

Town Manager's Report - 12.14.23

Antique Ladder Truck:

- The museum in Dover was unable to take the truck after all.
- We have found a safe place for continued storage of the truck within the One North property and have a plan to move it to it's new location soon.
- This opens opportunity to explore other options for future of this antique vehicle.

EMPD Contract:

- Chair Madore and I recently met with representatives from the East Millinocket Select Board and East Millinocket Police Department concerning our contract for Police Services.
- This contract is up for renewal in July, however, we are aiming to have the agreement finalized in January with the expectation that it will affect both town's budgets.
- I expect more conversation with the council and several more meetings with East Millinocket before anything is finalized.

Brownfields – Qualified Environmental Professional Contract:

- The contract with Sevee & Maher, hiring them as our QEP for Millinocket's Community Wide Brownfield Assessment Funding program has been completed by both parties.
- We look forward to kicking things off with Nick Sabatine and his team.
- We will begin planning and working in January as funding becomes available!

Holiday Lights:

- I am sad to say that due to our new bucket truck still not being in our possession, our plans for ramping up our holiday lights throughout town has been put on hold for another season.
- As you may recall, in June of 2022, we were able to purchase a large quantity of solar powered holiday lights with remaining grant funds.
- Lighting Up Millinocket for the Holidays is officially underway. Please check out the information on our Facebook page, website, and email list! This is a lighting contest where you just have to sign up via Millinocket.org/lightingupmillinocket and you can be entered for a \$100 prize as either a home or business.

Respectfully Submitted,

Peter Jamieson, Town Manager.