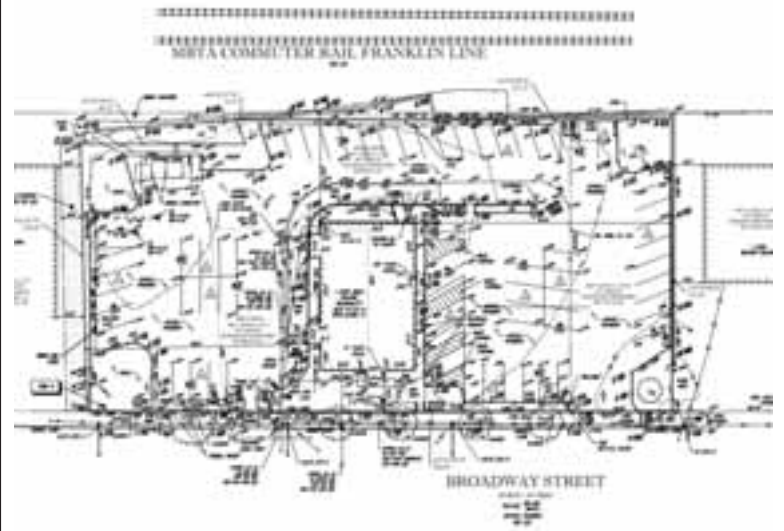




The 3A MBTA Communities Task Force looked at areas currently zoned for multi-family use with a special permit, shown here in yellow, as a way to comply with the 3A regulations.

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Applicants may soon have to submit more comprehensive plans, like this one recently approved at McDonald's, when applying for zoning relief.

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## 3A MBTA Communities Task Force lays out schedule

Jeff Sullivan  
Staff Reporter

The 3A MBTA Communities Law Task Force of Norwood (3ATF) met on Wednesday, Sept. 7 at the Norwood Town Hall and discussed three major issues.

The first and probably most necessary was whether or not the Town should opt into the program at all. The other two included buildout maximums and future community outreach.

Concerning whether the Town should be involved with the program, Town Planner Paul Halkiotis said it is better to comply with the regulations, as the Town could miss out on future grant funding. 3A requires any Massachusetts municipality with sig-

nificant transit infrastructure (Commuter Rail, Subway or Bus Hub) or adjacent to such a town, to increase allowed multi-family housing by right in its zoning. If municipalities decide not to adhere to these new regulations, they forgo several state grants.

Assistant Town Planner Sarah Bouchard said, however, that the language of the newly-released finalized guidelines suggests opting out of these regulations may affect eligibility for even more than just those specified grants.

"Language that was published by some of the housing advocacy organizations in response to the finalized guidelines, and some of this wording was pulled directly from the guidelines, but 'Determi-

nation of compliance may also inform funding decisions by the Executive Office of Housing and Development, the Department of Housing and Community Development, the MBTA, and other state agencies that consider housing policies when evaluating applications for other discretionary grant programs," she said.

Bouchard added that this could in the future translate to more grant funding requiring 3A compliance.

"There are plenty of other sources of funding not currently on this list that could be on this list in an instant," she said. "My thoughts are that by the time we have a grant opportunity that we

**3A Housing**

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## ZBA leaning towards requiring applicants go to Building Department

Jeff Sullivan  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) met on Sept. 13 in a hybrid format and discussed the idea of requiring applicants to get some sort of preliminary approval from the Norwood Building Department before coming to the ZBA.

Assistant Town Planner Sarah Bouchard said this was something she and Chair Michael Sheehan had been discussing.

"The language is already in our rules and regulations, but we might want to strengthen it," she said. "We currently don't require any pre-review by the Building Department

before applicants approach the ZBA. Whether that's an intentional choice or that's just how it's always been practiced, I'm not certain, but I know there have been more than a handful of incidences since I started a year ago that's caused some issues with some applicants not being sure of the relief they would need."

Bouchard said this left some applicants going before the Board requesting incorrect relief or in other cases getting approval for what they requested and then finding the Building Department requires more zoning relief before a building permit could be issued.

**ZBA**

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## Thousands attend Norwood Day

Jeff Sullivan  
Staff Reporter

Last year, about 15,000 people came for the 2021 Norwood Day Celebration, and this year brought in at least that many.

Downtown Washington and Central streets and the Common were all clogged with people throughout the day, which started with a parade of marching bands, floats and other cool stuff. Dozens of vendors and activities lined the streets, and carnival smells and sounds permeated patrons' senses while

delighted children ran around and had fun.

Horse and carnival rides, video game and remote car rides and live music were the top attractions. Many of the businesses on Washington and Cottage streets were also open during the event and doing brisk business.

Resident and Ecumenical Food Pantry of Norwood Inc. organizer Laurie McNeil said she had just arrived and was overwhelmed.

"I got distracted with everything that's going on, it's just

**Norwood Day**

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Thousands came out on Norwood Day this year, with many feeling that this was the most attended in years.

PHOTO BY MARY ELLEN GAMBON

# 3A Housing *continued from page 1*

**ADVERTISEMENT TO BID**

The **Norwood Housing Authority**, the Awarding Authority, invites sealed bids from General Contractors for the **Exterior Door Replacement Rebid**, for 40 William Shyne Circle in Norwood, Massachusetts, in accordance with the documents prepared by **Andrew M. Brockway & Associates** dated September 12, 2022.

The Project consists of: Removal and replacement of exterior doors and frames, door hardware, and associated interior and exterior trim at five (5) apartment buildings at one site.

The work is estimated to cost **\$81,000**.

Bids are subject to M.G.L. c.149 §44A-J and to minimum wage rates as required by M.G.L. c.149 §26 to 27H inclusive.

**THIS PROJECT IS BEING ELECTRONICALLY BID AND HARD COPY BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.** Please review the instructions in the bid documents on how to register as an electronic bidder. The bids are to be prepared and submitted at [www.biddocsonline.com](http://www.biddocsonline.com). Tutorials and instructions on how to complete the electronic bid documents are available online (click on the "Tutorial" tab at the bottom footer).

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General Bids will be received until **September 30, 2022 at 12:00 pm** and publicly opened, forthwith online.

All Bids should be submitted electronically online at [www.biddocsonline.com](http://www.biddocsonline.com) and received no later than the date and time specified above.

General bids shall be accompanied by a bid deposit that is not less than five (5%) of the greatest possible bid amount (considering all alternates), and made payable to the **Norwood Housing Authority**.

Bid Forms and Contract Documents will be available for pick-up at [www.biddocsonline.com](http://www.biddocsonline.com) (may be viewed electronically and hardcopy requested) or at Nashoba Blue, Inc. at 433 Main Street, Hudson, MA 01749 (978-568-1167).

There is a plan deposit of **\$50** per set (maximum of 2 sets) payable to BidDocs Online Inc.

Deposits may be electronically paid or must be a check. This deposit will be refunded for up to two sets for general bidders upon return of the sets in good condition within thirty days of receipt of general bids. Otherwise the deposit shall be the property of the Awarding Authority.

Additional sets may be purchased for **\$50**.

Bidders requesting Contract Documents to be mailed to them shall include a separate check for **\$40.00** per set for UPS Ground (or \$65.00 per set for UPS overnight), payable to **BidDocs ONLINE, Inc.**, to cover mail handling costs.

A Pre-Bid Conference and site visit will be on September 20, 2022 at 10:00am at 40 William Shyne Circle, Norwood, MA. Meet at the Main Office.

The Contract Documents may be seen, but not removed at:

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think the funding would be fantastic for us to use and it's a requirement of 3A, we won't have enough time to come into compliance with this in order to be eligible for that grant funding. I mean, why would we turn that grant funding away, particularly when I feel confident that compliance with this will not be as challenging as for the vast majority of communities ... My personal view on this is why wouldn't we? We have so much more to lose by not coming into compliance with it."

Next up, Halkiotis and Bouchard discussed buildout numbers. Bouchard said because of a change in the final guidelines, Norwood's maximum buildout zoning guideline reduced from about 2,700 units to 2,043. Bouchard stressed repeatedly that this "maximum buildout" number is unlikely to be reached in the near or even far future.

3A zoning requires that communities zone for at least 50 acres of as-of-right multi-family housing within a half-mile of one or more of its Commuter Rail Stations. She stressed this is not a production requirement. And she added those 50 acres don't have to be one specific area, they can be spread out among the MBTA stops, so long as one area is 25 acres and the rest are no smaller than five acres.

"The unit capacity is a potential buildout number, it's a figure that says, 'Okay, well you've set all your requirements for building height, open space, setbacks, and you've set your residential density for units per acre and you've picked out your 50 acres, let's run all those numbers and see how many units could potentially be built if every parcel in your district was at maximum capacity for multi-family,'" she said. "It's not a production mandate; there's not expectation that Norwood will develop 2,045 units of multi-family housing."

This is also why she and Halkiotis believe existing housing stock doesn't really count toward 3A compliance. At least not right away.

"And so the question comes up, do we get to count existing units of multi-family housing," she said. "They don't count because they can't count. There's nothing to count them against. What we're working toward is zoning that, at its maximum capacity, would allow for the scale DHCD is looking for."

Task Force Member Ernie Paciorkowski pointed out that the Town can zone to allow existing commercial or industrial uses on them presently to be included.

"Let's say you own a factory within this zoning and you're going to sell," he said.

"There's no mandate that you have to put housing there, all this does is create another tool for the owner. If you own the factory and no one wants to buy a factory, another tool in the toolbox is to redevelop. I think redeveloping is what we have to understand."

Halkiotis said he agreed, that it was just an option of use among many others for a piece of property. And Paciorkowski pointed out that 2,045 units on 50 acres isn't all that much. He said Windsor Gardens, just as an example, could be rezoned as-of-right multi-family housing with requirements that would limit it to its current unit count at 945, and that would basically take care of half of the zoning needed for 3A compliance.

Lastly, the Task Force discussed deadlines and community participation. Members and staff all agreed that the first step should be a meeting between the Norwood Planning Board and the Norwood Board of Selectmen to go over what the next steps are and plan community outreach.

The first major deadline for the 3A legislation is what Bouchard called a placeholder for tentative information and is due in January. The Task Force agreed that public outreach forums will be the priority in the coming months to get community involvement on where these 50 acres of multi-family housing should be zoned.

The Task Force will be meeting monthly to set up these outreach forums as well as continue to organize around the various upcoming deadlines. To stay up to date with the task force and other Town board meetings, go to <http://www.norwoodma.gov/calendar.php>



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# Selectmen approve plastic piping installation for Norwood Hospital

Mary Ellen Gambon  
Staff Reporter

The Board of Selectmen at its meeting Tuesday night unanimously approved several agenda items, including two motions by National Grid for the installation of plastic piping to facilitate conducting electricity to the new Norwood Hospital building, bringing the project one step closer to becoming a reality.

At the first hearing on the topic, the agenda item noted that approximately 425 feet of 6-inch plastic tubing would need to be installed and maintained that would run from the existing 6-inch main at E. Hoyle Street and Broadway to tie into the hospital building's main extension at Broadway. Additionally, 80 feet of 6-inch plastic tubing would need to be installed to service the hospital building from Broadway and E. Hoyle St.

"The purpose is for Norwood Hospital," said National Grid representative Mary Mulrone.

In similar fashion, the board unanimously approved a petition to install about 500 feet of plastic main up Guild St. and down Linden Street from the main at Broadway as well as 300 feet of 4-inch plastic tubing from the proposed new 6-inch main on Linden Street.

"Everything the hospital has asked for, we've given," said Selectman Helen Abdallah Donahue. "I just want to have that be noted, you know? We're trying to cooperate so much."

The board also unanimously approved a one-day beer and wine license for Oct. 1 for the Norwood Space Center at 83 Morse St. Donahue explained that the license was requested to allow alcoholic beverages to be sold at the upcoming Norwood 150 Arts and Culture Festival, which 500 people are expected to attend.

"This is going to be one of

the biggest events we have in Norwood," she said, describing it as "an all-day party."

"They have exhibits, musical productions and dance productions," she added. "It's a wonderful way for different nationalities to learn about each other."

She added that this event continues the tradition of celebrating Norwood's cultural diversity through the arts at previous Town anniversary events for the centennial and 125th year. There will be food trucks, family-oriented events, and opportunities to learn about some of the businesses located at the Space Center.

In other news, the board unanimously approved a common victualler license for Crazy Taco Bar & Grill at 716 Washington St. The restaurant will be open Monday through Saturday from 11 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. and on Sunday from noon until 8 p.m.

Selectman Bob Donnelly clarified that there will be no alcohol sold at the restaurant.

Donohue opened up a discussion about the timing of the approval of licenses of this type, which she hoped the board would address at some point. She noted that potential restaurant owners invest thousands of dollars into a property they hope to open without knowing if the license to serve food ultimately will be approved. The board discussed this issue "10 or 15 years ago" but never came to a solution.

"These people are coming in for the licenses long after they've already spent a lot of money there getting everything set up," she said. "So how do we think about that for the future?"

Mazzucco asked the board to appoint Olivia Haglund to the Conservation Commission, which they did unanimously. The Norwood High School and George Washington University graduate interned for the Town over the summer, and he said she enjoyed working on conserva-

tion-related issues. Haglund also volunteered for AmeriCorps in college.

"It's also really nice to see a younger person get onto one of our commissions," Donnelly said. "It speaks to diversifying our commissions and committees a little bit further, which is always great."

Mazzucco also asked the board to formalize an inter-municipal agreement for Norwood to be recognized as part of the Norfolk County-8 Local Public Health Coalition, which it approved unanimously. He explained that Norwood has been a part of this regional health group for several years before becoming a partner with other towns that share grant funding. The state has recommended that communities involved in coalitions that share grant funding resources codify their arrangement through an inter-municipal agreement.

"The reason being that inter-municipal agreements are considered enforceable by the Department of Revenue," he continued. If one of the towns in the partnership did not live up to its obligations, the Department of Revenue could then "ensure equitable enforcement under an IMA," as opposed to a contractual agreement between towns.

The Board meets every other Tuesday, usually at 6:30 p.m. For scheduling information, go to the Town's website at [NorwoodMA.gov](http://NorwoodMA.gov).



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**Provide all labor, materials, equipment, tools, and supervision necessary for the stabilization of a slope on Sunset Avenue.**

The complete bid package may be obtained in the Purchasing Department during regular business hours or electronically by registering and downloading at: <https://bids.norwoodma.gov>. No bid documents will be mailed.

The bid must be filled out and signed as directed herein, sealed in an opaque envelope addressed to the Purchasing Department, endorsed with the name and address of the bidder, and marked, "Sunset Avenue - NGM-23-01."

A certified check or bid bond, with acceptable surety in favor of the Town of Norwood and equal to at least five percent (5%) of the bid, must be submitted with the bid.

The successful bidder shall, within ten (10) days of notification of award furnish the Town a performance bond and payment bond in an amount equal to fifty percent (50%) of the bid.

Bids shall be prepared, considered, and the contract awarded in accordance with Massachusetts General Law (MGL) Chapter 30, Section 39M and all other statutes governing such contracts. Every General Bid shall be on forms furnished by the Town. Bids submitted on other forms may be rejected. The award of the contract shall be made within 30 working days after the opening of General Bids, Saturdays, and Sundays excluded.

An award will not be made to a Contractor who is not properly equipped to undertake and complete the work. The right is reserved to waive any informality and to reject any or all proposals in accordance with the provisions of MGL as amended.

The Town of Norwood notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, creed or national origin in consideration for an award.

Wages are subject to minimum wage rates under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 149, Section 26 to 27D inclusive, as most recently amended.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept any part of a bid or the one deemed best for the Town. A copy of the planholders' list can be obtained at the Town's website: [www.norwoodma.gov](http://www.norwoodma.gov).

BY: Tony Mazzucco  
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## Fill the Boot campaign returns

Jeff Sullivan  
Staff Reporter

Norwood Firefighter Paul Ronco announced earlier this month that the Norwood Fire Department's Fill the Boot campaign has returned in full swing, and already the boot's getting heavy.

"In Norwood, we generally raise about \$5,000 to \$6,000, and right now we're around \$5,400," he said. "And this year we've got a softball game coming up at the end of the month and all the funds from that will be added to our Fill the Boot totals."

Ronco said they have held collections at the Dunkin' and Shaw's right next to the Norwood Public Safety Complex on Nahatan Street and at Stop & Shop on Route 1. He said they will continue to take donations at the Boot left outside the Fire and Police Station. Ronco added that during the Dunkin' collection, the Dunkin' Dancer helped to draw attention to their cause.

"I mean it's live entertainment there," he said with a laugh. "The community response has been unbelievable. I really want to thank Dunkin', Shaw's and Stop & Shop for letting us do it. They've been tremendous supporters over the years."

They're extending the collection this year as well.

"Usually we end Labor Day weekend, but now we're dragging it out until the end of the month," he said.

The funds raised go to the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA), which can be found at MDA.org. Ronco said the campaign started in the region more than half a century ago.

"Initially the Fill the Boot campaign started 68 years ago in Boston and it's spread out since then," he said. "We've been Filling the Boot as long as I've been at the department."

The MDA provides funding for research into the debilitating disease as well as providing activities and life experiences for children living with muscular dystrophy. Every dollar helps make kids' lives a little bit better.

Ronco said there are some children in Norwood with neuromuscular diseases, and because of the Fill the Boot campaign, they've gotten to know them very well.

"I've also gone to a bunch of the summer camps that MDA provides for the kids, but unfortunately with the pandemic the MDA hasn't been really able to do in-person summer camps for a few years," he said. "I think they did one this year but no visitors were allowed. They (kids) look forward to summer camps like most of us look forward to Christmas. That's when they're surrounded by other kids going through the same things they are and, for the most part, parents aren't allowed. The kids are just there to be kids, and I think it's a good break for the parents too."

Ronco said over the last five or six years there have been many advancements in medical technology, and a lot of the gene therapy you might be hearing about these days is making children's lives with muscular dystrophy so much better.

"It's like night and day," he said. "They are definitely making progress and the Fill the Boot drive is helping to fund the research and summer camps. I think it's a tremendous charity and all our guys down at the NFD do too. Our number one support charity is the MDA."

If you want to lend a hand, head down to the NFD and drop some money in the boot. Or you can donate directly to the MDA at MDA.org.

## EVERYONE IS WELCOME IN NORWOOD

To the Editor:

In her letter of Sept. 1, Judith Howard expressed concern about the new multi-family housing requirements for MBTA communities and how it could negatively impact Norwood's schools, as well as the fire and police departments.

From what I understand, Norwood must submit an application plan by the end of January 2023 that shows compliance with these new zoning requirements. As the letter to each municipality stated, "This law is not a housing production mandate. It is all about setting the table for more transit-oriented housing in the years and decades ahead—which is not just good housing policy, but good climate and transportation policy, too."

It makes sense to view the housing needs over the long term and to plan accordingly. Housing needs change with shifts in the economy and no town is exempt from its impact, even if they want to be. It is up to the town and its community to partner in the planning process, and to consider how they want their town to be perceived by newcomers. People are more

apt to contribute to a community that welcomes them.

Ms. Howard additionally fears that Norwood will be impacted by non-English speaking "illegals," a term which, by the way, is offensive, and along with "illegal aliens" is being replaced with terms such as "undocumented immigrant" or "noncitizen." As Elie Wiesel said, "... no human being is illegal. That is a contradiction in terms. Human beings can be beautiful or more beautiful, they can be fat or skinny, they can be right or wrong, but illegal? How can a human being be illegal?" She blames the increase in violence and drugs on a population of people who do not deserve that label.

The reality is that as long as people are starving, threatened with violence, living in drought-stricken areas, and who have no access to education or medicine, they will do what they can to improve their lives and the lives of their children. There are systems in place to help them, systems which Texas Governor Abbott chooses to ignore to score political points while ignoring the additional hardships he is placing on the human beings he busses out of state.

I would hope that whoever moves to Norwood for what-

ever reason is welcomed, and that we see all newcomers as opportunities for an opportunity to learn more about others and about ourselves. If they do not speak English, there are ESL classes available, although not enough and not with enough flexible time frames. That makes me ask yet again, why aren't there SSL or PSL classes available for adults? Spanish and Portuguese would be a good start.

Marypaz  
District 6 resident

## RIGHT TO BE CONCERNED ABOUT DHCD DEVELOPMENTS

To the Editor:

Selectman Plasko is right to be concerned about DHCD developments. If Norwood is forced to do three developments, the town will be devastated. No town can absorb that amount of new residents. One way Norwood should look into defending itself is to close two of the current commuter rail stations. It's a drastic move but one that may be needed to save the town. I would also like to know if Senator Rush or Representative Rogers voted for this mess.

Henry Graham  
Norwood

## Wonderful Women of Norwood: Mary Bagnall Tucker Fogg

Mary Bagnall Tucker was born in New London, CT, on January 8, 1824, to Reverend Thomas W. Tucker and Mary Orne Tucker. She was the youngest of three children. Her father was a Methodist itinerant circuit rider for the church. The ministers were paid very little and with constant traveling, they faced difficult financial and family challenges. Mrs. Tucker added to the family coffers by sketching and painting watercolors of the local children to entice them to attend her Sunday religious school.

The Tuckers valued education and sent their children to the academy in each town they were assigned to. Mrs. Tucker and her elder daughter, Hannah, established a young ladies' school in the house. There were forty pupils, and the added income provided the family with many comforts.

The two older children left home in 1836, and Mary continued to live with her parents. At sixteen years of age, Mary began painting her distinctive large watercolors and pastels.



Her earliest signed portrait is dated 1840. Before photography was introduced in America in 1839, a portrait by a folk painter was the only way to preserve an image of themselves or their loved ones. (Photography only became widespread some decades later.) It has only recently been verified that the portraits signed Mary B. Tucker were painted by Mary.

Mary was one of the few artists in the 1840s to use watercolors to produce large-format likenesses. She embraced the colorful medium, allowing a new level of freedom and fluidity to produce portraits on

sheets of paper that were 26x21 inches. She developed two distinctive portrait styles: profiles and more painterly full-faced depictions. The profiles were her earliest styles. Starting in 1844 and later, her portraits are full face.

On November 24, 1847, Mary married Dr. David Sylvester Fogg, a graduate of Dartmouth Medical School with a practice in South Dedham (present day Norwood). Dr. & Mrs. Fogg lived in South Dedham for the rest of their lives. They raised eight children, six of whom survived to adulthood. As a doctor's wife and mother of eight children, Mary had little time to pursue her portrait painting. The landscapes she painted after her marriage were a hobby, not a full-time profession or money-making vocation. In fact, most were donated after her death. Her portraits are displayed in the American Folk Art Museum (NY), and in Jeffrey Tillow Antiques (Litchfield, CT); several are

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The Town of Norwood hereby notifies all residents that the State Attorney General's office has approved the following amendments to the Norwood Zoning Bylaws and Zoning Map (Article 11 & 12) which were voted at the Annual Town Meeting, May 9, 2022. These changes to amend the Zoning Bylaws and Map were as follows:

Article 11. That the Town amend the Zoning Bylaws by adding new zoning district called the Norwood Space Center Mixed Use Overlay District ("NSC-MUOD") 83 Morse Street.

Article 12. That the Town vote to amend the Official Zoning Map by adding proposed new Zoning District – Norwood Space Center Mixed Use Overlay District (NSC-MUOD) – 83 Morse Street.

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The above named article is posted in the following public places throughout the Town, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 32: District 1 & District 2, Municipal Building (Town Hall); District 3 & District 5, Morrill Memorial Library; Murph's Place; District 4, Walgreens Pharmacy, Walpole Street; District 6 & District 7, Nick's Package Store; Pam's Market Corner Pleasant & Rock Street; District 8, Shaws Market, CVS - Shaws Plaza; District 9, Gulf Gas Station, Neponset Street.

Mary Lou Folan  
Town Clerk

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"Which is not fair to the residents or an efficient use of the Board's time either," she said.

Bouchard said she and Sheehan agreed it might be beneficial to have the ZBA and the Building Department sit down and hash out some required review prerequisites for applicants to go to the Building Department before going to the ZBA.

"I know some municipalities will require a full building application to be submitted with a denial in hand (from the Building Department) before approaching the Board," she said. "Which makes sense, as the Building Inspector is the Zoning Enforcement Officer for the Town. Our Bylaw gives the Building Commissioner the authority to make those determinations and the ZBA grants the relief that's designated as appropriate for that situation."

Bouchard said that's something they could do or they could simply could require a review letter from the Building Commissioner stating that the plans submitted to the Building Department checked out and the applicant needs

relief for X, Y and Z.

"I think that would be helpful in maximizing everybody's experience on both sides of this table going forward," she said.

ZBA member Shannon Greenwell said she was all for requiring the letter and review rather than requiring a full building application, especially since that could require applicants to pay a submittal fee twice if the ZBA decides they need to change and resubmit the full building application they submitted to the Building Commissioner.

"I'm fine with having a more informal way of doing that instead of submitting a full building application to the Building Department," she said.

Sheehan said he felt there should be a distinction between requirements for small-time homeowners looking to add a deck or dormer to their house and corporations looking to build a brand new multi-family development. He pointed to the night's previous two cases, where one homeowner was looking to add a second story to their house and the McDonald's on 32 Broadway was looking to add another ordering kiosk to its drive-thru. He said he felt that small-time applications shouldn't be required to submit full architectural drawings, while the bigger projects should.

"For something like the McDonald's application, we need a full set of plans, unlike on the residential side when requests to build houses on lots that don't even exist yet," he

said, referring to a recent application for a Winter Street proposal that submitted a request for relief with no plans, maps or elevation drawings. "I think if it's substantial, like the Winter Street one where they were going to be knocking down a house and putting up a new one and they had no plans, I think for those ones we can say we need more than what was given."

Bouchard said she has standardized what the plans would need to be if deemed to be required. For example, the existing structures would have to be shown with the new construction drawn in red and include the names of any companies who did work on the plans.

"Sometimes some of those elements are missing and that's important because when you make your approvals as a Board, the approvals have sometimes conditions that are unique to the situation, but all our situations require standard conditions of approval," she said. "One of those is essentially that you have to build what you told us you were going to build and that's not just a verbal commitment, you have to build according to the plans you gave us."

She said when the plans have been stamped by the people who put them together they are easier for the Building Department to reference and make sure what was done was what was proposed.

The Board members agreed they would be amenable to this change if the Building Department agreed. The Board will vote on it when they hear back from the Building Department.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court Probate and Family Court

**CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION** NO22P2410EA

Estate of: **William Francis Shield** Norfolk Probate and Family Court  
Also known as: **William F Shield,** 35 Shawmut Road  
**William Shield** Canton, MA 02021  
Date of Death: **05/13/2022** 781-830-1200

To all interested persons:  
A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Denis W. Shield of Walpole, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that:  
**Denis W. Shield of Walpole, MA**  
**be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. **You have a right to object to this proceeding.** To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 A.M on the return day of **10/12/2022**. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an Affidavit of Objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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**WITNESS Hon. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court**  
Date: September 9, 2022  
Colleen M. Brierley, Register of Probate

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Estate of: **Nora T. Connolly** Norfolk Probate and Family Court  
Also known as: **Nora Connolly** 35 Shawmut Road  
Canton, MA 02021  
781-830-1200

Date of Death: **03/27/2021**

To all interested persons:  
A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Ann-Marie Wilson of Westwood, MA and Margaret Bernazzani of West Roxbury, MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that:  
**Ann-Marie Wilson of Westwood, MA and Margaret Bernazzani of West Roxbury, MA**  
**be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in unsupervised administration.**

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**WITNESS Hon. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court**  
Date: September 7, 2022  
Colleen M. Brierley, Register of Probate

*Norwood Record: 09/15/22*



Thousands lined the streets during the day, taking in fried dough, free gifts and a lot of information from Town boards and organizations.

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## Norwood Day *continued from page 1*

amazing, absolutely amazing,” she said. “In the past few years, I’d say this is one of the bigger ones. For the food pantry, we’re doing okay over on Chapel Street. We do have a dishwasher for a raffle if you’re interested. We’re doing okay, but we just had a lot of kids move back for college and so we’re always looking for volunteers, mostly strong young men to help us pick up the stuff because us ladies are getting old!”

Go to [NorwoodFoodPantry.org](http://NorwoodFoodPantry.org) for more information on how and when to volunteer.

Resident David Gray said this was his first Norwood Day since moving to the neighborhood recently.

“I live close by and heard people outside and decided to come check it out,” he said. “It’s way busier than I thought it would be and it’s a nice community event. I have never been to something like this, I’m originally from Florida. This is something new to me. It’s hard to have small-towniness like this in Florida. I’m from Orlando and there are small suburbs, but community events like this are rare down there.”

Residents Kellie and Jared Dietze said they felt more people came out this year than in 2021.

“I think it’s hotter this year too,” Kellie said.

“It’s much hotter this year,” Jared agreed. “There are a lot

of the same things we liked in 2021 here this year and all the local businesses we go to are here, and we’re finding new places too, like this is the first time we ever had Georgio’s Pizza.”

Residents Jon Dana and Justin Kuhn said they’ve been to many Norwood Days.

“It’s nice to see people, especially the last couple of years because you just haven’t had the opportunity to see people,” Dana said. “I’m having a great time, but am a little sweaty but still a good time definitely.”

Dana and Kuhn said while they liked what the 2022 Norwood Day had to offer, they are continually missing one thing in recent years.

“The kettle corn,” Kuhn said.

“We haven’t found it the last couple of years, and it’s a little bit of a let down from that standpoint, but I thought the beer garden was pretty cool,” Dana said.

Youngster Daniel Thynne said he felt this was a good representation of Norwood Day and exceeded his expectations

from previous years.

“I first came four or five years ago,” he said. “I think this year is one of the best years yet, especially since it’s Norwood’s 150th anniversary. I don’t remember seeing more people during other years.”

Residents Steve and Cindy Rudolph said they’ve been coming to the event for years as well.

“It seems to be busier than ever and the weather is terrific obviously,” Steve said. “We’ve been all the way up and down the street.”

“It’s a great day and extremely popular as always,” Cindy said. “And we always like to stop by the library because I used to work there. They’re great folks.”

Residents Paul and Jessica Woolley said they hadn’t been to a Norwood Day before. Paul said they were looking for something to do after Jessica recently recovered from a medical procedure.

“So far it’s definitely a lot of fun, and it’s really different,” Jessica said.

Paul Woolley said the attendance at the event was incredible.

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**VFW MEAT RAFFLE**

The Norwood VFW Post 2452 on Dean Street in Norwood hosts a Meat Raffle every Saturday from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM.

The Meat Raffle is open to the Public and everyone is welcome. The price for each Drawing is only \$2.00. Ten Drawings are conducted each Saturday. A Pre-Buy for \$20.00 is available during the week at the Post. This Pre-Buy allows for entrance in all Ten Drawings conducted on Saturday. The winners of the Pre-Buys need not be present to win. The prizes are delectable, delicious, and generous portions of meat and chicken.

An example of the sampling of the prizes include: Sirloin Steak Tips, Sausage, Ground Sirloin Burgers, Center Cut Pork Chops, Whole Chicken or Cut Chicken, Ground Sirloin Burgers, Chicken Wings, and many more offerings. The Drawings also include a 50/50 Money Raffle. A separate Winner Takes All Raffle is conducted at the end for an additional \$5.00.

The Norwood VFW is located at 193 Dean Street in Norwood. The Meat Raffle will continue every Saturday thru May.

The Norwood VFW is looking for new members. Veterans of the Gulf War, and personnel who have served overseas in Iraq and Afghanistan are welcome to visit the post at any time or come to one of the Monthly Meetings which are held on the Fourth Wednesday of each Month from September thru May (Except December).

**WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET**

The Norwood Woman's Club will be meeting on Tuesday, October 11, at 12:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 572 Nichols St, Norwood Ma. Our program is Tea and Fine Chocolate. Kim Larkin will enlighten us on the benefits of tea and dark chocolate. A light lunch will be served. Dues are \$25, guests are welcomed. Any questions please call Trina at 781-762-8173. Hope to see you there.

**HESSCO NEEDS VOLUNTEERS**

HESSCO Elder Services is appealing to Norwood residents for volunteers interested in becoming drivers for our Meals on Wheels program. This program delivers prepared meals to homebound older adults. We are in need of volunteer drivers for approximately one hour a week Monday through Friday from 11:00 AM to 12 noon. You can choose the day(s) of the week that works best for you. We deliver meals Monday through Friday. If interested in helping, please contact Sheryl Leary or Jayne Davis at 781-784-4944 or SLeary@HESSCO.org or JDavis@HESSCO.org.

**HISTORICAL SOCIETY BOOK DISCUSSION**

On September 20, from 7:00 to 8:30 pm, the Norwood Historical Society will host a book club discussion of Patricia Fanning's new book, "Keeping the Faith: Norwood at 150." The discussion will be held at Day House, 93 Day Street. For more information, go to infor@norwoodhistoricalsociety.org.

**ADAMS FARM CELEBRATION**

A celebration of the 25th Anniversary of Adams Farm in Walpole will take place at the Farm (999 North Street in Walpole) on Saturday, September 24, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. with FREE activities for the whole family. Stop by and enjoy the fun!

- 10 a.m. Adult Bike Ride sponsored by NEMBA (N.E. Mountain Bike Association):
- 11:30am - 2:30pm Hayrides, 12 noon - 2 p.m: Face Painting, 12 noon - 1pm, Music in the Barn Concert (set 1),
- 12:30pm: Kids' Bike Clinic sponsored by NEMBA (bring your own bike and helmet; no training wheels allowed):
- 1pm 25th Anniversary Presentation: 1:30pm - 3:30pm Music in the Barn Concert (set 2):
- 2pm Beginners' Bike Ride

sponsored by NEMBA (bring your own bike and helmet; no training wheels allowed).

The ThankQue BBQ food truck and Castle Island Brewery will have food and beverages for sale from 12 noon to 4 p.m.

**CULTURE AND ARTS FESTIVAL**

The Norwood 150 Culture and Arts Festival will be held from Oct. 1 from 2:00 to 10:00 pm at the Norwood Space Center, 83 Morse Street. The festival will be a wonderful day for Norwood neighbors and friends to experience some of the artistic and cultural richness represented in our town. The hope is to involve as many cultural and artistic community members/groups as possible. Check the festival page on the Norwood 150 website (www.norwoodma150.gov) for updated information. For more information, please contact the event organizer, Katie Sibbing-Dunn, at katie.sibbing@gmail.com.

Before 7:00 pm: There will be family activities including bocce courts, storytelling, and a workshop by Norwood author Scott SanGiacomo, to name a few; Take a look inside the Space Center tenants stores, including Luke Adams (Glass) Studio, Giving the Glam, Little Bird, Irish Brewing Boston, Morva Stone, Salvage Angel, and Alex Jones Photography Studio.

There will also be resident artist open studios, artist vendors, and booths featuring information on the many countries that have given us current or historic Norwood residents. These will be hosted by volunteer neighbors and in some cases local cultural organizations.

International food offerings will be available for sampling and noshing. Musical and dance performances will be in the outdoor courtyard "main stage" unless there is rain, when the main stage will be indoors. From 2:00 to 8:00 pm, performances will include: Triveni Indian Dance

Company (4:00 to 4:30 pm); Los Sugar Kings (6:15 to 7:00 pm); Cristian Uribe Colombian Folk Dancers (7:15 to 8:00 pm) More announcements are coming soon. At 7:00 pm, vendors and information booths will close and all are invited to join DJ Prof, Norwood's own Willie Rodriguez, at the main stage for international music until 10:00 pm.

A Welcome Center will feature a festival information booth and displays by the Norwood 150 Committee, the Morrill Memorial Library, and the Norwood Historical Society. They will offer a glimpse into some of Norwood's archival depictions of the town's culture and diverse communities.

**ALUMNI ASSOC TO HOLD FUN-RAISER**

On October 10, from 4:00 pm to midnight, the Norwood High School Alumni Association will sponsor its annual Scavenger Hunt fund-raiser. The event costs \$100, and you can register at <http://norwoodhighschoolalumniassociation.org>. Hunters will assemble at the Norwood Sheraton Four Points, 1125 Boston-Providence Turnpike, at 4:00 pm to pick up their limo and begin a two-hour scavenger hunt, after which they will return to the Sheraton for a buffet dinner.

**MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP TO MEET ON 20TH**

The South Norfolk Mental Illness Family and Friends Support Group will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, September 20 at The Grange, 28 Rockwood Road (Route 115) in Norfolk, MA from 7-9 pm. Mask if you will.

Mental illness is a label for a variety of diseases of the brain. Often it strikes in late adolescence, devastating the afflicted person and the family. The South Norfolk Mental Illness Family and Friends Support Group is composed of such families who find mutual support and join together to advo-

cate for their loved ones.

We welcome all families in the South Norfolk Area who are dealing with mental illness and their loved ones. For further information call Ray at 508-668-2941.

**NEW GRANT OPPORTUNITIES**

The Norwood Cultural Council has compiled a list of priorities for its 2023 grant cycle based on the results of a public survey, as well as the historic popularity of specific programs.

Starting on September 1, interested individuals and organizations can access the application at the site <https://massculturalcouncil.org/local-council/norwood/> to determine the current grant cycle's requirements. The Norwood Cultural Council encourages every organization, artist, and creative individual to consider how they could enhance the lives of Norwood residents by offering unique programs to educate, entertain, and challenge the public.

Applications will be accepted from September 1 until October 17, 2022. The Norwood Cultural Council will be offering a workshop to help applicants complete the application, and the Mass. Cultural Council will host a webinar on September 17 for applicants. Register at <https://massculturalcouncil.org/event/how-to-apply-localculturalcouncilgrant/>

The mission of the Norwood Cultural Council (NCC) is to promote excellence, access, and education in the arts, humanities, and interpretive sciences, in order to improve the quality of life for residents of Norwood. Comprised of committed volunteer residents, the NCC meets monthly with the purpose of supporting events and programs via grants from the Town of Norwood and the Massachusetts Cultural Council.

**FRIENDS SEPTEMBER MONTHLY BALLROOM DANCE**

The Friends of the Norwood Council on Aging will be sponsoring their September monthly dance, on Friday, September 16th, at 7 p.m. at the Norwood Senior Center, 275 Prospect St., Norwood. Music will be provided by the D B Band and the cost is \$10.00 per person for your Ballroom Dancing pleasure. Coffee, tea & desserts are served & there are also door prizes. We look forward to welcoming newcomers. There is a

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# For the Record



## Thank You Novenas For Favors or Prayers Answered

**Prayer to the Blessed Virgin**  
*(Never known to fail!)*  
Oh, most beautiful flower of Mt. Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of Heaven, blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in this necessity. Oh Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my mother. Oh Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech thee from the bottom of my heart to succor me in my necessity (make request). There are none that can withstand your power. Oh Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (three times). Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands (three times). Say this prayer for three consecutive days and then you must publish and it will be granted to you.  
*Grateful thanks. —K.B.*

**St. Jude's Novena**  
May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be adored, glorified, loved and preserved throughout the world, now and forever. Sacred Heart of Jesus pray for us. St. Jude, worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude, helper of the hopeless, pray for us. Say this prayer 9 times a day. By the 9<sup>th</sup> day your prayer will be answered. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised. Thank you St. Jude. My Prayers were answered.  
*In gratitude for helping me. —J.H.*

**Miracle Prayer**  
Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked You for many favours. This time, I ask you this very special one (mention favour). Take it, dear Heart of Jesus, and place it within Your own broken heart where Your Father sees it. Then, in His merciful eyes, it will become Your favour, not mine. Amen. Say for three days, promise publication and favour will be granted.  
*—D.J.*



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**INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE** Norfolk Division

**DOCKET No. 22P2278EA**

**Estate of: Denis M. Drummey**  
**Date of Death: August 9, 2022**

To all persons interested in the above-captioned estate, by Petition of **Petitioner: Sandra Drummey of Swansea, MA** a Will has been admitted to informal probate **Sandra Drummey of Swansea, MA** has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve **without surety** on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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**DISCUSSION WITH THE AUTHOR OF "THE FAMILY ROE"**

Join the Morrill Memorial Library, Newton Free Library, and over a dozen other MA libraries on Monday, September 19 at 7:00 pm for a virtual talk with Investigative Journalist Joshua Prager about his deeply researched book, *The Family Roe: An American Story*. With abortion rights poised to fall, *The Family Roe*, which was named a finalist for the 2022 Pulitzer Prize, offers extraordinary insight into the Supreme Court's most divisive case and its plaintiff, Norma McCorvey.

*The Family Roe* is an engrossing family saga that confronts a half-century of propaganda and myth. Prager spent years with Norma; discovered her personal papers, a previously unseen trove; and witnessed her final moments. He also found the unknown Roe baby, Shelley Thornton, whose conception occasioned the lawsuit. Prager's profile of Thornton for the Atlantic, adapted from the book, made worldwide front-page news. Hailed by critics on both sides of the debate, Prager's astonishing book helps us to look with honest eyes at the five decades of struggle that brought us to where we are today.

We are delighted to welcome Tiziana Dearing, host of Radio Boston, as our moderator. Registration is required for this virtual event. Please visit the Norwood Library's website to sign up and receive your Zoom link: [norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar](http://norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar).

**SUSTAINABILITY SERIES: CLIMATE CONSCIOUS GARDENING**

The Morrill Memorial Library, Progress Norwood, and TogetherYes will kick off our Fall 2022 Sustainability Series with a virtual visit from Kristen Nicholson of Blue Stem Natives. Join us via Zoom on Tuesday, September 20 at 7:00 pm for this very practical talk and Q&A!

Having just experienced the 4th hottest and driest summer on record, many gardeners are looking forlornly at their parched landscapes and wondering if they are going to be able to enjoy garden-

ing again as these climate trends continue. Kristen has some sustainable, affordable, and fun options for building a gorgeous living landscape, presenting plant choices and landscaping techniques that will help ensure your garden will be able to survive both deluges and droughts for many years to come.

About the presenter: Kristen Nicholson is a co-owner of Blue Stem Natives, founded in the Spring of 2021. She discovered her passion for native plants four years ago as a member of Wild Ones South Shore MA and has dedicated her studies and career to teaching others about the incredible benefits of using native plants in the landscape. Blue Stem Natives is located in Norwell, MA, and is quickly expanding their offerings of locally native plants, designed to accommodate all from the homeowner to landscaper to town municipalities.

Registration is required for this virtual event. Sign up at [norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar](http://norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar), or call the Reference Desk at 781-769-0200 x2. Zoom access details will be sent to your email. Reminder emails will be sent prior to the program as well.

**THE BUILDING OF ROUTE 128: THE ROAD WE LOVE TO HATE**

The Morrill Memorial Library is partnering with the Ashland Library, Ashland Senior Center, and other Massachusetts libraries to bring an afternoon virtual program to our communities on Thursday, September 22 at 1:00pm via Zoom. Sponsored by the Friends of the Ashland Library.

David Kruh, author of "Building Route 128", will present the complete story of Route 128, from its beginning in the 1920s as an ad hoc collection of two-lane roads that formed a rough arc 15 miles from Boston, through the construction of the divided highway in the 1950s, and then how one man's vision became the catalyst for the fantastic growth

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around the highway.

Registration is required. Please visit the Norwood Library's website to sign up and receive your Zoom link: [norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar](http://norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar).

**STASHSHARE RETURNS!**

Sustainability's (semi!)annual StashShare will take place in the Morrill Memorial Library's Simoni Room on Saturday, September 24, from 10:00am to 2:00pm.

Come to the Morrill Memorial Library's Simoni Room on Satur-

day, March 12, between the hours of 10:00am and 2:00pm for Sewstainability's (semi)annual StashShare. At this event, people share with one another rather than having to buy sewing/needlework and crafting materials and equipment. Come drop off materials from your personal Stash that don't seem to get used so others can enjoy them. While there, browse to find things you'd like to work with and take them home. Come even if you don't have anything to bring; this is a Share, not an even swap.

No registration is required: drop in to the event, leave things, browse for yourself, and go home ready for productive and pleasant winter days. Community is how we work,

and community works! No money needed. The Share is for people in Norwood and surrounding communities; NO businesses please.

NEW this year: For the things you bring to share, please deliver them during one of the following times: Thursday, September 22 between 7:00-8:30 PM; Friday, September 23 between 10:00 AM-4:00 PM; or Saturday, September 24 between 9-10 AM. We need time to set things out on the tables, grouping by categories, before the actual Share happens.

If you are able to help transport from our storage and help set up the tables in advance on the Friday drop-off date, let us know at: [sustain@tgryes.org](mailto:sustain@tgryes.org) Call the Reference Desk at 781-769-0200 x2 with questions or for more information.

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Facebook page so you can check the status of events offered by the Friends: Friends Of The Norwood Council On Aging | Facebook

**NORWOOD 150TH ANNOUNCES ROLLING TOUR OF NORWOOD CHURCHES**

Rolling Church Tour. The Norwood 150th Evangelical Committee announces a seven-week rolling church tour event, from mid-September to the end of October. Here is the current schedule through mid-October. Two other churches are scheduled for late October. Check the Norwood 150 website periodically to see any changes in the program, including churches added or deleted and any changes in dates or times.

Churches that have announced their program details will offer opportunities to tour the facilities; information on the church, its building and its history; and refreshments. Some churches have provided more specific program details, which are shown below.

SUN, SEP 18: St. Catherine's of Siena Catholic Church, 549 Washington Street, 2:00 to 4:00 pm. Four tour guides will be available, each equipped with information on the church and its history, including the stained glass windows. While visi-

tors wait for the next tour to start, they will be shown a pre-tour video, which will also be posted to the church's website, along with the full script used by the tour guides. Visitors will also be given a brochure highlighting some of the historic and artistic aspects of the church and parish. Tours will begin at the main entrance to the church.

SAT, SEP 24: Trinity Community Church, 234 Walpole Street, 11:00 am to 1:00 pm.

SAT, SEP 24: Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 24 Berwick Street; and Grace Episcopal Church, 150 Chapel Street, both from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. The two churches, located on the same block, are coordinating so that visitors can start with either church, then take the 5-minute walk to the other church.

SUN, SEP 25: First Baptist Church and Anglican Church of the Redeemer, 71 Bond Street, 2 to 4pm. The two churches will jointly host an open house at the First Baptist Church, whose facilities are also used for services by the Anglican Church. A reception will be offered in the Carriage House (church hall), where coffee, tea and pastries will be provided, and each church will have information on its history on display in the Carriage House. Brief tours will be offered.

SUN, SEP 25: First Congregational Church, 100 Winter Street, 12

to 2 pm. (Time corrected from a previous press release.) An Open House will include coffee, juice, water, cake, cookies, and "other things to eat." Visitors will be given a one-page summary of the history of the church and current activities. Church members will be available to give quick tours of the building. Visitors will be informed of the tour at the First Baptist Church, which is scheduled to run at the same time.

SAT, OCT 1: Fulfilled Life Ministries, 661 Pleasant Street, 2:00 to 3:00 pm. The tour will include refreshments and church history, as well as a tour of various rooms used in church programs, including a free baby store, the kitchen, a clothing and bedding store, and spaces supporting the grocery program.

SAT, OCT 8: Waters Church, 9:30 to 11:30 am.

SAT, OCT 8: Heritage Baptist Church, 615 Washington Street, 1:30 to 3:00 pm, changed from the previously announced slot on September 24.

For more information, please send your questions to Pastor Veronica Truell, Chair of the Norwood 150 Evangelical Committee, at [revveronicaxpa@gmail.com](mailto:revveronicaxpa@gmail.com), and to the committee at [johnhalljr48@gmail.com](mailto:johnhalljr48@gmail.com).

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**Public Hearing Notice**  
**Norwood Planning Board**

Notice is hereby given that the Planning Board of the Town of Norwood will hold a **PUBLIC HEARING on October 3, 2022 at 7:05 PM** on the request of Level Design Group Civil Engineering for Home Market Foods, Inc. with respect to property located at **140 Morgan Drive, Norwood, MA 02062, in the Boston Providence Highway (BPH) Zoning District**. The hearing will be held at Norwood Senior Center, 275 Prospect Street, Norwood, MA 02062 as well as via remote participation:


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The Applicant requests to amend a Special Permit previously granted by the Planning Board on September 14, 2010 under Norwood Zoning Bylaw Section 6.1.12 [Parking] to relocate, modify and increase on-site parking as part of an expansion project on the existing commercial structure. The Planning Board will also be conducting review of a Site Plan Approval application that proposes a 6.1K sq. ft. addition.

Any zoning relief that may be required in adherence to the Norwood Zoning Bylaw shall be considered by the Board. Interested persons are encouraged to attend the hearing and make their views known to the Board.

Plans are on file with this application in the office of the Planning Board and may be requested by [emailingcped@norwoodma.gov](mailto:emailingcped@norwoodma.gov) or by calling 781-762-1240 ext. 6055, Monday – Friday, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm.

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**Ask The Doctor**  
*Junior Damato began servicing vehicles in 1969. He owns an 8-bay center in Middleboro, MA. Junior is an ASE-certified Master Technician, ASE-certified L-1 and ASE-certified Natural Gas.*

**Toyota Highlander AWD**

Toyota builds great vehicles and they have great resale value. We still have a 2005 Highlander with 220,000 miles as a loaner car. This week was spent in a new Highlander AWD, 3.5 liter V/6 295 HP with an 8 speed transmission, 20 inch wheels, sport tuned suspension, and multiple drive modes. The Highlander dash lay out and control location and operation are easy to use. All the controls are within reach. A large 8 inch touch screen with the JBL 11 speaker and sub woofer with amplifier sound good. Red interior accents along with red trim are included with the audio package. Base price starts at \$43,950 destination \$1215 options \$1900 MSRP \$47,163.00. The Highlander handles very well. This model also has a third row seat. The red interior looks good and will brighten your day every time you open the door. EPA 20 city 27 highway. Towing capacity is 5000 lbs.

Junior Damato, the "Auto Doctor," has agreed to field auto repair questions from Bulletin and Record readers. Please send your questions to [news@bulletinnewspapers.com](mailto:news@bulletinnewspapers.com) and we will do our best to get them answered.

**Monday, September 5**

0740 Phone - Well Being Chk Services Rendered Location/Address: Douglas Cir Party request check of 30 yr old female who was last spoken to 9/4 in the morning. Female party stated she took a substance that was having the opposite effect on her. N666 spoke with female party who is OK.

1006 Initiated - Stolen Bicycle \*Report Filed Location/Address: Village Rd E N666 flagged down on Davis Ave. and receives report of stolen bicycle while it was at Windsor Gardens.

1014 Cellular - Well Being Chk Police & Fire Notified/Respond Location/Address: - Nahatan St Report of a male lying in grass near Citizen's Bank. NFD sent. NFD reports they woke him up, stated he needed to catch train and left area.

1110 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Olde Derby Village - Olde Derby Rd Request check of client, no answer since 9/2 1913 Hrs and gets checked on twice a day. N666 reports she is ok, caller notified.

1359 Cellular - Pedestrian Accident \*Report Filed Location/Address: 728 Block - Washington St NFD sent. BOLO to cars, South District, and Areawide 3 for NH PC 4637630.

1505 Phone - Shoplifting Services Rendered Location/Address: Dairy Fine - Fulton St Report 4 kids took sunflower seeds. N669 locates them on North Ave. N666 informs them they are not welcome in store anymore.

1622 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Four Points Sheraton - Bos-Prov Hwy Caller in New Hampshire received concerning messages from a friend who may be delusional. Party was located at Four Points Sheraton Hotel. Riverside clinician responded. Party was able to calm himself after speaking with officers and spoke this therapist. No further issue. Caller notified.

1800 Walk-In - Stolen Lic Plate \*Report Filed Location/Address: E Cross St MA PC 2WVG91 one plate lost or stolen, entered into NCIC.

1850 Initiated - Susp Person Spoken To Location/Address: Washington St + Nahatan St Party checked OK.

2002 Walk-In - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Codman Rd Property exchange.

2044 Other - Repossession Vehicle Towed Location/Address: Howard St MA PC 7GP449.

**Tuesday, September 6**

0321 Other - Repossession Vehicle Towed Location/Address: Stonebridge Apts - Dean St MA PC 4SK595.

0331 Other - Repossession Vehicle

Towed Location/Address: Washington St VIN# JTMBFREV5D5009690 1104 Phone - Complaint Of Mv Spoken To Location/Address: Quick Stop - Washington St Report MA PC 2YFR96 parked in lot for 2 days. Check of same-not stolen. N674 reports owner has tow coming today to remove same.

1145 Phone - Lost And Found Services Rendered Location/Address: Nahatan St DPW sent to pick-up abandoned bicycle. Lost and Found Entry Form filled out. Copy left for Evidence Officer. Check of Stolen Bike log-no matches. Surge, Next, Blu/Yel frame, Rims-Yel.

1439 Phone - Well Being Chk \*Report Filed Location/Address: Village Rd W Caller in Miami Florida requests wellbeing check on her niece. Riverside clinician responded. NFD notified, Walpole FD transported party to Beth Israel Hospital for mental health evaluation. N668 provided courtesy transport for two juvenile females to the station S/M 28258 at 1635, E/M 28260 at 1644.

1724 Walk-In - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: 1A Pizza - Walpole St Party with shopping cart sleeping outside. Officers checked on him, he is OK. Store management OK with him being there.

1844 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Vernon St Psychiatrist requesting a well being check on the mother and son, she was on a conference call tonight and could hear a lot of commotion in the back ground. N663 spoke to all parties they are fine.

1928 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Stonebridge Apts - Dean St Caller concerned who a friend who has been feeling sad. Contact was made with that party, states she is OK and is currently en route to her mother's house to do laundry. Caller notified.

2033 911 - Sex Offenses \*Arrest(S)Made Location/Address: Vernon St Caller reports she received messages from party known to her stating "9-1-1" and asking for help. As a result, N663 placed one party under arrest. N447 transported that party to the station in N663.

**Wednesday, September 7**

0442 911 - Disturbance \*Report Filed Location/Address: Washington St Caller reports neighbor is causing a disturbance, yelling and banging. NFD notified and responded. NFD transports one male party for voluntary evaluation to BI Needham.

0652 Phone - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Park Place Self Storage - Vanderbilt Ave Employee reports debris dumped overnight. N663 spoke

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with caller, verified dumped items. Reviewed surveillance footage, observed gray pickup truck. Unable to obtain plate or suspect description. Reviewed Route 1 surveillance footage, unable to locate vehicle matching description.

0957 Phone - Lost And Found Services Rendered Location/Address: Irish Brewery - Morse St Bike brought to the station found on the property. Lost and Found Entry Form filled out. Check of Stolen Bikes-no matches. Bike placed in Bike Rack, Paperwork left Evidence Officer. Giant, SX3, 10 spd, black. Due to sticker on same N674 checked with Norwood Bike Depot to see if they remember the sale.

1123 Cellular - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Nahatan St + Prospect St Passing motorist reports male fell, banged his head, bleeding, refused help is is has continued walking east on Nahatan. N663 checks him in front of #380, small abrasion, he is cognitively ok and refused any help.

1159 Phone - Motor Vehicle Accident \*Report Filed Location/Address: 20/20 Eye Care - Central St ID: Ptlm Viktor Sabha Report SUV into building. NFD sent. Westwood Building Inspector assists. Center Auto tows MA PC 2YMR14.

1331 Phone - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Franklin St Report breaking up and boyfriend is harassing her and she wants 209A advice. N662 reports no crime and advice given.

1430 Phone - Susp Activity Spoken To Location/Address: Unique Nails Salon And Skin Care - Washington St Subject in a green T and shorts B/M yelling in the street. Officers locate and report he was arguing with another subject who left. Aggressor was transported to the common for the bus. Also was given property that has been at PD

1618 Phone - Assaults Services Rendered Location/Address: Infinity Of Norwood - Bos-Prov Hwy AAA tow truck driver reports mechanic drove over his feet after an argument. N667 states caller does not wish to pursue charges but wanted officer to speak to mechanic. N667 spoke

to all parties.

1932 Phone - Pedestrian Accident \*Report Filed Location/Address: Washington St Caller reports vehicle ran over her foot and struck her hand with side view mirror and then pulled over. Caller refused medical attention.

**Thursday, September 8**

0647 Phone - Noise Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Access Rd Caller reports equipment being moved in the area N669 advised workers of noise bylaw. Will notify their company and refrain until 0700

1100 Phone - Larceny Services Rendered Location/Address: Affordable Landscaping - Davis Ave Report diesel fuel being syphoned from truck. N674 left message, will investigate if he calls back.

1314 Phone - Larceny \*Report Filed Location/Address: Central Chrysler Jeep & Dodge Of Norwood - Bos-Prov Hwy Report car bought using stolen credit card.

1547 Phone - Malicious Damage \*Report Filed Location/Address: Brookview Cir Report BB pellet hole in passenger sided window, unknown when it happened.

1720 Phone - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Hair Cuttery - Nahatan St Walk in reports party being verbally aggressive towards him.

1907 Phone - Unwanted Party Spoken To Location/Address: Mcdonalds - Broadway St Employee wants customer removed. Dispute over payment, party left.

**Friday, September 9**

0029 Phone - Susp Person Spoken To Location/Address: CVS Pharmacy - Nahatan St Caller reports a WM acting suspicious in front of CVS. The caller reports the individual was talking to himself aggressively making patrons uncomfortable. Officers spoke with the party in question and all was well. Party agreed to leave for the night.

0202 Phone - Noise Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: St James Ave Caller complains of loud noise coming from a vehicle in the parking lot. Officers were able to locate the vehicle

1422 Phone - Susp Person Transported To Hospital Location/Address: Jake N Joes Sports Grille - Bos-Prov Hwy Caller reports a white male who appears to be sleeping with no shoes or shirt on a staircase in the parking lot of Jake & Joes. MC5 reports party is being transported by NFD under a PC for drugs. N662 is following the ambulance and will file a report.

1650 Phone - Well Being Chk \*Protective Custody Location/Address: Avalon Apartments - Lenox St Caller states his mother is yelling at him. Caller is known to us. He won't provide any information and states he just wants to talk. He then calls the station five to six times in a row. Attempts to transfer him to the in house clinician are unsuccessful

due to the fact he keeps hanging up. N666 and N678 responding. N666 reports caller is placed into Protective Custody.

1718 911 - Disturbance Spoken To Location/Address: Washington St Caller reports male party in his driveway trying to fight people. N679, N667 and N674 responding. N679 reports a verbal argument between neighbors.

1804 Phone - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Hartford St Caller requests an officer stand by while she retrieves her dog from doggy day care after a fall out with the business owners. N674 responding.

2133 Other - Lost And Found Services Rendered Location/Address: Coakley Middle School Washington St N661 reports lost property at location of fireworks. Party reports she lost her car keys by the baseball fields behind the south lot of the Coakley at the fireworks. Unable to locate the item. Honda keys, library card and 3 other keys attached to a black lanyard belonging to MA 1HGW49.

**Saturday, September 10**

0055 Initiated - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: 50 Block - Broadway N667 checks on a male sleeping on bench. N667 reports he is known to PD, on his way.

1405 Walk-In - Lost And Found Services Rendered Location/Address: Washington St + Dean St Party turns in found cell phone. Apple, plastic holder with butterflies on it. Glass is broken. Lost and Found Entry Form filled out. Will check Monday with MetroLec Lab to see if anything can be done.

2142 Initiated - Motor Vehicle Stop \*Arrest(S)Made Location/Address: E Cottage St MA PC 1HSG12. As a result, N674 placed operator under arrest and transported him to the station. N663 provided a courtesy transport for one adult female and one juvenile male to 28 Oolah Avenue S/M 43800.4 at 2157, E/M 43801.6 at 2201. Don and Wally's towed MA PC 1HSG12. Refer To Arrest: 22-318-AR Arrest: Xocoy Taque, Jose Leon Address: 28 Oolah Ave Apt. #1 Norwood, Ma Age: 38 Charges: License Suspended For Oui, Oper Mv With Suspended license

**Sunday, September 11**

22-23902 0045 Walk-In - Complaint Of Motor Vehicle Towed Location/Address: Avalon Apartments - Lenox St MA PC 2DAS96 trespass towed by management.

1210 Initiated - Susp Activity Services Rendered Location/Address: St Catherine Of Siena School - Nahatan St N663, on Church Traffic, receives report of a back pack near dumpster in rear parking lot. N663 reports it is empty.

1851 911 - Unwanted Party Services Rendered Location/Address: Norwest Dr Caller reports her son is not on the lease and she would like him to leave. Officers stoodby while that party got an Uber ride and left.

*Tucker Fogg*

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owned privately. There are no known portraits dated after 1847, but there are several landscapes in oil on canvas. Some of her landscape paintings of early Norwood are on display at the Norwood Historical Society at 93 Day Street.

Mary Tucker Fogg died in Norwood in 1898, at 74 years of age. She is interred at Highland Cemetery with her husband David.

*Norwood Historical Society members  
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**BROMWELL**

Philip Warren, of Norwood, passed away at his home, suddenly on Saturday September 3, 2022 at age 77. Born in Boston on February 24, 1945, he was the son of the late Phyllis (Groah) and Chester E. Bromwell. Philip grew up in Hingham, MA and was a graduate of Hingham High School. He went on to earn a bachelor's degree from Colby College, and a second bachelor's degree from Boston College. Phil has been a faithful and beloved member of Congregation Ruach Israel in Needham, MA for the last 30 years. Gifted with a powerful singing voice, he served as Cantor and led the Congregation in song and prayer during services. He also taught Hebrew and helped many young people become bar or bat mitzvah. Earlier, he

worked at Polaroid for many years. He was also a Trustee at World's End Reservation in Hingham, MA. He was the beloved husband of Constance A. Hayes. Philip was the devoted father of Leah Hannafin and her husband Thomas of Dracut, Paula Bromwell of Douglas; and stepfather of Stephen Colby and his wife Roberta of Marshfield, Judy Fournier at and her husband Will of Broken Arrow, OK, and Cindy Bootier of Milford. He was the proud grandfather of eleven grandchildren. Some of his favorite days and most cherished memories were spent with his family and his grandchildren. He was an avid photographer. He loved taking photos of his family, friends and of nature. He loved to travel and would happily drive any distance to visit family, friends and enjoy

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an adventure. He was a "Road Warrior". He will be dearly missed. A Graveside Service was held at Knollwood Memorial Park in Canton on Tuesday, September 6, 2022. Services by Gillooly Funeral Home, 126 Walpole Street, Norwood. Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at [www.gilloolyfuneralhome.com](http://www.gilloolyfuneralhome.com) for the Bromwell family.

**CURLEY**



Patrick F., aged 80, passed away peacefully in the care of his family on Sunday, September 4, 2022 in West Roxbury. He was the beloved husband of Helen (Hayes)Curley. Pat and Helen recently celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary. Born in Palmer, MA on January 22, 1942, he was the son of the late Francis and Margaret

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(MacDonald). Pat grew up in Charlestown and Dorchester and spent many happy summers with relatives in PEI. He graduated from Divine Word Seminary in Bordentown, NJ in 1959, joined the Air Force and served in Vietnam. He worked at the USPS in South Boston for 39 years as an electronic technician, retiring in 2000. He lived in Norwood for 20 years and served as a town meeting member. Pat and Helen moved to Walpole in 2007 where Pat worked on his golf game. Pat was predeceased by his wife, Joan (Gustafson); his brother, Terry and his sister, Mary Donohue. He is survived by his loving children and stepchildren: David (Janet) Curley, of Braintree, Susan (Tim) Godfrey, of Plainville, Heather (Matt) Feener, of Walpole, Christina Jewell of West Roxbury and Brian Jewell of Somerville. Also survived by his sister Ann Reardon of Dorchester and his brother Jack (Karen) of South Boston and many loving nieces and nephews. He is also survived by his adored grandchildren: Jason and Lauren Curley of Braintree; Meredith, Austin and Allie Feener of Walpole and Devlin and Fiona Jewell of West Roxbury. Pat was an incredibly warm and caring man who will be greatly missed. He always had a smile on his face and loved with all his heart. He was a great husband, father and grandfather. He was an avid Red Sox fan, opera singer, fishing phenomenon and golfer. He loved to travel and was always planning the next trip. Of all the roles he had in life, his favorite was being the best Papa to his grandchildren. Funeral from the Gillooly Funeral Home, 126 Walpole St., Norwood. Interment will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to: Dana Farber Cancer Institute, Boston, MA. [GilloolyFuneralHome.com](http://GilloolyFuneralHome.com)

**HALLE**

Helen C. (Campbell), age 101, of Norwood passed away Monday, September 5, 2022. She was born January 24, 1921

in Watertown, MA to Timothy J. and Catherine L. (Morley) Campbell. She was the longest living of six siblings. Helen was actively involved in the St. Timothy Parish with Religious Education, care for the sick and elderly and was a Eucharistic Minister for over 50 years. She was honored by Cardinal Sean O'Malley with the Cherverus Award in 2009 for her contributions to her parish and the extended Archdiocese of Boston. Helen was predeceased by her son, Jay; and her husband Mitchell J., with whom she shared more than 65 years. He was a veteran of both World War II and the Korean Conflict. She is survived by her loving son, Kevin P. Halle; 14 nieces and nephews; and 23 grandnieces and nephews. Visitation will be held on September 17, 2022 from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM at St. Timothy Church, Norwood, MA. A Funeral Mass will begin at 11:00 AM with Interment to follow at Highland Cemetery, Norwood, MA. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Helen's memory to St. Timothy Parish, 650 Nichols St., Norwood, MA 02062. [GilloolyFuneralHome.com](http://GilloolyFuneralHome.com)

**HINES**

James Joseph, age 60, of Norwood, passed away Monday, September 5, 2022. Born September 7, 1961 to Spafford Hines and the late Antonetta (Palmieri) Hines. In addition to his father, James is survived by his brother Edward and his companion Mary McGovern of Wrentham and his sister Carla of Norwood. James was a 1979 graduate of Norwood High School and a 1983 graduate of Cornell University. He later earned a Master's degree at Northeastern University. James worked at Raytheon Corporation from 1983 until his retirement in June. Funeral from the Gillooly Funeral Home, 126 Walpole Street, NORWOOD. Interment will be held privately. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in James' memory to the Italian Home for Children, 1125 Centre St., Jamaica Plain, MA 02130. [GilloolyFuneralHome.com](http://GilloolyFuneralHome.com)

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