

May Town Board Report

RECREATION:

- Current programing includes cardio step, yoga, strength & stretch, swimming (Watercats), skating, Zumba, adult swim, horse riding, club volleyball, Girls Strong, LBP, LSP, and adult volleyball.
- Our Summer Program Booklet is now available. We are still adding programs.
- Weather delays and mowing have been numerous of late; we are doing our best to stay on top of it.
- LBP (baseball), LSP (softball) and T-ball have all started their seasons. It has been a challenge with all the rain to get practices and games in.
- We are working closely with LCSD on upcoming field usage, both Varsity Boys and Girls soccer program will be using our fields.
- We will be having training for our Day Camp staff this week. We are extremely glad to have Dan Cheatham as our director of day camp.

PARKS:

- More storms have brought us more noticeable tree damage in Myers Park. We have had to remove several more (which has not been cheap). Flooding has caused damage as well, throughout the park. We are losing the shoreline in multiple places.
- Continuing site clearing and consolidation in preparation for the New DPW Facility. Creating better access to our back building for office space. Space is getting very tight.
- Boats are starting to move into their slips and dry dock spaces in Myers Park.
- Camping has opened for the season, even though the weather is not cooperating.
- Salt Point will be planted with wildflower seed once it dries out. Clean up day was extraordinarily successful. Thank you to all who volunteered.
- Our Health Department inspection for camping went very well, no violations.
- Our lake shore at Myers is a mess with trees and debris, this will take several days to clear.
- Last summer some of the basketball court surfacing at Myers Park started to peel. These spots will be repaired in May.
- Grant work for multiple projects is taking up a tremendous amount of time within our department. I had to make an exceedingly difficult choice to not apply for some. Having a grant writer on staff would be a huge benefit to the Town.
- Our Myers Park staff will have a meeting/training later this week so we can open for admission sales this weekend.

- Music in the Park schedule now available. It will begin July 10th.
- LCSD Graduation will be held at Myers Park this year on June 27th. Preparations have begun to accommodate this.
- We have poured a concrete slab around the gazebo/band stand at Myers Park to make it more functional with events.

TRAILS:

- The Working Group received three proposals for the Greenway Master Plan. The group unanimously recommended the MJ group proposal and is sending it to the Town Board for approval.
- The proposal Town Center Greenway Phase 1 has been received and our group will be discussing this next week to make a recommendation to the board.
- T.G. Miller is working on the Myers Road Trail feasibility study.
- Parks, Recreation, and Trails Working Groups next meeting is May 21st.
- The Lansing Center Trail is very wet. We are unable to mow most of the trail. Please use caution and wear boots if you plan to be on it.
- The Lansing Center Trails clean-up/planting day went very well.

TOWN HALL/COMMUNITY CENTER:

- Our .gov domain name conversion has begun: lansingtownny.gov was accepted.
- Door access for after hour meetings has been a challenge with our new system.
- The Community Center is currently having issues with air conditioning.
- Dave Herrick is working on the RFP for roof replacement on the Community Center and Historical building.
- D Squared responded to me the Town Hall roof repair will be under \$1,000.

Thank you to our Highway Department for their help with numerous items.

This is only a very brief overview of what the Parks & Recreation department does, if you have questions or would like to meet with me one on one, please let me know.