

MARITIME-THEMED SCULPTURE GARDEN WILL WELCOME VISITORS TO PORTSMOUTH AS PART OF PNH400

Imagine a sculpture garden welcoming visitors to Portsmouth as they take the Market Street Gateway from Interstate 95 to the city's downtown. That's the vision of the Portsmouth NH 400th Legacy Committee which is tasked with creating a project that will last well beyond the 400th anniversary in 2023, enriching the city for years to come.

Located in the city's already existing Bohenko Gateway Park, this new sculpture garden will have a maritime theme, celebrating the river and all that is connected with it through public art. BUILDING A LASTING LEGACY

The park offers sweeping views of the North Mill Pond and the Piscataqua River and features a winding pathway and a small pavilion with benches overlooking the water. When this sculpture garden is completed, the public park will be enhanced with up to eight permanent sculptures reflecting Portsmouth's rich maritime history.

Just a short walk from the bustling downtown, this sculpture garden will attract visitors and residents of our seacoast community, providing the perfect location for quiet reflection, a family picnic, or educational programs on our maritime history.

Portsmouth NH 400 is inviting artists to submit designs. A committee, including representatives from the city and the community as well as others with expertise in public art, will select the finalists. Plans are to install the public art during the 400th celebration in 2023.

Donors to the sculpture project will be recognized in many ways, including at the site and in media outreach, on the PNH400 website, and at all events connected with the sculpture garden.

PNH400 is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization registered with the State of New Hampshire. All donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

PNH400 BACKGROUND

Portsmouth, NH was founded in 1623. For many years prior, it was the land of the Wabanaki Nation's Penacook tribe, and was also settled by European commercial fisherman. In 2023, Portsmouth will celebrate its 400th anniversary by honoring the city's diverse and dynamic, social, political, intellectual, cultural, economic, and spiritual history, from the time of the early Native American settlements to the present.

The goal of Portsmouth NH 400th , Inc. is to bring our community together to create opportunities to celebrate and tell our stories through programs, events, exhibits, and legacy projects.

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BOHENKO GATEWAY PARK SCULPTURE GARDEN SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

\$25,000 PREMIER SPONSOR

- Prominent recognition at the site
- Recognition on all PNH400 social media channels
- Logo and/or name on PNH400 website, e-newsletter, printed calendar of events, and commemorative book
- Press release with photo op announcing the sponsorship. All press releases related to the sculpture garden will include this boilerplate "Made possible through the generous support of company name or individual name."

\$10,000 GOLD SPONSOR

- Recognition at the site
- Recognition on all PNH400 social media channels
- Logo and/or name on PNH400 website, e-newsletter, printed calendar of events, and commemorative book
- Press release announcing the sponsorship

\$5,000 SILVER SPONSOR

- Recognition at the site
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- Logo and/or name on PNH400 website, e-newsletter, printed calendar of events, and commemorative book

\$2,500 BRONZE SPONSOR

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