Chronology of significant events in Hanover Town Government

	29 Town Manager Study failures
1989	Creation of Department of Municipal Finance by-law approved (Appt Treas) MGL 43C
1990 1991	ATM Article 24 moved administration of Transfer Station from BOH to DPW. ATM Article 17 accepted Enterprise Accounting for BPW Water.
1992	Water bill collections moved from DPW to Town Collector.
1993	ATM Article 52 approved study re consolidating finances of four departments (Building, Conservation, Planning, Health).
1993	ATM Article 17 re consolidating admin functions (incl sch personnel) lost 115 to 117.
1993	MGL 71:37M ATM Article18 approved re Personnel Admin. authority on compliance issues.
1994	Street acceptance moved from Selectmen to DPW (also see Article 21 1997). Auto dealer site plan moved from Selectmen to Planning.
1996 1997	Town Collector becomes Parking Clerk. ATM Article 21 process of "Acceptance of a Way" moved from Selectmen to DPW.
1999 1999	Centralization of telephone service under Selectmen. Centralized replacement of all Underground Storage Tanks. Centralization of Electricity purchasing under Selectmen.
2001	ATM Article 16 created By-Law and Town Organization Study Committee.
2001	Centralization of Natural Gas purchasing under Selectmen.
2003	ATM Article 18 codified Open Space Committee in Bylaws
20048	&5 Town Manager Study committee failure
2005	ATM Article 61 Dept of Mun Insp failed MGL 43C
2007	ATM Article 45 approved Dept of Mun Insp (7-1-08 Planning, Health, Building, Consv)
2007	ATM 32 codified Parks and Recreation in Bylaws
2008	ATM Article 22 approved (upon retirement) appoint Collector (Coll/Treas) MGL 43C
2008	ATM Article 32 Historical Commission codified in the Bylaws
2009	ATM Article 18 and ballot question approve Town Manager Act. 8 pages.
2010	Appoint Manager and <u>5 Depts</u> .
2011	1 page budget approved
2011	All building maintenance (including schools) centralized under Manager MGL 71:68

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