1197

Town, Private

[Northfield Country Club](#), (open mid-April-mid-October) 802-485-4515

Owner, Edward (Ted) Hoehn

Manager, Erich Helbig (Erich@northfieldcountryclub.net)

Club PGA Pro, Vacant

[Paine Mountain Softball](#) (provides lessons, clinics and camps for softball players from 7 – 18 and winter and summer softball for players 14 and up), painemountainsoftball@gmail.com, 802-793-2255

Director, Christopher Cummings, cpcummings999@gmail.com

Town Volunteer

[Friends of Northfield Dog Park](#) (Temporarily inactive)

(dedicated to the creation and maintenance of a fenced-in recreational area for dogs with their owners),

northfielddogpark@gmail.com

Chair, Don Rhoades, Chair, donrhoadester@gmail.com, 802-279-4665

Secretary, Jennifer Jackson

Treasurer, Jeff Dobbin

Member, Brittany Benoir

Member, Megan Hodder

Norwich University

[Plumley Fitness Center and Goodyear Pool](#) (community membership plans)

Point of Contact, Andrew Padilla, recreation@norwich.edu, 802-485-4032

[Shaw Outdoor Center, Paine Mountain](#) (access to the Paine Mountain trail system for hiking, mountain biking, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, trail running, and more),

<https://www.facebook.com/NorwichSOC/>

Director, Andrew Padilla, recreation@norwich.edu, 802-485-4030

CULTURAL RESOURCES

Town Government TOWN OF NORTHFIELD

Northfield Conservation Commission (promote stewardship of natural and cultural resources)
(see entry under “**NATURAL AND RECREATIONAL RESOURCES**,” above)

Town, Volunteer

Northfield Historical Society, nhscurator@gmail.com, 802-485-4792

Dog River Crier Editor, Louisa Tripp, dogrivercrier@gmail.com

Curator/Collections Cataloger, Christopher Delmas, nhscurator@gmail.com

Northfield Historical Society Board of Managers

President, Diane McKain

Secretary, Karen Halsted Treasurer, Linda de Neergaard

Membership, Kimberly Adams

Maintenance, Cas Vaicaitis

Genealogy, Mary Comiskey Member, Kate Viens

Northfield Gardeners 2020 (maintains plantings in 17 gardens in public places around Northfield to enhance the enjoyment of its citizens and visitors. EMG = UVM Extension Master Gardener)

Acting Project Director, Sally Davidson, sallycosmo13@gmail.com

Member, Kim Adams

Member, Stevie Balch, EMG, Balch-diyhorse@maltedmedia.com

Member, Trudy Boardman

Member, Bethany Drum, bdrum13@gmail.com

Member, Carol Jenkinson

Member, Brigitte Lackey

Member, Brett Murphy, EMG, Murphy-brettwmurphy@hotmail.com

Member, Nancy Peck

Member, Penny Ritzer

Member, Mary Roux

Member, Lucinda Sullivan

Member, Deborah Zuaro

Northfield Common Connections (see entry under “**COMMUNITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT**,” above)

Paine Mountain Arts Council (works with regional professional and amateur musicians and artists to showcase their creativity, talent, and skill in a variety of genres and settings)

Board of Directors

Chair, Lisa Brucken, painemountainarts@gmail.com

Treasurer, Teigh Southworth, Teigh.Southworth@vermont.gov

Art Show Coordinators

Peter Evans, petermevans53@gmail.com

Tom Bright, tbright513@gmail.com

Dirt Road Theater (non-profit theater education and production)

Directors, Dominic and Maren Spillane, dirtroadtheater@gmail.com, 802-485-4739

The Nerd Choir 2.0 (Home of the Karaoke for the Reclusive, Strange, and Delightful, An inclusive and welcoming space. Come as you are or want to be.)

Director: Jennifer E. Mozdier, jennifermusic3@yahoo.com OR jem@becomewellbeing.com, 802-279-6864

Norwich University

[Norwich University Sullivan Museum and History Center](#), a Smithsonian Affiliate (opportunities to be immersed in the great heritage of Norwich University), smhc@norwich.edu, 802-485-2183

Director, Stephanie Skenyon, sskenyon@norwich.edu, 802-485-3289

Media Relations and Community Affairs VP, Marketing & Communications, Sarah Stefaniuk,

sstefani@norwich.edu

[General Cultural Events Open to the Public](#) (When the link is open, scroll down and click on “Target Audience—General Public”)

[Todd Lecture Series](#), (bringing revered, provocative, and surprising speakers to campus), 802- 485-2633

[Norwich Odyssey](#), (Public-affairs podcast, produced in conjunction with WNUB, addressing issues related to Norwich with local, regional, and global relevance)

Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, Lea Williams, lwilliam@norwich.edu, 802-485-2351

[Architecture + Art Lecture Series](#)

Director of School of Architecture and Art, [Cara Armstrong](#), 802-485-2647

Acting Co-Director, Timothy Parker, tparker@norwich.edu

Associate Director, Tolya Stonorov, tstonoro@norwich.edu, 802-485-2628

[Norwich University Pipes and Drums](#), (pipes & drum, lessons, workshops, and events in the community)

Student President, Fiona K. O’Kane, fokane@stu.norwich.edu

[Ballroom Dance Club](#), (learning many forms of formal and social dancing, open to the public)

Norwich Contact, Mark Thomas, mthomas8@norwich.edu

Faculty Advisor, Jon Scherbatskoy, scherbaj@norwich.edu

Instructors, [William and Carolyn Pedrick](#), williampedrick@gmail.com

EDUCATION AND FAITH COMMUNITIES

Norwich University

[Norwich University, The Military College of Vermont](#) (On campus and on-line post-secondary education and on-line post-graduate and professional education)

President, Lt. Gen. (USMC, ret) John Broadmeadow, president@norwich.edu, 802-485-2065

Executive Assistant to the President, Laura E. Amell, lamell@norwich.edu

[Norwich University Applied Research Institutes](#), (enabling a resilient society through rapid research, development, and education in cybersecurity, defense technologies, and information warfare)

President, Phil Susmann, NUARInfo@norwich.edu, 802-485-2213

[Kreitzberg Library](#) (Extensive collection of [library materials](#) and the [University Archives](#)), library@norwich.edu, 802-485-2176

Executive Director of Library, Archives, and Museum, Greg Sauer, gsauer@norwich.edu, 802- 485-2175

County/Region

[Central Vermont Supervisory Union](#)

Superintendent, Matthew Fedders, mfedders@cvsu.org

[Everybody Wins! Vermont](#), [Everybody Wins! Vermont Facebook page](#), (linking elementary children with adult reading mentors), 802-229-2665

Northfield Site Coordinator, Haley Cameron, Northfield@everybodywinsvermont.org

Town, Non-Municipal Governing

School Board, [Paine Mountain School District](#)

Northfield Member, Will Eberle (2027), weberle@cvsu.org

Northfield Member, Mike Macijeski (2026), mmacijeski@cvsu.org

Northfield Member, Dan Morris (2028), dmorris@cvsu.org

Northfield Member, Sarah Path (2027), spath@cvsu.org

Northfield Member, Matt Sullivan (2028), msullivan@cvsu.org

[Northfield Middle and High School](#)

Principal, Lee Ann Monroe, lmmonroe@cvsu.org, 802-485-4500

Guidance Counselor, Michelle Aftuck, maftuck@cvsu.org

Librarian, Cheryl Kissel, ckissel@cvsu.org

[Northfield Elementary School](#)

Principal, Denise Russell, drussell@cvsu.org, 802-485-6161

[Brown Public Library](#)

Director, Sherri Brickey, bplibdirector@gmail.com

Youth Services Librarian, Rebecca Pearish

Library Assistant, Sonya Rhodes

Library Assistant, Brett Campbell

Library Assistant, Elizabeth Thurber

Brown Public Library continues on next page.

[Board of Brown Public Library Trustees](#) (the legal governing authority for policies and budget)

Chair, (2028) *Maryann Beaupre*
 Treasurer, (2028) *John B Stevens*
 Member, (2026) *Tossy Garrett*
 Member, (2026) *Dale Kunkle*
 Member, (2027) *Gail Hall*
 Member, (2027) *Denise MacMartin*
 Member, (2028) *Kelly Murch*

Town, Volunteer

[Northfield Parent/Teacher/Neighbor Organization \(PTNO\)](#) (parents, teachers, and neighbors who support the elementary school and enrich the experience of student), northfieldptno@gmail.com

PTNO Executive Board,

Chair, Amanda Zoecklein
 Co-Chair, Leilani R Casper
 Secretary, RYANNE WIELICZKI
 Treasurer, Daniel Anderson
 Member-At-Large, Elizabeth Kennedy Potkowski

[Child Care Centers](#)

Town, Municipal, Non-Governing

[CVSU Bridges Afterschool Program at NES](#), 10 Cross Street

Coordinator: David Munson, dmunson@cvsu.org, 802-455-8810

[Northfield Early Education Program](#), 10 Cross Street

Contact, Amanda Rogers, 802-485-6161-2

Town, Private

[Natural Wonders Childcare](#), 646 Turkey Hill Road

Kathleen Burroughs, naturalwonders802@gmail.com, 802-272-6750

[Rainbow Gardens](#), 168 North Main Street (Waldorf-Inspired Early Childhood Program)

Licensed Provider, Blake Pierson, rainbowgardensvt@proton.me, P.O. Box 108, Northfield, VT 05663

Secretary: Georgia Beatty, georgiabeatty.pa@pm.me

County/Region

Green Mountain Council, Boy Scouts of America, [Three Rivers District](#)

District Executive, Kevin O'Hara, kevin.o'hara@scouting.org, 802-241-2013

Town, Volunteer

[Boy Scout Troop and Cub Scout Pack 729](#), inactive, but wanting to restart

Contact, Paul Milne, paulmilnemail@yahoo.com, 802-485-4702

[Girl Scout Troop 64500](#), Green and White Mountain Council (help girls develop confidence, courage, and character so they can make the world a better place in an inclusive environment where all girls can reach their full potential.)

Troop Leader, Sari Tiersch, NorthfieldVtGS64500@gmail.com

Co-Troop Leader, Katie Green

[Northfield American Heritage Girls Troop 0565](#), [Troop Facebook page](#), (developing women of integrity through service to God)

Leader, Holly Hemond, ahgvt0565@newlifevt.com

Town, Private

[Northfield Bible Fellowship](#), [NBF Facebook page](#)

Pastor, Paul Ciampaglia, rev.paulcc@gmail.com, 802-485-9411

[Northfield United Methodist Parish](#)

Pastor, Rev. Jay Voorhees, revjayv@gmail.com, 802-485-3981

[St Jacob of Alaska Orthodox Church](#), sjachurchvt@gmail.com, 802-673-4042

Rector, Archpriest Fr. Mark Korban

[St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church](#), saintjohnnorthfield@vermontcatholic.org, 802-485-8313

Pastor, Fr. Scott Gratton

Office Manager, Kathy Ducharme

[St. Mary's Episcopal Church](#), [St Mary's Facebook Page](#), stmarys.northfield@gmail.com

Clergy Team, Rev. Rachel Field, The Rev. Earl Kooperkamp, and The Rev. Lee Crawford

Senior Warden, Julie Susmann, 802-485-8221

[Trijang Buddhist Institute](#), [Trijang Buddhist Institute Facebook Page](#), tbievent@gmail.com, 802-485-3732

Administrator, Lady Kunsang Dechen

Resident Monks

Venerable Tashi Jamyang

Venerable Lobsang Tharchin

Geshe Sopa Lobsang

Geshe Youten Lobsang

[United Church of Northfield](#), [United Church of Northfield Facebook Page](#), 802-485-4431

Minister, vacant, actively searching

Church Secretary, Laura Ranker, lranker@myfairpoint.net, 802- 610-4032

Norwich University

[White Memorial Chapel](#)

Chaplain, Rev. William S. Wick, Director of Campus Ministries, wwick@norwich.edu

802-485-2128

Pastor, Fr. Scott Gratton, Roman Catholic Ministry, 802-485-8313