



# THE CITY OF AUGUSTA

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TO:            Mayor and City Council  
FROM:        City Manager Bill Bridgeo  
RE:            Administrative Report  
DATE:        March 31, 2014

Meetings:

Beginning at 7pm on Thursday, April 3, 2014 there will be a Business Meeting of the City Council in Council Chambers. A pre-meeting will take place in Conference Room A at 6:30pm.

On Friday, April 4<sup>th</sup> there will be a Senior Staff Meeting at the Police Department beginning at 9:15am.

On April 10, there will be a preliminary budget workshop at 5:00 pm in Council Chambers to discuss how you would like to proceed in general terms. A light meal will be provided so that you may move right into the regularly scheduled special Council meeting for the library bond discussion and following informational meeting.

Other Items:

Mayor Stokes, Matt Nazar and I attended a very nice luncheon at CMP headquarters on Edison Drive today at CMP's invitation. The purpose was to recognize a number of area businesses (including The Red Barn, Hannaford, and The Senator Inn from Augusta) that assisted in CMP's workforce during the holiday ice storm and related power outages last December. Iberdrola USA President Robert Kump and CMP President Sara Burns were our hosts.

I spoke with Kennebec Land Trust President Brian Kent this morning and we agreed that the Howard Hill issue would be taken up at the April 17<sup>th</sup> meeting (Leif Dahlin is recovering this week from some minor surgery and I'd like him at that meeting). KLT has filed their application to The Land for Maine's Future program (accompanied by a tentative letter of City support I provided that explains that you've yet to act on their request – which is enclosed with this package).

Later today, Mayor Stokes and I are attending a reception in honor of outgoing Bread of Life Executive Director Dean Lachance. Enclosed is a copy of a proclamation the Mayor issued in Dean's honor.

C:            Department and Bureau Directors  
              Augusta Legislative Delegation