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**MAYOR MICHAEL T. FOLEY ANNOUNCES RESIGNATION, TAKES ON NEW ROLE AS TOWN MANAGER IN GRAY, MAINE**

**Westbrook, Maine** – Mayor Michael T. Foley has submitted notice of his resignation as the Mayor to the Westbrook City Council, effective February 12, 2024. After serving the City of Westbrook as a leader in various positions for over two decades, currently in his fifth year serving as mayor, Mayor Foley announced his departure as he has accepted the position of Town Manager for the Town of Gray, Maine.

Mayor Foley expressed his gratitude for the support and collaboration he received during his tenure from residents, business owners, community partners, fellow elected leaders, and municipal employees. “I am honored to have had the privilege of serving as your mayor. Together, we have faced challenges, celebrated milestones, and have worked every day toward making this City a better place to affordably live, work, and play. It’s with mixed emotions that I announce my resignation to begin a new chapter in my career, but I’m proud of what we have accomplished together and I’m thankful to have called this community my home for my entire life which is where I will continue to live while serving in Gray.”

Mayor Foley will continue to serve through the end of the Special City Council meeting scheduled on February 12, 2024, at which point City Council President David C. Morse will be sworn in as Acting Mayor in accordance with the Westbrook City Charter. Mayor Foley’s new position as Town Manager for Gray will begin on January 31, 2024 on a part-time basis and begin full-time February 13, 2024.