# **CORNWALL TOWN HALL NEWS**

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#### January 18, 2024

Hello everyone from Cold Cornwall,

We hope you stay warm!

We recently welcomed Govenor Ned Lamont to Cornwall at Mohawk Ski Area, where he announced the State of Connecticut's new initiative to promote outdoor recreation. The Govenor congratulated Mohawk Ski Area for their 77th year of skiing and partnering with the State of Connecticut DEEP. More information and photos from the visit can be <u>found here.</u>





We also welcome and send congratulations to the new <u>Cornwall Market</u> in Cornwall Bridge. They had their soft opening on January 8th. The sandwiches are delicious and it's nice to have some warm food in this cold snap.

Thank you to everyone for the donations to the food and fuel fund and donations to the holiday you drive, they made a big difference.

Thank you to Casey Cook and Dick Sears for the smoke detector campaign - there are still some available at the Selectmen's Office. Make sure you have your chimney cleaned, have active smoke detectors in your house, and your 911 numbers are out there during these cold times.



There have been reports of theft of mail out of the Cornwall Bridge post office drop box. Residents are advised to bring any outgoing mail into the post office to be mailed. Report any losses to the Postmaster.

#### **Upcoming Work**

Crews will begin to work on repairing the damage to both Essex Hill Road and Popple Swamp Road this coming week.

The River Road retaining wall repair has been put on hold until February or March. We will get details of a start date out to the community as soon as we know more details.

## **Upcoming Meetings**

Affordable Housing Commission 1/22/2024 at 5:00pm - Zoom <u>Click here for the agenda</u>

Board of Selectmen - Special Meeting - Emergency Management 1/22/2024 at 7:00pm - Hybrid - Zoom/Cornwall Library <u>Click here for the agenda</u>

> Planning & Zoning - Special Meeting Town Plan of Conservation and Development Forum 1/23/2024 at 7:00pm - Zoom <u>Click here for the agenda</u>

## **Upcoming Community Events**

Warmth and fellowship can be found at these community events:

- Navigating the CornwalLCT.org website presentation at the Cornwall Library 1/21/2024 at 10:00am
- Pickleball at CCS on Thursdays 6:00pm-8:00pm
- Ice Skating at Hotchkiss School on Saturdays 7:00pm-8:00pm
- Community/Senior Breakfast 1/23/2024 9:00am at the Parish House\*
- Community/Senior Lunch 2/13/2024 12:00pm at the Parish House\*

\*RSVP may be required

Click here to view the Cornwall events calendar

Stay tuned & think spring! Sincerely,

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