

**Position: Town Clerk**

			2023					Does Municipality
#	Municipality	County	Population	Elected	Appointed	Reports To...	Comments	Require Residency?
1	Portland	Cumberland	68,356		X	Appointed by City Council; Reports to City Council		No
2	Lewiston	Androscoggin	39,876		X	Appointed by City Administrator & confirmed by Council	need not be a resident of the city or state at the time of appointment, but may reside outside the city while in office only with the approval of the council	Yes, but may be waived by council
3	Bangor	Penobscot	31,460		X	Appointed by City Council	Regular monthly reports to City Manager; <b>Contract employee</b> with residency requirement unless waived by Council (Not required by Charter )	Yes, but may be waived by council
4	South Portland	Cumberland	27,477		X	Appointed by City Council		No
5	Auburn	Androscoggin	24,310		X	Appointed by City Manager	Recently re-org'd. to report to Finance Director	No
6	Scarborough	Cumberland	24,228		X	Appointed by Town Manager & confirmed by Council		No
7	Sanford	York	22,562		X	Appointed by Town Manager & confirmed by Council	Charter Amended 11/8/2022	No
8	Biddeford	York	22,357		X	Nominated by Mayor & confirmed by Council		No
9	Saco	York	21,326		X	Appointed by City Administrator & confirmed by Council		No
10	Westbrook	Cumberland	20,859		X	Nominated by Mayor & confirmed by Council		No
11	Brunswick	Cumberland	20,845		X	Appointed by Town Manager & confirmed by Council	Reports to Town Manager	No
12	<b>Windham</b>	<b>Cumberland</b>	<b>19,722</b>	<b>X</b>				<b>Elected, Yes</b>
13	Augusta	Kennebec	19,220		X	Normal Hiring Process & confirmed by Council	Falls under Finance/Audit Department	No
14	Gorham	Cumberland	17,777		X	Appointed by Town Council		No
15	Waterville	Kennebec	15,824		X	Appointed by Manager; reports to Manager		No
16	York	York	14,216	X				Elected, Yes
17	Falmouth	Cumberland	12,868		X	Appointed by Manager; reports to Manager		No
18	Cumberland	Cumberland	8,754		X	Appointed by Town Manager & confirmed by Council	Reports to Town Manager	No
19	Kennebunk	York	11,915		X	Appointed by Town Manager & confirmed by Council		No
20	Standish	Cumberland	10,820		X	Appointed by Council; reports to Manager		No
21	Wells	York	11,855	X		Currently Appointed due to Elected Clerk Retiring (completion of predecessor's 3 yr term)	Charter amendment passed in June but did not reach 30% voters; Tried again in November but failed; existing clerk not relocating to Wells	Elected, Yes
22	Orono	Penobscot	12,253		X	Appointed by Town Manager & confirmed by Council	Reports to Town Manager	No
23	Kittery	York	10,784		X	Appointed by Manager; reports to Manager		No
24	Cape Elizabeth	Cumberland	9,592		X	Appointed by Town Manager & confirmed by Council	Reports to Town Manager	No
25	Old Orchard Beach	York	9,128	X				Elected, Yes
26	Freeport	Cumberland	8,781		X	Appointed by Town Manager & confirmed by Council	Reports to Town Manager	No
27	Gray	Cumberland	8,395		X	Appointed by Town Manager & confirmed by Council	Reports to Town Manager	No
28	Bridgton	Cumberland	5,471		X	Appointed by Town Manager & confirmed by Select Board	Reports to Town Manager	No