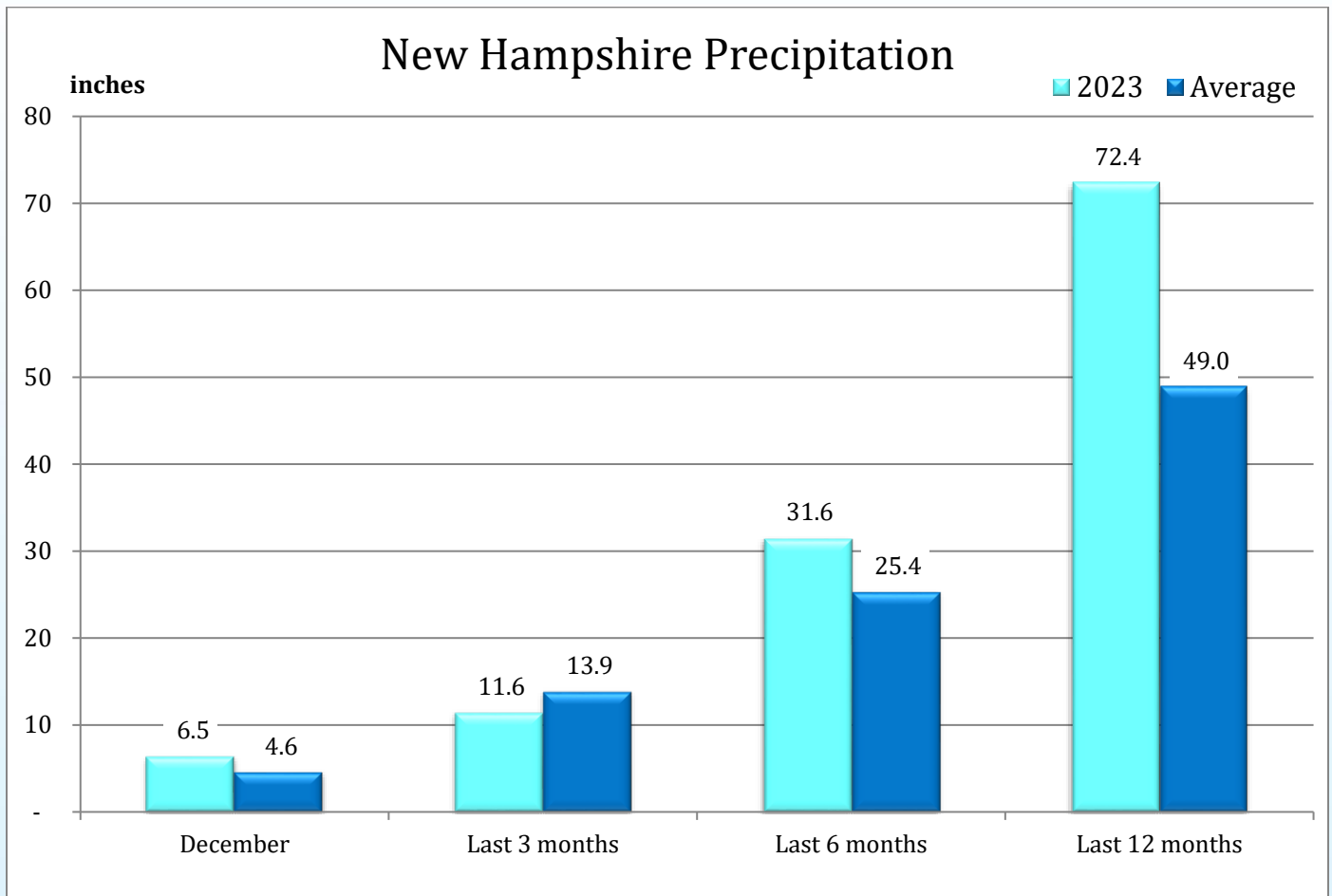


## Water Supply Update

*Serving the Communities of Hampton, North Hampton, Rye & Stratham*

### Weather Trends/Outlook

Rainfall in December was 6.5 inches; considerably more than the long-term average of 4.6 inches. There are no current drought conditions (see the U.S. Drought Monitor map below) due to higher than average precipitation over the past year.





**U.S. Drought Monitor  
New Hampshire**

**January 2, 2024**  
(Released Thursday, Jan. 4, 2024)  
Valid 7 a.m. EST



**Intensity:**

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad conditions. Local conditions may vary. Information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About>

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Currently, there are no water use restrictions in place.