

NHDOT Bridge Design and Bridge Maintenance

Mission and Strategy Statements

Bureau of Bridge Design

Mission Statement:

Support transportation excellence through stewardship of the bridge network that prioritizes safety for the traveling public and the maintenance, preservation, rehabilitation, and replacement of state and municipal bridges in a sustainable and cost effective manner.

Strategy:

- Design, draft, and develop bridge projects that use both conventional and innovative construction materials and methods to lengthen service life and reduce life cycle costs.
- Develop cost-effective, efficient, safe, and durable bridges that are environmentally and aesthetically sensitive.
- Inspect and evaluate all bridges to comply with state and federal guidelines and to ensure a safe and reliable bridge network.
- Prioritize all bridge actions based on condition, risk, and importance to maximize bridge network health and mobility.

Bureau of Bridge Maintenance

Mission Statement:

Support transportation excellence by effectively and efficiently meeting the operation, maintenance, preservation, rehabilitation, and emergency response needs for State owned bridges and transportation structures, in order to provide safe, secure, and reliable movement of people and goods over bridges in New Hampshire.

Strategy:

Apply timely and cost-effective maintenance, preservation, and rehabilitation efforts in an environmentally sensitive manner to State owned bridges and transportation structures in New Hampshire to maximize service life and ensure safety for the traveling public.