



THE CITY OF AUGUSTA

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TO: Mayor and City Council
FROM: Bill Bridgeo
RE: Administrative Report
DATE: August 8, 2016

Meetings:

The Planning Board will meet on Tuesday, August 9, 2016 in Council Chambers beginning at 7:00 p.m. Agendas have been distributed in previous Council Packets.

There will be a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for the Lithgow Library on Saturday, August 13th at 10:00 a.m.

There will be no meeting of the City Council this week. The next scheduled meeting of Council is a Business Meeting on August 18th. Prior to the business meeting, I am anticipating an informational meeting at 6:00 pm to discuss renovation and expansion of the Hartford Fire Station. If Council supports a capital project to accomplish that work then I would hope to have authorization in time to place a bond question on the November ballot and allow construction to begin in 2017.

Other Items:

I toured the construction site of the new North Augusta fire station this morning. Much of the site preparation work is nearing completion. The access road and related underground utilities will be completed by week's end. The stabilization piles have been driven and concrete end caps are being poured. Steel floor girders have been fabricated and will be delivered in a couple of weeks. In short, the project is on schedule and within budget at this juncture.

Our Human Resources Department will be hosting a City of Augusta Job Fair at the Civic Center tomorrow, August 9th, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. We currently have openings in almost every department for full-time, part-time and seasonal positions and our HR team is hoping that this will be a good tool for fielding new applicants.

On Wednesday through Friday of this week I will be in attendance at the annual Maine Town and City Management conference at Sunday River. Ralph St. Pierre will be available during that time period and I will be checking in regularly.

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