

Town Manager's Report  
February 12, 2018

Town operations are in a very busy segment of the year. Public Works crews have made great efforts since the storm season began, and we are grateful for their efforts.

Second half property tax bills will be arriving in the mail this week. The second half payments will be due on April 2.

All of the departments are working on providing me with their different operating budgets for the upcoming fiscal year 2019 budget. I will be working on assembling the annual budget, with the document to be delivered to the council by March 9<sup>th</sup>.

Two facilitated workshops were held for the discussion of paper streets. Both sessions were well attended, with productive discussions held, common interests identified, and discussion themes identified. Good Group Decisions who facilitated the workshops will have their report from the meetings sent to me prior to the March council meeting.

Chief Williams and I met with two residents of the Lighthouse Point neighborhood to discuss traffic and other neighborhood issues that have been identified over the course of the paper streets discussion. In our conversation we identified some areas that we will be working on to help find some solutions to challenges facing the neighborhood.

Chairman Sullivan, Finance Chairman Garvin, and I met with the Town Auditors to have a continued discussion on the most recent audit results. One of the results from this meeting is to have a combined workshop with the auditors, the school board, and the town council on March 14 at 7 pm in the Jordan Conference Room.

Finally, I would like to wish the Thomas Memorial Library a happy second anniversary of the completion of the renovations and addition project.

Respectfully submitted,

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Town Manager