



## Weekly Tidings from Town Hall

### COVID Update

Total COVID Cases to Date: 278  
Active Cases: 6

*(Last week's COVID-19 numbers reported on 9/30/21: Total cases – 272, Active cases – 0)*

MBTS COVID Vaccination Rate  
(of all eligible residents 12+)

80% Fully Vaccinated

### Regional Vaccine Clinics

Local COVID vaccine clinics are currently being held for anyone over age 12. For a complete list of locations and times please visit [capeannclinic.com](http://capeannclinic.com)

### Mask Up Manchester

A local indoor mask mandate is in place at all public buildings and businesses.

### West Nile Virus Risk Level is Moderate

Please take precautions now to protect your family. Learn how [here](#).

### Cultural Council Survey

The Manchester Cultural Council is seeking community feedback on future priorities and programming. Please take this short 3 question survey [here](#) and tell them what you would like to see!

### Hydrant Flushing

DPW began hydrant flushing this week and will continue through the month. Most flushing will take place from 8 PM to Midnight with limited flushing during the day. If you experience cloudy water please run a cold tap until clear.

### Fall Town Meeting

Special Town Meeting will take place on Saturday, November 13 at 1 PM at the Manchester Essex Regional High School gym with overflow space in the auditorium. Social distancing and masks will be required.

### Citizen Petitions for Town Meeting

Citizen Petitions for Special Town Meeting must be delivered by Saturday, October 16 to the Town Clerk in Town Hall with a minimum of 100 signatures of Manchester registered voters.

### Water Shut Off - East Manchester

DPW will need to temporarily shut water off in East Manchester on Thursday, October 7 from 9 PM to 5 AM as part of the water main work on Forest Street. The impacted area will be from Forest Street east to the Gloucester line. Read full alert [here](#).

### ZBA Public Hearing on 40B

The first public hearing on the 40B Application from SLV is on Tuesday, October 26. Meeting details and related information can be found [here](#).

### Town Hall Closed Monday, October 11

Town Hall will be closed on Monday, October 11 in observance of Columbus Day. Trash, recycling and compost will have a one day delay.

### Public Safety Dispatch

The Board of Selectmen are studying options for public safety dispatch locations. Click here for related information. Next discussion will be on October 18.



**Trash | Recycling | Compost**  
Delayed One Day 10/12 & 10/13  
(Leave collection out from 7 AM-5 PM)