

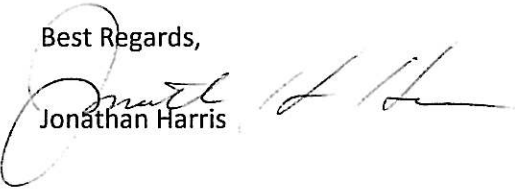
November 7, 2012

Dear Honorable Members of the Portsmouth Town Council and Portsmouth School Committee,

Effective today, I am resigning my seat as a member of the Portsmouth School Committee. This decision is one I made several months ago but I committed to serving a full two year term before departing. The demands of my business have increased over the last few years and spending more time with my family is where my time and focus must be spent.

It has been an honor to serve the town of Portsmouth and I hope I have given you sufficient time to find a replacement for me that will align with the appointment of new members of the school committee within the next few weeks.

Best Regards,

  
Jonathan Harris