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## PRESS RELEASE

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### TOWN OF HANOVER



## Expanded Town Hall Hours

The **Board of Selectmen** in conjunction with the **Department of Municipal Inspections** is pleased to announce that Hanover Town Hall will be open for evening hours until 8 pm on Wednesdays beginning April 1, 2009. This coincides with the start of the construction season when homeowners can get permits for renovation of sheds, roofs and other home improvement projects.

These new hours will provide greater access to Town offices and their services by residents, businesses and the general public. Evening access to Town Hall offices will be particularly useful to the number of residents who find it difficult to take time off during their work day.

The Department of Municipal Inspections provides permitting and development review services for Building, Planning, Conservation, and Health related activities in the Town. The shift in office hours is consistent with the Department's philosophy of improved town services.

Starting April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009, Town Hall Hours will be as follows:

	Monday	8:00 AM – 4:00 PM	
	Tuesday	8:00 AM – 4:00 PM	
→	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>8:00 AM – 8:00 PM</b>	←
	Thursday	8:00 AM – 4:00 PM	
	Friday	8:00 AM – 12 Noon	

These new hours will also provide convenient access to the Tax Collector, Assessors, and Town Clerk offices among others.

For additional information please see the Town Website ([www.hanover-ma.gov](http://www.hanover-ma.gov)) or contact the Department of Municipal Inspections at 781-826-7641. We encourage the public to visit the Town website 24 hours a day to obtain information regarding permits, application forms, bill payment, town regulations and a directory of town offices. We also invite the citizens of Hanover to simply visit on a Wednesday evening to meet the staff or informally take advantage of the variety of helpful expertise available to you as you make decisions about your home improvement projects.