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**Friday, January 1, 2021**

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Firefighters work to control a nighttime blaze on Southbridge Road in Charlton.



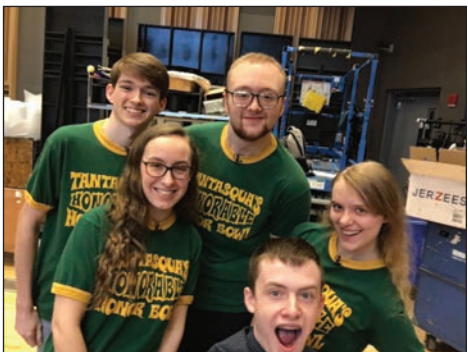
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The Army National Guard visited Southbridge High School to teach the students a brief course in robotics over several weeks. Thank you to Specialist Dupras, Specialist Saucier, Specialist Lopes and Sergeant Cruz for the visit!



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The Tantasqua Regional High School team prepares to go head to head against Weston during the filming of their episode of WGBH’s “High School Quiz Show.”



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To celebrate the 100th day of the school year, Mrs. Recchia's first grade class at Park Avenue Elementary School collected more than 100 items to be donated to the Webster-Dudley food share. Photo courtesy of Superintendent Dr. Ruthann Petrino-Goguen's Twitter feed.



Students and staff put their Rockets pride on full display during Auburn High School's Winter Carnival. Photo courtesy of the school's Twitter feed.

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Trinity Catholic Academy adapted quickly to the unprecedented changes that needed to be made for daily classes. Having initiated the concept of "distance learning" in their school emergency plan just months ago, they got to use it sooner than they expected.



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Together apart. The Auburn Police Department recently posted this playful 'selfie' on its Twitter feed to encourage residents to maintain the recommended six feet of social distancing when interacting in public.

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MAY – JUNE



Photo Gus Steeves

An ambulance makes a turn at Lake Street and Main in Webster during a parade organized by public safety officials as a tribute to frontline health care workers.



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On Memorial Day, the Town of Thompson honored their fallen heroes with the traditional parade with a twist. The parade of cars carried veterans, Scouts, First Responders, individuals and Suffragists. Thanks to John Lenky, John Rice, and D.R. Hoenig the ladies of the Suffrage100 committee were escorted in style including a Model A and a 1921 flatbed truck. This event mark the second in the Six Months of Suffrage Program which will run through to October. The committee was formed to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the rat-

ification of the 19th amendment which gave women the right to vote and to highlight the importance of registering to vote and exercising that right. Thank you Elmer Preston and Virginia Livernoche from VFW Post 10088 who organized the parade.



Photo Jason Bleau

More than 100 voters turned out for the first ever outdoor annual spring town meeting in Charlton on June 15 where they approved the town's 2021 fiscal year spending plan

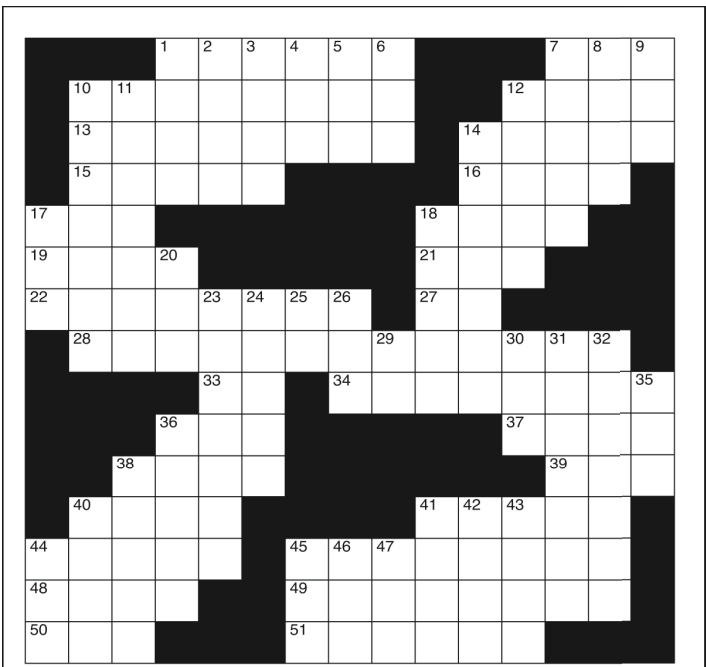


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The community turned out in force to salute Northbridge High School's Class of 2020 with a roving parade through town.

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Northbridge High School students gathered around the town common in a show of local support for the nationwide protests sparked by the death of George Floyd at the hands of Minneapolis police.



CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Home of the Cowboys
- 7. "Hawaii Five-O" actor McBride
- 10. Most aged
- 12. Fitted with a shoe
- 13. Courteously
- 14. They form over cuts
- 15. Western Alaskan river
- 16. Aggressive men
- 17. Farm animal
- 18. Young woman (French)
- 19. Sixth month of Hebrew calendar
- 21. Short cry
- 22. State capital
- 27. Rural delivery
- 28. "Twilight Zone" creator
- 33. Gigabyte
- 34. Flammable hydrocarbon
- 36. Supervises flying
- 37. An actor who plays a principal role
- 38. Furnace for pottery
- 39. Fall back
- 40. Afrikaans word for language
- 41. Chinese city
- 44. Fleshy
- 45. Inventor
- 48. Taxis
- 49. A citizen of Spain
- 50. Important age for aging workers (abbr.)
- 51. Body part

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Chinese mountain range
- 2. Romanian city
- 3. Fishermen cast it
- 4. Shelter from wind
- 5. Sign language
- 6. Pippen
- 7. Make sore
- 8. Flat metal shelves
- 9. Forms that say who you are
- 10. Cigar lovers' necessity
- 11. Popular cooking ingredient
- 12. Skin covering the head
- 14. Unshakable
- 17. Exclamation meaning "Finally!"
- 18. One of the wise men's gifts
- 20. Take away from
- 23. In accordance with the law
- 24. Nicole Kidman's husband
- 25. NY Giants legend
- 26. Utilize
- 29. Beloved Hollywood alien
- 30. Unwell
- 31. More destitute
- 32. Grinded together
- 35. Sun up in New York
- 36. Italian-made cars
- 38. Most sacred site in Islam
- 40. Rip apart
- 41. Go in a specified direction
- 42. Freshwater mussel genus
- 43. " \_ the Man" Musical
- 44. One thousand cubic feet (abbr.)
- 45. West coast time zone
- 46. Mimic
- 47. You can get one in summer

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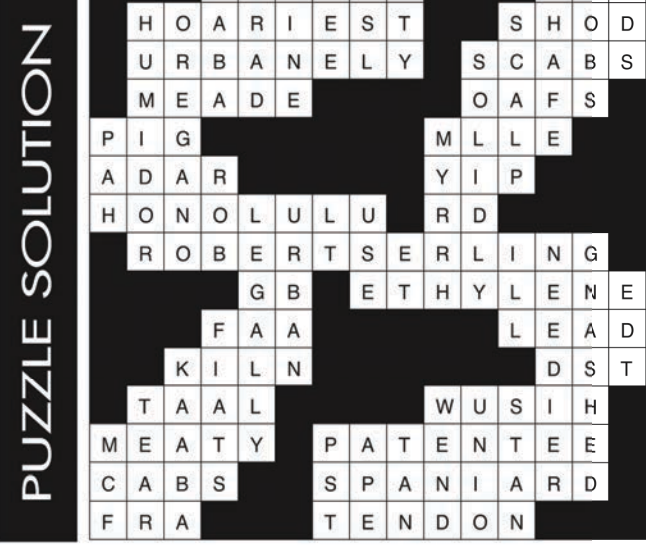
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Old Sturbridge Village reopened its front gate admission to the public on July 4.



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On Monday, July 6, Master Masons throughout the community gathered to Quinebaug Masonic Lodge in Southbridge. The lodge held its first meeting since the beginning of the COVID-19 Pandemic. Phase 3 rules for social distancing were followed based upon Governor Bakers guidelines for gatherings of groups larger than 10. Brethren gathered 6 feet apart and wore face masks and all restricted seating was clearly marked and was not to be used while conducting lodge business. Going forward, per the orders of the Grand Masonic Lodge of Boston all lodges in this state will conduct their meetings according to the guidelines of the CDC and Gov. Baker. The top priority of all lodges is the health and safety of all brethren and their families.



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Charlton firefighters work to remove fallen tree limbs from the roadway after Hurricane Isaias.



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The class of 2020 Practical Nursing graduates from Blackstone Valley Tech recently achieved a 100 percent pass rate for first-time test takers for the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX-PN) in 2020.

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While the beginning of the unique school year was on the horizon, Pomfret student group PeaceJam created facial masks for the Access Emergency Shelter in Killingly. PeaceJam is committed to empowering youth to see themselves as agents of social justice and social change. This group of students has learned about food insecurity issues, and their ability to assist the very vulnerable homeless population during COVID-19. The Shelter Director, David, greatly appreciated the PCS students' commitment to assisting the shelter residents at this crucial time. He stated that their supplies are limited, so the PCS students' compassionate efforts are greatly needed now. Thank you to Ethan Schultz, James Lake, and Grace Rivera; your efforts may save local lives.

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## SEPTEMBER – OCTOBER



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Ensuring “social distancing,” firefighters and police officers in Southbridge lined up outside the fire station for a roughly 10-minute ceremony commemorating the Sept. 11 terror attacks.



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Police investigated after a man was found drowned in Dark Brook Reservoir.



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The United Way of South Central Massachusetts partnered with Fundación MAPFRE for a combined Day of Caring and Global Day of Volunteering, by holding a “Stuff a Truck Food and Baby Supply Drive.”



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Just weeks into the new school year, student-athletes from Uxbridge High School were already out and about pitching in — safely — with community service projects.



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Trinity Catholic Academy's 25th Annual Golf Classic was held at Heritage Country Club!

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NOVEMBER



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Curt Litchfield and David Adams stand at attention during the National Anthem at the Veterans Day observance in Southbridge.



Photo Donald Perkins — Courtesy

Reader Donald Perkins of Webster captured this image of a bald eagle at Stump Pond.



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On Monday, Nov. 9, Northbridge Town Manager Adam Gaudette and the Board of Selectpersons appointed Reserve Police Officers Sean McDevitt and Benjamin O'Donnell as full time police officers for the Town of Northbridge. Officers McDevitt and O'Donnell have been working as Reserve Police Officers since 2018. Off. McDevitt is also a full time police dispatcher working the 4 p.m. to midnight shift. Off. McDevitt has a Bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice from Worcester State University and Off. O'Donnell has a Bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice from Assumption College. Both officers were appointed as Student Police Officers effective the first day of the Randolph Police Academy on Feb. 8, 2021. Left to right: Officer Benjamin O'Donnell and Officer Sean McDevitt



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The American Legion District #4 Commander Ronald P. Coderre of Post #13 – Putnam, worked with Coventry Post #52 at its bi-monthly Food Share distribution program. Coderre (front right) is pictured with Legionnaires, volunteers and Food Share staff.



CHARLTON - Robert H. Paulhus, 93, of Masonic Home Rd., formerly of Fiskdale, passed away on Monday, Dec. 14th, in the Overlook Masonic Health Center, Charlton, after an illness. His beloved wife of 43 years, Shirley J. (Julian) Paulhus died in March of this year. His first wife Annett (Murphy) Paulhus died in 1973. He leaves a son, Donald R. Paulhus and

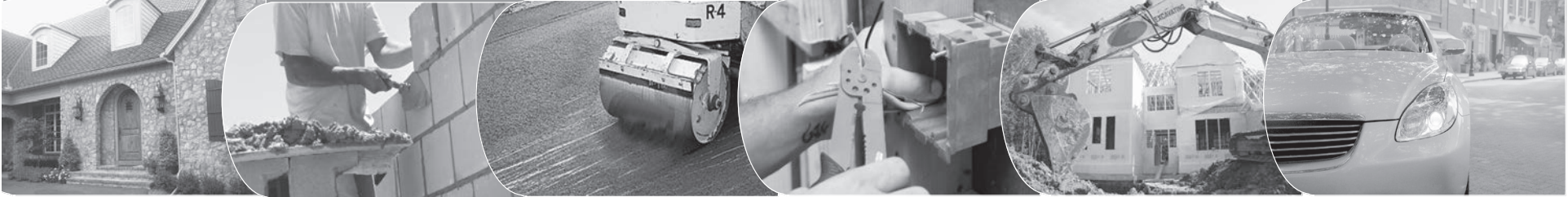
his wife Cindy of Brimfield; a stepson, Bernard E. Tetreault and his wife Sandy of Sturbridge; his step-daughter, Becky-Lynn Soules and her husband Michael of Dalton; and seven grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Robert was predeceased by his brother, Lionel Paulhus of Reims, France. He was born in Worcester the son of Leo and Adrienne (Desrosiers) Paulhus. He honorably served in the US Navy during WWII. Robert worked for 38 years as a

Robert H. Paulhus, 93

setup man for the American Optical Company in Southbridge and as a school custodian for 10 years before retiring in 1992. He was a member of the Quarter Century Club at the American Optical Company. Robert was a life time member of the Franco American War Veterans. He enjoyed trips to Florida, Hampton Beach and Cape Cod. Robert loved golf and was an avid Yankees fan. The family would like to thank the staff of the Overlook for the wonderful care and compassion they gave to

Robert. His funeral Mass was held Saturday, Dec. 19th, at 10:00 am in St. Anne's Church, 16 Church St., Sturbridge. A Calling hour was held on Saturday, Dec 19th, in the Daniel T. Morrill Funeral Home, 130 Hamilton St., Southbridge, from 8:30 to 9:30 am prior to the Mass. Burial in Oak Ridge Cemetery will be private and held at a later date. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Overlook Masonic Home, 88 Masonic Home Rd., Charlton, MA 01507. www.morrillfuneralhom.com

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## DECEMBER



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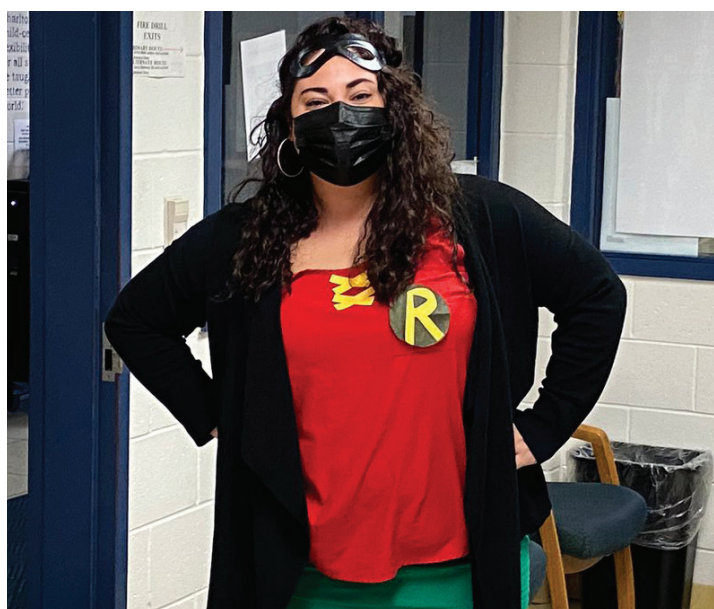


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Teacher Katie Matthews embraced her alter ego during a recent Super Hero Day in her classroom at Charlton Middle School.



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Arthur and Theresa Graves of Dudley (seated) jointly celebrated their 90th birthdays with a small gathering of family.

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## OBITUARIES

### Phyllis A. Young, 79

NORTH GROSVENORDALE CT-Phyllis A. (Halloran) Young age 79 passed away Thur. Dec. 17, 2020 at her home with her loving family at her side.



She leaves her husband of 62 years Eugene H. Young Sr., sons; James and Tuesday Young, Harold and Pam Young all of Webster and Eugene and Donna Young Jr. of North Grosvenordale, daughters, Susan Paris of Eldon, Missouri and Barbara Germain of Fall River, two brothers David Halloran of Dudley and James Halloran of Webster, eight grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

She was born in Boston daughter of the late Philip and Rita (Cusson) Halloran and lived in North Grosvenordale since 1974, prior to that living in Putnam. Phyllis enjoyed special times with her family, reading, knitting and baking cakes for special occasions. Christmas was her favorite season.

The funeral was held Tue. Dec. 22, 2020 with a service at 10 AM in the Shaw-Majercik Funeral Home, 48 School St., Webster, MA with burial in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Webster. A calling hour was held Tue from 8:30 AM till time of service. Please follow prescribed protocol.

A guest book is available at [www.shaw-majercik.com](http://www.shaw-majercik.com) where you may post a condolence or light a candle.

### Walter F. Popiak

Walter F. Popiak, a lifelong resident of Webster, died on December 15 of natural causes. He passed away at home with his family by his side.



Walter is survived by his children: his daughters Rena Klebart (Thomas), Frances Stoffer (Mark), and his sons Nikefore Popiak, and Skip Popiak (Mary); his grandchildren: Thomas, George, Alya, May, Meg, Luke and Ally; and his great-grandchildren: Will, Lucas, Ellie, Leo, Avery, Barnaby, Mason and Max. He was predeceased by his wife, Cecilia Popiak; his parents, Nikefore and Anna Popiak; and his siblings, Mary Nowacki, Peter Popiak, and Frances Sroszynski.

Walter was born October 29, 1927,

in Webster and lived there all of his life. He served his country during World War II as a proud Marine. An avid and skilled golfer, he found a golf course wherever he travelled, but most often you could find him on the links at Nichols Golf Club in Dudley. He started his career in sales at Deary Brothers in Dudley, and spent most of his working life at Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. A friend to all, he will be dearly missed by many. He would gladly tell anyone he met that he was a lucky man, and that he had lived a wonderful life. He was deeply loved and cherished by his family.

Because of the pandemic, there will be no calling hours or services. A celebration of his life will be held at a later date when it is safe to gather.

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## Alphie J. Benoit, 84

WEBSTER – Alphie J. Benoit, 84, of Webster, passed away on Wednesday, December 16, 2020, at UMass Memorial Hospital from complications of COVID-19.



Alphie is survived by his loving wife of fourteen years, Sandra C. (Butler) Benoit; three sons, Raymond Benoit and his spouse Steven Randolph of Bothell, WA, Roger Benoit of Las Vegas, NV, Kenneth Benoit of Las Vegas, NV; his beloved sister Julie Gauthier and niece Dianne Gauthier of Millville; and other nieces, a step-son John Butler and wife

Sue of Eagle River, AK, step-daughter Deborah Stearns and husband Alan of Oxford. Alphie also leaves behind his grandchildren, Ryan, Kevin, Christopher, Kaitlyn, and Joshua; and great-grandchildren, Alaia, Kaitlyn, Colton, and twins Keegan and Emma. Alphie was predeceased by a daughter Dolores Benoit; former wife Lucy

(Belknap) Benoit; sisters Rita and Beatrice; and brother-in-law Paul Gauthier.

Alphie was born in Linwood (Northbridge), son of the late Alphie and Amelia (Laporte) Benoit. He attended Blackstone public schools. Alphie served honorably and proudly in the United States Air Force from 1953 until retiring in 1974 as a Master Sergeant. After Alphie's Air Force career, he spent 21 years as a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service in Milford.

Alphie and Sandy enjoyed spending their retirement years traveling, going on day trips, and precious time with family. He also enjoyed sharing all his memories of Air Force life.

"Until we meet again, may the good Lord take a liking to you" – Roy Rogers

Due to COVID restrictions, a private burial at the Massachusetts National Cemetery in Bourne will be held at a future date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to UMass Memorial Healthcare, Office of Philanthropy, c/o Organ Transplant Program, 365 Plantation St., Biotech One, Worcester, MA 01605.

Paradis-Givner Funeral Home in Oxford is directing the arrangements.

## Frances Wassenar, 89

UXBRIDGE - Frances Wassenar, 89, of Uxbridge, entered her heavenly home on Tuesday, December 16, surrounded by loved ones.



Fran was born on September 12, 1931, in Whitinsville, to the late George and Anna (Schotanus) Berghuis. She was preceded in death by her husband of 65 years, Philip Wassenar, brother Albert Berghuis, and daughter-in-law Carol Wassenar. She will be greatly missed and lovingly remembered by her children, Ken Wassenar of Plano, TX, Cindy and Dean DeVries of Allendale, MI, Dave and Diane Wassenar of Whitinsville, MA, Karen and Steve Stinson of Sutton, MA, ten grandchildren, and eight great grandchildren. She also leaves behind her beloved sisters, Anna Stiers and Jennie Berghuis.

Fran was a lifelong member of Pleasant Street Christian Reformed Church and had a deep and abiding faith in her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Faith and family were the focus of her life. During their senior years, she and her husband Phil were able to

travel extensively, and enjoyed many winters in Florida. After Phil died in 2015, Fran stayed close to home and enjoyed reading, puzzles, and crafting. She was an avid artisan and enjoyed creating beautifully decorated eggs, painted boxes, and Victorian-inspired Christmas decorations. Her daughter Karen would bring her a weekly supply of books from the Whitinsville library and Fran rarely left one unread. She was grateful that she was able to live independently, in her own home, right up until the end. She was out shopping for antiques with her dear sister, Jennie, several times this past month. Fran doted on her little dog, Buddy, and cherished visits from her church friends, her children, and her grandchildren. She was a wonderful listener, a good friend, and a gracious hostess to all who visited.

The family will hold a private memorial service and interment will be at Pine Grove Cemetery in Whitinsville.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you consider a donation to either the Whitinsville Christian School, 279 Linwood Avenue, Whitinsville, MA 01588 or the Whitinsville Retirement Home, 10 Chestnut Street, Whitinsville, MA 01588. [www.bumafuneralhome.com](http://www.bumafuneralhome.com)

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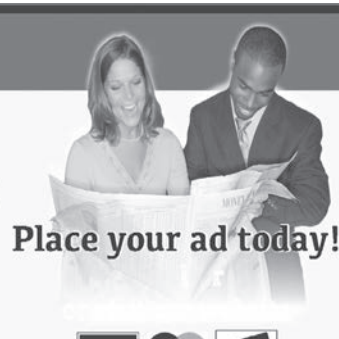
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# OBITUARIES

## Gennaro “Papa” Agrillo, 87

WEST BROOKFIELD- Gennaro “Papa” Agrillo, 87, of Foster Hill Rd., died Saturday, Dec. 19 in UMASS Medical Center in Worcester due to complications of Covid-19. He was



predeceased by two brothers Fedele & Umberto Agrillo and two sisters Lucia & Anna Agrillo. He was the son of Gennaro Agrillo and Erminia Cardamone. He leaves his wife, recently celebrating sixty-seven years of marriage, Amalia (Serra) Agrillo, his sister Emilia Agrillo of Cosenza, his brother Antonio Agrillo of Milano, three daughters Lisa DeCicco, Antonella Dattilo all of Italy, and Patricia Spadea and her husband Joseph of W. Brookfield with whom he lived, eight grandchildren including Barbara, Assunta, Paola, Carla, Benedetta, Giuseppe, Alessio, and Vincent and fourteen great-grandchildren, many nieces and nephews.

Gennaro was born in Cosenza, Italy in August of 1933 and grew up during the Second World War. With limited high school education and married at 19 years of age, he took work for the government of Cosenza painting schools where he worked until retirement. Walking to work, buying fresh produce in the morning, stopping at his favorite bar in the afternoon for an espresso and cornetto was a daily routine. There was great pleasure in hour-

long swims in the summer where the Mediterranean met the Tyrrhenian Sea with an affinity for the ocean. In the evenings, he enjoyed a glass of wine and a game of scopa with his neighbors or family...seldom losing. He appreciated making wine as much as drinking it and made sure “il forno” was started on time. He loved gardening, and there was always an abundance of tomatoes for a beloved salad. Weekends were filled with soccer, Juventus to be exact, and if no such game, then a western or Bond film. Always dressed, regardless of the occasion, he loved his local Marshalls. He drove his grandchildren and later great-grandchildren to and from school. His immense happiness came with being around his family. He embraced you with a smile and a warm disposition, rarely having a complaint. If you were fortunate enough, you became one of his gumbas. You would call him a humble man; he found the key to living well.

His funeral was held on Wednesday, Dec. 23 from the J. HENRI MORIN & SON FUNERAL HOME, 23 Maple Terr., Spencer with a Funeral Mass at 11 a.m. in Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church, 22 West Main St., W. Brookfield. Burial will follow in Brookfield Cemetery, Brookfield. Calling hours are Tuesday, Dec. 22 from 4 to 7pm in the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Ronald McDonald House Charities New England rmhcn.org www.morinfuneralhomes.com

## Anthony Donatelli, 89

BROOKLYN – Anthony Donatelli, 89, of Brooklyn, CT formerly of Mendon, MA, beloved husband of Cynthia (North) Donatelli, died on Friday, December 18, 2020 at Day Kimball Hospital in Putnam, CT, surrounded by his family. Tony was born on May 10, 1931, in Lettomanopello, Abruzzi, Italy to Mario and Maria (DeSanctis) Donatelli.



After emigrating to America at the age of 3, Tony grew up in Uxbridge, MA and was an all-star athlete at Uxbridge High School. He joined the United States Navy following graduation, to serve on a minesweeper in Korea, surviving the sinking of the USS Pirate in Wuhan Harbor. After his discharge he attended Boston University to become a Physical Education teacher. His first job was at Rock Hill School in Wallingford, CT, where he met a pretty third grade teacher named Cindy North and swept her off her feet. They married in November 1959 and moved back to MA when he was hired by his alma mater. “Mr. D” was a beloved P.E. teacher at Uxbridge High School from 1961 – 1989. He also was head football coach for many years as well as Athletic Director, and was commissioner of the Southern Worcester County League.

Tony was a member of the Uxbridge American Legion and the Mendon Lion’s Club serving as president and

treasurer. He was also chairman of the Mendon County Fair. Tony loved gardening, building stone walls, researching, and scrapbooking Uxbridge High School history, and regaling family, friends, nurses, and anyone else who would listen with stories of his many adventures.

After his daughter Christina opened Victoria Station Café in Putnam, CT, Tony became a baker, keeping the café stocked with biscotti. Devotion to family is the legacy that he has left behind.

He was a devoted family man, much loved by his surviving wife of 61 years, Cynthia; his four children, Beth Herbert (Mark) of Wake Forest, NC, Steven Donatelli (Lynn) of Douglas, MA, Christina Donatelli-Anderson (David) of Brooklyn, CT, and Tony Donatelli (Alisa) of Forest Park, IL; his eight grandchildren, Alex, Sarah, Eric, Amanda, Jason, Isak, Sabrina, and Andriana; his two great grandchildren, Isla and Benjamin; his older brother, Adrian Donatelli of Uxbridge, MA, and many nieces and nephews. He is predeceased by his parents and his sisters, Justina Wolf and Nena Bisbee. Memorial donations in Anthony’s name may be made to the Uxbridge High School Scholarship Fund, c/o Uxbridge High School, 300 Quaker Hwy., Uxbridge, MA 01569. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the Gilman Funeral Home & Crematory, 104 Church St., Putnam, CT 06260. For memorial guestbook visit www.GilmanAndValade.com.



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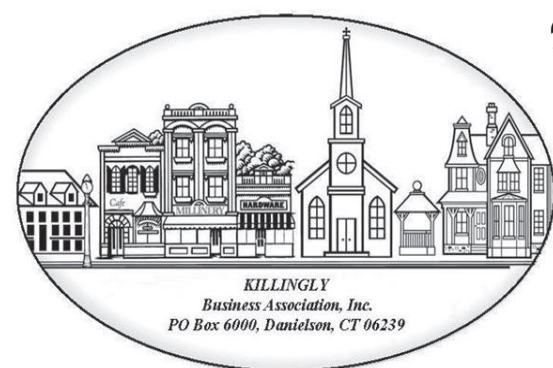
 

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# OBITUARIES

## Edna N. Hansen, 97

WOODSTOCK, CT - On Thursday, December 17th, 2020, Edna N. Hansen, 97, of Woodstock, passed away peacefully at Westview Healthcare Center in Dayville, CT. Edna was born May 1, 1923 in Middletown, CT and lived there until relocating to Tilton, NH from 1969-1981 and then to Sanbornton, NH from 1982-2012. She moved to Woodstock, CT in 2012 to be near family.

Edna graduated from Woodrow Wilson High School in 1941. She met her husband Robert C. Hansen after the war in Middletown, and they married in 1947. Edna was a stay-at-home mom taking care of their two sons while obtaining a BS degree from Central Connecticut State College in 1969. For more than 25 years, Edna was a Professor of Business Education working at the New Hampshire Vocational Technical College in Laconia NH. She obtained her MS degree from Central Connecticut State College in 1974. Edna's happiest days were spent with family, whether camping, being part of family outings and parties, or supporting her family while working on the Hansen Family Tree Farm. Trips through the White Mountains also brought her many enjoyable days. She was active with her community of Sanbornton, NH and served on many committees at the Sanbornton Congregational Church,

the Sanbornton Historical Society, and the Sanbornton Public Library. She was a member of the Pemigewasset Snowshoe Club, The Lakes Region Management Club, a lifetime member of the New Hampshire Association of Educational Office Professionals and a current member of the Harmony Grange No. 99.

Edna was predeceased by her loving husband, Robert C. Hansen, her parents Lucy (Mead) and John Edward Neville, and by her sister Lucille Neville. Edna leaves behind her beloved family: her two steadfast sons, Dirk Hansen and his wife Joyce of Woodstock Valley, CT and Todd Hansen of Danielson, CT; her adored grandchildren, Trevor Hansen and his wife Stephanie of Durham, CT and Cortney Hansen of South Windham, CT; and her two vibrant great-grandchildren Carley and Alexander Hansen of Durham.

A graveside service will be held at the convenience of the family and there will be no calling hours at Edna's request. For those wishing to donate in her memory, the family has chosen the Connecticut Christmas Tree Growers Association Memorial Research and Scholarship Fund or to continue Edna and her family's work on the Appalachian Mountain Club's Robert C. Hansen Memorial Educational Fund. Donations may be sent to CCTGA, 304 Parker Avenue Meriden, CT 06450 or to AMC 10 City Square, Suite 2 Boston, MA 02129, respectively. Share a memory at [www.smithand-walkerfh.com](http://www.smithand-walkerfh.com)

## Edward Chodur, 70

WEBSTER -Edward Chodur, 70, died Thursday, December 17, 2020 at home after being stricken ill.



He leaves a daughter, Patricia E. Leandres and her husband Justin of Oxford; 2 grandchildren, Ava and Michael Leandres; 2 sisters, Zofia Wnuk of Duzdley and Lucyna Kozlowski of Swiniary, Poland; and nephews and nieces. He was preceded in death by his brother Zdzislaw Chodur.

He was born on October 28, 1950 in Swiniary, a son of Jozef and Bronislawa (Szczepanek) Chodur and graduated from a technical high

school. He lived in Poland before settling here in 1983.

Mr. Chodur was currently working as a maintenance man at the state courthouse in Worcester. Previously, he was a machinist at a tool and die shop in Southbridge.

He was a member of Saint Joseph Basilica. He liked fishing.

His funeral was held Wednesday, December 23, at 10:00 AM in Saint Joseph Basilica, 53 Whitcomb Street (please meet at the church). There are no calling hours. Current health guidelines will be in place and everyone is asked to wear a mask. Arrangements are under the direction of Sitkowski, Malboeuf & Hickey Funeral Home, 340 School Street.

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## Gloria Annabelle Cristina, 98

Gloria Annabelle Cristina of Dayville, CT, passed away peacefully at her home on December 4, 2020, at the age of 98. Gloria was born on January 15, 1922, in Webster, Mass., to the late Theophile Racine and Azilda (Dora) Caron, the eighth of eleven children. She was a graduate of St. James School in Danielson and Killingly High School. She worked at the Killingly Town Clerk's office before her marriage, and later as a volunteer at the Day Kimball Hospital coffee shop. She was preceded in death in 1976 by her beloved husband Joseph Francis Cristina, whom she married on Thanksgiving Day, November 26, 1942, in a double wedding ceremony with her brother George and her best friend Magdalene Leary.

She was also preceded in death by brothers Arthur, George, Richmond, Francis, Bernard, and Albert Racine, and sisters Alice Levesque, Helen Marttila and Priscilla Racine.

She is survived by her beloved youngest sister Lucille Konkinsky and sisters-in-law Frances Racine and Dorothy Cristina, her children Robert Cristina (Mary), Joan Baker (William), Michael Cristina (Beverly)

and David Cristina (Mary), and honorary "son" Philip Dauphinais (Nancy), her grandchildren (who lovingly called her "Gigi") Sherry Baldwin (Monroe), Edward Cristina (Diane), Jeremy Baker, Meredith McComas (Matthew), and Benjamin Baker, and great-grandchildren Monroe, Larson, George, Annabelle and Trueman Baldwin, Ashton and Hayden Cristina, and Luke, Cameron and Wesley McComas, and also many nieces and nephews by whom she will be dearly missed. The family wishes to thank Gloria's kind and devoted caregiver Audrey Small.

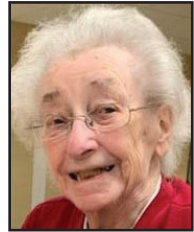
A memorial mass was celebrated at St. James Church on December 5, 2020, by family friend Father Peter Tremblay. Internment and a memorial service will take place this summer. Donations may be made to Elizabeth Morgan Director of Gifts, Dana Farber Cancer Institute Division of Development, 10 Brookline Place West, 6th Floor, Brookline MA 02445 with Dr Treon's Giving Page in the memo; or St James School, 120 Water St, Danielson, CT, 06239.

The Shaw-Majercik Funeral Home, 48 School Street Webster, MA, was honored to assist the family with funeral arrangements.

A guest book is available at [www.shaw-majercik.com](http://www.shaw-majercik.com) where you may offer condolences or light a candle in remembrance of Gloria.

## Georgette L. (Martel) Mathieu, 96

Southbridge - Georgette L. (Martel) Mathieu, 96, died Saturday, December 19, 2020, at the Southbridge Rehabilitation and Health Care Center, following an illness.



Mrs. Mathieu's husband, Eugene L. Mathieu, died October 13, 2012. They were married September 14, 1946. She is survived by her son, Paul E. Mathieu and his wife, Inez, of Spencer, MA; 7 grandchildren, Linda Mathieu, John Mathieu, Kevin Mathieu, Jeff Mathieu, Christopher Mathieu, Steven Mathieu, and Jessica Denton; 12 great-grandchildren; 3 great-great grandchildren; and her

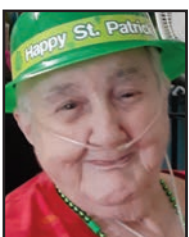
daughter-in-law, Callie Mathieu. Mrs. Mathieu was predeceased by her son, Gerald L. Mathieu, who died November 18, 2014.

Born in Southbridge, MA on December 11, 1924, she was the daughter of the late Harvey and Irene (Proulx) Martel, Jr. She worked for many years as an inspector at the former American Optical Company in Southbridge, MA. Mrs. Mathieu was a member of Notre Dame Church (St. John Paul II Parish), and was a member of the Ladies of St. Anne Sodality. The Mathieu family extends their sincere gratitude to Southbridge Rehab and Health Care Center's staff for the care provided during her time there.

Sansoucy Funeral Home, 40 Marcy Street, Southbridge, MA 01550 is handling private arrangements.

## Betty "Pete" Erskine, 82

Betty "Pete" Erskine, 82, of Danielson, passed away on Thursday, December 17, 2020 at Pierce Memorial Baptist Home in Brooklyn. Betty was born in Waterbury on May 8, 1938, daughter of the late Wilfred and Edna (Garlick) Nichols. She was the wife of the late Albert Erskine who died in 1978. She



worked at the Abington Library as an assistant librarian. Betty is survived by her daughters, Patty Erskine and Gail Erskine, both of Danielson;

two brothers, Ralph "Chet" Nichols of Middletown, NY and Rex Nichols of Thompson; sister, Sally Nichols of George West, TX and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brothers, David "Joe", Arthur and Richard Nichols and sisters, Hazel Slye and Lois Racine. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Pierce Memorial Baptist Home Recreational Department 44 Canterbury Road Brooklyn, CT 06234 or the Future Freedom Fighters Relay Team at [relayforlife.org/northeast-ernct](http://relayforlife.org/northeast-ernct). A graveside service will be held in the spring in Abington Cemetery in Pomfret. [tillinghastfh.com](http://tillinghastfh.com)

## David M. Rohr, 67



WEBSTER - David M. Rohr, 67, died Thursday, December 17, 2020 at Harrington Healthcare at Hubbard after being stricken ill at home.

He leaves his mother, Theresa M. (Strzelewicz) Rohr of Southamptn. and a sister, Kathleen Rohr and her husband Patrick Courtney of Southamptn.

He was born in Webster on October 19, 1953, the son of the late William K.

Rohr. He graduated from Bay Path Regional Vocational High School in Charlton in 1971.

Mr. Rohr worked as a forklift operator at Cranston Print Works Company in Webster for 33 years before retiring. He loved to go hunting.

Funeral services will be held privately. There are no calling hours. Donations in his name may be made to All Saints Academy, 48 Negus Street, Webster, MA 01570. Arrangements are under the direction of Scanlon Funeral Service, 38 East Main Street, Webster. [www.scanlonfs.com](http://www.scanlonfs.com)

## Elizabeth (Betty) Smock, 83

POMFRET CENTER - Elizabeth (Betty) A. Smock, age 83, of Deerfield Rd., formerly of Groton, CT. and Delran, NJ died Sunday evening, December 20, 2020 at Day Kimball Hospital. Born in Libertyville, IL, she was the daughter of the late Paul and Gertrude Snow of Sun City, AZ.

After high school, Betty earned a BA degree from Purdue University and worked full time at a variety of positions throughout her life until her retirement in 1997. She eventually settled in Eastern, CT.

She is survived by her daughter Sandy and her husband Randy Hodnett

of San Antonio, TX; her son, Steven and his wife Tara Smock of Woodstock, CT; her grandchildren, Victor and his wife Linda Wozniak of Ramsey, MN, Sara Wozniak of Leesville, LA, Emily and Lily Smock of Woodstock, CT; as well as her great grandchildren, Kaylin and Evalin Wozniak of Ramsey, MN; and her best friend, Carol Ortlip of Delran, NJ. She was predeceased by her husband, the late William L. Smock, and her brother Donald Snow.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the Gilman Funeral Home and Crematory, 104 Church St., Putnam, CT. 06260. Due to the current Corona Virus pandemic, no services or visitation are planned. For memorial guestbook visit [www.GilmanandValade.com](http://www.GilmanandValade.com).

## Francess Leppanen, 78

STERLING- Francess (Hadley) Leppanen, 78, of Bird St., died Thursday, Dec. 17 at UMASS Memorial Medical Center in Worcester.



She leaves her husband of 52 years, Eric W. Leppanen, her daughters; Susan L. Leppanen of Holden, and Pamela J. Wick and her husband Andrew of Yarmouth, ME., her sisters; Nancy Sundstrom of Holden, her identical twin Joanne DePatsy of Holden and Linda Raymond and her husband Paul of Worcester, her brother Joseph Hadley, IV and his wife Joan of Talmadge, OH., two grandchildren; Peter and Rachel Francess Wick of Yarmouth, several nieces and nephews.

At one time she worked in accounting at Heald Machine Company and Norton Company in Worcester, and in advertising at The New Leader in Spencer. She also owned and operated Montgomery Ward in Spencer and Subway in Holden.

Fran loved to go to her condo in Wells, Maine to be near the beach, which she

really enjoyed. She also loved being in Yarmouth, Maine spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren. She also loved shopping with her daughters and laughing and having fun playing games for hours with her twin sister, Joanne.

In the last year, she spent a lot of her time knitting scarves for the military and the homeless.

She was born in Worcester, the daughter of Joseph and Agnes (McAulay) Hadley, III and later graduated from David Prouty High School in Spencer and attended Clark University in Worcester.

A funeral service for Fran was held on Monday, Dec. 21 at 11 a.m. in the J.HENRI MORIN & SON FUNERAL HOME, 23 Maple Terr., Spencer. A calling hour preceded the service from 10 to 11 a.m. Covid-19 precautions, face masks and social distancing both at the funeral home and cemetery must be observed. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery, E.Brookfield. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, 3 International Dr., Suite 200, Rye Brook, NY., 10573.

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## Mildred L. Silverberg, 98

WEST BROOKFIELD/ HARDWICK- Mildred L. "Millie" (Knox) Silverberg, 98, of Hardwick, died on Monday, December 14, 2020 at her daughter's home in Lexington, KY. Millie's children are so



thankful for the love, laughter and music that always filled their home. She was known for her happy personality and ability to make everyone feel loved and special.

She leaves her son, Robert K. Silverberg and his wife Sandy of Collierville, TN; four daughters, Elsa Bates of Lodi, CA, Alison Messina of Lexington, KY, Heidi Jeldres of Hardwick, and Robin Dawson of Lexington, KY; 12 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, and 1 great-great grandson and a large extended family. She was predeceased by her husband of 59 years, Arvid O. Silverberg. It was the pride of her life to be a Gold Star Mother, having lost their son, WO Arvid O. Silverberg, Jr. who died saving lives in Vietnam. Millie was the last of her generation of the Silverberg and Knox families, including her brothers, C. Joseph, Frederick,

Albert, and Roy Knox, and two sisters, Ernestine Phipps, and Alice Sharp. She was born in Milford, daughter of the late Clarence I. and Alice M. (Walker) Knox.

She and Arvid together built and lived in their home on Ragged Hill Road in West Brookfield for 50 years, which always served as a warm, welcoming respite for many in their community.

Millie was a long-time member of the George Whitefield United Methodist Church in West Brookfield, where she shared her love of music all her adult life and inspired her own children and her church family to always make time to sing.

A Memorial Service for Millie will be held in the Spring when all may gather to celebrate her beautiful life. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the George Whitefield United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 576, West Brookfield, MA 01585.

Varnum Funeral Home, Inc., 43 East Main Street in West Brookfield is assisting her family with arrangements.

An online guest book is available at [varnumfuneralhome.com](http://varnumfuneralhome.com)

# OBITUARIES

## Peter N. Kotsifas, 76

STURBRIDGE- Peter N. Kotsifas, 76, passed away peacefully on Monday, Dec. 14th, in the Overlook Masonic Healthcare Center, Charlton, after a long illness.



He leaves his wife of 55 years, Sandra P. Kotsifas; his three children, Deborah A. Phillips and her companion Steven Stover of West Jordan, UT; Julie E. Gerrish and her husband James of Sturbridge and Peter C. Kotsifas and his wife Megan Green of Cohasset; his brother, Mark Kotsifas and his wife Kim of Palm Bay, FL; and his four grandchildren, Lauren Gerrish of Los Angeles, CA, Luke Gerrish of Amherst, Colin Green Kotsifas of Cohasset and Halle Green Kotsifas of Cohasset. He was predeceased by his brother, Leonard Kotsifas. He was born in Waltham, the son of the late Peter and Virginia A. (Keough) Kotsifas. Peter attended Newton schools and received both his Bachelor's and Master's degree in Engineering from Northeastern University in Boston.

Peter was the General Manager for the Medical Division of Nypco in Clinton for 19 years before retiring several years ago. He previously worked for CW Bard Industries and Sherman Industries. He was a long-

time active member of St. Anne's and St. Patrick's Parish in Sturbridge, serving as a Eucharistic Minister, Lector and Altar Server. In addition, Peter was actively involved in the St. Vincent De Paul ministry as both an officer and mentor. Peter was an avid golfer, and enjoyed boating and water-skiing on Big Alum in Sturbridge. He was a skilled gardener who could make anything grow, as well as a bird-watching enthusiast. Peter was also a history buff and "people person" who enjoyed meeting people and learning about their cultures and language; in addition to vacations with Sandy, his business travels took him on many trips to Europe and the Far East.

The family would like to thank Kelly Cristo and her 4th floor staff at Overlook Masonic Healthcare for their dedicated loving care and support to Peter and his family.

A funeral Mass in St. Anne's Church, Sturbridge and burial in St. Anne's Cemetery, Sturbridge, will be held at a later date. There are no calling hours.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the St. Vincent DePaul Society of St. Anne's Parish, 16 Church St., Sturbridge, MA 01518 or to the Alzheimer's Association at Alz.org. The Daniel T. Morrill Funeral Home, 130 Hamilton St., Southbridge, is directing arrangements.

www.morrillfuneralhome.com

## Margaret E. Wilson, "Maggie", 73

LEICESTER- Margaret E. Wilson, "Maggie", 73, of 1073 Main St., died Friday, Dec. 18 at Saint Vincent Hospital in Worcester.



She leaves her sister, Claire D. Wilson of Oxford, her brothers Mark F. Wilson and his wife Mary of Leicester, R. Barry Wilson of Oxford and Jeffrey A. Wilson and his wife Laura of Oxford, her close extended family; David G. Wilson, Jr. and his wife Cheryl, James C. Wilson and his wife Sandra, Robert F. Wilson and his wife Debra and Annmarie Montiverdi and her husband Christopher all of Leicester, her cherished aunt Geraldine A. Wilson of Leicester, many treasured nieces and nephews whose lives were greatly touched by their beloved "Maggie".

Margaret was a dispatcher for Worcester Fire for 12 years, prior to her retirement in 2004. She received a commendation in recognition of

her "professional demeanor and actions as a dispatcher for the City of Worcester during a time of great tragedy on Dec. 3, 1999." She previously worked at Worcester City Hospital.

Born in Worcester, she was the daughter of F. Duncan and Eileen T. (McCue) Wilson and later graduated from St. Peter's High School in Worcester.

Her funeral Mass was held on Wednesday, Dec. 23 at 11 a.m. in St. Pius X Church, 1153 Main St., Leicester. Friends are asked to go directly to the Church. Covid-19 precautions, face masks and social distancing must be observed. Burial followed in Pine Grove Cemetery, Leicester for all to attend. There are no public calling hours.

MORIN FUNERAL HOME, 1131 Main St., Leicester is directing arrangements for the family. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to St. John's Food for the Poor Program, 20 Temple St., Worcester, MA 01604 or stjohndfoodfortheppoor.org.

www.morinfuneralhomes.com

## Carmella M. (Smarelli) Rojecki, 99

Carmella M. (Smarelli) Rojecki, 99, of South Windsor, beloved wife of the late Anthony J. Rojecki passed away on Sunday, November 29, 2020. Born



in Southbridge, MA on November 21, 1921; she was the daughter of the late Eustachio and Giovina (Santilli) Smarelli. On November 20, 1941, Carmella married the love of her life, Tony, and they began a family of 4 beautiful children in Webster, MA. In 1965 Carmella and Tony relocated to Connecticut, along with their two youngest daughters, where they established roots and made their home in South Windsor. Carmella remained in her home for 48 memorable years before making a new home at Brookdale of South Windsor and finally at Woodlake in Tolland, CT where she spent her final years. Carmella was a devoted mother, wife, grandmother and great-grandmother. Spending time with her family was her greatest joy. Carmella expressed her love in the kitchen and will be fondly remembered for her Italian cooking; especially her homemade pasta, meatballs, gnocchi, pizzelles, biscotti, and her famous green spaghetti. A visit to Carmella's house would not have been complete without family dinner around the table and baked goods to take home. She loved life itself and was always filled with positive energy throughout the years. At age 80 she learned how to use a computer, traveled to new places, and attended several country music concerts with her daughter. For her 90th birthday she saw Bobby Vinton in person where he came down off the stage, kissed her and wished her a happy birthday; making her one happy woman. Carmella was a tiny Italian lady with a presence that was bigger than life itself. Throughout her life she made friends wherever she went. Everyone fell in love with her. An honorable Italian woman, Carmella took pride in her heritage and made sure everyone knew so, and she would not let you walk away without a hug from her. Carmella leaves behind her loving family: son John (Angela) of Gorham, ME, two daugh-

ters Barbara Godzik (widow of Louis) of Thompson, CT, Deborah (Allen) of Bolton, CT, and son-in-law Gregory Lohrey of Green Bay, WI. She will be greatly missed by her 9 caring grandchildren: Tamara, Brenda, Gregory, Matthew, Lindsay, Alyssa, Stella, Katie, and Michael and her great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and many dear friends. In addition to her husband and her parents, Carmella was preceded in death by her daughter Susan Lohrey, son-in-law Louis Godzik, brother Frank Smarelli, and sisters Columbia Cygan and Ida Trifone. We would like to personally express our gratitude to the staff at Woodlake for the exceptional care and love for Carmella during the past 4 years especially to Dr. Mahmoud, Amy, Julie, Jess, Joann, Sierra, Beth, and Rachel. We would also like to thank the staff at Brookdale of South Windsor, especially Jessica, Patricia, and Ramos. Lastly, we would like to extend a very special thank you to her dear friend and caregiver Joann Vaughn. You all hold a special place in our hearts and we will always remember your kindness and compassion.

A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at St. Margaret Mary's Church, South Windsor in the spring. There will be no calling hours. In lieu of flowers, a memorial contribution may be made to the Alzheimer's Association of CT. To leave an online condolence please visit: [www.carmonfuneralhome.com](http://www.carmonfuneralhome.com) Carmella will be greatly missed, however, her loving family and friends will cherish the memories of her legacy for lifetimes to come. Que Sera Sera.



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## Joseph W. Brill, 55

UXBRIDGE- Joseph W. Brill, 55, passed away on Thurs. Dec. 17, 2020 at his home in Worcester, peacefully after a courageous battle with cancer. He is survived by his 2 children, Emily R. Brill, and Samuel R. Brill; his mother, Norma C. (Chace) Brill of Uxbridge, his loving girlfriend and caretaker with whom he lived Valerie (Gerard) Harney; 4 siblings, Edna E. Tetreault of Surfside Beach, SC, Edward T. Brill of Whitinsville, Ellen A. Menesale of Newburyport, James A. Brill of Douglas;



his former wife and the mother of his children, Lisa (Frabotta) Silveira of Dudley, as well as many nieces, nephews, and cousins. He was predeceased by his father Edward Brill. Born in Whitinsville on September 25, 1965 Joseph grew up in Uxbridge and was a graduate of Uxbridge High School class of 1983. He worked the past 10 years as a Regional Manager for Cirrus Controls, and previously for

Altec Co. where he was for many years. Straight out of high school, Joe enlisted in the U.S. Navy. He served with great honor for 14 years, 3 of which he was stationed in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba where he was also awarded the Navy Achievement Medal. He was onboard the USS Forrestal in the Mediterranean during Operation El Dorado Canyon. Even as a young boy, Joe always wanted to join the Navy and serve his country, in doing so it gave him great pride. He enjoyed golfing, visiting the beach, and most of all spending time with his children. He was a very friendly outgoing man who had a great sense of humor. He will be sorely missed by all who loved and knew him. Joseph's memorial service was held on Mon. Dec. 28 at 11 AM in Tancrell-Jackman Funeral Home, 35 Snowling Rd., Uxbridge. Memorial calling hours were held prior from 9:30- 11 AM. Burial followed in St. Mary's Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations in Joe's memory may be made to: St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude's Place, Memphis TN 38105-1942 or to: The American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22478 Oklahoma City, OK 73123. To leave a condolence message for the family please visit: <http://www.Jackmanfuneralhomes.com>

## Michael T. Branniff, 75

DUDLEY- The spirit of Michael T. Branniff, 75, of Dudley passed peacefully from this life on December 17 while



a patient at UMass Medical Center after his being unexpectedly stricken ill at home. Mike is survived by his wife of 36 years, Linda Branniff of Dudley and his two stepsons, Armand St. Andre of RI and Adam St. Andre (and wife Stacie St. Andre). He was born in Webster, the son of Mark Q. and Stella (Kokoski) Branniff. Mike attended St. Louis School in Webster and St. Francis Xavier University in Antigonish, Nova Scotia. He was an Army veteran.

Mike was a retired splicing techni-

cian for Verizon for 30 years. He had a life-long interest in history and held a position on the Dudley Historical Commission for many years. He was instrumental in getting early records of Dudley copied and preserved. His special interest was the Massachusetts 15th Regiment in the Civil War. He was on the Board of Directors of the Black Tavern Historical Society for 14 years. Mike also enjoyed yearly Maine vacations to Eastport, fishing, and was a very, very avid reader of history.

Private funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Shaw-Majercik Funeral Home 48 School Street Webster, MA.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Black Tavern of Dudley, 138-142 Center Road, Dudley, MA.

A guest book is available at [www.shaw-majercik.com](http://www.shaw-majercik.com) where you may offer condolences or light a candle in remembrance of Michael.

## Janyce F. Oles, 66

ROGERS, CT – Janyce F. Oles, 66, died unexpectedly Monday, December 14, 2020 at her home.



She leaves a daughter, Shannon L. Cantara and a granddaughter, Kendra L. Cantara, both of Danielson; a brother, Timothy Oles and his wife Denise of Putnam; 3 sisters, Sandra Rainey and Judith Oles, both of Putnam and Pamela Brousseau and her husband Martin of Brooklyn, CT; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a sister, Marilyn Couillard. She also leaves her beloved Siamese cat, Monkey.

She was born in Yonkers, NY on May 17, 1954, a daughter of Thomas F. and Jessie (Campion) Oles and lived

in Connecticut most of her life. She graduated from Putnam High School in 1972.

Janyce owned and operated the "Clothes Closet" in Danielson for many years. She enjoyed crafting and fashion design.

She was a Justice of the Peace for many years in the State of Connecticut and belonged to Saint James Church in Danielson.

Services will be held privately. There are no calling hours. Donations in her name may be made to Spina Bifida Association, 1600 Wilson Blvd, Ste. 800, Arlington, VA 22209, (800).621.3141 x23, [Spinabifidaassociation.org/ways-to-donate/by](http://Spinabifidaassociation.org/ways-to-donate/by). Arrangements are under the direction of Sitkowski, Malboeuf and Hickey Funeral Home, 340 School Street, Webster, MA.

[www.websterfunerals.com](http://www.websterfunerals.com)

## Barbara Joy Boisclair, 87

CHARLTON- Barbara Joy (Reiser) Boisclair, 87, passed away December 19, 2020 at Southbridge Rehabilitation and Health Care Center in Southbridge.

She was predeceased by her husband, Theodore A. Boisclair.

Barbara leaves behind 3 sons; Joseph K. Boisclair and his wife Janice of Charlton, John P. Boisclair of Cherry Valley, and Jeffrey J. Boisclair of Auburn, and many grandchildren, also brothers; Robert, Dick, Allen Reiser and a sister, Nancy Aktiv. She was predeceased by a brother William and sister Betty.


Barbara was born in Chicago, Illinois on February 12, 1933 a daughter of the late John and Thelma (Flynn) Reiser, she graduated from South Lancaster

Academy and enjoyed knitting and crocheting.





There are no calling hours, services will be private.

The ROBERT J. MILLER-CHARLTON FUNERAL HOME, 175 Old Worcester Rd., is assisting the family with arrangements.

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# OBITUARIES

## Robert Morin, 89,

Robert Morin, 89, of Webster past away Wednesday, December 16, 2020, after a long battle with cancer. He was surrounded by family at his home on the lake. Robert was born October 11, 1931 in Webster, MA. He is the son of the late Oliva and the late Ida (Racicot) Morin.

He is survived by his wife of 63 years Lorraine (Ceppetelli) Morin, two daughters: Lynn Morin, Jeanne Smith and husband Robert. Three sons: Gary Morin and his wife Sharil, Wayne Morin and his wife Marilene, Robert Morin and his wife Megan. He is predeceased by his daughter Shelly (Morin) Ablondi. Robert leaves behind 9 grandchildren: Chad and Seth Morin, Kalin and Tyler Smith, Troy and Max Morin, Luke, Allie, and Jacob Ablondi, as well as, son in law John Ablondi. Robert is also predeceased by brothers Bernard, Norman, and Donald, along with his sister Constance.

Robert attended Mount St. Charles Academy in Woonsocket, RI., New England School of Photography in New Haven, CT, and Winona School of Photography and Videography in Gary, Indiana.

Robert was a Navy Veteran of the Korean War serving in the US Navy from 1951 to 1953. He loved photography and received many awards throughout his career. Robert was the founder of Morin Studios and Jewelry Store in Southbridge, MA., a third-generation business now run by his son Rob.

Bob was a communicant of Sacred Heart Parish and enjoyed living on Webster Lake for 60 years. One of his greatest joys in life was sharing his lake home with his beloved wife Lorraine and the rest of his family.

A Mass of Christian burial was held 11:00 am on Monday, December 28 at Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, 16 East Main St., Webster, MA. Burial with military honors will follow in Sacred Heart of Jesus Cemetery. [www.bartelfuneralhome.com](http://www.bartelfuneralhome.com) for Bob's online guestbook. Covid-19 precautions will be in place at mass and cemetery. Donations to Sacred Heart Parish in lieu of flowers.

## Barbara Rosen, 89

On Saturday, December 12th, Barbara Rosen, 89, of Woodstock, passed away at Westview Healthcare Center in Dayville, CT, succumbing to complications from COVID.

Barbara was born on November 3, 1931 in Worcester, MA. She was predeceased by her loving husband of 41 years, Roy Rosen and her parents Eric and Astrid Grusell, who were both born in Sweden. Also predeceased by her sister Kathleen Engvall and brother Carl Grusell both of Worcester, MA along with her son-in-law, Marshall Tourtellotte, Woodstock, CT.

She leaves behind her three children, Karin Tourtellotte, Putnam, CT; Eric Rosen (Jane), Woodstock, CT and Lorna Rosen Kuper (Jim), Woodstock, GA. She was the adoring "Grammy B" to 9 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren. Survivors also include many nieces and nephews from the Rosen and Grusell families. All whom she loved dearly. Her family

was the center of her life.

Over 25 years of her working career was spent at Woodstock Academy, as a "Professional Mom" in the Nurse's Office. She enjoyed the students and was a source of comfort for many throughout the years. Barbara's happiest days were when her children brought their friends home to enjoy her famous chocolate chip cookies and good times. Barbara was known to be kind, loving, good humored and always wearing a smile. Even during her worst days of her illness, she was described as being gracious and sharing her smile with others.

A Memorial Service will be planned at a later date when it is safe to gather. For those wishing to donate in her memory the family has chosen donations toward Roseland Park. A meaningful place of many fond memories while residing in the neighborhood on Roseland Lake.

Memorial donations may be sent to Trustees of Roseland Park, 205 Roseland Park Rd Woodstock, CT 06281. Share a memory at [www.smithandwalkerfh.com](http://www.smithandwalkerfh.com)



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# OBITUARIES

## Eleanor Mary Hunter Adams

Eleanor Mary Hunter Adams died Saturday November 22, 2020 at Westview Health Care Center. She was the beloved wife of Jerry W. Adams Sr., D.D.S. They were married October 9, 1948. He predeceased her in 1987.

Eleanor was born May 12, 1926 in Passaic, New Jersey daughter of Herbert D. Hunter and Sarah Hannah Moore Hunter. She graduated in 1947 from Mary Washington University, Fredericksburg, Va. In 1948 she completed a year internship in dietetics at the U.S. Marine Hospital on Staten Island, New York. The following year Jerry and Eleanor moved to Putnam, and in 1958, they moved to Woodstock. Eleanor lived in Woodstock until 2019.

For many years Ellie was active in The League of Women Voters, Republican Town Committee and the First Congregational Church of Woodstock.

She loved to read, worked crossword puzzles and stayed up-to-date with local and national politics by reading three daily newspapers until her sight failed. Until recently, she could still engage in feisty, political discussions with her children and grandchildren.

Ellie left a legacy of lessons shared with her family and friends. She

taught us by example: the power of resilience and humor; the importance of close and abiding friendships; an appreciation of nature's beauty; the dignity of living independently being worth the never-ending, problem solving required to sustain that dignity; the benefits of thrift; and finally, as she said when faced with a significant loss, "life is for the living." And so we soldier on, living a little wiser and maybe more fully for having known Ellie.

To all those people who made it possible for Ellie to live in place for the last two decades, and to all those individuals at Westview who supported her in the last, difficult months, Ellie's family is most grateful.

Ellie is survived by her children: Nancy H. Adams and husband Jonathan Gradie of Woodstock, Conn.; Sarah B. Adams and husband Gorm Lunn of Holte, Denmark; and Jerry W. Adams, Jr. and wife Mary Smith Adams of Nantucket, Mass.; five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Donations in her memory may be made to The Trustees of Roseland Park, 205 Roseland Park Rd. Woodstock 06281 or The First Congregational Church, Woodstock, 543 Route 169, Woodstock 06281. Services will take place at a later time. The Smith and Walker Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Share a memory at [www.smithandwalkerfh.com](http://www.smithandwalkerfh.com)

## Florence Lillian Ritzer, 93

WEST BROOKFIELD - Florence Lillian (Lampe) Ritzer, 93 years young, was born April 14, 1927 in Jersey City, N.J. She eventually made her home in West Brookfield, MA.

A founding member of Bethlehem Lutheran Church, she was a woman of great faith.

She loved being a homemaker, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. Her saying was "My children are my sun, their children stars and flowers." Family was always her passion and priority.

After working as an LPN for many years, she went back to school and obtained her Master's Degree in Education. She then worked as a case manager at Belchertown State School up until her retirement.

She enjoyed painting, gardening, music, reading, watching the birds, being outdoors, traveling, sending text messages, indulging in Richardson's Candy, attending all the church and craft fairs that she could find, dinning out especially if crab cakes were on the menu, and her parakeet Chirpy. She was always ready for an adventure, from white water rafting in Alaska to snorkeling in Mexico and camping in Maine. Recently saying, "This dying is a new experience."

Florence is survived by five chil-

dren, Carol, Susan, Henry, Edward, and Paul; nine grandchildren, Alicia, Robert, Paul Jr., Zachary, William, Joshua, Lukas, Gabrielle, Anabella; and two great-grandchildren Daniel and Oliver.

She was predeceased by an infant son Bobby who was always in her heart, all of her siblings, three sisters and three brothers, most recently Kenneth Lampe. She was proud of the fact she lived longer than any of her family members and challenged her children to do even better.

She passed peacefully at home on December 22 with loving family members by her side.

"I pray thoughts of me are gentle to you."

She will be dearly missed.

Funeral Services for Florence will be held privately. Burial will be in Pine Grove Cemetery in West Brookfield. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 345 Main Street, Sturbridge MA 01566, the American Heart Association, 300 5th Avenue, Waltham MA 02451 or the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22718, Oklahoma City OK 73123.

Varnum Funeral Home, Inc., 43 E. Main Street in West Brookfield is assisting her family with arrangements.

An online guest book is available at [varnumfuneralhome.com](http://varnumfuneralhome.com).



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Avg Days on Market	33	29	▼
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Median Price	\$246,250	\$350,000	▲
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# LEGALS

## NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Premises: 32-34 Fowler Road, Northbridge, Massachusetts

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Dyanna L. Rondeau to Sovereign Bank, said mortgage dated October 12, 2004, and recorded in the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds, in Book 35011 at Page 38 and now held by Santander Bank, N.A., fka Sovereign Bank, for breach of the conditions in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at Public Auction on **January 25, 2021 at 11:00 AM Local Time** upon the premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: That certain piece or parcel of land, and the buildings and improvements thereon:

In the Town of: Northbridge County of: Worcester And State of Massachusetts And being more particularly described in a deed recorded in Book 18497, Page 270 of the Worcester County, City of Northbridge which property is more commonly known as 32 34 Fowler Rd, Northbridge, MA 01534.

More particularly described in said deed as:

The land and buildings situated on the westerly side of Fowler Road, the road leading from the Village of Rockdale, so-called, to Northbridge Center, in the Town of Northbridge, in Worcester County, bounded and described as follows:

Parcel 1  
BEGINNING at the northeasterly corner of the premises, it being the southeast corner of Lot #1 as shown and designated on a plan of land entitled, "Plan of Building Lots for Samuel Fowler, Rockdale, Northbridge, Mass., 1899" by H.H. Browning, Civil Engineer, Worcester, Mass., recorded with the Worcester District Registry of Deeds, Book 1599, Page 655;

THENCE westerly by Lot #1 to southeast corner of Lot #12 on said plan;  
THENCE southerly by Lots #11 and #10, 75 feet to a point;  
THENCE easterly 159.1 feet to a point on said road which point is 75 feet southerly measured on west line of said road, from the point of beginning;

THENCE northerly by said road to the point of beginning.  
Said Tract being Lot #2 and north half of lot #3 on said plan.

Parcel 2  
Beginning at a drillhole in a stone bound at the northeasterly corner of land now or formerly of one Brown;  
THENCE westerly by land of said Brown 173 feet to a stone bound, it being the northeasterly corner of Lot #12 on the plan of land referred to in parcel 1 above;

THENCE southerly by Lot #12 on said plan 46 feet to Lot #2 on said plan;  
THENCE easterly by said lot #2 163 feet to said road to Northbridge Center;  
THENCE northerly by said road 80 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel 2 containing 10,332 square feet more or less.

The description of the property that appears in the mortgage to be foreclosed and more particularly described in deed recorded in Book 18497, Page 270 of the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds shall control in the event of a typographical error in this publication.

For Mortgagor's Title see deed dated April 30, 1994, and recorded in Book 18497 at Page 270 with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds.

TERMS OF SALE: Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to all liens, encumbrances, unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any, which take precedence over the said mortgage above described.

FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000.00) Dollars of the purchase price must be paid by a certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of the sale by the purchaser. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check within sixty (60) days after the date of sale.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

BENDETT & MCHUGH, PC  
270 Farmington Avenue  
Farmington, CT 06032  
Attorney for Santander Bank, N.A. fka Sovereign Bank, FSB  
Present Holder of the Mortgage  
(860) 677-2868

January 1, 2021  
January 8, 2021  
January 15, 2021

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
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Docket No. WO20P3506EA**

## CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

Estate of:  
Timothy R Carey  
Date of Death: 08/21/2020

To all interested persons:  
A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Kathy Carey of Northbridge MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.  
The Petitioner requests that **Kathy Carey of Northbridge MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **an unsupervised** administration.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: **10:00 a.m. on the return day of 01/12/2021**. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)  
A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.  
Date: December 15, 2021

Stephanie K. Fattman,  
Register of Probate  
January 1, 2021

(SEAL)

**TRIAL COURT OF MASSACHUSETTS  
THE SUPERIOR COURT  
Worcester Superior Court  
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**Case No. 2085CV01029**

### ORDER OF NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

**James E. Carey and  
Vladimir Thermilus, Plaintiffs,  
vs.**

**Persons, if any, unascertained,  
Not in being, unknown who may  
Be heirs, devisees, appointees or  
Persons claiming under  
Averaldo Lomi, Defendants.**

TO: all unknown and unascertained persons who may be heirs, devisees, appointees, or persons claiming under the late **Averaldo Lomi**, late of Lincoln, Rhode Island.

WHEREAS a civil action has been begun against you in our Superior Court by **James E. Carey and Vladimir Thermilus** wherein the Plaintiffs are seeking to quiet title and thereby extinguish any hypothetical adverse claim that the heirs of the late Averaldo Lomi could assert with respect to a portion of the real property owned by the Plaintiffs known as 11 and 13 Champlain Avenue, Blackstone, Massachusetts, arising from the omission of lots 317 and 318 in a deed from Averaldo Lomi to James E. Carey dated August 7, 1989, recorded with the Worcester County Southern District Registry of Deeds at Book 12262, Page 371.

We **COMMAND YOU** if you intend to make any defense, that on 3/5/2021 or within such further time as the law allows you do cause your written pleading to be filed in the office of the Clerk of Court named above, in said Commonwealth, and further that you defend against said suit according to law if you intend any defense, and that you do and receive what the Court shall order and adjudge therein.

Hereof fail not, at your peril, or as otherwise said suit may be adjudged and orders entered in your absence. It appearing to this Court that no personal service of the Complaint has been made on the defendant a deputy sheriff having made a return on the summons that after diligent search he can find no one upon whom he can lawfully make service, a copy of which is hereto attached and made part of this notice, it is ORDERED that notice of this suit be given to them by publishing, once a week for three successive weeks, the last publication to be at least 20-days before said return day in the: Blackstone Valley Tribune  
January 1, 2021

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Probate and Family Court  
Worcester Division**

Docket No. WO20P2310EA

Estate of:

Bernice Ruth Glicksman

Date Of Death: June 30, 2020

## NOTICE OF INFORMAL PROBATE

To all persons who have or may have some interested in the above-captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner **Caroline A Glicksman of Brielle NJ** a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

**Caroline A Glicksman of Brielle NJ** has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond. The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.  
January 1, 2021

(SEAL)

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
LAND COURT  
DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT  
Docket No. 20 SM 001568  
ORDER OF NOTICE**

TO: Mark Labbe, Individually and as Personal Representative of the Estate of Michael Labbe, Xavier Labbe, Elizabeth Labbe, Rachel Rietta and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, 50 U.S.C. c. 50 §3901 (et seq):  
Quicken Loans, LLC f/k/a Quicken Loans Inc.

claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Whitinsville (Northbridge), numbered 139 Fletcher Street, given by Michael Labbe to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, acting solely as a nominee for Quicken Loans Inc., dated February 26, 2019, and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 60085, Page 290, and now held by the Plaintiff by assignment, has/have filed with this court a complaint for determination of Defendant's/Defendants' Servicemembers status.

If you now are, or recently have been, in the active military service of the United States of America, then you may be entitled to the benefits of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If you object to a foreclosure of the above-mentioned property on that basis, then you or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer in this court at Three Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108 on or before 1/25/2021 or you may lose the opportunity to challenge the foreclosure on the ground of non-compliance with the Act.

Witness, GORDON H. PIPER Chief Justice of this Court on 12/11/2020  
Attest: Deborah J. Patterson, Recorder  
January 1, 2021

(SEAL)

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
LAND COURT  
DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT  
Docket 20 SM 001938  
ORDER OF NOTICE**

TO:

**Linda A. Lyness**

and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act., 50 U.S.C.c. 50 §3901 (et seq):

**Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Ameriquest Mortgage Securities Inc., Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-R4,**

claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Uxbridge, numbered **36 Kennedy Street**, given by **Gary D. Lyness and Linda A. Lyness to Ameriquest Mortgage Company, dated April 23, 2005, and recorded in Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 36229, Page 1**, and now held by plaintiff by assignment, has/have filed with this court a complaint for determination of Defendant's/Defendants' Servicemembers status.

If you now are, or recently have been, in the active military service of the United States of America, then you may be entitled to the benefits of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If you object to a foreclosure of the above-mentioned property on that basis, then you or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer

in this court at **Three Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108** on or before **February 1, 2021** or you may lose the opportunity to challenge the foreclosure on the ground of non-compliance with the Act.

Witness, GORDON H. PIPER Chief Justice of this Court on December 16, 2020

Attest:

**Deborah J. Patterson**  
*Recorder*

(18-016127 Orlans)  
January 1, 2021

(SEAL)

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
LAND COURT  
DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT  
20 SM 001950  
ORDER OF NOTICE**

TO:

Brian J. Lisak a/k/a Brian Lisak; Deborah Lisak

And to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act: 50 U.S.C. c. 50 § 3901 (*et seq*):  
IslandCap, LLC

claiming to have an interest in a Mortgage covering real property in Whitinsville (Northbridge), numbered 29-31 Haringa Avenue, given by Brian J. Lisak and Deborah Lisak to National City Bank, dated November 4, 2005, and recorded at Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 37764, Page 343, and now held by the plaintiff by assignment, has/have filed with this court a complaint for determination of Defendant's/Defendants' Servicemembers status.

If you now are, or recently have been, in the active military service of the United States of America, then you may be entitled to the benefits of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If you object to a foreclosure of the above-mentioned property on that basis, then you or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer in this court at **Three Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108** on or before **February 1, 2021** or you may lose the opportunity to challenge the foreclosure on the grounds of noncompliance with the Act. Witness, GORDON H. PIPER, Chief Justice of said Court on **December 18, 2020**.

Attest:

**Deborah J. Patterson**  
*Recorder*

January 1, 2021

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
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**Docket No. WO20P3507EA  
CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION**

Estate of:

Mary Y Michalik

Date of Death: 05/10/2001

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Determination of Heirs** has been filed by **Martin P Szelag, Jr. of Northbridge MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

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WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.  
Date: December 15, 2020

Stephanie K. Fattman,  
Register of Probate  
January 1, 2021



# LEGALS

## NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Premises: 8 Oak Drive, North Oxford (Oxford), MA 01537

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Raymond P. Wentworth to Fleet National Bank, and now held by **U.S. Bank, National Association, as Trustee for the CertificateHolders of the Banc of America Funding Corporation, 2008-FT1 Trust, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2008-FT1**, said mortgage dated February 24, 2003 and recorded in the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 30655, Page 344, said mortgage was assigned from Bank of America, National Association, successor by merger to Fleet National Bank to U.S. Bank, National Association, as Trustee for the CertificateHolders of the BANC of America Funding Corporation 2008-FT1 Trust, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2008-FT1 by assignment dated April 21, 2014 and recorded with said Registry of Deeds in Book 52260, Page 354; for breach of the conditions in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at **Public Auction** on January 20, 2021, at 12:00 PM Local Time upon the premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: THE LAND SITUATED ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF OAK DRIVE, SO CALLED, IN SAID OXFORD, BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE NORTHWESTERLY CORNER THEREOF AT AN IRON PIN ON THE EASTERLY LINE OF LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF WILFRED BOUTILETTE, SAID IRON PIN BEING AT THE SOUTHWESTERLY CORNER OF LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF GENO CAMOSSE, WHICH IS ALSO THE SOUTHWESTERLY CORNER OF LOT #4 AS SHOWN ON PLAN RECORDED IN WORCESTER DISTRICT REGISTRY OF DEEDS, PLAN BOOK 163, PLAN 40; THENCE NORTH 74° 21' EAST, BY LAND OF SAID CAMOSSE, FOR A DISTANCE OF TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHT AND 8/10 (278.8) FEET TO A STAKE ON THE WESTERLY LINE OF SAID OAK DRIVE; THENCE SOUTH 13° 15' EAST BY THE WESTERLY LINE OF SAID OAK DRIVE FOR A DISTANCE OF ONE HUNDRED (100) FEET TO A STAKE AT LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF JOHN J. WHITE; THENCE SOUTH 76° 09' WEST BY LAND OF SAID WHITE FOR A DISTANCE OF THREE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE AND 8/10 (325.8) FEET TO A STAKE ON THE EASTERLY LINE OF LAND OF SAID WILFRED BOUTILETTE; THENCE NORTH 13° 55' EAST BY LAND OF SAID BOUTILETTE FOR A DISTANCE OF ONE HUNDRED (100) FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING THAT CERTAIN PIECE OF PARCEL OF LAND, AND THE BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, KNOWN AS 8 OAK DRIVE IN THE TOWN OF N OXFORD COUNTY OF WORCESTER AND STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN A DEED RECORDED IN BOOK 5106 PAGE 148.

The description of the property contained in the mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in this publication.

For Mortgagor's Title see deed dated March 4, 1971 and recorded in the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds in Book 5106, Page 148.

TERMS OF SALE: Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to all liens, encumbrances, unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any, which take precedence over the said mortgage above described.

FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000.00) Dollars of the purchase price must be paid in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of the sale by the purchaser. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid in cash, certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check within thirty (30) days after the date of sale.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.  
Brock & Scott, PLLC  
1080 Main Street, Suite 200  
Pawtucket, RI 02860  
Attorney for U.S. Bank, National Association, as Trustee for the CertificateHolders of the Banc of America Funding Corporation, 2008-FT1 Trust, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2008-FT1  
Present Holder of the Mortgage  
401-217-8701

December 25, 2020

January 1, 2021

January 8, 2021

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## (508) 831-2200 Docket No. WO20C0397CA CITATION ON PETITION TO CHANGE NAME In the matter of:

Trevor James Foskett

A **Petition to Change Name of Adult** has been filed by **Trevor James Foskett of Oxford MA**

requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to:

**Trevor James Gifford**

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: Worcester Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 01/19/2021 This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

**WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.**

Date: December 16, 2020

Stephanie K. Fattman

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**Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court  
Probate and Family Court  
Worcester Probate and Family Court  
225 Main Street  
Worcester, MA 01608  
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## Docket No. WO20P3443EA CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

Estate of:

Nellie Martin

**Date of Death: 10/19/2020**

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Probate of Will with Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Caroline Belanger of Webster MA** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that **Caroline Belanger of Webster MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **an unsupervised** administration.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: **10:00 a.m. on the return day of 01/12/2021.** This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC) A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

**WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.**

Date: December 09, 2021

Stephanie K. Fattman,

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January 1, 2021

## NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Premises: 13 Mayfair Circle, Oxford, Massachusetts

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Ronald S. Tanguay to Bank of America, N.A. and now held by Nationstar Mortgage LLC d/b/a Champion Mortgage Company, said mortgage dated July 3, 2008, and recorded in the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds, in Book 43073 at Page 115, as affected by an Assignment of Mortgage dated November 13, 2012, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 49973 at Page 240, as affected by an Assignment of Mortgage dated September 25, 2019, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 61166 at Page 324, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on January 22, 2021, at 10:00 AM Local Time upon the premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

The land in Oxford, Worcester County, located on Mayfair Circle, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at the northwesterly corner of the premises herein conveyed at a point in the easterly line of Mayfair Circle, said point being the southwesterly

corner of Lot No. 14 as shown on a plan entitled Mayfair Acres, Leslie J. Chaffee, Surveyor, dated October 10, 1956, and recorded with Worcester district Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 222, Plan 58; THENCE S. 56 degrees 41' E. One hundred ten (110) feet by Lot No. 14 to a point at Lot No. 5 as shown on said plan; THENCE S. 33 degrees 19' W. One hundred fifteen (115) feet partly by Lot No. 5 and partly by Lot No. 7 to a point at Lot No. 10; THENCE N. 56 degrees 41' W. One hundred ten (110) feet by Lot No. 10 as shown on said plan to appoint in the easterly line of Mayfair Circle; THENCE N. 33 degrees 19' E. One hundred fifteen (115) feet along the easterly line of Mayfair Circle to the point of beginning.

Being Lot No. 12 as shown on plan entitled Mayfair Acres, Leslie J. Chaffee surveyor, dated October 10, 1995, and recorded with Worcester District Registry of Deeds in Book 6221, Page 168, Plan Book 222, Plan 58.

The description of the property contained in the mortgage shall control in the event of a typographical error in this publication.

For Mortgagor's Title see deed dated November 22, 1996, and recorded in Book 18461 at Page 381 with the Worcester County (Worcester District) Registry of Deeds.

TERMS OF SALE: Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to all liens, encumbrances, unpaid taxes, tax titles, municipal liens and assessments, if any, which take precedence over the said mortgage above described.

TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000.00) Dollars of the purchase price must be paid by a certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check at the time and place of the sale by the purchaser. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid by a certified check, bank treasurer's or cashier's check within forty five (45) days after the date of sale.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.  
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Warwick, RI 02886

Attorney for Nationstar Mortgage LLC

d/b/a Champion Mortgage Company

Present Holder of the Mortgage

Telephone: (401) 234-9200

MLG File No.: 19-09207

January 1, 2021

January 8, 2021

January 15, 2021

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Worcester Probate and Family Court  
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## Docket No. WO20P3501EA CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION

Estate of:

Thaddeus J Nowacki

**Also known as:**

Thaddeus Nowacki

**Date of Death: 02/14/2020**

To all interested persons:

A Petition for **Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by **Kristina Ndow of Putnam CT** requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that **Kristina Ndow of Putnam CT** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in **an unsupervised** administration.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: **10:00 a.m. on the return day of 01/12/2021.** This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

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**WITNESS, Hon. Leilah A. Keamy, First Justice of this Court.**

Date: December 15, 2020

Stephanie K. Fattman,

Register of Probate

January 1, 2021

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF Walter E. Albee (20-00400)  
The Hon. Leah P. Schad, Judge of the Court of Probate, District of Northeast probate Court, by decree dated, December 15, 2020 ordered that all claims must be presented to the fiduciary at the address below. Failure to promptly present any such claim may result in the loss of rights to recover on such claim.  
Brenda Duquette, Clerk

The fiduciary is:

John Albee, 259 Brandege Avenue,  
Groton, CT 06340  
January 1, 2021

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF Marlyn I. Cutler (20-00401)  
The Hon. Leah P. Schad, Judge of the Court of Probate, District of Northeast probate Court, by decree dated, December 15, 2020 ordered that all claims must be presented to the fiduciary at the address below. Failure to promptly present any such claim may result in the loss of rights to recover on such claim.  
Brenda Duquette, Clerk

The fiduciary is:

Jack L. Rapo, 424 Stetson Road,  
Brooklyn, CT 06234  
January 1, 2021

### LIQUOR PERMIT Notice of Application

This is to give notice that I,  
RALPH FIEGEL  
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Have filed an application placarded 12/24/2020 with the Department of Consumer Protection for a CONNECTICUT CRAFT CAFE LIQUOR PERMIT for the sale of alcoholic liquor on the premises at 818 ROUTE 171  
WOODSTOCK CT 06281-2930  
The business will be owned by:  
TAYLOR BROOKE FARM LLC  
Entertainment will consist of: Acoustics (not amplified)  
Objections must be filed by: 02-04-2021  
RALPH FIEGEL  
January 1, 2021

### LEGAL NOTICE WITCHES WOOD TAX DISTRICT TAX COLLECTOR'S NOTICE

The second installment of Real Estate bills listed on the October 1, 2019 Grand List become due and payable to the Witches Woods Tax District on January 1, 2021.

Due to the Covid-19 Pandemic, Governor Lamont's Executive Order 9R will extend the no-interest grace period for all taxpayers (except escrow accounts and non-qualified landlords) to April 1, 2021.

Payments must be postmarked by April 1, 2021 to avoid interest charges. Interest will be charged on April 2, 2021 on all delinquent bills at a rate of one and one-half percent per month, beginning with 6 % for April 2nd through April 30th, and ending with 9% interest for all payments made in June 2021.

All escrows and non-qualified landlords making payments on Real Estate bills have a due date of January 1, 2021. Payments must be postmarked or in the office by February 1, 2021 to avoid interest charges. Interest will be charged on February 2, 2021 at a rate of one and one-half percent per month or 18% annually.

There is a minimum interest charge of \$2.00 on each bill.

If you have any questions, please contact the Tax Collector's Office at 860-974-1354 or the Assessor's office at 860-928-6929 ext. 326.

Payments must be sent to:  
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Frederick Chmura  
Tax Collector  
January 1, 2021  
January 8, 2021  
January 29, 2021

### PUBLIC HEARING – ANNUAL SCHOOL BUDGET

The Uxbridge School Committee will conduct a remote public hearing on the proposed Fiscal Year 2022 School Budget on Wednesday, January 20, 2021, commencing at 6:30 p.m. as required by Chapter 71, Section 38N of the Mass. General Laws. This meeting can be accessed via Zoom by going on the UPS Website under Departments, Administration, School Committee <https://ma50000413.schoolwires.net/Page/242>

Public input is encouraged and will be accepted at the hearing. A copy of the proposed budget may be obtained at the Business Office, 9 North Main St. beginning Thursday, January 7, 2021 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. It will also be available online on the UPS Website under Business Department <https://ma50000413.schoolwires.net/domain/175UPS>

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