



TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT

Town Projects Status

- House Demo: We are still waiting on Delmarva Power & Light to disconnect the electricity so we can move forward with the Demo.
- New Electronic Sign: Electrician working on a proposal to run electric to our property fronting RT26 where the sign will be installed. The bids for the sign will be opened Wednesday, August 23, 2023.
- Evans Park: Paving project is on schedule. We had a few issues with the irrigation lines but have now been rectified.
- State Pond: The Town has been receiving several complaints regarding the stench and mosquitoes the State pond (across from Town Hall) is producing. It appears that the once open communication between the Town and State has ceased. I have directed Eric Evans, Code & Building Official to reach out and begin discussions once again on the possibility of the Town purchasing the property so we can maintain the pond and the overgrown vegetation.
- Millville Zip Code: I have given another individual's name at the USPS which I have reached out to, and we are putting together some dates together for a ZOOM meeting.
- Master Plan for Evans Park: During the budget discussions, I requested we hire GMB Land Planners to draft the Town a "concept" plan for Evans Park which would include the 16 acres of land the Town purchased. There were a few concepts that we didn't care for, we will get those removed and will present council with the concept in Sept.

Attached are the following reports:

1. Code & Building Department
2. Evans Park Report
3. DSP Crime Reports - July

Respectfully submitted,
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Town Manager