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MASSDOT ADVISORY: UPCOMING LANE SHIFTS ON RTE 1

The Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) announced that during the overnight hours on Wednesday, September 2, roadway configuration changes and Route 1 northbound lane shifts took place in the work zone where the Chelsea Viaduct is being rehabilitated. Work was to begin after 9 p.m. and to finish before 5 a.m. on Thursday, September 3. Once the shift is complete, northbound traffic will be split into two lanes with the work zone between them from approximately the Fourth Street off-ramp (opposite the Walnut Street Synagogue) to the Sixth Street on-ramp (opposite the Logan Airport Marriott Residence Inn).

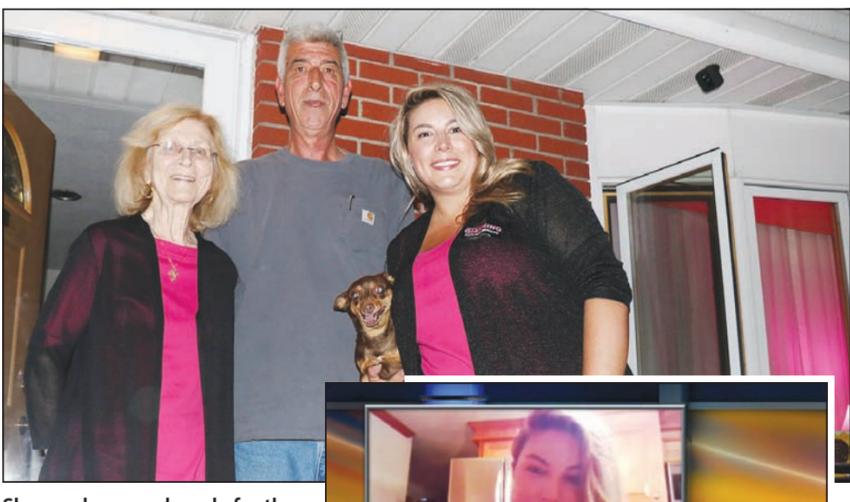
This operation was weather dependent. In the event of inclement weather on Wednesday, September 2, the operation will take place overnight on Thursday, September 3, into early morning on Friday, September 4.

This traffic shift will allow for a continuous work zone throughout the project area and facilitate necessary bridge deck repairs and safety improvements. Following the shift, two southbound lanes will be available on Route 1 during all peak periods.

Drivers should take care to pay attention to all signs.

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Giannino wins Dem. State Rep. race



Shown above and ready for the November election, Councillor Jessica Giannino is shown with her biggest fans, her Grandmother, JoAnne Giannino and her father, RPD Sgt. Christopher Giannino and her dog, Sam Adams. A pink light burned brightly in the window all day leading to the victory Tuesday night. Shown right, both candidates joined RevereTV and Revere Journal President Stephen Quigley on the air, via Zoom, to say a few words regarding the race following the tally of all the votes.



By Cary Shuman

Councillor-at-Large Jessica Ann Giannino earned an impressive victory in the Sixteenth Suffolk District Democratic Primary for State Representative Tuesday, defeating Joseph Gravelle in the hard-fought election. Giannino received solid votes in Revere, Chelsea, and Saugus to win by approximate 20-per cent margin overall. A top vote-getter in her councillor-at-large city-wide elections, Giannino again received strong support from her fellow Revere residents, notably in her home Ward 6. Giannino conducted an

outstanding campaign in a race against a formidable candidate in Gravelle, who like Giannino, displayed an excellent knowledge of the issues important to the district and worked hard in getting the message out to voters during the unprecedented times of the coronavirus. Some felt the timing of Giannino's endorsements was noteworthy and effective, particularly showcasing the key support she received from retiring State Rep. RoseLee Vincent and popular School Committee member Anthony D'Ambrosio who topped the

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La Abuela Carmen Products Bakery opens on Squire Road

By Cary Shuman

John Gil has opened a new Colombian-style bakery, La Abuela Carmen Products, at 154 Squire Road, which is the former location of Esposito's Bakery. "We're going to combine our own Colombian bakery's breads and cakes with the cakes, pastries and Italian breads that Esposito used to sell," said Gil.

"We're also moving our wholesale business for La Abuela Carmen Products, which is a corn business, to Revere." Gil, 45, intends to introduce his own new products such as Colombian-style croissants "but this was an Italian bakery so we're trying to keep the tradition that Esposito's had for many



John Gil, owner of La Abuela Carmen Products Bakery on Squire Road, stands adjacent to the counter in the store where subs and sandwiches will be sold.

Revere Public Schools enter into a MOA with Revere Teachers Association to restart school year

By John Lynds

At an emergency Revere School Committee meeting called last Friday, Revere Public School Superintendent Dr. Dianne Kelly said RPS and the Revere Teachers Association (RTA) have entered into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA)

to safely restart the school year. The MOA, that was unanimously adopted by the School Committee, addresses some of the concerns RTA members had over Revere's school reopening plan. While the School Committee voted earlier this

month to start with a 'remote' learning model instead of a 'hybrid' learning model due to an increase in COVID positive test rates, RTA members still had concerns over the safety of the plan.

City's COVID-19 Outreach Team hiring 'community ambassadors' for health efforts

By Cary Shuman

Kim Hanton, director of the Revere COVID-19 Emergency Response Team, said the city's outreach team is in the process of hiring a multilingual contingent of Community Ambassadors to assist in promoting safe health practices across the city. "The Ambassadors will help us promote safety and distribute resources to different neighborhoods in the community that we feel have not been accessed to the best of our ability during this COVID-19 crisis," said Hanton, who is the chief of public health and human services in Mayor Brian Arigo's newly formed City of Revere Cabinet.

Hanton said the goal "is to build our capacity and make our efforts more neighborhood friendly and to work together and communicate with the residents." The Response Team's increased efforts were launched as the City had one of the highest percentages of positive COVID-19

in the state during the last two weeks of August. Neighboring communities Chelsea, Everett, Winthrop, and Lynn are also appeared on the list of COVID-19 "hot spots" in the area. "The Ambassadors will be distributing masks and

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The Revere Beach Banners are up

Local residents display their works in 'The Sun Rises and Sets on Revere' campaign

By Cary Shuman

Project Manager Elle Baker of the Office of Strategic Planning and Community Development said that close to 100 residents submitted photographs in a city-run contest in quest of having their works displayed on large banners on Revere Beach as part of the city's "The Sun Rises and Sets on Revere" campaign.

Two weeks ago, after a committee reviewed the photographs and announced the 40 winners of the contest, the photo banners were installed on the light poles situated at the nation's first public beach.

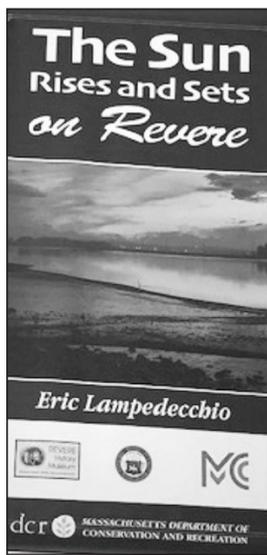
In a word, the banners look impressive. And what an honor it must be to have your artwork and your name seen by tens of thousands of visitors to the beach and of

course, the motorists who travel through the beach and Ocean Avenue.

"The banners are on the light poles starting on Revere Beach Boulevard at Shirley Avenue and proceeding down to Revere Street and up to 500 Ocean Ave.," said Baker.

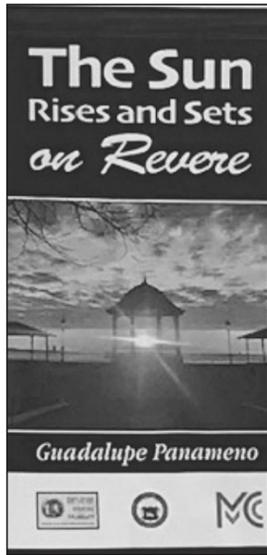
The photo banners were another triumph for Baker, who with Mayor Brian Arigo, has been overseeing and executing beautification and park renovation projects throughout the city. Working through the pandemic, Baker has been able to generate enthusiasm for the projects and collaborate with local residents in channeling their creative energies for the betterment of the city.

The Revere Cultural Council funded the project and it was supported



The Sun Rises and Sets on Revere award-winning photograph by Eric Lampedecchio displayed on a banner at Revere Beach.

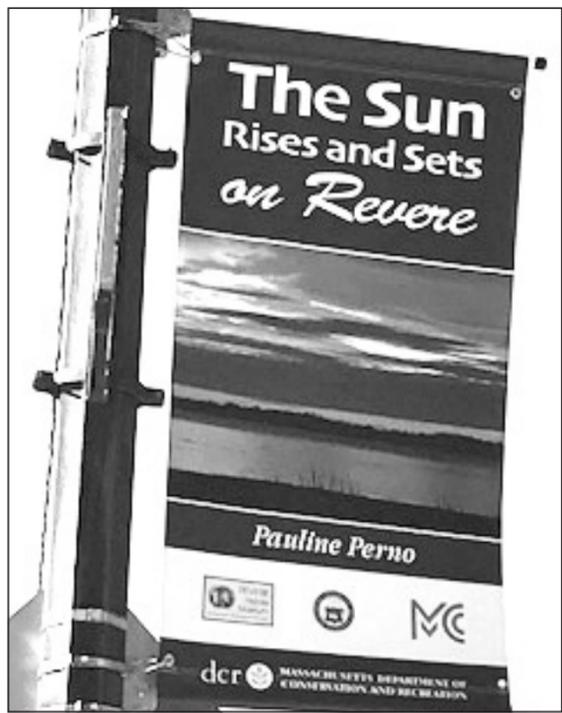
by the City of Revere, the Revere Society of Cultural and Historic Preservation,



The Sun Rises and Sets on Revere award-winning photograph by Guadalupe Panameno at Revere Beach.

the Revere Beautification Committee.

Baker also offered "spe-



The Sun Rises and Sets on Revere award-winning photo by Pauline Perno displayed on a banner at Revere Beach.

cial thanks" to Lou Spagnola for helping with the graphic design and Sofitech for the printing and installation of the banners.

She also credited Society of Cultural and Historic Preservation President Bob Upton for being a key partner in the project.

State disburses lost wages assistance benefits to PUA claimants

Unemployment insurance claimant benefits expected to be disbursed on or before September 15

Staff report

The Massachusetts Department of Unemployment Assistance (DUA)

has begun the disbursement of Lost Wages Assistance (LWA) benefits to Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) claimants, who will receive benefits beginning September 2.

Payments are expected in claimant accounts by Saturday, September 5. For those who are eligible for LWA through the standard unemployment insurance (UI) program accessed through

UI Online, benefits are expected to be disbursed on or before September 15.

The Commonwealth's application to receive grant funding to pay a limited additional weekly unemployment benefit to claimants under the federal Lost Wages Supplemental Payment Assistance (LWA) program for the weeks ending 8/1/20, 8/8/20, and 8/15/20 was recently approved by the

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The application was submitted by the Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency (MEMA), in coordination with the Department of Unemployment Assistance (DUA). An additional application for the week of 8/22/20 has been sent to FEMA and the Massachusetts DUA is awaiting review by FEMA.

Per FEMA's authorization, the grant will fund an additional \$300 weekly payment to those who are eligible for at least \$100 in weekly unemployment benefits for the three weeks ending 8/1/20, 8/8/20, and 8/15/20. The Massachusetts Department of Unemployment Assistance continues to work on the technology and business requirements necessary for this program

and anticipates being able to quickly deliver retroactive funds to all eligible claimants in the coming weeks. Most eligible claimants currently receiving benefits do not need to take any action because the Commonwealth will automatically add LWA to their weekly benefit payment retroactive to the dates specified in the grant.

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ticket himself in last fall's election, along with former Mayor Dan Rizzo. Giannino's colleagues on the City Council, who have watched her development into an effective voice for her constituents, also supported her candidacy.

Giannino thanked the residents of Revere for their incredible show of support and sharing her vision for a better future. Giannino released the following statement:

"To the residents of the 16th Suffolk District - thank you. This is the honor of my life. Thank you to all who came out to vote today, to those who provided feedback, insight and support. Thank you for sharing my vision for a better future. To every person in Chelsea, Revere and Saugus, I will never take your confidence for granted.

I'm so grateful for the hard work of the many volunteers that helped on the

campaign trail. Together, we got creative, took social distancing precautions and had fun. Whether it was making calls, knocking on doors or strategizing, I asked and you delivered. Thank you to my grandmother, Googie, my dad, my aunts, uncles and the rest of my family and friends. I'm beyond fortunate to have had you in my corner campaigning over the last nearly 10 years. Their support has always made a difference, and they are a huge part of our success.

For years, the 16th Suffolk District has been represented by strong women who knew how to get things done. They have been in leadership at the State House and given a new generation of elected officials a lot to live up to."

Giannino also thanked the many organizations and city and state officials who endorsed her candidacy.

An impressive newcomer to electoral politics and the son of a widely admired School Committee member, Susan Gravellese, Joe Gravellese congratulated Giannino on her victory while thanking the 2,200 voters who cast their ballots for him. He said he was proud of his campaign and the enthusiastic response he received from voters about his policies and progressive vision.

"The fact that Councilor Giannino did as well as she did speaks to the fact that she's been a good city councillor for a long time and has served the community really well," Gravellese said in an interview with Revere Journal President Stephen Quigley on the Revere TV post-election show. "She has done an outstanding job of being out there and being well known and of doing a good job. You don't get 5,000 votes every time you run for City Council if you're not doing a good job."

City Council President Patrick Keefe also congratulated Giannino on her victory in Tuesday's Primary.

"Jessica has the name and she backed it up with the work," said Keefe, "The Giannino family has been a staple in the community for well over a century and she's done the work to be the state representative for the Sixteenth District. She's going to live this job and represent her constituents with her fullest passion and ability. The residents of this area will be well served."



Ward 3 City Councillor Arthur Guinasso was helping his colleague Jessica Giannino by holding a sign on her behalf at St. Anthony's Church alongside a Sen. Ed Markey supporter.

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other tools will be used to control traffic and create safe work zones.

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It was a busy day at the polls for Council President Patrick Keefe

By Cary Shuman

City Council President Patrick Keefe may have not been on the ballot for Tuesday's Primary, but he was front and center in Wards 4 and 6 on Election Day in Revere.

Keefe, who represents Ward 4 on the City Council, was seen outside the Hill Elementary School polling location holding political signs for Congressman Joe Kennedy III in support of his bid for the U.S. Senate. Keefe was one of the first elected officials in Revere to make his endorsement known in the U.S. Senate race, displaying his support since January for Kennedy in the hotly contested election versus U.S. Sen. Ed Markey.

Keefe and Councilor-at-Large Steven Morabito have been very visible in their support of Kennedy, often consulting with the candidate and accompanying him on campaign stops in Revere including a tour of the Broadway business district in August.

"We're outnumbered by our peers in city government," said Keefe, noting that Mayor Brian Arrigo and the majority of city councilors and School Committee members supported Sen. Markey's bid for re-election.

Keefe also held signs in Ward 6 Tuesday in support of Councilor-at-Large Jessica Giannino in her race for the Sixteenth Suffolk District state representative position versus Joe Gravellese. Keefe is one of several councilors sup-



City Council President Patrick Keefe and former Cleveland Indians draft pick Steve Cushing are pictured with Councilor-at-Large Jessica Giannino during Tuesday's Democratic Primary election for state representative.

porting of Giannino in her campaign for election to the seat currently held by State Rep. RoseLee Vincent who is retiring in January.

Keefe had been urged by

several friends and supporters to enter the state representative race. He is a resident in the district.

"At one point I did consider running for the seat,"



City Council President Patrick Keefe shows his support for Congressman Joe Kennedy III.

said Keefe. "But after talking it over with my family, I felt it was not going to be the career path I wanted to go forward with yet. I was happy to step back and support Jessica Giannino."

Keefe was closely watching the election re-

turns Tuesday night, calling in Revere precinct totals to Kennedy's statewide Kennedy staff.

Keefe will be back at the podium in the City Council Chambers on Sept. 14 for the next Council meeting.



The Revere School Committee during last week's emergency meeting to adopt a MOA with the Revere Teachers Association.

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Major concerns from the RTA included the fact that teachers would have to teach remotely from their classrooms and high-risk students like ELA and special education students would be coming to Revere's school buildings for in-person learning despite the remote phase.

Under the MOA adopted by the School Committee teachers will provide remote learning three days a week from classrooms and two days a week from home. During shortened four day holiday weeks teachers will do two days from their classroom and two days from their home. Dr. Kelly said all teachers have the option to teach from their classroom five days a week if they so choose.

Staff that are at a higher risk of developing severe complications from COVID-19 will have special medical accommodations based on their needs. RPS are still working with those staff members to determine the proper accommodations.

Like the rest of the school population high-risk students like ELA and special education students will also start the year remotely and will no longer be educated in-person within school buildings when the school year begins. Once Revere switches to the hybrid model these students will join their fellow students for in-person learning. The hybrid model plan calls for students to be split into

groups. While one group is learning in-person the other group in learning remotely and vice versa.

The RPS and RTA also agreed that they will adhere to the State Department of Elementary and Secondary Education's guidelines on stitching from a remote to a hybrid model.

"In order to go from remote to hybrid the positive infection rate has to be 5 percent or less and fewer than 8 COVID cases per 100,000 residents," said Kelly.

Kelly added that if the State and City of Revere returns to Phase II of the COVID reopening plan the hybrid model would go back to the remote model. Teachers would have the option at that time to work from home or in their classrooms if things are scaled back. However, if the state and city go back to Phase I then all school buildings would be closed like they were in March and all teachers would work from home and all students would do remote learning.

RPS is also working on a testing program for staff and students in order to isolate asymptomatic carriers and prevent spread of the disease. Students that consent would be tested one week prior to the hybrid model kicking off and every week thereafter.

"I do feel like what we have agreed on will enable us to better serve our students without than if we went forward without an agreement," said Kelly.

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materials that promote safety and explain what the state regulations really mean," said Hanton. "We're finding that many people don't have a true understanding of 'What does it mean [during COVID-19] to have a social gathering?' 'This is really our way of having a peer who is going to try to promote safety. It's peer promotion. An Ambassador will be a peer within the neighborhood. We want our Ambassadors to be role models for the practice of good public health behavior.'"

Paid, part-time non-union positions
Kim Hanton said the

Community Ambassadors will be part-time, paid, non-union positions that will require 19 hours per week.

"We're looking for bilingual candidates who can speak English, Spanish, Portuguese, Khmer, Vietnamese, Russian, or Arabic."

Candidates for the positions can visit revere.org/jobs for more information about the application process. All candidates must be residents of Revere.

Hanton said all Ambassadors will be required to participate in a training program for COVID-19 engagement procedures.

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years." "We'll be making the calzones and the pizzas here but Esposito's will be providing the dough for us," said Gil. "We are not Esposito's but we're selling Esposito's products."

La Abuela will be selling submarine sandwiches at a counter that has already been built adjacent to the pastry display cases.

"We're just awaiting approval from the city to start selling subs," said Gil. "It should be up and running in the next week or two."

There are also plans to sell coffee and grab-and-go breakfast products.

Gil's successful company also produces corn products, fresh Colombian

cheese, and other foods that are sold at supermarkets including Market Basket.

The owner is making cosmetic improvements to the exterior of his bakery and the interior customer service and food production areas, but the bakery still maintains the look, feel, and charm of Esposito's. He said he will be installing a new sign on the bakery soon.

Gil grew up in Colombia and came to the United States in 1995. He used to work for world-famous Bally Shoes as the international wholesale representative for Latin America.

"I quit that job - which was really good - to start my own business making

the corn products," said Gil, who lives in Revere. "I started that business in 2013 in a tiny little apartment in East Boston. And the business just grew and grew very fast. In a matter of two months, I opened

120 new accounts."

And last week he brought his business acumen and hospitality to Squire Road and he has received a warm welcome from Revere residents with a bright future ahead.



John Gil proudly displays the raspberry and apple turnovers that are available at his new bakery, La Abuela Carmen Products, that is now open at 154 Squire Road, site of the former Esposito's Bakery.



John Gil stands outside La Abuela Carmen Products Bakery that is named in honor of his grandmother, Carmen.



Kiko's 100 Percent Colombian Coffee and Kiko's Organic Tea are available at La Abuela Carmen Products on Squire Road.

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The dancers worked hard all year both in the studio and through zoom classes, and deserved this moment to shine on stage.

It wasn't an easy task because guidelines kept changing and the studio needed to restructure the show as they changed. In the end they broke the dances down into 11 different groups over two days. They followed all

the rules and guidelines, and pulled off a show to remember.

A special thank you goes out to Michael Hinojosa, Mayor Arrigo, John Leone, Charlie Giuffrida, Sally Vranos, Renee Trichilo, Anthony DiCicco, Scott Elias, Nicole Zervas, all the dancers, families and DRWE staff and crew for all their hard work and dedication!



"Somebody's watching me" performed by Julianna DiCicco, Cassyn Scarpaci, Kimberly Andrade, Gianna Anzalone, Laura Rezzai, Isabella Marashi, Isabella LaCorcia, Joanna Cavaliero, Aryanna Paradis, Kristen Marchant and Alivah Brownu.



Hip Hop Class Ages 9-11



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Emerald Dance Team ages 11-14



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ENJOY A SAFE LABOR DAY WEEKEND

"Time and tide wait for no man," wrote the poet. The summer of 2020 is entering its final week as we approach the traditional Labor Day weekend and once again the summer season has flown by much faster than any of us would have liked, especially during a time when we find ourselves being held hostage by a microscopic virus. But the calendar never lies and soon the summer of '20 will be just a memory.

Ordinarily, our end-of-summer editorial recalls the happiness and joy that the summer months have brought us. But this era of a pandemic has forced all of us to abandon almost every aspect of our traditional summer rituals, both big and small and on both communal and personal levels.

As this most awful of summer seasons winds down to just a few precious days, we certainly understand the desire on the part of many (if not all of us) to just let it all out, so to speak: "If this is the last, let's make it a blast!"

But amidst the chaos in our lives, one thing that has not changed, and that requires even more urgency than usual, is our annual admonition to our readers to enjoy the Labor Day weekend safely.

We certainly do not wish to rain on anyone's parade, so to speak, but we would be remiss if we failed to urge our readers that if they intend to have a good time, they should do so safely, both for themselves and their loved ones.

First and foremost, excessive drinking does not mix with anything -- whether it be boating, driving, water sports, hiking, bicycling, or just about any activity that requires some degree of coordination and observance of the rules of safety.

The news reports will be full of tragic stories over the weekend of those who died or were seriously injured in accidents that could have been avoided had excessive drinking not been involved.

In addition, though this is a holiday weekend for us, we must remember that the COVID-19 does not take a holiday. It always is lurking and seeking new victims who do not wear a face mask in public and who do not practice appropriate physical distancing at all times.

We must do our part to ensure that none of our loved ones -- let alone ourselves -- are among the inevitable, sad statistics.

We wish all of our readers a happy -- and safe -- Labor Day weekend.

A SUMMER OF CHAOS AND TRAGEDY

As America approached the Memorial Day weekend of 2020, the death toll from COVID-19 in the United States stood at just under 100,000 of our fellow Americans.

But now, three months later, that number soon will have doubled, as our nation's death toll from the virus approaches an astonishing and tragic 200,000 persons.

On May 25, a Black man, George Floyd, was murdered by a white Minneapolis police officer, who kept his knee on Mr. Floyd's neck for more than eight minutes while Mr. Floyd lay prone on the ground until Mr. Floyd stopped breathing.

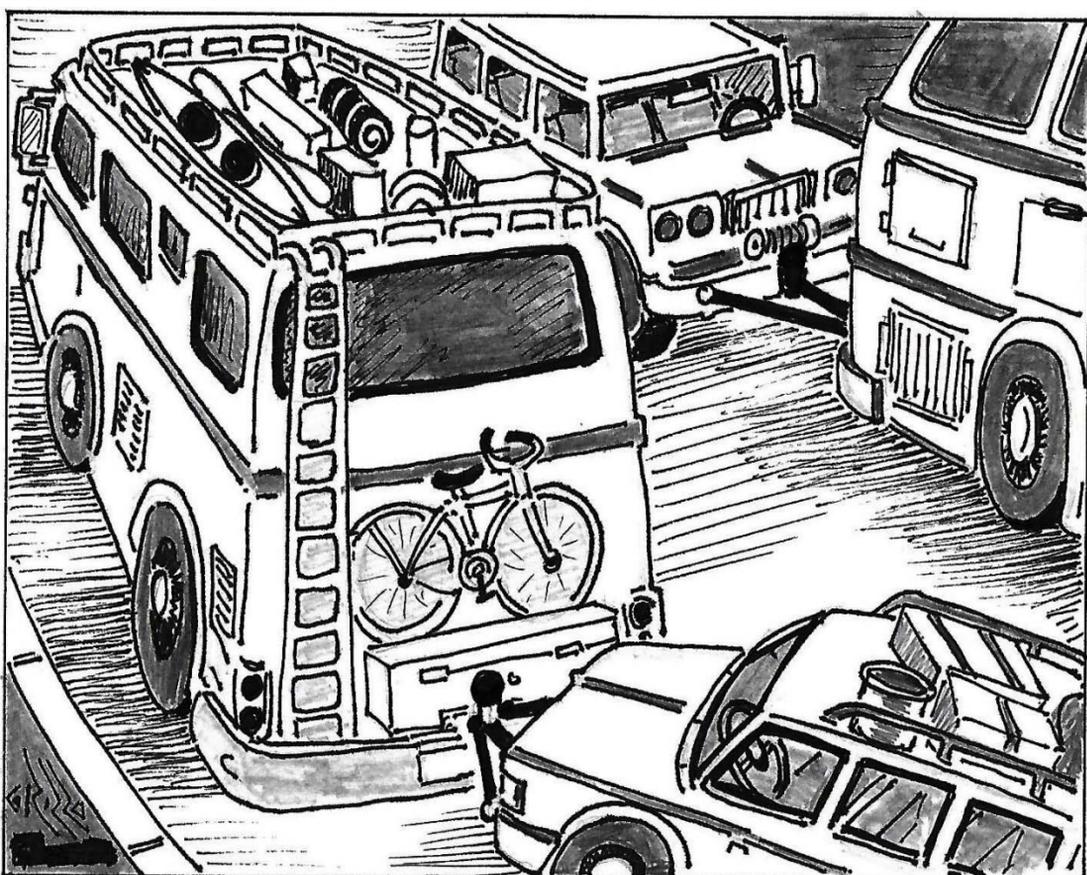
Three months later, a white Kenosha, Wisconsin police officer shot a Black man, Jacob Blake, seven times in the back in front of his three young sons, leaving Mr. Blake paralyzed from the waist down.

Neither Mr. Floyd nor Mr. Blake posed a threat to any of the officers such that the officers were justified in using deadly force.

In May 2020, our national unemployment rate and number of business failures stood at levels not seen since the Great Depression. Three months later, the improvement has been minimal with the spectre of worse to come thanks to the inaction by our leaders in Washington.

The Summer of 2020 has been a tragic disaster in this country by any and every measure. But instead of learning from our mistakes in order to move forward, our national leadership has offered no plan to alleviate the many problems we are facing.

Instead of giving us hope that better days lie ahead, the present administration's dysfunction has ensured that America will continue to spiral downward.



AT HOME OR AWAY, ENJOY LABOR DAY

GUEST OP-ED

My experience with 'The COVID'

Coronavirus. Corona. 'Rona. COVID-19. 'The COVID'. No matter the name this virus is called it holds deep and serious repercussions for our entire world. I would like to share a bit of my experience with 'The COVID', as I choose to refer to this pandemic. My pre-existing health issues are on this WHO and CDC list of folks who should take additional precautions to prevent illness. Having this knowledge, I began staying home early on, self-quarantining to lower my potential exposure to 'The COVID'. My family strived to be vigilant with all precautions. We masked, washed, disinfected constantly. Our family limited our interactions. We practiced physical distancing. However, this highly contagious virus still managed to reach me in my seclusion. I began to feel off. Brutal headache, feeling incredibly tired and a minimal cough started my symptoms. Three to four days later, a high temperature arrived. I reached out to my doctor. I was tested within 24 hours of my call. Within 30 hours, I had my test results. Positive for Coronavirus. I had 'The COVID'. I was spinning. Oh, no, who did I infect? Who could have shared their germs with us? How did this happen? Am I one of the people who will die? Began thinking, oh no, my young adult children have asthma, my brother diabetic, have I infected them? Will they get sick? Will I lose people I love?

I began deeper isolation, I stayed in my bedroom. Rarely left the confines of that space. I was in absolute fear of spreading the virus, hurting anyone else. I am accustomed to these types of precautions, having gone through my personal journey with Breast Cancer. Neutropenia, a condition in which your body has little to no immunity, affects many who undergo chemotherapy treatments. Those who become neutropenic must take serious precautions to survive during treatment and beyond. I lived in that reality before. So, the wearing of masks and staying secluded, as hard as it is, was something my life experience had already prepared me to endure again. The phrase, "We got this!" is a motto our friends and family adopted long ago and returned in full force with a positive diagnosis of 'The COVID.' The luxury of technology, of cell phones, computers and the now common place zoom calls, insured my isolation was not lonely. I am blessed. I have a tribe who is always present and willing to be there for one another. We can calm each other's fears. Shop for one another. Friends, family, social media, and soon a new group of phone calls and texts began checking in daily. The Winthrop Board of Health, and its invaluable leader, Meredith Hurley reached out to me upon diagnosis. She asked the questions needed to begin contract tracing, hoping to slow the spread and to alert

anyone with whom I may have had interpersonal contact. Our entire household went into a 14-day quarantine. The Winthrop Board of Health assigned me a nurse, Tara, who texted or called me every other day to check on my health and symptoms. Sarko Gregerian, a dedicated Winthrop Police officer, and member of the Winthrop Emergency Operations Center, BOH team called me EVERYDAY. He called to see if there was anything we might need. How could the BOH help us? Help me? I was immediately overjoyed by the consistent presence of the compassionate staff of our Board of Health. I then thought of how many of us in Winthrop were testing positive. Thinking of how vital this team is to those who may not have their own tribe. Those who may not have the financial resources for necessities or who might be experiencing food insecurity. How vital a resource these folks are for human engagement, in a fear filled time of a potential life threatening diagnosis. I cannot imagine, how with such a limited staff, this team was able to be present for EVERY person testing positive. Doing so, while all the while, still taking care of the requirements with the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. Still staffing the Emergency Operations Center daily.

Continuously, preparing and disbursing educational materials to our residents on prevention of the spread and lowering the ever-growing curve of new cases. All the while creating and establishing ordinances and regulations for the safety of our residents and businesses. Additionally, being present for questions whether by phone calls or on a live zoom meeting broadcasted throughout the town on WCAT or social media. This team does all of this while having their own

families, their own fear of expo-sure, their own lives. Some might say, this is their job. It goes far beyond their actions being a job requirement. This unprecedented pandemic has shown many inequities in healthcare, in pay, in available resources for many. The pandemic also showed a glaring need for additional employees on our towns Board of Health. 'The COVID,' does not seem to be leaving any of our lives any time soon. I would advocate to get better staffing for our BOH. I know budgets are insanely tight. I know our financial worlds are facing a depression. I cannot imagine the depression we would all face with the potential loss of life, due to a lack of the best possible professional staff members needed to keep up with the increasing needs of this department. We do not know what the Second Wave of this virus will look like. We do not know if you can be re-infected or if the mutations of the virus will attack those who already survived the First Wave. We as citizens need to personally be there for those who will need us. We must prepare our infrastructure to be ready for whatever the Board of Health will face.

I want to express my thankfulness to Meredith, Sarko, Tara, the EOC team and our Winthrop First Responders for their passion to keeping our town safe and healthy. I personally thank each of them for their enduring, dedicated interactions throughout my 40+ days of 'The COVID.' This global pandemic is far from over. However, Winthrop is beyond fortunate to have the staff on our Board of Health to help us navigate and thrive during the pandemic.

Wendy Millar-Page is the Executive Director of the Revere Chamber of Commerce.

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CORRECTION: Last week we reported Police Officer Mike Mason as promoted to Sergeant. Officer Mason was actually promoted to Lieutenant. We regret this error

Knights of Columbus provide scholarships, elect officers

The Revere Knights of Columbus, St. Michael the Archangel Council #16550 has been busy despite the Corona 19 Pandemic.

In May, we did crown the Statue of the Blessed Mother at the Council.

We are proud to have a dedicated Memorial Plaque for our deceased members of the re-chartered council which was dedicated and Blessed just prior to the Pandemic.

We held our spring raffle

and there were 31 raffles and many happy recipients.

We have been periodically visiting our sick brothers and their families and lending support financial, emotional and spiritual as possible.

Officers, trustees and board members were elected for the 2020-2021 fiscal year. Officers include:

- John J. Verrengia - Grand Knight
- Michael Ferrante- Deputy Grand Knight

- Chancellor- Paul Ring
- Treasurer- Michael Piccardi
- Financial Secretary- Chuck Saldi
- Warden-Joshua Verrengia
- Recorder- Robert Alessi
- Advocate- Stephen Rear-don
- Guards- Pat Guarino and Richie Brelsford
- Trustees- Bob Serino, Frank Deangelo, Richie Santangelo

For the time being, due to the Pandemic we are sus-

pending the weekly Community Breakfast that was held every Tuesday –It is our hope to resume it again in more favorable times in the future.

The council was open for television mass each Sunday at 8 a.m. to watch and social distancing was practiced.

Our Annual Communion mass and breakfast is scheduled for 8 a.m. at St. Anthony's, followed by a continental breakfast in the lower church ---Family members of the council are welcome to come .

The Council is proud to announce our Annual scholarships for this year—Nicholas Martinez from Immaculate, Vincent Snyder from St. Anthony's and Olivia Freni from St. Mary's. These youngsters have demonstrated catholic values, leadership and dedication to make the community a better place. The awards were given at the August meeting.

The Council wishes to thank East Boston Savings Bank and their CEO Richard Gavengano for a very generous \$1,000.00 to the council---We are incredibly indebted to them.

Due to the continuing Corona virus crisis, the



John Verrengia shown with scholarship winner Nicholas Martinez and his mother, Elena.

Council is announcing that there will be no \$5,000.00 drawing in December, which included dinner, raffles and a great time for all---However, the council has an alternative---On November 19,2020 the council will draw two raffle gift card baskets each worth \$250.00 made up of valuable gift cards. -During this crisis, food has been a premium and the gift cards included Market Basket, Stop and Shop, Amazon, Visa, Luberto's Bakery and Jimmy's Steak house---The cost of the raffle is only \$10.00 and you do not have to be present---For tickets, you may call 781-853-0490 or 781-289-8670 or email amvjv@verizon.net

There has been a major change from Supreme Knight of Columbus and obtaining the three degrees for full Knighthood can be done by video on line in 35 minutes with Family members present.

The council is in the process of some renovations which includes a new awing, more handicap accessibility and other necessary repairs.

In the Fall, the council will hold a canned food drive rather than a clothing drive. Details to be announced.

The council is located at 29 Central Avenue and the phone number again is 781-853-0490 and messages are checked daily.



Shown from left to right, Michael Ferrante, Frank DeAngelo, Jim Bocelli, Rick Freni and his daughter, scholarship winner Olivia Freni, and Vin Cammarata.

REVERE THROUGH THE YEARS

10 years ago September 2, 2010

Wonderland Dog Track, which abruptly ceased operations two weeks ago, announced on Thursday afternoon that they would be acquired by a subsidiary of Suffolk Downs within 90 days, which then will sell the property to a very well-known developer. Wondy CEO Dick Dalton told the Journal and the Revere License Commission that SSR (Sterling Suffolk Racecourse) Acquisitions, headed up by Suffolk's William Mulrow, was preparing to purchase Wonderland by at least December 15. Dalton told the Journal that the property then would be transferred over to a well-known developer that cannot be disclosed at this time.

Wonderland employees – some with more than 35 years on the job – were let go without even a severance package when the track closed down abruptly on August 19, according to several sources.

A small group of former Wonderland employees, all of whom had full-time union jobs at the track, said that Wondy has gotten many accolades following their closing, but that some workers felt there was little to be impressed with on the inside. "I want to say without hesitation that Wonderland could care less about any union employee it had," said one former employee of 41 years, who requested anonymity due to ongoing issues with the track. "There was no severance package."

Resident Evil, Easy A, and Eat, Pray, Love are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

30 years ago Sept. 5, 1990

A Suffolk Superior Court judge has ruled that the developments on Bates and Douglas Sts. are illegal.

The city issued building permits for four, ranch-style homes, two of which almost are completed, but a court case was brought by abutters, who asserted that the property was just one lot, not four. The judge found that the homes were built on lots of 3125 sq. ft., but that the zoning calls for lots of 6000 sq. ft.

A former local man has been permanently maimed and his fiancée was killed when their motorcycle was struck on No. Shore Rd. by an automobile that was weaving along the wrong side of the road and without headlights.

A local man is trying to save his foot, which almost was severed, when he was run down on Centennial Ave., and a Dehon St. woman is recovering from a head injury when she was struck by the same stolen automobile on Friday night. Two suspects are in custody at the Charles St. jail.

Revere native Freddie Cannon, who had a number of smash hits in the early 60s, including Tallahassee Lassy, was the big crowd-pleaser before 2000 people at a concert Saturday night at Harry Della Russo Stadium.

Postcards from the Edge, My Blue Heaven, and Presumed Innocent are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

40 years ago Sept. 3, 1980

School bells rang today for public and parochial schoolchildren in the city. The Revere public schools showed 6162 students enrolled for classes, a decrease of 266 from last year. The public schools have seen a steady decline in student enrollment. There were 460 fewer pupils in 1979 than in 1978 and 400 fewer in 1978 than in 1977.

The Revere Parks and Rec. Department held a gala sixth annual Olympics

Day at Harry Della Russo Stadium last Wednesday to climax the 1980 summer playground season. Michael Poncia was crowned Mr. Atlas and Danielle Croce was named Miss Revere.

A tragic, two-alarm fire at Suffolk Downs in the Barn L stable area killed 13 race horses early Friday morning. Damage was estimated at \$250,000 to the stable and \$200,000 for the horses.

Burger King won the A Division of the city basketball league and Hub ticket took the B Division crown. Mark Hennessey, Billy O'Donnell, Kevin McCann, Neil Monagle, and Andy McCarrick paced Burger King in its playoff series win over the Lewis Club. McCann was named the league's MVP for the second straight year.

Corbin won the 46th annual, \$100,000 Wonderland Derby on Saturday night.

Peter Sellers stars in Being There at the Kincaid Theatre in Winthrop.

50 years ago Sept. 3, 1970

With more than 300 residents in attendance, as well as a large number of uniformed and plainclothes police on hand to keep the crowd under control, the City Council reaffirmed its previous decision to establish a Revere Redevelopment Authority. Residents sought to speak on the issue, but the council did not allow any speakers from the audience. A group of citizens immediately began circulating a petition seeking to nullify the council's creation of the new agency.

A fact-finder appointed by the state has recommended a 14 percent pay raise, amounting to \$1148, for Revere police officers.

A report by the Committee of the Whole has recommended that \$100,000 be spent for major repairs

and renovations to City Hall, which the report says is "falling into decay."

Geoffrey Cambridge and Raymond St. Jacques star in Cotton Comes to Harlem at the Revere Drive In.

60 years ago Sept. 8, 1960

With many hotly-contested races on the Democratic side, a turnout of 14,000 voters is predicted for Tuesday's state primary election.

Congregation Tifereth Israel welcomed its new spiritual leader this weekend, Rabbi Murray Gershon of New York City. He succeeds Rabbi Emeritus Henry A. Landes.

Five residents were injured in traffic accidents over the weekend and a four year- old boy was hospitalized with head injuries in a separate auto incident on Tuesday.

Lana Turner stars in Portrait in Black at the Revere Theatre. Gary Cooper and Burt Lancaster star in Vera Cruz at the Revere Drive In.

70 years ago Sept. 7, 1950

The Revere community was stunned this week by news of the sudden death of Rocco Mastrangelo, supervising principal of the Paul Revere, Carl Willard Mabie, and Theodore Roosevelt schools. Mastrangelo, 43, had gone to his brother's in Stamford, Conn., for a christening when he was stricken and died of a cerebral hemorrhage. He had just married the former Estelle Urbonas this past July

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A Malden man who held up 15 patrons at Bischoff's Restaurant on Revere Beach Blvd. and then wounded a police officer in a running gunfight 13 years ago was finally captured in San Francisco last week.

A giant jamboree and penny sale for the building fund drive for the Jewish Community Center will be held at the Red Roof on Ocean Ave. next Saturday. A drawing for a \$3000 Pontiac convertible will highlight the event. A \$50 government bond also will be given away every hour.

Gov. Paul Dever has given the green light to the Revere Housing Authority for the construction of a second section of the low-rent, veterans housing project on Cooledge st.

Humphrey Bogart and Pat O'Brien star in San Quentin at the Revere and Boulevard Theatres. Burt Lancaster and Yvonne DeCarlo star in Brute Force at the Revere Drive In.

80 years ago Sept. 5, 1940

Revere residents of all ages were thrilled to have the City of Revere spotlighted last Thursday night for an hour from 9-10 on the Major Bowes Amateur Hour Radio Show. Although most residents felt that Bowes shed a favorable light on the city, some felt he did not go far enough in extolling the city's industries and recreation facilities.

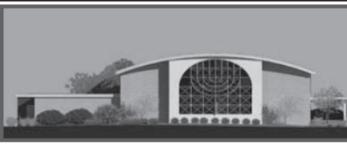
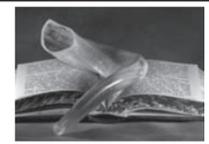
Members of the City Council took aim at May-

or Laurence Gillis with a number of orders in which the council asked for an accounting of WPA expenditures, sought information about the discharge of Atty. George Farnham from the Legal Department, and directed that the mayor inform them of the names of persons whom he recently has hired for city jobs. Council Pres. Raymond Carey, who is opposing Gillis for the mayoralty, was the sponsor of many of the orders.

Although Massachusetts had only 36 cases of tuberculosis per 100,000 residents in 1939, which is about 75 percent of the rate in the rest of the country, the rate for Suffolk County is the highest in the state and exceeds that of the rest of the country.

The Hillside Private School, which has become a recognized institution in this city over the past seven years, will open its eighth season in its new building, which is modern in every way, on Monday. The school is open to students who are still just a little bit too young to enter the public schools. The school is a member of the prestigious Children's Institute which prides itself on being a "link between the school and the home" so that parents can provide further instruction for their children at home.

Randolph Scott and Brian Donlevy star in When the Daltons Rode at the Revere and Boulevard Theatres.

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James Arthur Edward Buckley

Incredible chef and baker and longtime member of the Boston Gay Men's Chorus

James Arthur Edward Buckley of Revere passed away at home on August 29 at the age of 68.

Born in Revere on March 21, 1952 to the late Marcus G. Buckley and Lucy (Movsesian), he was the dear brother of Marcus F. and his wife, Sue of Yarmouth Port, Scott and his wife, Kay of Plymouth, and Bruce and his wife, Debbie of North Falmouth; cherished uncle of Sarah Rudolph and her husband, Michael, Marcus C. Buckley and his wife, Steffi, Adam Buckley and his wife, Meghan and Audra Reynoso and her husband, Tyson and adored great uncle to Jacob, Charley, Aubree, Billy, Joe and James. He is also survived by many loving cousins and friends.

For the past 10 years, Jim worked for Sotheby's in the South End of Boston. Prior to that, he operated the family restaurant, Buckley's in the Boston Flower Exchange which he took over after working many years alongside his father. He was an incredible chef and baker and was known for making beautiful birthday cakes to those lucky enough to receive them, ornate gingerbread houses to decorate with family, and baking to excess for every holiday. He had a true passion for music and was a gifted pianist. Jim was a proud member of the Boston Gay Men's Chorus for 16 years. He loved spending time with family and the sarcastic banter that always ensued. Uncle Jimmy



found great joy in watching his nieces and nephews grow up and especially loved seeing their children. He will be sadly missed by all who knew him.

A visitation will be held at the Paul Buonfiglio & Sons-Bruno Funeral Home, 128 Revere St, Revere on Friday, September 4 from 11 a.m. to 12 noon followed by a private Prayer Service in the Funeral Home. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Due to the current spike in Covid-19, the guidelines issued by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and local officials, we are limited to 25 people at a time and social distancing and masks are required. Interment will be at Puritan Lawn Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Boston Gay Men's Chorus, 539 Tremont St., Boston, MA 02116 payable to "BGMC" or at www.bgmc.org or to the American Kidney Foundation, 85 Astor Ave Suite 2, Norwood, MA 02062 or at www.kidneyhealth.org. For guest book please visit www.buonfiglio.com.

Marlene Furginson

Of Chelsea, formerly of Revere

Marlene F. Furginson, of Chelsea, formerly of Revere, suddenly passed away at home after a long illness on November 25, 2019. Marlene was the beloved daughter of the late Cmdr. Dennis and Barbara Garrett. Loving mother of Kelly Camacho, her husband William and five beautiful grandchildren, of Vero Beach, Fla. She was loving sister of Mary Zullo and late husband, Jerry, of Revere, loving sister, Margaret Gannon and husband, Shannon, of Santa Cruz, Calif., loving sister, Barbara Amato and husband,



James, of Revere, loving predeceased brother, Dennis Garrett, of Revere. She is survived by many loving nieces and nephews. Marlene had a passion for decorating and worked as a hairstylist before becoming ill. A private graveside service was held on Aug. 14 at Holy Cross Cemetery. Donations in her memory may be made to St. Jude Children and Research Hospital.

Rosemarie Palermo

8th Anniversary
Died August 30, 2012



When I come to the end of the road and the sun has set for me, I want no rites in a gloom-filled room.

Why cry for a soul set free? Miss me a little, but not too long, and not with your head bowed low. Remember the Love that we once shared.

Miss me but let me go. For this is a journey we all must take, and each must go alone. It's all part of the Master plan, a step on the road to home. When you are lonely and sick of heart, go to the friends we know and bury your sorrows in doing good deeds.

Miss me, but let me go.

Love,
Children, Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren

Camille Sacco

Strong faith and love of family were the hallmarks of her life

Family and friends are invited to attend a visitation on Thursday, September 3 from 9 a.m. through 11:15 a.m. in the Vertuccio & Smith, Home for Funerals, 773 Broadway (Rte. 107) Revere for Camille R. Sacco, 84, who passed following a long illness and struggle with the complications of metastatic brain cancer on Sunday, August 30 at her beloved Revere residence. A brief funeral service will be held in the funeral home following the visitation at 11:30 a.m. and a graveside service at Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett will be at 12 (Noon) with interment to follow. In accordance with the ongoing pandemic protocol, masks must be worn at all times and social distancing observed.

Born in East Boston on December 6, 1936, she was raised in East Boston, attended East Boston schools and was a graduate of East Boston High School, Class of 1954. In 1970, she moved to Saugus before coming to Revere, 50 years ago.

After high school, she began a career with Boston Mutual Insurance Co. of Boston as clerk-stenographer for about 15 years. She worked most briefly with her late husband, Peter J. Sacco, Jr., as a bookbinder at the former "Seaboard Bindery" of Boston. Soon, she began her family and became a stay-at-home mom, taking care of Peter, her two children and later in life, her grandson. "TJ" (Anthony J. Godino, Jr.)

Strong faith and love of family were the hallmarks of her life. However, her goodness and outstanding humanity did not confine her passion for humanity at that point. She was a genuine "Fred Rogers neighbor and friend, always extending a helping hand to those who suddenly found themselves in need of assistance of any kind.

Not only did Camille thrive on the excitement of the holidays, she had her own repertoire of traditional observances. At



Halloween, not only would the children receive their goodies, the accompanying parents would be the recipient of their own "Lollipop." Christmas was "full-throttle" ahead and all the neighbors would receive candy canes personally delivered to their homes and she took great pride in maintaining her home with decorations for all seasons.

Camille was the beloved wife of the late Peter J. Sacco, Jr., who passed on August 23, 1999; the cherished mother to Peter Sacco, Advertising Sales Rep for the Revere Journal & Independent Newspaper Group and Stephanie J. Sacco-Godino and her husband, Anthony J. "Tony" of Revere and the devoted grandmother to Anthony J. "TJ" Godino, Jr. of Revere; the dear sister of Violet Vernacchio of Florida, Edmund J. Vargus, Jr. and his wife, Arlene of New Hampshire and the late Dorothy Merriman. She was the adoring daughter of the late Edmund J. Vargus, Sr. and Rose J. (Volpini) Vargus and also the surrogate Mom to her late canine companion, "Bandit" and her late morning dove, "Birdy."

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to the MSPCA-Angell, 350 S. Huntington Ave., Boston, MA 02130

In conclusion, soon after Peter's passing, Camille came across these words of inspiration: "Death is not the greatest loss in life. The greatest loss is what dies inside us while we live." — Norman Cousins.

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John Harkins

Retired Revere policeman

John J. Harkins, (Ret. Revere Police), a lifelong resident of Revere, passed away at the age of 83.

The beloved husband of 64 years to Elaine (Colella), he was the devoted father of John M. Harkins and his wife, Michelle of Andover and Michael J. Harkins and his wife, Mary of Saugus; cherished grandfather of Jareth Harkins and his wife, Melissa of Georgia, Sean Renaud-Harkins of Lowell, Theresa Harkins of Revere, Mia Harkins of Saugus and Christopher Harkins of Andover and adored great grandfather of Jaiden, Kye and Vivien Elaine Harkins of Georgia; dear brother of the late Mary Heslin. He is also survived by his sister in law, Gloria (Colella) Thomas of Revere.

A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. Anthony's Church, 250 Revere St, Revere today, Wednesday, September 2 at 12 Noon. (Everyone to meet directly



at church). Due to the current spike in Covid-19, the guidelines issued by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Archdiocese of Boston and local officials, masks and social distancing are required. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Interment will be in Holy Cross Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in John's name to New England Home for Little Wanderers, 10 Guest St, Boston, MA 02135 or at www.thehome.org. For guest book please visit: www.buonfiglio.com.

William O'Connell, Jr.

Founded and built two successful companies: Financial Insurance Services and OM Financial Group



William "Bill" H. O'Connell, Jr., 84, passed away peacefully on Monday, August 17.

The beloved husband of Cynthia A. (Mancini) O'Connell for 33 years he was born in Winthrop, the son of the late William H. O'Connell, Sr. and Margaret (O'Hara) O'Connell.

Bill grew up in Revere, went to Revere High School and graduated from Bates College in Lewiston, ME in 1958. While at Bates, he excelled in academics and athletics and was an active member of the Bates community. He was a talented football player and worked on the school newspaper and radio station. Following graduation, Bill served his country honorably as a member of the United States Marine Corps.

Bill achieved great success in his professional career. He was elected president of Providence Washington Insurance Company at the age of 37 and later became Chairman of the Board for NN Corporation. After leaving NN, Bill founded and built two successful companies: Financial Insurance Services and OM Financial Group. Bill finished his professional career with OM Financial in 2018.

When he wasn't working, Bill loved spending time with his family, particularly on Lake Winnepesaukee in New Hampshire. He was also an avid sports fan who held season tickets for the New England Patriots since the team moved to Foxborough in 1971.

Bill was extremely generous and always eager to reach out and support others, whether they were a family member, friend, or someone he just met who he thought could use his help. He was also a tremendous mentor for many young professionals and



he enjoyed helping others learn and succeed.

In addition to his wife Cindy, Bill is survived by four children: William H. O'Connell, III (wife, Sharon), Kelly A. O'Connell (husband, Michael), Darcy M. Detorie (husband, Frank), and Christopher R. Colapietro (wife, Jennifer); eight grandchildren: Sarah, Andrew, Jake, Madeline, Tyler, Erin, Samantha and Julia and a sister, Margaret "Peggy" Coates. Bill also leaves behind many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his two sisters, Maureen Scanlon and Patricia Anderson.

A visitation was held on Monday, August 24 in the Fagan-Quinn Funeral Home, 825 Boston Neck Road, North Kingstown, RI and a Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated on August 25 St. Thomas More Church, 53 Rockland Street, Narragansett, RI. A private burial for the immediate family was held after the mass where military honors were rendered.

A live streaming of the mass may be found at <https://livestream.com/stm>

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, P.O. Box 417005 Boston, MA 02241 or American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 15829 Arlington, VA 22215, will be appreciated.

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REVERE STUDENTS EARN ACADEMIC HONORS

COSTANZA NAMED TO DEAN'S LIST AT AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE

Matthew Costanza, of Revere, has been named to the Spring 2020 Dean's List at American International College (AIC). Dean's List students are full time students who have achieved a 3.3 to 4.0 GPA. The College commends the extraordinary achievement and commitment of this scholar's accomplishment during an unprecedented time.

Founded in 1885, American International College (AIC) is a private, co-educational, doctoral granting institution located in Springfield, Massachusetts, comprising the School of Business, Arts and Sciences, the School of Education, and the School of Health Sciences. AIC supports and advances education, diversity, and opportunity for its students and the community.

DIGUILIO ON DEAN'S LIST

Emily Diguilio of Revere has been named to the Dean's List for the College of Visual and Performing Arts for the Spring 2020 semester at Syracuse University.

ERAUDA GRADUATES FROM BRYANT UNIVERSITY

Bryant University is pleased to recognize the Class of 2020 who have completed their undergraduate studies to earn a Bryant University degree, one which has more value now than at any time in Bryant's history.

Cherlene Erauda of Revere earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degree in Marketing.

Erauda joins a powerful network of more than 50,000 accomplished alumni who are inspired to excel and make a difference as leaders in organizations and communities around the world.

"Graduates of Bryant's Class of 2020 have faced challenges and demonstrated resiliency that is unprecedented," says Bryant University President Ross Gittell. "These graduates will go down in history for successfully completing their studies in the face of daunting obstacles caused by the global health crisis."

When our most recent alumni left campus for spring break, no one knew that their final Bryant semester would be spent adapting to the challenges of a pandemic and that public health and safety policies would cause their graduation ceremonies to be postponed.

"This crisis has revealed the character and grit of our community of scholars. I am extraordinarily proud of the entire Class of 2020," says Provost and Chief Academic Officer Glenn M. Sulmasy, JD, LL.M. "Together with our dedicated faculty, they have worked hard to complete their Bryant education with distinction."

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acter in a changing world. Bryant delivers an innovative and uniquely integrated business and liberal arts education that inspires students to excel. With approximately 3,800 graduate and undergraduate students from 38 states and 49 countries, Bryant is recognized as a leader in international education and regularly receives top rankings from U.S. News and World Report, Bloomberg Businessweek, Forbes, and Barron's. Visit www.Bryant.edu.

HILL WINS AWARD AT HAMILTON COLLEGE CONVOCATION

Gianni Hill, of Revere was named the recipient of The Robert A. Bankert, Jr. Prize Scholarship at Hamilton College's annual Convocation ceremony on August 23. Hill, a senior majoring in Hispanic studies and public policy, is a graduate of Revere High School.

Members of the administration welcomed students and new faculty, and academic achievement prizes were awarded to students at the virtual ceremony officially marking the beginning of Hamilton's 209th academic year.

The Robert A. Bankert, Jr. Prize Scholarship was established in 1970 in memory of Robert A. Bankert, Jr., Class of 1970, by his family and friends. Preference is given to a student who has evidenced broad-based extracurricular involvement and who, at the beginning of the junior year, has shown the greatest improvement in academic average.

Originally founded in 1793 as the Hamilton-Oneida Academy, Hamilton College offers an open curriculum that gives students the freedom to shape their own liberal arts education within a research- and writing-intensive framework. Hamilton enrolls 1,850 students from 49 states and 49 countries. Additional information about the college can be found at www.hamilton.edu.

BASILE GRADUATES FROM EMERSON COLLEGE

On Sunday, May 10, Emerson College awarded 959 undergraduate degrees for the Class of 2020. The College is committed to holding a graduation ceremony for the Class of 2020 in person when it is safe to do so, at a to be determined date.

The College launched an Emerson 2020 Celebration website to honor graduates' achievements with more than 800 submissions from students, families, alumni, faculty, and staff, which includes photos, videos, audio submissions, and text. The website strives to reflect the many facets of the Class of 2020 and the wider Emerson community - its creativity, daring, thoughtfulness, irreverence, and humor.

Video submissions include well wishes from well-known alumni and celebrities in the entertainment industry, including actors Jennifer Coolidge, Henry Winkler, comedians Jay Leno, Bill Burr, and Steven Wright, screenwriter Adele Lim, actress Chrystee Pharris, and producer Kevin Bright, among others.

Sophia Basile of Revere received a BS degree in Journalism.

SALHI COMPLETES INTENSIVE RESEARCH PROJECT

Ilyas Salhi of Revere a member of the class of 2021 majoring in robotics engineering and computer science at Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI), was a member of a student team that recently completed an intense research project titled Puerto Rico Project Center: Analyzing the Past to Inform the Future.

At WPI, all undergraduates are required to complete a research-driven, professional-level project that applies science and technology to address an important societal need or issue. Nearly 90% of students typically complete a project in collaboration with partners in communities across the country and around the world, through the university's 50-plus project centers. Students usually travel to the project center for seven-week terms; this spring, however, due to the global coronavirus pandemic, they worked remotely, using video conferencing and other technology to complete their projects. A signature element of the innovative undergraduate experience at WPI, the project-based curriculum offers students the opportunity to apply their scientific and technical knowledge to develop thoughtful solutions to real problems that affect the quality of people's lives and make a difference before they graduate.

"The WPI project-based curriculum's focus on global studies brings students out of their comfort zones to apply their knowledge to solve real problems for people in communities around the globe," said Professor Kent Rissmiller, interim dean of the WPI Interdisciplinary and Global Studies Division. "Students have the opportunity to learn about a different culture, from the way people live and work to the values they hold to the foods they eat - all valuable perspectives for surviving and thriving in today's global marketplace. They also learn the meaning and magic of teamwork; make a real and meaningful difference; and gain a competitive edge for any resume, or graduate or professional school application.

About Worcester Polytechnic Institute WPI, a global leader in project-based learning, is a distinctive, top-tier technological university founded in 1865 on the principle that students learn most effectively by applying the theory learned in the classroom to the practice of solving real-world problems. Recognized by the National Academy of Engineering with the 2016 Bernard M. Gordon Prize for Innovation in Engineering and Technology Education, WPI's pioneering project-based curriculum engages undergraduates in solving important scientific, technological, and societal problems throughout their education and at more than 50 project centers around the world. WPI offers more than 50 bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degree programs

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BENSADOK NAMED TO DEAN'S LIST AT QUINNIPIAC UNIVERSITY

The following Revere student was named to the dean's list for the Spring 2020 semester at Quinnipiac University:

Rania Bensadok To qualify for the dean's list, students must earn a grade point average of at least 3.5 with no grade lower than C. Full-time students must complete at least 14 credits in a semester, with at least

12 credits that have been graded on a letter grade basis to be eligible. Part-time students must complete at least six credits during a semester.

Quinnipiac is a private, coeducational, nonsectarian institution located 90 minutes north of New York City and two hours from Boston. The university enrolls 7,000 full-time undergraduate and 3,000 graduate and part-time students in 110 degree programs through its Schools of Business, Communications, Education, Engineering, Health Sciences, Law, Medicine, Nursing and the College of Arts and Sciences. Quinnipiac is recognized by U.S. News & World Report and Princeton Review's "The Best 385 Colleges."

The Chronicle of Higher Education has named Quinnipiac among the Great Colleges to Work For(r). For more information, please visit qu.edu. Connect with Quinnipiac on Facebook at facebook.com/Quinnipiac

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MURPHY NAMED TO DEAN'S LIST AT SAINT ANSELM

Saint Anselm College has released the Dean's List of high academic achievers for the second semester of the 2019-2020 school year. To be eligible for this honor, a student must have achieved a grade point average of 3.3 or better in the semester with at least 12 credits of study which award a letter grade. A total of 879 students representing 26 states and 6 countries received this honor.

Mark W. Cronin, Dean of the College, announced that the following student has been named to the Dean's List for the spring 2020 semester at Saint Anselm College, Manchester, New Hampshire.

Daniel J. Murphy of Revere. 2020, Business About Saint Anselm College.



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Uncle Joe Giannino and former Revere Police Chief Jim Guido and helpers supporting Councillor Jessica Giannino.



Candidate for State Representative Joe Gravellese and retired Police Chief Jim Guido worked together but now on opposing sides as friends.



The Hill School on Park Avenue was busy in the morning but had slowed down by early afternoon.



Candidate Joe Gravellese (center) for State Representative is at the AC Whelan School with his supporters.



Republican write-in candidate for State Representative Phil Russo was hard at work, shown with his mom Rita Russo, Joey Canzano and Gina Castiello.



Jessica Giannino is shown with her supporters, including her dad RPD Sgt. Chris Giannino, Ward 6 Councillor Rick Serino, former City Councillor Al Fiore, and former Revere Police Chief RPD Jim Guido.

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Hinojosa will modify Parks and Recreation activities schedule for fall

By Cary Shuman

Mike Hinojosa said the Parks and Recreation Department will hold a modified schedule of activities for the fall season due to public safety concerns associated with the coronavirus in Revere.

“We’re in the planning process, figuring out what we can do in our fall program,” said Hinojosa. “We’re going to try to do some of our classes and stuff like that. It depends on whether we can get into gyms or not. We’re looking to schedule more outdoor activities.”

Hinojosa said the George Colella Community Center inside the Garfield School is not yet open for use. The Parks and Recreation Department building on Beach Street will be open in the fall for modified activities.

“The big question is seating capacity and how many guests we can allow in the building at one time,” said Hinojosa. “I used to have – citing Miss Sally’s drop-in classes as an example – 25 young children and 25 adults in there, but we’re probably not going to have 50 people in one room. We might have to split the enrollment and hold two separate classes back-to-back to accommodate everyone.”

Hinojosa is hopeful that a tennis league at Gibson Park can proceed. A youth fall sports camp is also on the list of potential activities.

“We hope to run fall programs that start after school [3 p.m.] and proceed for two hours as we start to lose daylight,” said Hinojosa. “The more stuff we can do outside, the better off we are.”

Hinojosa tried to work around the social

COVID-19 social distancing guidelines this summer. Usually, his summer camp program holds amazing weekly field trips to such legendary amusement parks as Canobie Lake Park (Salem, N.H.) and Six Flags New England (Agawam), but those trips were cancelled due to the parks’ revised operating schedule. A Revere group did enjoy a visit to Treetop Adventures in Canton.

“That trip [to Treetop] was absolutely great,” said Hinojosa proudly. “Unfortunately, that was the only one we could do. The other trips were either canceled by the venues or we can canceled our reservations.”

Hinojosa, who also oversees team and group rentals of the parks in Revere, said few groups have made inquiries to use the fields this fall.

“We’re not doing any adult group rentals of the fields,” said Hinojosa. “We are doing a few youth team rentals, but that’s it.”

He said the track at Harry DellaRusso Stadium will continue to be open for use by Revere residents. The tennis courts at the stadium are open while the basketball courts are closed.

The facility closures and reduced athletic activities are not a surprise to those who have been following sports at all levels. For example, the U.S. Open, a Grand Slam professional tournament event being held in New York this week and next, is being played without spectators. Revere High’s entire fall sports season has been moved to the spring of 2021.

Hinojosa said his final message to Revere residents is: “Please wear masks. If people wear masks, we can do a lot more stuff.”

RHS BASKETBALL TEAM RECEIVES PLAQUE TO HONOR EFFORTS

In lieu of the traditional banquet RHS athletes are treated to in celebration of their efforts during the sports season, RHS Basketball Coach David Leary hand-delivered

plaques to each of the members of the 2019-2020 basketball team.



Randy Urdaneta, Class of 2021. Read more on Page 14.



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WEEKLY CRIME Report

The following incident reports are among the calls to which the Revere Police Department responded on the listed dates:

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 19

0936: Domestic disturbance on Hall St. The officer restored the peace.

1000: MVA on Broadway. The officer issued a citation to the operator.

1034: Harassment on Cooledge St. The officer restored the peace.

1057: Officers arrested Leonardo C. DeOliveira, 30, of Winthrop, on charges of trafficking fentanyl and illegal possession of a Class A controlled narcotic substance.

1304: Violation of a 209A restraining order on Endicott Ave. The officer will file a report.

1307: MVA with property damage only on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1411: MVA at Broadway and Hutchinson St. The officer will file a report.

1612: B&E into a building on Shirley St. The officer will file a report.

1618: Parking complaint on Park ave. The MV was towed.

1815: MVA with property damage only on Malden St. The officer will file a report.

1852: Disturbance on Dix St. The officer provided assistance.

1902: Suspicious activity on Revere Beach Parkway. The officer provided assistance.

1907: Domestic disturbance on Constitution Ave. The officer will file a report.

1956: Domestic disturbance on Adams Ct. The officer restored the peace.

2016: Noise disturbance on Cooledge St. The officer provided assistance.

2044: A MV repossession on Chamberlain Ave. was reported by the repo company.

2148: Parking complaint on Broadsound Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2254: Blocked driveway on Bradstreet Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2309: Blocked driveway on Bellevue Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

2313: Noise disturbance on Endicott Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2347: Disturbance on American Legion Highway. The officer provided assistance.

THURSDAY, AUG. 20

0022: Suspicious activity on School St. The officer spoke to the party.

0137: Disturbance at Reservoir Ave. and Broadway. The officer spoke to the party.

0204: Robbery at Beach St. and Walnut Ave. The officer will file a report.

0323: Vandalism on Cooledge St. The officer will file a report.

0720: Lost animal on Lincoln St. The officer provided assistance.

0852: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) on Beach St. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

0856: A MV that had been reported as stolen was located on American Legion Highway.

1040: Missing person on Glover Drive. The officer will file a report.

1114: MVA at Lucia Ave. and Walnut St. The officer will file a report.

1123: A harassment prevention order pursuant to c. 258E was served upon a Cooledge St. resident.

1140: MVA at Squire Rd. The officer issued a citation to a 55 year-old Revere man for the criminal charge of unlicensed operation of a MV.

1204: Hit-and-run MVA on American Legion Highway. The officer spoke to the party.

1250: Disturbance on No. Shore Rd. The officer spoke to the party.

1306: MVA on Whitin Ave. Extension. The officer provided assistance.

1308: An officer stopped a MV at No. Shored Rd. and Centennial Ave. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI). The officer issued a citation to the operator.

1311: Assault on Ocean Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1324: MVA on No. Shore Rd. A MV was towed.

1330: Vandalism on Caruso Ct. The officer will file a report.

1456: A detail officer requested a tow for a MV on Nahant Ave.

1534: Unwanted person on Arcadia St. The officer provided assistance.

1422: An officer stopped a MV on Broadway and ordered that it be towed.

1636: Disabled MV on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1803: Motor vehicle accident (MVA) at Mahoney Circle. The officer assist-

ed the parties with the exchange of papers.

1808: A resident reported a case of identity theft.

1842: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on Shirley Ave. and will file a report.

1843: An officer provided assistance to a citizen on Hopkins St.

1901: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on American Legion Highway. The officer will file a report.

1909: Disturbance on Pomona St. The officer provided assistance.

1928: Noise disturbance at Pomona and Hutchinson Sts. The officer restored the peace.

1936: Unwanted person on Nahant Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2012: An officer stopped a MV on Squire Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2039: Dashed MV at Lucia Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2045: Vandalism on Elmwood St. The officer will file a report.

2105: Assistance to a citizen on Shirley Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2127: An officer stopped a MV on Beach St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and issued a citation to the operator.

2156: Suspicious activity at No. Shore Rd. and Wolcott Rd. The officer provided assistance.

2259: Noise disturbance on Revere Beach Blvd. The officer restored the peace.

2327: Breaking and entering (B&E) into a building on Dashwood St. The officer will file a report.

2337: Noise disturbance on Fenno St. The officer provided assistance.

2345: An officer stopped a MV on State Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2351: Disturbance on Ocean Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2352: Noise disturbance on Tuckerman St. The officer provided assistance.

FRIDAY AUGUST 21

0006: Hit-and-run MVA on Broadway with property damage. The officer will file a report.

0008: Disturbance on Revere Beach Blvd. The officer restored the peace.

0120: Disturbance on Shirley Ave. Officers placed

a 38 year-old Somerville man into protective custody and will issue a summons to him for the criminal charges of assault & battery (A&B) and larceny from a person.

0222: Disturbance on Lynn St. The officer restored the peace.

0710: Assistance to a citizen on Revere St.

0840: Parking complaint on Shirley Ave. A MV was towed.

0854: An officer stopped a MV on Butler Circle for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

0920: Noise disturbance on Sears St. The officer provided assistance.

1105: Assistance to a citizen on Everett St.

1130: Domestic disturbance on Tedford Rd. The officer restored the peace.

1132: A domestic abuse prevention restraining order pursuant to c. 209A was served upon a Sagamore St. resident.

1220: Disabled MV on the Missing Link NB. The officer provided assistance.

1222: Larceny on American Legion Highway. The officer issued a summons to a 50 year-old Worcester man for the criminal charges of defrauding an innkeeper over \$100 and malicious destruction of property under \$1200.

1307: An officer stopped a MV on Cove St. and issued a citation to a 25 year-old Lynn man for the criminal charge of operating a MV with a suspended license and for the civil infraction of operating an unregistered MV.

1310: Vandalism on Bennington St. The officer will file a report.

1355: A resident reported a case of identity theft.

1515: Disturbance on Elmwood St. The officer restored the peace.

1516: Citizen complaint at Rice and Delano Aves. The officer restored the peace.

1523: Disturbance on Emmet Terrace. The officer restored the peace.

1557: Disturbance on Elmwood St. The officer will file a report.

1618: MVA on Park Ave. The officer will file a report.

1721: Disturbance on American Legion Highway. The officer restored the peace.

1801: Disturbance on Broadway. The officer restored the peace.

1801: Assistance to a citizen on Revere Beach Parkway.

1804: A stolen MV plate was reported on American Legion Highway.

1818: Assistance to a citizen on Wolcott Rd.

1825: Unwanted person on Sagamore St. The offi-

cer restored the peace.

1900: Robbery on Squire Rd. The officer will file a report.

1919: Disturbance on Broadway. The officer restored the peace.

2013: Noise disturbance on Rice Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2015: Noise disturbance on Walnut Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2048: Disturbance on Furlong Drive. The officer restored the peace.

2057: An officer stopped a MV at Mahoney Circle for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and issued a citation to the operator.

2116: Noise disturbance on Wentworth Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2204: Noise disturbance on Proctor Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2210: Noise disturbance on Thornton St. The officer restored the peace.

2234: Assist a citizen on Broadway. The officer will file a report.

2247: Blocked driveway on Highland St. The MV was moved.

2253: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on Crescent Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

2312: Officer injured on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer will file a report.

2337: Suspicious activity on Franklin Ave. The officer issued a citation to a 31 year-old Dorchester man for the criminal charges of operating a motor vehicle (MV) with a suspended license (subsequent offense), operating a MV while under the influence of drugs, and illegal possession of a Class B controlled narcotic substance (subsequent offense).

2341: An officer stopped a MV on Winthrop Parkway for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2351: Noise disturbance on Vane St. The officer spoke to the party.

SATURDAY, AUG. 22

0104: Noise disturbance on Winthrop Parkway. The officer provided assistance.

0253: Disturbance on American Legion Highway. The officer spoke to the party.

0327: Disturbance on Beach St. The officer spoke to the party.

0359: Noise disturbance on Ward St. The officer spoke to the party.

0605: Domestic disturbance on Morris St. The officer spoke to the party.

0713: A MV was reported stolen on Lancaster Ave. The officer will file a report.

0754: Parking complaint on Mountain Ave. The MV was towed.

0754: An officer stopped a MV on No. Shore Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

0925: A Bay Rd. reported a case of identity theft.

0942: Parking complaint on Beach St. The MV was towed.

1035: An officer stopped a MV on No. Shore Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1041: Larceny from a MV on Constitution Ave. The officer will file a report.

1122: Suspicious activity on No. Shore Rd. The officer spoke to the party.

1128: Parking at a handicapped spot on Vinal St. The MV was moved.

1216: Unwanted person on Washington Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

1220: Suspicious activity on No. Shore Rd. The officer spoke to the party.

1223: Blocked driveway on Fiske St. The MV was moved.

1230: Vandalism on Cary Ave. The officer will file a report.

1240: An officer stopped a MV on Revere St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1240: MVA at Copeland Circle. The officer will file a report.

1241: Complaint on Everett St. The officer restored the peace.

1329: Larceny on Dix St. The officer restored the peace.

1330: Assist a citizen on Lantern Rd.

1414: Disturbance on Revere Beach Blvd. The officer will file a report.

1447: MVA on Crescent Ave. The officer will file a report.

1550: A MV was reported stolen on Bennington Ave.

1605: An abandoned MV on Reservoir Ave. was towed.

1620: Assistance to a citizen at Broadway and Reservoir Ave.

1625: Simple threats on Arcadia St. The officer will file a report.

1718: Assault on Webster St. The officer restored the peace.

1751: MVA with property damage only at Mahoney Circle. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1802: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on Beach St. The officer provided assistance.

1838: Suspicious activity on Squire Rd. The officer issued a citation to a 37 year-old Revere man for the criminal charge of operating a motor vehicle with a suspended license (subseq. offense).

1918: Noise disturbance on Jarvis St. The officer will file a report.

1926: Assistance to a citizen on Vinal St.

2014: Assistance to a citizen on Squire Rd.

2117: Noise disturbance on Revere Beach Blvd. The officer restored the peace.

2153: Noise disturbance on Florence Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2158: An officer stopped a MV on Squire Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

2240: Noise disturbance on Reservoir Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2302: Noise disturbance on Signore Terrace. The officer restored the peace.

2335: Noise disturbance on Oak Island St. The officer restored the peace.

2352: Noise disturbance on Hichborn St. The officer restored the peace.

2352: Noise disturbance on Prospect Ave. The officer restored the peace.

2355: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on Ambrose St. The officer spoke to the party.

SUNDAY, AUG. 23

0000: Noise disturbance on Augustus St. The officer restored the peace.

0009: Noise disturbance on Hichborn St. The officer restored the peace.

0013: Noise disturbance on Augustus St. The officer restored the peace.

0014: Parking complaint at Lambert St. and Mountain Ave. The MV was moved.

0123: Noise disturbance on Waite St. The officer restored the peace.

0124: Noise disturbance on Mountain Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

0210: Noise disturbance on Waite St. The officer restored the peace.

0232: Noise disturbance on Augustus St. The officer restored the peace.

0343: Domestic disturbance on Shurtleff St. The officer restored the peace.

0800: Assault on Walnut Ave. The officer will file a report.

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Local doctors launch ‘Fight The Twindemic!’ campaign

Local doctors warn you need a flu shot this year more than ever before because of the looming ‘Twindemic’ about to strike here and across the country. They’re talking about the double whammy of flu and COVID 19 hitting at the same time, threatening to sicken more of us and overwhelm our medical facilities and resources. That’s why physicians with American Family Care, a national healthcare network with a local clinic, have launched a crusade called ‘Fight the Twindemic’ to educate families about the importance of flu vaccines and the differences between the flu and COVID-19. Our local docs will answer:

- Who should get a flu shot and where do you get

it?

- How can you tell the difference between the flu and COVID -19?
- Can you get both?
- Interviews can be done virtually (Zoom, Skype, Facetime) or you are welcome to come to our clinic to interview docs and possibly patients.

‘Fight The Twindemic!’ Education Campaign

1. Protect Yourself

- Flu season runs from December through February. Unlike Covid, with no proven vaccine available yet, the flu has a vaccine that can protect you from getting the virus or at least reduce the severity of your symptoms – by 40 to 60

percent.

- While the race to come up with a Covid-19 vaccine continues, companies that make flu vaccines are boosting supplies to meet what they expect will be higher demand this year.
- The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommends that everyone 6 months and older get a flu vaccine by the end of October – because it takes a few weeks for the vaccine to provide protection.

2. Understand Virus Variations

The flu and COVID-19 are both contagious respiratory illnesses that share many of the same signs and symptoms such as dry cough, fever, and shortness of breath. So what are the differences?

SYMPTOMS	COVID 19	FLU
Fever	✓	✓
Loss of Taste, smell	DIFFERENCE	✓
Fatigue, Weakness	✓	✓
Runny Nose	✓	✓
Body Aches, Headache	✓	✓
Symptoms last 5 – 7 days	DIFFERENCE	✓

There are some distinct differences that set them apart.

- A loss of smell and taste is a symptom connected to Covid-19 and is considered rare among flu sufferers.
- Flu symptoms come on rapidly, whereas symptoms for COVID-19 can take up-

wards of 14 days to appear.

3. Don’t Double Your Trouble

- It is possible to get sick with both the flu and Covid-19 at the same time.
- Although both viruses are spread through droplets from an infected person and

share similar symptoms, they use different receptors on our cells once inside the body. So, yes, this allows for a double infection in the same person.

- Cases are rare right now and experts want to keep it that way by warning Americans to get a flu shot.

State announces policies to support families, expand childcare options while their children are remote learning

Staff report

The Baker-Polito Administration on Friday announced new policies that will provide families who require childcare while their children are engaged in remote learning additional options by allowing programs to offer supervised care during regular school day hours.

Governor Charlie Baker signed an Executive Order that allows the Department of Early Education and Care (EEC) to authorize currently licensed af-

ter-school and out-of-school programs to operate during the school day while children are learning remotely. As schools prepare to re-open, working parents need to find care and learning support for their school-aged children while they are engaged in remote learning. Current state statute prohibits licensed after-school and out-of-school time programs for school-aged children from offering care during school hours. The Executive Order allows EEC to authorize childcare programs, like YMCAs,

Boys and Girls Clubs, family childcare homes, and others, to care for school-age children while they participate in remote learning. The Department will also exempt informal remote learning parent cooperative arrangements organized by families, if the groups are supervised by unpaid parents. These parent cooperatives are still subject to any state orders regulating gatherings in place under the COVID-19 state of emergency. In addition, the Executive Order creates a tempo-

rary license exemption for remote learning enrichment programs to provide supervision and care for school children up to age 14 while they participate in remote learning during the school day. These remote learning programs, which must meet specific criteria, will need to first be approved by their local municipality before they can apply for the license exemption. Programs run by a school district are already exempt from EEC licensure and do not need to apply for this exemption. The Departments of Ear-

ly Education and Care and Elementary and Secondary Education will issue joint guidance that details the minimum requirements for remote learning programs, including background record checks, health and safety standards, facilities checks, and child to staff ratios. Municipalities will ensure programs, that are approved for the license exemption, comply with health and safety requirements.

“We all want our children to get back into school

as soon as possible and we applaud the schools and districts that are making the extra effort to bring their students back in some form,” said Education Secretary James Peyser. “At the same time, we know that remote learning will be part of the educational experience for many students this fall, so it’s critical that we enable parents, after-school providers, and community organizations to offer additional childcare options and learning supports when students are unable to attend school in person.”

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0805: Animal complaint on Pearl Ave. The officer restored the peace.

0835: Assistance to a citizen on Broadway.

1126: An officer stopped a MV on Beach St. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1128: Suspicious activity on Shirley Ave. The officer spoke to the party.

1140: Parking complaint on Broadway. The officer gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1142: Complaint on Marshview Terrace. The officer provided assistance.

1147: A MV was reported stolen on Ocean Ave. The officer will file a report.

1251: An officer stopped a MV on Squire Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1327: Blocked driveway on Park Ave. The officer issued a parking ticket.

1435: A trespass tow was reported on Ward St.

1454: Blocked driveway on Sumner St. The officer provided assistance.

1523: Larceny on Ocean Ave. The officer will file a report.

1538: Assistance to a citizen on Bruno St. The officer will file a report.

1628: MVA at Brown Circle. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1719: MVA on Squire Rd. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1800: Blocked driveway on Thornton St. The MV was towed.

1822: An officer stopped a MV at No. Shore Rd. and Mills Ave. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and issued a citation to the operator.

1917: MVA with property damage on Lee Burbank Highway. The officer will file a report.

2005: A MVA with fire and injuries at Washington and Tuscano Aves.

2008: MVA on Washington Ave. Officers arrested Gimichael Brissot, 31, of Lynn, on charges of operating a MV while under the influence of liquor, operating a MV while under the influence of drugs, negligent operation of a MV, and two counts of child endangerment by means of operating a MV while under the influence.

2116: Assault on Pitcairn St. The officer will file a report.

2142: MVA at Revere St. and American Legion Highway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

2321: Noise disturbance on Trifone Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2357: An officer stopped a MV on Washington Ave. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

MONDAY, AUG. 24

0003: Noise disturbance on Tuckerman St. The officer restored the peace.

0139: MVA with property damage on Park Ave. The officer will file a report.

0602: Domestic disturbance at Revere and Bosson Sts. The officer spoke to the party.

0901: Vandalism on No. Shore Rd. The officer will file a report.

0935: Larceny on Tuttle St. The officer provided assistance.

0953: MVA on No. Shore Rd. The officer will file a report.

1027: A MV was reported stolen on Warren St. The officer will file a report.

1054: Animal complaint on Thornton St. The officer provided assistance.

1125: Disabled MV at American Legion Highway and Revere St. The MV was towed.

1140: Parking complaint on Summit Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1238: Unwanted person on Malden St. The officer provided assistance.

1312: Animal complaint

on Lancaster Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1319: Parking complaint on Dana St. The MV was moved.

1324: Parking complaint on Waite St. The MV was moved.

1443: Well-being check on Cooledge St. Officers arrested Dana Marie M. Johnson, 42, of 55 Tedford Terrace, on a charge of assault & battery (A&B) upon a police officer.

1542: Larceny on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer will file a report.

1553: MVA on the Lee Burbank Highway. The officer will file a report.

1724: Domestic disturbance on Warren St. The officer restored the peace.

1724: Missing person on Broadway. The officer provided assistance.

1915: MVA with property damage on Victoria St. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

2127: Suspicious activity on Philomena Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2208: An officer stopped a MV at Washington and Italia Aves. and issued a citation to a 33 year-old Woburn man for the criminal offense of operating a MV with a suspended license.

2220: Hit-and-run MVA with property damage on No. Shore Rd. The officer provided assistance.

2240: An officer stopped a MV on Broadway and ordered the MV to be towed.

2317: Unwanted person on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

2334: Disturbance on Shirley Ave. The officer restored the peace.

TUESDAY, AUG. 25

0123: Disturbance on Winthrop Ave. The officer restored the peace.

0233: Domestic disturbance on Crescent Ave. The officer restored the peace.

0339: Domestic disturbance on Oakwood Ave. The officer restored the peace.

0419: Disturbance on

Overlook Ridge Terrace. The officer restored the peace.

0643: Animal complaint on Kimball Ave. The officer provided assistance.

0800: Assistance to a citizen on Fairfield St.

0816: Animal complaint on Walnut Ave. The officer provided assistance.

0850: Vandalism on Warren St. The officer will file a report.

1036: Assistance to a citizen on Payson St.

1051: Suspicious activity on Squire rd. The officer provided assistance.

1104: A 209A domestic abuse prevention restraining order was served upon a Wolcott Rd. resident.

1105: A 258E harassment prevention order was served upon a Revere Beach Parkway resident.

1203: MVA at Broadway and Central Ave. The officer will file a report.

1216: A MV that had been reported as stolen was recovered on Whittin Ave.

1237: Assistance to a citizen on Sumner St.

1304: An officer stopped a MV on Squire Rd. for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

1325: MVA on Broadway. The officer arrested Renee L. Blanchette, 50, of Billerica, on a charge of operating a MV while under the influence of liquor. The officer also cited her for the civil infraction of having an open container of alcohol while operating a MV.

1452: MVA on Broadway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1501: MVA on Ward St. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1503: MVA on Washington Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1516: MVA at Park Ave. and So. Furness St. The officer will file a report.

1536: Disturbance on Charger St. The officer restored the peace.

1704: Disturbance on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer restored the peace.

1706: MVA on Broadway. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1818: Disturbance on Dawes St. The officer restored the peace.

1823: Noise disturbance on Winthrop Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1829: MVA on Beach St. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

1839: Landlord-tenant disturbance on No. Shore Rd. The officer restored the peace.

2039: Disturbance on the Revere Beach Parkway. The officer provided assistance.

2204: Disturbance on Rose St. The officer restored the peace.

2229: Larceny on Atlantic Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2231: MVA on Squire Rd. The officer assisted the parties with the exchange of papers.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 26

0015: An officer stopped a MV on Broadway for a civil motor vehicle infraction (CMVI) and gave a verbal warning to the operator.

0155: Larceny on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

0212: Violation of a 258E harassment order on Constitution Ave. The officer will file a report.

0405: Domestic disturbance on Allston St. The officer restored the peace.

0549: Domestic disturbance on Putnam Rd. The officer restored the peace.

0700: Parking complaint on Broadway. The MV was moved.

0822: Vandalism on No. Shore Rd. The officer will file a report.

0905: Lost animal at

Brown Circle. The officer provided assistance.

0918: MVA on Broadway. The officer spoke to the party.

1015: Animal complaint on Lowell Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1114: Blocked driveway on Bellevue Ave. The MV was moved.

1132: Citizen’s complaint on Shirley Ave. The officer provided assistance.

1148: Larceny on Broadway. The officer spoke to the party.

1318: Vandalism on Wadsworth Ave. The officer will file a report.

1319: MVA on Squire Rd. The officer provided assistance.

1355: Assistance to a citizen on Sagamore St.

1402: Parking complaint on Caruso St. The MV was moved.

1415: Noise disturbance on Neponset St. The officer gave a verbal warning.

1558: A citizen reported a case of identity theft.

1603: Sex offenses on Endicott Ave. The officer will file a report.

1710: A 258E harassment prevention order was served upon a Revere Beach Parkway resident.

1719: A 258E harassment prevention order was served upon a Pitcairn St. resident.

1803: Larceny on Shirley Ave. The officer will file a report.

1941: Noise disturbance on Tuckerman St. The officer provided assistance.

1945: Abandoned MV on Hichborn St. The MV was towed.

2024: Suspicious activity on Cooledge St. The officer provided assistance.

2122: MVA on Suffolk Downs Rd. The officer provided assistance.

2217: Disturbance on George Ave. The officer provided assistance.

2221: Disabled MV on Overlook Ave. The MV was towed.

2255: Noise disturbance on Ocean Ave. The officer provided assistance.

COACH LEARY HAND-DELIVERS AWARD PLAQUES TO RHS BASKETBALL TEAM

Courtesy photos

On Feb. 25 when Coach David Leary and the Revere High Boys Basketball team walked off the floor for the last time in a State Tournament loss at Waltham High School, there was no way of knowing what would transpire in the world from what took place in the last 6 months. After giving the team a few days to shake off the loss and the end to their season, the team met, the coaches collected uniforms and the next step was to schedule a banquet to honor this team, it's seniors, Coach Bob Sullivan's freshmen and Coach John Leone's JV teams.

We all know where the story went from there. "We are all in the same boat, it's a pandemic but this whole time we have been thinking of ways to honor this team and all they have accomplished," expressed Coach Leary. A team with a 5-9 record in late January and with playoff hopes dwindling something magical happened, the kids came together as a group fought through adversity and went on a six game winning streak to qualify for the State Tournament for just the second time in 17 years. The coaching staff along with RHS Basketball Parents Club President Joy Leone had planned on having a banquet for the entire program but with restrictions due to gathering guidelines a traditional banquet would not be permissible. The next idea recent-

ly was to try to have a team dinner for just varsity players only outdoors to abide by the guidelines but after graduation need- to be changed due to the Covid-19 spike in Revere in late July the plan changed again. Coach Leary was granted permission from Athletic Director Frank Shea to personally deliver the players their State Tournament team plaques, not the way seasons normally end but nothing about 2020 has been normal.

"It was just really nice to see each player, talk for a few minutes, give them their awards and take a picture. "We hadn't seen each other since early March, which is just crazy to me" explained Coach Leary who has never been away from his players this long in 20 years of coaching. "This group and these kids deserved so much more but as long as everyone is healthy, that's the number one priority."

Our young teams deserved a banquet too, but hopefully in the future we can get back to some sort of normalcy and they will get their opportunity."

The coaching staff is also extremely proud of the six seniors, who are all preparing to begin the next stage in their lives. (Co-Captain Robert Raduazzo- Endicott, Co-Captain Amara Bockarie- Bunker Hill, Michael Hayes- Suffolk, Lewis Garcia Martinez- Framingham, Derek Avery- Suffolk, Robert Kjersgard- Coast Guard.)



The 2019-2020 RHS State Tournament plaque.



Richie DiMarzo, Class of 2021.



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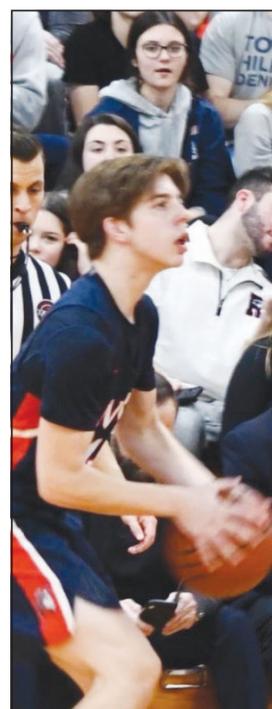
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Save the Harbor and Brain Arts bring you Beats on the Beach virtual music contest

The environmental advocacy organization Save the Harbor/Save the Bay and the non-profit Brain Arts Organization have teamed up this summer to connect people to the region's public beaches during the pandemic through free virtual arts and wellness programs that amplify the voices of area BIPOC artists as part of their Better Beaches Program Partnership.

"We think that the best way to save the harbor is to share the harbor with free events and programs for everyone to enjoy," said Save the Harbor Executive Director Chris Mancini. "But the truth is that not everyone feels welcome on some of our region's most spectacular, and cleanest, public beaches. After the murder of George Floyd and in the face of ongoing violence and oppression faced by BIPOC communities across the country, Save the Harbor is emphasizing our commitment to marginalized groups by working with our current and new partners to make sure that everyone feels welcome on our beaches.

This new collaboration with the Dorchester based Brain Arts Organization features a nature-based wellness and healing series



Joye Williams, Founder of Joyefully Natural, emerges from the sea after a salt scrub at Nantaket Beach

and a beach soundscape music competition hosted by local Black artists and producers LDER and Rilla Force, and judged by Boston-born poet, rapper and educator, Oompa. Participants will create a beat from a series of sounds recorded by the producers on Boston's beaches, and Oompa will select the best beat and create an original song using it. The competition began on August 17 and will close on September 7. The winner will receive a cash prize of \$200.

The Harbor Healing series features virtual meditation, healing and wellness guides from the Sistahs of the Calabash, Joye Williams from Joyefully Natural and You Good Sis.

"Community members

enjoy and connect to the beach in many different ways" said Joye Williams, Save the Harbor's Senior Staff Assistant and Founder and herbalist at Joyefully Natural. "Whether you prefer guided meditation or simply swim in the clean water, enjoying the beach enhances your mood and improves your mental, physical and spiritual well being. Understanding the different ways people enjoy and experience the beach increases our understanding of each other, our communities and the natural world."

The Brain Arts Organization and all of the artists taking part in Harbor Healing and Beats On The Beach are part of a crucial effort to help welcome all

community members to the beaches and encourage everyone to take ownership of the public beaches near them.

"Part of our mission is to foster a culture where individuals can create their own power and opportunities, so reclaiming our city's beaches for Black wellness and creativity is a very exciting project for us," says Emma Leavitt, the director of the Brain Arts Organization. "We are grateful for the opportunity to creatively activate this space with our community and we hope that this becomes a sustaining relationship that builds from year to year."

"Amplifying the voices of Black, Brown, and Indigenous folks is a priority as these marginalized communities continue to fight for their lives," said Save the Harbor's Community Engagement Coordinator Maya Smith. "We hope that creating this engaging community arts project with Black and POC voices at the forefront will continue making our beaches more welcoming to all of our diverse community members."

Save the Harbor/Save the Bay has led and managed the Better Beaches Program Partnership with

the Department of Conservation and Recreation for more than a decade, distributing grants to community partners in Nahant, Lynn, Revere, Winthrop, East Boston, South Boston, Dorchester, Quincy, and Hull, which have been used to host 870 free events and programs for the nearly 2 million regional residents who live within a short ride or drive to the beach.

Save the Harbor/Save the Bay would like to thank the Baker-Polito Administration, the Massachusetts Legislature, the Metropolitan Beaches Commission, the Department of Conservation & Recreation, the

Boston Centers for Youth and Families, Harpoon Brewery, JetBlue, the Richard Saltonstall Charitable Foundation, National Grid, P&G Gillette, and all the Better Beaches Program funding partners and event sponsors for their support of the Better Beaches Program.

To enter the music competition, visit the Beats on the Beach webpage at savetheharbor.org/beats. To learn more about Save the Harbor/Save the Bay or the Brain Arts Organization, visit their websites at savetheharbor.org and brain-arts.org



Boston-based music producers Rilla Force and LDER gather natural sound for the Beats on the Beach contest

Gov. Baker deactivates the National Guard after a few days

By Seth Daniel

After calling up the National Guard on Friday, Aug. 28, for up to 1,000 Guardsmen to potentially help municipal leaders, Gov. Charlie Baker deactivated the National Guard on Monday.

Baker said National Guard members were there to assist municipalities until further order. National Guard personnel were ready to assist cities and towns throughout the activation but did not take an active role in any municipal operations.

The worry seems to have been about potential protests following the police-involved shooting of Jacob Blake in Wisconsin.

Major protests did not materialize throughout the region though.

"Following coordina-

tion with municipal leaders through the weekend regarding potential large scale demonstrations, Governor Baker today (Aug. 31) authorized the Adjutant General of the Massachusetts National Guard to end the Governor's Aug. 28 activation order. That activation, which made Guard personnel available in the event that municipal leaders required their assistance, will end at midnight tonight," said an administration spokesperson.

Personnel drawn from the Guard's military police units undergo federally-accredited police training and receive additional instruction on Massachusetts police training standards. When assisting a local police department, they use that department's policies, radio frequencies, etc., whenever possi-

ble. While federal Title 32 funding has been extended for COVID-19 missions,

Guard personnel activated by this order served on state active duty.

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NEWS FROM AROUND THE REGION

INTERSECTION PROCESS MOVES AHEAD

CHELSEA - The intersection of Carter Street and Everett Avenue is one of the busiest traffic areas in Chelsea.

Chelsea High School is the main landmark, with students entering and exiting the school on to both streets. The popular Floramo's Restaurant is located just yards away while customers from Market Basket and Renee Caso Griffin's two Dunkin' stores drive through the intersection on a regular basis.

The well-known intersection is being transformed into one that will be safer and more aesthetically pleasing, and home to the most technologically advanced traffic-signalization available.

Ben Cares, infrastructural planner and project manager for the Chelsea Department of Housing and Community Development Department, and Rebecca Wright, assistant city engineer from the DPW, hosted a public meeting Monday to talk about the major vehicular, pedestrian and bicycle improvements that will be coming to the intersection and the adjacent streets.

Cares said he would be the lead project for the intersection project.

"This particular project is an intersection and roadway improvement project at the intersection of Carter Street and Everett Avenue - it's just adjacent to Chelsea High School," explained Cares to those who were unfamiliar with the area. "It's very much in need of pedestrian improvement via signalization, updated signalization for vehicular traffic, lane markings, and some minor ramp reconstruction to bring everything to ADA compliance."

Cares said the approximate cost of the project will be \$540,000 and it will be funded through a grant from the MassDOT Complete Streets Program.

Cares said that Rebecca Wright will be helping with field engineering and day-to-day activities on site. Dagle Electrical will be the contractor and The Engineering Corps (TEC) will be the on-site engineers for the project.

Wright unveiled renderings that showed the existing intersection and the changes that will include line-stripping, bump-outs, extension of the sidewalks, and the replacement of a wheelchair ramp.

There will also be new bicycle lane pavement markings designed for use for bicyclists in a separate lane away from vehicles. New wheelchair ramps are also planned for Beech and Carter streets.

Wright also said bicyclists will also have specific lanes that will run down Carter Street to Blossom Street.

"Another part of the project is traffic signal improvements," said Wright. "We have the new Miovision detection (that instantly reduces the amount of traffic back-ups), new mast arms (steel structures that hold the traffic signals above the roadway), and new pedestrian signals," said Wright.

Rectangular, rapid-flashing traffic beacons will also be installed at the intersection to alert vehicles and assist pedestrians intending to cross the intersection.

Cares said the city has been in "close coordination with Chelsea High School and surrounding businesses" about the project and its impacts on traffic during the construction process. Cares added that he welcomes suggestions from residents about the project, the construction launch date of which was not announced at the meeting.

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Councillor-at-Large Leo Robinson, who grew up on Fourth Street, praised the project, saying that, "Anytime that enhances the city and makes it safer, I'm all in," said Robinson. "Traffic lights, street lights, let's make the area safer and brighten up the area."

TASTE OF CHELSEA ON SEPT. 14

CHELSEA - The Taste of Chelsea, one of the premier events on the city's social calendar for the past 16 years, will be held virtually next month.

Under the leadership of Joseph Vinard and the Chelsea Chamber of Commerce, the "Tastes" have consistently drawn large crowds to the venue under the tent at Eastern Mineral, 99 Marginal St. The event has raised more than \$1.2 million for HarborCov, a local shelter that assists survivors of domestic violence.

Kourou Pich, executive director of HarborCOV, said the virtual Taste of Chelsea will be held on Zoom on Monday, Sept. 14, from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Pich said guests are being encouraged to buy tickets and join the program on Zoom.

"Because so many residents have been impacted by the pandemic, we're going to ask that people buy takeout orders or gift certificates from restaurants and join the 2020 Taste of Chelsea virtually," said Pich.

The Taste of Chelsea Program

The program will begin with a slide show about last year's Taste of Chelsea and the 2020 event sponsors. There will also be a presentation about HarborCov's mission and statistics related to domestic violence.

At 6:30 p.m. Vinard will deliver welcoming remarks. Pich will then speak about the purpose of the Taste of Chelsea and how the funds raise support survivors of domestic violence.

"The funds help out people who are at the shelter and go towards rental assistance, food gift cards, transportation, childcare and hotel rooms in times of emergency," said Pich.

Vinard the force behind the Taste

Joe Vinard, president of the Chelsea Bank, has helped build the Taste of Chelsea into a mega-event, one of the most anticipated gatherings of the year. He has been one of the event chairs for all 16 Tastes of Chelsea.

Vinard said other Chamber members on the planning committee include Renee Caso Griffin, Gina Guange, and Arthur Arsenault.

"The concept this year is that we're going to tell the story about what HarborCov does and what domestic violence is all about," said Vinard, "Obviously the uptick in cases has been enormous this year with the COVID-19 situation."

Vinard hopes that residents will continue to support the event as they have so enthusiastically in the past.

"What we're asking people to do is rather than come and get a taste of Chelsea in person, we're asking that they get takeout orders from one of our food vendors who have been sponsoring us by coming and serving their food complimentary in the prior 16 years - we want people to get their food and enjoy it while they're watching the virtual presentation on Zoom," said Vinard.

Vinard the goal of the committee in making the decision to go virtual was to "keep everyone safe"

during the pandemic. Because of the large crowd that attends the event, the six-foot-apart social distancing guidelines would have been difficult to maintain.

Councillor Robinson and family will attend the Taste of Chelsea

Councillor-at-Large Leo Robinson, his wife, Linda Alioto-Robinson, sister Gail Mauch, brother-in-law D. Bruce Mauch, and brother Ronald Robinson, have been supporters of the Taste of Chelsea through the years.

"We go every year and it's a great event," said Leo Robinson. "We're sad that the event can't happen this year in person, but we will be participating virtually in the Taste of Chelsea."

EDWARDS SEEKS BIKES ON BLUE LINE

EAST BOSTON - For the past few years East Boston has suffered some of the worst gridlock in decades. Since the reconfiguration of the Sumner Tunnel toll plaza and a dramatic increase in North Shore motorists using Eastie streets during their morning commute, getting around the neighborhood has become a little less easy.

While the COVID-19 pandemic has kept the traffic at bay with many still working from home City Councilor Lydia Edwards is taking proactive steps to try and cut down on neighborhood traffic once things start returning to normal with a plan to promote more bike usage for commuters.

Edwards and her colleague, At-Large City Councilor Michelle Wu, filed a hearing order last week to explore increasing the transportation options for cyclists on the MBTA's Blue Line. Edwards explained riders are not currently able to bring their bicycles on the Blue Line during peak hours, which prevents commuters from being able to ride the T into the city and bike to their final destination.

"This is going to be the start of a conversation," said Edwards. "We need to have a conversation about access and equity across transportation modes for East Boston residents. We're separated from the rest of the city by the harbor and there's no way for cyclists to be able to safely ride into the city. I'm proposing a pilot program to allow them to bring their bikes onto one car on the train during peak hours. With the population of the neighborhood growing, it's important that we give residents as many transportation options as possible."

An added benefit to Edwards' plan is that Blue Line riders may spend less time on trains thus exposing themselves less to potential COVID exposure while commuting.

Data shows that vehicular traffic in Eastie has increased dramatically over the last 10 years with North Shore commuters spilling onto city streets as they try to avoid traffic on Route 1A. The Suffolk Downs proposal includes miles of dedicated multi-modal infrastructure, but its effectiveness will be limited by the MBTA's prohibition of bicycles during peak rush hour on the Blue Line. "If people want to bike to work from the Aquarium station, they should be able to do so," said Edwards. "The more options we give people to get from Point A to Point B the fewer cars there will be on our neighborhood roads."

Her plan has received the support of transportation advocates like former Boston Transportation Secretary John Vitagliano who

LIGHTING STRIKE



PHOTOS BY CHELSEA SCANNER

Sunday evening, Aug. 24 featured a major and long-lasting electrical storm throughout Chelsea and Greater Boston. Hundreds of lightning strikes and flash flooding occurred. Here, Chelsea Scanner was able to grab this memorable shot of a lightning bolt making a direct hit on the Mystic/Tobin Bridge. They were great shots, but Scanner indicated it was a little too close for comfort.



successfully lobbied for the Marty Coughlin By-Pass Road to Chelsea that significantly reduced Logan Airport-related traffic in Day Square.

"I strongly support Councilor Lydia Edward's excellent recommendation that the MBTA provide sufficient capacity on the Blue Line-which serves East Boston, Winthrop, Revere and other north shore communities-to accommodate bicyclists during rush hour periods as well as during current non-rush hour periods," he said. "There are a number of possible operational alternatives, including full and partial train car/ bike provisions, that are feasible but would need to be evaluated through a vigorous test program. The current pandemic downturn of Blue Line ridership provides the opportunity to perform such a test. East Boston and other north shore communities deserve equal bicycle access to Boston-now is the time to do it."

NEW PROJECT ON MAVERICK STREET

EAST BOSTON - A Boston Planning and Development Agency (BPDA) approved mixed-use condo project on Maverick Street broke ground recently, and will bring 49 new units to East Boston.

The project at 205 Maverick St., dubbed EBO, was approved by the BPDA in 2018 after developer Joseph Nogueira made several changes to the design, scale and scope of the proposed building and cut down the number of total units. Originally the developer proposed a five story, 55 unit building with two commercial spaces.

The modifications to the proposal came after members of the Gove Street Citizens Association (GSCA) voted 12 to 12 at a community meeting in September 2018. The tied vote meant GSCA would not send a letter of support or opposition for the project.

The plans approved by the BPDA call for the demolition of the existing single-story commercial structure that houses a laundromat and convenience store in order to construct a five-story, mixed-use build-

ing with 49 residential rental units, seven of which will be affordable units.

According to Nogueira, Nauset Construction has begun its work on the project that will consist of 12 studio units, 17 one-bedroom units, and 20 two-bedroom units.

"EBO condominiums are designed to fit in seamlessly with the character of the existing neighborhood, while providing much-needed housing to the City of Boston - including seven affordable units - in close proximity to public transportation," said Nogueira. "And bringing back the market and laundromat in upgraded space ensures that they will be able to continue to serve the community for years to come."

At community meetings regarding the project Nogueira called the project 'development without displacement' because he always planned to bring back the laundromat and convenience store after construction was completed. The two tenants, Maverick Street Market and Swish & Swash Laundromat, are popular businesses in the area and residents expressed a desire for both to return.

The development will also include an enclosed parking garage with 34 parking spaces and an equal number of bicycle spaces. In addition, an outdoor courtyard that sets back the residential entry from the sidewalk will be constructed to create opportunities for informal neighborhood gathering and socializing that will further enliven the streetscape. In order to soften the garage the developer has planned a roof decked open space or 'green roof' concept over the garage in order to hide the cars from view from abutters living around the building on Maverick and Everett Streets.

"Constructing mid-size, mixed-use multifamily developments in tight urban infill locations is becoming a calling card for Nauset in recent years," said Nauset Construction President Anthony Papanonis. "Through repetition, we've been able to streamline processes to reduce construction time and im-

prove procedures to ensure the safety of the surrounding neighborhood and our workforce."

As part of his BPDA approval Nogueira agreed to a \$20,000 contribution to fund a transportation analysis, and/or implement pedestrian safety enhancements, vehicle calming measures, and public realm improvements in and around the Maverick Street corridor.

The developer also plans to make donations to the Piers Park Sailing Center, as well as the East Boston Social Centers.

MASSIVE REDEVELOPMENT OF STOP & SHOP SITE

EVERETT - The new owners of the Stop & Shop parcel on the Parkway straddling the Everett/Chelsea line have proposed a massive redevelopment of the site, with 800 rental housing units and retail offerings that may or may not include a re-make of the grocery store.

The Grossman Companies of Quincy has filed with the City to begin reviews of the project, and were slated to be on the agenda for Monday's Planning Board - though that got pushed into September due to a public notice Snafu.

In the meantime, City Planner Tony Sousa said they are very excited about the proposal and that it piggybacks on so many of the other dynamic mixed-use projects that have surged into the formerly heavy industrial area. He said the project would create more momentum that is already underway with the completed Pioneer, the proposed development at Wood Waste, the Market Forge proposal, the Fairfield development under construction on the Chelsea side of the line and the operational EnVision Hotel. All of it adds up to a very new and different place than most everyone in Everett is used to seeing on the forgotten southern side of the Parkway.

"It's everything coming together that is so ex-

Coalition to safely reopen schools seeks occupational health concerns to be addressed prior to in-person learning

Staff Report

In response to the statewide push to reopen schools for in-person education, the recently formed Coalition to Safely Reopen Schools, has issued its position statement citing a number of issues that need to be addressed to ensure that schools can be reopened without jeopardizing the health and safety of students, staff, or the communities schools serve. As a result of that analysis, the Coalition is calling for a phased approach to reopening, with no in-person learning unless and until those issues are resolved.

The Coalition is a statewide collaboration of school nurses, teachers, parents, bus drivers, cafeteria workers, librarians, school support staff, janitorial staff, labor, occupational health and community advocates, who came together to provide a frontline perspective and concrete medically-informed recommendations for what

is needed to safely reopen for in-person learning. The group complements and builds on a number of other position statements issued by local and national teachers associations, including the Massachusetts Teachers Association, and American Federation of Teachers Massachusetts, as well as expert analysis and reports provided by the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, the Massachusetts Education Equity Partnership and the Massachusetts Coalition for Occupational Safety and Health. It also relies on the perspective of school nurses from throughout the state, who are responsible for the health and well-being of students and every member of the school staff, all of whom will be placing their own well-being and that of their families and communities at risk as a result of reopening during this unprecedented pandemic.

“This process represents one of the most consequen-

tial decisions our communities and our state will make as our state and nation construe to grapple with a pandemic that is still surging across the nation, showing signs of a second wave in our state, with the threat of the flu season looming,” said Patty Comeau, RN, a member of the Coalition, the Massachusetts Nurses Association and a school nurse in Methuen. “In confronting this challenge a safe, scientifically guided, well planned, adequately funded and appropriately resourced process must be the priority for all involved, as the stakes couldn’t be higher and the outcome of our decisions truly have life and death consequences.”

The statement also highlights the need to keep equity as the central focus of reopening in order to address the needs of families, and communities; particularly Black, Latino and those residents of disadvantaged communities across the Commonwealth, who have been hardest hit by the pan-

demie, and whose communities often lack the funding and school infrastructure to support a safe reopening at this time.

The position statement addresses 16 different areas of concern that need to be considered and addressed appropriately to ensure a safe reopening of schools for in-person learning, including:

- Proper ventilation and circulation of air;
- Assessing community resources for alternative school settings;
- Ensuring proper social distancing;
- Standardization and availability of PPE for all staff and students
- Resources and infrastructure to support hand hygiene and mask wearing;
- Safe cleaning practices;
- Addressing the health and safety of students with special needs;
- Access to rapid testing;
- Clear guidelines for contact tracing;
- Appropriate school nurse staffing;

•Space to isolate and monitor suspected or positive cases;

•Resources for safe transportation of students;

•Safe re-entry into school protocols;

•Comprehensive education and training of staff prior to reopening;

•Disparities in access to in-person learning;

•Preserving school staff pay and benefits.

The position statement clearly describes each specific area of concern as well as how each must be addressed to ensure a safe reopening. After completing this review, the Coalition position statement concludes:

“In light of all the issues we have presented, the current lack of funding appropriated to address these issues, and the increased need for staff, PPE, testing and other resources to implement a safe reopening, at this time; we don’t believe our State is ready to pursue in-person learning safely. And until these issues are

resolved, it is also not safe to have staff stationed in these schools to conduct remote learning for students.”

The Coalition calls for the state and school districts to reopen for remote learning, while taking the time to develop comprehensive plans with the infrastructure, protocols, staffing, funding and training “to safely institute in-person learning that we all know our students deserve.”

The organizations that have endorsed the document to date include: American Federation of Teachers Massachusetts, Massachusetts Association for the Chemically Injured, Massachusetts Coalition for Safety and Health, Massachusetts Jobs with Justice, Massachusetts Nurses Association, Massachusetts Teachers Association and Service Employees International Union Local 888.

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citing,” he said. “I look at 2014 and 2015 when we did the neighborhood plan and a few years later we did the zoning changes. The we added the federal opportunity zone designation. That is very real and every developer down there has looked into the opportunity zone.

“It’s really, really coming together there,” he continued. “Go back five years and we have added the Silver Line and the soon-to-be commuter rail station in Chelsea. I can’t say enough about accessing the Silver Line and how it connects us now to the airport, the Seaport and South Station. We didn’t have that five years ago so there wasn’t this synergy that there is now. It all starts with Mayor DeMaria’s vision and guiding us to get everything in order. The Commercial Triangle is changing.”

The Stop & Shop parcel on the Parkway is just over six acres of land and sits about 80 percent in Everett and 20 percent in Chelsea. The review will have to come from Everett first, but will also need approvals from Chelsea afterward.

The proposal includes 800 units of rental housing, which translates to 150 Studios, 494 one-bedrooms, and 156 two-bedrooms. The development calls for 906 parking spaces in structured garages. Even with that, the project would call for variances for parking, additional height, and setbacks. It could also feature as many as 40 or more units of affordable housing on site.

The proposal includes 15,000 square feet of retail, which is a far cry from the 90,000 square-foot existing grocery store. Sousa said he had no idea if Stop & Shop would re-tool their store as they have in other locations around Greater Boston. Some Stop & Shop stores have focused on a smaller footprint with more prepared foods and a pared-down market under the title “bfresh.” That has taken place in Newton and Davis Square Somerville. It wasn’t readily apparent if that would happen on the Parkway, and Sousa said there is no tenant yet identified for the retail portion.

However, he said some sort of market would be likely needed in that area

despite the large Market Basket down the street. With nearly 2,000 units on the docket for that immediate area, Sousa said a market concept for quick grabs and small orders would be a great amenity from the City’s perspective.

The proposal would be situated in several buildings on the site, and would feature an open public space concept as has been the norm in the other buildings proposed or built in the area. That, Sousa said, is going to be a feature of the new district on both sides of the City Line. Having public green space accessible to everyone and outdoor seating to accompany retail would be essential, he said, to the character of this newly carved out community.

“There are again here very public facing elements of open space and helping to create a neighborhood feel,” he said. “As more gets developed, we want to make sure open space is shared space and there is retail with outdoor seating and public amenities.”

The project has been continued for its first unveiling at the Sept. 12 Everett Planning Board meeting, which is an online Zoom meeting. The Grossman Companies purchased the site in 2018 for around \$16 million.

AUDITORIUM POSSIBLY BE RENAMED

EVERETT - The Frederick Foresteire Center for Performing Arts at Everett High School – otherwise known as the auditorium – is before the School Committee this month on a request by Mayor Carlo DeMaria to rename the facility after the late Dorothy Martin Long.

At Monday’s School Committee meeting, the Committee by a unanimous vote accepted a request from the mayor for the renaming and sent it to the Subcommittee on Property for further evaluation.

There was no immediate comment from anyone on the Committee and Mayor DeMaria did not wish to comment at this time either. He submitted the item in his role as an ex officio member of the Committee.

The Center was named after former Supt. Fred For-

esteire when he was still at the helm of the schools and shortly after the new Everett High was completed so many years ago. However, criminal allegations of improper conduct against him prompted his resignation in December 2018 and charges were filed in court in early 2019. The case is still pending and has been delayed by COVID-19 court shutdowns. He is charged with seven counts of misconduct, but hasn’t yet been convicted of anything.

That said, many have asked numerous times if the Performing Arts Center would be renamed given the negative publicity surrounding the former superintendent. Nothing, however, was done as the School Committee said it was waiting until the resolution of the court case before taking any action on renaming things that carry the name of Foresteire – including the Center.

On Monday, in what was a surprise to observers, Mayor DeMaria moved to have the Committee go ahead now and consider the renaming.

Dorothy Martin Long was a long-time community and education advocate in Everett, serving in numerous capacities before her unexpected passing earlier this summer. She was prominent on the Superintendent Search Committee that met many times in 2019 before picking new Supt. Priya Tahiliani.

The matter was voted to Committee on an 8-0 vote.

FALL SPORTS SEASON IN LYNN CANCELLED

LYNN - Lynn English Director of Athletics Dick Newton and Lynn Classical Director of Athletics Bill Devin both voted with the majority to cancel the entire Northeastern Conference fall sports season.

The NEC ADs voted by a 7-5 margin to recommend to cancel the season and push it back to the spring of 2021. The NEC school principals, including Classical Principal Amy Dunn and English Interim Principal Anastasia Tessie Mower, voted 9-0-3 Monday to cancel the season, with the Gloucester, Danvers, and

Beverly principals abstaining.

Newton spoke about the proposal that he authored.

“I think the buzzword was ‘equity’ and if five schools are not able to play at all, are we going to stay together as a league or are we going to branch off and do our own thing?” said Newton. “I think the main objective of school systems is to get students back in the classroom first.”

The decision affects Lynn high school football (which had already been moved to the spring season, (which is called the “Fall 2” season), volleyball, boys and girls soccer, boys and girls cross country, golf, and cheerleading.

“It is my job as an athletic director to look out for my kids and at this point in time where we’re in waters that we haven’t been in before when it comes to COVID-19 and virtual learning – it’s made things very difficult for everybody and my job is to look out for Lynn English and Lynn kids.”

Devin said Lynn was deemed to be in “red” for COVID-19 cases, “so weren’t going to be allowed to play anywhere.”

“This decision gives us a ray of hope that we can salvage the entire fall season and play it in the Fall 2 floating wedge season created by the MIAA,” said Devin.

Devin said he is “100 percent optimistic” that the Fall 2 season can happen this spring.

“There are some obstacles with the weather and the availability of venues and other issues, but I think all of those things can be overcome,” said Devin. “My thought is that the late February dates will be used for tryouts and indoor practices and then gradually make our way out to the golf course, the cross country course, and the football and soccer fields.”

Devin said he is excited about an interesting scenario that could find the Lynn Classical and Lynn English football teams playing their annual “Thanksgiving” game in April.

“I am excited about playing the Bulldogs on a warm, crisp Saturday afternoon in April at Manning Field,” said Devin. “We’re going to have a sell-out crowd,

10,000-plus fans there.”

In other news, Devin and Newton have agreed that the Lynn flag football (Powder Puff) game between Lynn Classical and Lynn English seniors will be played in the spring at Manning Field.

WINTHROP MOVED TO COVID RED ZONE

WINTHROP - The Town of Winthrop has been moved to the Red Zone designation, the highest level of risk by state officials due to the increase in positive COVID-19 cases. Winthrop joins 21 other communities, including Revere, Chelsea, Lynn and Everett that also have been moved to the Red Zone. While Boston has not been designated in the Red Zone, East Boston has the highest infection rate in the City and the highest percentage of residents testing positive. As of this week, East Boston is at 11% for those being tested positive for the virus.

The Town of Winthrop is taking multiple steps to stop the spread of COVID-19 in our community. The Massachusetts Department of Public Health had notified Winthrop officials of eight new cases on Friday and one additional resident affected by COVID-19 on Tuesday. The new Winthrop totals as of Tuesday are as follows: 350 confirmed cases: 24 deceased, 22 isolated and 304 recovered.

The Town of Winthrop has reactivated its Emergency Operations Center on Wednesday, Aug. 26, in order to centralize the response effort to the recent uptick in COVID-19 cases. Those with questions about the COVID-19 situation in town are encouraged to call the COVID-19 information line at 617-539-5848 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, or email COVID19info@town.winthrop.ma.us.

In response to the recent designation by the state as a “high risk” community, Winthrop officials have partnered with state leaders to establish “Stop the Spread” testing site seven days a week at the E.B. Newton School, as well as additional limited “pop-up” sites. Testing is free for all

at each testing site in Winthrop. The testing at the E.B. Newton School and the pop-up sites will continue through at least Sept. 12.

Testing will be available at E.B. Newton School in Winthrop on the following days and times until further notice:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 2-7 p.m. (drive-through)

Tuesday and Thursday from 2-7 p.m. (walk-up)

Testing providers are able to provide information in English and Spanish.

Additional pop-up testing location details will be provided as soon as they are available.

“The only way to truly stop the spread of COVID-19 in our community is for everyone to get tested, learn their results and take the appropriate steps if they test positive,” Public Health Director Meredith Hurley said. “Testing lets us know where the virus is in our community, who is carrying it even without symptoms, and who’s at risk of contracting the virus through close contact with those that have it.”

The virus that causes COVID-19 primarily spreads through the exchange of respiratory droplets that find their way into the air when people breathe, cough or sneeze. Spread can be significantly limited through the use of face coverings when in public, and through the practice of social distancing -- remaining at least six feet away from people who don’t live in your household at all times.

“Residents who live with or have close contact with more vulnerable members of our population -- such as their elderly parents and grandparents or individuals with compromised immune systems -- are especially encouraged to get tested,” Town Manager Austin Faison said. “Still, everyone should get tested regardless of their risk factors so that we can have a fuller understanding of how far COVID-19 has spread in our community and put a stop to it so that we can all stay safe and healthy.”

Between Aug. 2 and 15, Winthrop’s average daily COVID-19 incidence rate per 100,000 residents was 11.37, trending higher than the community’s previous case count period.

EBNHC named one of America's best employers in Massachusetts

Magazine recognizes the Health Center as a top workplace based on employee opinion

Staff report

East Boston Neighborhood Health Center (EBNHC), the largest community health center in Massachusetts and among the largest community health centers in the country, has been named to the second annual list of America's Best Employers by State 2020, presented by Forbes and Statista.

"East Boston Neighborhood Health Center strives to be an employer of choice and we take pride in this recognition from Forbes, knowing that the award comes as a result of feedback from our valued employees," said Manny Lopes, President and CEO of EBNHC. "We want to thank our employees for their passion and commitment to serving East Boston and the surrounding communities and promise to continue to work to make EBNHC a great place to work."

EBNHC was selected based on an independent

survey of more than 80,000 U.S. employees working for companies employing at least 500 people in their U.S. operations. The surveys were administered using a series of online panels and provide a representative sample of the U.S. workforce. The Health Center is also proud to be a five-time awardee of the Boston Globe's Top Places to Work.

By investing in its employees, EBNHC is able to carry out its mission to provide easily accessible, affordable, appropriate, high-quality, personalized, coordinated primary care, for all who live and work in East Boston and the surrounding communities. EBNHC offers progressive benefits, a variety of schedules, and the satisfaction of working with a diverse workforce whose unity of purpose is a real force for achievement. The Health Center's Education & Training Institute is an important resource for many employees who seek to broaden their skill base and advance their careers.

"By providing education and training opportunities,

we address both sides of a vital employment issue," continued Lopes. "The Health Center provides employees and community members alike with the education and skills needed to obtain well-paying jobs in health care, providing a source of qualified employees for EBNHC that are part of the Health Center's service area while helping drive the local economy."

For more information about EBNHC's employment opportunities, please visit careers.ebnhc.org.

The East Boston Neighborhood Health Center (EBNHC) has been a vital part of its community for the last 50 years, providing easily accessible, high-quality health care to all who live and work in East Boston and the surrounding communities of Chelsea, Revere, Everett, and Winthrop. EBNHC supports over 1,000 employees and handles 300,000 visits per year — more than any other ambulatory care center in New England. For more information, please visit www.ebnhc.org.

RMV to offer designated senior service hours

Staff Report

The Massachusetts Registry of Motor Vehicles (RMV) is announcing that it will begin offering dedicated service hours for customers who are 75 years of age or older and are re-

quired to renew their Massachusetts driver's license in person.

The new designated service hours will be by appointment only and will be offered on Wednesdays through the month of September at select service cen-

ter locations. The services will begin on Wednesday, Sept. 2, at the Watertown Service Center with additional locations in Danvers, Leominster, New Bedford, and South Yarmouth to follow.

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Real Estate Transfers

BUYER 1	ISELLER 1	ADDRESS	PRICE
93 Bennington Owner LLC	Subway RT	93 Bennington St	\$850,000
93 Bennington Owner LLC	Subway RT	Bennington St #B	\$850,000
Hoyle Construction Inc	Case RT	12 Case Dr	\$300,000
Hoyle Construction Inc	Case RT	4 Case Dr	\$300,000
Zhang, Yixin	Ciccone, Gina	1695 N Shore Rd #8	\$471,900
Binder, Steven G	Bozek, Christopher	1 Nahant Ave #1	\$198,000
Weinstein, Matthew	Cataldo, Rosette M	15 Ocean Pier Ave #B	\$1,168,500
Barrasso, John	Gregg Margaret G Est	350 Revere Beach Blvd #8V	\$455,000
Franco, Brandon	Pennucci, Lawrence	360 Revere Beach Blvd #210	\$360,000
Smith, Gary	Jonnalagadda, Sharat C	474 Revere Beach Blvd #306	\$355,000
Fernando, Melissa	Beach RT	474 Revere Beach Blvd #407	\$355,000
Desousa, Stephen	Sanecchiaro, James	12 Smith St	\$325,000
Hoyle Construction Inc	Case RT	13 Sweeney Ave	\$300,000
Hoyle Construction Inc	Case RT	21 Sweeney Ave	\$300,000

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Suffolk Probate and Family Court
 24 New Chardon St.
 Boston, MA 02114
 (617)788-8300

CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

Docket No. SU20P1474EA

Estate of: Alessandro Annese

Date of Death 03/17/2020

To all interested persons: A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Annalisa Silva of Peabody, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 09/25/2020.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.

Date: August 19, 2020

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ATLANTIS TOWING

851 BROADWAY
 REVERE MA 02151
 781-485-1800

 ABANDON VEHICLE AUCTION*****

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF MASS G.L.c. 255, SECTION 39A THE FOLLOWING VEHICLES WILL BE AUCTIONED OFF ON 09/17/2020 8AM. AND WILL BE SOLD ON OR AFTER THAT DATE TO SATISFY THEIR GARAGE KEEPERS LIEN FOR TOWING.

1966 FORD #6F07C727792
 2018 JEEP #1C4BJWDG-9JL860785
 2012 HYUNDAI #5NPE-C4AC9CH367404J
 2017 FORD #3FA6POT97HR188713
 2015 FORD #1FMSK-8D8XFGC22510
 2017 TOYOTA #JTEZU-5JRXH5158037
 2017 TOYOTA #5YF-BURHE6HP656254
 2018 CADDI #1G6A-BSRX0J0135317
 2018 NISSAN #JN8AY2N-F0J9323883
 2017 MB #WDDPK-6GA2HF133707

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 9/09/2020, 9/16/2020

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other suitable person) be appointed as Conservator to serve With Corporate Surety on the bond. The petition asks the court to determine that the Respondent is disabled, that a protective order or appointment of a Conservator is necessary, and that the proposed conservator is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court. You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of 09/28/2020. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person's right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The above-named person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at State expense.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.

Date: August 17, 2020
 Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate

9/02/20

LEGAL NOTICE

CITY OF REVERE

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

LEASE OF SPACE/INDUSTRIAL LAND FOR THE CITY OF REVERE - DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

PROPOSAL NO: MUN-2020-1015

This proposal is for the lease of commercial space/land for the City of Revere's Department of Public Works for a period of 24 months or longer while the City builds a new DPW facility. The space required must be approximately 5000 to 8000 sq. ft. of heated usable vehicle garage/storage space and up to four acres of industrial land, to be located in the City of Revere or up to two miles outside the City boundary line, and meet all requirements according to specifications. The land and the vehicle storage space need not necessarily be in the same location

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beginning Wednesday, August 26, 2020 electronically from the Office of the City Purchasing Agent, Michael Piccardi at mpiccardi@revere.org.

Proposals in response to this RFP shall be signed under the pains and penalties of perjury. Sealed proposals will be received by the Purchasing Agent at his office, Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, Massachusetts, prior to 1:00 P.M. on Monday, September 28, 2020. The City of Revere, as the awarding authority, reserves the right to accept any proposal or portion of a proposal, waive any informality in a proposal, investigate the ability of the vendors to honor a proposal, reject any and all proposals, and award all contracts as shall be considered in the best interest of the City of Revere. The City of Revere reserves the right to negotiate and amend the scope of services.

It is the policy of the City of Revere to take positive steps to maximize the utilization of minority business enterprises in all activities administered by this agency. No Candidate/Service Provider may withdraw his/her proposal within thirty (30) business days after the actual date of the opening thereof. This request for proposals is in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 30B.

Michael A. Piccardi
 Purchasing Agent

8/26/20, 9/2/20

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requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition. The Petitioner requests that: Linda Anne Moccia of Malvern, PA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

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WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.

Date: August 21, 2020
 Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate

9/02/20

LEGAL NOTICE

CHANGE OF NAME Docket No. SU20C0235CA

In the matter of: Mariela Lizbeth Reyes

A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by Mariela Lizbeth Reyes of Revere, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to: Mariela Lizbeth Dominguez Reyes

Any person may appear to the petition by filing an appearance at: Suffolk Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 09/17/2020. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.

Date: August 20, 2020
 Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate

9/02/20

LEGAL NOTICE

PR CONTRACTING, INC. ORDER OF NOTICE TO PR CONTRACTING, INC.

To: PR Contracting, Inc., of parts unknown

Whereas a Third Party complaint has been brought against you in our Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex, wherein the Third Party Plaintiffs, Ranch Roofing, Inc., a corporation with a principal place of business located in Arlington, Middlesex County Massachusetts and Robert J. O'Sullivan, an individual residing in Massachusetts. Whereas the Third Party Plaintiffs, Ranch Roofing, Inc. And Robert J. O'Sullivan, requests the Court to determine that judgment enter for the Third Party Plaintiffs against the defendant PR Contracting, Inc., as set forth in the Third Party Complaint filed in said court on December 30, 2019.

Upon the foregoing Third Party Complaint, it is ordered by the Court that the Third Party Plaintiffs notify the said Defendant, that on October 2, 2020 or within twenty (20) days from the said day cause their written appearance and written answer of other lawful pleadings to be served upon Kathleen Farrell, Esquire, Melick & Porter, LLP, One Liberty Square, 7th Floor, Boston, MA 02109, and defend against said complaint according to law, if said corporation intends to make a defense, otherwise the said complaint may be entered therein in its absence by publication of an attested copy hereof in the Revere Journal, newspaper circulating in Revere, Suffolk County Massachusetts, once a week for three successive weeks, the last publication to be at least twenty days before the said October 2, 2020.

By the Court, (Sarrouf, J.)
 Deputy Assistant Clerk Joseph J. Blackburn
 Entered: July 22, 2020

8/19/20, 8/26/20, 9/2/20

LEGAL NOTICE

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REVERE LICENSE COMMISSION
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT

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 24 New Chardon St.
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CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF CONSERVATOR OR OTHER PROTECTIVE ORDER PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 190B, § 5-304 & § 5-405

Docket No. SU20P1106PM

In the matter of: Bernardo Sepulveda Of: Revere, MA

To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by Lighthouse Nursing Care Center of Revere, MA and Jonathan J. Davey of Quincy, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that Bernardo Sepulveda is in need of a Conservator or other protective order and requesting that (or some

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other suitable person) be appointed as Conservator to serve With Corporate Surety on the bond. The petition asks the court to determine that the Respondent is disabled, that a protective order or appointment of a Conservator is necessary, and that the proposed conservator is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court. You have the right to object to this proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of 09/28/2020. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

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PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Section 17.16.205 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere that the Revere City Council will conduct a public hearing on Monday evening, September 28, 2020 at 6:00 P.M. via remote participation on the application of Sandra M.

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CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

Docket No. SU20P1463EA

Estate of: Louis A. Rasetta

Date of Death: 04/15/2020

To all interested persons: A Petition for Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Linda Anne Moccia of Malvern, PA

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requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition. The Petitioner requests that: Linda Anne Moccia of Malvern, PA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

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RMV // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 22

low beginning on Wednesday, Sept. 9. The RMV is offering this new customer service option to facilitate proper "social-distancing" protocols to keep customers and staff safe and healthy.

Throughout September, certain service centers will dedicate Wednesdays (hours vary by location) to customers 75 years of age or older whose driver's license or ID card expires in September, including customers whose licenses/IDs were extended until September (March, April, and May expirations).

The following service centers will exclusively serve these customers who make renewal appointments:

- Danvers Service Center (starting Sept. 9)
- Leominster Service Center (starting Sept. 9)
- New Bedford Service Center (starting Sept. 9)
- South Yarmouth Service Center (starting Sept. 9)
- Watertown Service Center (starting Sept. 2)

Below are the options for seniors to renew by appointment:

• If you are a AAA member, you may make a reservation now to renew your driver's license/ID at a AAA location. Visit aaa.com/appointments to schedule your visit.

• If you are not a AAA member, visit Mass.Gov/RMV to make a reservation to renew at an RMV Service Center. Select the Seniors License Renewal option on the Make/Cancel a Reservation transaction.

• Email the RMV for assistance to renew at MassDOTRMVSeniors@dot.state.ma.us email address.

• Call the RMV at 857-368-8005.

License and ID renewal appointments are also available at our other open RMV Service Centers that offer general appointments to the public. Select Renew My Driver's License or Mass ID option on the Make/Cancel a Reservation at Mass.Gov/RMV to view availability and make a reservation at one of these locations.

The RMV is introducing this service channel alternative in light of the COVID-19 public health emergency to encourage 'social-distancing' in its Service Centers and prioritize other essential in-person needs by appointment-only. All RMV customers are encouraged to visit www.Mass.Gov/RMV to complete one of over 40 other transactions available online, by mail, or by phone.

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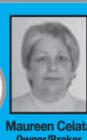
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Revere's Waterfront Ambassador had a busy summer

By John Lynds

A Revere youth that worked this summer as a Waterfront Ambassador participated in a nature-inspired art project in the city.

The Waterfront Ambassadors, a summer youth employment program run by the Trustees Boston Waterfront, is a summer team that consists of 11 Ambassadors.

Among these 11 Ambassadors was Revere teen, Kevin C., who spent his summer documenting some of his favorite places in and around Revere.

Kevin's photos aimed at capturing some of Revere's unique and beautiful spaces.

The program ran through August and Kevin collaborated with and learned from a variety of partner organizations doing work across the region and exposed the

teens to a variety of potential career paths.

"Our Waterfront Ambassadors are an engaged group of local high school students, who are finding unique ways to explore and learn about the power of open space planning and development around the city," says Managing Director of the Boston Waterfront Initiative Nick Black. "They are focused on what it means to design with access and equity front-of-mind, and are learning from landscape architects, artists, and community members from around the City."

In early August teens had the opportunity to speak with Michelle Moon and landscape architect María de la Luz Lobos Martínez to learn about the benefits—and challenges—of building open, green space in a developed area.

"We focused on the Winthrop (greenway) extension," explained Program Manager Sarah Plotkin. "The Ambassadors were then tasked with creating their own surveys for the Greenway and to share them with friends to see what feedback they might get, which they really enjoyed."

Other guest speakers this week included Jason L. Burrell, a local resident and associate at the law firm Mintz, who spoke with the teens about setting goals, and his career journey; Trustees Director of Coast Tom O'Shea who detailed the organization's coastal strategy and resilience projects underway; and Trustees Boston Community Gardens Engagement Manager Michelle de Lima, who gave the group a virtual tour of the Nightingale Community Gardens in Dorchester.

"The Ambassadors enjoyed learning about the different plants that were being grown and how community gardens operate," said Plotkin. "A high point was getting to talk to one of the local gardeners who was working her plot at the time, and learning about her



Among the 11 Waterfront Ambassadors for the summer of 2020 was Revere's Kevin C. The Revere teen spent the summer documenting some of his favorite places around Revere and Boston's waterfront.

creative way of using shredded paper to help her plants grow instead of mulch."

Over the summer Kevin took part in a rock painting beautification project in the area.

"One of our outside activities was to paint rocks that we were able to find," he said. "I really enjoyed doing this because it was my first time painting rocks. And after I was done painting them, I went back and I put them back where I found them so that they can make my neighborhood look a little nicer and hopefully it can inspire someone else to do it too."

Black explained that the program had to sort of reinvent itself as the COVID-19

pandemic continues across the country.

Black said in Summer 2019, the Waterfront Ambassadors worked with key grassroots and non-profit partners, lending a hand with local cleanups and stewardship projects.

However, the 2020 program, supported for a second summer by TD Bank's Ready Commitment, has presented new challenges and necessitated converting to a virtual/remote work-learn structure to comply with social distancing measures.

Even with those restrictions Kevin still met with and learned from—virtually—a variety of partner organizations including

representatives from the Mary Ellen Welch Greenway, Harborkeepers, the Boston Society of Landscape Architects, and other local artists, organizers, and educators.

"Getting outside and into the community was still a big focus for this year and finding a way to safely step away from the computer screen while social distancing was a challenge, but our Ambassadors have certainly risen to the occasion," added Black. "Their projects this summer include regular, independent exploration of nearby public gardens and parks, to assess and think about what makes these places welcoming, valued spaces for the communities that surround them. Documenting their findings with photos, the teens are creating a post-card series to share their observations called 'Greetings from my Boston'."

As a 2020 Ambassadors Kevin also engaged with the Boston Waterfront Initiative team to learn about the Trustees-led project to create a series of resilient, equitable parks around the City's vulnerable waterfront. To help inform this work as part of a robust community engagement process beginning in the fall, the Ambassadors will gather open space design ideas and input from the community, with a focus on Boston youth.

"The engagement projects are the Ambassadors' main focus of the summer," said Black. "The goal is for each of the Ambassadors to explore their own communities with fresh eyes and learn from the many organizations and partners actively engaged with open space planning and community engagement work around our waterfront city."

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