

## CITY OF PORTSMOUTH



# City Manager's Advisory Monday, April 19, 2021

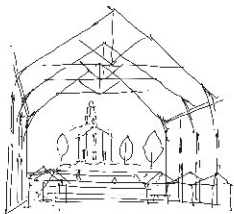
### PORTSMOUTH MASK ORDINANCE IN EFFECT THROUGH JUNE 30, 2021.

For answers to Portsmouth Mask Ordinance Frequently Asked Questions, click here. <https://tinyurl.com/yhkbx7j9>

### PARKMOBILE APP AFFECTED BY SECURITY BREACH – No credit card information was accessed; only emails and license plate numbers.

For more information, click here. <https://tinyurl.com/u2v56cua>  
Although ParkMobile encrypts users' passwords and the encryption keys were not stolen, ParkMobile suggests that users change their passwords. For more detailed instructions on how to change a ParkMobile password, click here. <https://tinyurl.com/p9swwetj>

**TONIGHT: CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION ON PEIRCE ISLAND MASTER PLAN** via Zoom at 6 pm. For Agenda and Zoom registration, click here. <https://tinyurl.com/wpywsmfr>  
**CITY COUNCIL MEETING** via Zoom at 7 pm. For Agenda and Zoom registration, click here. <https://tinyurl.com/xprm4rr3>



**TOMORROW: MCINTYRE PROJECT FINAL DESIGN PHASE REVIEW APR 20 at 6 pm via Zoom** -- The intent of the session is to deliberate on the opportunity for new public space to enjoy at McIntyre. Principle Group will present the final draft McIntyre project sketch, developed using community input gathered over the past four months. The final sketch was modified to reflect the comments and data from the McIntyre public input survey, which was

open from March 18 through 31. The McIntyre Final Draft Forum will be interactive, providing ample time for discussion and questions about the design. Advance Zoom registration is required. To register, please visit: <https://tinyurl.com/v76yxuha>

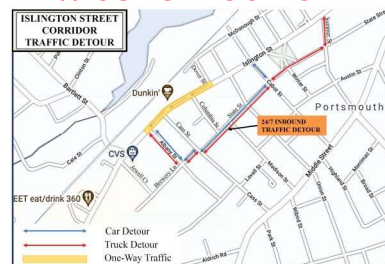
**CITYWIDE NEIGHBORHOOD COMMITTEE MEETING, WED APR 21 at 7 pm via Zoom.** For Agenda and Zoom registration, click here. <https://tinyurl.com/nvm22rrw>

**REMINDER: Elementary school playgrounds are not open to the public Monday-Friday between the hours of 7:30 am and 2:30 pm.**



**CAMP FUNSTUFF REGISTRATION OPENS TODAY APR 19** -- The Portsmouth Recreation Department will host Camp FunStuff at the Connie Bean Center/Middle School from June 21 through August 20 (no camp scheduled on July 5). Hours for Camp FunStuff will be Mon-Fri, 7:30 am to 3:30 pm. The camp is open to children who would be entering Kindergarten in September, through grade 5. Camp participation is \$180 per child per week, or \$1,620 for the full 9 weeks. Assistance available. COVID-19 protocols are being required to ensure the safety of children and staff. Please visit [www.cityofportsmouth.com/recreation](http://www.cityofportsmouth.com/recreation) for more information. Residents can also register by making an appointment to visit a Recreation staff member. Please call 603-427-1547.

### DPW CONSTRUCTION THIS WEEK



**ISLINGTON STREET CORRIDOR DETOUR NOW IN PLACE – TODAY, Mon Ap 19, the detour goes into effect 24/7:** inbound *car traffic* detours from Islington to Albany to State to Cabot. Inbound *truck traffic* detours from Islington to Albany to State to Summer – or stays on Rte 33/Middle Road, all the way inbound to Middle Street. Outbound traffic only on Islington.

## MIDDLE ROAD TRAFFIC-CALMING PROJECT

-- Crews installed bollard bump-outs along the Middle Road corridor and reduced the intersection of Middle Road and Middle Street to the lane closest to the gas station for both directions of traffic. This is the first of the traffic calming measures to be installed.

## INTERNATIONAL DRIVE AT PEASE –

Construction for the next 3-4 weeks, Oak Avenue to Rye Street.

## SHERBURNE & GREENLAND ROAD

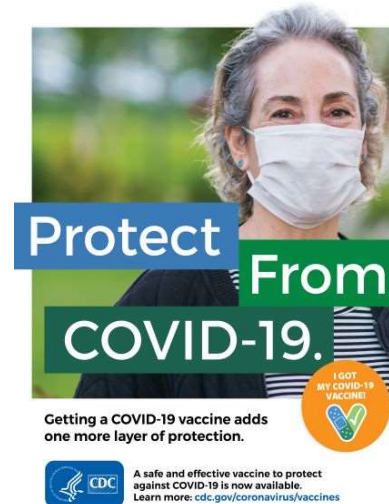
**DRILLING APR 19-28.** As part of on-going monitoring activities associated with the former Pease Air Force Base, Wood Environment & Infrastructure Solutions will be performing a subsurface investigation using a rotary-sonic drilling rig and several support vehicles to install groundwater monitoring wells. For questions or more information, please contact Val de la Fuente (210) 395-9465 or [val.delafuente.1@us.af.mil](mailto:val.delafuente.1@us.af.mil)



## EARTH DAY “PLANTED FOR THE PLANET” COMMUNITY COLLABORATION, APR 22-APR 25.

The **Blue Ribbon Committee on Sustainable Practice** invites residents to join the first annual **Planted for the Planet** event <https://plantedfortheplanet.org/> hosted by the collaborative NH grassroots organization SEAREI <https://searei.org/about-us/> to raise awareness that increasing the number of plant-based meals in your diet is the single biggest way to reduce our impact on the environment and planet. Over 15 Seacoast restaurants will be featuring special plant-rich Earth Day Entrée specials and providing plant-based recipes. **Expert celebrity panels on Apr 22, 7 pm via Zoom and again Apr 25, 7 pm**, featuring speakers representing sustainability, farming, and eating. To register, click here. <https://tinyurl.com/7rtafye7> Order the Earth

Day Entrée at participating restaurants, or create one of the recipes at home, take a photo of your meal and post to social media with **#PlantedForThePlanet**. **Prizes** for participants include gift certificates to participating restaurants, farmers market bucks and more. Winners selected at random from social media entries and Zoom event attendees.



## VACCINE REGISTRATION OPEN TO ALL AS OF MON, APRIL 19 – NH’s Vaccine & Immunization Network Interface website (“VINI”) is now open to everyone 16 or older. For details, visit: <https://www.vaccines.nh.gov/>

## QUESTIONS ABOUT WHETHER TO GET THE VACCINE? Click here.

<https://tinyurl.com/mc8c4bba>

**COVID-19 VACCINE ADMINISTRATION IN NEW HAMPSHIRE – As of April 19, 58% of all NH residents had received at least one dose. In total, NH still leads all states and territories in vaccinations and has administered 1,099,300 doses. 10% of all vaccines received are reserved and allocated for at-risk populations. To view the vaccine tracker, by state, click here: <https://tinyurl.com/35nv3twc>**

## SBDC RESILIENCY SURVEY RESULTS – CHAMBER CHAT LIVE! FRI Apr 23 at 1 pm via Zoom -- Nancy Carmer, Economic Development Program Manager for the City of Portsmouth, and a representative from the NH Small Business Development Center will join the program to share the Seacoast data from [the latest NH resiliency survey](https://tinyurl.com/3e98mzt2) conducted by the SBDC with the University of New Hampshire. <https://tinyurl.com/3e98mzt2> To register for Chamber Chat Live! click here. <https://tinyurl.com/8hknrpsu>

**FEDERAL FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR COVID-19 FUNERAL EXPENSES -- FEMA will reimburse families for up to \$9,000 per funeral to cover**

expenses for those who have died from COVID-19 since the start of 2020. The application process opens April 12 when FEMA starts taking phone calls at 1-844-684-6333. For more information, visit: <https://tinyurl.com/wuxr8naz> OR <https://phaneuf.net/fema-funeral-reimbursement>

### **REOPENED! SBA SHUTTERED VENUE OPERATORS GRANT PORTAL (SVOG)**

Shuttered Venue Operators Grant (SVOG) applications experienced some technical difficulties during startup last Thursday. As the SBA works on the program, check the dedicated [SBA website](#), which includes [frequently asked questions](#), [video tutorials](#) and other SVOG detail. Potential applicants should register in the federal government's System for Award Management (SAM.gov), as this is required for an entity to receive an SVOG, and reference the [preliminary application checklist](#) and [eligibility requirements](#).

**DOG LICENSES NOW BEING RENEWED --** As required by State law, all dogs residing in the City of Portsmouth must be licensed. Dog licenses extend from April 1 to March 31. For NEW licenses, click here for more information and the application. <https://www.cityofportsmouth.com/cityclerk/dog-license> Dog license renewal notices were mailed/emailed to the 2,500 Portsmouth dog owners, on March 29. Renewal can be done by mail, online or in person, by appointment. Call 610-7245 to schedule an **appointment**.

### **PLEASE DISPOSE OF DOG WASTE PROPERLY!**



**Dog waste MUST be disposed of properly. DO NOT drop plastic bags with waste into storm drains! The whole purpose of picking up after your dog is to keep waste from polluting the stormwater. Take waste home and throw the bag in your trash.**

### **BLUE RIBBON COMMITTEES**

To follow the work of the Mayor's Blue Ribbon Committees as they work on efforts to keep Portsmouth safe *and* vibrant, visit these pages for meeting information, recordings, minutes and support materials:

- [Blue Ribbon Committee on Arts and Nonprofits](#) (meets via Zoom Mondays at 12 noon). Join the Arts & Nonprofits mailing list here: <https://www.cityofportsmouth.com/city/brc-arts-nonprofits>
- [Blue Ribbon Committee on Health](#) (meets via Zoom Tuesdays at 11 am)
- [Blue Ribbon Committee to Reopen Portsmouth 2021](#) (meets via Zoom Wednesdays at 2 pm)

**For DHHS VACCINE FAQs, click here:** <https://tinyurl.com/tkvaksnw>

**PORTSMOUTH VACCINE FAQs from the Mayor's Blue Ribbon Committee on Health and City Health Department, click here.**

<https://www.cityofportsmouth.com/city-manager/vaccination-faqs>

**FAQs: "I Had COVID-19, Now What?"**

<https://www.cityofportsmouth.com/health/after-covid-19-faqs>

**GOVERNOR'S EMERGENCY ORDER EXTENDED THROUGH MAY 7, 2021.**

<https://tinyurl.com/84sc8wvd>

**NEW! For COVID-19 Treatment FAQs, click here.** <https://tinyurl.com/5bhmkxy2>

**For Testing FAQs click here.**

<https://www.cityofportsmouth.com/city/testing-faqs>

**For Ventilation FAQs click here.**

<https://www.cityofportsmouth.com/city/ventilation-faqs>

**For Daily Life During the Pandemic FAQs, click here.** <https://tinyurl.com/5h55s48k>

**For "I've Had COVID-19, Now What?" FAQs, click here.** <https://tinyurl.com/2755pf8f>

**For more information, visit City's page on COVID-19:** <https://tinyurl.com/2ywcu6ab>