

# **Town Manager's Update**

## **July 15, 2021**

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### **Announcements**

- Effective July 1, 2021 the residential flat sewer rate was increased to \$304 per year, a 12% increase. The commercial sewer rate also increased by 12%.
- The Town-wide long line striping of our main roads will begin tonight (Thursday) and is expected to take two nights to complete, weather permitting.
- The next Household Hazardous Waste Disposal event will take place on Saturday, August 7 from 8:00 AM to Noon at the City of Nashua Park and Ride located at 25 Crown Street. For more information on the event please contact the Transfer Station at 424-2604, or visit the webpage of the Merrimack Solid Waste Division or the Nashua Regional Planning Commission.
- Save the Date - National Night Out will be on Tuesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 from 5:30 – 7:30 pm at Abbie Griffin Park. National Night Out is an annual community-building campaign that promotes police-community partnerships and neighborhood camaraderie to make our neighborhoods safer, more caring places to live. National Night Out enhances the relationship between neighbors and law enforcement while bringing back a true sense of community. Furthermore, it provides a great opportunity to bring police and neighbors together under positive circumstances. Visit the Parks & Recreation Department website for details: [www.merrimackparksandrec.org](http://www.merrimackparksandrec.org)
- Come and join Merrimack Parks & Recreation on select Friday Nights this summer with our free movie nights in the Park. What better way to enjoy a beautiful night out than to relax in Wasserman Park and enjoy a night out with family and friends. All movies will be held at Wasserman Park (on the baseball field next to the Tennis Courts). The Park is located at 116 Naticook Road, Merrimack. Movies are open to both Residents and Non-Residents and are free.
  - **Friday, July 9th - Ferris Bueller's Day Off - POSTPONED TO FRIDAY AUGUST 27TH**
  - **Friday, July 23rd - Finding Dory**
  - **Friday, Aug 13th - Beauty & The Beast**
  - **Friday, Sept 17th - Raiders of the Lost Ark**

### **Town Manager's Report**

- Repairs to the Abbie Griffin Bandstand are scheduled to begin on Thursday, July 22 and run through Sunday, July 25. The work will include replacing all of the railings and balusters in the bandstand, rebuilding the steps into the bandstand and adding hand rails on each end of the entrance up the steps. The Bandstand will be closed during the repairs.
- The Phase III Upgrade construction project officially began on July 5, 2021. The construction contractor, Methuen Construction, has begun mobilizing construction trailers. The \$17M upgrade project will be completed by October 5, 2023.
- The drainage improvement project on Joppa Road near Derry Street is expected to be substantially complete tomorrow, July 16.