



TOWN OF CONCORD

Town Manager's Report

Week of: February 4th, 2019

Public Works Building 133
Keyes Road, Concord, MA

Annual Rabies Vaccination Clinic
(Concord Residents Only)

March 2, 2019
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Dogs Only - 1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.
All dogs must be on a leash accompanied by an adult. Please bring your dog's license and previous rabies certificate.

Cats Only - 1:45 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
All cats must be in a cat carrier.



Please note that the veterinarian on-site reserves the right NOT to administer vaccines to fractious cats (i.e., biting, hissing). These cats will have to be treated in an office visit that is a more controlled environment.

Budget Book Now Available

In preparation for the Annual Town Meeting which will be held beginning on Monday, April 8th, the Town is making available the Town Manager's Proposed Budget FY2020. This Budget Book contains detailed information about the anticipated revenues to be raised next year and the proposed expenditures to be appropriated at Town Meeting. Each of the Town's departments and divisions has a section which describes its mission, outlines key initiatives, presents its budget, and provides metrics on how it is performing.

The Budget Book can be viewed by going to the Finance Department page at Town's website, clicking on the Budget Book tab and accessing the General Fund Budget -> 2020 Budget Book or by using this link:
<https://concordma.gov/DocumentCenter/View/18027/2020-Budget-Book>

The FY20 Town Government Budget will be presented at a public hearing held at the Town House Hearing Room at 7PM on Monday, February 11th, weather permitting.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact Jon Harris, Budget and Purchasing Director at 978-318-3039 or jharris@concordma.gov.

CMLP - Power Outage

On February 3rd at approximately 7:10 PM we experienced a significant power outage, affecting 930 customers due to an underground cable failure, which tripped the circuit back to the Substation. The following areas were initially without power:

Academy Ln, Adin Dr, Arena Ter, Belknap St (Partial), Brister's Hill Rd, Brooks St, Bruce Rd, Byron St, Dana Rd, Elsinore St, Everett St (Partial), Fairhaven Gardens, Fairhaven Hill Rd, Fairhaven Road, Fielding St, Garden Rd, Grant St, Hubbard St, Laurel St (Partial), Love Ln, Middle St (Partial), Pilgrim Rd, Pine Hill Ln, Potter St, Riverdale Cir, Riverdale Rd, Route 2 (Partial), Southfield Cir, Southfield Rd, Sudbury Road (From Stow St to the Sudbury River), Thoreau Ct, Thoreau St, Union St, Walden St (Partial), Walden Ter, Whittemore St, Willow St.

Responding to the scene and accessing the situation, CMLP was able to isolate part of the circuit and restore power to over ½ of the customers in the following areas at approximately 8:30 PM:

Academy Ln, Brister's Hill Rd, Everett St, Fielding St, Hubbard St, Laurel St, Middle St (Partial), Sudbury Road (From Stow St to Thoreau St), Thoreau Ct, Thoreau St (excluding the section between Main St and Sudbury Rd), Union St, Walden St, Walden Ter, Willow St.

Between 8:30 – 10:00 PM (1.5 hours) crews were troubleshooting the area and located the underground cable failure in a manhole located along Thoreau St near the intersection with Middle St.

CMLP immediately starting making the necessary repairs, which were completed at approximately 11:30 PM (1 hour). At this time the isolated part of the circuit was re-energized restoring power to everyone except for an isolated incident on Love Lane. CMLP responded to the issue and restored power to Love Lane at approximately midnight.

2019 Honored Citizen Now Open

The Concord Public Ceremonies and Celebrations Committee would like to announce the opening of nominations for Concord's 2019 Honored Citizen.

For over fifty years, the town has annually awarded a Concord resident(s) as Honored Citizen for contributing substantial volunteer services to the community. During the year of honor, the citizen(s) is asked to join the Patriots Day Parade and participate in the town's celebrations and ceremonies.

*The Honored Citizen ceremony and reception will be on Sunday, March 24, 2019 at 1:30 in the Harvey Wheeler Center *

Nominations will be open until February 15, 2019 and should be addressed to:

Concord Public Ceremonies and Celebrations Committee
Town House - 22 Monument Square, P.O. Box 535, Concord, MA 01742.

You may also submit your nomination electronically to cpscc@concordma.gov

Please visit concordma.gov/pccc website for further information.