Coordinator report January 2, 2020

Municipal Vulnerability Preparedness Program Planning grant deadline looms and requires a grant match of 120 to 200 hours of staff time. I won't have it available in the next few months. Our program coordinator has confirmed that our unpaid volunteer committee involvement does meet this match and he opened the possibility of our applying jointly with Northfield for this "Resiliency Planning". I therefor seek Selectboard approval of Warwick's making a joint application for Resiliency Planning and Hazard Mitigation plan update to the state with Northfield as lead town and FRCOG as consultant. Possible Gill may join too.

Recorder is working on their annual municipal future forecast. I identified following looking ahead for Warwick: continuing to reduce salt use on roads; and continue lowering municipal energy usage including at regional district. The above-mentioned Muni Vulnerability Resiliency planning; completion of the Wireless Broadband build; Re-invention or realignment of our public education solutions. Public safety and other cellular via FirstNet / ATT where my understanding is the Governor made access to this capacity by unserved by cellular locales part of our state's requirement and choice to opt in. Completion of the Vz wireline village center switch / upgrade. Integration of highway commissioners overseeing road activities; Continued support of DCR in doing forest stewardship and management and opposition to proposed neglect of public lands.

I did a Transfer Station inspection this am to judge housekeeping progress and note some; we should discuss upcoming five-year disposal contract and the problem with glass. Maintain continued vigilance on operations. Functionally I changed attendant from 1 hour allowed for reporting, opening, closing, reporting to actual time and have instructed that he should not leave the premises until the site is ready for inspection. He did and returned subsequently to work 2+ hours in Universal Waste shed mid-week.

We need to come to an understanding / agreement on how / by what mechanism; and at what level (how much \$\$) can Warwick provide in supplemental funding to equalize per pupil costs at our elementary.

I don't expect much happened regarding scheduling a meeting with some other prospective town's leadership about formation of a Supervisory Union over the holidays. Now is time to proceed.

I am working on providing coverage or a solution for accounting beyond the AP processing which we have already contracted.

Have two qualified quotes on highway garage roof so far. Todd suggested another. I'll double back on the insurer next week and report.