

## **Manager's Report 07/24/18**

National Night Out started 35 years ago and is meant to promote police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make our neighborhoods safer, more caring places to live. It gives the chance for positive interactions between Police and community members in a neutral environment. This is the second year Bridgton is participating and will be at Harmon Field, August 7th from 5-7pm. There will be Cruisers, Ambulance, Fire Truck, food, fun, games and more!

As a precaution, the Town will be testing all our beaches weekly until Labor Day. Testing will be done on Thursdays so that we have the results on Friday.

The Bridgton Historical Society is accepting time capsule memorabilia until the end of this month. Please take your items to the Bridgton Historical Society which is on Gibbs Avenue.

I am conducting second interviews with the two leading candidates for the Community Development Director position. My goal is to have a candidate in front of the Board for confirmation in August.

Monday, Jim, Georgiann and I will be interviewing candidates for the Executive Secretary position.

The Fire Department would like to acknowledge the fine work from Justin Gibbons and the crew from Hilltop Roofing for their work at South Station. We would also like to thank Hancock Lumber for supplies and Everlast Roofing for the materials to complete the reroofing project.

It is with great pride that the Fire Chief expresses thanks to the members of the department who operated at the Fryeburg Fair Grounds fire on July 10th. The quick action of the crews from Engine # 1, Ladder # 1 and Tank # 4 kept the fire to the two buildings of origin and helped to prevent a major loss.

The Fire Chief notes that the airboat is progressing on schedule with the major portion of the hull restoration almost complete. Seven members this past Sunday provided an additional 24 man hours to the project.

Before you tonight are the April financials and the Revenue and Expenditure Summary Report. As you will note, the benchmark is 92% for the month. Revenues are at 98% and Expenditures at 88.4%.