



## ***New London Harbor Lighthouse,***

New London, CT

Built 1801

### ***Masonry Restoration and Coating by [Loring & Son Masonry](#)***

#### ***Products:***

[\*Rosendale 12M Masonry Mortar\*](#)

[\*Rosendale 14S Stucco\*](#)

[\*Rosendale 13P Brownstone Patch\*](#)

[\*Elastowall 351 Breathable Masonry Coating\*](#)

#### ***Work Performed: 2014***

**New London Harbor Light**, located on the west side of the New London harbor entrance, is the seventh oldest U.S. lighthouse, and it is the oldest and the tallest lighthouse in Connecticut, and on Long Island Sound. It is described as a "white, octagonal pyramidal tower [reaching] 90 feet above ground and 89 feet above water".



The light is visible for 15 miles and consists of three white flashes and one red flash. It was listed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1990. It is currently owned and maintained by the [New London Maritime Society](#) as part of the National Historic Lighthouse Preservation Act program.

Restoration of the 213-year-old sandstone and brick lighthouse required removal of unsound portions of previous coatings, sandstone patching and crack repair, limited repointing and stucco replacement and installation of a bright white coating in keeping with the light's continuing service as a navigational aid.



Masonry restoration and coating work was performed by Loring and Son Masonry of New London. All photos courtesy of Loring & Son Masonry, Inc.