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TOWN OF WEST BROOKFIELD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on **Monday, October 26th, 2026 at 6:00pm** in the first floor meeting room, West Brookfield Town Hall, to act on an application for a Special Permit, for Robert and Jennifer Dold, for the property located at 207 Shoreline Dr, West Brookfield. The applicant wishes to rebuild a house that was demolished due to failing foundation. A Special Permit is required per Section 1.52. Non-Conforming Structures. Please note this public hearing was previously advertised for Tuesday October 12th 2026, which was incorrect. 10/09, 10/16/2026

INVITATION FOR BIDS FY2027 Paving Materials and Services Town of West Brookfield - Highway Department

The Town of West Brookfield Board of Selectmen requests sealed bids on the following Paving Materials and Services for various Town Roads in West Brookfield using State Aid Chapter 90 Funds, And other Federal, State and Municipally funded projects in Fiscal Year 2027.

Bids for the Paving Materials and Services in the Town of West Brookfield will be received at the West Brookfield Highway

Department located at 15 Front Street West Brookfield, MA 01585 until 9:00 a.m. Monday October 26, 2026, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. No late bids accepted.

Obtaining Bid Packages: Specifications, general instructions, and Bid Forms must be obtained at the Highway Department located at 15 Front Street in West Brookfield between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday or by emailing jdaley@wbrookfield.com. Bidders are required to submit bids on the Bid Forms provided.

Bid Deposit: All bids over \$10,000.00 MUST be accompanied by a bid deposit in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid in the form of cash, a bid bond, or a certified check made payable to the Town of West Brookfield.

Conditions of Contract: All contracts awarded shall be subject to the Special Contract Conditions that accompany this bid package. Successful Bidders will be required to produce a certificate of insurance and security bonds with the signed contract. All work being performed requires 100% Performance Bond and a 50% Payment Bond in accordance with G.L. c.149, section 29. The bidder shall be able to start work under this contract after November 1, 2026.

Wage Rates: All wage rates

will comply with those established by the Commonwealth Department of Labor and Workforce Development, M.G.L., Chapter 149, Sections 26-27G as set forth in the contract documents.

Prequalification: Bidders for all projects that cost over \$50,000.00 must be prequalified by the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (formerly Mass. Highway Department). The qualified class of work for this project is PAVEMENT SURFACING with a limit amount of \$1,000,000.00. All bidders shall be subject to Section 34 of Chapter 90, must be prequalified in accordance with 720 CMR 5.00 "Prequalification's of Contractors". This will apply to horizontal construction only. The Awarding Authority reserves the right to extend the contract for two (2) additional twelve (12) month options. Valuation for purposes of MassDOT Prequalification is based on first year, times three (3) to arrive at an estimated total value of all bid items. The estimated value of \$303,500.00 provided in this Invitation to Bid is for one year. Vendors are expected to be able to provide their services over three (3) years at three (3) times the initial estimated value.

James Daley,
Highway Superintendent
10/02, 10/09/2026

Auxiliary hosts Fall Harvest Festival and Bake Sale

NORTH BROOKFIELD – American Legion Auxiliary Unit 41 will host its annual Fall Harvest Festival and Bake Sale on Saturday, Oct. 24, from 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

The festival will be held

at American Legion Post 41, 163 North Main St. (located behind Subway).

Join the auxiliary for local vendors and crafters, homemade baked goods, a white elephant table and great raffles. A few tables

are still available for vendors/crafters. This event is open to the public with no admission fee.

Please contact Andrea at adupell@charter.net for more information.

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Her first attempt sailed into the box and a shot deflected off Ware senior goalie Emily Jones (12 saves) over the end line. Her next kick landed on top of the net.

The contest remained scoreless until Quaboag eighth grader Evelyn Potvin lofted a shot from the right side of the box into the back of the net for her first varsity goal, which was unassisted.

“That was a huge goal by Evelyn,” Mooney said. “We’re hoping that she becomes one of our top goal scorers just like her older sister. We’re still trying to figure things out.”

The Lady Indians scored a corner kick goal during the 65th minute.

Sophomore Josephine Galeckas booted the ball into the box from the right corner. After it bounced around, junior Callie Cygan scored the tying goal on a

header.

“It was Callie’s first goal of the season,” Toelken said. “She scored a couple of goals for us last year.”

Sophomore Gloria Cotaj was credited with the assist.

Cygan and Galeckas had a couple of shots on goal during the final ten minutes of regulation, but the contest remained tied.

Quaboag senior goalie Seph Piermarini made a total of eight saves.



VETERANS DAY SALUTE

Quaboag Current ~ November 5, 2026

Quaboag Current will be saluting our local veterans (from all wars and branches, including honoring deceased veterans), reservists, active duty U.S. Military members.

Please submit a photo of your veteran with his or her name, rank, branch of military and hometown by email to dflynn@turley.com or drop off a photo to **Quaboag Current, 24 Water St., Palmer, MA 01069**

All photos will be returned.

Please submit your photo no later than Monday, October 20, 2026.

There is no cost to submit a photo. No photos will be accepted after deadline. If you would like to use a prior submitted photo, please contact Dan Flynn no later than October 13th (413) 297-5886.

- police logs -

East Brookfield Police Log

During the week of Sept. 1-6, the East Brookfield Police Department responded to 126 building/property checks, 84 directed area patrols, six radar assignments, nine traffic controls, seven emergency 911 calls, five citizen assists, two complaints, one investigation, one motor vehicle investigation, one threat, one missing person, one motor vehicle accident, two animal calls and 32 motor vehicle stops in the town of East Brookfield.

Tuesday, Sept. 1
7:58 a.m. School Zone Traffic, East Main Street, Citation issued
2:22 p.m. 911 Medical Emergency, Howe Street, Transported to Hospital
5:09 p.m. Assist Citizen, Connie Mack Drive, Officer Handled
5:09 p.m. 911 Complaint, Podunk Road, Officer Handled
5:50 p.m. Traffic Control, Mechanic Street, Citation Issued

Wednesday, Sept. 2
2:10 p.m. Assist Citizen, Connie Mack Drive, Officer Handled
4:43 p.m. Assist Citizen, Young Road, Officer Handled
7:07 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, North Street, Citation Issued

New Braintree Police Log

During the week of Sept. 21-28, the Hardwick/ New Braintree Police Department responded to 24 building/property checks, 11 directed/area patrols, five radar assignments, four traffic controls, five emergency 911 calls, two citizen assists, 12 safety hazards, four utility issues, two animal calls and two motor vehicle stop in the town of New Braintree.

Monday, Sept. 21
10:59 a.m. Assist Citizen, Memorial Drive, Officer Handled
3:09 p.m. Assist Citizen, Memorial Drive, Officer Handled
4:23 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, Ravine Road, Citation Issued

Tuesday, Sept. 22
5:01 p.m. Medical Emergency, Slein Road, Transported by Helicopter
6:02 p.m. Medical Emergency, Hardwick Road, Transported to Hospital

tion Issued
7:25 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, East Main Street, Citation Issued

Thursday, Sept. 3
8:36 a.m. 911 Medical Emergency, West Sturbridge Road, Transported to Hospital
10:56 a.m. Assist Citizen, Connie Mack Drive, Spoken To

Friday, Sept. 4
5:45 a.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, West Main Street, Citation Issued
9:39 a.m. Medical Emergency, East Main Street, Transported to Hospital
11:08 a.m. Motor Vehicle Investigation, Podunk Road, Officer Handled
1:23 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, East Main Street, Citation Issued
2:09 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, East Main Street, Citation Issued
2:19 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, East Main Street, Citation Issued
2:34 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, East Main Street, Citation Issued
6:03 p.m. Motor Vehicle Stop, East Main Street, Citation Issued

Saturday, Sept. 5
10:05 a.m. 911 Threat, North Brookfield Road,

Transported to Hospital

Wednesday, Sept. 23
2:23 p.m. 911 Safety Hazard, Construction Area, Officer Handled

Friday, Sept. 25
12:41 p.m. Safety Hazard, Gilbertville Road, Removed Hazard

Saturday, Sept. 26
11:01 a.m. Safety Hazard, Thompson Road, Removed Hazard
11:16 a.m. 911 Utility Issues, Hardwick Road, Referred to Other Agency
12:08 p.m. Safety Hazard, Hardwick Road, Officer Handled
12:17 p.m. Safety Hazard, Gilbertville Road, Referred to Other Agency
12:30 p.m. Utility Issues, Gilbertville Road, Officer Handled
1:39 p.m. Safety Hazard, Utley Road, Referred to Other Agency

2:20 p.m. Safety Hazard, Worcester Road, Removed Hazard
4:53 p.m. 911 Medical Emergency, Barre Cut-Off Road, Transported to Hospital
10:33 p.m. Safety Hazard, Worcester Road, Removed Hazard
10:34 p.m. Safety Hazard, Ravine Road, Officer Handled

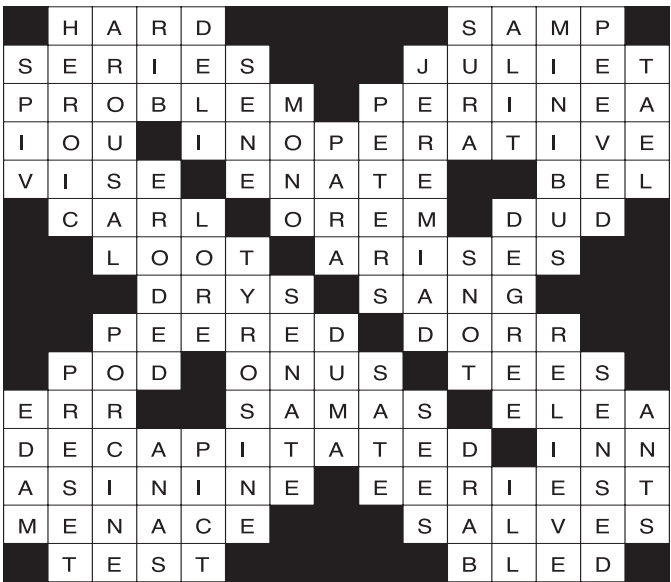
Sunday, Sept. 27
1:57 a.m. Safety Hazard, Hardwick Road, Officer Handled
9:44 a.m. Safety Hazard, Moore Road, Removed Hazard
11:22 a.m. Utility Issues, Hardwick Road, Removed Hazard
12 p.m. Utility Issues, West Road, Services Rendered
1:49 p.m. Safety Hazard, Unitas Road, Services Rendered

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