TOWN STATISTICS

Incorporated in 1749

Population in 2016
No. of Taxable Properties
Area

4,752 12/31/2016 2,037 9.9 Square Miles

Streets and Roads

 Class I
 5.0 miles

 Class II
 7.2 miles

 Class V
 28.60 miles

 Class VI
 .90 miles

 Private
 3.20 miles

 Total
 44.90 miles

Sanborn Regional School District SAU #17
Dr. Brian Blake, Superintendent 603-642-3688

GOVERNOR

Christopher Sununu Concord (603) 271-2121 Term Expires: Nov 2018

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Maggie Hassan Washington, DC (202) 224-3324 Term Expires: Nov 2018 Jeanne Shaheen Washington, DC (202) 224-2841 Term Expires: Nov 2018

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Russell Prescott Concord, NH (603) 271-3632 Term Expires: Nov 2018

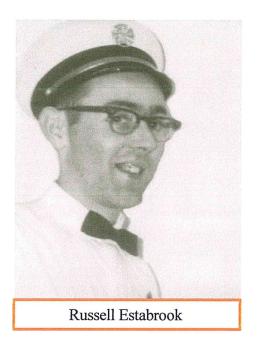
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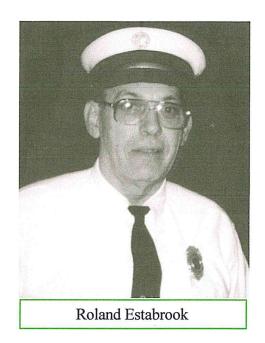
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DEDICATION





On September 19, 1934, Newton's Fire Chief Ralph Estabrook welcomed fraternal-twin nephews. Born to his brother, firefighter Raymond Estabrook, the infant brothers Russell and Roland would grow up to be major assets to Newton. From their early days working on their family's dairy farm, delivering milk to homes; through the years of raising their families and even today the Estabrook brothers have had an abiding respect for the Town of Newton and have helped to protect her residents.

In 1950, at the age of 16, they joined the Newton Fire Department where their uncle was still Fire Chief. In 1952 they graduated from Sanborn Seminary. They worked side-by-side, building the Central Fire Station, almost across the street from their family's garage. Their father, Raymond, took over the job of Fire Chief in 1955. His sons worked with him in the fire department until his untimely death in 1964. With their father's passing the brothers came together to run Estabrook's Garage for their mother. Because of the proximity of the firehouse to their business, when the fire horns sounded they could be seen running across Route 108 to man the tanker and engine. They were inevitably the first to show up at any fire or accident in town.

In 1964 both brothers ran for the Fire Chief position. Russell won the coveted spot and Roland was his deputy. Russell remained Fire Chief until 1979 when Roland was elected to replace him. Roland continued as Fire Chief until 1984 with Russell as his deputy. During these years they also served as Fire Wardens and Deputy Fire Wardens as was appropriate for their leadership positions in the fire department. They hold Fire Warden Emeritus status to this day, an honor rarely bestowed by the New Hampshire Division of Forests and Lands.

They also held other town offices; Russell served a term as Road Agent; Roland served as Selectman and as Police Chief. The brothers remained with the fire department until they retired from it – Russell in 1994 and Roland in 2004. Together they helped to literally build the Newton Fire Department and the town owes them debt of gratitude.