



TOWN OF CONCORD

Town Manager's Report

Week of: December 18, 2017

Net Neutrality

Please find a statement on Net Neutrality from our CMLP Broadband Provider:

“We think that free, open, private Internet access is what our customers want and should get.

At Concord Light Broadband we have policies which we believe are in the best interest of our customers and our community. We know that these two issues have been in the news recently.

We want to be very clear. We take customer privacy seriously. We don't collect private information and we do not share customer information with any third party.

Net Neutrality is the idea that when you access the Internet, you can choose to use any service you want. We do not favor any content over any other content. All internet traffic is treated equally by our system. “

For more information on Concord's internet services please visit www.concordma.gov/Broadband

Tax Bills

Tax bills are being prepared and will be sent out at the end of next week. For any questions regarding tax bills including early payment, please contact the collector's office at 978-318-3050.

Concord Holiday Hours

Town offices will be closed next Monday, December 25th, offices will reopen Tuesday, the 26th.



CMLP Donation

The Concord Municipal Light Plant will be providing a donation to the Hugh Cargill Trust. The funds donated are appropriated to assist customers, who fit certain eligibility requirements, who struggle to pay their electric bill.



Library

The Concord Free Public Library received a donation of \$250,000 to help establish a collection of large print books. The Library is very grateful for this donation and looks forward to ensuring that the funds are put to good use.

Christmas and Holiday Tree Recycling by Boy Scouts of America

Once again this year the Boy Scouts of America Troop 132 and Holy Family Parish Youth Ministry will be sponsoring a Christmas and Holiday Tree Pick up. Concord Residents can contact the Boy Scouts of America Troop 132 Concord and Holy Family Parish Youth Ministry who will pick up your Christmas Tree at the curbside on Saturday January 6, 2018 for a donation (\$25) and bring it to the Town's Compositing site operated by Concord Public Works where it will be recycled. Donations are used to run scout and youth programs for the entire year.

To Register; email: concordtreepickup@gmail.com or visit the parish web site; <http://www.holyfamilyconcord.org/> for more details

Free Parking

The Select Board is waiving all parking fees on Saturdays in December to promote our local businesses. Please be aware that this excludes commuter parking.

