



Join the Wenham Fire Department, Board of Selectmen and Community Preservation Committee in celebrating the return of

# Enon #1

*Wenham's Historic Fire Pumper*

to its new home behind Town Hall.

In honor of National Fire Prevention Week, a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony will be held:

**Saturday  
October 13th  
at 10:00am**



Photo Courtesy: Wenham Museum

*Enon #1, was purchased in 1849, from Edward Lesley in Newburyport, at the cost of \$900 and remained in use until 1915.*

*Enon #1 had a crew of men to manually operate the pump. Along with the pump, there was a reel of hose that was mounted on a two-wheel axle. Both pieces were pulled by the pumping crew to the fire site.*

*In 1969, Fire Department members built the original display structure for Enon #1 which allowed people to view the classic pump.*

*On October 24, 2006, the Fire Department removed the structure to make room for the new Police Station.*

*Enon #1 was stored at the American Hand Fire Engine Society in Newbury until it returned to Wenham on September 22, 2018.*

*It is believed that Enon #1 is the oldest, unrestored "hand tub" still in existence.*

