

## SIXTEEN ACRES CIVIC ASSOCIATION, INC GREENLEAF COMMUNITY CENTER 1187 ½ PARKER STREET SPRINGFIELD, MA 01129

## MAY/JUNE 2019 NEWSLETTER

<u>URGENT MESSAGE</u>: The date for the June association meeting has been changed to Tuesday, June 25<sup>th</sup> due to a conflict in scheduling with our caterer Sodexo. Our members enjoy the buffet from Sodexo, therefore, the change in date. Please mark your calendar for June 25.

MAY 21<sup>TH</sup> – 6:00 pm The Springfield Police Neighborhood Crime Watch will be held. 6:30 pm Social time with coffee and munchkins. 7:00 pm A short business meeting will be held with the Election of Officers & Directors for the 16 Acres Civic Association for the term of July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2021, as the first item on the agenda. All persons that were nominated at the April 16<sup>th</sup> meeting and meet the qualifications to become a member of the board, will appear on the ballot. We are very pleased to announce that the speaker for that evening will be former State Representative Paul Caron. Paul will be providing a presentation on the beautiful hanging flower baskets that adorn the Indian Orchard business district. Your 16 Acres Civic Association would like to beautify our own acres business district and Paul's presentation will provide the "Know-how" for doing so. Thanks Paul!!

JUNE 25<sup>TH</sup> – 6:00 pm, buffet served at 6:45 pm. This is the annual June buffet meeting for all association members with paid up dues. We must request a \$5.00 cost from each member attending at this much looked forward to event. Please see Lois at the front desk, to make a reservation and see the wonderful menu for this buffet. You can also contact by phone – Sally at 783-3133 – to make a reservation and pay Lois later. June 21<sup>st</sup> absolute deadline for a reservation. We will also have the awarding of the associations 2019 - \$1000. scholarship to the award winner, that evening. Plus, there will be a Raffle with items again arriving late for the Dec. party.

## 16 ACRES LOCAL NEWS:

1 – There is still time for processing an application for the 2019 - \$1000. 16 Acres Civic Association, Inc. Scholarship for a current college student. You can download a copy from our website: 16acres.org, pick one up at the Greenleaf Community Center's front hall table, or contact Sally at: 783-3133 and she will mail one. The cutoff date for mailing the application is with a Friday, May 31st post mark with absolute receipt at the center by Friday, June 7th.

2 - There will be an electronics collection at Duggan Middle School parking lot Saturday, June 8<sup>th,</sup> from 8:00 am to 12.00 noon. Springfield residents will be able to dispose of 2 items free (more if they are small like remote control devices) and a \$5.00 charge for additional items. Electronic disposal would be anything with a battery or cord. No BIG items will be accepted.

3 - There has been no official grand opening of the Pride station located at the corner of Wilbraham Rd. & Breckwood Blvd. but the station and store are currently open for business.

4 - There are no association meetings in July & August, and if we do not have a meeting, there will be no Police Crime Watch meeting either at that time.

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