



TOWN OF CONCORD

Town Manager's Report

Week of: November 20, 2017

Memorial for Capt. Thomas Hudner Jr.

Thomas Hudner Jr, Captain, USN, retired, recipient of the Medal of Honor (MOH), 93, passed away on Monday the 13th of November.

Hudner's story of receiving the MOH is a story of uncommon valor envied by many but understood by few. He served in the United States Navy during the Korean War as a naval aviation pilot who risked his life to save a fellow pilot from Fighter Squadron 32, whose plane was struck by anti-aircraft fire, trailing smoke and was forced down behind enemy lines on December 4, 1950. Hudner received the MOH from President Harry Truman for his heroic action and will always be remembered as being humble, a gentleman and a true American Hero.

The Town came together on Wednesday and Thursday to honor Capt. Hudner's service to the country and Concord's community.



Rideout Park Completion

Rideout Park in West Concord has been completed after final touches of plantings and benches were added. Installation of an open air pavilion, the final phase of the Rideout Improvement Plan, is expected in Spring of 2018.





CMLP

LED Streetlight Installation

Concord Municipal Light Plant (CMLP) has begun to install the town's new LED streetlights. These new LED streetlights will cover about half of the Town with a total of 600 lights being replaced. The LED lights provide energy savings and Green House Gas emission savings.

Crews Returning from Mutual Aid Trip

Two lineworkers will be returning on December 2nd after a three week trip to provide aid to St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands. The lineworkers' help has been greatly appreciated as they work with other Massachusetts towns to ensure power continues to be restored to the island which was hit hard by several hurricanes.

Library

The Concord Free Public Library will be closing early at 6pm on Wednesday November 22nd in preparation for the Thanksgiving Holiday on Thursday. The Library will be closed all day on Thursday and Friday for the holiday.

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Town offices will be closed Thursday and Friday for the Thanksgiving Holiday and will reopen the following Monday, November 27th.

Happy
Thanksgiving

