

James Vayo, AICP

Project Manager



James joined SNHPC in September 2018 and is a native of the Merrimack Valley, having lived in Lowell, Nashua, and Manchester. He earned an Associate's Degree in Architectural Engineering from Vermont Technical College (2003), and a Bachelor of Architecture from Boston Architectural College (2009). He recently obtained his M.A. in Community Development Policy and Practice from the Carsey School of Public Policy at UNH (2019). Over the last 10 years he has applied his knowledge in private industry to revitalize downtowns throughout New England and worked for the City of Nashua as their Downtown Specialist. James is passionate about creating high quality cities and villages as a means to preserve natural and working landscapes of New Hampshire.

On any given day you may catch James, his wife Liz, and daughter Chloe riding their bicycles from their Manchester home to any of the great restaurants or parks in the city.



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Main Responsibilities at SNHPC:

- Community Technical Assistance Plan – Phase III, Manchester
- Transit-Oriented Development Plan Administrator
- Region-Wide Vulnerability Assessment
- Pop-up Planning, Complete Streets Demonstrations
- Legislative Outreach Coordinator
- Hooksett 3A TIF District Liaison

