

Manager's Report 02/14/23

General Information

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.

Town Clerk/Tax Collector's Office

Bridgton was awarded Keeping Cumberland County Warm Grant funding through Cumberland County to provide additional heating assistance for persons or families that otherwise would be ineligible to receive General Assistance due to income guidelines. The goal of the program is to target families with incomes exceeding both general assistance and LIHEAP income caps for Cumberland County. Please visit the website: keepingcumberlandcountywarm-Town of Bridgton, Maine at bridgtonmaine.org. To date, six applications have been submitted for the Keeping Cumberland County Warm Grant Funds. Please review the guidelines and submit application prior to April 15, 2023.

Reminder that the 3rd quarter tax payment is due on or before February 15th.

Absentee ballots are available at the Town Clerk's Office for the March 7th MSAD 61 Referendum Election.

Finance Department

A reminder to the Board that the quarterly warrant signer is Ken Murphy through March 31st. Paul Tworog is responsible from April 1st to Town Meeting.

Code Enforcement

Congratulations to Lorelee who passed both her Legal and Subsurface Wastewater Classes. She has one more test, Internal Plumbing, to pass to attain her Licensed Plumbing Inspector certification.

Recreation

The Ice Rink is open all week and weekend including during February Break. Please note that there are skates available free of charge.

The Department is hosting 4 Square Championships in May and Ping Pong Senior Games in August.

There will be a 30 vendor Craft and Vendor Fair during Winter Carnival. It will be from 8am-3pm on Saturday. Also, sign-up is open for the July 3rd Craft and Vendor Fair.

Registration is open for all Spring Sports and Programs.

Lastly, tickets are available for the Adult Trip to see the Mets vs the Red Sox on July 23rd. Tickets are \$100 per person.