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THE MAYOR'S UPDATE

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SURVEY 123

Creighton Manning, who completed a traffic calming study in the Central section, has been hired to study the East, West and Estates sections to evaluate and make recommendations on traffic calming measures to address the many traffic complaints received by the Village every week. The study will look at possible treatments for all the types of roadways in the Village but the recommendations will focus on Village-owned streets. Residents are encouraged to get involved in this important study and provide valuable input to ensure its success. The primary mechanism for feedback during the study will be the use of an online mapping application called Survey 123. The site allows residents to “drop pins” in specific locations and select from a drop down list of issues they see such as speeding, dangerous driving, etc. [SURVEY 123](http://www.gardencitytrafficcalming.com) site will be live from the start of the study for roughly a month. More information can be found at www.gardencitytrafficcalming.com.

ST. PAUL'S TOWN HALL MEETING OCTOBER 12

The Mayor's Committee on St. Paul's will host its second Town Hall meeting on Wednesday, October 12, 2022 in the Garden City High School Auditorium, 7-10 p.m. Members will make a presentation on the Committee's current progress and planning, including information about adaptive re-use. They will also share information on the analysis involved in studying a Facade concept and Demolition options, which will be presented at future Town Hall meetings. All residents are strongly encouraged to attend.

PROPOSED PLANS FOR ST. PAUL'S COMPLEX

Information concerning St. Paul's and what the Mayor's Committee has done to date can be found at <https://stpaulsreports.org/>. At the September 15, 2022 Board of Trustees meeting, the Committee had on display proposed plans for the St. Paul's Complex, which are still on exhibit in the Village Hall Lobby.

TRAFFIC ADVISORY: HOMECOMING PARADE

On Saturday, October 1, the Garden City Police Department will conduct traffic and safety details for the annual Garden City High School Homecoming Parade. At 12 Noon, Parking Field 6E and Seventh Street, from Franklin Avenue to Stewart Avenue, will be closed for parade set-up. The parade will commence at 1:00 p.m. and will travel west on Seventh Street, north on Cathedral Avenue, west on Stewart Avenue, north on Rockaway Avenue, west on Merillon Avenue, to Garden City High School. Residents and motorists are advised to expect event-related traffic delays and closures along the route from 12:45 p.m. to approximately 2:30 p.m.

NEW LIBRARY BOARD TRUSTEE

Mary Maguire, longtime volunteer and current president of the Friends of the Garden City Public Library, has been appointed a Library Board Trustee effective September 15, 2022. Ms. Maguire replaces Charles J. Murphy, whose term expired on December 31, 2021. Ms. Maguire, whose term expires December 31, 2026, joins Chairman J. Randolph Colahan, Vice Chair Peter D'Antonio and Trustees Lola Nouryan and Germaine Greco on the Board. Chairman Colahan will administer her oath of office as a Library Trustee. Ms. Maguire has volunteered for the Friends of the Garden City Public Library for seven years, served as a Director for five years and Treasurer and President for the past year. Ms. Maguire also presents art lectures at the Library, including her most recent presentation, “Little Gems of London.”

MINI GOLF COURSE RENOVATION

The Board has engaged L.K. McLean Associates, P.C., to perform professional survey and mapping services for the renovation of the Miniature Golf Course at Community Park at a cost of \$5,000. This survey will allow Village Public Works crews to grade the area to level, after which work will begin on reinstalling electric service and rebuilding the golf course.

SENIOR HEALTH EXPO

Join Senator Kevin Thomas at a Senior Health Fair on Tuesday, October 4, 2022 at the St. Paul's Field House, 9:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., to learn about the many health-related programs and services available to seniors. The Fair will offer flu shots, senior flu shots, COVID-19 boosters and COVID-19 vaccines. For more information please call

516-739-1700.

REVISED BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING DATES

I advised there is a need to change some of the previously scheduled dates of the regular Board of Trustees meetings. The regular Board Meeting dates will be as follows:

- Thursday, October 13, 2022
- Thursday, October 27, 2022
- Thursday, November 17, 2022
- Thursday, December 1, 2022
- Thursday, December 15., 2022

Special Meetings may be called when necessary.