

Town of Hampton, New Hampshire

Capital Improvement Plan – Fire Department

Class A Fire Pumper Replacement

This project has been identified as critical, however, has been deferred several times due to the inability to house a new fire pumper in our aging Fire Stations. The Insurance Services Office is responsible for establishing a fire rating for each community. This rating is used by insurance companies to determine residential and business rates. Several factors are considered when determining the community's rating; one important capability is the ability to deliver water to the scene of a fire in sufficient quantity to effectively extinguish the fire quickly. Hampton requires a minimum of four (4) Class A fire pumpers to maintain our present rating. This project seeks to replace the oldest pumper the Fire Department maintains; a 1988 Emergency One Cyclone. This pumper has served the community well as a front line and now reserve pumper, however, continued maintenance of an aging piece of equipment is no longer cost efficient. The vehicle no longer complies with motor vehicle safety standards and cannot be retrofit with proper restraint and other safety systems.



Fire Department	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	
Fire Pumper Truck Replacements			\$ 575,000				May be reduced if Capital Reserve Approved
Ambulance Replacement		\$ 175,000		\$ 183,750			Purchase From EMS Fund
Capital Reserve - Vehicles	\$ 150,000	\$ 150,000	\$ 150,000	\$ 150,000	\$ 150,000	\$ 150,000	
Technical Rescue/Special Hazards Unit				\$ 650,000			
Fire Sub-total	\$ 150,000	\$ 325,000	\$ 725,000	\$ 983,750	\$ 150,000	\$ 150,000	