



TOWN OF SOUTHBURY

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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Date: January 5, 2026

To: Tim O'Neil, First Selectman

From: Blake Leonard, Public Works Director

Re: Resignation

Dear Mr. O'Neil,

Please accept this letter as my formal resignation from my position as Public Works Director for the Town of Southbury. Two weeks from today, my last day of work will be January 19, 2026.

Please understand my reasons for this decision are entirely personal and include pursuing other opportunities considering my own long-term goals.

It has been an absolute honor and pleasure serving this community over the last few years, and I am extremely grateful for the opportunity and professional experience gained here. We have accomplished so much together as a team. I would also like to share my sincere appreciation to my teammates in Public Works for all their support in my time here, and what they have accomplished working together.

I would be glad to assist the town in the transition in any way that I can, and if I can offer any support in the future, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Respectfully,

Blake Leonard