

Hiring Updates

June 2023



Last 6 Months

- 50 New Hires / 8 Promotions
 - 19 Fire Department
 - 8 Public Works
 - 5 Health and Human Services
 - 4 Police Officers
 - 2 Dispatchers
 - 1 Engineering
 - 1 Janitor
 - 1 Water and Sewer
 - Several part time staff

- Keith Volkert- Field Services Superintendent
 - He is a longtime resident of Manchester and former member of the Manchester CERT and Manchester Mountain Bike Search and Rescue Teams. He has a BA in Geology from UCONN and prior to joining Manchester Public Works, he worked as a Senior Project Geologist for Loureiro Engineering Associates, Inc. in Plainville managing their field operations including oversight of environmental construction projects and their boring and drilling operations. Keith has a strong background leading and managing multiple staff teams and providing high levels of customer service to clients. His experience and skills translate well to the Field Services Division of Public Works and will support the continued growth and advancement of the Department in its ability to provide a high level of service to the Manchester community

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- Tami Nowak Director of Assessment
 - Tami joined us in Manchester as Deputy Assessor last year, and she has brought a great new energy to our Assessment Division. She has years of municipal assessment experience and is already hard at work updating processes and procedures in Assessment with her excellent assessment team



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- Concilia (Cece) Ndlovu Economic Development Specialist
 - Emigrated to the United States from South Africa
 - Finishing up her M.A. in Public Policy with a Certificate in Urban Planning from Trinity College- June 2023 B.A. from Trinity in 2021- Magna Cum Laude
 - Co-Founder and Managing Director of her own small business- Diverse Au Pairs Experience in professional marketing in addition to being an entrepreneur
 - Multilingual (English and many African native languages)

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- Allison Peek Deputy Town Clerk
 - I have lived in Manchester my whole life and went all through Manchester Public Schools. Worked at Aetna and MetLife prior to becoming a stay-athome Mom while staying active in the community as a Girl Scout leader, PTA, and volunteering for different events in town. I have worked the election day poles and as a permanent substitute at Manchester Pre School Center until I started off part time in the Building Department in 2015 and then started in the Town Clerks office as a Records Clerk in 2019, and promoted to Assistant Town Clerk in 2021.

- Tiara Greene- Human Resources Associate
 - Recent transplant to Connecticut from South Carolina/North Carolina.
 - -"fell into" HR a few years ago and finally found my niche.
 - Currently pursuing my bachelor's degree in Human Resources Management.
 - Loves to travel and spend time with my family. When I am not chasing after my two year old son, I enjoy watching Rom-Com movies and reality shows.

Eighth District Update

- April/May: Hired 6 lateral transfers with CFA certs.
- May: Hired 6 new employees with FFI & II for Bridge.
- -Start Bridge w/6 8th personnel on 5/30.
- May 24th: Two Medics return from the February academy.
- Currently precepting.
- May 30th: Hire a Medic from previous conditional offer.
- -Currently precepting, will attend August academy.
- June 6th: Testing for Paramedic, looking to hire 5.
- August 14th: 5 Paramedics and 1 EMT begin.
- - Will attend August academy with next group of 8th personnel.

Eighth District Update

- 8th District Station 3 (Now Manchester FD Station 7) is closed as members are shunted to Station 2 (now MFD Station 6) to help facilitate the Bridge Academy. Station 7 is slated to be reoccupied as an ALS Engine Company on September 1st, ahead of our original expectations.
- Fully staffed March 1 2024

MPD Promotions



CONGRATULATIONS

LIEUTENANT DANIEL PILZ
SERGEANT CORY PALMISANO
SERGEANT ASHLEY FESHLER
SERGEANT DAVID CZMYR
DETECTIVE JONATHAN SARGOLINI

