

Manager's Report 02/09/21

General

A reminder that masks are required at the Town Office and Transfer Station. If you are unable to wear one due to an underlying medical condition, please call to set up an appointment so that we can accommodate you in a manner that is safe for you and our staff.

An important reminder that with winter weather upon us, it is important to keep your driveways and private roads cleared and sanded so that, if the need arises, emergency personnel can safely access your property.

Regarding weather events, please be aware that we post information on the Town's Facebook page and the Town's website. Additionally, all the local television channels are notified when the Town Office closes.

Recreation

The Skating Rink is open weekdays from 4-7pm, Saturday from 12-8pm and Sunday from 9am-5pm. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, the maximum number allowed in the building is 10. Face coverings are required and sign-in required.

Legal

Susan Hatch, Sigvard Von Sicard, and Judy Von Sicard through their attorney, David Lourie, have filed lawsuit #2 concerning Bridgton Hotel. This is separate from the prior lawsuit. In short, his clients are appealing the Planning Board's supplemental decision issued after the Court remanded the matter back to the Planning Board. Under the Maine Rules of Civil Procedure, the Planning Board's supplemental decision is a separate action that requires the filing of a new appeal. We have forwarded this new lawsuit to our insurer to see if we can get coverage.

Fire Department

The Department conducted their annual mandated training. They wish to thank Public Safety Chaplain Mike Zullo for allowing the use of the Alliance Church helping firefighters to socially distance during the training.

12 firefighters have received their first COVID-19 shots and another 6 are scheduled this week. Thanks go out to EMA Director Perrault for coordinating the shots with Cumberland County EMA.

The Department remains busy with calls, fires, and mutual aid assistance.

Town Office

Ashley Albrecht and Ashley Collette, our new Deputy Town Clerks, began work on Monday.

Financials

Before you tonight are the October financials and the Revenue and Expenditure Summary Report. As you will note, the benchmark is 33% for the month. Revenues are at 36.6% and Expenditures at 33.6%.

Before you tonight are the December financials and the Revenue and Expenditure Summary Report. As you will note, the benchmark is 50% for the month. Revenues are at 49.7% and Expenditures at 48.5%.