

The Weekly Wrap-up

A Report from Town Administrator Lisa Wong

SHELD expanding Fiberspring network



Sean Fitzgerald and Bobby Liswell of SHELd host Leverett officials on a tour of SHELd and Holyoke G&E’s fiber facilities. Their expansion was recently featured in Business West: <https://businesswest.com/blog/south-hadley-utilities-fiber-business-is-a-fast-developing-story/>

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Starting on Monday October 17th we will be upgrading our 10 year old virtual infrastructure. This will impact almost all network related services including internet access, file and print services, phone and voicemail. Residents will have limited access to municipal services and staff in all buildings (senior center, town hall, library, etc) by phone, voicemail and email Monday, Oct. 17 through Tuesday, Oct. 18. The police department phones will not be affected. Staff in all buildings will be available in person to answer questions and accept payment during regular hours.

Selectboard

The next meeting will be Tuesday, October 18 at 7 p.m. The *in person* meeting will be held at the Senior Center. Agenda will be posted on the website: www.southhadley.org/agendacenter

Library

Check out the line-up of Author Talks hosted by the South Hadley Public Library, including CNN Anchor Zain Asher and NPR’s Lisa Napoli. <https://libraryc.org/shadleylib/upcoming>

AED Training

The Bike/Walk Cte is hosting a free guided trek on Sunday, October 16 at 12:45pm. All ages welcome. Meet at the trailhead parking area next to MCH Boathouse, 240 Ferry St.

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS



KEEP UP WITH SOUTH HADLEY'S LATEST NEWS

The MA Department of Ecological Restoration has awarded the Town an additional \$25,000 in grant funds to support the Pearl Street Culvert Replacement project. The total award of \$147,500 will be used for data collection, design, engineering and permitting to restore natural stream function and wood turtle habitat as well as improve connectivity on Elmer Brook. Future funding will be sought via the state's Municipal Vulnerability Program program, Chapter 90 and other funding.

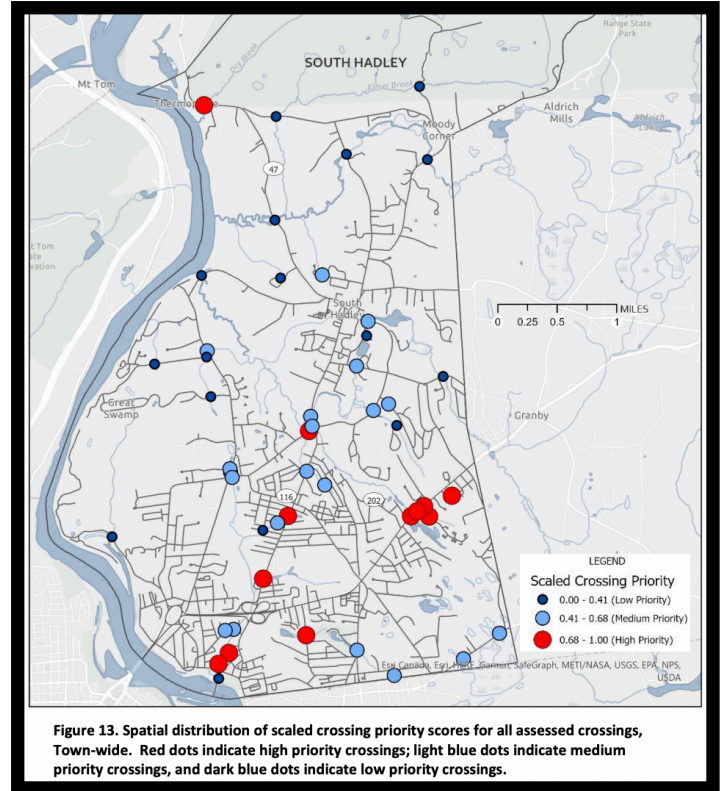


Figure 13. Spatial distribution of scaled crossing priority scores for all assessed crossings, Town-wide. Red dots indicate high priority crossings; light blue dots indicate medium priority crossings, and dark blue dots indicate low priority crossings.

HOLIDAY TEAM STORE
NOW OPEN
CLOSES OCTOBER 23RD
Get your shopping done now!
Items will be in on time for the holidays
<https://shrecreation22.itemorder.com/shop/home/>

22nd NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION DRUG TAKE BACK DAY
BRING YOUR UNWANTED DRUGS FOR FREE DISPOSAL
SATURDAY October 29, 2022
10am-2pm
SOUTH HADLEY Police Department
41 Bridge Street

Need a way to secure your medications or adult use cannabis? Lockboxes will be offered to the first 20 visitors. This is possible due to the generosity of the South Hadley Board of Health.

Medicines can remain in original containers, with labels. NO liquids, syringes, IV equipment or chemotherapy drugs. Prescription and non-prescription drugs, vitamins and veterinary meds are accepted.

In partnership with: The South Hadley Board of Health and SHPD

South Hadley Drug & Alcohol Prevention Coalition

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