

# City of Lewiston Press Release

**Members of the Media:** Below please find a press release, with attached photos, re: the announcement of three Lewiston Fire Department promotions. Any media coverage that you could render would be greatly appreciated. Thanks, Dottie

**PRESS RELEASE**  
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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**LEWISTON:** Lewiston Fire Chief Paul LeClair is proud to announce the promotions of John Daniels to the rank of Captain along with William “JR” Wallace and Kevin Roux to the rank of Lieutenant.



**Daniels** began his career as a firefighter with the Lewiston Fire Department in May of 1985 and was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in September of 1993. He holds an Associates Degree from Southern Maine Community College, is a Certified Firefighter I & II Instructor, and a member of the International Association of Arson Investigators. LeClair also referenced the many years of experience that Daniels brings to his newly promoted position as Captain. His new duties will include taking command of the fire scene and overseeing the ordering and maintenance of firefighting gear, clothing, and household supplies for the department.



**Wallace** joined the Lewiston Fire Department in April of 2002. His firefighting credentials include: EMT-B, Certified Fire Officer II, Certified Fire Instructor II, Maine Fire Service Institute Instructor, Hazardous Materials Tech, Confined Space Rescue Tech, and Wildland Firefighter. In addition to his many certifications, LeClair notes that he also brings great enthusiasm to the workplace. His first assignment as Lieutenant is Central Station’s Engine #7.



**Roux** began his tenure with the City of Lewiston at the Public Works Department in 1997. In September of 2000, he joined the Lewiston Fire Department and has served on numerous assignments. Roux has continued his education in the field of Fire Science and has been a certified Peer Fitness Trainer for the department since 2008. LeClair notes that his dedication to the department along with his willingness to share his knowledge or lend a hand makes him a fine choice for his new position as Lieutenant. His first assignment as Lieutenant is Main Street Sub-Station's Engine #5.

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