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The second annual Run for a Vet 5-mile road race was held in Norwood over the weekend, drawing 212 participants from around the area. A benefit for New England Center for Homeless Veterans, the event was held in memory of Lance Corporal Alexander Arredondo, a Norwood resident who was killed in action in Iraq in 2004. The race, first organized by Norwood Police officer and veteran Diego Silva, was won this year by Jay McMahon of Swansea. More photos from the event are online at norwoodrecord.com

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Town Meeting agrees to fund school study

Sam Nickerson
Staff Reporter

Town Meeting approved several bills on May 12 to bolster Norwood Public Schools' financial position in the short and long term.

First, it approved moving \$150,000 in surplus funds from the Fiscal Year 2016 Group Insurance account to fund a long-range building study of the Department's nine major school buildings. This request was initially made during the fall 2015 Special Town Meeting, but was deferred at the time.

No such study has been done since 2001, and both Town and School officials felt such a study - which would look at the buildings from an engineering and structural point of view, as well as looking at capacity and enrollment projections - was warranted to adequately be able to meet the needs of Norwood students over the next 15 years.

The study would consider "deferred maintenance, renovations, capital projects," building enhancements or closings, and the feasibility of building new school buildings.

Currently, the district has eight buildings that are between 42-103 years old, with the Balch School - with a population of 290 students - being the oldest. The High School is only five years old.

While most of the funding would be from surplus group insurance - as a result of public employees opting for different health plans in the last year - the rest would be drawn from

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ZBA approves scaled back project at 60 Lenox

Amanda Webster
Staff Reporter

The Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) approved an application to turn 60 Lenox Street into a 18-unit town home development on May 17.

Tuesday's meeting was a continuance of the original hearing held on May 3rd, where the proposal to raze the former Concannon's Village was introduced to the ZBA by KAM Construction Management. The application sought a variance because the 18 units in the commercial plot would be four

more units than allowed, according to zoning laws.

The board also granted relief from the zoning laws that require a front yard setback when bordering a residential-zoned parcel, because the residential-zoned land will be part of the same project.

During the meeting held on May 3rd, a few concerns were raised by ZBA members and neighboring residents which led the applicant, John Marini, to submit a newly revised site plan to the ZBA on Tuesday after taking time to meet with neighbors and

discuss their concerns.

Instead of the originally proposed 20-unit town home, Marini agreed to scale back to 18 units, curbing the concern that too many additional units would cause traffic and potentially "ruin the neighborhood".

"I think it's wonderful that Mr. Marini has worked with the neighbors and they're very happy now and actually it looks better," said ZBA member Barbara Kinter of the new project

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The complete bid package may be obtained in the Purchasing Department during regular business hours. Documents can also be received electronically by registering and downloading at <https://bids.norwoodma.gov>.

The bid must be filled out and signed as directed herein, sealed in an opaque envelope addressed to the General Manager, endorsed with the name and address of the bidder, and marked, "BROADBAND INSTALLATION SERVICES, CONTRACT NLD-16-06".

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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.

BY: John J. Carroll, General Manager

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small surpluses in certain School Department accounts.

"I see this as something that could be really good for our community," Finance Commission chair Joseph Greeley said.

Finance Commissioner Alan Slater said the study would be two-fold: it would examine the physical condition of the school system and also look at what should be done in the future.

He also said that any proposals resulting from the study would require the blessing of the School Department and likely the rest of the Town when it comes to funding. A Request for Proposals Committee would be made up of Town and School officials, and would be tasked with setting the scope of the study and "asking the appropriate questions," but not dictating its overall direction.

District 2 member Sarah Quinn asked why a teacher was not on the RFP committee, because he/she might offer insight into what they want their workplace to look like going forward, and what current conditions are.

Superintendent of Schools James Hayden said the committee would just be responsible for putting together the request for proposals, that the staff was very busy this time

of year, and that any decision-making after the consultant has been chosen and the study is done would certainly involve many levels of the School and Town community.

"The educators will be involved once the report is finished," he said.

Finance Commissioner Anne Haley also noted that the committee could call for a Town Meeting member, who very well could also be a teacher.

District 8 member Dennis Mawn moved for indefinite postponement of the article - which Moderator David Hern, Jr. said was "the same as a no" - because the public employee committee was currently in negotiations over healthcare. He said the group represents union and non-union public employees, and has struggled to receive information about surpluses from the Town for years.

Mawn clarified he was not opposed to "the substance of the article. It's the funding."

"We don't believe that the funding should be spent while there are open negotiations," he said.

In contrast, District 1 member and Willett School teacher Colleen Reynolds, who said her health care "costs are also going up because of the GIC changes,"

was opposed to postponing the study.

"To Mr. Mawn's motion for indefinite postponement ... I would say no thank you please," Reynolds said. "We desperately need this study. We need some changes in the buildings...There's a definite need in Norwood to look at our schools."

When some members asked about whether the \$150,000 would be enough to accomplish the full study, Hayden said the previous study cost the town \$80,000 and Westwood recently completed a similar study to the tune of \$120,000.

Mawn's indefinite postponement motion was voted down and the body approved the article.

Town Meeting also approved using Group Insurance Surplus funds in the amount of \$300,000 in the current year's School Budget. This would allow the School Committee, per state law, to prepay certain special education expenses, and then be able to balance its budget target set by the Budget Balancing Committee.

Mawn expressed similar reasoning for opposing the motion, saying the funding source was "suspect," but his indefinite postponement motion was voted down.



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Selectmen receive 40B update, roadway matters discussed

Sam Nickerson
Staff Reporter

On May 17, The Board of Selectmen received correspondence from the Department of Community Housing and Development (DHCD) saying that it did not accept the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA)'s denial of a Comprehensive Permit to AvalonBay's 40B project.

Selectman Bill Plasko said that Town Counsel had recently told a joint meeting of the Selectmen and ZBA that this response was anticipated. According to Plasko, the Town submitted "basically the same" reasoning for the denial of both the Forbes Hill and AvalonBay 40B projects intentionally, as part of the legal strategy. This was done because of the "closeness" of both issues, as Forbes Hill is before the Housing Appeals Committee and AvalonBay is before DHCD.

Plasko said another joint meeting would be held soon, so that Town Counsel could explain the next steps. Plasko said Town Counsel has submitted its legal brief to the Housing Appeals Committee regarding Forbes Hill and expect it will take at least three months before a final decision is rendered.

Anna Murphy of Juniper Drive requested that the temporary traffic lights that were installed at Access Road and Neponset Street for the Fire Department be activated again.

Town Manager John Carroll said concerns regarding the intersection have been going on for years, especially in terms of taking a left from Access Road onto Neponset Street or the other way around.

Carroll said that traffic consultants VHB in 2013 did not find the intersection to have an accident problem. They also said at the time that constructing permanent traffic signals at the intersection

would cost around \$250,000-\$350,000 and would cause "queuing" of traffic on Neponset Street.

Several years ago, the Town, on VHB's suggestion, added an additional lane exclusively for right turns onto Neponset Street from Access Road. Carroll said it "seems to have worked well."

Carroll recommended against moving forward with putting a full traffic signal at the intersection.

"You could do it, but it's not warranted," he said.

Board also decided not to hold a hearing regarding a request to make lower Rock Street a dead end road.

The request came from resident Kevin Pentowski, who had initially put an article on the Special Town Meeting warrant to the same effect, but was unaware of the proper course of action for such a request at the time. As such, Pentowski made no motion on his article on the Town Meeting floor and no action was taken.

Carroll said that Assistant Town Engineer Andy Murphy had put together a packet of information detailing the situation. According to this information, "lower" Rock Street at where the former Plimpton Press site divides Lenox Street was abandoned - along with the divided part of Lenox Street - January 28, 1961 by Town Meeting.

"It doesn't exist anymore, Rock Street," Carroll said. According to Carroll, the only way the road could be extended would be to subdivide the current property and get Planning Board Approval. Recently, Town officials said it would be highly unlikely that the roadway would ever be opened and extended, even if the former Plimpton Press were to be redeveloped.

"Rock Street does not exist beyond where the roadway currently dead ends," Selectman Chair Allan Howard said, reading from Murphy's report. "The street currently

is a dead end street."

Selectmen voted to forward the information to Pentowski, with a note that no hearing will be held.

The Selectmen voted 4-1 to allow Norwood Hospital to hang a 7-foot by 50-foot banner commemorating recognition by Blue Cross Blue Shield on the Washington Street side of its Draper Building for six months.

According to Norwood by-laws, the Selectmen were allowed to dictate a reasonable timeframe for the temporary sign, as long as it was above or across a public way. Select-

man Paul Bishop read information from Town Counsel, written in 2014, to this effect, which also said the hospital's driveway was considered a public way.

Selectman Helen Abdallah Donohue was the opposition vote, noting that the Town had had issues with Norwood Hospital keeping temporary signs up for too long in the past, and doubted that it was above or across an appropriate way.

"This sign is an advertisement for the hospital," Donohue said. "It's not across the way, it's against (the

building)."

Donohue said residents walking in the area would have to see a large advertisement hanging from the side of the building for as long as the banner was allowed up.

"It's just not fair to all the other sign holders in the Town of Norwood...every other sign holder and every other building has to comply with the sign code," she said.



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OPINION

Truly a Seinfeld episode...

Was this writer the only one sitting in television land on Monday evening watching Town Meeting wondering when a dissident was going to jump up and shout, "Never mind where the money is going to come from or how it is recorded, public monies should NOT be spent on Christmas lighting!?" At least it would have made the discussion more interesting.

Is it little wonder why attendance to these meetings is so low when literally hundreds of minutes are spent on figuring out what account the \$7,500 for additional holiday lighting proposed by esteemed TM member Judith Howard should come from when, in reality, whatever decision they made the money would eventually be coming out of free cash anyway, which is where Ms. Howard suggested to begin with? The technocrats of TM were in their glory, while the rest of the members sat there wondering what the score of the Red Sox game was (at least something was working in their favor, the game was rained out).

And Town Moderator David Hern is always letting Town Counsel Flynn off the hook by asking him a question by providing him said question in the form of an answer, kind of like the show Jeopardy. "Well, Attorney Flynn, is it likely that should the sun rise tomorrow morning at the predicted hour the skies will brighten and temperatures will rise?", to which Attorney Flynn, after horrifyingly realizing he has no choice but to stand up and approach the microphone, astutely replies, "Why yes, Mr. Moderator, your assessment would be correct", which loosely translated means 'I have no idea what you're talking about, but since you seem to know a heck of a lot more about this than I do, yeah yeah, whatever you say.' Just once wouldn't it be great if Moderator Hern simply asked Town Counsel what his thoughts on the subject at hand were without having to put said thoughts in his mouth beforehand? Now, that would be must see TV!

And when TM member Jerri Slater had the utter audacity to ask why the postage and printing line item for Town Meeting documents went up by \$3k when TM members were able to receive the materials online with the very intent of saving money, Moderator Hern, thinking an answer would be issued forthwith said (and yes, I'm paraphrasing), "I don't know the answer to that, but I'm sure someone up here does...Okay, who wants to handle this one? Anyone...Hello..." If only he put Town Counsel Flynn on the spot..."Why yes, Mr. Moderator, what you said is correct...err...the skies will brighten tomorrow should the sun come up and, oh yeah, you can build the rink at the Coakley..."

And who is worrying about me? I mean I have to pay someone to sit through all of these meetings and record everything said and voted on. Is anyone going to reimburse me for begrudgingly paying slave wages to a dedicated employee who is looking for the first opportunity to hightail it to a real newspaper? Anyone? Excuse me, Town Counsel, is it true no one out there cares whether the newspaper makes any money or whether I live or die? "Uh, that would be correct, Mr. columnist...no one gives a crap about you or your crummy newspaper..."

So, this week's issue, on Page 7, reads like a Seinfeld episode...30 inches about nothing. Thirty inches dedicated to explaining to the vast majority of TM members who bothered to show up how they can never get the two hours of their lives back listening to a few members go on and on and on about the "right way" to secure the few measly bucks needed to brighten the evening skies of South Norwood during the holiday season. Any thoughts, Town Counsel? "Why yes, Mr. Moderator, thank you for asking. What you said is correct...now where do I send my bill".

Have fun on Thursday...

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Letters to the Editor

NOT LOOKING TO HURT ANYONE

To The Editor:

There is confusion over my argument (Letter to Editor, April 28, "Another Opinion on the Christmas Break." I don't want to "take away Christmas" or anyone's joy. My argument is whether or not First Amendment rights are violated when religious opinions/expressions/practices are forcibly subsidized and promoted by the government. This already has juridical precedence (Dover vs. Kitzmiller, Lemon vs. Kurtzman, McCreary County vs. ACLU) and anyone is free to look into these cases. These cases were not won on "technicalities," nor by the Courts' fear of appearing "politically incorrect." They were victorious because they were able to demonstrate that the "will of the people" is sometimes nothing more than an attempt to violate the conditions of a secular government and the rights of those who might oppose.

Stephen Okawa
Norwood

THIS SENIOR SAYS NO TO CPA

To The Editor:

Since I have reached that strange hallmark of being an official Senior Citizen, I find myself engaged in more green-type activities-recycling, installing LED light bulbs, and other green endeavors come easily now that there is more free time. Being 65-plus years of age has increased my green virtue.

Despite this, I cannot support the CPA effort. If Boston is successful in its campaign to become a CPA community, what will the reimbursement rate become? Ten percent, I am sure. Green virtue is easier now and so is sympathetic concern for my fellow senior citizens. I've witnessed the trauma of too many people (including senior citizens) as financial woes overtook them. Prayer comes easier to me now, in my senior years, and most of this prayer centers on these economically suffering seniors. Wisdom comes to me easier in my senior years, and one thing I understand with age's clarity, is that each of us matters so much. I comprehend too well, from my time as a caregiver, that life transforms us in different ways.

The last and hardest transformation is the vulnerable finality of the senior years. Care about yourself and all of the beloved ones we lavish our resources on, and say no to the CPA! Be green and virtuous in your moments of daily living. As time unfailingly passes, commendable green behavior is effortless.

Christine M. Egan
Norwood

LEST ANYONE TAKE HER SERIOUSLY...

To The Editor:

I am a fan of Jackie Saber's comedy writing. I always enjoy her satiric columns where, in the style of the old Stephen Colbert show, she takes the silliness of the right wing paranoid style to its embarrassing and silly extreme. I particularly enjoy the trick where she starts off a column writing about nice small town stuff and then gradually slides into crazy talk.

However, in the unlikely event that anyone might think her column is serious, I thought it was important to point out the phony quote in her last column. Thomas Jefferson did not say "A government big enough to give you everything you want, is then strong enough to take everything you have." A 10-second Google search shows that this phony Jefferson quote has been making the rounds of right wing blogs for years, despite being continually debunked.

I hate to spoil Ms. Saber's fun. I am sure she knows it is a phony quote. After all, no responsible columnist would use a quote like that without verifying it.

Mike Reilly
Norwood

LOOK BELOW SURFACE OF CPA PROPOSAL

To the Editor:

On the surface, the Community Preservation Act (CPA) seems like it would be very helpful to a town like Norwood. However, the CPA as written is extremely flawed, and as a result I cannot support Norwood considering it.

The biggest flaw is that the Commonwealth only funds a small portion of the CPA, and that for a municipality to be able to use CPA funds it must agree to impose a surcharge on property taxes, with funds generated from such surcharges being the major source of CPA funds for a municipality.

While the CPA at first had a substantial match in state funds, that amount has gone down. And should Boston voters approve the CPA in this November's election, the state match that all communities participating in the CPA (including Norwood if it adopts the CPA) would receive from Beacon Hill will be substantially reduced.

And I'm not even sure who in Norwood would decide what projects get the CPA money, or if the Selectmen, Town Meeting members, or voters would even get a say in that process. Norwood should not adopt the CPA at this time, and instead join in urging the state government to amend and fully fund the CPA so that municipalities would not have to individually adopt the act nor to impose property tax surcharges to get access to CPA funds. There could be a process where a state board would dispense state funds for CPA-type projects, subject to the approval of (in a town with a government like Norwood's) either Selectmen, Town Meeting members, voters, or any combination of the above.

Joseph Gallant
Norwood

Little action on Pentowski articles Water pipe funding denied

Sam Nickerson

Staff Reporter

District 7 Town Meeting member Kevin Pentowski initially went into Town Meeting with five articles on the Special Town Meeting Warrant, but ended up withdrawing four out of five. That didn't seem to stop discussion of the matters, however.

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Pentowski's articles included one to change Lower Rock Street's status to a dead end, to change the zoning of 36 Plimpton Ave. to residential, to rescind the creation of a 40R Smart Growth Overlay District at the Regal Press site on Lenox Street, to hold public input session at all elected board meetings, and to have the Public Works Department (DPW) assist homeowners with replacing cast iron and lead water pipes in older homes.

These articles reached the Town Meeting warrant when Pentowski received enough signatures on a petition.

Ahead of the May 12 Town Meeting date, Pentowski opted

to make no motion on the first four articles. He had attended motions meetings and worked with Town officials to determine that they might not have been appropriate for the Town Meeting floor. Pentowski commended Town officials for their helping him understand the problems with his articles the way they were presented.

For instance, lower Rock Street is already a dead end and officials have said they have no intention of opening it. During the article regarding 36 Plimpton Ave., it became clear that the property is already zoned for resi-

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dential use and there were questions for whether Town Meeting could legally vote on motions regarding its zoning, especially without it working through proper channels, including other boards such as the Planning and Zoning Boards.

Still, Jeanne Taylor of District 1 motioned for indefinite postponement on the 36 Plimpton Article, which would mean Town Meeting could not revisit the concept for at least two years. She said the property was zoned as residential in 1990, was currently used for residential purposes and that Pentowski had not contacted the owner of the property, or let the process go before public hearings at the appropriate boards.

"It would effectively kill the matter for two years," moderator David Hern, Jr. said.

Pentowski said he had rushed the preparation of the articles and did not want to act on them as they were written, but spoke against the indefinite postponement, saying the issues themselves were still important.

The motion for indefinite postponement did not pass.

Pentowski did, however, urge that \$200,000 be taken from the tax levy to allow the Town to assist homeowners replace cast iron and lead pipes to their homes. Pentowski said "every penny (would be) well-worth the cost and inconvenience."

Pentowski said he works in the water treatment industry and spoke highly of the MWRA water that serves Norwood. He said he supported prior DPW efforts



District 7 Town Meeting Member Kevin Pentowski addresses the Town Meeting Body during the second night of the Special Town Meeting, May 12. Pentowski took no action on four of his five articles, and his fifth did not pass.

PHOTO BY SAM NICKERSON

to help homeowners replace old piping, but said it was important to do this again, because there was "no telling when these pipes could fail."

"The Town should help us with this terrible problem as it once was," Pentowski said.

Pentowski said it would cost residents \$4,000-\$5,000 for a contractor to replace the pipes, which is why he suggested the \$200,000, enough to do 66 homes.

Chuck Burgess of District 4 spoke in favor of the motion as well, citing his own experience with cast iron piping and rust build ups that have resulted in his own personal "water crisis" at his 1935 home.

Town Accountant Tom

McQuaid said it was not appropriate to use Tax Levy money because this year's levy had already been fully used and the year had not ended yet, so no fiscal 2017 money was available.

Town Manager John Carroll said there was no lead in the MWRA water and that surveys showed only 10 more homes had lead piping, and had not opted to participate in programs to have the Town replace them.

Selectman Bill Plasko said that while the Town pays to replace its pipes, but servicing residential pipes would put a burden on the DPW and that it would mean the Town would have to hire more help or contractors.

Pentowski's motion failed by a voice vote.

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—J.R.G.

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—M.P., W.P.



The Norwood Police Department held its first annual awards ceremony on May 11 at Norwood Theatre. Officers past and present were honored for their police and military service during the private ceremony.

COURTESY PHOTO

NPD honors their own

Sam Nickerson
Staff Reporter

The Norwood Police Department began a tradition of recognizing the service of its own members this month, as it held the first annual Norwood Police Awards Ceremony on May 11.

“The idea was brought forth by Lt. Chris Flanagan. In the past, the Department has issued only letters of commendation and letters of recognition,” Police Chief Bill Brooks, who presented the awards, said. “Lt. Flanagan believed, and I agreed, that formal criteria should be established for various recognitions.”

The private ceremony took place at Norwood Theatre and active and retired officers and their family and friends were invited. The award categories included:



Chief Bill Brooks recognizes Sgt. William Fundora during the ceremony.

COURTESY PHOTO

the Distinguished Service Ribbon, the Combat Cross and the Meritorious Service Ribbon.

“I was honored, but there are many other times and situations that Norwood officers perform above and beyond the call to duty and are not always recognized,” Lt. Kevin McDonough said. “This annual event will be a great way to show appreciation to those officers.”

Brooks said the organizers went back and forth on whether to invite the public or not, before deciding against an open ceremony.

“Although the actions that resulted in awards were exemplary, the officers themselves are generally humble and we’re happy to receive their awards in the presence of their invited guests,” Brooks said, noting that a write up was available online within a day of the event.

In addition to the awards, military veterans and active services members within the department were recognized. Norwood Police have served or are currently with the Army, the Marine Corps and the Air Force.

According to the organizers, the Department’s archives were opened so that officers could be awarded for “heroic and lifesaving ac-

tions” that went “above and beyond the high expectation” they are held to and that might not have been known when cases were still active or in their immediate aftermath.

One award recipient was honored for work that often has required him to go without public recognition, and for work he may not be able to do again.

“I was injured making an arrest and had to have surgery to my knee which had a lot of complications,” said Detective David Eysie, who has worked on drug cases and whose injury kept him from attending the ceremony. “I have been out since January and most likely won’t be able to return.”

Eysie said he still has one more surgery scheduled and has very little bending motion in his injured knee.

“Getting the award was really an honor, I’m lucky to work with such great people,” he said. “I hope that I have put the drug dealers on notice not to come to Norwood.”

The organizers, Lt. Flanagan, Cindy Keady and Officer Kevin Grasso, thanked Kraw-Kornack Fu-

Police Awards
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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeal of the Town of Norwood will hold a **PUBLIC HEARING** in **ROOM 12** of the **Municipal Office Building** on **June 7, 2016 at 7:30 PM** on the request of 83 Morse Street, LLC (Case # 16-09) with respect to property located on **83 Morse Street**, in a **M- Manufacturing District**.

This application request a **SPECIAL PERMIT** under Section 3.1.5, of the Zoning Bylaw to allow: The use of up to 20,000 square feet of interior space for retail uses, pursuant to Sections 3.1.5.D.4 (principal uses) and 3.1.5.K.7 (accessory uses), up to 20,000 square feet of interior space for fitness center use, pursuant to Section 3.1.5.F.10, and up to 20,000 square feet of interior space for food processing, bottling, or packaging, including brewery, coffee roasting, and bakery uses, pursuant to Seciton 3.1.5.I.2, all of said uses to be in existing buildings located at 83 Morse Street, Norwood, together with such other or further relief as the Zoning Board of Appeal may determine to be appropriate.

Plans are on file with this application in the office of the Zoning Board of Appeal and may be viewed during normal working hours ,Monday – Thursday between 8:00 am – 4:00 pm

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Small sums dominate Annual Town Meeting discussions

Sam Nickerson
Staff Reporter

During this year's Annual Town Meeting, members are tasked with authorizing the Town of Norwood's \$74,213,189 proposed budget for the fiscal 2017 year, but on May 16, it was much smaller sums that created the most debate.

For instance, as the body was preparing to approve the annual Holidays budget – recommended at \$35,000 – in order to cover town-wide Memorial Day, Fourth of July and Christmas programming, District 3 member Judith Howard made a motion to add \$7,500 more to the account in order to fund more Christmas lights in South Norwood, particularly by the Balch School and along Washington Street.

Howard made a similar motion last year, and although it did not pass, Town Manager John Carroll was able to find some money in the budget to add some holiday decorations. Howard said many of the lights and decorations were approaching 50 years old.

This time, Howard's motion requested that the money come from Free Cash. Earlier in the evening, the Finance Commission said that though the Town was planning to use only \$2.9 million in Free Cash towards the Budget at this point – compared to \$5.7 million last year – Town Meeting should use caution when dipping into the reserves.

"This is really the last resort," Finance Commissioner Joseph Greeley said of the town's reserve funds.

Selectman Helen Abdallah Donohue commended Howard's motion, calling it a "noble idea."

John Hall of District 6 said that he was opposed to last year's motion, but was in favor of it this year because it represented a "systematic approach" to planning and would further connect South Norwood to the rest of the town.

Other members said that while they supported the motion, they did not like the idea of using Free Cash. David Hajjar of District 4 suggested using Light Department Depreciation Accounts, which Carroll said was not allowed and that it would result in raised rates

down the line. Peter McFarland of District 3 suggested that Norwood Broadband sponsor the project, but did not receive any positive indication. After the motion to appropriate the funds from Free Cash surfaced, District 9 member Ernie Paciorkowski suggested using money from the recently approved \$10,000 appropriation to the Conservation Land Fund, but the motion to reconsider would have to be deliberated at the end of the budget process, and Paciorkowski opted not to make the motion.

Finance Commissioner and District 4 member Anne Haley said that it was a good idea, but should be delayed until the fall, when a balanced budget had already been reached, but proponents said that would be too late for the project to be completed before the holiday.

As the body was set to approve the General Government Other Expenses budget, Hajjar proposed lowering the \$23,000 Town Meeting line item by \$3,000 and lowering the \$25,000 Consultants line item by \$4,500 to make up for the \$7,500 appropriated for the lights.

The idea came after District 4 member Gerri Slater said that Town Meeting had asked for Town Meeting materials to be made available online and for pick up at Town Hall in order to produce savings on postage and printing, yet the Town Meeting line item had increased by \$3,000.

"This is disingenuous," Slater said, noting that Town Meeting members were essentially pitching in themselves in order to reduce costs, but the savings did not appear to be reflected.

Officials said the budget proposals were based on estimates made 2-3 months ago. When asked about the consultants budget, which had jumped from \$10,000 to \$25,000, officials said it was used when the Town needed to hire professionals for small tasks, such as an asphalt plan, or air conditioning noise at the library. Carroll said the Town had already overspent the Fiscal 2016 allotment of \$10,000.

Other members in favor of the idea also balked at the idea of using the consultants' line item as a source for the money.

Hall said he was against the

reductions because the estimates could have been reached in part in order to partially offset increasing costs across the board, which may not be reflected as outright savings.

"This is the estimate they gave us ... I don't see any reason for forcing their hand against their best judgment," he said.

Town Accountant Tom McQuaid said the Town Manager would have the authority to be flexible with the entire budget area and while those line items were being reduced, money could come from elsewhere in that part of the budget, as long as it did not surpass the bottom line.

Selectman Bill Plasko was also against the reduction, saying it would restrict what money was available to the Town and that the flexibility was not in fact true.

"I totally disagree with what we just did and what the effect is," he said. "This is what the town can spend, opposite of what you've been told."

This was disputed and corrected by McQuaid, Moderator David Hern, Jr. and Town Counsel.

Hajjar's motion passed, reducing the Other General Government Expenses budget to \$110,350 from \$117,850, with the two accounts reduced falling under the General Government Incidentals, which went from \$92,350 to \$84,850.

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Sealed bids will be received up to 11:00 A.M.(Verizon time), June 8, 2016, in the Purchasing Department, Norwood Town Hall, 566 Washington Street, 3rd Floor, Norwood, MA 02062 for the following Public Project:

"Furnish and Install a Camera System at Norwood Morrill Memorial Library"

The complete bid package may be obtained in the Purchasing Department during regular business hours or may be downloading online by registering at: <https://bids.norwoodma.gov>. 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, "Library Video Camera System - CONTRACT #NLIB-16-04".

Bids shall be prepared, considered, and the contract awarded in accordance with all statutes governing such contracts (MGL Chapter 30 and Chapter 149 as amended). 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.

A pre-bid conference will be held on June 1, 2016 at 11:00 A.M., at the Morrill Memorial Library, 33 Walpole Street (Simoni Room), Norwood, MA 02062, followed by a site visit.

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 bids or any part of any bid 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.

The successful bidder shall be required to submit documentation that all employees to be employed in the work subject to this bid have successfully completed a course in construction safety and health approved by the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration that is at least 10 hours in duration. Any employee found on a worksite subject to this section without documentation of successful completion of a course in construction safety and health approved by the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration that is at least 10 hours in duration shall be subject to immediate removal.

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. Questions can be addressed to Catherine Carney, Contract Administrator, Town of Norwood, at (781) 762-1240, Ext. 106 or 107. A planholders' list can be obtained on the Town's website: www.norwoodma.gov.

BY: John J. Carroll, General Manager

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Chief Bill Brooks presented 11 Norwood Police officers with awards during the ceremony, which was sponsored by Gillooly and Kraw-Kornack Funeral Homes.

COURTESY PHOTO

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neral Home and Gillooly Funeral Home for donations to make the event possible, and Norwood Theatre for hosting the ceremony.

For John Kornack of Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home, who is also a Dover Fire Department lieutenant, the donation was a no-

brainer.

"I feel it's not an easy job they must face very difficult situations on a daily basis and show professionalism as well as toughness to keep our community safe," Kornack said. "Also, the police department does an excellent job assisting with funeral escorts, traffic direction and they do this as a courtesy, never expecting anything in return."

The full list of award recipients is as follows:

The Distinguished Ser-

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The Combat Cross *Lt. Peter Kelly *Lt. Michael Benedetti *Lt. Christopher Flanagan *Detective Sergeant Peter Curran *Detective David Eysie *Patrolman Anthony Lopes *Patrolman Derek Wennerstrand

The Meritorious Service Ribbon *Patrolman Gregory Shore

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plans.

Another one of the concerns that residents spoke of during the first meeting was the idea of adding a two-way traffic entrance onto Williams Street; the new plan revised the two-way entrance into a one-way, exit only which would be accompanied by a stop sign and a speed bump. The stop sign and speed bump would both need to be approved by the Board of Selectmen. A two-way entrance and exit would still be available through Lenox Street.

Neighbors said the concern that they have now are for drivers that speed through the intersection on Williams Street. The addition of a stop sign seemed to make residents hopeful that the speeding issue would ease up.

Additionally, a duplex that was planned to be put on a small part of the split lot was omitted from the new plans and a park is now planned to be put into that space. Nearby residents voiced their happiness with the idea of a park being built on the property instead of the duplex.

ZBA member Patrick Mulvehill did question whether emergency vehicles would be able to quickly and easily enter onto the property with the Williams Street portion being an exit only option. Marini's attorney Paul Schneiders said that he believed emergency vehicles would have no problem navigating through the property as the Lenox entrance allows traffic throughout the property.

After all the concerns were addressed, Mulvehill said that he was "absolutely in favor" of the project. "I think that it is a valid reuse of that hot-top," he said of the property. "To see it go this route in another use is a good send-off. I think it's going to enhance the neighborhood as well," said Mulvehill.

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Sports

Ups and Downs for Mustangs Baseball

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

It's been an up and down week on the baseball diamond for Norwood, but the peaks have overshadowed the valleys with a playoff spot now clinched.

Just this week, a 5-0 loss to Wellesley on Monday was quickly left in the rear view mirror thanks to a 1-0 win over Brookline on a Michael James walk-off home run in the bottom of the 11th inning.

Last week, Norwood also went 1-1. Here's a look at what went down:

Galvin goes 10 innings, Mustangs survive Milton in extras

The game was so long, it would've been extra innings even under old Bay State Conference rules.

Not that it affected the pitching of Paul Galvin in the slightest, who was economical in hurling all 10 innings on just 102 pitches for the first shut-out of his career as Norwood defeated Milton, 1-0.

"Paul is on fire," Mustangs manager Kevin Igoe said. "When the game gets tough, he gets tougher."

Galvin gave up just two hits while striking out eight and walking one, running his scoreless innings streak to 15.

Brian King drove in Michael James for the game's

only run in the top of the 10th, on an RBI single after James had been hit by a pitch and stole second.

After a 3-2 loss to Plymouth South on April 19, the Mustangs have now won five straight one-run games to improve to 5-1 in one-run games overall. In last year's championship season, Norwood was just 2-2 in one-run games; although the two wins came in the tournament, vs. Silver Lake and Chelmsford, respectively.

Galvin, a senior who is also the starting shortstop for the Mustangs, is sixth in the state in batting through games played last weekend with a .500 batting average.

Setback vs. Needham

Last Wednesday vs. Needham, the Mustangs saw their seven-game winning streak snapped in a 5-3 loss on the road in a Bay State Conference crossover game.

Quickly falling into a 3-0 hole after the first inning, Norwood took its time before making up the deficit just as fast with a three-run inning of its own in the top of the fifth.

But the Rockets would cash in on a pair of Mustang errors in their half of the fifth to nullify Norwood's comeback and waste what had been, all in all, a great start by pitcher Brian King.



Norwood outfielder Jake Vail takes a cut at a pitch in last week's game at Needham High School. Vail is one of the top options off the bench for Mustangs manager Kevin Igoe.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

"He battled after a tough first inning," Igoe said after the game of King's performance on the hill. "He pitched really well; we kind of fell apart in that [fifth] inning."

A ground ball to no-man's land between King on the mound, Sam Cutler at first and

Connor Flynn at second led to a miscommunication between the trio and allowed the go-ahead run to score for Needham, with an insurance run following behind on an uncharacteristic throwing error from Galvin at short.

Igoe wouldn't dwell on the

errors, noting he and his coaching staff don't address physical errors.

He went a step further to praise Galvin, who kick-started the Mustangs' rally in the fifth with a leadoff walk.

Baseball

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Cassie Pinciario has been finding her groove as Norwood's starting pitcher, alleviating concerns coach Carol Savino had about her pitching staff coming into the season.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

Timely bats, consistent pitching lead Softball to playoffs

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

Norwood's lineup has been acting as a ticking time bomb of late, possessing the ability to strike without a moment's notice.

In last week's matchup with the Notre Dame Academy (Hingham) Cougars, the Mustangs found themselves locked in a scoreless tie through three innings.

There weren't many signs of life from Norwood, either, as its only hits through three innings were infield singles from Alyssa Chamberlain and Siobhan Reen.

NDA couldn't possibly have braced itself for the explosion that followed, as Norwood sent 12 hitters to the plate in a seven-run bottom of the fourth inning to set the table for a 10-0 blanking of the Cougars to sew up a postseason berth.

For head coach Carol Savino, however, the Mustangs still have yet to accomplish their ultimate goal.

"The second goal we always have is let's win the Herget," she said after the game, alluding to the unfinished business her team still had in front of them. Norwood will be going for its seventh

Herget Division title in Savino's eight seasons in the dugout.

No. 3 hitter Bryn Garczynski led off the bottom of the fourth by reaching on an error, which proved to be all the Mustangs would need to successfully open the floodgates. The next five Norwood batters all hit singles, the lineup snaking its way back to the top of the order and eventually down to Garczynski again, who reached base for the second time in the frame on a two-run single for a 7-0

Softball

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Boys lax falls in Foxboro, beats Milton

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

Falling behind 7-0 is never ideal in lacrosse, but Norwood did at least make things interesting in Saturday's 8-3 loss to the Foxboro Warriors.

Joe Leanos scored twice and Max Pfingston had one goal for the Mustangs (2-14), who snapped their 12-game losing streak vs. Milton on Tuesday.

"They're a physical team, that's the kind of team we're going to struggle against," Norwood head coach Anthony Roman said after the Foxboro game.

Lots of little things went right for the Mustangs, such as Zac Pungitore's 7-4 advantage on the faceoff X, or goalie James Piatelli's nine saves. But with so many younger players on the roster, Foxboro's physical style of play dictated what Norwood was able to - and unable - to do in the attacking end.

"We've got a lot of young guys on offense," Roman said. "Even Newton North and Needham don't press out like Foxboro presses out. It's a calling card for Foxboro, I know right off the bat they're

going to be pressuring from every inch of the white lines. We've got a long of young short sticks who were seeing that for the first time."

The Warriors (10-4, first place in the Hockomock-Davenport Division) led 4-0 after the first quarter, and had grown its lead to 7-0 at 4:01 of the second. Goalie Jake Addeche (nine saves) went coast to coast and scored for Foxboro's seventh goal, closing out his team's opening run with a bang.

Leanos was able to snap the scoring drought for the Mustangs at 9:10 of the second, which was the final goal for either team until Pfingston's tally at 10:46 of the third.

Leanos added his second at 3:50 of the fourth quarter, creating an ever so slight amount of intrigue that Norwood could perhaps be in the midst of an epic comeback, but that was it. Foxboro tacked on one last goal at 5:55 of the quarter for an 8-3 final.

The game was chippy throughout the first half, bordering on going a bit too far on numerous occasions for each side. Roman was pleased that Norwood didn't take things too far out of



Norwood midfielder Nick Girard attempts to slash his way through the box in Saturday's game vs. the Foxboro Warriors, meeting some heavy resistance along the way.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

frustration as tensions between the teams boiled over.

He said that "not making it a dumb game with the penalties" was what caught his eye the most after Pungitore and Piatelli's individual efforts.

The Warriors attempted 29 shots in the early morn-

ing affair in Foxboro, compared to 22 for the Mustangs

Norwood beat Milton at home on Tuesday to secure its second win of the season, 11-10 over the Wildcats.

Norwood has two games left on the season, both at home. They'll face Walpole

for the first and only time this spring this afternoon at Norwood High School at 4:30 p.m., and close out the 2016 season on Monday afternoon vs. the Waltham Hawks, also at 4:30 p.m., in a non-conference matchup with the Dual County League opponent.

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lead.

The Mustangs tacked on two more runs in the bottom of the fifth for a 9-0 edge, which would lead to a chance to end the game on the 10-run rule in the sixth.

"Going into that last inning, there was a plan," Savino said. "I said 'you want to end the game ladies? It's 9-0. One more run, we're out of here.' I said to Bryn, 'you're a good bunter, you haven't bunted hardly at all this year. You've got great speed.'"

Sure enough, Garczynski reached first on a bunt single, immediately stealing second base with Chamberlain at the plate.

"She got it done, now you tell Chambo to let her steal," Savino said as she continued to spell out the X's and O's of the game. "Now you tell Chambo to sac, get her to [third base]. Because now you've got two chances to score her - pass ball, or one good hit. Game over."

Chamberlain success-

fully advanced Garczynski to third on a sac bunt, bringing Janelle Kelleher to bat with a chance to win the game.

With any contact pretty much ensuring a Norwood victory, Kelleher put the ball in play to the left side of the infield. The ball was bobbled by the NDA second baseman, giving Garczynski ample time to trot home and send the Mustangs to the tournament.

Another bright spot for Norwood was the pitching of Cassie Pinciaro, whose steady improvement as the season's gone along is catching the eye of Savino.

"If Cassie is on and can hit her spots, she's going to play with anybody in the conference," she said.

Pinciaro carried a no-hitter into the fifth inning, giving up just one single in six innings. She struck out three and walked just one batter, allowing Reen to do the majority of the work at second base.

In addition to her usual solid performance at the plate

(3 for 4 with an RBI and a run), Reen was involved in nine plays in the field. She recorded three assists and made six putouts herself, including when play where she successfully covered first base on a bunt when Taylor Reed was drawn out of her normal position.

"Siobhan's a good hitter, she tends to be ahead of the ball," Savino said, not surprised in the least by her great all-around day on the diamond. "You can always count on her to come through to get the ball rolling."

In addition to blanking NDA, Norwood also slaughtered Needham, 14-4, and Brookline, 14-1, and Brockton, 10-0, over the course of last week.

Now 12-2 overall, Norwood will host Walpole this afternoon for the first of two meetings with the Rebels over the next six days - meetings which could very well decide the fate of the Herget Division. First pitch is at 3:45 p.m. at Cleveland School.



Senior captain Alyssa Chamberlain has been a rock at shortstop for the Mustangs, hitting over .500 while playing steady defense.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN



Valerie Quinlan, wearing No. 17 in blue, had a monster game for the Mustangs in their 14-13 win on Tuesday. The senior scored four goals, won 18 of her 29 draws, and made several key defensive plays down the stretch.

PHOTO BY JAKE LEVIN

Girls lax overcomes deficit five times to knock off Milton, 14-13

Jake Levin
Staff Reporter

Overcoming a deficit just once in any given game is hard enough.

Falling behind on five separate occasions and still emerging victorious?

No wonder Tuesday's 14-13 win over the Milton Wildcats was declared by first-year Norwood head coach Jen Fox as her favorite game yet.

"I am so proud of this team right now," Fox said after the game, in which her team trailed 1-0, 2-1, 3-2, 5-3, 7-6 and 8-7. "We've seen Milton before and we lost to them, 12-10. It happened to be a day where we'd played Framingham the day before, so our bodies had given it all the day before.

"We knew we were the better team that day, so that's been in our minds ever since. So I think we were coming back to prove to this team that we're better than we were the first time."

Valerie Quinlan and Maura O'Neill had four goals apiece for the Mustangs (5-11) to tie for the team lead, but no goal was larger than Coley Hayes' tally with exactly 3 minutes remaining in regulation.

The goal, the second of the game for Hayes, broke a 13-13 tie and gave Norwood the inside track on snapping its six-game losing streak.

The win didn't become official, however, until defender

Rory Lake knocked the ball away from a Milton attacker with just over a minute to go in the second half and the subsequent game of keep-away ran to perfection by O'Neill and Quinlan back in the Mustangs' attacking end.

"Every single person was on today, it was a complete team effort from the back of the net all the way forward," Fox said. "I think that heart and hustle on everyone's part made a huge difference."

In addition to tying for the team lead in goals, Quinlan took all 29 draw attempts in the game, and came away with the ball – or at least knocked it to one of her teammates – 18 times, good enough for a 62 percent win percentage.

The Wildcats tried to make adjustments on the draw throughout the game, but were unable to come up with any answer for Quinlan, according to Fox.

"Val continued to just dominate on it, she's really good at reading it and adjusting to the calls the other team is making – no matter who's on there," she said.

Trailing 8-7 at the half, Norwood exploded onto the scene in the second, with Rachel Noah scoring just 24 seconds in. At 5:05 of the second, Quinlan scored her third goal of the game to open up an 11-8 lead, seemingly putting the Mustangs on cruise control.

To the Wildcats' credit, they

were not only able to linger, but actually tied the game on two occasions, at 12-12 and 13-13.

Quinlan's fourth and final goal broke the 12-all tie at 17:11 of the second half, which gave Norwood the lead until 20:12.

With overtime looming, Hayes answered the call of duty off a Milton foul to put the Mustangs on top for good. The junior midfielder reared back and added extra velocity to her shot, leaving nothing to chance.

Maddy Lomond and Erin Kelly also scored for Norwood, while Alex Dimitriou made seven saves in net.

"I think it's a breakthrough for this program, and I think if we can continue to play the way we did today the last two games, as long as our hustles there, I'm happy with that," Fox said.

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.

—M.N.

Baseball *continued from page 9*

"Watch Paul Galvin; it should rub off, the way he's playing baseball," Igoe said. "We don't get any runs if not for his seven-pitch walk, fighting off some tough pitches.

"The problem is, when he doesn't get on we struggle to score. But he was leading again today; he's really everything to our lineup."

Norwood chipped its way back in the fifth with three straight RBI singles off the bats of James, Danny Sullivan and Chris Petracca, respectively. Galvin's walk gave the Mustangs their first base runner of the inning, and he would come around to score the first run on James' hit.

Trailing by two in the top of the seventh, Mike Flynn and James led off the inning with back-to-back singles, sending the go-ahead run to the plate in the form of pinch hitter Ryan Cullinane.

Cullinane would fly out to left for the first out and Petracca's flare to shallow left was snagged by Rockets shortstop Sam Foley for out No. 2. Cam Flahive gave a ball a ride to deep left as Norwood's last hope, but the ball was successfully tracked down by Spencer Yee to secure a 5-3 win for Needham.

"Those two hits to left field, we're thinking we tied the game, kid made a great play," Igoe said of Yee's defensive abilities.

Igoe was pleased Norwood had come back to tie the game, but was by no means willing to chalk the game up as a moral victory.

"We've got to play seven innings the way we played the last three innings," he



Paul Galvin

said. "We think we're better than we are. We just show up and try to battle. Let's battle in the first few innings so we get a lead and we're not playing catch-up."

Norwood faced Natick last night, in an event held after the Record's deadline. They're on to the final four games of the regular season, beginning this afternoon with the first of two meetings in six days with the Walpole Rebels. Galvin will take the ball at Bird Middle School in Walpole at 3:45 for the Mustangs.

Legals

SECTION A – ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

TOWN OF NORWOOD, MA

TEL: 781-762-1240, EXT 106 or 107

FAX: 781-278-3015

Sealed Bids will be received up to 11:00 A.M. (Verizon time) June 9, 2016, in the Purchasing Department, 3rd Floor, 566 Washington Street, Norwood, MA 02062 for the following:

Provide & Install New Underground Cables for Feeder from Light Station 495

The complete Bid package may be obtained in the Purchasing Department, 3rd Floor, between the hours of 8:15 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., Monday through Friday. Bid documents can also be obtained electronically by registering and downloading at: <https://bids.norwoodma.gov>.

The Bid must be filled out and signed as directed therein, sealed in an opaque envelope addressed to the General Manager, endorsed with the name and address of the Bidder, and marked, "Cables for Feeder - Contract #NLD-16-07."

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. Please submit and original and three copies. A performance bond or surety equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount will be required within ten days of award of contract.

Bids shall be prepared, considered, and the contract awarded in accordance with Massachusetts General Law (MGL) Chapter 164, Section 56d, 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 Sunday excluded.

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 successful bidder shall be required to submit documentation that all employees to be employed in the work subject to this bid have successfully completed a course in construction safety and health approved by the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration that is at least 10 hours in duration. Any employee found on a worksite subject to this section without documentation of successful completion of a course in construction safety and health approved by the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration that is at least 10 hours in duration shall be subject to immediate removal.

The Town shall have the right to reject any and all Bids or parts thereof, or items therein, and to waive any defect or irregularities as to form, therein in accordance with M.G.L. Award shall be made the bidder submitted the lowest responsive price for Items #1, #2, and #3, combined.

The Town of Norwood notifies all Bidders 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, sex or national origin or handicapped status in consideration for an award.

BY: John J. Carroll, General Manager

Norwood Record, 5/19/16

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL EVENTS

Come join us for a Bible Study looking at the Gospel of John at the First Congregational Church in Norwood. Continuing through Sunday, May 22, the study will focus on the characters in the Gospel of John, particularly those that appear only in John. We'll meet in the church parlor at 8:15 a.m., and begin each class with a time of fellowship including coffee, muffins, and bagels.

As part of an ongoing series on spiritual growth, First Congregational Church (UCC), at the corner of Route 1A and Winter St. will be hosting a workshop on "A Focused Introduction to Meditation: One Path of Spiritual Practice", facilitated by Dr. Thomas Eaton PhD, on Saturday, May 21, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

This workshop will be a spiritual introduction to meditation for adults, and we will conclude with a sample meditation exercise. Dr. Eaton will also discuss the role of meditation in the Christian Faith. Although not required, interested individuals might find "Journey of Awakening: A Meditator's Guide Book" by Ram Dass, a helpful introduction to meditation. This event is free and open to the pub-

lic. If you would like to attend, please RSVP at (781)762-3320.

WILLETT GOLF DAY

Join us for mini golf, bounce houses, games, raffles, and more at the Willett Early Childhood Center's 11th Annual Golf Day Fundraiser. We will be auctioning off Disney tickets and other fabulous items! Golf Day will be at the Willett School, 100 Westover Parkway, on May 19 from 4-7 p.m. Call 781-559-3368 for more information.

"ART IN THE PARK" AT NORWOOD TOWN COMMON

Bring the family and join the Norwood Art Association for a fun-filled day of art and celebrating Spring! On Saturday, June 11, the Norwood Art Association will hold its 38th annual "Art in the Park" show and sale on the Norwood Town Common (at the Gazebo) from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Rain date

is June 12. Original framed art work by local artists will be on display and for sale including watercolors, oils, pastels, acrylics, drawings, mixed media, and photography. The exhibit will be judged by a professional artist and ribbons will be awarded in each category, plus one for Best of Show. Also available for sale will be the popular bin work including unframed, matted originals and prints, plus cards and magnets and other items created by the artists. The Norwood Art Association began its mission of enriching the local art community in 1978, and has been holding Spring and Fall shows ever since. The Association offers members monthly art demonstrations at the Norwood Library, from September to May, which are free and open to the public, plus affordable high quality art lessons at reasonable prices. Above all, the NAA provides the opportunity for members to exhibit their work and develop as artists. New members are welcome, whether a beginning artist, a professional, or someone who simply enjoys art. To join one need not necessarily be a Norwood resi-

dent. Many of our members are from surrounding cities and towns. Member applications will be available at the "Art in the Park" exhibit. To encourage aspiring young artists, each year the NAA presents a scholarship to a graduating Norwood High School student who shows outstanding artistic ability. This year's winner will be presented to the public during the exhibit at noon time. The exhibit this year will also include a caricaturist and food available for purchase from local vendors, as well as raffles, art for kids and live music. See you there!

NORWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS COORDINATED FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT PROGRAM

Do you ever wonder when you should begin teaching your children about money and where to even start? Then Piggy Bankers is for you!

Piggy Bankers is a series of parent-child activities for children ages 3 to 4 that introduces children to the concept of money through stories and play. Children will learn about Making, Spending and Saving Money. Siblings are welcome. Dates: First Session: Wednesday,

June 8, Reading: Earn Money – Ox Cart Man, Activity: Felt people – dress up in different types of clothes for different jobs.

Second Session: Wednesday, June 15, Reading: Shopping With Mom (Little Critter) Activity: Talking about having a budget. Grocery store where the children can shop. Third Session: Wednesday, June 22, Reading: Berenstain Bears, Trouble With Money Activity: Saving and good choices. Learn how to earn money and spend some and save some. Time: 3:30 – 4 p.m., Location: Savage Educational Center, 275 Prospect St., Room 219, Norwood. To register contact Christine Tomasello in the CFCE Office at 781-440-5983 or e-mail to ctomasello@norwood.k12.ma.us.

The Norwood Public Schools CFCE Programs are funded through the 237 Grant from the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care's Coordinated Family and Community Engagement Grant.

BLOOD DRIVE

The Norwood Knights of Columbus Council 252 is sponsoring its annual Red Cross Blood Drive on June 6, 2016 from 2 – 7 p.m. Bill McCoy will be there to provide the best of country music. Please join us in donating this precious gift to those in need on June 6 at 572 Nichols St. in Norwood.

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SENIOR NEWS

ARTS & CRAFTS: Offered every first Thursday of each month at 11 a.m.

BASIC COMPUTER COURSE: A four-part basic computer course is frequently offered to those who wish to learn how to use a computer. Sign-up at the front desk. New class will be announced soon.

BINGO: Every Wednesday, from 12:45 to 3 p.m. \$5.00 to get started. We have begun a new game, for \$1.00 with a winner take all prize! You must be here by 12:45 p.m. to play the new game!

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC: Hellenic Health Care will be available for blood pres-

sure screening on the first Wednesday of each month. Ellis Nursing Home will offer blood pressure screening on the second Wednesday of each month. The Walpole VNA will provide blood pressure screening on the third Wednesday of each month at 11:30 a.m. Kindred Care on the fifth.

BRIDGE: Our Bridge Club meets on Thursdays at 9:15 a.m. in the Library. The Tuesday group has been cancelled.

COMPUTER CLUB: The Computer Club meets every Wednesday at 1 p.m.

CRIBBAGE: Our seniors meet every Monday at 12:45 p.m. to play cribbage.

DIABETES WORKSHOP: The Diabetes Workshop, May 26 at 11 a.m.

EXCEL CLASSES: Excel classes have resumed. Please sign up.

FOOT DOCTOR: Please call the center for the dates in May that the foot doctor will be here.

GLEE CLUB: Glee Club meets every Tuesday at 11:15 a.m.

HANDCRAFTERS: Handcrafters meet every Monday from 1 – 3 p.m.

LINE DANCE: Classes are held each Tuesday. Class will be held from 1-2 p.m.

MASSAGE THERAPIST: Karen Tracy is here on the first Monday of each month. Please sign up at front desk. Massages are \$30.00 for half an hour.

NORWOOD RETIRED MEN'S CLUB: The Board of Directors meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 10:30 a.m. at the Senior Center (Except July and August). The Club Membership meets the second Tuesday of each month at the Norwood Elks Lodge, at 10 a.m.

POETRY CLUB: Is held on the third Wednesday of each month at 1 p.m., facilitated by Nancy from the Library. May 18 this month.

SCRABBLE: Thursday afternoon at 1 p.m. Come and join us for a game.

SHINE: Our SHINE Counselor, Carol, is here to help you with your medical insurance needs on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Please call 781-762-1201 for an appointment.

WAXING—May 23, 9 a.m.-noon

WHIST: Whist players meet on Tuesdays at 12:45 p.m. in the library.

WHIST PARTY: Whist parties will be held on the fourth Friday of each month 1-3 p.m.

MAY EVENTS: Dave Valerio Line Dance Friday, May 20 at 1 p.m. \$5.00, Friday Afternoon Movie May 27 at 1 p.m. Spotlight Rated R

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Police Logs

TUESDAY MAY 10

1001 Phone - Susp activity area search negative Location/Address: Dean St + Industrial Way Passing pedestrian reports a W/M asking to use his cell phone due to his car being broken down. When offered the police, he stated it would be better if the police were not involved. Units checked for both the vehicle and subject.

1022 Other - Lost and Found services rendered Location/Address: Everett St N456, on private detail, reports contractor demolishing a home found a box of shotgun shells. N677 reports owner of home is present and properly licensed and took possession of same.

1155 Phone - Animal complaint services rendered Location/Address: Geraldine Dr + Walpole St Dog running in traffic. Officer reports he ran into the woods.

1212 Phone - Vandalism services rendered Location/Address: Olde Derby Rd Caller reports wind chimes damaged while she away and feels it was deliberate. Officer reports wind damage.

1214 Phone - Assist citizen spoken to Location/Address: Jefferson Dr Officer assisted with a property exchange.

1250 Phone - Susp activity services rendered Location/Address: Bruce Rd Caller reports two males walked up on the lawn and checked out a package that was delivered. Two B/M teens dressed in black. Area checked negative and the package is still

1307 Phone - Larceny *report filed Location/Address: Morse st + Bos-Prov Hwy Trailer entered and landscape property removed.

1709 911 - Unwanted party services rendered Location/Address: Washington St Caller reports an unwanted female party in the restaurant. Units escorted her outside. The caller will write a Letter of Disinvite.

1839 Phone - Assist other agency gone on arrival Location/Address: WALPOLE - Mylod St + Adams St Walpole PD requests assistance with a male yelling in the street.

2008 Phone - Well being chk services rendered Location/Address: Highview St Bay State Community Services of Braintree requesting a well being check on resident. Units spoke with her and advised her to contact them.

2301 Phone - Kids gathering area search negative Location/Address: Countryside Ln Caller reports teenagers near the woods. GOA.

Wednesday, May 11

0218 911 - Assist citizen spoken to Location/Address: Muniz Cleaning & Landscaping Services - St George Ave Cab driver reports he took a fare that cannot pay him. N663,N664 responded and spoke with all parties. Cab driver was told when he took the fare that customer didn't have full amount and hoped to get it from roommate, who also did not have the money. Driver was advised and left the residence.

0246 Phone - Alarm-burglar building checked/secured Location/Address: Keegan's Norwood Jewelers - Washington St Left glass break. N663,N664 responded. Alarm shut off. Building hand checked secure.

0608 911 - Susp activity services rendered Location/

Address: Nahatan St Caller states she is woken by a ringing doorbell. N662 was in the area at time of call and checked but saw no one. He will make extra checks about this time the rest of week and told her to call if it happens again.

0829 Phone - B & E Commercial *report filed Location/Address: Riverside Community Care - Pleasant St Report building and an inner office broken into.

0843 Phone - Parking violation services rendered Location/Address: Perks Coffee House - Washington St Report MA PC 943KB2 parked prohibiting dumpster pick-up in rear parking lot. Check of same-not stolen, call to owner-he will move same, caller notified.

1028 Phone - Well being chk spoken to Location/Address: Norwood Hospital - Washington St Patient states they will not let him leave hospital. MC8 reports due to his level of intoxication and the amount of medication he is under he will not be released, he is sleeping now, and family is aware of situation.

1325 Walk-In - Hit and run *report filed Location/Address: Railroad Ave Report driver's side mirror damaged.

1425 Phone - Civil dispute civil matter Location/Address: Chickering Rd Resident reports past problem with a pest control company. N666 reports civil matter, advised.

1430 Walk-In - Harassment *report filed Location/Address: Norwood High School - Nichols St Incident reported to N428, as S.R.O. N428 to conduct an investigation.

1445 Other - Complaint of MV spoken to Location/Address: Concannons Village Inc - Lenox St Report of a Mustang doing donuts in rear parking lot. MC8 spoke to Coughlan Machine- testing car after putting in new brakes.

1754 Phone - Kids gathering spoken to Location/Address: Cross St Caller reports kids in the woods. Units spoke with them and sent them on their way.

1757 Phone - Susp activity spoken to Location/Address: Callahan School - Garfield Ave Caller reports an SP male parked in the rear of the school Units spoke with him, party checks out.

1918 Phone - Larceny *report filed Location/Address: Sturtevant Ave Caller reports packages delivered to him have been tampered with. N663 responding.

1955 Walk-In - Well being chk services rendered Location/Address: Monroe St + Rock St Walk in party reports male party and a little girl walking. The little girl is screaming for her mother and telling the male party she does not like him. Walk in party thought it was odd. N679 and N665 responding. Male party identified and the little girl was his daughter.

2152 Walk-In - Assist citizen services rendered Location/Address: Buckminster Dr N664 assists party with retrieving personal belongings.

THURSDAY, MAY 12

0203 Phone - Susp activity gone on arrival Location/Address: Puritan Pl Caller reports group of 3 walking around the area. N662,N666,N668 responded. Caller reports workers on premises with trucks and

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lights, making alot of noise and keeping her up. N677 responded as they were leaving for the night. They have been advised of by-law and in obtaining a permit.

0344 Phone - Assist citizen services rendered Location/Address: Yew Dr Caller wishes officer to stand by while boyfriend removes some of his belongings. N677, N666 responded and kept the peace without incident.

0812 Phone - Animal complaint naco/waco notified Location/Address: Ridgewood Dr Report possibly a bobcat in yard.

0818 Phone - Well being chk area search negative Location/Address: Cottage St + Washington St Caller to Westwood Police reports a W/M, bald, no helmet, riding a bicycle erratically.

0851 Phone - Well being chk *report filed Location/Address: Winter St + Bullard St Passing motorist comes across a 2yoa girl in pajamas. N664 reports parent arrived and report to be filed.

0905 Cellular - Well being chk area search negative Location/Address: Hill St Passing motorist requests check of a W/M, elderly, blue bathrobe, pajamas, appears confused, scratching his head, walking back/forth, caller could not narrow down location.

16-6416 0958 Phone - Stolen bicycle *report filed Location/Address: Day St Cannondale Brown in color with green bag in the front.

1614 Phone - Hit and run papers exchanged Location/Address: 95 Chapel St - Chapel St Caller reports a truck backed into her parked vehicle and that the operator may be inside the medical building.

1634 Phone - Susp activity *arrest(s)made Location/Address: Stop & Shop - Bos-Prov Hwy Caller reports a male and female parked using drugs. As a result, N663 placed one female party under arrest and transported her back to the station. S/M 35378 at 1715, E/M 35380 at 1723. Arrest: Rafferty, Elizabeth B Address: 123 E Water St Apt. #2f Taunton, Ma Age: 33 Charges: Heroin, possess Warrant arrest Drug, possess class E

16-6437 1808 Phone - Disturbance services rendered Location/Address: Flightlevel Aviation - Access Rd Report of a customer being verbally abusive to an employee. N679 reports that customer has been verbally disinvented from the property.

2330 911 - Well being chk *report filed Location/Address: Vernon St Caller made several paranoid statements regarding home intrusion and sounded confused. NFD responded and transported that party to Norwood Hospital for a voluntary evaluation.

FRIDAY MAY 13

0047 Phone - Disturbance services rendered

Location/Address: Dominos Pizza - Washington St Manager of Domino's reports a customer causing a disturbance outside store because he was late picking up as he was closing. Officers responded and spoke to all parties involved. Matter resolved and sent on their way.

0621 Phone - Vandalism *report filed Location/Address: Walnut Ave Caller reports a statue was

spray painted overnight 0810 Phone - Susp person gone on arrival Location/Address: Fieldbrook Dr Report that an out of state plated p-up, 4X4, gray, parked on street and a W/M, bald, black sweatshirt, green pants walking up/down street taking pictures of houses. N679 reports GOA, spoke to caller, possibly DPW subcontractor B.L.D. Co.

0838 Phone - B & E of motor vehicle services rendered Location/Address: Lenox St Report car broken into between 5/12 1900 Hrs. and today 0820 Hrs. Seat moved, console open and papers thrown around, nothing taken, cigarette butt left in car, wanted log entry only.

1436 Phone - Civil dispute civil matter Location/Address: Monroe St Report K&K Landscaping cut her lawn, she does not have a contract with this company. N677 will speak to owner of company but resident was informed it is a civil matter.

1450 Walk-In - Susp activity spoken to Location/Address: Franklin St Resident reports that a black male, on the street, was filming her and some children who were in the yard. N666 reports resident denies receiving monetary compensation for a past MVA. N666 spoke to a P.I., whom checked in with PD, it was him and he was conducting surveillance on resident due to the compensation.

1500 Phone - Warrant of Apprehension no action required Location/Address: Mountain Ave Section 35 issued for resident. Mother will call when she gets to home to let PD in, units placed on stand-by. 1545 Hrs.- units stand down as there will not be enough time to get subject to court by 1600 Hrs.

1534 Phone - Well Being Chk Spoken To Location/Address: Ellis Ave + Washington St Man sitting close to the road. Subject advised and moved.

1545 Walk-In - Hit and run *report filed Location/Address: Ridgewood Dr Resident in

lobby reports side mirror damaged.

1651 Phone - Soliciting spoken to Location/Address: Elliot St Two door to door solicitors. N662 located those parties and advised them how to register.

1714 Phone - Kids gathering gone on arrival Location/Address: Lenox Ave + Pleasant St Report of approximately thirty youths yelling profanities.

1721 Initiated - Vandalism *Report Filed Location/Address: Hennessy Field - Lenox Ave N677 comes across spray painted benches at Hennessy Field.

1738 Phone - Susp activity area search negative Location/Address: Heritage Baptist Church - Washington St Employee reports man attempted to follow her into the church before she locked the door. Officers searched the surrounding areas for that individual.

1838 Walk-In - B & E of motor vehicle *report filed Location/Address: Norwest Dr Party in the lobby reports a party known to him stole items from his vehicle two weeks ago and has refused to return them.

2054 Phone - Disturbance spoken to Location/Address: Rama Market - Washington St Report that a customer is harassing the manager of the China Rama Restaurant. N662 spoke with the manager, the issue was over the price of an item, no further issues.

2305 Phone - Assist citizen services rendered Location/Address: Alpine Rd Mother reports her daughter is overdue to be home. While officer was speaking with the caller, a family member returned home with the daughter.

SATURDAY MAY 14

0152 Phone - Susp vehicle spoken to Location/Address: Austin St Caller reports suspicious truck running with doors open in front of neighbors house. N663, N665 responded. Everything in order; small party breaking up and driver is waiting for last person going with him to come out.

0736 Phone - Animal complaint NACO/WACO notified Location/Address: Cameron Rd Caller states she has a baby bird with a broken wing. ACO covering will respond.

1616 Phone - Noise complaint spoken to Location/Address: Vernon St + Maple St Caller reports a resident has music up too loud. Officer spoke with them, party is almost over.

2003 Phone - Assist citizen civil matter Location/Address: Harding Rd Caller wishes to speak to officer about damage to pipe.

16-6549 2028 Initiated - Warrant service *arrest(s)made Location/Address: Endicott St Probation warrant. As a result, N678 placed one male under arrest and N662 transported him to the station. Electronic Monitoring notified. Arrest: McMullin, Donald Address: 61 Endicott St Apt. #Box 5 Norwood, Ma Age: 61 Charges: Warrant Arrest - Probation Warrant

2209 Phone - Malicious damage *complaint/summons Location/Address: Nahatan St Report that a group of youths ripped up solar lighting at 536 Nahatan Street before continuing on to Crestwood Circle. N661 located that group. N663 trans-

ported one juvenile to to 5 Laurel Road S/M 25340 at 2247, E/M 25341 at 2251. N663 transported two juveniles to 5 Katie's Way S/M 75031 at 2246, E/M 75034 at 2256. No one home at 5 Katie's Way. N661 then transported those juveniles to 1152 Washington Street and left those juveniles in the custody of a grandmother S/M 75034 at 2305, E/M 75035 at 2311. All parents advised. Juvenile Arrest Age: 14 Charges: DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY -\$250, MALICIOUS Juvenile Arrest Age: 12 Charges: DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY -\$250, MALICIOUS Juvenile Arrest Age: 15 Charges: DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY -\$250, MALICIOUS

2212 Initiated - Kids gathering group moved Location/Address: Prescott School - Richland Rd N663 comes across a large group of youths on school property, they checked OK and were sent on their way.

2335 Phone - Kids gathering services rendered Location/Address: Washington St Group of youths yelling on the sidewalk. Those parties were waiting for a tow truck, Interstate (AAA) was on the way.

2343 Phone - Disturbance services rendered Location/Address: Norwood Hospital - Washington St Unruly patient in the ER.

SUNDAY MAY 15

0221 Phone - Motor vehicle accident *report filed Location/Address: Guild St Caller reports that a vehicle struck a light pole outside of her home. NFD responded and transported one male to Norwood Hospital. Party was pronounced dead at 0249 by medical staff. MSP notified and responded.

0420 Phone - Motor vehicle accident *arrest(s)made Location/Address: [NOD 1784] Walgreens - Bos-Prov Hwy Caller reports a vehicle on the curb. N666 places one male under arrest for OUI. Arrest: Anglin, Raymond Washington Address: 195 Mechanic St Canton, Ma Age: 34 Charges: OUI Liquor Or .08% Marked Lanes Violation Protective Custody

0831 Phone - Found Syringe services rendered

Location/Address: [NOD 871] Berwick St Caller reports seeing two needles on the sidewalk. N666 will dispose of them.

1215 Phone - Animal complaint NACO/WACO notified Location/Address: Coach Ln Report of an injured wild turkey. NACO notified and states he is aware of the injured turkey and best to just leave turkey alone.

1650 Phone - Soliciting services rendered Location/Address: Devon Rd + Harrow Rd Party going door to door asking personal questions. Officers spoke to him and his boss, he thought he was in Walpole. N663 provided a courtesy transport to St. Timothy's Church with N664 following.

2124 911 - Well being chk services rendered Location/Address: Winter St + Lincoln St Report of an elderly male party who seems to be confused or lost. Officers spoke with him, he is not confused and is waiting for a friend.

2148 911 - Well being chk *report filed Location/Address: Day St Possible drug overdose. NFD notified and responded. N664 reports no overdose and that the party left the residence prior to their arrival.

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 June 1, 2016 at 7:40 P.M. in Room 12, Norwood Town Hall. The Commission is to hear a request for a Notice of Intent from Coneco Engineers & Scientists, Inc. of Bridgewater, MA representing 83 Morse Street LLC of Boston, MA for the proposed trenching in existing pavement for new gas and electrical services. Reconfiguration/repaving of existing parking area. Installation of a proprietary Stormwater separator. Project location: 83 Morse Street, Norwood, MA.

Copies of request and plans are available for review by appointment only. Please call Mr. Al Goetz at 781-762-0781.

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Velia (Vertullo) 80, of Norwood, passed away with her family by her side on Monday, May 9, 2016 at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center in Needham after a lengthy illness.

Born Jan. 18, 1936 in Solerno, Italy, a daughter of Giovanni and Antoinette (Malzone) Vertullo. Velia was raised and educated in Italy before moving to Massachusetts at the age of 18. Early years she was a dressmaker in Boston and also worked in Retail. She was a resident of Norwood for 47 years, formerly of Somerville and Hyde Park.

She loved her family and friends, she enjoyed cooking and entertaining and having everyone together. She will be missed by many, as she was loved by so many. She always had a positive attitude and outlook on life. She always had comforting words and advice to everyone. She was very compassionate and understanding.

She was a Beloved wife of 56 years of Frank D. Caviasca; loving mother of Gina Rico and her husband Richard (aka Fritz) of

DEATHS

Middleboro, Frank Caviasca, Jr. and his wife Lisa of Taunton; cherished her sisters and brothers, Flora Buonora of Norwood, Pasquale Vertullo and his wife Eileen of Medway, Maria DeLuca of Weymouth, Gilda Radosta and her husband John of Walpole; and her late brother Anthony Vertullo; proud grandmother of James Caviasca; loving aunt to many nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements by Gillooly Funeral Home, 126 Walpole St., Norwood. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in her memory to the Hematologic Malignancies Division Attention: Multiple Myeloma, Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, 450 Brookline Avenue, Boston, MA 02215.

CORMIER

Arlene F. (Mitchell-Walsh) Of Franklin, formerly of Norwood, passed away peacefully with her loving daughter by her side on May 10, 2016 at Sturdy Memorial Hospital. Beloved husband of the late Leo J. Cormier and Martin J. Walsh. Arlene is survived by three daughters, a brother several grandchildren and great grandchildren. Interment at Highland Cemetery in Norwood. Funeral arrangements by Gillooly Funeral Home, 126 Walpole St., NORWOOD. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in her memory to the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, Kansas 66675.

MONAHAN



John Francis, 87, longtime Norwood resident, Friday, May 13. Born in Boston, he was a son of the late Edward C. and Theresa (Dooley) Monahan. Beloved husband of the late Marie K. (Hickey). Devoted brother of Marjorie T. Lynch of Dennis, Janice Concannon of Harwichport, Robert Monahan of S. Hampton, N.H., and the late Edward C. Monahan, Jr. and Richard Monahan. Loving uncle of Eileen Hickey, Mary Hickey, Edward J. Hickey, Jr. and his wife Sharon, all of Norwood, Patricia A. Bates and her husband Rodney of Laconia, N.H. and the late Margaret "Peggy" Hickey. Cherished great-uncle of Connor Bates of Laconia, NH and Shauna, Jeffrey and Patrick Hickey, all of Norwood. Also survived by many other loving nieces, nephews,

grand-nieces and grand-nephews. John was a graduate of Boston English High School, Boston College, and earned his Master's Degree from Boston State College. He served in the U.S. ARMY. Mr. Monahan was a long-time business manager and educator in the Norwood Public Schools, and was Principal of the Callahan and Prescott Schools, retiring in 1991. He was a Grand Knight with the Knights of Columbus, Chittick Council, and had been involved with the organization since 1948. John loved golfing, and was an avid B.C. sports fan. Funeral arrangements by Gillooly Funeral Home, Interment St. Joseph's Cemetery, West Roxbury. Expressions of sympathy in his memory may be made to the Peggy Hickey Scholarship Fund, c/o Norwood Bank, 11 Central Street, Norwood, MA 02062.

WALSH

Nora (Flaherty) of Norwood passed away on May 10, 2016 at the age of 93. Devoted wife of the late Michael T. Walsh, Sr. Devoted mother of Mary Alexander and her husband Brad of Walpole, Anne Cavanaugh and her husband Chris of Norwood, Kathleen Houde and her husband Al of Beverly, Michael T. Walsh Jr. and his wife Susan of Norwood, Pauline Flood and her husband Tom of Wrentham and Noreen Walsh of Norwood. Sister of Anne Kilmartin of Ireland and the late Mary Keady, Bridget Caulfield, Margaret Folan, Kathleen Flaherty, Michael Flaherty and Marcus Flaherty.

Cherished grandmother of Robert and his wife Amy Alexander, Corey Alexander, Meghan Cavanaugh, Jillian Cavanaugh, Michael Flood, Michaela Flood, Brendan Flood and Julia Austin. Great grandmother of Matthew and Aiden Alexander. Daughter of the late Michael and Anne Flaherty. Funeral from the Kraw-Kornack Funeral Home 1248 Washington St. Norwood, MA. Interment Highland Cemetery Norwood. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in her name to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society 9 Erie Dr. Natick, MA 01760 or to Catholic TV Network P.O. Box 9196 34 Chestnut St. Watertown, MA 02471.

WELCH

David E., of Norwood, formerly of Walpole, May 8, 2016, age 86. Beloved husband of Carol Elizabeth (Meeers) Welch and the late Barbara (Maker) Welch. Loving father of Edward F. Welch and his wife Laurie of Wrentham and Marion Welch of Foxboro. Cherished grandfather of Penny Welch of Worcester. Step father of Ellen Hart and her husband Tom of East Walpole, David Meeers and his husband Wayne Fleury of Malden, and Paul Meeers and his wife Nina of Hingham. Step grandfather of Jennifer Hart of Weymouth, Jacquelyn Hart of Norwood, Thomas Hart of Walpole, Joseph Hart of Millis, and Ashley Benson and her husband Kevin of Plainville. Funeral arrangements by the James H. Delaney & Son Funeral Home, 48 Common St., WALPOLE. Interment at Rural Cemetery in Walpole. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to: Boys Town, PO Box 8000, Boys Town, NE 68010.

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