



City of Concord

Weekly City Manager Newsletter

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MAIN STREET

On Monday, June 27th, a large hole will be dug near the South Main Street entrance to the Kennedy Apartments and a large cement vault for underground utility (power and telecommunications) connections will be lowered into it and covered. Another large vault will be placed underground in front of the Capitol Center for the Arts on Wednesday. Some parking spaces in front of the Kennedy Apartments and the Capitol Center for the Arts will be encumbered for a work zone while crews are placing the utility vaults. Sidewalks in these areas will be temporarily closed while work is underway. Flaggers will be on site to assist pedestrians. The current construction work zone on the east side of South Main Street will remain in place.



Also next week, the sidewalk in front of 10 Hills Avenue (McGowan Fine Art) will be removed and rebuilt; the hardscape crew will complete the granite tiles at the bumpout near the Smile building; and flush curbing will be installed at the South Main Street crosswalks. Construction crews will be off on Friday, July 1st, and Monday, July 4th, in observance of Independence Day.

Check out Concord TV's most recent episode of the [Main Street Minute](#), filmed on June 16th, and see how crews prepared for the Market Days Festival.

EAST CONCORD WATER TANK INSPECTION

The City's East Concord water tank was inspected and cleaned this week as part of routine maintenance. A diver from the City's contracted vendor, Underwater Solutions, was disinfected and sent into the tank to complete a full inspection of the walls, floor and roof; and any naturally-occurring sediment that had accumulated on the floor of the tank was vacuumed up to complete the floor inspection. All of the City's water storage tanks are inspected once every five years to proactively identify any potential concerns. Water service is not disrupted, nor is water quality impacted, during tank inspections. This routine maintenance protects the City's water system.



NH PROPERTY TAX RELIEF PROGRAM

The deadline is approaching for property owners who owned and resided in their homes on April 1, 2015 to apply to the State of New Hampshire for relief of a portion of the State education property tax. There is no age requirement or asset limit for this program. A single person whose total household income was \$20,000 or less in 2015, and married persons or heads of NH households with total household income of \$40,000 or less in 2015 may apply. The application is available online at www.revenue.nh.gov. The application must be postmarked by June 30th. For more information, call 230-5920.

LIVE MUSIC ON THE LAWN

On **Wednesday, June 29th**, from **6:00-7:30 PM**, the Concord Public Library's *Live Music on the Lawn* returns! In our first of three planned concerts, "**People Skills**", a band with Sea-coast roots and a bass player from Concord, will perform. "People Skills" has "mad talent" with guitar wizardry and groovy syncopation from the rhythm section. Prince Street will be closed and there will be food vendors on site. Bring a chair or blanket and get ready to rock out with us this summer!



Join Us!

Community Hike
with the Concord Trails
Subcommittee

Riley Trails

Thursday June 30th @ 5:30 pm

Join one of our trail stewards to enjoy a guided hike on the Riley Trails. The first half of the hike to the view over Hoit Marsh is easy enough for **all levels** of experience (even first-timers!). More experienced hikers can then continue on the guided hike to the Snap Town Road trail, which includes some moderate hills.

Meet at the trailhead parking lot on Hoit Road (0.3 mi west of Shaker Road). For directions, please see the map on our website www.concordnh.gov/hikingtrails, click on Map 8

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