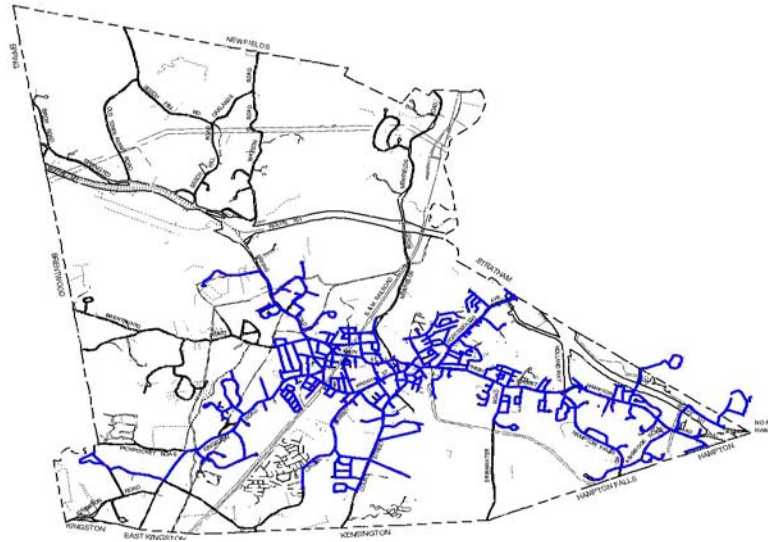


## MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

Exeter's Municipal Water Distribution System provides potable water service and fire protection to the majority of the Town's population.



Exeter relies on a combination of surface water and groundwater to meet its water supply needs. The bulk of the water produced in town comes from the Water Treatment Plant (WTP).

The primary supply source is the Exeter River. The town also uses the Exeter Reservoir, located adjacent to the WTP; the reservoir is fed by Dearborn Brook but also supplemented with flow from the Exeter River. Exeter's groundwater sources include Skinner Springs (water is pumped to the WTP) and Lary Lane Well (water is pumped directly to the distribution system)

Additionally, Exeter's water distribution system includes three storage tanks (Epping Road, Hampton Road and Cross Road), four pumping stations, and approximately 30 miles of water mains.

A comprehensive evaluation of the water system was completed by CDM consultants in 2002 and is the master plan for future system improvements.

The Water System Evaluation Study recommended a new water treatment plant as highest priority for improvements to the Town's water system. Due to lack of necessary support for the new plant, the Water/Sewer Advisory Committee recommended moving forward with distribution improvements.

- Annual Water Quality Report - 2006
- Town of Exeter Public Water Rights - 2004
- CDM Safe Yield Analysis - 2003
- Water System Evaluation Study - 2002