

Basic Detail Report

Title Map of the City of Hartford, Connecticut

Date 1859

Primary Maker William H. Rease

Medium Lithography; black printer's ink and watercolor on paper

Description Street map of Hartford, Connecticut, extending from Spring Grove Cemetery to the north, to the Connecticut River to the east, to Wawarme Avenue to the south, and Sigourney Street to the west. The city's wards are labeled on the map. Buildings and their lot numbers are given, with different types of shading for different uses. Notable landmarks include cemeteries; Bushnell and other parks; Trinity College; the Hartford and New Haven; Hartford, Providence and Fishkill; and the Hartford and Springfield Railroads and Union Station. In the top right corner, there is an inset map of Hartford in 1640, and just below it, a map of Hartford school districts. The map is framed with a decorative border of stylized leaves.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 56 x 53 1/2in. (142.2 x 135.9cm) Sheet (height x width): 58 x 54 3/8in. (147.3 x 138.1cm)