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Town Manager's Report

Dear Board Members:

I am pleased to report the following updates from Town Hall and throughout Town:

General Updates

- Thank you to the Health Department, especially our Public Health Nurse Ashley Pavlakos for coordinating last week's Light the Night Opioid Vigil in the Town Center. It was a wonderful tribute and a moving reminder of the impact that the Opioid Crisis has had on communities like ours across the nation.
- National Grid will be hosting in-person support office hours here in Tyngsborough on Tuesday, October 21, 2025 from 10 AM to 2 PM. Our local customer advocate will be at the Center for Active Living and will be available to answer questions about bills, payment programs, assist with enrollment, and much more. There is no sign up required, simply show up and get answers to your questions
- I am excited to announce that in the coming days we'll be launching a new digital calendar for events at the Center for Active Living. This calendar will allow residents to sign up for alerts anytime an event is added, modified, or cancelled. It will also show on the homepage of tyngsboroughma.gov and directly on the Council on Aging's page on tyngsboroughma.gov. This idea came out of the last Council on Aging meeting which I was happy to attend and is another step in the direction the Council is looking to move towards more accessible and innovative programming.

Projects

- Quick update on the demo of 180 Lakeview Ave. National Grid has finally cut the gas connection to the former Council on Aging Building which was the last step to get the abatement and demolition started. I expect to have a new schedule from S&R this week and will advise the Board. Residents should expect to start to see construction equipment show up at the site and fencing to go up around the building -- preserving access to the fields.

Reminders/Upcoming Events

- The Council on Aging is excited to announce that the evening bingo series is back! Join us every other Wednesday, for Bingo at the Center for Active Living. Doors open at 5:30 PM and the game starts promptly at 6:30 PM. The next game is on September 24, 2025.
- The Fall Health and Safety Fair will take place on Saturday, September 27th from 11 AM to 2 PM at the Tyngsborough Elementary School. Hope to see you all there.





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- The Tyngsborough Public Library will host a “Community Walk” at Ironwood Park on Monday, September 29, 2025 from 3 to 4 pm. This promises to be a lovely way to celebrate Good Neighbor Days and take a stroll through our beautiful park.
- The Annual Friends of the Tyngsborough Public Library Book Sale will take place on October 4, 2025 from 8:30 AM to 2:30 PM here in the Community Room. You can donate books to the book sale at the Library through October 2nd.
- The Sustainability Committee, the Tyngsborough Public Library, and the Tyngsborough Dunstable Rotary will host a Repair Cafe on Saturday, October 25, 2025 from 11 AM to 2 PM at the Beehive at 2 Bridgeview Circle. Volunteers will help you repair your electronics, clothing, jewelry, bicycles, lamps, sewing machines and much more.
- Zero Waste Day will take place on November 1, 2025 from 9 AM to 12 PM at the Tyngsborough Elementary School.
- The Tyngsborough Public Library is planning an Oral History Day on Saturday, February 21, 2026 from 10 AM to 1 PM at the Library to collect oral histories related to the Winslow School. They’ll be releasing more details in the coming months but save the date. This Oral History of Winslow School project was funded by the Community Preservation Committee and approved by Town Meeting last fall.

Assistant Town Manager’s Report

- Last week the Fire Headquarters Designer Selection Committee met with three finalists to provide a schematic design for a new Fire Department Headquarters. The Committee consisted of myself, Selectperson Keohane, DPW Superintendent Jake Zwicker, Fire Chief Russell and Asst. Chief Sands. The Committee has made its recommendation to Town Manager Loiselle for negotiation and award of a contract, and we expect negotiations for the schematic design to take place this week, with the beginning of the design process kicking off in the next two weeks.
- Next week, the Capital Asset Management Committee will begin capital planning for the FY27 capital budget.

Regards,

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Town Manager

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Assistant Town Manager

