

TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT

To: Members of the South Windsor Town Council

From: Michael Maniscalco, Town Manager

Subject: Town Manager's Report for 10/18/21 Town Council Meeting

Date: October 14, 2021

COVID-19 Update

I will have more up-to-date numbers for the night of the Council meeting. We are watching the COVID-19 infection numbers very closely so that we can determine the appropriate time to end the mask mandate. At the time of this report, the Town of South Windsor has been identified as a yellow town. We have been a yellow town for a little more than a week and need to be for another two full weeks before we can end the mask mandate. It is important to note that our community, while yellow, is surrounded by communities that are orange. There are multiple factors to this including the mask mandate and early vaccination efforts to name a few.

ICMA-CM Credential Manager

I was just made aware by the ICMA Credentialing Advisory Board that my credential has been approved for the coming year. As you know, the easiest way to complete the requirements for the credential are to attend the ICMA conference. Much of this year's conference focused on mental health in your community, within the staff and within yourself. I would take this as a sign of the times and the immense levels of stress and challenge we have all been placed under from the beginning of the pandemic. We are very fortunate to have an excellent Human Services Department that can help people get the services they need and if someone is in need, of help, do not hesitate to reach out.

Tribe 9 Foods

We are continuing to work on the transfer of the abatement from Carla's Pasta to Tribe 9 foods. Unfortunately, due to the Bankruptcy Court being involved it is becoming more complicated. I am mentioning this so that it is on your radar in the event that something will need to go in front of the Town Council.