

The information contained in this report is intended to inform the Select Board, staff, and residents, some of the current activities taking place within the manager's office or the Town in general. All topics are open for discussion.

**Wescustogo Hall Project** - The resident input from the May forum is included with this report.

**Newsletter** - The next newsletter will be out this week my sincere thanks to our committee volunteers and town staff for its production.

**Summit** - Once again I believe the Summit was a great success and some very valuable information was gathered. After the conclusion of the summit, Vanessa and I talked about the possibility of getting committee groups and the general public together to further focus on specific ideas, objectives, etc.

**Fire Rescue Department** - I want to commend the department for the noble and dignified service for former member Dick Brobst. The NY Fire Rescue Department is one the entire town should be proud of. Secondly, I want to recognize our three-year live-in student Phyllis Mazzaglia. She has completed two associates degrees while with us in both Fire Science and Criminal Justice which is an amazing feat for 3 years of work. Typically it takes the average student 2 years, some even 3 for an associate's degree. She has done a great job ensuring our ambulance is adequately stocked, EMS supplies are kept at suitable levels, responding to calls, and has been a vital member of the team. Although she is leaving the live-in program, she will be remaining in the department as a per diem member. We are excited she will be staying with us in her new role. She is an extremely valuable member but will be missed as a regular resident at the station.

**Public Works Department** - Congratulations goes out to David Whitter who on May 16, 2018, received his certificate in Supervisory Leadership. David has been with the town almost four years and has stepped into Clark's "shoes" during vacations and illness. Clark and I are very proud of David's accomplishments in this area of his position with the Town.

**EDSC & CPC** - I attend both of these committee meetings, and they continue to progress forward on their tasks for providing the community with a plan for future growth and stability. However, we do say goodbye (for now) to one volunteer who served on both of these committees as his work and family obligations are mounting, and he no longer feels he can appropriately dedicate time to these committees. Patrick Gilligan informed me on May 31<sup>st</sup> (effective immediately) he has resigned from his positions. I appreciate all Patrick has done for the town and sincerely thank him for everything.

**GPCOG Summit** - I attended the GPCOG Summit on May 30<sup>th</sup> and wanted to share that Dick Brobst received an honorable mention for his 10+ years of service on GPCOG's Executive Committee and many other services.

**Living Well** - Living Well is venturing out on yet another new idea/endeavor, one I am personally grateful for, in that they are going to try a new technique in Volunteer recruiting. I believe they are planning to launch this on June 12<sup>th</sup> at the election. I would also like to say thank to Rod Duckworth who recently resigned from the committee due to personal obligations. Rob's participation on this committee and the first year of the Wescustogo Design & Building Committee is commendable, and I want to thank him for his service.

**Central Maine Power** - Update: I recently spoke to a representative Connie Demer regarding the possible expansion of the power line corridor, and CMP has decided not to widen but is still working with residents in the placement of a substation in the area near the Wild Turkey subdivision. If residents have questions, I encourage them to contact me, and I will assist them with their questions or concerns.

Respectfully,

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