



# **TOWN OF EAST WINDSOR**

**FIRST SELECTMAN JASON E. BOWSZA**

August 19, 2020

Good evening. This is First Selectman Jason Bowsza reaching out to all town residents. A copy of this message can be found on the Town's website.

Today, our local health district notified us that we have no new cases of COVID-19 in East Windsor. The Connecticut Department of Public Health is now reporting a total of 163 confirmed cases in town. In Hartford County, we now have only 9 reported cases of patients hospitalized with the virus. In Connecticut, there are 51,314 cases.

The Town will be offering brush removal for debris associated with the recent tropical storm. If you are interested in scheduling storm debris pickup during the week of August 31, please call the Public Works office at 860-292-7073.

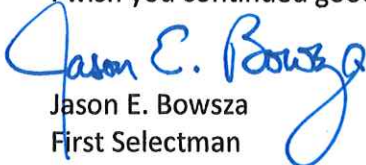
We are trying to determine what services our senior population may be looking to have restored at the Senior Center without putting people in jeopardy of contracting COVID-19. Our Senior Center staff is in the process of reaching out to members to gauge their opinion. If you'd like to take the survey, please call the center at 860-292-8262.

With back-to-school coming right up, our Community Services Department is continuing to collect supplies for families in need. We are putting together supplies for 115 people this year. If you would like to donate supplies, please contact the department. We're also wrapping up this year's Renters' Rebate program. If anyone needs help through that program, contact the Community Services Department at 860-623-2430.

On a sad note, the Veterans Commission has made the difficult decision to cancel this year's Veterans Day Road Race. This very popular event will be back again next year, but the commission decided that circumstances associated with the pandemic made it too difficult to ensure the safety of participants and attendees.

Everyone's health, safety and well-being are first and foremost in what we are doing as a community. To quote Oprah, "be thankful for what you have; you'll end up having more. If you concentrate on what you don't have, you will never have enough."

I wish you continued good health,

  
Jason E. Bowsza  
First Selectman

