

## WATERBURY MAYORS SINCE 1853

YEARS	MAYOR	PARTY	TERMS
June 19, 1853 - June 10, 1854	Julius Hotchkiss	(no party label)	
June 10, 1854 - June 11, 1855	David T. Bishop	(no party label)	
June 11, 1855 - June 9, 1856	George W. Benedict	People's	
June 9, 1856 - June 8, 1857	John W. Webster	Regular Union	
June 8, 1857 - June 13, 1859	Henry F. Fish	Democrat	2 terms
Note: Fish resigned Oct. 4, 1858; Nathan Dikeman, Jr., senior alderman, discharged the duties of the Office of the Mayor during the remainder of the term.			
June 13, 1859 - June 11, 1860	Charles Benedict	Republican	
June 11, 1860 - June 8, 1863	Aner Bradley, Jr.	Democrat	3 terms
June 8, 1863 - June 13, 1864	L. Sanford Davies	Democrat	
June 13, 1864 - June 11, 1866	John Kendrick	Democrat	2 terms
June 11, 1866 - June 10, 1867	Dr. Philo G. Rockwell	Union Reform	
June 10, 1867 - June 8, 1868	Joseph B. Spencer	Democrat	
June 8, 1868 - June 14, 1869	John Kendrick	Democrat	
June 14, 1869 - June 13, 1870	Charles B. Merriman	Republican	
June 13, 1870 - June 11, 1871	Isaac E. Newton	Democrat	
June 11, 1871 - Jan. 3, 1876	George B. Thomas	Democrat	2 terms
Jan. 3, 1876 - Jan. 7, 1878	Archibald E. Rice	Democrat	
Jan. 7, 1878 - Jan. 5, 1880	Henry I. Boughton	Democrat	
Jan. 5, 1880 - Jan. 2, 1882	Guernsey S. Parsons	Citizen Democratic	
Jan. 2, 1882 - Jan. 3, 1884	Greene Kendrick	Democrat	
Jan. 3, 1884 - Jan. 4, 1886	Henry A. Matthews	Democrat	
Jan. 4, 1886 - Jan. 6, 1890	Henry I. Boughton	Democrat	2 terms
Jan. 6, 1890 - Jan. 4, 1892	Charles R. Baldwin	Democrat	
Jan. 4, 1892 - Jan. 1, 1894	Daniel F. Webster	Democrat	
Jan. 1, 1894 - Jan. 3, 1898	Edward G. Kilduff	Democrat	2 terms
Jan. 3, 1898 - Jan. 1900	Thomas D. Barlow	Republican	
Jan. 1900 - Jan. 1904	Edward G. Kilduff	Democrat	
Jan. 4, 1904 - Jan. 1906	John P. Elton	Republican	
Jan. 1906 - Jan. 3, 1910	William E. Thoms	Democrat	2 terms
Jan. 3, 1910 - Jan. 1, 1912	William B. Hotchkiss	Republican	
Jan. 1, 1912 - Jan. 1914	Francis T. Reeves	Democrat	
Jan. 1, 1914 - Jan. 1918	Martin Scully	Democrat	2 terms
Jan. 1918 - Jan. 1922	William H. Sandland	Republican	2 terms
Jan. 1922 - Jan. 1930	Francis P. Guilfoile	Democrat	4 terms
Jan. 1930 - Sept. 2, 1939	T. Frank Hayes	Democrat	5 terms
Note: Hayes resigned Sept. 2, 1939; Patrick M. Perriello, (Republican) President of the Board of Alderman served as mayor until Jan. 1940.			
Jan. 1940 - Jan. 1943	Vincent A. Scully	Democrat	2 terms
Note: Scully died in office Jan. 9, 1943.			
Jan. 1943 - Jan. 1948	John S. Monagan	Democrat	2 terms
Jan. 1948 - Jan. 1956	Raymond E. Snyder	Republican	4 terms
Jan. 1956 - Jan. 1958	Edward D. Bergin	Democrat	
Jan. 1958 - Jan. 1960	Raymond E. Snyder	Republican	
Jan. 1960 - Jan. 1964	Edward D. Bergin	Democrat	2 terms
Jan. 1964 - Jan. 1966	Joseph F. McNellis, Jr.	Democrat	
Jan. 1966 - Jan. 1968	Frederick W. Palomba	Republican	
Jan. 1968 - June 1, 1968, resigned	Frederick W. Palomba	Republican	
June 1, 1968 - Jan. 1970	George P. Harlamon	Republican	
Note: Succeeded to the Office of Mayor upon resignation of Palomba.			
Jan. 1970 - May 30, 1971	Edward D. Bergin	Democrat	
Note: Died in office.			
May 31, 1971 - Jan. 1976	Victor A. Mambruno	Democrat	3 terms
Jan. 1976 - Jan. 1986	Edward D. Bergin, Jr.	Democrat	5 terms
Jan. 1986 - Jan. 1992	Joseph J. Santopietro	Republican	3 terms
Jan. 1992 - Jan. 1996	Edward D. Bergin, Jr.	Democrat	2 terms
Jan. 1996 - Jan. 2002	Philip A. Giordano	Republican	
Jan. 2002 - Dec. 2011	Michael J. Jarjura	Democrat	5 terms
Dec. 2011 - Nov. 2023	Neil M. O'Leary	Democrat	4 terms
Dec. 2023	Paul K. Pernerewski, Jr	Democrat	