Town Manager Bio

Daniel Taber was appointed Interim Town Manager on August 2, 2011. Prior to that appointment, he served as Chief of Police for the Town of Dumfries, and previously retired as an Assistant Chief of Police for the Prince William County Police Department, having completed almost thirty seven years of service with that agency. Prior to that, he proudly served in the United States Army from 1969 to 1971. He has held many management positions during his career and has taught college-level criminal justice and management courses at several colleges and universities continuously over the past thirty-three years.

Mr. Taber has a Bachelor of Science degree in Administration of Justice from American University in Washington, D.C. and a Master's Degree in Public Administration from George Mason University in Fairfax, Virginia. In addition, he is a graduate of the Federal Bureau of investigation's National Academy, the Senior Management Institute for Police, and the Professional Executive Leadership School at the University of Richmond. He has done extensive research in the area of organizational and law enforcement ethics and has presented ethics training for new police chiefs and deputy chiefs in Virginia through the Virginia Association of Chiefs of Police.

He has two sons and has been happily married to his wife Judy for more than twenty-six years. He has been a resident of Prince William County since 1971.