



City of Concord

Weekly City Manager Newsletter

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ROUTE 3 CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENTS

Next week, the contractor will be actively replacing existing storm sewer infrastructure from Rumford Street to Call Street. One-lane traffic conditions will persist in this area, with delays to be expected. In the recently base paved section, several different subcontractors will be installing granite street curbing, replacing guardrail, raising drainage structures, and augering foundations for the new mast arm mounted traffic signals to be installed at the intersection of North State Street and McGuire Street. Delays to traffic flow should be anticipated in this area as well. With the placement of the new pavement, we would like to remind the public that this is still an active construction zone and ask all to reduce speeds when passing through.



WATER STREET BRIDGE PAVING

The contractor has completed the new bridge membrane and will base pave the entire Water Street bridge on Friday. All lanes will be open to traffic for the Labor Day weekend. Next week, they will start lowering covers on South Main Street, from the west side of the river up to Perley Street, in preparation to coldplane this section during the week of September 10th. Lowering covers will be done during the daytime hours and the coldplaning will be done at night to decrease the amount of traffic disturbance during the daytime hours.



MUNICIPAL OFFICES CLOSED



In observance of Labor Day, City Offices and the Concord Public Library will be closed on Monday, September 3rd.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE TRASH & RECYCLING

There will be **no trash or recycling pick-up on Monday** due to the Labor Day holiday. For the holiday week, trash and recycling collection will be delayed by one day, as follows: Monday's route will be picked up on Tuesday; Tuesday's route will be picked up on Wednesday; Wednesday's route will be picked up on Thursday; Thursday's route will be picked up on Friday; and Friday's route will be picked up on Saturday.

The City of Concord is seeking Concord area photos for possible use on the City's new website.



Visit www.concordnh.gov/online/photosubmit.aspx for submission guidelines.



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CONCORD PUBLIC LIBRARY ACTIVITIES

Family Storytime

Wednesday, 9/5 @ 10:15 AM

Special Paws for Pages

Birthday Party for Lily

Thursday, 9/6 @ 3:30 PM

Celebrate Lily's 13th birthday! Please bring a treat or toy for a dog or cat. These items will be donated to the SPCA.

The Library has wonderful programs lined up for September through December, including **Concord Reads!** Check out what's happening at www.news.concordpubliclibrary.net or stop in and pick up a flier at the Service Desk.

BEAVER MEADOW FALL MEMBERSHIP SPECIAL



Beginning on Thursday, September 6th, golfers can pay \$300 and play unlimited golf this fall at Beaver Meadow. Golfers will also be able to use this money towards their 2013 membership. The course has several "member only" and "member guest" events coming up and it's a great time to become a member of New Hampshire's oldest golf course!

For more information, visit www.beavermeadowgolfcourse.com or call the Pro Shop at 228-8954.

ON THE BEAT WITH THE CONCORD POLICE DEPARTMENT

Concord TV will be airing the next episode of "On the Beat" with the Concord Police Department on **Wednesday, September 5th, at 6:00 PM** on Channel 17.



Tune in to see:

- Highlights and interview from Concord's National Night Out, which was held on August 7th at Rollins Park.
- Our "Did You Know" segment will focus on the regulations that young drivers are required to follow to obtain a NH driver's license, as well as the laws governing Youth Operator License Restrictions.
- Shannon Camara from the SPCA will promote the "Walk For The Animals" scheduled for September 16th.
- Information about the "Drug Take Back" program scheduled for September 29th.

If you don't get Channel 17, the show will be available Thursday morning, 9/6, via Concord TV's website at www.yourconcordtv.org/?page_id=909.

Viewers are encouraged to send ideas and comments about the show to Officer Ryan Howe via e-mail to rhowe@concordnh.gov or by phone at 225-8600.

GO RED BETTER U MAKEOVER CHALLENGE

The City's Wellflex Program is excited to announce that two Wellflex participants (Karon Devold and Pamila Bartlett) have been hand-selected from a number of participants to take part in the American Heart Association's *Go Red BetterU Makeover Challenge*.

Karon and Pam will participate, along with 12 other women, in a 13-week Heart Health makeover. They will meet with personal health coaches from Executive Health & Sports Center to learn to take care of their hearts and bodies over the course of the program.



The BetterU Challenge is a component of the American Heart Association's "Go Red for Women" movement, which aims to encourage women to live a healthier lifestyle and raise awareness about the importance of heart health and to provide education on how we can save our own lives, as well as the lives of the women we love, from the number one cause of death in women - heart disease.

Their individual journeys will be showcased at the "Go Red for Women" Luncheon on November 8th in Manchester. Congratulations Pam and Karon!