

**CITY OF MONTPELIER
CAPITAL CITY OF VERMONT**

City Manager's Weekly Report – 05/12/2017

UPCOMING MEETINGS ...

Monday, May 15	Design Review Committee, 5:30 P.M. in the City Council Chambers
	Development Review Board, 7:00 P.M. in the City Council Chambers
Tuesday, May 16	Montpelier Energy Advisory Committee, 7:00 P.M. in the City Council Chambers
Thursday, May 18	Montpelier Senior Advisory Council, 1:00 P.M. in the MSAC Resource Room
	Housing Task Force, 5:15 P.M. in the City Manager's Conference Room
	“Friends of the Winooski”, 6:00 P.M. in the Memorial Room

FOR YOUR CALENDARS ...

Friday, May 19	City Council Retreat, Capitol Plaza, 9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.
Monday, May 22	City Council Retreat Continued, 5:00 – 9:00 P.M.

ATTACHMENTS ...

 NOTICE: Montpelier – Main Street Roundabout Detour Sunday Evening (5-14)

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Council Retreat

Reminder that Part One will be held on Friday, May 19, from 9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.; Part Two on Monday, May 22, from 5:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

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Legal

Illuzzi vs City, et al.: Status conference was held on March 27th. It was concluded that this case will proceed to trial.

WEEKLY REPORTS FROM DEPARTMENT HEADS ...

Montpelier Senior Activity Center

- The Montpelier Senior Activity Center will celebrate our 50th Anniversary at a Gala event on Saturday, June 10, from 5:00 -10:30 P.M. at the Capitol Plaza Hotel in Montpelier. Join us for an evening of music, dancing, food, and fun, with a 60's theme to celebrate our founding in 1967. Join us at 5:00 P.M. for appetizers and dinner and a special program to celebrate our 50th Anniversary with special guest Senator Patrick Leahy. Tickets including dinner are \$50. Or, join us after dinner for a dessert buffet and dancing to music by DJ Fred Wilbur. Tickets for dessert and dancing only are \$20. All will enjoy a cash bar, fun photo booth, silent auction, and wonderful 60's themed decorations. This event is open to ALL. Buy tickets now in the MSAC office at 58 Barre Street or online at www.msac50.brownpapertickets.com.
- On Monday, May 8, Director Janna Clar attended an all-day Summit on Workforce and Aging: Grey is the New Green. Organized by the Tri-State Learning Collaboration on Aging, attendees learned and networked about innovative public and private approaches to keeping our older workforce engaged and viable while addressing economic development and security needs of our communities. Advisory Council members Ron Merkin and Jessica Sanderson (who also serves as FEAST manager and oversees dozens of volunteers) also attended.

Parks and Trees

- A group of ten Americorp members have been working with the Parks and Trees Department for the last two weeks. During this time, they have helped pull close to 1700 woody invasive shrubs (many of them very large) using picks, shovels, come-a-longs and the Park tractor, as well as a lot of sweat equity!
- Additionally they have helped plant over 450 trees to help limit the spread of invasives, shrink the area the invasives occupy, and improve the riparian habitat mostly in the North Branch River Park along the bike path as well. You can see WCAX news coverage here: http://www.wcax.com/story/35398048/waging-war-on-invasive-plants#.WRO1rz_gnC8.link

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- Alec, the Park Caretaker and Parks and Trees Crew Leader/Supervisor became a proud father last Friday!

TOPICS FOR UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS ...

May 19 and 22	City Council Retreat
May 24	Zoning – Part 3 Committee Assignments Appointment(s) to the Conservation Commission Discuss Goals Parklet Ordinance – 1 st Public Hearing UES Playground Zorzi Deed CS – Development Agreement
June 14	Zoning – Part 4-5
June 28 (Possibly 21 st ?)	Zoning – Part 4-5
July 12	Zoning – Make Decisions (?)



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Subject: Montpelier - Main Street Roundabout Detour Sunday Evening (5/14)

Attn: Montpelier Fire/Rescue Department
Montpelier Police Department
VSP – Middlesex
East Montpelier Rescue/Fire Department

Re: Montpelier - Main Street Roundabout Detour – Sunday Night (5/14)
5:00 pm to 12:00 am (Midnight)

Please note there will be a detour in effect at the roundabout on Main Street in Montpelier, Sunday night (5/14) between 5:00 pm and 12:00 am (Midnight). See details below.

Sunday Night (5/14) – Milling will start on Spring Street at the beginning of the work shift and continue through the roundabout and onto Main Street ending School Street.

Roundabout Detour - Due to the constrained working area in the roundabout area, while work is occurring from School Street to the Roundabout, passenger vehicles wanting to use the roundabout will be directed to an alternate route marked with signs. This same detour will be in place when this section is paved.

- Main St [north / south] - Passenger vehicles will be directed to use **School Street** and **Loomis Street**.
- Trucks (tractor units) will not be directed to use the School Street/Loomis Street detour to access County Road and/or Main Street. They will be held at the roundabout until equipment is cleared and then directed through.
- Trucks (tractor units) on Main Street wanting to access VT 12/Elm Street will be directed to use School Street to Elm Street.
- Local traffic will have access to all businesses and/or residents between School Street and the roundabout while the detour is in use.

Traffic control devices will be in place to direct motorists. Flaggers and Uniformed Traffic Officers will also be present to assist with traffic.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Thank you,

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