

CITY OF NEW MEADOWS MAYOR'S REPORT

October 13, 2026

We've had a couple great events over the past few weeks. The Bike A Thon was extremely successful with 12 kids and several adults participating. The top two fundraising bikers brought in \$1700 to go toward Skate Park expenses. The Saturday night Comedian event was a huge success, although the weather got a little chilly at the end. The Fall Haul was also an excellent evening of vendors and live music. We are approaching the snowy, winter weather with a Movie night at the Skate Park with the kids and a fall decorating class with the local nursery.

IIG, who is working on the local broadband project, has decided not to put the broadband through New Meadows because they waited too long to get all their information together. They asked for a right of way permit but could not give us a timeline that would get them finished up before winter and mud. We may be able to revisit their decision in the spring.

The City Hall auction had one bidder who purchased the building at the minimum bid of \$249k. Timberline Title did a great job working with the Auction company to take care of the closing. Money was disbursed on Friday.

The City was awarded two grants from the Fosdick this year. One was for a flashing pedestrian crosswalk sign at the corner of Peterson Memorial and Taylor where the Youth Center is sitting. The other grant was for a storage shed and leaf blower for the skate park.

I have written another grant for City administration upgrades and will hear about that grant this month.

The first event was held at the Heartland Room Youth Center – a yoga class – and was very successful.