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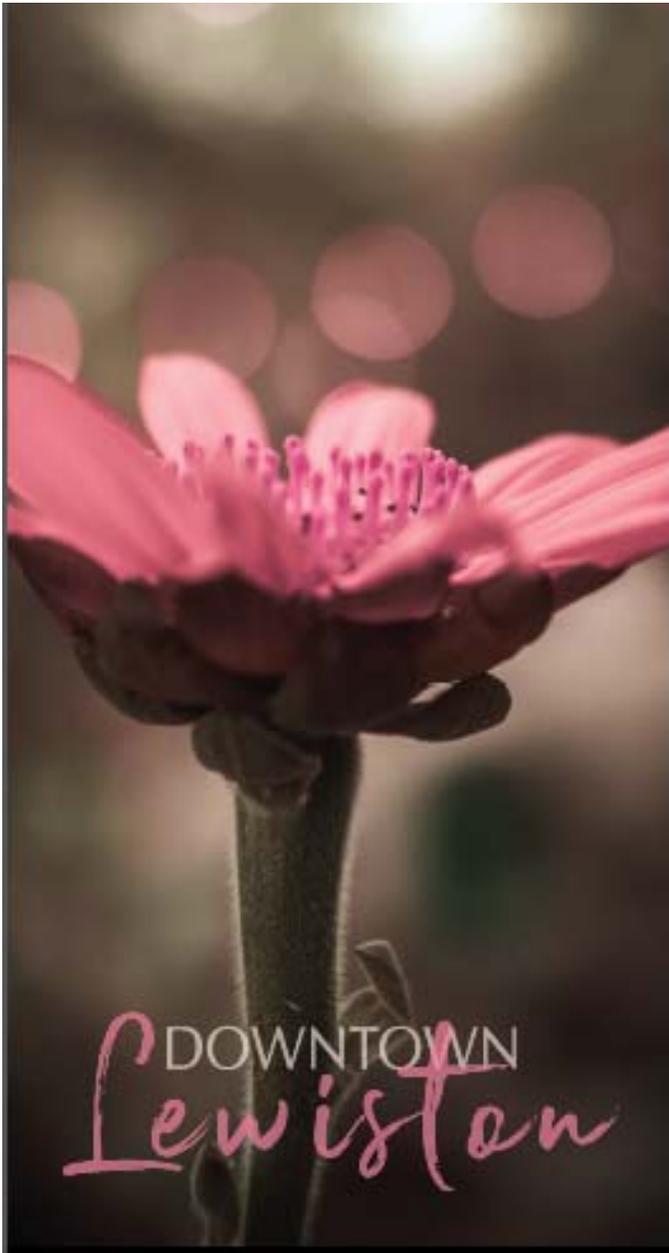
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Have you noticed the floral banners on Lincoln & Main Streets?

Thirty three 24" x 48" banners, designed by Peter Parker, were installed on Lincoln Street and fifteen 30" x 90" on Main Street during the last week of April. The City of Lewiston's street lighting crew installed them. *Great team work!*



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Summer Read A Loud Program for Children

Pettingill School Park
Friday Mornings 10-10:30

(More stories T.B.A. Bring something to sit on.)



June 21 – Story: **Gregory the Terrible Eater**
Reader: Mrs. Maggie Pelletier

June 28 – Story: **The Giant Jam Sandwich**
Reader: Mrs. Mora Lepage

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A resident of the Frye Street Apartments, formerly Frye School, called Administration to tell us about a chalk drawing of City Hall, prior to the fire in 1890, that currently hangs on the wall in her apartment bedroom. *(pictured below)*



There are many historic sites throughout the city, with some of the main attractions to include: Museum LA, the St. Peter & Paul Basilica, Great Falls, the Footbridge, the Gendron Franco Center, and the Franco-American collection at USM, LA campus. You can learn more about these sites and the new Franco Trail LA by visiting www.FRANCOTRAILLA.com.

Many of our historic mills have been nicely renovated into apartments, businesses, restaurants, and physicians offices.

Also, be watching the downtown area for an historic banner project soon to be released.

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FREE!
SUMMER FUN & FILMS
MIDWEEK MOVIE NIGHTS
 presented by the Gendron Franco Center in partnership with the Lewiston Police Department

TD Bank presents

FAMILY MOVIES
 ALL MOVIES START AT DUSK.

JUNE 26 / HOW TO TRAIN YOUR DRAGON: THE HIDDEN WORLD

Simard Payne Park

JULY 10 / CAPTAIN MARVEL

Pettingill School Park

JULY 24 / INCREDIBLES 2

Fleurette Roux Bannon Softball Field (NEXT TO THE COLISEE)

AUGUST 6 / MARY POPPINS RETURNS

Lewiston Middle School (NATIONAL NIGHT OUT)

AUGUST 21 / DUMBO

Pathway Vineyard Church

FREE POPCORN & WATER



ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES
 START AT 6:00 PM

PHOENIX ACADEMY OF MARTIAL ARTS
 DEMONSTRATION TEAM

MR. DREW AND HIS ANIMALS TOO
 ANIMAL EXHIBIT

FUNTIME KIDS ENTERTAINMENT
 OBSTACLE COURSE & JUMP HOUSE

L/A NORDIQUES
 HOCKEY PUCK ACCURACY CHALLENGE

CELEBRATION CORPORATION
 10 PERSON PHOTO BOOTH

LEWISTON RECREATION
 SPORTING GAMES

PINKY D'S
 FOOD TRUCK

POISE YOGA
 YOGA

GREATER ANDROSCOGGIN HUMANE SOCIETY
 GREET A PET

PARTY PALOOGA
 BALLOON TWISTING



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City Operating & Capital Budgets Approved

The City's annual capital and operating budgets were presented to the City Council this spring followed by intensive Council workshops during March and April.

CAPITAL BUDGET HIGHLIGHTS

Among the major projects included in the capital budget are:

- Just over \$2 million to be used to replace and upgrade our emergency 911 radio system. The current system is over 20 years old and is unable to meet today's emergency requirements. The new system will replace all radio transmitters, dispatch equipment at LA 911 and all police and fire mobile and portable radios. The new system will provide greater geographical coverage and will expand the limited channels now available to the Police and Fire Departments in Lewiston and Auburn. In total, the two communities will invest around \$6 million in this project to ensure that our emergency responders are effectively communicate when responding to and dealing with emergencies.
- Additional funding was provided for replacing the Fire Department's Sabattus Street Station. This \$5.5 million project will replace this aging and inadequate station with a new station to be located nearby on North Temple. We anticipate presenting the project to the Planning Board in August, bidding in the fall, and construction in the spring of next year. Our plans call for replacing the department's Main and Lisbon Street stations in the coming years.
- The Council has provided \$200,000 toward implementing our pedestrian safety program. This program was developed via a study of pedestrian crossing and safety needs on our major arterials. This will allow us to continue our efforts to improve safety and pedestrian connectivity throughout the community.
- The Council has provided continuing support to our efforts to maintain our streets and highways by providing almost \$2.9 million toward street paving and reconstruction. This is in addition to a major State of Maine project that will repave Main Street from the Longley Bridge to Pettingill Street. Following the recession of 2008, the City fell behind on street maintenance and, while we recognize we have a long way to go, some progress is being made. We will also be updating our paving condition rating system to provide us with a measure of how we are doing and allowing us to reprioritize our planned program over the next few years.

- An additional \$100,000 has been added to \$115,000 in existing funds to support our first phase of canal system beautification and improvements. The first projects to be undertaken will be in the area of Simard-Payne Park and will involve removal of overgrowth, new fencing and guard rails, and enhanced viewing areas. This initial phase will allow us to show how the canals can be transformed into a meaningful amenity for residents and visitors alike.

OPERATING BUDGET

The operating budget was adopted in early May amid some uncertainty as to its final impact on the property tax rate. As adopted, the budget assumed that the state would fund municipal revenue sharing at 2% of total state sales and income taxes. While the Governor had proposed increasing this amount to 2.5%, we concluded caution was appropriate since once adopted, our tax levy cannot later be increased. In the end, the legislature further increase the percentage to 3%, moving back toward the 5% traditionally provided. As a result, we anticipate receiving \$1,181,718 in additional revenue sharing funds during our next budget year. This will result in a tax rate of \$28.91 per \$1,000 in assessed value, an increase of 0.84% from this year's rate. As a reminder, our tax rate appears artificially high because, unlike some other communities, properties in Lewiston are assessed at 80% of market value. Making this adjustment, our tax rate at 100% of market value would be in the \$23 range.



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Andrew S. Robinson
District Attorney for District 3

District Attorney Andrew Robinson shares statistics from March & April 2019

The District 3 District Attorney's office is responsible for prosecuting all of the criminal cases (except for the Attorney General's cases, such as homicides, felony drug cases, and welfare fraud) within Androscoggin, Franklin, and Oxford Counties. We work very hard to hold offenders accountable for their actions and provide a fair result for the victim and defendant. Our decisions are governed by the goal of achieving justice and the limited resources available to oversee all of the cases that we are responsible for prosecuting. From March through April 2019, we received 364 cases from the Lewiston Police Department.

The five most FREQUENT charges

1. VIOLATION OF CONDITION OF RELEASE (33 cases)
2. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ASSAULT (23 cases)
3. OPERATING WITHOUT A LICENSE (21 cases)
4. DISORDERLY CONDUCT and OPERATING AFTER SUSPENSION (19 cases)
5. CRIMINAL OPERATING UNDER THE INFLUENCE (16 cases)

The five most SIGNIFICANT charges

1. ROBBERY (1 case)
2. BURGLARY (7 cases)
3. AGGRAVATED ASSAULT (7 cases)
4. CRIMINAL THREATENING WITH A DANGEROUS WEAPON (4 cases)
5. AGGRAVATED TRAFFICKING IN SCHEDULED DRUGS/UNLAWFUL TRAFFICKING (6 cases) (AG'S OFFICE)

Community

Interaction in L-A

*Community Interaction by the D.A.'s
Office concerning the L-A Community*

March

- ◆ 3/6 - Androscoggin County Commissioners' meeting with District Attorney
- ◆ 3/21 - Sex Trafficking & Exploitation Conference presented by SAPARS and SafeVoices at the East Auburn Baptist Church
- ◆ 3/27 - Lewiston/Auburn Human Trafficking Collaborative monthly meeting
- ◆ 3/29 - Lewiston/Auburn Human Trafficking Collaborative policy sub-committee meeting

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April

- ◆ 4/1 – Concerned Citizens of Lewiston meeting
- ◆ 4/3 – Lewiston Police Department's "Citizens Police Academy"
- ◆ 4/10 - Multi-Disciplinary Team Panel for Child Advocacy Center for DHHS Protection Workers
- ◆ 4/12 - Meeting with fire officials in Oxford County to start a junior fire starters program in District III which could benefit Lewiston juveniles involved with fire-setting offenses
- ◆ 4/16 - Multi-Disciplinary Team meeting and case review for Children's Advocacy Center
- ◆ 4/24 - Lewiston/Auburn Human Trafficking Collaborative monthly meeting
- ◆ 4/29 - Regional Multi-Disciplinary Team training for Children's Advocacy Center



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Economic and Community Development



The Pub at Baxter Bates Mill #1 Wing

Tom Platz and Gabrielle Russell of Platz Associates stand in the renovated Bates Mill No. 1 wing space which now is home to The Pub at Baxter. Twenty-five foot ceilings were created by removal of flooring, which was then repurposed to make the bar, dining tables, and cabinetwork. The interior woodwork and brick was carefully stripped and clear coated. Exterior brickwork was cleaned and restored. New energy efficient windows replaced boarded up window openings, and interior lighting is provided by LED Edison bulbs. An original air compressor sits in the middle of space, a monument to the mill's history.



Ribbon Cutting at 105 Middle Street
Recovery Connections of Maine's
Congratulation on your new facility!

Congratulations to the 2019 recipients of Historic Preservation Awards!



Berman & Simmons The Osgood Building 129 Lisbon Street

The renovation of the historic Osgood building and the adjacent Supovitz building include preservation of the front of the building and replacement of bricks where necessary. The first floor boasts a new and modern reception area and conference rooms. Originally designed by J. Coburn and Sons, this building was the only in Maine to use white English glazed bricks on the façade. By replacing 1500 bricks and reconstructing the entryway, Berman and Simmons has restored the Osgood Building to its former glory and contributed greatly to the continued revitalization of Lisbon Street.

Choice Open House

The City of Lewiston and Healthy Neighborhoods presented strategies for the Choice Neighborhood on April 30th. Stakeholders reviewed the strategies and identified places for partnership. The final plan is set to be completed in June.



SPRING HAS SPRUNG!
Banners designed by the City of Lewiston's GIS Mapping Specialist Peter Parker were installed by Public Works on Lisbon & Main Streets.

Design Lewiston

The City of Lewiston is updating its design regulations found in the Zoning Ordinance, Historic Preservation Manual, and Site Plan and Design Guidelines. Titled “Design Lewiston,” this project acts on recommendations from the 2017 Legacy Lewiston comprehensive plan and the 2014 Riverfront Island plan. The aim is to address architectural and site design in a manner that respects Lewiston’s heritage and creates great places for the community and visitors. The updated design regulations will also be more easily understood and ensure cost-effectiveness. The City has hired consultant Stantec to lead this process. A kick-off meeting was held with an advisory committee on April 10th. The committee consists of City staff, members of the Planning Board, Historic Preservation Review Committee, City Council, downtown residents and property owners. This planning effort is targeted to be completed by January 2020. More information about meeting and the process will be posted at <https://www.lewistonmaine.gov/designlewiston>

Planning Board Activity

At the Planning Board meeting of April 22, 2019, the Board approved an application submitted by CES Engineering for the construction of an Aroma Joe’s drive-thru coffee shop at 403 Sabattus Street.

Staff Review Committee Activity

On April 4, 2019, the Committee approved an application submitted by Wright-Pierce Engineering on behalf of Bates College for the construction of a temporary parking lot at 34 Vale Street to accommodate construction parking for the proposed STEM building project.

Enforcement Action

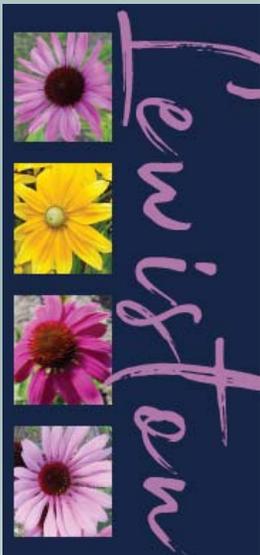
- Two residential properties were condemned via the IPMC
- Twenty notice of violations were issued
- Six citations were issued

Permit Activity April 2019

- ◆ 69 building permits were issued with a reported value of \$1,766,470
- ◆ 44 electrical permits were issued
- ◆ 8 plumbing permits were issued

Permit Activity April 2018

- ◆ 65 building permits were issued with a reported value of \$1,634,273
- ◆ 52 electrical permits were issued
- ◆ 17 plumbing permits were issued



School Department

Robert V. Connors Elementary School Update

The school, scheduled to open mid June to students, parents, and community members.

I am pleased to announce that we have named Longley secretary Cathy Pratt as lead secretary for Connors. She will begin her responsibilities on May 14 and assume the temporary role of moving coordinator. We are expecting daily shipments of 2-4 tractor trailer loads of furniture beginning May 21 through early June. Furniture set up should be completed by mid-June. Technology and other equipment will begin arriving in June, and set-up work will be done throughout June and July. Martel and Longley staff will be packing their respective buildings in June, and moving will take place by mid-July. Teachers will be able to begin setting up their rooms on or about July 8.



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The 2019-2020 School Budget Approval Process

Lewiston households received a flyer on our school budget. Voters were encouraged to read the mailer and vote May 14th on the budget validation referendum. In addition, the public was invited to attend the May 6th City Council meeting discussing the school budget informational budget meeting at Farwell Elementary School.

The 2019-2020 School Budget Summary

If approved by the City Council and Lewiston voters, the 2019-2020 budget for Lewiston Public Schools will increase the school tax mil rate from \$10.68 to \$10.78, slightly less than a 1% increase. This increase and other sources will help us better meet the needs of Lewiston students through the following new budget items:

New in the Regular School Budget		Impact
	Busing for most Longley students to attend the Connors Elementary	Ensures equity with the transportation services provided to students attending our other elementary schools.
6	Teachers and Educational Technician	Reduces class sizes at McMahon, Farwell and Connors, improves LHS course offerings and provides classroom support at Geiger.
7	Custodians	Will maintain Connors Elementary School that is four times larger than Martel, which will be closing.
3	School Counselors	Expands socio-emotional supports for students at McMahon, Lewiston Middle School and Lewiston High School.
2	Assistant Administrators	Improves new and expanded programs for English Language Learners (funded by State) and supports the use of Longley for expanding high school alternative programs.
1	School Resource Officer	Enhances school safety by increasing the number of school resource officers from 3 to 4 across the district.
1	Accountant	Provides savings on benefit premiums by expanding our capacity to reconcile benefit accounts for employees.
20	TOTAL ADDITIONAL EMPLOYEES	

School Committee Changes

Tina Hutchinson resigned from the School Committee in April as she is moving out of her ward. We thank Tina for her tireless service to Lewiston students. Former long-term School

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Committee member Tom Shannon has been named to fill Tina’s position for the remainder of her term. Welcome back, Tom!

Year-End Events

Various year-end celebrations and recognitions are already happening. Key events include the Lewiston High School graduation (June 7th), the Adult Education graduation (June 11), and the Lewiston Middle School (LMS) promotional exercise (June 17). There will be a change this year for the LMS promotion. For many years, it has been an all-school event at the Armory. This year it will be by team and held in the LMS gymnasium as we are exceeding the capacity of the Armory and also seek to have a more intimate event and greater recognition and celebration of each student.

Tweets and Facebook Entries

Follow me on Twitter *@LewistonSuper* or on Facebook at *Lewiston Public Schools Superintendent*.

4/29/19	Honored to accompany DOE Commissioner Pender Makin and Senator Nate Libby today on a tour of Lewiston Public Schools.
4/18/19	JOB FAIR - On 5/10 from 12-4 PM LPS will be having its annual job fair at the Green Ladle. We invite anyone interesting in exploring being a teacher, educational technician, custodian, food service worker or other support staff to come by for an interview.
4/10/19	Lewiston's coding initiative is now called CSforLPS. CS stands for computer science, and the initiative is continuing to reap dividends for Lewiston students. CSforLPS is the first Maine school district program to be recognized by the national CSforAll.
4/9/19	Congratulations to the two Geiger teams in last weekend's Maine State Odyssey of the Mind creative problem solving competition. The "Structure Toss" team finished in 1st place, and the "Opposites Distract" team finished in 3rd. The teams are coached by GT Teacher Steve Belleau.
4/4/19	Today was the Spring Conference of the Maine Interscholastic Athletic Administration Association. Lewiston High School senior Hunter Landry won the student essay scholarship award. Congratulations, Hunter!
4/1/19	Last week our 4th graders returned to the Olin Arts Center for our second "Rollin to Olin" experience. Students learned about Motif, Rhythm, and Mood in works of art and explored Order and Chaos in music with the Momenta string quartet from New York City. Thank you Bates College!!!

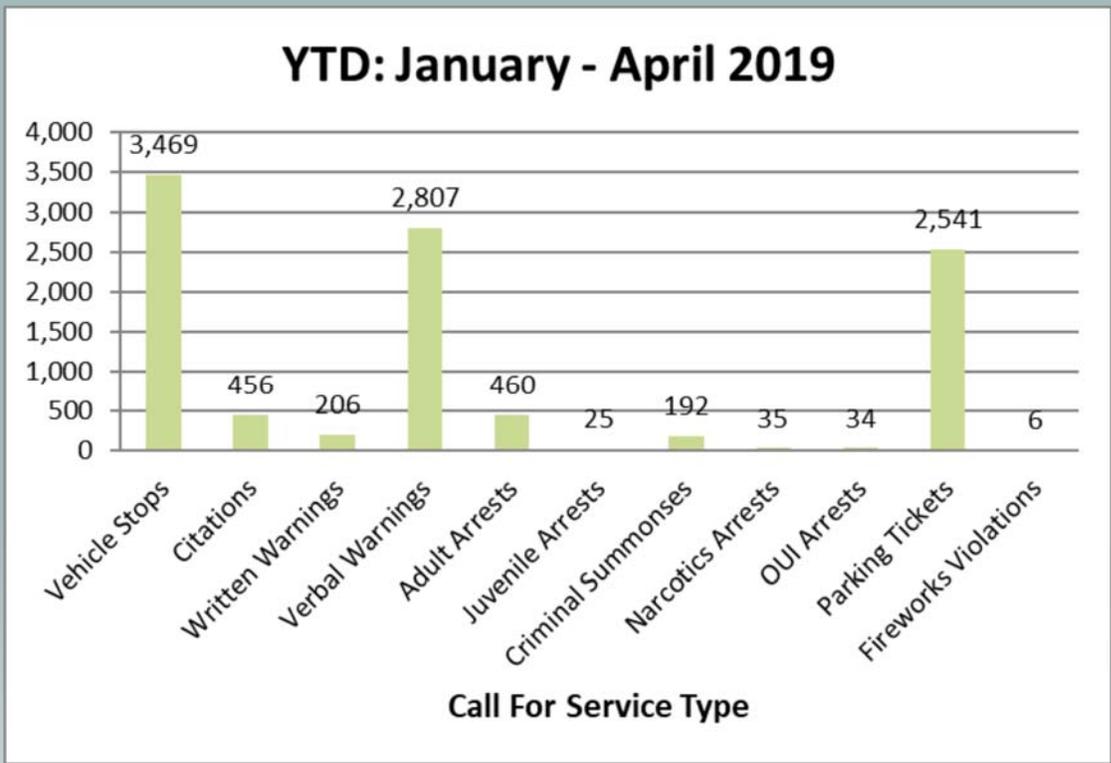
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Calls For Service	April 2019
Total Calls for Service	3,771
Vehicle Stops	998
Citations	169
Written Warnings	60
Verbal Warnings	769
Adult Arrests	144
Juvenile Arrests	10
Criminal Summonses	59
Narcotics Arrests	9
OUI Arrests	14
Parking Tickets	506
Fireworks Violations	2

Training & Recruitment

Officers earned CPR recertification instructed by Officer Weaver and attended a conference outlining the Broken Windows Theory.

Officers spoke with several individuals regarding recruitment and employment and represented the Lewiston Police Department at both the SMCC and CMCC job fairs.



Enforcement

- Traffic enforcement throughout the city with radar deployment at two locations addressing resident concerns and in other various locations. A solar-radar speed sign was placed along Montello Street and Webber Avenue to curb speeding in these areas.
- Officer Philippon followed up with several overdose clients via Project Support You.
- Disorderly properties were researched; steps to correct issues were implemented and building code violations addressed.
- Sex offender notifications regarding offenders moving within the city were distributed.
- Officer Martin and Detective Rose working in conjunction with the Maine State Police PACE team seized a large quantity of heroin and cocaine—approximately 30 GMs of heroin and 200 GMs of cocaine before it could be sold and distributed.
- In 2017, Officer Hill executed a narcotics related warrant at a Lewiston residence that resulted in the recovery of a firearm. In April 2019, the suspect was sentenced to eight-years in prison for the unlawful possession of said firearm. This case was prosecuted as part of Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSN). PSN is the centerpiece of the Department of Justice’s violent crime reduction efforts.
- On April 30th, Lewiston Police responded to a reported robbery at Androscoggin Bank on Sabattus Street; the suspect was apprehended and charged with Class B Robbery. Police credit a quick response by officers and detectives, along with the diligence and attention of the bank staff who were instrumental in a timely detainment of Joseph D. Tilton.

Community Involvement

**SPECIAL OLYMPICS
REGIONAL &
STATE
SWIM MEETS**



Officer Schmitz and other officers attended the meets to congratulate competitors and distribute awards

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Officer Philippon, of the Community Resource Team, participated in the Prescription Drug Take-Back event. This program is organized by Healthy Androscoggin and the Androscoggin Sheriff's Department and hosted bi-annually. April's event collected 353lbs of medication.



While on patrol, Officer Fecteau was observed playing basketball with several teens in Kennedy Park.

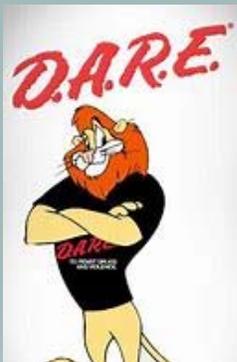
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Community Involvement continued



- ◆ Masjidul Salaam Mosque
- ◆ Common Ties Board Meeting
- ◆ New Mainer Community Collaborative
- ◆ Executive Androscoggin Community Collaborative
- ◆ Lewiston-Auburn Alliance for Services to the Homeless
- ◆ Community Partnership for Protecting Children (CPPC)
- ◆ (Promise) Early Childhood Education Board Meeting
- ◆ (Promise) Early Childhood Education Executive Committee Meeting
- ◆ Healthy Neighborhoods Planning Council
- ◆ Healthy Neighborhoods Community Engagement
- ◆ Healthy Neighborhoods Ethnic Community Outreach
- ◆ CommUNITY Law Enforcement Steering Committee Meeting
- ◆ CommUNITY Law Enforcement Subcommittee Meeting
- ◆ World Refugee Day Planning
- ◆ Lewiston Auburn Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce Business Advisory Committee
- ◆ Bates College Students' Meeting
- ◆ Bates College Dean's Office Meeting
- ◆ Bates College Off-Campus Housing Meeting
- ◆ Rental Registration Subcommittee Meeting
- ◆ Healthy Neighborhoods Mini-Grant Review
- ◆ Androscoggin Collaborative Retreat Planning
- ◆ Stand Against Racism Planning

Lewiston officers provided patrol for the City of Auburn while Auburn PD officers attended a funeral.



Officers Philippon and Weaver were present at **Martel Elementary School's D.A.R.E. Graduation** congratulating 6th graders for completing the program!

- Officer Philippon spoke at the YWCA Youth Camp in regard to bullying



Officers volunteered to instruct weekly Citizens' Police Academy



Many sworn personnel attended the funeral for Detective Ben Campbell of the Maine State Police.

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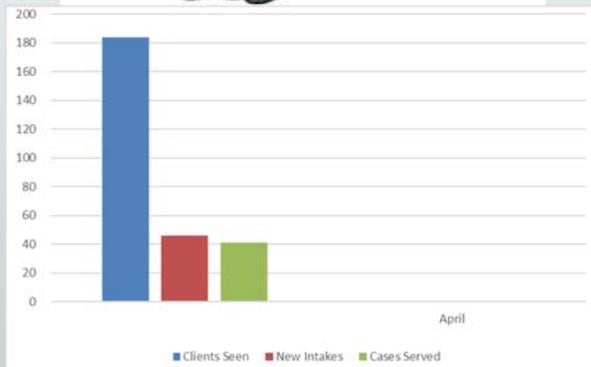
EXPENDITURES

A total of 15,050.40 was expended in the month of April. 10,535.28 in reimbursement was requested from the State of Maine at a rate of 70%. The General Assistance Department did receive reimbursement in the amount of \$5,429.10 for two SSI reimbursements in the month of April.

◆ Housing	\$12,147.00
◆ Utilities	\$ 437.88
◆ Food	\$ 1,344.45
◆ Medications	\$ 13.04
◆ Personal Items	\$ 323.03
◆ Baby supplies	\$ 0
◆ Burials	\$ 785.00

The number of clients seen, number of intakes, and number of new intakes or first-time GA applicants in the new year has decreased.

The reasons for the decreases are not completely known at this time. Recent changes in government law regarding Asylum application and hearing processes, a lack of available housing or other issues may be contributing factors. Additional information learned regarding any trends, changes in law, both state and federal, that impact the clients we serve, will be reported in future newsletters.



Clients Seen: 184 **New Intakes: 46**
Cases Served: 41
Immigrant: 0 **Refugee: 0**
Asylum Seekers: 9

Clients assisted by county of origin

Angola 13; Burundi 1; Congo 4; Somalia 1; US 22

Legal status to be in the US must be proven through specific documentation to be eligible for GA. Legal status includes possessing a non-expired VISA, a Visa with a valid I-94 expiration date, submitting proof of Asylum application from USCIS, holding valid EAD card, proof of legal permanent residency, having a green card, or verification of legal counsel, court hearing, hearing date, and proof of asylum granted.

WORKFARE PROGRAM STATISTICS

Cases: 18

Individuals: 26

Hours Completed: 618

Dollar Value: \$6,798

An educational overview, understanding, and confirmation of understanding, on sexual harassment have been added to the work agreement forms and are signed for all workfare referrals. An introduction to the understanding of the behaviors and laws regarding sexual harassment is required before attending a workfare site. In April, the Immigrant Resource Center provided training to eight participants.



Fraud Cases and Reimbursement Monies

General Assistance (GA) clients who commit fraud by attempting to receive GA or that already receive GA fraudulently, are disqualified from receiving any GA funds throughout the state for 120 days. All cases are reported to the DHHS and may be disqualified from receiving food stamps for the 120 period as well. Cases that have already received GA fraudulently are reported to DHHS and to the Lewiston Police Department for potential prosecution. These individuals are required to reimburse the amount of GA received that they were not entitled to. Reimbursements from retroactive SSI awards, WC settlements, and other sources are actively pursued and tracked, resulting in decreased GA expenditures.

WORKSHOPS and TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

Renters' Educational Workshops are held the last week of each month with a maximum of 8 per class. A translator is available to facilitate in Portuguese and French. The workshop has been well received and the information provided is sometimes being heard for the first time.

The workshop educates renters to the dangers of lead paint and radon; security deposits, leases, at-will agreements, renter's rights & responsibilities, landlord's rights and responsibilities and giving notice to your landlord. Informational handouts from Pine Tree Legal are formatted in English and translated in Portuguese and French.



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Helping the Homeless

1/1/19 - 4/30/19



Local Statistics

Social Services has seen **64** homeless cases consisting of **78** individuals and **24** children from January 1 thru April 30, 2019.

The ongoing homeless initiative and tireless work by the LAASH committee members continues to discover new solutions for the homeless population in Lewiston. A goal is to put a system in place to accurately track the number of homeless individuals and families in the Lewiston area. A focus group of concerned members of local organizations, churches, and community members has come together to gain resources and partnerships to tackle this problem. With extreme temperatures during Maine winters, it is becoming imperative to open a warming shelter that operates at night to shelter individuals exposed to the winter elements.

There are eight shelters in Lewiston-Auburn - four are operated by local churches; one is specifically for domestic violence and sex trafficking victims; one is for youth ages 18-21; and there is one day shelter that acts as a resource and day-time warming center. It is located at 247 Bates Street in Lewiston. The hours of operation are 8 AM to 3 PM - hot meals, a food pantry, and other resources are available. Shelter resource lists are available upon request from GA office staff.

Attention Employees - Clothing Donations Needed

Staff donations of clothing for General Assistance applicants and their families are being accepted for all ages and sizes. The current need is for spring/summer clothes and/or general clothing. If you have clothing at home you no longer wear, please bring your laundered donations to the front desk in GA. Clothing is distributed based upon the donations received. Recipients are very appreciative of these items.

Thank you in advance.

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