



TOWN OF EAST WINDSOR

FIRST SELECTMAN JASON E. BOWSZA

December 16, 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.

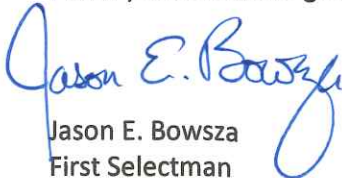
We have had 22 new cases of COVID-19 among East Windsor residents reported to us since last week. Our number of infections per week is now at its second highest point since the outset of the pandemic, following only the week of May 10. A chart indicating the infections per week can be found on the Town's website and is updated weekly.

The Town continues to partner with Priority Urgent Care to offer live virus testing and antibody testing every Wednesday from 10am to 3pm at the Town Hall Annex, 25 School Street, East Windsor. This is open to anyone, and all insurances are accepted. Depending on individual insurance plans, patients may be responsible for either a copay or deductible. People without insurance will be tested at no charge. Flu shots are also provided from 10am to 12pm at the drive through clinic. Most insurance plans cover the cost of a flu shot, but those without insurance can get a flu shot for a \$20 fee. Anyone interested is strongly encouraged to schedule appointments ahead of time by calling 860-454-0678.

With significant winter weather forecasted for the overnight tonight and into tomorrow, the Town has taken steps to be prepared. Both the Warehouse Point Fire Department and the Broad Brook Fire Department will have firefighters stationed overnight at all three firehouses in town to ensure emergency response coverage. Town roads have been pre-treated and the Public Works crew is standing by to respond. The Police Department has increased shift coverage to be able to quickly respond to any additional storm-related incidents. I have been in touch with Eversource and Cox Communications to monitor service outages and report them if necessary. The Town's Emergency Operations Center is monitoring conditions and will activate if necessary. If you can stay at home for the duration of the storm, please do so.

Thinking about the anticipated weather, I'm reminded of one of my favorite quotes about living in New England: "if you don't like the weather, wait fifteen minutes and it will change."

I wish you continued good health,


Jason E. Bowsza
First Selectman

