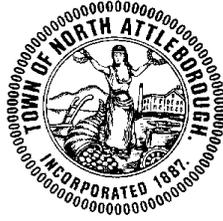


Michael D. Borg
Town Manager



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INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

DATE: Monday, October 23, 2023
TO: Town Council
FROM: Michael D. Borg, Town Manager
RE: Town Manager Report

Below are key activities, that I think would be of interest:

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT:

- Hurricane season is not over just yet, we will continue to track and report any storms that will impact our community.
- Continuing to work with FEMA, MEMA, and our local representatives to provide relief from the recent flooding in Town.

COMMUNICATIONS:

- **North T.V. Interview-** 10/17/2023-Migrant Situation Update
- **Veteran's Day Ceremony-** Saturday, November 11, 2023 at 11:00AM at Veterans Memorial Park
- Town Hall will be closed on Friday, November 10, 2023, due to Veterans' Day Holiday

OPERATIONAL UPDATES:

- Migrant Update
 - 47 Families now placed in North Attleborough. Determining the number of people, family members, and school age children.
 - Migrant Operations Update Meetings are held every other Thursday at 3:00PM.
 - National Guard is assisting with day-to-day activities, disbursement of resources, transportation, and translation of materials.
 - Conducted an initial North Attleborough orientation with new migrant families today.
- A School Building Committee Meeting was held on 10/18/2023.
- **Measure and List-** Measure and List is complete. Assessor is just waiting for all hard copies to be returned and then they will be reviewed. Once information is compiled, it will be online and then it will be put on social media for taxpayers to review. If they have any questions on the data, the Assessor's Office has a process in place to address any issues.

- The Vision part of the project is complete.
- Information is Updated online. Taxpayers can review Building Information. Contact the Assessor's Office with any questions.
- Values have NOT been set yet.
- The Assessor's Office will set up appointments with the Board as needed.
- <https://gis.vgsi.com/northattleboroma/>
- **21 East Street Parking Plan** – We have met again with the key staff at 21 East Apartments to discuss implementation of their approved parking plan in the event of flooding. One additional walkthrough took place 12 OCT 23 to provide recommendations to the existing plan
- **North Attleboro Business Accelerator (NABA)** – The NABA Board of Strategic Partners has awarded 7 Businesses Grants at last week's Economic Growth & Sustainability Meeting.
 1. The Meat Bar
 2. Vilorios Bistro and Bar
 3. Los Antojitos
 4. Dan Messier Plumbing and Heating
 5. North Attleboro Pharmacy
 6. Straight Edge Barber Shop
 7. Mad Moose
- **Tri-County MSBA Special Election scheduled for -October 24, 2023; 12:00PM- 8:00PM. For more information about this important election question please see the Town webpage at [News Flash • North Attleborough, MA • CivicEngage \(nattleboro.com\)](#)**
- **Boulter Farms EPA Cleanup Grant \$500,000** – Meeting is scheduled for November 7, 2023 at 6:00PM at the Department of Public Works Meeting Room.

FINANCIAL MATTERS:

- **We have received notification from the Massachusetts Clean Water Trust that the loans Water Enterprise Fund loans for the Adamsdale Well and McKeon Water Treatment Facility received loan forgiveness of 31.6% totaling \$3,726,147 for both projects. we had originally expected to receive 6% forgiveness but were happily surprised to receive this amount because of ARPA and/or the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL). Please see the attached letter from the Massachusetts Clean Water Trust.**
- From the Tax Collector, Chris Sweet - 2nd Quarter Personal Property and Real Estate Taxes are Due 01 NOV. Please pay on or before Wednesday, November 1st to avoid an interest penalty. You may pay in person, by mail, or on-line at: <http://www.nattleboro.com/home/pages/online-payments>

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

- **Retirement-** Executive Director- Full Time -Open until filled.
- **DPW-Laborers-**Part-Time Seasonal-Closes 10/31/2023
- **Library-** Circulation Coordinator- Full Time- AFSCME-Closes 10/30/2023
- **Town Manager's Office-** Communication & Information Officer-Closes 10/27/2023
- **WWTP-** Grade 5 Plant Operator-GR.E- Full Time- Closes 10/30/2023
- **Council On Aging-** Outreach Worker- USW- Closes 11/1/2023
- **Many School Department Opportunities:** Please visit the website for more information: <https://www.nattleboro.com/Jobs.aspx>