



More back and forth emerges between Boston Executive Helicopters and the leadership at the Norwood Memorial Airport.

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## BEH requests FBI investigation into Airport

Jeff Sullivan  
Staff Reporter

Last week, The Norwood Record reported on a letter from Norwood Airport Manager Russ Maguire to the Norwood Airport Commission (NAC).

The letter was part of the public packet distributed online with the NAC's agenda for its April 7 meeting, but since the meeting concerned ongoing litigation, the only portion attached was NAC Chair Mark Ryan's invocation of the meeting and explanation as to why it was going into executive session.

In the letter, Maguire lays out a laundry list of issues he and Boston Executive Helicopters (BEH) have been having recently, including a "never-ending harangue of bizarre, accusatory Christopher

Donovan Sr. emails," BEH shadowing and filming Ryan when he was at the airport, an accusation that BEH performed low level flights to "buzz" the residences of Ryan and Light Department Superintendent Kevin Shaughnessy (with the FAA investigating to find no evidence of said incident) and "personal attacks, provocations and characterizations of myself, current and former Airport Commissioners, the Town Manager and Assistant Manager, among other Town officials."

He said in his letter he hopes the Norwood Police Department (NPD) looks into the issue.

BEH owner Christopher Donovan Sr. has since responded, saying he hopes that the matter does get legal attention, as he feels BEH

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The Style on the Hill event, shown above during pre-Covid times, will also be returning for Norwood High School seniors this year.

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## Prom taking over all of high school building

Jeff Sullivan  
Staff Reporter

In an effort to give 2021 Norwood High School (NHS) seniors a memorable send-off this year, the Post Prom Committee is taking over the whole of the high school to host a socially-distanced prom.

The prom will kick off on May 7 and take over most of the campus. Post Prom Committee Member Michele Hsu said NHS Principal Dr. Hugh Galligan has given the campus up for the senior class so that activities can be spread out enough to accommodate social distancing.

"We actually have a really exciting event planned," Hsu said. "With the traditional proms that they would have had to have because of COVID, the event would have been really socially-distanced, super expensive and really mini-

mized the number of kids able to participate. So what Dr. Galligan has proposed is using various areas of the high school as venues, so we don't have to worry quite so much about any capacity issues. We'll be able to remain within the allowed capacities basically by spreading it out."

Hsu said that, for example, one area will be sectioned off in a kind of red carpet style for the entrance to the event.

"Where they can do all the traditional photos," she said. "There will be another area in the parking lot used to serve food, and we're hoping to hire some food trucks for that. Then we're going to have the football field divided into two areas. One will host a lot of lawn games and the other side will have a DJ and dancing."

Hsu said the students seemed primed

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has been under attack from the beginning more than a decade ago.

"I support a full investigation of the Airport, by an independent Law enforcement agency," he stated in an email. "Francis (Maguire) and Mark (Ryan) have tried before to embroil the Norwood Police in their illegal activities. Leave them alone. They have no desire to enter the cesspool of Norwood Airport. No one does. The FBI should interview everyone, including Town officials, with the assistance of the US Attorney's office."

Donovan said he is requesting a full investigation from the FBI into Maguire and the NAC's conduct. Donovan also addressed a recent incident in which an environmental consultant from Epsilon Group was touring the airport with Maguire for a stormwater plan permit. Maguire said he was showing the consultant all the stormwater drainage sites. Maguire saw Donovan's son, Chris Donovan Jr., coming over to

film them so he stopped the tour because he felt it would create a conflict. Donovan Sr. responded that his competitor on the airport for fuel sales (also a fellow Fixed-Base Operator) FlightLevel (FLN) has been seen on or near his leasehold in the past. Donovan Sr.'s letter addressed Maguire directly.

"You were on our leased

away from Norwood should not be on the NAC (Ryan is also the Department of Public Works Director in Norwood).

He also said that Maguire complains that he uses unauthorized photos of NAC members and himself on Donovan's website [NorwoodAirport.com](http://NorwoodAirport.com). He said the photographs he used were from public

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**- BEH owner Christopher Donovan Sr.**

aprons, unannounced, with an individual unknown, after months of playing games with FLN regarding their trespass of our aprons," he stated in his email. "Aprons we lease from the Town of Norwood."

Donovan goes on to say that the reason he was following NAC Chair Ryan was because they both live on Cape Cod, and he feels that a person living that far

sources. He also said that his publication of NAC member Michael Sheehan's divorce proceedings on the website were relevant to his argument and public information.

"This public information on the background and actions of Sheehan, in the context of his claims to justify retaliation toward BEH, is detailed and relevant," he stated.

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# Selectmen consider federal funds, Town Meeting and St. Gabe's

**Jeff Sullivan**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood Board of Selectmen met on Tuesday, April 20, and discussed several upcoming issues.

Most importantly of the items for discussion, Town Manager Tony Mazzucco filed a recommendation concerning the incoming funds from the American Rescue Plan (ARP). The ARP is funneling \$350 billion to county governments across the country, and Mazzucco requested the Board support a plan to allow municipalities' full control over their portions of the funds.

Mazzucco pointed out that in counties like Berkshire County, the county government had been abolished (since the 70s) and that those municipalities are the beneficiaries of funding through a per capita allotment. For Norwood, should the plan be approved, its allotment would be about \$8 million. However, since Norfolk County still functions, Norwood could see a lot less than that.

Mazzucco explained that the ARP was set up to serve the most number of Americans most easily, and so many services that towns in Massachusetts provide are actually provided by county government. Road repair, sewer and water, electricity, health services and more are all examples he gave of services Norwood's provided. These services are also within the bounds of grant appropriations from the ARP, and so Mazzucco asked the Board to vote to recommend the disbursement directly to the towns rather than through the county.

The mission of the ARP is to help cities and towns recover from revenue losses and service cost increases that took place during the COVID-19 pandemic. He explained that the county government can't really use those funds to replace lost revenue in certain circumstances, like for instance hotel/motel taxes, while the ARP is directly set up to provide replacement revenue of that nature.

Selectman Helen Abdallah-Donohue said while she does support the Norfolk County government – which maintains most of the local courthouses and the Norfolk Agricultural School – she said in this rare instance she

agrees with Mazzucco.

"A broken clock is right twice a day Mrs. Donohue," Mazzucco said with a laugh.

Mazzucco said the funds, if they make their way to Norwood, would be used to update the Town's stormwater system, which had shown its age last year during the June 2020 flood that damaged the Norwood Hospital. And while on that subject it was noted that no further updates on the hospital have been provided other than that it will remain closed at least until October.

The Board voted to come back with a resolution to support Mazzucco's recommendation, as well as voting to authorize Mazzucco to advise the Town's County Liaison of the Board's wish to attain all the funds it can from the ARP.

In other news, the Board voted unanimously to endorse the proposed Town Meeting Warrants for the May 10 Special Town Meeting. The full list of warrant articles can be found at <http://cms5.revize.com/revize/norwoodma/TCARSTM%20warrant.pdf>. Articles of note include:

Article 1 would raise \$231,000 for new school transportation vehicles. Mazzucco said once this is done, the Norwood Public Schools District Transportation Department expects that it will have a rolling cycle of vehicles and fees so that it will hopefully not need capital investment like this in the future.

Article 5 would take \$300,000 from the Water Meter fund to replace damaged or broken automatic water meters.

Article 6 would raise \$70,000 to repair the elevator at the Public Safety Building (Police and Fire). Mazzucco said the entire building has been problematic.

"We've sent it out for repairs, we've had two different vendors – the facilities department and a contractor that installs elevators – and they believe that the board that controls the elevator needs to be replaced," Mazzucco said. "There were a number of problems with this building in terms of construction. The cab and the hydraulics appear to be in good condition, but it's a 20-year-old elevator and it needs \$70,000 worth of repair. We've probably

already put in \$20,000 to \$25,000 worth of repairs."

Selectman David Hajjar pointed out he's seen elevators in Boston last four or five times that long.

"This is typical of this building," he said. Issue after issue in this building comes up no matter where you turn."

Mazzucco pointed out the Town Hall elevator lasted 35 years without an issue before they had to renovate it, and that was only so it would be in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Article 11 would allow the Town to impose a 3 percent fee on the rental price of those purchasing time in a short-term rental (like Airbnb).

Also at the meeting, the Board voted unanimously to transfer \$14,000 from the Cemetery Fund to install an air ventilation system into the St. Gabriel's Chapel at Highland Cemetery. Mazzucco said originally, the Permanent Building Construction Committee wanted to add this on to the Community Preservation Committee (CPC) renovation of the building, but the CPC stated that this was outside the scope of the approved renovation work. Mazzucco said Department of Public Works Superintendent Mark Ryan and Cemetery Foreman Paul Ranalli developed a plan to install the new ventilation.

This will allow populous public events and services to take place at the chapel during winter. Before COVID-19, the chapel was in high demand for use for concerts and other public events.

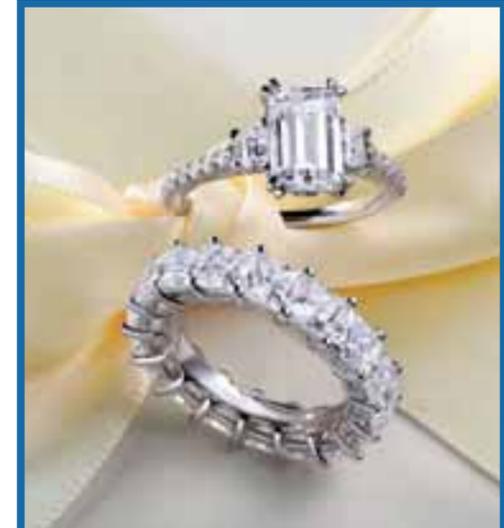


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Scope of Work:

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1. Assist the Town by preparing a feasibility study to investigate and assess existing conditions of both pools, bathhouses, and sites (including topography, wetlands, and possible hazardous materials)
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3. Provide design alternatives for each facility including conceptual design layouts
4. Provide a draft feasibility report for feedback from Owner
5. Submit a final feasibility report for presentation to various Town Boards and Town Meeting
6. Provide cost estimates for each of the proposed solutions/upgrades for each facility
7. Research availability of grant funding, partnering and/or fundraising opportunities and other funding sources

Phase 2:

Develop and provide facility design and Construction Documents for public bidding by General Contractors and assist the Town through the bidding process.

Phase 3:

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A pre-proposal meeting and site visit will be held on May 7, 2021, at 11:00 A.M., at the Hawes Pool, 1305 Washington Street, Norwood, MA 02062, followed by a site visit to Father McAleer's Pool, 295 Vernon Street, Norwood, MA 02062. Social distancing required.

Proposals must include, as a minimum, one original and five (5) copies of "Application to the Designer Selection Committee" and a brief project Approach Statement. Proposer shall also include a copy of his/her proposal on a thumb drive or CD. The Town will schedule interviews, if necessary, to short-listed consultants, after it evaluates all applications.

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BY: Tony Mazzucco  
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Many schools in Norwood, like the Calahan Elementary School shown here, are nearing or past a full century of use.

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# School Committee contemplates elementary school capacities

Mary Ellen Gambon  
Staff Reporter

The School Committee has been contemplating for the past few months whether it would be better for the new Middle School building currently set to replace the Coakley to transition to a facility for students in grades five through eight or remain a grade six-through-eight middle school. But another issue has come into focus: how to deal with the elementary schools that are at or near capacity now.

At the committee's April 7 meeting, Justin Thibeault from Ai3 Architects led a presentation about the possible addition of modular classrooms to each of the district's elementary schools, should the fifth-graders not attend the Coakley. This would be due to the rising student populations and the need for more classrooms for special education (SPED) and English language learners (ELL).

"Modular classrooms were selected for this study because they are the most cost-effective solution to address the immediate space needs at the elementary school level," he said.

"Modulars aren't intended to be a permanent solution," Thibeault added, noting they are more of a "Band-Aid approach" to the problem of antiquated buildings that eventually will need to be addressed. Also, the modular classrooms will be separate from the main buildings at all sites, potentially in parking lots, greenspace or playground space.

Thibeault said the total estimated cost for all modular classrooms would be \$16.5 million. He noted they would have to be rented for three years with an option to purchase. The cost includes setup and installation as well as connection to electricity and restroom facilities, because the students in the modular units could not use the facilities in the main buildings.

If they were physically connected to the main buildings, the buildings would have to be upgraded to the current building code, he explained, "which would be a significant financial undertaking."

The cost of adding the modulars only to the Prescott is estimated at \$2.1 million. The middle school project with a grade five-through-eight configuration is estimated to cost the Town of Norwood \$12 million, Thibeault noted, after the planned reimbursement from the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) reimbursement has been applied.

Kristen Kendell analyzed possible use options at each school and showed potential modular use locations. She stressed that no modular units would be needed if the fifth grade were to transition to the middle school, with the excep-

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and ready to go for the prom.

"I think they are very excited," she said. "This is going to be an event where they'll all be able to attend, and the nature of the restrictions means they're not allowing volunteers from outside the school, and so the event will be staffed entirely by NHS teachers. Basically, that means they won't have any of their parents hanging over them. They (students) aren't expecting too much, and I think they've learned to expect very little this year, so this will be big."

More immediately, the Post Prom Committee is also hosting Style on the Hill, which is a kind of fashion show. The event is coming up in late April and will be broadcast on Norwood Community Media, since Covid restrictions are making the stu-

dents themselves be the audience.

"It looks like it's going forward on Thursday, April 29," said Hsu. "I think they're just so happy to get out and be together and do something, I'm not sure it's registered with them really." Hsu said both the Prom and the Style on the Hill will be funded from the recent Ball Drop fundraiser, which she said raised the maximum amount of \$9,000 for the group.

"It was great, we sold out all our tickets," she said. "The school put together the plan for the prom, but the Post Prom Committee will be paying for other things like the food trucks, the décor and all the entertainment."

Plans for the June 6 graduation ceremony are still up in

the air. No one knows yet what the restrictions will be, so options are being kept open.

"We're just really thankful to Dr. Galligan, the high school administration and the Norwood Public Schools for being so flexible this year and coming up with a way students can participate in a prom and have some semblance of normalcy in the way they celebrate," she said. "I think a lot of schools right now are going the more traditional route and they might be losing out. I think the plan the NHS has put together is just great."

For more information or to keep up with the Post Prom social media presence, go to <https://nhspostprom.weebly.com/>

# NTAC hopes Eagle Scout designs will be blueprints for all kiosks

**Matt MacDonald**  
Staff Reporter

The Norwood Trails Advisory Committee (NTAC) met on April 13 and chose to support the proposal of St. Catherine's of Siena student Makana Umbay-Guliaeff to install two informational kiosks at trail heads in Norwood.

Umbay-Guliaeff said the first will be at Father Mac's Field, next to the soccer field, and the second is at the entrance to the Germany Brook Path off of Winter Street. Both kiosks will feature information on the Germany Brook Path, as well as points of interest in the area.

"I'm a Life Scout (second-highest Boy Scout rank) in Troop 49 in Norwood and I'm currently working on my Eagle Scout project," he said. "The kiosk design will consist of two support posts, a four-foot bulletin board, a Plexiglas cover and a small roof for weather protection."

Umbay-Guliaeff said the board itself will be made of cork, protected by a shadow-box-type frame. He said NTAC Chair Joseph Greeley will have the keys to the shadow-box. The total estimated costs of the pair is \$750.

The NATC members seemed enthusiastic about the project, and said they would start working on QR codes to have residents just scan the code and be sent to a digital map of the area, so they can use it while they're exploring the trail.

"The QR code itself is a minimal thing and isn't going to cost us anything really," said member Marguerite Krupp. "The cost is making sure we have the maps we want to display in an accessible area and that someone is going to maintain our website. That is just a minimal thing that has to be taken care of, and really is not Makana's problem."

Krupp said a similar program has been set up for a spring exploration of Bird Park. Member Roy Noepel added that the Bird Park kiosk has stood up extraordinarily well to the elements since its installation. Noepel and several other members of the committee added that they would like to stipulate the shingles on the roof of the kiosk – set to prevent rain and snow damage to the kiosk – be made of treated wood instead of asphalt so as to be more sustainable.

"I think I can change it easily," said Umbay-Guliaeff.

Umbay-Guliaeff said he's

looking to start the project in late April or early May and is estimating an early June completion. He said he's hoping to raise funds for the project around Town, and if you're interested in getting involved, shoot an email to Trails@norwoodma.gov.

In other news, Greeley also gave an update on the submitted Community Preservation Act (CPA) project to design a trail at University Avenue near the Boston Skating Club. Greeley said the design team will be working with the Conservation Commission, the NTAC and any other relevant Town agencies. Greeley said the NTAC has already gone through where it might be best to place the actual trail, but parking and entrance facilities are still up in the air.

"The Town Engineering Department is working with the Conservation Commission on the layout and materials to be used, but the path is pretty much the current path," he said. "There's not as much physical design, but there is material design that is needed. That process is underway."

As was reported in a recent Community Preservation Committee meeting (April 15

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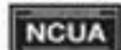
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The Community Preservation Committee is looking at the possibility of hiring a part-time administrator to help it keep track of funded projects' progress. While many projects so far have been pitched by the Town or Town personnel - and so asking them to come in and share their progress is relatively easy - CPC members said they would like a dedicated person to keep projects on track, like the Bond Street Playground, shown here, that has recently been closed as a CPC project.

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# CPC considers hiring a coordination administrator for Town Hall

Mary Ellen Gambon  
Staff Reporter

The Community Preservation Committee (CPC) met on Wed. April 14 to discuss some administrative changes including the possibility of hiring a CPC administrator to coordinate efforts from within Town Hall.

Chair Peter McFarland said that he and Selectman Matt Lane, who also serves on the CPC, met with Town General Manager Tony Mazzucco and

Planner Paul Halkiotis earlier that day.

"They're thinking about proposing to us that we consider hiring a CPC administrator, which is the person that would take care of the spreadsheet and will work in Town Hall on these projects," he said. "The position would be part-time, 10 to 15 hours per week."

He added that Halkiotis will make a presentation on the matter to the committee at its next meeting on May 12 at 5:30 p.m.

Former Assistant Town

Planner Pat Deschenes used to assist in the creation of spreadsheets before he left Norwood to become Walpole's Town Planner, he noted. The new position would be funded through the CPC's annual administrative allocation.

"We're getting a little bit complex as far as the number of projects and the breadth of these projects," McFarland explained. "Each year we're adding about three or four projects, and we're finding that they are taking multiple years even if

they weren't really designed that way."

There was \$30,000 in the previous administrative allocation, and McFarland said there were only three expenses: the recording secretary, the appraisal of the Saint Street lot and the membership fee to the state's Community Preservation Coalition.

"We didn't come anywhere close to spending that," he said.

There currently are eight open CPC projects, as well and two that have been recommended for approval at the upcoming Town Meeting - the removal of the fire bell from the Carillon and the University Ave. Trail Design project.

Catherine Walsh recommended that applicants submit a project status report, perhaps on a quarterly basis, so that everyone would be knowledgeable about any developments.

"If we're giving applicants money, we should put the onus on them to report back to us what the progress is," she said. "I would include a section for any areas of concern that they would like to highlight. As we get many more projects, it becomes unwieldy to track the status of a project. It could be a really useful tool."

The CPC administrator "would be the conduit for that,"  
**Coordination Administrator**

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<p><b>Public Hearing Notice</b> <b>Norwood Planning Board</b></p>	
<p>Pursuant to Mass General law Chapter 40A section 9 and the Norwood Zoning Bylaw sections 6.2.16 (3. a &amp; 3. b) <u>Freestanding Sign</u> and 6.2.4.2 <u>Internally Illuminated</u> sign in the Central Business District; the Norwood Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday May 10, 2021 at 7:40 PM via the GoToMeeting remote meeting platform. The meeting can be accessed from the following link: <a href="https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/718185669">https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/718185669</a> or it can be accessed by calling in at 1 (872) 240-3212, access code: 718-185-669. The Public Hearing is at the request of Heather Dudko, Agent for Dedham Savings Bank, for the construction of a new freestanding internally illuminated sign at 185 Central St. in the Central Business Zoning Districts. The subject property is shown on the Assessor's Maps as Map 1, Sheet 2, Lot 14. A copy of the proposed sign, application, and all other accompanying information is available for review in the Planning Department from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Monday - Friday.</p> <p>Debbie Holmwood, Clerk</p>	
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<p>Pursuant to Mass General law Chapter 40A section 9 and the Norwood Zoning Bylaw sections 9.4 Mixed Use Overlay District and 7.4 Major Projects, the Norwood Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday May 10, 2021 at 7:05 PM via the GoToMeeting remote meeting platform. The meeting can be accessed from the following link: <a href="https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/718185669">https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/718185669</a> or it can be accessed by calling in at 1 (872) 240-3212, access code: 718-185-669. The Public Hearing is at the request of Mr. Luigi Sellito, C&amp;S Realty for the construction of eight single bedroom apartments, pursuant to the Zoning Bylaw sections 9.4 Mixed Use Overlay District and 7.4 Major Projects. The property is located at 7-9 Cottage St. in the Central Business and Mixed Use Overlay Zoning Districts; as shown on the Assessor's Maps as Map 1, Sheet 11, Lot 22. A copy of the Site Plan, application, and all other accompanying information is available for review in the Planning Department from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Monday - Friday.</p> <p>Debbie Holmwood, Clerk</p>	
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McFarland added.

Member Joe Greeley also suggested having a live link to the project application in a spreadsheet so that the data would be easy to access and helpful to review for those proposing future projects.

John Hall brought up scheduling a community forum during the summer to discuss the committee's focus for new projects. Community Preservation Act (CPA) funding can go toward three specific areas: affordable housing, open space and preservation. Hall noted that there have been no affordable housing proposals, with the bulk going towards open space.

"Most recently we've been getting more and more pushback on large historic preservation projects," he said. "Lately it revolves along the notion of ongoing maintenance, which we're required to make sure that the Town has promised to provide."

Previously, the Department of Public Works (DPW) was providing maintenance on projects, he explained.

"The General Manager would like to weigh in on that himself on every project where there's significant maintenance," Hall said.

"We could end up in the position where the only projects that could get through with confidence are trails projects - which are great - and recreation projects, which have their own community of people who don't like the fact that we're

spending money on projects that would normally go into the Town budget."

Another idea that came up was the creation of a historic district that could be discussed at this potential meeting, he added.

"The summer is definitely a good time for us to circle the wagons and take an inventory of where we are now that we've got more than three years under our belt," Greeley said. He said he has heard comments about the Recreation Department as "being the prime applicant."

"What that means to me is that [Superintendent of Recreation] Travis [Farley] is doing his job," Greeley noted. You can't really fault him for coming back to the application desk."

He suggested public outreach to solicit a greater variety of applicants, perhaps with the assistance of the proposed administrator.

Lane added that there also be a meeting about the Norwood Pool Study this summer.

In other news, the CPC voted 9-0 to amend the amount for the fire bell removal to \$29,125, which includes a 25 percent contingency.

"We typically have erred on the side of contingency," Greeley said. "All of these projects are unique, and we don't want to have to come back to Town Meeting for \$2,000 or some minimal amount. For a project of this size, whether its 10 percent or

25 percent, it's not big money and we want to make sure we're covering all of the project requirements."

Patricia Starr said that Deputy Fire Chief David Hayes has drawn up a schematic of where the bell will be placed next to the bell currently at the fire station. It will initially go to Lyman Place when it is removed from the Carillon. The Fire Department group will apply to the CPC in the future for funds for a granite pedestal on which to place it, along with signage.

The committee voted to split the funding for this project, with half (\$14,562) taken from the historical preservation bucket and the other from the undesignated fund (\$14,563).

"It's kind of a good way to share the wealth and allow Open Space and Historic Preservation to build up some funds," Greeley said, adding that it also confers the significance of a project as a historic site. The committee also voted 8-0-1 to fund the University Ave. Trail Design project through a 50/50 split between the open space fund and the undesignated fund with \$24,750 coming from each pot. Greeley abstained, as he is the creator of the proposal and the chair of the Norwood Trails Advisory Committee (NTAC).

There was also a vote taken to officially close the Bond Street Playground project, which passed 9-0.

**NORWOOD CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

The Norwood Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing under M.G.L. Ch. 131, Sec. 40, The Wetlands Protection Act and Norwood Bylaw XXV, including any amendments thereto on Wednesday, May 5th, 2021 at 7:30 pm. The meeting will be conducted digitally using GoToMeeting. Public Participation may be accessed through your computer, tablet or smartphone <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/243297997>. You can also dial in using your phone, United States: +1 (669) 224-3412, Access Code: 243-297-997

The Commission will hear a Request for Determination of Applicability from Ernest A. Boch, Jr. represented by Christopher J. Alphen, Esq of Blatman, Bobrowski & Havery, LLC. The request is to determine whether the construction and location of a Home Mausoleum is subject to the jurisdiction of the Wetlands Protection Act and Norwood Wetlands Bylaw.

Project Location: 8 Suffolk Drive parcel 15-26-5

Holly Jones  
Conservation Planner

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—S.G.H.

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—J.W.D.

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**BADGER**

Paul Boughton, beloved husband, brother, father and grandfather, passed away peacefully at his home on April 13, 2021, in the same room where he was born 87 years before. He was surrounded by his wife, children and grandchildren. A lifelong resident of Norwood and the patriarch of a large and loving family. He is survived by his devoted wife of 32 years, Diane Badger; his children, Paul Badger and his wife Joan of North Attleboro, MA, John Badger and his wife Maria of Norwood, MA, Erika Hession and her husband Tommy of Needham, MA, and Greg Zaff and his wife Sonja of Cambridge, MA. He is also survived by his sisters, Leslie Cardoni and Faith Garvin; as well as over 32 nieces and nephews and their children. He was predeceased by his siblings, Knight, Priscilla, Jenny, Shirley, Charlie, and Allen. He will be greatly missed by his grandchildren, Paul Badger, Stephanie Badger, Jerome Jackson, Cameron Badger, Zachary Badger, Jake Hession, Griffen Hession, and Kristina Zaff. Funeral from the Gillooly Funeral Home, 126 Walpole St., Norwood. A Celebration of Paul's Life took place at the Trinity Community Church, Norwood. Donations may be made in Paul's memory to the

Old Colony Hospice at: <https://www.oldcolonyhospice.org/donation-overview> Gillooly Funeral Home Norwood [GilloolyFuneralHome.com](http://GilloolyFuneralHome.com)

**CAMPO**



Joseph J., 97, of Norwood passed away surrounded by loved ones on April 13, 2021. Born January 30, 1924 to Gregory and Carmella (Venezia) Campo on Clarke Street in the North End of Boston. Joseph lived his life with gratitude, a sense of humor, a hard work ethic and the notion of putting family first. Living through the Great Depression, his focus was on helping his family financially by selling newspapers for the Boston Globe. It is there that he became involved with the Burroughs Foundation, a Boston

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newsboys organization where he learned about conducting city government. Joseph held the position of Mayor of the Burroughs in 1936 affording him the opportunity to travel to other cities and meet with political dignitaries. Through the Burroughs Foundation, he spent most of his summers at Agassiz Village in Poland, Maine—a time he cherished. Joseph was a great storyteller and historian. He would share endless stories of what life was like having been born around the time of the Influenza Epidemic of 1919 and both World Wars. During World War II, Joe contributed to the war effort working in multiple shipyards in the Metro Boston area. He, along with his brother Tony, owned a fruit store on Hanover Street in Boston for many years. He eventually found his career in retail at the Jordan Marsh Company where he worked for 45 years. Joseph is survived by his beloved wife of 68 years, Mildred (Pinelli) Campo; his loving children, Carolyn Campo of Wrentham; Gregory Campo and his wife Cynthia of Wrentham; Lorraine Shamon and her husband Bill; his adored grandchildren, Nicholas Campo

and his wife Maud of Scituate; Christopher Campo of Wrentham; Tyler Campo and Jessica Kaufman of Providence, RI; Stephen Boudrow of Millis; and Joseph Shamon of Atlanta, GA, and his two cherished great-granddaughters. We have been blessed to call him husband, father, and grandfather and he will truly be missed. Services will be held privately through Gillooly Funeral Home, Norwood. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Joseph's honor to Agassiz Village, a non-profit organization that provides opportunities to children in underserved communities in Massachusetts: 185 Dean Street, Norwood, MA 02062 or the Hospice Foundation, either online at [donate@hospicefoundation.org](mailto:donate@hospicefoundation.org) or by mail to Hospice Foundation of America, 1701 L Street NW, Suite 220, Washington, DC 20036. [GilloolyFuneralHome.com](http://GilloolyFuneralHome.com)

Keith Wright of Cumberland, RI. Christopher Mulvehill and his wife Maurissa of Delray Beach, FL. Tyler Mulvehill of Delray Beach, FL and Cameron Mulvehill of Delray Beach, FL. Brian was the son of the late Edmund W. and Vera H. Mulvehill. Brother of Edmund W. Mulvehill Jr. and his wife Christina of Norwood, Christopher T. Mulvehill of Marshfield, the late Susanne M. Pomakis (Mulvehill) and her husband James F. Pomakis of West Roxbury, Patrick J. Mulvehill and his fiancé Deidre of Norwood. Beloved Popi to Jordyn, Kylee, Keith, Ava, Evan and Noah. Uncle Brian to Timothy, Samantha, Jackie, Erin, Matt, Kelly, Keri, Brett, Christopher J., Jack, Taylor, Nicholas, James and May. Great uncle to Matthew Mulvehill. Brian is also survived by many dear cousins, relatives, close friends, colleagues and his beloved dog, Brady. Brian was a well respected businessman who instilled his work ethic into those around him. Brian was all about his family, he enjoyed summer vacations at Cape Cod. He was larger than life and will be sorely missed. Visiting hours will be held on Thursday, April 22, 2021 4-8pm at the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home 1248 Washington St. Norwood, MA. A funeral mass will be held on Friday, April 23, 2021 11am at St. Catherine of Siena Church Norwood, MA. (Mass may be viewed by going to [view mass live at www.stcatherinenorwood.org](http://www.stcatherinenorwood.org)) Burial will follow the funeral mass at Highland Cemetery, Norwood. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in his name to the American Cancer Society [www.cancer.org/about-us/local/massachusetts](http://www.cancer.org/about-us/local/massachusetts) or to the Dana Farber Cancer Institute [www.dana-farber.org](http://www.dana-farber.org) [www.KRAW-KORNACKFUNERALHOMECOM](http://www.KRAW-KORNACKFUNERALHOMECOM) FAMILY OWNED AND OPERATED 781-762-0482.

**MULVEHILL**



Brian A. of Lewisville, Texas passed away unexpectedly on March 31, 2021. Born September 30, 1956. Age 64. Beloved husband of the late Michele "Shelley" J. Mulvehill (Pace). Devoted Father of Brian Mulvehill Jr. and his wife Nicole Mulvehill of Marlborough. Katherine Wright (Mulvehill) and her husband

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**Prayer to the Blessed Virgin**  
*(Never known to fail!)*  
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*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.  
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# Elementary School Capacities *continued from page 4*

tion of the Prescott.

The Prescott, she explained, “is the most overcrowded school.” It currently has 257 students and a 36,000 gross square foot area (GSF).

“The existing programmatic needs are for two to three SPED/ELL rooms to meet the district needs,” Kendell said. “There is also a need for a dedicated art room and a dedicated music room to address the needs of those programs, and not just in an undersized shared space in the open corridor, as it is currently located.”

Four detached modulars would be needed to fill these requirements, she added, if the fifth grade remains there. Two would be for SPED/ELL, one would be an art room and another would serve as a fifth-grade classroom. Even if the fifth grade moves, unlike the other four schools, the Prescott will still need two modular units because of its high population.

The Balch, the oldest elementary school in the district, was

built in 1913. It has an area of 51,800 GSF and had an addition in 1965 which includes the kitchen which serves all of the elementary schools. It currently houses 316 students on three floors.

There is a need for three more SPED/ELL rooms, she explained, as well as a music room. The two rooms currently used for music also double as storage rooms.

“Based on the needs, the Balch would require four modular rooms to be added,” Kendell said. This configuration could potentially create one pod with three classrooms with one SPED room. There are currently 259 students in grades one through four, according to Kendell.

The Callahan is the second-oldest school, built in 1930. It has an attached modular that was added in 1990. It is 333,500 GSF. The current enrollment is 225 students, Kendell said.

There is a current need for a teacher collaboration room as well as one to two SPED/ELL

rooms. Three modular classrooms would need to be added if the fifth grade were to remain there, Kendell said. A potential site would be on the greenspace next to the new playground.

The Cleveland and the Prescott were both built in 1958 as sister schools; however the Cleveland received an addition in 1965 to address population growth in the neighborhood. The Cleveland is 49,000 GSF with 334 students, the largest enrollment of the five schools. The study determined that a music/art room and one or two SPED/ELL rooms are needed. A SPED class could move into the current art room. One potential space for the modular classrooms is on the greenspace at the entrance on Nichols Street.

The Oldham was built in 1962 and currently enrolls 251 students. It has two permanent modulars already added to its spine. The total building is 39,500 GSF. It could use two detached modular rooms for SPED/ELL and a SPED/reading room that could be located toward the back of the site.

“Financial, special and education aspects are all affected by the modulars,” Thibeault said. “There’s a cost to purchase them. They’ll take up space on the site and take up either parking or greenspace, and they are less ideal educational spaces because they are separate, temporary classrooms rather than perma-

nent buildings.”

Alan Slater, who serves on the Middle School Building Committee, said that if the MSBA didn’t think the five-through-eight configuration was an option, they would have recommended a traditional middle school.

“I’m pretty sure that they’re going to rely on the work that’s being done at the ground source level to analyze this,” he said.

Superintendent Dr. David Thomson added that this study shows how rooms are actually being used, not just a square footage per pupil analysis. Also, Norwood focuses on keeping its SPED students in district.

He added that the portable at the Prescott is a used, office-sized one that the district installed itself to save money.

The next three School Committee meetings will focus on different aspects of the middle school decision, according to Chair Teresa Stewart. The next meeting on Wed. April 28 will turn toward the educational impact and the social and emotional needs that fifth-graders will face if they go to middle school. May 12th’s meeting will shift to operational and transportation changes that will need to occur. May 26 will be a synopsis of the pros and cons of a five-through-eight versus a six-through-eight school, as well as the School Committee’s vote.

In other news, the committee

welcomed newly elected member David Hiltz, who was elected on April 5.

“I want to say that you are thrown into the fire when this happens,” he said. “To have the election on Monday and be sworn in in a meeting on Wednesday was fast, but I am looking forward to it. I just want to say that I am humbled by this whole process of democracy in action and being elected and being able to serve Norwood and its residents on this board.”

In addition, social studies teacher Jennifer Orlinski shared the names of the students who participated in Student Government Day on March 31. They included: Abigail Lee, Alexandra Inzodda, Alyssa Lahaise, Anne Joseph, Audrey Haberlin, Brooke Hartman, Camilly Neto, Caroline Bussiere, Catherine Brent, Christopher Gonzalez, Connor Curran, Dayra Maldonado, Deysi Umazor, Djubelka Pierre Louis, Elizabeth Hinkson, Emily Cico, Gabriel Maldonado, Hannah Kiessling, Heather Begg, Jack Brady, Jacob Zhang, Jaelinn Hood, Jake DeShiro, Jessica O’Toole, John Cavanaugh, Joseph Greene, Katie Mills, Kelsey Bishqemi, Kevin Broderick, Laura Maloney, Mackenzie Citrone, Madelyn Barry, Madelyn O’Keefe, Maura Beades, Omar Da’darah, Patrick Brady, Pierre Jecrois, Rusali Rajbhandari, Sam Gauthier, Shannon Quinn and Shishir Pai.

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### O’BRIEN



JOAN E. (Rowen) of Dedham formerly of Norwood passed away April 18, 2021 at the age of 85. Beloved wife of the late Paul F. O’Brien. Devoted mother of Carol A. Kuhn and her husband Christopher of Dedham, Paul F. O’Brien Jr. and his wife Angela of East Weymouth, Stephen J. O’Brien of Palm Springs, CA, John J. O’Brien of Weymouth and Susan L. Lawrie and her husband Edward of Walpole. Sister of Warren Rowen of VT and Geraldine McInnis of Bellingham. Cherished grandmother of Christopher, Teresa, Kristen, Kaleigh, Jack, Sean and Ryan. Great grandmother of Cayden, Kellan, Vivian and Sienna. Daughter of the late Victor and Dorothy (Davis) Rowen. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Joan was a longtime member of St. Timothy’s Church in Norwood, MA. All services will be private. Arrangements by the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, Norwood, MA. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in her name to the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation 6520 N. Andrews Ave Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309-2132 www.msfocus.org/Donate

### SMITH

Angela R. (Maiuri) of 14 Florence Ave., Norwood, MA, born in Malden, MA to her late parents, Louis and Felicia Maiuri, passed away peacefully on April 17, 2021. She is survived by her loving husband Gordon of 64 years. She was a devoted mother to her late son Edward and his wife Susan of Norwood, her son Michael and his wife Diane of Norwood, her son Robert and his wife Janet of Norwood, and her son Daniel and his wife Susan of Foxborough. She was always so happy to be with her grandchildren: James and his wife Alix, Alyssa and her husband Josh, Allison, Lindsey and her husband Joe, Kelly, Alex, Edward, Christopher and his wife Carol, Robert, Daniel, Timothy, Jacquelyn and Rachel. Angela was a loving great-grandmother to Lucy, Lucas and Tess. Sister to the late Mary (Ferraro), Elizabeth (Baird), Americo, Margarita, Jennie (Preston) and Joseph. She had many nieces and nephews. After graduation from Malden High School, she worked in the office of Lipton Tea Co. in Boston for many years. After marriage on September 23, 1956 and moving to Norwood, she spent many years volunteering for St. Catherine of Sienna Church and the Home and School Association. She also volunteered for the Town of Norwood. Her favorite hobbies were gardening and puzzles. Angela will always be remembered for her sense of humor and her generous giving, always willing to help wherever needed, yet never asked for praise, and her “True Love” for her husband, Gordon, and all her family members. The family would like to thank Care Dimensions Hospice for their loving care of Angela. Funeral from the Gillooly Funeral Home. Burial at Highland Cemetery. Gillooly Funeral Home N o r w o o d GilloolyFuneralHome.com

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issue of The Norwood Record), Greeley said the idea currently is to get this trail off the ground and hopefully expand it to land to the east, now currently controlled by the Norwood Light Commission.

“We already have a commitment going in one direction

from the Skating Club (west) and going in the other direction from the Light Department (east) to be able to allow access in both directions,” Greeley said. “This project in front of Town Meeting next month is solely for the University Avenue design, but there

will be basically areas where we could essentially walk off the University Avenue Town property onto Skating Club property, as long as that’s mutually acceptable to both parties. So there will be an opening to allow for that future access.”



## 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.

### 2020 Nissan Titan Pick Up

Nissan has been building trucks for some time and every year they keep upgrading and gaining market share. Our 2020 Titan Pro -4X Crew cab is a great example. The truck is not as truck-y as before.

The body lines flow much better the interior has been restyled not to mention the high quality fabric. As for the 5.6 liter V/8 rated at 400 horse power and a new 9 speed automatic this is the most powerful Titan yet. I was never a fan of the Titan because I thought it was a big hard ride not a lot of power on the road. That was the past. The rock solid 5.6 liter V/8 updated pushing out 400 HP and the big news a 9 speed automatic makes this a power house at any speed or any condition. The interior lay out has also changed including a 9 inch touch screen display that is very clear any easy to navigate. Our last Titan last year was the Platinum Diesel model. The diesel option is N/A anymore. The Titan comes as the base Titan or the XD models both have the same 5.6 liter V/8 and the 9 speed automatic. For those who want a rear drive only the Titan is available. The 2 door model is N/A anymore. There is a crew cab or king cab and short or long bed available. The old days of a hard riding high entry are gone. The Titan is a multi purpose truck that does seat 4 in either configuration. There are multiple safety systems included. The Pro-4X is loaded with equipment including skid plates, locking rear differential, 4 and 7 pin trailer connector, provisions in the bed for a 5th wheel trailer hitch. 8-10 cup holders Sirius radio, steering hub controls, Base price on the Pro-4 starts at \$45,410.00 destination \$1395.00. The Titan rides and handles like a smaller truck Drivers seat has multiple electronic adjustments and passenger side has manual adjustment. There is room for 4 adults. Option equipment on our Titan was the largest sunroof I have ever seen on a pick up, it was a dual panel panorama roof, and both driver and passenger had heated and ventilated seats a part of the premium package. There is no question that Nissan is building strong trucks and is still building small and mid size cars right here in America.

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, April 12**

0607 Phone- Disturbance Services Rendered Location/Address: Norwood Healthcare - Washington St Staff requesting assistance with patient causing a disturbance. Verbal disagreement over medication, nothing physical. parties spoken to, units clear.

1146 Phone - Assist Citizen \*Report Filed Location/Address: Richland Rd Caller seeking advice on a family issue. Units spoke to all involved and male was picked up by an Uber.

1209 Phone - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Respite House - Beacon Ave Party was advised on a past issue.

1323 Phone - Larceny \*Report Filed Location/Address: Hampden Dr Larceny of package.

1636 Initiated - Assist Citizen \*Report Filed Location/Address: Boston Mechanics - Washington St Seeking advice regarding issues with landlord.

1937 911 - Drunk Driver \*Arrest(S)Made Location/Address: Norwood Airport Inc - Access Rd Report of a white sedan operating erratically. As a result, N678 placed that operator under arrest. N666 transported him to the station. Negoshian's towed MA PC RAS2. Refer To Arrest: 21-89-AR Arrest: Grof, David James Address: 6 Hatters Hill Rd Medfield, Ma Age: 40 Charges: Oui-Liquor Or .08% Negligent Operation Of Motor Vehicle

2014 Phone - Well Being Chk Gone On Arrival Location/Address: First Congregational Church - Winter St Pastor reports a male party has rung the door bell three times and is concerned for him.

2032 Phone - Animal Complaint Services Rendered Location/Address: Neponset St Caller reports black and white pit bull walking down the street. Owner located at this residence and brought the dog inside.

**Tuesday, April 13**

0049 Phone - Well Being Chk Services Rendered Location/Address: Mayflower Rd Caller reports she is at this address and hears loud banging in her home. Officers report no one home. 911 map shows address of Kathleen Ln, checked this address and no one by the name. Party located at Charlwell House, she was confused and staff will continue to check on her.

0235 Phone - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Chapel St Caller requesting to speak to an officer about his ex-wife and daughter not answering his calls. N661 spoke with him,

0405 Phone - Death \*Report Filed Location/Address: Nahatan St Unresponsive male. NFD notified and responded. BCI, State Police, CPAC, ME notified and responded.

0531 Phone - Death \*Report Filed

Location/Address: Spruce Rd Caller reports husband is unresponsive. NFD notified and responded. BCI responded.

1114 Phone - Well Being Chk Services Rendered Location/Address: Endicott St Caller requests wellness check on his elderly mother. Units spoke with her, all is well.

1153 Phone - Unwanted Party \*Report Filed Location/Address: Stop & Shop - Bos-Prov Hwy Report around 0830 Hrs, after being asked for I.D. for cigarette purchase, customer threw a barrel around the store. Irate customer created a disturbance after denied purchasing cigarettes w/o an ID. Surveillance video is being prepared to ID individual. OF taken to further investigate.

1236 Phone - Threats Spoken To Location/Address: Upland Woods Cir Female reports past threats.

1240 Walk-In - Threats \*Report Filed Location/Address: Carnegie Row Party reports past threats.

1241 Phone - Susp Activity Spoken To Location/Address: Starbucks Coffee Co. - Bos-Prov Hwy Walk in party reports that a vehicle was following him since he left Hanson, MA. When he stopped at this business, no one approached him or said anything to him. 1344- he calls back to report he is home in Stoughton and the same car is down the street. Informed to call Stoughton PD.

1505 911 - Animal Complaint Naco/Waco Notified Location/Address: Norton Dr Report raccoon in attic.

1617 Phone - Noise Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Doherty Field - Brewster Dr Caller reports juveniles playing loud music from their vehicles. Parties turned the volume down.

1932 Phone - Assist Citizen \*Report Filed Location/Address: Weld Ave Parties damaged a neighbor's vehicle while throwing items into a dumpster.

2102 911 - Susp Activity Spoken To Location/Address: Upland Woods Cir Caller reports someone knocking at her door but no one is visible. Officers determined that was a meal delivery service.

2111 Phone - Animal Complaint Naco/Waco Notified Location/Address: Balch School Acct# 1379d - Washington St Caller reports cat appears injured in roadway. N661 reports cat moved from roadway and left the area. NACO notified and responded.

2243 Phone - Noise Complaint Services Rendered Location/Address: West St Caller reports upstairs neighbors are being loud and stomping their feet. Officers spoke with them, young children playing. Both parties advised.

2309 Phone - Neighbor Disturbance Services Rendered Location/Address: Wilson St Landlord reports

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tenants moved her belongings off the porch. Ongoing issue, landlord advised of options.

**Wednesday, April 14**

0915 Phone - Larceny \*Report Filed Location/Address: Stash's Pizza - Dean St Report 2 H/M's in NJ 990176R, plate does not match description of white construction van took cooking grease. BOLO to cars, South District, S.P. Foxboro.

1020 Other - Assist Other Agency \*Report Filed Location/Address: Jefferson Dr Sex Offender reg violation, BPD notified.

1102 Walk-In - Assist Citizen Taken/Referred To Other Agency Location/Address: Brookview Cir Resident in lobby reports daughter has filed a report with Braintree Police and she does not know why. N669 referred resident to Braintree to get police report to see the details. Also informed her that as of now the daughter did not get an H.P.O. Resident did not want an H.P.O. of her own as she stated nothing is threatening and also did not want to report on things the daughter has been doing at this time.

1313 Phone - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Wilson St Officer kept the peace for a property issue.

1454 Phone - Assist Citizen Taken/Referred To Other Agency Location/Address: Everett St + University Ave Amazon subcontractor trying to set-up deliveries to the facility reports there is a weight limit sign which limits trucks on this section of road. N669 reports the sign is there. Subcontractor will speak to Town, Safety Officer etc. to see why that sign is there as TT units, U.P.S., and old liquor warehouse use the road daily.

1510 Phone - Report Of Fire Police & Fire Notified/Respond Location/Address: Winslow Ave Echoing phone with neither the child or adult speaking into the mouth piece, kept repeating smoke from outside the home. NFD and N674 sent. NFD handled a mulch fire.

1540 Phone - Assist Citizen Services Rendered Location/Address: Walnut Ave Resident reports she is not home and neighbor called and stated N.A.C.O. was at her home. N.A.C.O. reports just dropping off paperwork related to the result of a hearing. Caller notified.

1626 Phone - Mischief (Kids) Spoken To Location/Address: Washington St + Chapel St Group of juveniles on bicycles riding in traffic. Parties spoken to, advised.

1715 Initiated - Citizens Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Coolidge Rd Complaint of trash/food dumping in woods. Neighborhood advised.

2039 Phone - Soliciting Spoken To Location/Address: CVS Pharmacy - Nahatan St Party asking patrons for money and following them. Party was advised and is leaving.

**Thursday, April 15**

0123 Initiated - Susp Person Spoken To Location/Address: Norwood Central Station Building - Broadway St Party checked OK, moved along.

**Friday, April 16**

0208 911 - Susp Activity Area Search Negative Location/Address: Fales Ave Caller reports someone ringing her doorbell. N666 and N667 responded. Spoke to calling party, satisfied.

0920 Walk-In - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Lancaster Ln Female was advised on a past verbal argument with her son with regards to the Covid 19 vaccine.

1118 Phone - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Certainteed - Pleasant St Caller reports trucks blocking entrance to his business, Automile Services. Ongoing issue, N677 spoke to all parties involved.

1429 Phone - Fraud \*Report Filed Location/Address: Everett Ave Attempt to purchase Bruins tickets online and she has been charged but has not received the tickets.

1436 Other - Assist Citizen Spoken To Location/Address: Prescott School (Acct# 1383d) - Richland Rd Advise to school officials after students were acting out today after a verbal dispute.

1701 Phone - Susp Activity \*Report Filed Location/Address: Vernon St Male suspect in MA 3DVB49 showed a firearm during a road dispute. Call is 20 minutes old. BOLO Bapern Central & S District. Stop and hold along with Officer safety.

2309 Phone - Susp Activity Area Search Negative Location/Address: North Ave Caller reports what sounded like multiple shots in the area. Officers check Norwest, Vernon ST, FM, Savage Center. Caller advised.

**Saturday, April 17**

0819 911 - Disturbance Area Search Negative Location/Address: Upland Rd Male states his UBER driver is not responding to him, unknown if that meant he is in the car and unresponsive or just not answering him on the phone, caller hung up. N664 sent to where 9-1-1 Map placed phone which is 6 meters from mile marker 24.8. N664 reports no one flagged down officer, multiple areas checked-no cars pulled over in area.

1039 Other - Assist Other Agency Area Search Negative Location/Address: Wilson St Foxboro BOLO for A&B domestic and Section 12 subject. MA PC 6YK469,PL218, Veteran F871.

1411 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Hill

St Anonymous call line reports yelling inside the house. Two family and both checked. No issues and no idea where the call came from.

1510 Phone - Drunk Driver \*Arrest(S)Made Location/Address: Pendergast Circle - Nahatan St N671 reports what appears to be minor crash. N668 responds with a PBT. As result one under for OUI. Negoshians tows. Refer To Arrest: 21-92-AR Arrest: Fedorchuk, Michael Address: 40 Nahatan St Apt. #20 Norwood, Ma Age: 60 Charges: Oui-Liquor Or .08% Negligent Operation Of Motor Vehicle License Suspended, Op Mv With 2004 911 - Unwanted Party \*Report Filed Location/Address: Pampered To Perfection - Dean St Caller reports her husband is causing a disturbance in the house.

2050 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Guild St Caller would like a well being check on her friend that has not answered her calls. N663 spoke to that party he reports he was not feeling well, but is ok.

2223 911 - Animal Complaint Naco/Waco Notified Location/Address: Bahama Dr Caller reports she has some raccoons on her porch. NACO was called but no answer and mailbox was full.

**Sunday, April 18**

1050 Phone - Malicious Damage \*Report Filed Location/Address: Pleasant St Caller reports finding damage to her MV.

1135 Phone - Citizens Complaint Services Rendered Location/Address: Bahama Dr + Neponset St Female concerned over a man working on a fence across from her apartment complex. Party checks out.

1314 911 - Well Being Chk Services Rendered Location/Address: Highview St Request check of daughter, phone off. N663 reports no answer at door, interior search-not home, caller will wait on filing missing person.

1402 Phone - Animal Complaint NACO/WACO notified Location/Address: Bahama Dr Report raccoon had babies on her deck chair.

1614 Phone - Susp Activity Services Rendered Location/Address: Engamore Ln Caller reports an elderly neighbor that may have mental health issues. Units spoke with her and she appeared fine. She told officers she has an upcoming doctor's appointment.

1723 Phone - Noise Complaint Spoken To Location/Address: Tremont St Loud music. 1812 Phone - Malicious Damage \*Report Filed Location/Address: Dominos Pizza - Washington St Vandalism to dumpster.

2100 Phone - Susp Activity Services Rendered Location/Address: Wilson St Caller reports teenagers came into her house and took her phone. Officers spoke with her, no sign of anyone inside and everything appears in order. Neighbors did not see anything, ongoing issue with resident.

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**NORWOOD CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
LEGAL NOTICE**

The Norwood Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing under M.G.L. Ch. 131, Sec. 40, The Wetlands Protection Act and Norwood Bylaw XXV, including any amendments thereto on Wednesday, May 5th, 2021 at 7:30 pm. The meeting will be conducted digitally using GoToMeeting. Public Participation may be accessed through your computer, tablet or smartphone <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/243297997>. You can also dial in using your phone, United States: +1 (669) 224-3412, Access Code: 243-297-997

The Commission will hear a Notice of Intent under the Norwood Wetlands Bylaw from Joe Onorato of Water & Wetland, representing the Willett Pond Charitable and Protection Association, Inc. The proposed work is management of nuisance aquatic vegetation in Willett Pond. The work has already received an extension to the Order of Conditions under the Wetlands Protection Act.

Project Location: Willett Pond, Norwood and Walpole  
Holly Jones  
Conservation Planner

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The Thrift Shop, located at 1091 Washington Street, Norwood, is REOPENING!

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The Thrift Shop will be OPEN for RETAIL hours every Saturday in May 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th. The Thrift Shop, operated by the Women's Community Committee (WCC), is a non-profit, all volunteer organization. Donations of clean, saleable clothing and small household goods are accepted during retail hours and beginning in May, on Monday and Wednesday 9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m. The stated goal of the WCC is to extend a helping hand. All proceeds from the Thrift Shop are used to support local charities and civic groups.

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**NORWOOD TO PARTICIPATE IN CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM**

General Manager Tony Mazzucco is pleased to announce that the Town of Norwood will participate in the MassDevelopment Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) Program.

On Tuesday, April 6, the Board of Selectmen unanimously voted to

participate in the PACE Program. The program is administered by MassDevelopment and the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources. It allows participating municipalities to finance energy improvements on commercial and industrial properties in the town.

"I am thrilled to see positive changes like this happening in our town," said Selectman David Hajjar. "We hope to see many benefits, such as job creation and business growth, as a result of this program while we simultaneously help the environment and work to reduce our energy use."

To finance energy improvements, a property owner agrees

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"We are looking forward to

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participating in this innovative program," said General Manager Mazzucco. "I would like to give special thanks to the town's Management Analyst Joe Collins for his hard work in driving this initiative forward over the past few months."

To be approved for PACE Massachusetts financing, interested property owners must complete and submit a project application. Click here for more information.

Norwood joins 40 Massachusetts municipalities that have opted into the program as of March.

## NORWOOD EVENING GARDEN CLUB TO HOLD ANNUAL PLANT SALE

The Norwood Evening Garden announce that it will once again hold its annual Plant Sale on Saturday, May 8 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at Hawes Pool Park, 1269 Washington Street in

South Norwood, rain or shine.

Laura Lee, co-chair of the event said, "We're really excited we can proceed with the sale again this year. Last year was the first time we've ever had to cancel since its inception, because of Covid-19. We will all be wearing our masks – as everyone who visits the sale must – but we'll be wearing big smiles under them."

Held the day before Mother's Day, the yearly sale is an excellent opportunity to purchase a gift for Mom as well as plants for your own garden. As in past years, perennials from member gardens will be offered at reasonable prices. A large variety of locally grown herbs, organic vegetables, and annuals – including geraniums, hanging baskets and patio pots – will be offered. Canna roots and dahlia tubers will also be available. Mastercard and Visa are accepted.

Pre-orders are being accepted until April 30. For a list of what's available or to download an order form, go to [www.NorwoodEveningGardenClub.com](http://www.NorwoodEveningGardenClub.com).

Bring your questions to the sale, too. Many club members are also Massachusetts Master Gardeners who will be happy to answer your gardening questions.

Proceeds from the Plant Sale are used for the club's many civic beautification and education projects throughout Norwood. For information about the Norwood Evening Garden Club, call 781-769-3854 or visit [www.NorwoodEveningGardenClub.com](http://www.NorwoodEveningGardenClub.com)

## NORWOOD 150 STEERING COMMITTEE ANNOUNCES POTENTIAL FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

The Norwood 150 Steering Committee is meeting monthly to plan a year-long series of events to celebrate Norwood's 150th birthday. We are currently accepting requests for possible grants or funding assistance. If your organization or community group is planning a related celebration and would like to submit a proposal, please submit your proposal in writing (be as specific as possible, including contact information, funding amount requested, and a description of your event and how it fits with the Norwood 150 celebration) to the Norwood 150th Steering Committee at the following email address: [chris@norwoodma150.gov](mailto:chris@norwoodma150.gov). Proposals may also be submitted electronically on our website, <https://norwoodma150.gov/grant-application>. Proposals will be accepted until June 17th, 2021. The Steering Committee will review proposals as they are submitted and those selected will be contacted.

## NATIVE PLANTING PROTECTS ECOSYSTEMS: SOIL, PLANTS, WILDLIFE, AND PEOPLE THRIVE TOGETHER

Celebrate Earth Day and prepare for spring planting activities with a fun, educational program from TogetherYes and Progress Norwood, hosted by the Morrill Memorial Library and broadcast in real-time by Norwood Community Media. Kristen Nicholson, of the women-owned business Blue Stem Natives in Southeast MA,

will join us via Zoom on Thursday, April 22 at 7:00 pm. Kristen will discuss the reasons for growing native plants, such as to preserve and improve our ecosystem, protect our wildlife, decorate our yards, and feed ourselves. Join us for this uplifting talk on how to plant without bringing an end to the native Northeastern plants. How can we avoid creating a sterile environment, while ensuring that the creatures and plants necessary for the health of our region thrive? There will be plenty of time for questions and discussion at the end of this latest installment in the Spring Sustainability Series.

To register for this Zoom program, please visit the library's events calendar at [norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar](http://norwoodlibrary.org/morrillcalendar) or call the library at 781-769-0200 x2. For channel information about the simultaneous broadcast, please tune in to Norwood Community Media.

## NORWOOD TOASTMASTERS CAN IMPROVE YOUR COMMUNICATION SKILLS

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