

MANAGER'S REPORT  
June 10, 2021

Know Your Neighbor – The Bucksport Congregational Church will be sponsoring a Know Your Neighbor series on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month. The series is non-denominational and designed to help people get to know others in their community. I have been asked to be an 'interviewee' at the meeting on August 10 from 7:15-8:15 at Brown Hall.

Podcast & Follow Up – The podcast that I did with the American City & County organization is now online on their website. As a follow up, I have been asked to attend a conference in Salt Lake City at the end of July as a panelist to discuss local government response during the pandemic. Bucksport is the smallest community on the panel – but because so many communities across the country are our size – the organizers thought that our perspective would be important. The costs of attending this event would be borne by the American City & County group. Are there any objections from any Town Councilors to my attendance?

Tim Emery Pool – The pool is scheduled to open on June 19<sup>th</sup>. According to the Bucksport Y – things are on schedule for this to happen with Mike's Pool service doing the pool commissioning. Swimming lessons are seeing high sign-up numbers and the summer camp enrollment already exceeds fifty applicants – which is wonderful!

2006 Sterling Plow Truck Sale – The Town received two bids for sale of the 2006 Sterling Plow truck, \$5,151 from Wardwell Construction and \$10,200 from Wayne Alexander. These funds from the high bidder will go into the highway equipment reserve.

Senior Center is Open for Meals & Activities! – The Senior Center is once again offering their Monday, Wednesday, and Friday meals not only by delivery – but in person! Another bit of normalcy returned! And the heat pumps approved by the council were installed on Monday – just in time to provide much-needed cooling for the facility. Now throughout the summer – when it gets too hot – our seniors can go to the Senior Center for a great meal in a cool and comfortable environment.