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September Highlights

From the Town Administrator

- Received a STEAP grant award in the amount of \$500,000.00 for the Herrick Park field upgrades. This includes new playing field area, drainage improvements and additional parking.
- We received notification of our CEDAS (Connecticut Economic Development Association) Bronze level recertification for meeting best practice in land use and economic development.
- We received notice that we have achieved Bronze level recertification for Sustainable CT.
 This project took much work from many individuals and was truly a team effort.
- > We met with the UCONN TAB (technical assistance for brownfields) program leader and a student who will aide us in understanding the possible reuse of the Notch Road site once the existing facility is removed.
- > Our team is continuing to work on the next level plan for the Heritage farm Trail so we will be ready for another public informational meeting.
- Progress is continuing on the Connectivity Grant Trail and we hope to complete it very soon but that is weather dependent.
- > Our Highway team is working on getting ready for reclaiming and paving on Williams Road and a portion of French Road. Signage has gone up and it's been posted in the bulletin.
- > We continue to work with CT Department of Public Health to finalize paperwork for the septic system installation.
- > We have held several meetings regarding the living history weekend. The team is comprised of both staff and volunteers and they have done an extraordinary job in planning.
- ➤ We have finalized plans and paperwork with Willscot and have a planned delivery date of on or about October 16th for delivery and set up. Set up will take a couple of days and we have our outside contractors getting set up to install power, water, internet and septic with all due haste
- > We are working on updating the Local Emergency operations Plan.
- > We are working on a complete update and overhaul of the employee handbook.
- We are creating a master calendar to help us keep on track with timelines and deadlines for required activities.

Respectfully submitted,

James Rupert
Interim Town Administrative Officer



1831 Big Crane Loop Port Orange, FL 32128 September 24, 2023

Pamela Sawyer, First Selectman Town of Bolton 222 Bolton Center Road Bolton, CT 06043

Re: Resignation of Alexander Dumas, Veterans Commission

Dear Pam,

Please accept this letter as my formal resignation from the Town of Bolton, Veterans Commission. We have moved to Port Orange, FL, effective September 7^{th} .

Thank you for your friendship over the years. I will miss my many friends and the beauty that Bolton offers every season. Bolton truly is a special place.

Again, thank you for everything you do for Bolton. I wish you and the Veterans Commission continued success in the future.

Sincerely,

Alexander Dumas

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