

# **City of Lewiston Launches Webstore for Online Donations to Various Projects**



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**LEWISTON:** **The City of Lewiston is pleased to announce its new online Webstore.** The new Webstore is a way for residents to contribute to the community through donations to various projects either by purchasing memorial bricks or benches to memorialize a loved one for Franklin Pasture Sports Complex Improvements or by donating towards the fundraising efforts for Lewiston's first-in-Maine universally accessible playground to be sited at Marcotte Park. In addition, Friends of Pettingill is also accepting online donations to assist with improvements and the planting of several trees, raised bed gardens, signage, etc., as well as residents who would like to donate to Lewiston's Recreation Division scholarship programs to help afford a child participation in a program.

**"The City of Lewiston is excited to offer the online webstore,"** said City Administrator Ed Barrett. **"This service will provide individuals of all ages and interests with a convenient way to give back to our community by making donations to a specific initiative or program."**

Lewiston's Webstore service is provided by InforME. InforME has been processing electronic payments for Maine state and local governments since 1999. All private customer data is secured according to the most up-to-date and stringent security standards. InforME is CyberTrust certified, the industry gold standard for security, and Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard compliant.

The Webstore can be accessed through <http://www.lewistonmaine.gov/webstore>. Residents who would like more information about Lewiston's online Webstore are encouraged to contact Director of Finance Heather Hunter at (207) 513-3017; TTY/TDD: (207) 513-3007.

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